

Weekly Analysis

April 25, 2020

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 92,920 last week, a decrease of 15.0 percent from the prior week's figure of 109,369 and a 1541.8 percent increase from the April 2019 weekly average of 5,660. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 87. Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC08) initial claims totaled zero. Federal-State Extended Benefits (EB) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 776,302 last week, an increase of 8.2 percent from the prior week's figure of 717,306 and a 1485.1 percent increase from the April 2019 weekly average of 48,974. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 615. EUC continued claims totaled zero while EB continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average April 2019	Week Ending April 11	Week Ending April 18	Week Ending April 25	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	54,842	781,869	827,373	869,924	5.1	1486.2
Initial Claims ^a	5,677	158,782	109,473	93,007	-15.0	1538.4
Regular Ohio Law	5,660	158,678	109,369	92,920	-15.0	1541.8
UCFE	8	23	30	17
UCX	10	81	74	70
Continued Claims ^a	49,165	623,087	717,900	776,917	8.2	1480.2
Regular Ohio Law	48,974	622,520	717,306	776,302	8.2	1485.1
UCFE	81	170	167	205	22.8	153.4
UCX	110	397	427	410	-4.0	274.3

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, February 2020	\$19,610,270	...
Gross Benefits Paid, March 2020	\$159,834,687	82.2
Average Weekly Benefit, March 2020	\$378.76	-1.4
Trust Fund Balance as of February 29, 2020	\$1,180,335,918	...

^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 April 25, 2020**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	92,920	776,302			
Adams.....	131	1,322	Lorain.....	2,337	22,484
Allen.....	809	8,384	Lucas.....	3,713	40,633
Ashland.....	262	2,644	Madison.....	260	2,112
Ashtabula.....	632	5,249	Mahoning.....	2,075	16,111
Athens.....	269	2,238	Marion.....	515	4,082
Auglaize.....	479	4,248	Medina.....	1,341	11,447
Belmont.....	341	2,876	Meigs.....	102	866
Brown.....	226	2,248	Mercer.....	296	2,739
Butler.....	2,608	21,969	Miami.....	942	7,349
Carroll.....	233	1,742	Monroe.....	55	484
Champaign.....	449	3,231	Montgomery.....	4,344	36,000
Clark.....	1,019	9,270	Morgan.....	73	831
Clermont.....	1,317	11,303	Morrow.....	208	2,245
Clinton.....	246	2,513	Muskingum.....	511	5,117
Columbiana.....	660	5,987	Noble.....	54	569
Coshocton.....	230	1,814	Ottawa.....	272	3,093
Crawford.....	331	3,616	Paulding.....	102	1,027
Cuyahoga.....	9,887	80,515	Perry.....	212	2,162
Darke.....	351	3,671	Pickaway.....	303	2,891
Defiance.....	306	3,112	Pike.....	152	1,512
Delaware.....	1,392	9,402	Portage.....	1,279	9,938
Erie.....	593	8,073	Preble.....	236	2,243
Fairfield.....	1,040	8,701	Putnam.....	207	2,221
Fayette.....	216	1,901	Richland.....	803	8,920
Franklin.....	10,389	77,869	Ross.....	563	5,386
Fulton.....	277	3,901	Sandusky.....	437	5,028
Gallia.....	130	1,104	Scioto.....	433	3,265
Geauga.....	499	4,342	Seneca.....	494	4,914
Greene.....	1,042	8,540	Shelby.....	653	4,679
Guernsey.....	241	2,193	Stark.....	3,321	24,528
Hamilton.....	5,737	45,320	Summit.....	4,485	35,480
Hancock.....	567	6,255	Trumbull.....	1,713	13,794
Hardin.....	317	2,468	Tuscarawas.....	675	5,494
Harrison.....	94	712	Union.....	988	4,116
Henry.....	165	2,228	Van Wert.....	178	1,753
Highland.....	272	2,776	Vinton.....	69	706
Hocking.....	201	1,651	Warren.....	1,545	12,357
Holmes.....	82	973	Washington.....	379	2,428
Huron.....	406	4,908	Wayne.....	609	5,925
Jackson.....	175	1,482	Williams.....	246	3,144
Jefferson.....	403	2,818	Wood.....	953	9,599
Knox.....	329	3,065	Wyandot.....	254	2,248
Lake.....	1,730	15,321	Out of State	2,104	18,907
Lawrence.....	236	1,385	Interstate Agent	3,172	14,692
Licking.....	1,107	9,418			
Logan.....	831	6,025	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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