

# Weekly Analysis

January 8, 2022

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 17,469 last week, an increase of 41.5 percent from the prior week's figure of 12,349 and a 61.4 percent decrease from the January 2021 weekly average of 45,249. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 24. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled 7.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 56,636 last week, an increase of 16.7 percent from the prior week's figure of 48,517 and a 73.3 percent decrease from the January 2021 weekly average of 211,886. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 198. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 470 while PUA continued claims totaled 11,192. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled 51.

Category	Weekly Average Jan 2021	Week Ending Dec 25	Week Ending Jan 01	Week Ending Jan 08	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims . . . . .	257,691	54,290	61,074	74,327	21.7	-71.2
Initial Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . .	45,297	11,976	12,372	17,493	41.4	-61.4
Regular Ohio Law . . . . .	45,249	11,955	12,349	17,469	41.5	-61.4
UCFE . . . . .	23	5	10	10	...	...
UCX . . . . .	25	16	13	14	...	...
Continued Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . .	212,394	42,314	48,702	56,834	16.7	-73.2
Regular Ohio Law . . . . .	211,886	42,153	48,517	56,636	16.7	-73.3
UCFE . . . . .	272	76	73	88	20.5	-67.7
UCX . . . . .	236	85	112	110	-1.8	-53.4

Financial Summary <sup>b</sup>	Number	Percent Change <sup>c</sup>
Collections, October 2021 . . . . .	\$55,907,254	...
Gross Benefits Paid, November 2021 . . . . .	\$40,912,489	-74.0
Average Weekly Benefit, November 2021 . . . . .	\$396.60	13.4
Trust Fund Balance as of October 31, 2021 . . . . .	\$561,788,239	...

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

<sup>b</sup>Regular Ohio Law. <sup>c</sup>From corresponding period, preceding year.

**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS  
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW  
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE  
WEEK ENDING January 08, 2022**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>17,469</b>	<b>56,636</b>			
Adams.....	47	218	Lorain.....	1,470	2,023
Allen.....	136	418	Lucas.....	691	2,208
Ashland.....	86	291	Madison.....	41	114
Ashtabula.....	136	529	Mahoning.....	350	1,133
Athens.....	64	227	Marion.....	59	189
Auglaize.....	35	98	Medina.....	249	733
Belmont.....	106	378	Meigs.....	41	171
Brown.....	95	302	Mercer.....	29	83
Butler.....	614	1,473	Miami.....	115	416
Carroll.....	39	142	Monroe.....	33	108
Champaign.....	47	181	Montgomery.....	573	2,060
Clark.....	148	615	Morgan.....	32	207
Clermont.....	448	965	Morrow.....	46	177
Clinton.....	58	221	Muskingum.....	128	649
Columbiana.....	106	416	Noble.....	19	102
Coshocton.....	33	207	Ottawa.....	89	543
Crawford.....	61	308	Paulding.....	13	47
Cuyahoga.....	1,818	5,911	Perry.....	60	270
Darke.....	86	258	Pickaway.....	54	263
Defiance.....	37	133	Pike.....	41	214
Delaware.....	152	420	Portage.....	218	921
Erie.....	426	866	Preble.....	60	169
Fairfield.....	147	615	Putnam.....	26	151
Fayette.....	27	133	Richland.....	145	692
Franklin.....	1,277	3,742	Ross.....	90	457
Fulton.....	79	386	Sandusky.....	130	489
Gallia.....	29	181	Scioto.....	106	447
Geauga.....	107	459	Seneca.....	71	318
Greene.....	149	474	Shelby.....	76	167
Guernsey.....	48	318	Stark.....	593	1,934
Hamilton.....	1,103	2,822	Summit.....	722	2,848
Hancock.....	67	234	Trumbull.....	326	1,127
Hardin.....	25	91	Tuscarawas.....	127	468
Harrison.....	26	89	Union.....	46	141
Henry.....	42	283	Van Wert.....	34	89
Highland.....	44	242	Vinton.....	14	110
Hocking.....	43	187	Warren.....	314	680
Holmes.....	21	59	Washington.....	90	366
Huron.....	179	798	Wayne.....	117	337
Jackson.....	45	190	Williams.....	48	179
Jefferson.....	73	389	Wood.....	158	447
Knox.....	68	304	Wyandot.....	30	89
Lake.....	321	1,502	Out of State.....	585	1,958
Lawrence.....	40	175	Interstate Agent.....	251	1,313
Licking.....	169	607			
Logan.....	52	172	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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