

Economic Impacts (2013)

Agricultural and related industries generate

1,345 jobs (29.7% of total) in Calhoun County.

\$76.5 million in revenues.

31.1% 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 (64%)
Federal funds for Extension	\$27,391 (7%)
County funds for Extension	\$105,374 (29%)

Volunteers (2015)

Number of volunteers	126
Hours worked	2,065
Dollar value of hours worked	\$48,651

Giving (FY 2015)

Recent donors residing in county	104
FY 2015 donors residing in county	47
Gifts to UF from county residents	\$6,416
Gifts to IFAS from county residents	\$100

Client Satisfaction (2012)

Quality

100% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

69% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

90% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

52% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2015)

Field and office consultations	240
Participants at group learning events	35,526
Phone and email consultations	26,818
Social media engagement	10,048
Educational materials created	270

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	9
CALS students from county	3
UF alumni residing in county	75
IFAS alumni residing in county	27

EXTENSION: Agriculture, Natural resources, Home horticulture, 4-H youth development, Family nutrition, Invasive plants/animals, Alternative farming, Pond mgmt, Pesticide use/safety

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