INITIAL CLAIMS[a] UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
BY SEX, RACE, AGE OF CLAIMANT, AND JOBSOHIO REGION
February 2026

Category	Total	Cincinnati USA Partnership	Team NEO (Cleveland)	Columbus 2020!	Dayton Development Coalition	Appalachian Business Council (Nelsonville)	Regional Growth Partnership (Toledo)
Total[b]	**22,852**	**2,758**	**9,453**	**3,676**	**1,983**	**2,394**	**2,588**
Sex							
Men	14,987	1,729	6,360	2,103	1,269	1,781	1,745
Women	7,729	1,013	3,041	1,537	703	605	830
Not Specified	136	16	52	36	11	8	13
Race							
White	16,222	1,840	6,522	2,207	1,465	2,253	1,935
Black	4,338	679	1,848	1,029	360	61	361
Hispanic	1,269	97	675	216	65	26	190
American Indian	72	4	31	13	9	8	7
Asian / Pacific Isl.	231	47	71	55	24	7	13
Not Specified	720	91	306	142	60	39	82
Age							
16 - 24	2,211	265	844	325	198	296	283
25 - 34	5,669	657	2,280	975	479	622	656
35 - 44	5,341	678	2,131	873	492	542	656
45 - 54	4,731	570	2,035	759	370	487	533
55 - 64	3,947	462	1,743	591	356	372	423
>65	944	126	416	148	88	75	91
Not Specified	9	<4	4	5	<4	<4	<4

[a] Initial claims less transitional claims. Does not include out-of-state claims and interstate agent claims.
[b] Totals may not add due to suppression.

Note: For JobsOhio Network definitions, please see http://OhioLMI.com/maps/MapJobsOhioNetwork.htm.
Source: Weekly claims file.

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