

Economic Impacts (2014)

Agricultural and related industries generate

2.2 million jobs (20.5% of total) in State of Florida.

\$127.3 billion in revenues.

15.3% 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 2016)

State funds for Extension **\$40.8M (53%)**
Federal funds for Extension **\$4.8M (6%)**
County funds for Extension **\$31.5M (41%)**

Volunteers (2015)

Number of volunteers **33,549**
Hours worked **1,229,061**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$28,956,677**

Giving (FY 2016)

Recent donors residing in Florida **351,092**
FY 2016 donors residing in Florida **173,390**
Gifts to UF from Florida residents **\$137,051,974**
Gifts to IFAS from Florida residents **\$10,669,327**

EXTENSION: Animal systems; Food systems; Plant systems; Pest management; Farm economics; Water conservation & quality; Natural resources operations & stewardship; Energy conservation & alternative solutions; Food safety; Nutrition; Housing; Family financial management; Aging well; Economic development & entrepreneurship; Youth development. **RESEARCH:** Water; Agriculture; Natural resource conservation; Pest & nutrient management; Invasive weeds; Land use; New plant cultivars; Fruits & vegetables; Citrus; Wildlife management; Beef cattle; Dairy production; Animal nutrition; Forestry; Breeding & genetics; Forage & field crops; Niche crops; Golf & sports turf management; Family & consumer science. **COMMODITIES:** Agronomic row crops; Ornamentals; Fruits & vegetables; Citrus; Nuts; Cotton; Sugarcane & rice; Beef cattle; Forages; Aquaculture.

Client Satisfaction (2012-16)

Quality

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

Effectiveness

80% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

85% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

71% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2015)

Field and office consultations **217,736**
Participants at group learning events **2,585,739**
Phone and email consultations **1,219,089**
Social media engagement **14,383,646**
Educational materials created **25,917**

Clientele Outcomes (2015)

Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill **87%**
Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude **72%**
Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community **61%**

Students and Alumni (2016)

UF students from Florida **42,520**
CALs students from Florida **4,423**
UF alumni residing in Florida **251,197**
IFAS alumni residing in Florida **21,139**

Online Access (2015)

EDIS publications **6,988**
Visits to UF/IFAS Publications, Blogs & Website **5,862,995**

4-H Youth (2015-16)

Youth served **192,861**
Projects completed **252,574**
% STEM projects **53%**
% Workforce Development projects **100%**
Adult and youth volunteers **13,575**