

Economic Impacts (2016)

Agricultural and related industries generate

23,460 jobs (24.2% of total) in Martin County.

\$1.20 billion in Gross Regional Product.

18.2% contribution to Gross Regional Product.
Based on an annual UF study

It is estimated that for every **\$1** invested in agricultural research and Extension, there is a return of **\$20** to the community.
Alston, Andersen et al. (2010)

Funding (FY 2018)

State funds for Extension **\$545,509 (62%)**
Federal funds for Extension **\$56,418 (6%)**
County funds for Extension **\$275,710 (31%)**

Volunteers (2017)

Number of volunteers **221**
Hours worked **15,112**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$373,115**

Giving (FY 2017)

Recent donors residing in county **3,159**
FY 2017 donors residing in county **1,352**
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$463,390**
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$225,791**

Client Satisfaction (2014)

Quality

90% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

76% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

87% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

67% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2017)

Field and office consultations **3,127**
Participants at group learning events **10,921**
Phone and email consultations **5,569**
Social media engagement **51,714**
Educational materials created **72**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2017)

Gallons of water saved by residential participants **176,405,796**
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **20,813**
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **56,562**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2017)

UF students from county **479**
CALs students from county **42**
UF alumni residing in county **2,426**
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **222**

EXTENSION: Nutrition & health, water quality, Florida-Friendly Landscaping™, Master Gardeners, Sea Grant, 4-H life development skills, commercial/urban horticulture, sustainable agriculture

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