

Weekly Analysis

July 8, 2023

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 23,090 last week, an increase of 8.4 percent from the prior week's figure of 21,306 and a 107.9 percent increase from the July 2022 weekly average of 11,108. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 9. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 42,909 last week, a decrease of 7.1 percent from the prior week's figure of 46,172 and a 12.3 percent increase from the July 2022 weekly average of 38,221. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 102. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 6 while PUA continued claims totaled 111. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average July 2022	Week Ending Jun 24	Week Ending July 01	Week Ending July 08	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	49,495	63,877	67,615	66,110	-2.2	33.6
Initial Claims ^a	11,120	18,281	21,315	23,099	8.4	107.7
Regular Ohio Law	11,108	18,270	21,306	23,090	8.4	107.9
UCFE	5	4	3	3
UCX	6	7	6	6
Continued Claims ^a	38,375	45,596	46,300	43,011	-7.1	12.1
Regular Ohio Law	38,221	45,457	46,172	42,909	-7.1	12.3
UCFE	75	65	61	49	-19.7	-34.9
UCX	80	74	67	53	-20.9	-33.4

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, May 2023	\$524,189,869	...
Gross Benefits Paid, May 2023	\$64,647,621	70.4
Average Weekly Benefit, May 2023	\$456.30	8.8
Trust Fund Balance as of May 31, 2023	\$1,749,275,915	...

^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 July 08, 2023**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	23,090	42,909			
Adams.....	65	105	Lorain.....	559	1,234
Allen.....	356	587	Lucas.....	1,024	2,360
Ashland.....	65	121	Madison.....	63	119
Ashtabula.....	109	281	Mahoning.....	350	834
Athens.....	71	106	Marion.....	88	137
Auglaize.....	89	165	Medina.....	240	497
Belmont.....	170	178	Meigs.....	86	67
Brown.....	75	132	Mercer.....	69	62
Butler.....	515	1,301	Miami.....	180	278
Carroll.....	43	89	Monroe.....	32	48
Champaign.....	92	84	Montgomery.....	1,073	2,016
Clark.....	380	462	Morgan.....	29	42
Clermont.....	269	673	Morrow.....	41	93
Clinton.....	119	160	Muskingum.....	128	242
Columbiana.....	154	358	Noble.....	17	41
Coshocton.....	93	140	Ottawa.....	103	157
Crawford.....	87	159	Paulding.....	23	54
Cuyahoga.....	2,704	4,863	Perry.....	56	109
Darke.....	162	114	Pickaway.....	67	147
Defiance.....	89	109	Pike.....	44	103
Delaware.....	227	560	Portage.....	229	484
Erie.....	294	351	Preble.....	52	104
Fairfield.....	269	446	Putnam.....	100	106
Fayette.....	85	122	Richland.....	278	367
Franklin.....	2,455	4,628	Ross.....	113	191
Fulton.....	139	126	Sandusky.....	266	210
Gallia.....	91	87	Scioto.....	121	296
Geauga.....	84	201	Seneca.....	163	157
Greene.....	211	429	Shelby.....	101	127
Guernsey.....	61	136	Stark.....	727	1,318
Hamilton.....	1,209	2,908	Summit.....	997	2,031
Hancock.....	129	211	Trumbull.....	313	736
Hardin.....	55	94	Tuscarawas.....	389	500
Harrison.....	60	82	Union.....	69	124
Henry.....	71	92	Van Wert.....	56	124
Highland.....	238	172	Vinton.....	27	50
Hocking.....	42	67	Warren.....	256	674
Holmes.....	98	54	Washington.....	182	183
Huron.....	440	177	Wayne.....	146	201
Jackson.....	151	133	Williams.....	125	92
Jefferson.....	191	230	Wood.....	188	421
Knox.....	239	282	Wyandot.....	38	52
Lake.....	365	755	Out of State	342	1,345
Lawrence.....	109	137	Interstate Agent	204	1,057
Licking.....	251	540			
Logan.....	65	112	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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