

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

Activity	March 2026	Percent Change From		Cumulative Totals January through March		Percent Change
		February 2026	March 2025	2025	2026	
Initial Claims:						
New Claims (Excludes transitional)	15,824	-13.2%	-10.9%	63,761	61,227	-4.0%
Transitionals	468	-53.6%	1.5%	5,020	4,822	-3.9%
Additional Claims	6,072	49.1%	11.7%	19,695	16,238	-17.6%
Interstate Liable Claims	316	-4.0%	-5.1%	1,158	1,018	-12.1%
Interstate Agent Claims	494	-41.1%	-8.5%	2,288	2,275	-0.6%
Continued Claims:						
Intrastate Claims	272,604	8.4%	-7.1%	839,572	777,122	-7.4%
Interstate Liable Claims	3,609	12.0%	-0.5%	10,223	10,316	0.9%
Interstate Agent Claims	5,591	-15.3%	-1.4%	20,018	19,219	-4.0%
Weeks Compensated	230,295	8.8%	-2.8%	694,373	644,594	-7.2%
Average Duration of Weeks Compensated	15.0	...	...	...	...	...
Amount of Benefits (Net)	\$118,530,461	34.3%	-0.5%	\$360,919,429	\$313,665,967	-13.1%
Amount of Benefits (Gross)	\$121,241,097	8.3%	3.1%	\$344,098,530	\$338,371,577	-1.7%
Average Weekly Benefits	\$530.33	-0.4%	6.2%	\$498.84	\$528.66	6.0%
Claimants Receiving First Payments.....	10,756	-29.9%	-7.0%	51,106	47,858	-6.4%
Claimants Exhausting Maximum Benefits.....	3,276	8.2%	-0.2%	9,029	9,243	2.4%
Rate of "Insured" Unemployment (Percent) [a] ...	1.2%	...	...	1.1%	1.2%	...
Average Weekly Number:						
Claimants	63,226	-2.0%	-11.2%	67,155	62,214	-7.4%
Benefit Recipients	52,340	-1.1%	-7.2%	54,248	50,359	-7.2%
Trust Fund Deposits.....	\$3,861,000	-95.1%	58.0%	\$115,667,000	\$106,698,000	-7.8%
Active Employer Accounts (End of Month)	263,231	-1.0%	0.2%	...	...	...
Trust Fund Balance (End of Month)	\$1,697,444,475	-6.6%	-1.0%	...	...	...
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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