

Weekly Analysis

September 9, 2023

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 7,159 last week, a decrease of 32.0 percent from the prior week's figure of 10,535 and a 5.7 percent increase from the September 2022 weekly average of 6,775. 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 35,116 last week, a decrease of 3.4 percent from the prior week's figure of 36,357 and a 35.8 percent increase from the September 2022 weekly average of 25,855. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 114. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 28 while PUA continued claims totaled zero. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average Sept 2022	Week Ending Aug 26	Week Ending Sept 02	Week Ending Sept 09	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	32,776	51,460	46,996	42,399	-9.8	29.4
Initial Claims ^a	6,790	13,383	10,547	7,169	-32.0	5.6
Regular Ohio Law	6,775	13,369	10,535	7,159	-32.0	5.7
UCFE	6	1	2	2
UCX	9	13	10	8
Continued Claims ^a	25,985	38,077	36,449	35,230	-3.3	35.6
Regular Ohio Law	25,855	37,974	36,357	35,116	-3.4	35.8
UCFE	56	51	40	57	42.5	1.1
UCX	74	52	52	57	9.6	-23.1

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, July 2023	\$133,514,542	...
Gross Benefits Paid, August 2023	\$58,172,160	32.5
Average Weekly Benefit, August 2023	\$451.96	8.8
Trust Fund Balance as of July 31, 2023	\$1,707,189,139	...

^aIncludes agent-state claims, excludes transitionals.
^bRegular Ohio Law. ^cFrom corresponding period, preceding year.

**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
WEEK ENDING September 09, 2023**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	7,159	35,116			
Adams.....	17	65	Lorain.....	202	998
Allen.....	94	271	Lucas.....	317	1,614
Ashland.....	19	89	Madison.....	13	82
Ashtabula.....	32	190	Mahoning.....	123	681
Athens.....	20	98	Marion.....	23	110
Auglaize.....	30	87	Medina.....	88	466
Belmont.....	33	109	Meigs.....	9	42
Brown.....	32	97	Mercer.....	20	38
Butler.....	192	990	Miami.....	67	249
Carroll.....	16	61	Monroe.....	5	20
Champaign.....	19	76	Montgomery.....	269	1,751
Clark.....	92	340	Morgan.....	8	26
Clermont.....	126	550	Morrow.....	16	83
Clinton.....	12	109	Muskingum.....	45	206
Columbiana.....	48	288	Noble.....	8	34
Coshocton.....	33	151	Ottawa.....	39	113
Crawford.....	34	102	Paulding.....	9	44
Cuyahoga.....	828	4,324	Perry.....	24	134
Darke.....	36	72	Pickaway.....	32	122
Defiance.....	29	74	Pike.....	9	62
Delaware.....	96	505	Portage.....	78	418
Erie.....	74	257	Preble.....	18	83
Fairfield.....	85	380	Putnam.....	29	67
Fayette.....	17	75	Richland.....	67	305
Franklin.....	760	4,148	Ross.....	37	141
Fulton.....	28	97	Sandusky.....	55	135
Gallia.....	19	77	Scioto.....	38	212
Geauga.....	33	147	Seneca.....	33	98
Greene.....	68	369	Shelby.....	20	105
Guernsey.....	22	96	Stark.....	205	1,150
Hamilton.....	485	2,407	Summit.....	383	1,807
Hancock.....	39	134	Trumbull.....	96	546
Hardin.....	15	59	Tuscarawas.....	93	216
Harrison.....	18	40	Union.....	29	122
Henry.....	18	60	Van Wert.....	12	43
Highland.....	23	113	Vinton.....	8	34
Hocking.....	13	62	Warren.....	87	585
Holmes.....	34	43	Washington.....	32	126
Huron.....	34	128	Wayne.....	48	183
Jackson.....	17	137	Williams.....	21	79
Jefferson.....	50	196	Wood.....	73	334
Knox.....	16	105	Wyandot.....	11	40
Lake.....	125	556	Out of State	179	1,276
Lawrence.....	22	122	Interstate Agent	223	1,182
Licking.....	90	411			
Logan.....	15	87	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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