

# Weekly Analysis

February 11, 2023

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 13,325 last week, an increase of 16.4 percent from the prior week's figure of 11,450 and a 7.8 percent increase from the February 2022 weekly average of 12,366. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 12. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 62,297 last week, an increase of 1.3 percent from the prior week's figure of 61,475 and a 5.7 percent increase from the February 2022 weekly average of 58,933. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 202. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 47 while PUA continued claims totaled 109. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average Feb 2022	Week Ending Jan 28	Week Ending Feb 04	Week Ending Feb 11	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims . . . . .	71,481	68,931	73,106	75,836	3.7	6.1
Initial Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . .	12,380	7,963	11,464	13,337	16.3	7.7
Regular Ohio Law . . . . .	12,366	7,948	11,450	13,325	16.4	7.8
UCFE . . . . .	6	6	5	3	...	...
UCX . . . . .	8	9	9	9	...	...
Continued Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . .	59,101	60,968	61,642	62,499	1.4	5.7
Regular Ohio Law . . . . .	58,933	60,769	61,475	62,297	1.3	5.7
UCFE . . . . .	85	80	72	109	51.4	28.2
UCX . . . . .	84	119	95	93	-2.1	11.4

Financial Summary <sup>b</sup>	Number	Percent Change <sup>c</sup>
Collections, December 2022 . . . . .	\$4,059,251	...
Gross Benefits Paid, January 2023 . . . . .	\$91,874,031	21.0
Average Weekly Benefit, January 2023 . . . . .	\$456.11	7.0
Trust Fund Balance as of December 30, 2022 . . . . .	\$1,289,353,441	...

<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 February 11, 2023**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>13,325</b>	<b>62,297</b>			
Adams.....	160	284	Lorain.....	318	2,083
Allen.....	160	444	Lucas.....	1,217	2,524
Ashland.....	51	347	Madison.....	22	156
Ashtabula.....	54	627	Mahoning.....	188	1,262
Athens.....	36	295	Marion.....	36	235
Auglaize.....	46	102	Medina.....	456	1,003
Belmont.....	47	395	Meigs.....	12	180
Brown.....	60	320	Mercer.....	24	81
Butler.....	221	1,347	Miami.....	61	521
Carroll.....	29	196	Monroe.....	15	128
Champaign.....	19	162	Montgomery.....	406	2,344
Clark.....	109	552	Morgan.....	12	205
Clermont.....	148	862	Morrow.....	26	222
Clinton.....	89	199	Muskingum.....	76	638
Columbiana.....	70	524	Noble.....	13	95
Coshocton.....	99	204	Ottawa.....	48	542
Crawford.....	32	258	Paulding.....	15	40
Cuyahoga.....	1,214	6,643	Perry.....	34	247
Darke.....	36	236	Pickaway.....	27	268
Defiance.....	29	152	Pike.....	42	226
Delaware.....	136	636	Portage.....	115	942
Erie.....	130	683	Preble.....	16	176
Fairfield.....	116	633	Putnam.....	40	175
Fayette.....	72	155	Richland.....	72	718
Franklin.....	1,140	5,132	Ross.....	86	371
Fulton.....	61	362	Sandusky.....	51	389
Gallia.....	18	147	Scioto.....	87	602
Geauga.....	49	468	Seneca.....	51	314
Greene.....	124	525	Shelby.....	36	206
Guernsey.....	39	335	Stark.....	364	2,131
Hamilton.....	509	2,727	Summit.....	826	3,092
Hancock.....	60	246	Trumbull.....	141	1,163
Hardin.....	25	100	Tuscarawas.....	413	622
Harrison.....	39	100	Union.....	25	178
Henry.....	33	254	Van Wert.....	30	81
Highland.....	402	350	Vinton.....	9	105
Hocking.....	20	169	Warren.....	134	782
Holmes.....	343	248	Washington.....	55	357
Huron.....	56	748	Wayne.....	332	436
Jackson.....	22	206	Williams.....	18	126
Jefferson.....	54	338	Wood.....	169	578
Knox.....	71	251	Wyandot.....	12	99
Lake.....	198	1,491	Out of State .....	394	2,111
Lawrence.....	44	137	Interstate Agent .....	174	2,156
Licking.....	133	633			
Logan.....	24	164	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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