

Weekly Analysis

August 5, 2023

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 23,894 last week, an increase of 29.1 percent from the prior week's figure of 18,501 and a 269.8 percent increase from the August 2022 weekly average of 6,461. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 11. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 42,256 last week, a decrease of 3.1 percent from the prior week's figure of 43,610 and a 42.8 percent increase from the August 2022 weekly average of 29,598. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 110. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 52 while PUA continued claims totaled zero. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average Aug 2022	Week Ending July 22	Week Ending July 29	Week Ending Aug 05	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	36,210	62,896	62,224	66,271	6.5	83.0
Initial Claims ^a	6,476	21,451	18,511	23,905	29.1	269.1
Regular Ohio Law	6,461	21,443	18,501	23,894	29.1	269.8
UCFE	7	0	2	1
UCX	8	8	8	10
Continued Claims ^a	29,734	41,445	43,713	42,366	-3.1	42.5
Regular Ohio Law	29,598	41,331	43,610	42,256	-3.1	42.8
UCFE	66	60	54	63	16.7	-4.7
UCX	69	54	49	47	-4.1	-32.2

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, June 2023	\$3,967,420	...
Gross Benefits Paid, June 2023	\$56,188,210	45.5
Average Weekly Benefit, June 2023	\$446.62	9.3
Trust Fund Balance as of June 30, 2023	\$1,712,876,821	...

^aIncludes agent-state claims, excludes transitionals.

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

**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
WEEK ENDING August 05, 2023**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	23,894	42,256			
Adams.....	72	101	Lorain.....	544	1,257
Allen.....	293	391	Lucas.....	968	1,812
Ashland.....	96	120	Madison.....	77	98
Ashtabula.....	122	244	Mahoning.....	328	764
Athens.....	80	107	Marion.....	108	150
Auglaize.....	85	115	Medina.....	483	687
Belmont.....	136	163	Meigs.....	55	70
Brown.....	101	131	Mercer.....	110	38
Butler.....	614	1,370	Miami.....	213	290
Carroll.....	50	64	Monroe.....	31	42
Champaign.....	79	104	Montgomery.....	946	2,040
Clark.....	277	458	Morgan.....	18	38
Clermont.....	338	758	Morrow.....	64	91
Clinton.....	127	154	Muskingum.....	157	219
Columbiana.....	186	318	Noble.....	31	36
Coshocton.....	77	130	Ottawa.....	63	153
Crawford.....	96	159	Paulding.....	25	40
Cuyahoga.....	2,611	5,007	Perry.....	58	132
Darke.....	275	101	Pickaway.....	118	147
Defiance.....	66	94	Pike.....	55	99
Delaware.....	348	655	Portage.....	290	519
Erie.....	185	366	Preble.....	80	111
Fairfield.....	309	482	Putnam.....	86	48
Fayette.....	72	111	Richland.....	186	369
Franklin.....	2,865	4,819	Ross.....	144	178
Fulton.....	77	121	Sandusky.....	129	196
Gallia.....	59	78	Scioto.....	103	270
Geauga.....	139	203	Seneca.....	92	151
Greene.....	245	443	Shelby.....	97	129
Guernsey.....	50	121	Stark.....	741	1,158
Hamilton.....	1,401	2,937	Summit.....	1,429	2,109
Hancock.....	157	192	Trumbull.....	283	658
Hardin.....	64	61	Tuscarawas.....	226	275
Harrison.....	34	47	Union.....	111	171
Henry.....	62	84	Van Wert.....	54	69
Highland.....	269	171	Vinton.....	23	52
Hocking.....	49	60	Warren.....	335	720
Holmes.....	122	101	Washington.....	139	179
Huron.....	119	205	Wayne.....	255	310
Jackson.....	65	174	Williams.....	54	67
Jefferson.....	147	218	Wood.....	225	412
Knox.....	226	183	Wyandot.....	43	53
Lake.....	441	780	Out of State	340	1,306
Lawrence.....	112	138	Interstate Agent	179	1,063
Licking.....	314	542			
Logan.....	86	99	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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