

Weekly Analysis

October 23, 2021

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 7,044 last week, a decrease of 6.8 percent from the prior week's figure of 7,554 and a 63.1 percent decrease from the September 2020 weekly average of 19,090. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 29. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled 21.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 40,798 last week, a decrease of 7.3 percent from the prior week's figure of 44,016 and a 75.9 percent decrease from the September 2020 weekly average of 169,012. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 216. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 1,631 while PUA continued claims totaled 27,185. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled 95.

Category	Weekly Average Oct 2020	Week Ending Oct 09	Week Ending Oct 16	Week Ending Oct 23	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	188,535	57,540	51,749	48,087	-7.1	-74.5
Initial Claims ^a	19,139	9,893	7,575	7,073	-6.6	-63.0
Regular Ohio Law	19,090	9,851	7,554	7,044	-6.8	-63.1
UCFE	30	20	7	12
UCX	19	22	14	17
Continued Claims ^a	169,397	47,647	44,174	41,014	-7.2	-75.8
Regular Ohio Law	169,012	47,458	44,016	40,798	-7.3	-75.9
UCFE	130	97	66	106	60.6	-18.6
UCX	255	92	92	110	19.6	-56.8

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.

**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
WEEK ENDING October 23, 2021**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	7,044	40,798			
Adams.....	15	86	Lorain.....	244	1,102
Allen.....	75	469	Lucas.....	375	1,686
Ashland.....	11	131	Madison.....	16	67
Ashtabula.....	70	298	Mahoning.....	130	761
Athens.....	22	138	Marion.....	17	163
Auglaize.....	21	205	Medina.....	89	513
Belmont.....	29	163	Meigs.....	20	65
Brown.....	24	136	Mercer.....	10	111
Butler.....	163	1,092	Miami.....	45	273
Carroll.....	8	76	Monroe.....	17	59
Champaign.....	20	219	Montgomery.....	282	2,030
Clark.....	86	1,011	Morgan.....	14	61
Clermont.....	99	586	Morrow.....	10	79
Clinton.....	21	113	Muskingum.....	48	282
Columbiana.....	42	292	Noble.....	14	46
Coshocton.....	17	95	Ottawa.....	43	160
Crawford.....	19	143	Paulding.....	9	24
Cuyahoga.....	805	5,306	Perry.....	28	100
Darke.....	19	125	Pickaway.....	19	160
Defiance.....	29	126	Pike.....	14	114
Delaware.....	55	358	Portage.....	71	475
Erie.....	84	302	Preble.....	23	89
Fairfield.....	57	480	Putnam.....	16	63
Fayette.....	26	90	Richland.....	66	393
Franklin.....	542	4,312	Ross.....	44	347
Fulton.....	29	126	Sandusky.....	42	193
Gallia.....	42	98	Scioto.....	40	273
Geauga.....	24	160	Seneca.....	26	176
Greene.....	54	372	Shelby.....	19	107
Guernsey.....	25	138	Stark.....	173	1,226
Hamilton.....	397	2,721	Summit.....	300	1,892
Hancock.....	38	190	Trumbull.....	108	634
Hardin.....	16	87	Tuscarawas.....	46	230
Harrison.....	11	50	Union.....	13	88
Henry.....	19	73	Van Wert.....	8	71
Highland.....	15	121	Vinton.....	28	61
Hocking.....	19	67	Warren.....	84	617
Holmes.....	3	28	Washington.....	36	176
Huron.....	57	173	Wayne.....	44	229
Jackson.....	152	113	Williams.....	18	68
Jefferson.....	49	248	Wood.....	62	303
Knox.....	23	123	Wyandot.....	14	57
Lake.....	94	664	Out of State	324	1,353
Lawrence.....	22	115	Interstate Agent	461	1,297
Licking.....	61	384	Interstate Liable.....	185	1,658
Logan.....	25	121			

*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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