

Weekly Analysis

October 16, 2021

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 7,554 last week, a decrease of 23.3 percent from the prior week's figure of 9,851 and a 60.4 percent decrease from the September 2020 weekly average of 19,090. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 21. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled 24.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 44,016 last week, a decrease of 7.3 percent from the prior week's figure of 47,458 and a 74.0 percent decrease from the September 2020 weekly average of 169,012. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 158. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 1,650 while PUA continued claims totaled 26,912. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled 84.

Category	Weekly Average Oct 2020	Week Ending Oct 02	Week Ending Oct 09	Week Ending Oct 16	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	188,535	55,916	57,540	51,749	-10.1	-72.6
Initial Claims ^a	19,139	9,252	9,893	7,575	-23.4	-60.4
Regular Ohio Law	19,090	9,222	9,851	7,554	-23.3	-60.4
UCFE	30	13	20	7
UCX	19	17	22	14
Continued Claims ^a	169,397	46,664	47,647	44,174	-7.3	-73.9
Regular Ohio Law	169,012	46,492	47,458	44,016	-7.3	-74.0
UCFE	130	87	97	66	-32.0	-49.3
UCX	255	85	92	92	0.0	-63.9

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, August 2021	\$106,332,563	...
Gross Benefits Paid, September 2021	\$49,668,952	-83.2
Average Weekly Benefit, September 2021	\$381.11	17.6
Trust Fund Balance as of August 31, 2021	\$558,030,220	...

^aIncludes agent-state claims, excludes transitionals.

^bRegular 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 October 16, 2021**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	7,554	44,016			
Adams.....	9	101	Lorain.....	260	1,257
Allen.....	77	472	Lucas.....	311	1,926
Ashland.....	13	149	Madison.....	14	79
Ashtabula.....	42	334	Mahoning.....	118	871
Athens.....	28	121	Marion.....	29	188
Auglaize.....	38	242	Medina.....	90	525
Belmont.....	34	173	Meigs.....	20	57
Brown.....	26	145	Mercer.....	22	136
Butler.....	175	1,240	Miami.....	45	272
Carroll.....	13	93	Monroe.....	12	55
Champaign.....	68	260	Montgomery.....	374	2,258
Clark.....	261	1,082	Morgan.....	15	66
Clermont.....	97	569	Morrow.....	17	106
Clinton.....	27	118	Muskingum.....	46	262
Columbiana.....	41	301	Noble.....	10	41
Coshocton.....	19	88	Ottawa.....	32	114
Crawford.....	25	153	Paulding.....	3	27
Cuyahoga.....	845	5,854	Perry.....	28	120
Darke.....	32	180	Pickaway.....	17	253
Defiance.....	28	99	Pike.....	15	103
Delaware.....	73	390	Portage.....	80	463
Erie.....	83	351	Preble.....	16	117
Fairfield.....	69	394	Putnam.....	9	57
Fayette.....	17	92	Richland.....	76	486
Franklin.....	648	4,665	Ross.....	36	317
Fulton.....	27	139	Sandusky.....	42	215
Gallia.....	21	86	Scioto.....	44	278
Geauga.....	27	174	Seneca.....	22	158
Greene.....	87	406	Shelby.....	34	131
Guernsey.....	19	158	Stark.....	215	1,383
Hamilton.....	384	2,826	Summit.....	305	2,111
Hancock.....	37	192	Trumbull.....	112	667
Hardin.....	20	89	Tuscarawas.....	55	243
Harrison.....	4	54	Union.....	27	90
Henry.....	16	83	Van Wert.....	21	76
Highland.....	18	135	Vinton.....	10	51
Hocking.....	14	70	Warren.....	92	625
Holmes.....	6	49	Washington.....	42	199
Huron.....	42	204	Wayne.....	50	215
Jackson.....	25	128	Williams.....	28	71
Jefferson.....	55	234	Wood.....	46	373
Knox.....	36	146	Wyandot.....	12	63
Lake.....	96	711	Out of State	266	1,468
Lawrence.....	31	114	Interstate Agent	597	1,228
Licking.....	65	412	Interstate Liable.....	185	1,658
Logan.....	21	139			

*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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