

Economic Impacts (2013)

Agricultural and related industries generate

28,669 jobs (22.6% of total) in Lake County.

\$1.28 billion in revenues.

16.4% 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 2015)

State funds for Extension	\$930,466 (60%)
Federal funds for Extension	\$109,565 (7%)
County funds for Extension	\$519,209 (33%)

Volunteers (2015)

Number of volunteers	298
Hours worked	13,436
Dollar value of hours worked	\$316,552

Giving (FY 2015)

Recent donors residing in county	4,540
FY 2015 donors residing in county	2,373
Gifts to UF from county residents	\$2,275,427
Gifts to IFAS from county residents	\$6,633

Client Satisfaction (2013)

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...

88% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

69% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2015)

Field and office consultations	3,524
Participants at group learning events	21,959
Phone and email consultations	12,983
Social media engagement	755,007
Educational materials created	226

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2015)

Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill	85%
Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude	70%
Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community	65%

Students and Alumni (Fall 2015)

UF students from county	478
CALS students from county	56
UF alumni residing in county	3,071
IFAS alumni residing in county	414

EXTENSION: Master Gardeners/Residential Horticulture; Fruit & Ornamental Production; Health & Food Safety; Financial Mgmt.; 4-H Youth Life Skills; Livestock & Natural Resources

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