

Weekly Analysis

January 22, 2022

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 15,158 last week, a decrease of 1.6 percent from the prior week's figure of 15,398 and a 66.5 percent decrease from the January 2021 weekly average of 45,249. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 18. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled 8.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 59,095 last week, a decrease of 0.3 percent from the prior week's figure of 59,264 and a 72.1 percent decrease from the January 2021 weekly average of 211,886. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 221. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 483 while PUA continued claims totaled 12,106. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled 38.

Category	Weekly Average Jan 2021	Week Ending Jan 08	Week Ending Jan 15	Week Ending Jan 22	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	257,691	74,327	74,901	74,492	-0.5	-71.1
Initial Claims ^a	45,297	17,493	15,421	15,176	-1.6	-66.5
Regular Ohio Law	45,249	17,469	15,398	15,158	-1.6	-66.5
UCFE	23	10	10	7
UCX	25	14	13	11
Continued Claims ^a	212,394	56,834	59,480	59,316	-0.3	-72.1
Regular Ohio Law	211,886	56,636	59,264	59,095	-0.3	-72.1
UCFE	272	88	102	100	-2.0	-63.3
UCX	236	110	114	121	6.1	-48.8

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, November 2021	\$80,378,297	...
Gross Benefits Paid, December 2021	\$48,480,141	-70.1
Average Weekly Benefit, December 2021	\$408.66	12.7
Trust Fund Balance as of November 30, 2021	\$620,341,484	...

^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 January 22, 2022**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	15,158	59,095			
Adams.....	37	238	Lorain.....	385	3,028
Allen.....	129	485	Lucas.....	518	2,328
Ashland.....	64	305	Madison.....	31	159
Ashtabula.....	159	615	Mahoning.....	911	1,234
Athens.....	51	278	Marion.....	51	190
Auglaize.....	33	132	Medina.....	183	840
Belmont.....	86	411	Meigs.....	41	170
Brown.....	44	281	Mercer.....	29	105
Butler.....	340	1,371	Miami.....	94	461
Carroll.....	43	136	Monroe.....	20	112
Champaign.....	56	252	Montgomery.....	506	2,060
Clark.....	239	911	Morgan.....	29	207
Clermont.....	183	882	Morrow.....	25	177
Clinton.....	41	199	Muskingum.....	117	664
Columbiana.....	193	459	Noble.....	27	106
Coshocton.....	43	152	Ottawa.....	53	545
Crawford.....	37	222	Paulding.....	49	39
Cuyahoga.....	1,372	6,142	Perry.....	53	264
Darke.....	45	263	Pickaway.....	61	271
Defiance.....	44	128	Pike.....	24	202
Delaware.....	142	467	Portage.....	194	962
Erie.....	106	887	Preble.....	36	175
Fairfield.....	130	571	Putnam.....	35	161
Fayette.....	30	141	Richland.....	114	697
Franklin.....	1,302	4,034	Ross.....	55	429
Fulton.....	53	361	Sandusky.....	65	405
Gallia.....	32	165	Scioto.....	92	472
Geauga.....	88	480	Seneca.....	74	301
Greene.....	134	525	Shelby.....	47	191
Guernsey.....	66	332	Stark.....	548	2,027
Hamilton.....	819	2,688	Summit.....	645	2,898
Hancock.....	183	191	Trumbull.....	903	1,094
Hardin.....	38	87	Tuscarawas.....	122	483
Harrison.....	24	95	Union.....	34	196
Henry.....	33	277	Van Wert.....	52	110
Highland.....	37	260	Vinton.....	14	96
Hocking.....	27	184	Warren.....	177	691
Holmes.....	25	67	Washington.....	82	403
Huron.....	97	810	Wayne.....	97	383
Jackson.....	39	190	Williams.....	50	147
Jefferson.....	95	382	Wood.....	130	486
Knox.....	64	290	Wyandot.....	34	94
Lake.....	271	1,505	Out of State	428	2,032
Lawrence.....	58	174	Interstate Agent	589	1,141
Licking.....	157	640	Interstate Liable.....	185	1,658
Logan.....	45	194			

*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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