Economic Impacts (2018)

Agricultural and related industries generate

2.4 million jobs (19.9% of total) in State of Florida.

$149.6 billion in revenues.

14.5% 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)

Client Satisfaction (2015-2020)

Quality

95% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

79% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

77% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

69% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2020)

Field and office consultations 81,217
Participants at group learning events 1,150,745
Phone and email consultations 1,193,472
Social media engagement 33,741,005
Educational materials created 29,627

Clientele Outcomes (2020)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers 467,145,870
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices 15,244
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters 51,697

Students and Alumni (2020)

UF students from Florida 44,150
CALS students from Florida 4,514
UF alumni residing in Florida 280,692
IFAS alumni residing in Florida 24,797

Online Access (2020)

EDIS publications 6,482
Visits to UF/IFAS Publications, Blogs & Websites 9,530,075

4-H Youth (2019-20)

Youth served 154,023
Projects completed 190,217
% STEM projects 50%
% Workforce Development projects 100%
Adult and youth volunteers 7,863

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.