

Weekly Analysis

April 15, 2023

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 9,045 last week, a decrease of 10.7 percent from the prior week's figure of 10,124 and a 14.9 percent decrease from the April 2022 weekly average of 10,623. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 10. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled zero .

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 48,853 last week, a decrease of 5.5 percent from the prior week's figure of 51,723 and a 17.4 percent increase from the April 2022 weekly average of 41,597. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 138. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 32 while PUA continued claims totaled 62. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

| Category | Weekly Average Apr 2022 | Week Ending Apr 01 | Week Ending Apr 08 | Week Ending Apr 15 | Percent Change | |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| | | | | | Previous Week | Average of Last Year |
| All Claims | 52,387 | 68,538 | 62,049 | 58,046 | -6.5 | 10.8 |
| Initial Claims ^a | 10,638 | 13,275 | 10,141 | 9,055 | -10.7 | -14.9 |
| Regular Ohio Law | 10,623 | 13,260 | 10,124 | 9,045 | -10.7 | -14.9 |
| UCFE | 8 | 5 | 6 | 3 | ... | ... |
| UCX | 8 | 10 | 11 | 7 | ... | ... |
| Continued Claims ^a | 41,749 | 55,263 | 51,908 | 48,991 | -5.6 | 17.3 |
| Regular Ohio Law | 41,597 | 55,102 | 51,723 | 48,853 | -5.5 | 17.4 |
| UCFE | 64 | 74 | 92 | 59 | -35.9 | -7.2 |
| UCX | 88 | 87 | 93 | 79 | -15.1 | -10.6 |

| Financial Summary ^b | Number | Percent Change ^c |
|--|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| Collections, February 2023 | \$18,291,483 | ... |
| Gross Benefits Paid, March 2023 | \$88,241,886 | 18.5 |
| Average Weekly Benefit, March 2023 | \$461.15 | 6.5 |
| Trust Fund Balance as of February 28, 2023 | \$1,227,542,259 | ... |

^aIncludes agent-state claims, excludes transitionals.

^dRegular Ohio Law. ^cFrom corresponding period, preceding year.

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**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
WEEK ENDING April 15, 2023**

| County | Initial* Claims | Continued Claims | County | Initial* Claims | Continued Claims |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Total..... | 9,045 | 48,853 | | | |
| Adams..... | 27 | 151 | Lorain..... | 295 | 1,523 |
| Allen..... | 116 | 473 | Lucas..... | 526 | 2,110 |
| Ashland..... | 32 | 214 | Madison..... | 30 | 139 |
| Ashtabula..... | 58 | 401 | Mahoning..... | 169 | 934 |
| Athens..... | 22 | 199 | Marion..... | 35 | 175 |
| Auglaize..... | 28 | 104 | Medina..... | 124 | 682 |
| Belmont..... | 39 | 209 | Meigs..... | 18 | 107 |
| Brown..... | 28 | 211 | Mercer..... | 9 | 50 |
| Butler..... | 190 | 1,191 | Miami..... | 56 | 358 |
| Carroll..... | 18 | 115 | Monroe..... | 7 | 60 |
| Champaign..... | 20 | 101 | Montgomery..... | 399 | 2,062 |
| Clark..... | 96 | 429 | Morgan..... | 8 | 100 |
| Clermont..... | 119 | 770 | Morrow..... | 22 | 139 |
| Clinton..... | 30 | 142 | Muskingum..... | 48 | 446 |
| Columbiana..... | 58 | 323 | Noble..... | 4 | 50 |
| Coshocton..... | 37 | 161 | Ottawa..... | 22 | 349 |
| Crawford..... | 24 | 209 | Paulding..... | 11 | 39 |
| Cuyahoga..... | 1,224 | 5,955 | Perry..... | 21 | 152 |
| Darke..... | 16 | 161 | Pickaway..... | 24 | 189 |
| Defiance..... | 19 | 164 | Pike..... | 18 | 138 |
| Delaware..... | 85 | 522 | Portage..... | 108 | 721 |
| Erie..... | 64 | 573 | Preble..... | 25 | 127 |
| Fairfield..... | 94 | 478 | Putnam..... | 23 | 109 |
| Fayette..... | 22 | 120 | Richland..... | 101 | 550 |
| Franklin..... | 1,018 | 4,815 | Ross..... | 44 | 300 |
| Fulton..... | 35 | 216 | Sandusky..... | 44 | 295 |
| Gallia..... | 18 | 117 | Scioto..... | 51 | 418 |
| Geauga..... | 30 | 348 | Seneca..... | 39 | 231 |
| Greene..... | 101 | 412 | Shelby..... | 18 | 134 |
| Guernsey..... | 24 | 220 | Stark..... | 277 | 1,591 |
| Hamilton..... | 452 | 2,581 | Summit..... | 461 | 2,353 |
| Hancock..... | 46 | 203 | Trumbull..... | 178 | 827 |
| Hardin..... | 11 | 86 | Tuscarawas..... | 81 | 413 |
| Harrison..... | 8 | 61 | Union..... | 22 | 121 |
| Henry..... | 13 | 212 | Van Wert..... | 16 | 62 |
| Highland..... | 71 | 188 | Vinton..... | 7 | 118 |
| Hocking..... | 12 | 112 | Warren..... | 113 | 694 |
| Holmes..... | 24 | 58 | Washington..... | 43 | 228 |
| Huron..... | 45 | 421 | Wayne..... | 65 | 276 |
| Jackson..... | 41 | 287 | Williams..... | 15 | 139 |
| Jefferson..... | 54 | 229 | Wood..... | 101 | 442 |
| Knox..... | 194 | 283 | Wyandot..... | 11 | 59 |
| Lake..... | 219 | 1,097 | Out of State | 186 | 1,519 |
| Lawrence..... | 19 | 127 | Interstate Agent | 137 | 1,154 |
| Licking..... | 105 | 602 | | | |
| Logan..... | 27 | 119 | 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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