

# Weekly Analysis

## January 12, 2019

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 10,156 last week, an increase of 1.8 percent from the prior week's figure of 9,979 and a 1.6 percent increase from the January 2018 weekly average of 9,992. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 352. Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC08) initial claims totaled zero. Federal-State Extended Benefits (EB) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 73,286 last week, an increase of 2.3 percent from the prior week's figure of 71,657 and a 7.5 percent decrease from the January 2018 weekly average of 79,213. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 552. EUC continued claims totaled zero while EB continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average January 2018	Week Ending Dec 29	Week Ending Jan 05	Week Ending Jan 12	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims .....	89,599	76,118	82,198	84,346	2.6	-5.9
Initial Claims <sup>a</sup> .....	10,029	15,784	10,167	10,508	3.4	4.8
Regular Ohio Law .....	9,992	15,680	9,979	10,156	1.8	1.6
UCFE .....	18	90	171	334	...	...
UCX .....	20	14	17	18	...	...
Continued Claims <sup>a</sup> .....	79,570	60,334	72,031	73,838	2.5	-7.2
Regular Ohio Law .....	79,213	60,048	71,657	73,286	2.3	-7.5
UCFE .....	143	128	202	370	83.2	158.3
UCX .....	214	158	172	182	5.8	-15.0
<b>Financial Summary<sup>b</sup></b>					<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent Change<sup>c</sup></b>
Collections, November 2018 .....				\$25,382,774		...
Gross Benefits Paid, December 2018 .....				\$74,749,939		3.8
Average Weekly Benefit, December 2018 .....				\$379.55		1.6
Trust Fund Balance as of November 30, 2018 .....				\$1,004,228,958		...

<sup>a</sup>Includes agent-state claims, excludes transitionals.

<sup>b</sup>Regular Ohio Law. <sup>c</sup>From corresponding period, preceding year.

**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS  
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW  
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE  
WEEK ENDING January 12, 2019**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>10,156</b>	<b>73,286</b>			
Adams.....	31	356	Lorain.....	397	2,588
Allen.....	57	549	Lucas.....	695	2,977
Ashland.....	40	425	Madison.....	20	160
Ashtabula.....	81	737	Mahoning.....	243	1,865
Athens.....	40	362	Marion.....	37	294
Auglaize.....	17	158	Medina.....	158	1,055
Belmont.....	66	505	Meigs.....	26	258
Brown.....	51	312	Mercer.....	13	85
Butler.....	201	1,608	Miami.....	59	493
Carroll.....	34	239	Monroe.....	29	197
Champaign.....	27	161	Montgomery.....	321	2,394
Clark.....	73	635	Morgan.....	24	242
Clermont.....	151	1,085	Morrow.....	22	258
Clinton.....	31	237	Muskingum.....	96	783
Columbiana.....	79	585	Noble.....	19	162
Coshocton.....	37	250	Ottawa.....	70	730
Crawford.....	33	247	Paulding.....	11	67
Cuyahoga.....	1,157	7,554	Perry.....	41	377
Darke.....	27	230	Pickaway.....	34	342
Defiance.....	24	203	Pike.....	25	296
Delaware.....	84	518	Portage.....	137	1,215
Erie.....	160	971	Preble.....	26	204
Fairfield.....	110	822	Putnam.....	22	198
Fayette.....	12	167	Richland.....	78	767
Franklin.....	663	4,711	Ross.....	60	434
Fulton.....	67	449	Sandusky.....	66	653
Gallia.....	31	241	Scioto.....	69	705
Geauga.....	59	584	Seneca.....	28	387
Greene.....	68	649	Shelby.....	28	199
Guernsey.....	40	471	Stark.....	364	2,687
Hamilton.....	524	3,534	Summit.....	453	3,528
Hancock.....	46	297	Trumbull.....	198	1,770
Hardin.....	12	119	Tuscarawas.....	101	662
Harrison.....	23	99	Union.....	15	190
Henry.....	28	326	Van Wert.....	7	107
Highland.....	20	282	Vinton.....	12	153
Hocking.....	34	266	Warren.....	119	870
Holmes.....	7	99	Washington.....	74	443
Huron.....	87	945	Wayne.....	53	473
Jackson.....	42	335	Williams.....	16	140
Jefferson.....	67	427	Wood.....	120	622
Knox.....	50	404	Wyandot.....	12	112
Lake.....	218	1,788	Out of State .....	530	3,218
Lawrence.....	31	247	Interstate Agent .....	341	1,725
Licking.....	120	812	Interstate Liable.....	185	1,658
Logan.....	27	200			

\*Transitional claims are excluded from the count of initial claims.

Note: Interstate Liable counts not included in totals.  
Source: Weekly Claims file.

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