

**Economic Impacts** (2016)

Agricultural and related industries generate

**13,158** jobs (22.6% of total) in Santa Rosa County.

**\$721** million in Gross Regional Product.

**17.5%** 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 **\$818,263 (57%)**  
Federal funds for Extension **\$84,626 (6%)**  
County funds for Extension **\$527,020 (37%)**

**Volunteers** (2017)

Number of volunteers **613**  
Hours worked **24,316**  
Dollar value of hours worked **\$600,362**

**Giving** (FY 2017)

Recent donors residing in county **1,725**  
FY 2017 donors residing in county **804**  
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$230,877**  
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$1,580**

**Client Satisfaction** (2015)

Quality

**94%** Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

**81%** Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

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

Leverage

**82%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts** (2017)

Field and office consultations **6,616**  
Participants at group learning events **40,237**  
Phone and email consultations **19,905**  
Social media engagement **941,405**  
Educational materials created **293**

**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 **211**  
CALs students from county **33**  
UF alumni residing in county **1,258**  
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **169**

**EXTENSION:** Agriculture; Natural resources; Residential and commercial horticulture; Marine Science; 4-H youth development; Nutrition and food safety; Personal and family well being

**COMMODITIES:** Peanuts, Cotton, Forestry, Wildlife, Ornamentals,

Turfgrass

**RESEARCH:** Agriculture; Agronomy; Environmental horticulture; Natural resource conservation; Golf and sports turf management; Weed science

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