

Weekly Analysis

July 6, 2024

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 7,298 last week, an increase of 24.1 percent from the prior week's figure of 5,879 and a 67.5 percent decrease from the July 2023 weekly average of 22,470. 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 40,902 last week, a decrease of 5.6 percent from the prior week's figure of 43,330 and a 16.2 percent decrease from the July 2023 weekly average of 48,784. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 129. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 22 while PUA continued claims totaled zero. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average Jul 2023	Week Ending June 22	Week Ending June 29	Week Ending July 06	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	71,378	46,124	49,340	48,338	-2.0	-32.3
Initial Claims ^a	22,479	5,169	5,893	7,307	24.0	-67.5
Regular Ohio Law	22,470	5,154	5,879	7,298	24.1	-67.5
UCFE	3	7	6	3
UCX	7	8	8	6
Continued Claims ^a	48,899	40,955	43,447	41,031	-5.6	-16.1
Regular Ohio Law	48,784	40,835	43,330	40,902	-5.6	-16.2
UCFE	60	53	56	59	5.4	-1.3
UCX	56	67	61	70	14.8	25.6
Financial Summary^b					Number	Percent Change^c
Collections, April 2024				\$648,566,746	...	
Gross Benefits Paid, May 2024				\$58,187,525	-10.0	
Average Weekly Benefit, May 2024				\$480.27	5.3	
Trust Fund Balance as of April 30, 2024				\$1,495,064,559	...	

^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 06, 2024**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	7,298	40,902			
Adams.....	12	91	Lorain.....	229	1,141
Allen.....	92	321	Lucas.....	516	2,019
Ashland.....	27	131	Madison.....	17	75
Ashtabula.....	44	351	Mahoning.....	114	833
Athens.....	9	104	Marion.....	21	161
Auglaize.....	49	149	Medina.....	57	492
Belmont.....	19	130	Meigs.....	12	72
Brown.....	12	147	Mercer.....	25	103
Butler.....	166	1,322	Miami.....	46	275
Carroll.....	14	65	Monroe.....	4	49
Champaign.....	12	97	Montgomery.....	353	1,729
Clark.....	85	421	Morgan.....	14	45
Clermont.....	88	789	Morrow.....	7	81
Clinton.....	13	137	Muskingum.....	35	235
Columbiana.....	45	262	Noble.....	6	47
Coshocton.....	6	120	Ottawa.....	36	135
Crawford.....	45	127	Paulding.....	17	35
Cuyahoga.....	615	4,687	Perry.....	53	104
Darke.....	22	128	Pickaway.....	13	126
Defiance.....	44	107	Pike.....	12	73
Delaware.....	61	578	Portage.....	41	469
Erie.....	345	271	Preble.....	15	95
Fairfield.....	67	458	Putnam.....	79	61
Fayette.....	7	88	Richland.....	112	337
Franklin.....	558	5,119	Ross.....	30	145
Fulton.....	35	155	Sandusky.....	98	182
Gallia.....	18	94	Scioto.....	47	271
Geauga.....	25	208	Seneca.....	95	125
Greene.....	47	392	Shelby.....	33	120
Guernsey.....	10	127	Stark.....	194	1,081
Hamilton.....	454	3,134	Summit.....	232	1,981
Hancock.....	45	154	Trumbull.....	115	721
Hardin.....	16	69	Tuscarawas.....	30	217
Harrison.....	6	44	Union.....	17	160
Henry.....	84	76	Van Wert.....	21	55
Highland.....	5	112	Vinton.....	14	33
Hocking.....	13	60	Warren.....	56	650
Holmes.....	3	25	Washington.....	21	177
Huron.....	242	200	Wayne.....	32	241
Jackson.....	46	87	Williams.....	56	86
Jefferson.....	42	176	Wood.....	97	375
Knox.....	28	133	Wyandot.....	13	31
Lake.....	103	758	Out of State	252	1,227
Lawrence.....	17	126	Interstate Agent	250	1,261
Licking.....	53	517			
Logan.....	12	124	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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