

# Weekly Analysis

April 22, 2023

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 5,803 last week, a decrease of 35.8 percent from the prior week's figure of 9,045 and a 45.4 percent decrease from the April 2022 weekly average of 10,623. 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 45,218 last week, a decrease of 7.4 percent from the prior week's figure of 48,853 and a 8.7 percent increase from the April 2022 weekly average of 41,597. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 169. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 58 while PUA continued claims totaled 64. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average Apr 2022	Week Ending Apr 08	Week Ending Apr 15	Week Ending Apr 22	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims . . . . .	52,387	62,049	58,046	51,202	-11.8	-2.3
Initial Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . .	10,638	10,141	9,055	5,815	-35.8	-45.3
Regular Ohio Law . . . . .	10,623	10,124	9,045	5,803	-35.8	-45.4
UCFE . . . . .	8	6	3	5	...	...
UCX . . . . .	8	11	7	7	...	...
Continued Claims <sup>a</sup> . . . . .	41,749	51,908	48,991	45,387	-7.4	8.7
Regular Ohio Law . . . . .	41,597	51,723	48,853	45,218	-7.4	8.7
UCFE . . . . .	64	92	59	83	40.7	30.6
UCX . . . . .	88	93	79	86	8.9	-2.6

Financial Summary <sup>b</sup>	Number	Percent Change <sup>c</sup>
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	...

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

<sup>d</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 April 22, 2023**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>5,803</b>	<b>45,218</b>			
Adams.....	12	134	Lorain.....	213	1,491
Allen.....	53	452	Lucas.....	406	2,028
Ashland.....	26	152	Madison.....	9	112
Ashtabula.....	39	428	Mahoning.....	132	889
Athens.....	15	173	Marion.....	20	165
Auglaize.....	16	111	Medina.....	87	630
Belmont.....	25	187	Meigs.....	11	97
Brown.....	22	187	Mercer.....	10	41
Butler.....	108	1,138	Miami.....	39	316
Carroll.....	5	91	Monroe.....	3	54
Champaign.....	17	79	Montgomery.....	293	2,000
Clark.....	56	422	Morgan.....	5	72
Clermont.....	80	616	Morrow.....	17	121
Clinton.....	12	127	Muskingum.....	36	410
Columbiana.....	35	284	Noble.....	4	40
Coshocton.....	21	129	Ottawa.....	22	299
Crawford.....	18	163	Paulding.....	6	41
Cuyahoga.....	729	5,883	Perry.....	14	116
Darke.....	10	144	Pickaway.....	26	132
Defiance.....	17	138	Pike.....	14	124
Delaware.....	65	542	Portage.....	65	651
Erie.....	89	546	Preble.....	17	124
Fairfield.....	63	424	Putnam.....	12	92
Fayette.....	11	100	Richland.....	46	483
Franklin.....	634	4,773	Ross.....	26	249
Fulton.....	30	170	Sandusky.....	23	261
Gallia.....	16	95	Scioto.....	35	361
Geauga.....	26	320	Seneca.....	20	216
Greene.....	58	384	Shelby.....	7	131
Guernsey.....	13	192	Stark.....	168	1,418
Hamilton.....	320	2,491	Summit.....	293	2,165
Hancock.....	31	186	Trumbull.....	92	767
Hardin.....	14	92	Tuscarawas.....	25	299
Harrison.....	5	38	Union.....	13	121
Henry.....	6	156	Van Wert.....	12	59
Highland.....	27	156	Vinton.....	1	69
Hocking.....	7	118	Warren.....	68	657
Holmes.....	9	49	Washington.....	18	182
Huron.....	36	311	Wayne.....	41	244
Jackson.....	14	122	Williams.....	10	127
Jefferson.....	31	238	Wood.....	65	391
Knox.....	62	249	Wyandot.....	10	41
Lake.....	85	1,005	Out of State .....	174	1,394
Lawrence.....	11	99	Interstate Agent .....	147	1,024
Licking.....	52	511			
Logan.....	17	109	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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