

Weekly Analysis

January 9, 2021

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 37,309 last week, an increase of 25.6 percent from the prior week's figure of 29,709 and a 355.2 percent increase from the January 2020 weekly average of 8,197. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 61. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 210,524 last week, an increase of 24.0 percent from the prior week's figure of 169,784 and a 221.1 percent increase from the January 2020 weekly average of 65,564. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 570. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 65,764 while PUA continued claims totaled 118,101. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled 1,738.

Category	Weekly Average January 2020	Week Ending Dec 26	Week Ending Jan 02	Week Ending Jan 09	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	74,010	181,516	200,065	248,464	24.2	235.7
Initial Claims ^a	8,216	28,827	29,766	37,370	25.5	354.8
Regular Ohio Law	8,197	28,790	29,709	37,309	25.6	355.2
UCFE	9	14	25	33
UCX	10	23	32	28
Continued Claims ^a	65,794	152,689	170,299	211,094	24.0	220.8
Regular Ohio Law	65,564	152,229	169,784	210,524	24.0	221.1
UCFE	118	240	245	313	27.8	166.1
UCX	113	220	270	257	-4.8	128.2

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, November 2020	\$56,063,779	...
Gross Benefits Paid, November 2020	\$157,115,029	204.6
Average Weekly Benefit, November 2020	\$349.78	-8.2
Trust Fund Balance as of November 30, 2020	\$23,652,522	...

^aIncludes agent-state claims, excludes transitionals.

^dRegular Ohio Law. ^cFrom corresponding period, preceding year.

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**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
WEEK ENDING January 09, 2021**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	37,309	210,524			
Adams.....	84	535	Lorain.....	1,420	6,639
Allen.....	300	1,663	Lucas.....	1,399	8,536
Ashland.....	176	872	Madison.....	97	463
Ashtabula.....	265	1,870	Mahoning.....	685	4,293
Athens.....	168	781	Marion.....	194	854
Auglaize.....	111	455	Medina.....	551	2,813
Belmont.....	196	1,075	Meigs.....	79	356
Brown.....	107	739	Mercer.....	106	327
Butler.....	882	5,540	Miami.....	241	1,502
Carroll.....	85	520	Monroe.....	39	235
Champaign.....	88	466	Montgomery.....	1,654	9,080
Clark.....	347	2,023	Morgan.....	70	317
Clermont.....	563	3,143	Morrow.....	90	549
Clinton.....	98	661	Muskingum.....	308	1,619
Columbiana.....	283	1,479	Noble.....	37	226
Coshocton.....	108	644	Ottawa.....	148	1,155
Crawford.....	140	663	Paulding.....	57	206
Cuyahoga.....	4,136	28,073	Perry.....	112	677
Darke.....	162	647	Pickaway.....	101	823
Defiance.....	108	524	Pike.....	65	467
Delaware.....	528	2,154	Portage.....	457	2,849
Erie.....	368	1,878	Preble.....	89	511
Fairfield.....	360	2,105	Putnam.....	80	436
Fayette.....	57	501	Richland.....	338	2,149
Franklin.....	3,987	22,487	Ross.....	216	1,180
Fulton.....	154	930	Sandusky.....	202	1,311
Gallia.....	76	389	Scioto.....	217	1,170
Geauga.....	271	1,297	Seneca.....	138	904
Greene.....	315	1,941	Shelby.....	128	623
Guernsey.....	125	777	Stark.....	990	6,591
Hamilton.....	2,458	13,826	Summit.....	1,666	10,195
Hancock.....	209	988	Trumbull.....	600	3,677
Hardin.....	83	413	Tuscarawas.....	249	1,470
Harrison.....	43	306	Union.....	124	551
Henry.....	90	596	Van Wert.....	156	298
Highland.....	105	653	Vinton.....	30	276
Hocking.....	65	460	Warren.....	680	2,851
Holmes.....	41	216	Washington.....	144	914
Huron.....	236	1,567	Wayne.....	274	1,328
Jackson.....	87	568	Williams.....	119	594
Jefferson.....	177	1,018	Wood.....	357	1,779
Knox.....	144	827	Wyandot.....	51	308
Lake.....	685	4,826	Out of State.....	1,058	5,781
Lawrence.....	120	460	Interstate Agent.....	1,788	5,274
Licking.....	406	2,260			
Logan.....	108	551	Interstate Liable.....	185	1,658

*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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