

Weekly Analysis

December 11, 2021

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 9,119 last week, a decrease of 2.0 percent from the prior week's figure of 9,302 and a 71.6 percent decrease from the December 2020 weekly average of 32,118. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 21. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled 16.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 39,240 last week, a decrease of 0.4 percent from the prior week's figure of 39,402 and a 72.6 percent decrease from the December 2020 weekly average of 143,324. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 212. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 740 while PUA continued claims totaled 16,268. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled 147.

| Category | Weekly Average Dec 2020 | Week Ending Nov 27 | Week Ending Dec 04 | Week Ending Dec 11 | Percent Change | |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| | | | | | Previous Week | Average of Last Year |
| All Claims | 175,897 | 38,925 | 48,933 | 48,592 | -0.7 | -72.4 |
| Initial Claims ^a | 32,153 | 7,543 | 9,334 | 9,140 | -2.1 | -71.6 |
| Regular Ohio Law | 32,118 | 7,519 | 9,302 | 9,119 | -2.0 | -71.6 |
| UCFE | 17 | 11 | 11 | 5 | ... | ... |
| UCX | 19 | 13 | 21 | 16 | ... | ... |
| Continued Claims ^a | 143,744 | 31,382 | 39,599 | 39,452 | -0.4 | -72.6 |
| Regular Ohio Law | 143,324 | 31,235 | 39,402 | 39,240 | -0.4 | -72.6 |
| UCFE | 199 | 74 | 84 | 99 | 17.9 | -50.2 |
| UCX | 221 | 73 | 113 | 113 | 0.0 | -48.9 |

| Financial Summary ^b | Number | Percent Change ^c |
|---|---------------|-----------------------------|
| Collections, September 2021 | \$3,257,239 | ... |
| Gross Benefits Paid, November 2021 | \$40,912,489 | -74.0 |
| Average Weekly Benefit, November 2021 | \$396.60 | 13.4 |
| Trust Fund Balance as of September 30, 2021 | \$520,353,492 | ... |

^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 December 11, 2021**

| County | Initial* Claims | Continued Claims | County | Initial* Claims | Continued Claims |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Total..... | 9,119 | 39,240 | | | |
| Adams..... | 41 | 114 | Lorain..... | 283 | 1,227 |
| Allen..... | 80 | 336 | Lucas..... | 353 | 1,665 |
| Ashland..... | 47 | 170 | Madison..... | 17 | 72 |
| Ashtabula..... | 111 | 444 | Mahoning..... | 223 | 852 |
| Athens..... | 48 | 181 | Marion..... | 35 | 132 |
| Auglaize..... | 16 | 90 | Medina..... | 129 | 470 |
| Belmont..... | 77 | 265 | Meigs..... | 17 | 103 |
| Brown..... | 45 | 167 | Mercer..... | 29 | 60 |
| Butler..... | 192 | 938 | Miami..... | 62 | 257 |
| Carroll..... | 35 | 101 | Monroe..... | 18 | 87 |
| Champaign..... | 23 | 109 | Montgomery..... | 367 | 1,598 |
| Clark..... | 96 | 366 | Morgan..... | 24 | 121 |
| Clermont..... | 110 | 500 | Morrow..... | 27 | 120 |
| Clinton..... | 16 | 109 | Muskingum..... | 97 | 347 |
| Columbiana..... | 77 | 305 | Noble..... | 12 | 61 |
| Coshocton..... | 33 | 107 | Ottawa..... | 52 | 407 |
| Crawford..... | 43 | 174 | Paulding..... | 11 | 38 |
| Cuyahoga..... | 964 | 4,564 | Perry..... | 34 | 171 |
| Darke..... | 34 | 135 | Pickaway..... | 40 | 163 |
| Defiance..... | 26 | 100 | Pike..... | 31 | 152 |
| Delaware..... | 80 | 303 | Portage..... | 143 | 660 |
| Erie..... | 101 | 424 | Preble..... | 20 | 110 |
| Fairfield..... | 86 | 392 | Putnam..... | 24 | 88 |
| Fayette..... | 19 | 69 | Richland..... | 108 | 483 |
| Franklin..... | 638 | 3,028 | Ross..... | 53 | 332 |
| Fulton..... | 60 | 225 | Sandusky..... | 61 | 241 |
| Gallia..... | 26 | 114 | Scioto..... | 64 | 372 |
| Geauga..... | 75 | 258 | Seneca..... | 48 | 195 |
| Greene..... | 68 | 312 | Shelby..... | 29 | 115 |
| Guernsey..... | 46 | 206 | Stark..... | 370 | 1,329 |
| Hamilton..... | 412 | 2,047 | Summit..... | 489 | 1,821 |
| Hancock..... | 37 | 149 | Trumbull..... | 205 | 835 |
| Hardin..... | 12 | 69 | Tuscarawas..... | 68 | 295 |
| Harrison..... | 10 | 65 | Union..... | 29 | 96 |
| Henry..... | 32 | 192 | Van Wert..... | 14 | 71 |
| Highland..... | 40 | 189 | Vinton..... | 18 | 67 |
| Hocking..... | 35 | 131 | Warren..... | 92 | 491 |
| Holmes..... | 6 | 40 | Washington..... | 56 | 261 |
| Huron..... | 139 | 388 | Wayne..... | 63 | 210 |
| Jackson..... | 41 | 156 | Williams..... | 34 | 92 |
| Jefferson..... | 61 | 301 | Wood..... | 91 | 300 |
| Knox..... | 42 | 171 | Wyandot..... | 24 | 61 |
| Lake..... | 280 | 862 | Out of State..... | 285 | 1,412 |
| Lawrence..... | 25 | 171 | Interstate Agent..... | 274 | 1,171 |
| Licking..... | 89 | 377 | | | |
| Logan..... | 22 | 115 | 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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