

Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

23,119 jobs (23.0% of total) in Martin County.

\$1.45 billion in Gross Regional Product.

19.0% 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 2021)

State funds for Extension **\$578,310 (66%)**
Federal funds for Extension **\$56,804 (6%)**
County funds for Extension **\$240,085 (27%)**

Volunteers (2020)

Number of volunteers **261**
Hours worked **10,234**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$292,078**

Giving (FY 2020)

Recent donors residing in county **1,294**
FY 2020 donors residing in county **523**
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$179,413**
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$48,068**

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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Client Satisfaction (2019)

Quality

93% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

73% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

63% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

72% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2020)

Field and office consultations **1,016**
Participants at group learning events **13,969**
Phone and email consultations **12,842**
Social media engagement **188,501**
Educational materials created **222**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2020)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **344,958,268**
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **17,589**
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **55,285**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2020)

UF students from county **489**
CALs students from county **40**
UF alumni residing in county **2,737**
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **254**