

Economic Impacts (2013)

Agricultural and related industries generate

1,876 jobs (29.2% of total) in Holmes County.

\$65.6 million in revenues.

19.6% 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	\$232,617 (65%)
Federal funds for Extension	\$27,391 (8%)
County funds for Extension	\$97,382 (27%)

Volunteers (2015)

Number of volunteers	172
Hours worked	5,393
Dollar value of hours worked	\$127,059

Giving (FY 2015)

Recent donors residing in county	121
FY 2015 donors residing in county	38
Gifts to UF from county residents	\$1,905
Gifts to IFAS from county residents	\$50

EXTENSION: Cattle production and forage management; Sustainable agriculture; Management of forest and wildlife resources; Volunteer management; 4-H youth development; Housing and money management; Nutrition and food safety/preservation

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Client Satisfaction (2012)

Quality

97% 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...

89% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

62% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2015)

Field and office consultations	437
Participants at group learning events	6,108
Phone and email consultations	876
Social media engagement	7,872
Educational materials created	52

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	11
CALS students from county	2
UF alumni residing in county	98
IFAS alumni residing in county	31