

**SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES, JANUARY 2026**

Activity	January 2026	Percent Change From	
		December 2025	January 2025
Initial Claims:			
New Claims (Excludes transitional)	27,182	5.9%	-3.3%
Transitionals	3,345	-10.8%	-4.7%
Additional Claims	6,093	-54.9%	-32.9%
Interstate Liable Claims.....	373	-8.1%	-19.4%
Interstate Agent Claims	943	3.2%	-14.0%
Continued Claims:			
Intrastate Claims	253,051	14.2%	-9.9%
Interstate Liable Claims	3,484	-1.7%	1.9%
Interstate Agent Claims	7,030	63.3%	-5.8%
Weeks Compensated	202,609	5.3%	-11.9%
Average Duration of Weeks Compensated	15.1
Amount of Benefits (Net)	\$106,909,925	9.7%	-18.2%
Amount of Benefits (Gross)	\$105,170,749	7.2%	-7.4%
Average Weekly Benefits	\$522.77	1.6%	5.2%
Claimants Receiving First Payments.....	21,766	47.0%	-10.4%
Claimants Exhausting Maximum Benefits.....	2,940	-18.2%	0.5%
Rate of "Insured" Unemployment (Percent) [a] ...	1.1%
Average Weekly Number:			
Claimants	59,109	15.2%	-5.6%
Benefit Recipients	46,048	0.0%	-7.9%
Trust Fund Deposits.....	\$23,469,000	333.5%	-32.2%
Active Employer Accounts (End of Month)	265,164	0.0%	0.2%
Trust Fund Balance (End of Month)	\$1,828,097,661	-4.4%	-1.1%
Trust Fund Debt (End of Month).....	\$0	0.0%	0.0%

[a]Rate for month represents average weekly number of claimants during month as percent average covered employment during 12-month period ending two calendar quarters earlier. Cumulative rates represent average weekly number of claimants during the period covered as percent of average covered employment during 12-month period ending 12 months earlier.

[b]Minimum Safe Level, as defined by law, is \$2,906,901,916.00 for July 2025 computation date.

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