

Weekly Analysis

November 18, 2017

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 8,230 last week, an increase of 14.7 percent from the prior week's figure of 7,178 and a 10.6 percent decrease from the October 2016 weekly average of 9,209. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 40. Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC08) initial claims totaled zero. Federal-State Extended Benefits (EB) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 47,179 last week, an increase of 2.6 percent from the prior week's figure of 45,972 and a 4.1 percent decrease from the October 2016 weekly average of 49,174. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 392. EUC continued claims totaled zero while EB continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average Nov 2016	Week Ending Nov 4	Week Ending Nov 11	Week Ending Nov 18	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	58,929	52,709	53,641	55,841	4.1	-5.2
Initial Claims ^a	9,248	8,342	7,212	8,270	14.7	-10.6
Regular Ohio Law	9,209	8,306	7,178	8,230	14.7	-10.6
UCFE	13	20	13	17
UCX	26	16	21	23
Continued Claims ^a	49,682	44,367	46,429	47,571	2.5	-4.2
Regular Ohio Law	49,174	43,964	45,972	47,179	2.6	-4.1
UCFE	227	161	211	171	-19.0	-24.7
UCX	281	242	246	221	-10.2	-21.3

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, September 2017	\$731,190	...
Gross Benefits Paid, October 2017	\$60,001,732	0.2
Average Weekly Benefit, October 2017	\$365.13	2.7
Balance Available for Benefits, September 30, 2017	\$650,591,248	...

^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 November 18, 2017**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	8,230	47,179			
Adams.....	25	118	Lorain.....	297	1,598
Allen.....	69	333	Lucas.....	374	1,940
Ashland.....	42	188	Madison.....	16	97
Ashtabula.....	108	500	Mahoning.....	188	1,145
Athens.....	39	160	Marion.....	41	191
Auglaize.....	18	80	Medina.....	127	666
Belmont.....	46	277	Meigs.....	33	118
Brown.....	29	165	Mercer.....	20	59
Butler.....	165	1,268	Miami.....	53	266
Carroll.....	25	126	Monroe.....	23	84
Champaign.....	19	145	Montgomery.....	277	1,944
Clark.....	77	463	Morgan.....	31	103
Clermont.....	110	661	Morrow.....	32	113
Clinton.....	20	145	Muskingum.....	86	365
Columbiana.....	65	404	Noble.....	24	80
Coshocton.....	36	180	Ottawa.....	91	411
Crawford.....	34	158	Paulding.....	4	32
Cuyahoga.....	911	5,780	Perry.....	34	172
Darke.....	29	138	Pickaway.....	28	157
Defiance.....	16	147	Pike.....	29	107
Delaware.....	48	411	Portage.....	118	641
Erie.....	90	473	Preble.....	19	114
Fairfield.....	95	448	Putnam.....	28	81
Fayette.....	21	81	Richland.....	92	513
Franklin.....	519	3,941	Ross.....	54	289
Fulton.....	32	143	Sandusky.....	58	251
Gallia.....	27	123	Scioto.....	83	333
Geauga.....	61	285	Seneca.....	52	165
Greene.....	63	408	Shelby.....	16	127
Guernsey.....	35	263	Stark.....	264	1,549
Hamilton.....	368	2,638	Summit.....	364	2,349
Hancock.....	26	176	Trumbull.....	161	975
Hardin.....	14	70	Tuscarawas.....	68	362
Harrison.....	11	69	Union.....	16	136
Henry.....	27	80	Van Wert.....	17	60
Highland.....	34	154	Vinton.....	20	64
Hocking.....	23	131	Warren.....	114	711
Holmes.....	6	51	Washington.....	54	191
Huron.....	96	312	Wayne.....	65	355
Jackson.....	31	158	Williams.....	24	122
Jefferson.....	68	368	Wood.....	83	342
Knox.....	37	254	Wyandot.....	16	44
Lake.....	200	981	Out of State.....	460	2,041
Lawrence.....	26	134	Interstate Agent.....	216	1,524
Licking.....	97	489			
Logan.....	22	115	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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