

# Weekly Analysis

September 18, 2021

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 12,952 last week, an increase of 46.6 percent from the prior week's figure of 8,834 and a 22.1 percent decrease from the September 2020 weekly average of 16,628. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 27. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled 202.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 101,260 last week, an increase of 94.1 percent from the prior week's figure of 52,156 and a 57.0 percent decrease from the September 2020 weekly average of 235,752. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 338. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 58,349 while PUA continued claims totaled 60,271. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled 167.

| Category                                | Weekly Average<br>Sept 2020 | Week Ending<br>Sept 04 | Week Ending<br>Sept 11 | Week Ending<br>Sept 18 | Percent Change |                      |
|---|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
|   |                             |                        |                        |                        | Previous Week  | Average of Last Year |
| All Claims . . . . .                    | 252,778                     | 67,044                 | 61,244                 | 114,577                | 87.1           | -54.7                |
| Initial Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . .   | 16,655                      | 13,537                 | 8,865                  | 12,979                 | 46.4           | -22.1                |
| Regular Ohio Law . . . . .              | 16,628                      | 13,509                 | 8,834                  | 12,952                 | 46.6           | -22.1                |
| UCFE . . . . .                          | 9                           | 8                      | 13                     | 12                     | ...            | ...                  |
| UCX . . . . .                           | 18                          | 20                     | 18                     | 15                     | ...            | ...                  |
| Continued Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . . | 236,123                     | 53,507                 | 52,379                 | 101,598                | 94.0           | -57.0                |
| Regular Ohio Law . . . . .              | 235,752                     | 53,349                 | 52,156                 | 101,260                | 94.1           | -57.0                |
| UCFE . . . . .                          | 99                          | 69                     | 137                    | 188                    | 37.2           | 90.6                 |
| UCX . . . . .                           | 273                         | 89                     | 86                     | 150                    | 74.4           | -45.0                |

| Financial Summary <sup>b</sup>                   | Number        | Percent Change <sup>c</sup> |
|--|---------------|-----------------------------|
| Collections, July 2021 . . . . .                 | \$78,238,955  | ...                         |
| Gross Benefits Paid, August 2021 . . . . .       | \$66,739,753  | -82.3                       |
| Average Weekly Benefit, August 2021 . . . . .    | \$373.95      | 16.6                        |
| Trust Fund Balance as of July 31, 2021 . . . . . | \$491,382,290 | ...                         |

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

<sup>d</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 September 18, 2021**

| County            | Initial*<br>Claims | Continued<br>Claims | County                | Initial*<br>Claims | Continued<br>Claims |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Total.....</b> | <b>12,952</b>      | <b>101,260</b>      |                       |                    |                     |
| Adams.....        | 21                 | 216                 | Lorain.....           | 449                | 2,864               |
| Allen.....        | 571                | 1,010               | Lucas.....            | 651                | 4,454               |
| Ashland.....      | 40                 | 264                 | Madison.....          | 15                 | 199                 |
| Ashtabula.....    | 86                 | 762                 | Mahoning.....         | 210                | 2,137               |
| Athens.....       | 26                 | 266                 | Marion.....           | 49                 | 405                 |
| Auglaize.....     | 66                 | 234                 | Medina.....           | 163                | 1,155               |
| Belmont.....      | 48                 | 412                 | Meigs.....            | 21                 | 167                 |
| Brown.....        | 36                 | 345                 | Mercer.....           | 31                 | 157                 |
| Butler.....       | 311                | 2,867               | Miami.....            | 72                 | 702                 |
| Carroll.....      | 20                 | 187                 | Monroe.....           | 15                 | 92                  |
| Champaign.....    | 39                 | 412                 | Montgomery.....       | 577                | 4,960               |
| Clark.....        | 137                | 1,758               | Morgan.....           | 22                 | 131                 |
| Clermont.....     | 148                | 1,412               | Morrow.....           | 19                 | 221                 |
| Clinton.....      | 31                 | 282                 | Muskingum.....        | 75                 | 578                 |
| Columbiana.....   | 99                 | 709                 | Noble.....            | 11                 | 79                  |
| Coshocton.....    | 27                 | 245                 | Ottawa.....           | 39                 | 308                 |
| Crawford.....     | 50                 | 352                 | Paulding.....         | 19                 | 94                  |
| Cuyahoga.....     | 1,639              | 14,905              | Perry.....            | 28                 | 286                 |
| Darke.....        | 47                 | 271                 | Pickaway.....         | 33                 | 340                 |
| Defiance.....     | 32                 | 226                 | Pike.....             | 53                 | 233                 |
| Delaware.....     | 74                 | 967                 | Portage.....          | 120                | 1,144               |
| Erie.....         | 193                | 707                 | Preble.....           | 29                 | 264                 |
| Fairfield.....    | 113                | 1,035               | Putnam.....           | 66                 | 128                 |
| Fayette.....      | 27                 | 215                 | Richland.....         | 137                | 1,017               |
| Franklin.....     | 1,052              | 11,896              | Ross.....             | 206                | 604                 |
| Fulton.....       | 45                 | 279                 | Sandusky.....         | 113                | 378                 |
| Gallia.....       | 24                 | 164                 | Scioto.....           | 85                 | 609                 |
| Geauga.....       | 40                 | 444                 | Seneca.....           | 54                 | 332                 |
| Greene.....       | 93                 | 963                 | Shelby.....           | 38                 | 270                 |
| Guernsey.....     | 34                 | 314                 | Stark.....            | 306                | 3,036               |
| Hamilton.....     | 711                | 7,180               | Summit.....           | 475                | 4,826               |
| Hancock.....      | 84                 | 498                 | Trumbull.....         | 176                | 1,632               |
| Hardin.....       | 62                 | 220                 | Tuscarawas.....       | 88                 | 565                 |
| Harrison.....     | 12                 | 112                 | Union.....            | 26                 | 253                 |
| Henry.....        | 30                 | 215                 | Van Wert.....         | 39                 | 139                 |
| Highland.....     | 42                 | 311                 | Vinton.....           | 31                 | 111                 |
| Hocking.....      | 23                 | 154                 | Warren.....           | 137                | 1,375               |
| Holmes.....       | 2                  | 63                  | Washington.....       | 46                 | 387                 |
| Huron.....        | 92                 | 384                 | Wayne.....            | 47                 | 480                 |
| Jackson.....      | 53                 | 231                 | Williams.....         | 28                 | 188                 |
| Jefferson.....    | 65                 | 515                 | Wood.....             | 133                | 770                 |
| Knox.....         | 37                 | 353                 | Wyandot.....          | 27                 | 128                 |
| Lake.....         | 157                | 1,945               | Out of State.....     | 495                | 2,797               |
| Lawrence.....     | 34                 | 257                 | Interstate Agent..... | 782                | 2,390               |
| Licking.....      | 98                 | 1,049               |                       |                    |                     |
| Logan.....        | 45                 | 269                 | Interstate Liab.....  | 185                | 1,658               |

\*Transitional claims are excluded from the count of initial claims.

Note: Interstate Liab counts not included in totals.  
Source: Weekly Claims file.

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