

# Weekly Analysis

## April 8, 2023

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 10,124 last week, a decrease of 23.7 percent from the prior week's figure of 13,260 and a 4.7 percent decrease from the April 2022 weekly average of 10,623. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 17. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 51,723 last week, a decrease of 6.1 percent from the prior week's figure of 55,102 and a 24.3 percent increase from the April 2022 weekly average of 41,597. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 185. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 51 while PUA continued claims totaled 87. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

| Category                                | Weekly Average<br>Apr 2022 | Week Ending<br>Mar 25 | Week Ending<br>Apr 01 | Week Ending<br>Apr 08 | Percent Change |                      |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------------------|
|   |                            |                       |                       |                       | Previous Week  | Average of Last Year |
| All Claims . . . . .                    | 52,387                     | 72,853                | 68,538                | 62,049                | -9.5           | 18.4                 |
| Initial Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . .   | 10,638                     | 15,773                | 13,275                | 10,141                | -23.6          | -4.7                 |
| Regular Ohio Law . . . . .              | 10,623                     | 15,750                | 13,260                | 10,124                | -23.7          | -4.7                 |
| UCFE . . . . .                          | 8                          | 8                     | 5                     | 6                     | ...            | ...                  |
| UCX . . . . .                           | 8                          | 15                    | 10                    | 11                    | ...            | ...                  |
| Continued Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . . | 41,749                     | 57,080                | 55,263                | 51,908                | -6.1           | 24.3                 |
| Regular Ohio Law . . . . .              | 41,597                     | 56,871                | 55,102                | 51,723                | -6.1           | 24.3                 |
| UCFE . . . . .                          | 64                         | 83                    | 74                    | 92                    | 24.3           | 44.7                 |
| UCX . . . . .                           | 88                         | 126                   | 87                    | 93                    | 6.9            | 5.3                  |

| Financial Summary <sup>b</sup>                       | Number          | Percent Change <sup>c</sup> |
|--|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| Collections, February 2023 . . . . .                 | \$18,291,483    | ...                         |
| Gross Benefits Paid, February 2023 . . . . .         | \$87,503,975    | 16.4                        |
| Average Weekly Benefit, February 2023 . . . . .      | \$463.19        | 6.4                         |
| Trust Fund Balance as of February 28, 2023 . . . . . | \$1,227,542,259 | ...                         |

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

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

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**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS  
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW  
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE  
WEEK ENDING April 08, 2023**

| County            | Initial*<br>Claims | Continued<br>Claims | County                 | Initial*<br>Claims | Continued<br>Claims |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Total.....</b> | <b>10,124</b>      | <b>51,723</b>       |                        |                    |                     |
| Adams.....        | 22                 | 222                 | Lorain.....            | 237                | 1,714               |
| Allen.....        | 75                 | 468                 | Lucas.....             | 516                | 2,142               |
| Ashland.....      | 39                 | 242                 | Madison.....           | 21                 | 147                 |
| Ashtabula.....    | 50                 | 459                 | Mahoning.....          | 243                | 1,014               |
| Athens.....       | 27                 | 220                 | Marion.....            | 49                 | 193                 |
| Auglaize.....     | 27                 | 95                  | Medina.....            | 160                | 713                 |
| Belmont.....      | 33                 | 255                 | Meigs.....             | 22                 | 113                 |
| Brown.....        | 38                 | 235                 | Mercer.....            | 13                 | 46                  |
| Butler.....       | 247                | 1,267               | Miami.....             | 51                 | 370                 |
| Carroll.....      | 9                  | 113                 | Monroe.....            | 9                  | 82                  |
| Champaign.....    | 24                 | 116                 | Montgomery.....        | 424                | 2,094               |
| Clark.....        | 79                 | 440                 | Morgan.....            | 3                  | 125                 |
| Clermont.....     | 247                | 727                 | Morrow.....            | 21                 | 144                 |
| Clinton.....      | 48                 | 165                 | Muskingum.....         | 56                 | 512                 |
| Columbiana.....   | 67                 | 363                 | Noble.....             | 8                  | 59                  |
| Coshocton.....    | 53                 | 192                 | Ottawa.....            | 20                 | 409                 |
| Crawford.....     | 27                 | 229                 | Paulding.....          | 20                 | 38                  |
| Cuyahoga.....     | 1,231              | 6,296               | Perry.....             | 21                 | 176                 |
| Darke.....        | 17                 | 195                 | Pickaway.....          | 29                 | 182                 |
| Defiance.....     | 68                 | 147                 | Pike.....              | 23                 | 168                 |
| Delaware.....     | 76                 | 548                 | Portage.....           | 124                | 763                 |
| Erie.....         | 51                 | 636                 | Preble.....            | 21                 | 141                 |
| Fairfield.....    | 90                 | 527                 | Putnam.....            | 31                 | 120                 |
| Fayette.....      | 48                 | 128                 | Richland.....          | 68                 | 599                 |
| Franklin.....     | 1,103              | 4,897               | Ross.....              | 51                 | 343                 |
| Fulton.....       | 56                 | 216                 | Sandusky.....          | 35                 | 326                 |
| Gallia.....       | 47                 | 117                 | Scioto.....            | 49                 | 458                 |
| Geauga.....       | 49                 | 421                 | Seneca.....            | 35                 | 248                 |
| Greene.....       | 83                 | 424                 | Shelby.....            | 22                 | 159                 |
| Guernsey.....     | 21                 | 255                 | Stark.....             | 331                | 1,671               |
| Hamilton.....     | 573                | 2,660               | Summit.....            | 484                | 2,471               |
| Hancock.....      | 42                 | 203                 | Trumbull.....          | 145                | 911                 |
| Hardin.....       | 19                 | 100                 | Tuscarawas.....        | 129                | 402                 |
| Harrison.....     | 12                 | 75                  | Union.....             | 20                 | 146                 |
| Henry.....        | 77                 | 190                 | Van Wert.....          | 18                 | 71                  |
| Highland.....     | 90                 | 245                 | Vinton.....            | 45                 | 81                  |
| Hocking.....      | 14                 | 131                 | Warren.....            | 132                | 743                 |
| Holmes.....       | 105                | 111                 | Washington.....        | 30                 | 249                 |
| Huron.....        | 32                 | 500                 | Wayne.....             | 70                 | 316                 |
| Jackson.....      | 188                | 138                 | Williams.....          | 44                 | 134                 |
| Jefferson.....    | 60                 | 258                 | Wood.....              | 89                 | 447                 |
| Knox.....         | 192                | 218                 | Wyandot.....           | 9                  | 69                  |
| Lake.....         | 194                | 1,283               | Out of State .....     | 179                | 1,573               |
| Lawrence.....     | 32                 | 142                 | Interstate Agent ..... | 198                | 1,223               |
| Licking.....      | 124                | 609                 |                        |                    |                     |
| Logan.....        | 13                 | 140                 | 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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