

Weekly Analysis

January 11, 2020

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 9,929 last week, a decrease of 6.7 percent from the prior week's figure of 10,638 and a 1.4 percent increase from the January 2019 weekly average of 9,796. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 31. 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 78,141 last week, an increase of 6.8 percent from the prior week's figure of 73,166 and a 18.5 percent increase from the January 2019 weekly average of 65,943. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 261. EUC continued claims totaled zero while EB continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average January 2019	Week Ending December 28	Week Ending January 04	Week Ending January 11	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	76,503	77,968	84,084	88,362	5.1	15.5
Initial Claims ^a	9,979	15,952	10,664	9,960	-6.6	-0.2
Regular Ohio Law	9,796	15,931	10,638	9,929	-6.7	1.4
UCFE	169	7	11	13
UCX	14	14	15	18
Continued Claims ^a	66,525	62,016	73,420	78,402	6.8	17.9
Regular Ohio Law	65,943	61,764	73,166	78,141	6.8	18.5
UCFE	434	129	131	131	0.0	-69.8
UCX	148	123	123	130	5.7	-12.1

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, November 2019	\$25,211,894	...
Gross Benefits Paid, November 2019	\$51,577,454	2.8
Average Weekly Benefit, November 2019	\$380.89	1.8
Trust Fund Balance as of November 30, 2019	\$1,333,171,669	...

^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 January 11, 2020**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	9,929	78,141			
Adams.....	36	362	Lorain.....	415	2,900
Allen.....	115	637	Lucas.....	444	2,874
Ashland.....	50	369	Madison.....	26	164
Ashtabula.....	91	829	Mahoning.....	252	1,766
Athens.....	41	309	Marion.....	35	280
Auglaize.....	30	167	Medina.....	151	1,080
Belmont.....	81	664	Meigs.....	28	293
Brown.....	54	373	Mercer.....	7	98
Butler.....	245	1,886	Miami.....	54	562
Carroll.....	53	269	Monroe.....	23	185
Champaign.....	51	226	Montgomery.....	305	2,441
Clark.....	186	864	Morgan.....	34	295
Clermont.....	123	1,155	Morrow.....	24	295
Clinton.....	29	238	Muskingum.....	108	877
Columbiana.....	67	629	Noble.....	16	159
Coshocton.....	37	426	Ottawa.....	53	740
Crawford.....	38	283	Paulding.....	20	80
Cuyahoga.....	991	7,481	Perry.....	39	459
Darke.....	37	295	Pickaway.....	35	342
Defiance.....	31	264	Pike.....	28	300
Delaware.....	77	582	Portage.....	136	1,246
Erie.....	89	761	Preble.....	28	227
Fairfield.....	74	895	Putnam.....	33	201
Fayette.....	11	167	Richland.....	66	841
Franklin.....	586	4,761	Ross.....	56	571
Fulton.....	64	580	Sandusky.....	72	635
Gallia.....	39	299	Scioto.....	79	681
Geauga.....	63	542	Seneca.....	38	399
Greene.....	66	607	Shelby.....	36	198
Guernsey.....	49	550	Stark.....	491	3,213
Hamilton.....	481	3,514	Summit.....	432	3,363
Hancock.....	46	307	Trumbull.....	245	1,816
Hardin.....	17	174	Tuscarawas.....	87	838
Harrison.....	17	172	Union.....	19	190
Henry.....	40	354	Van Wert.....	22	146
Highland.....	32	315	Vinton.....	21	213
Hocking.....	33	280	Warren.....	113	893
Holmes.....	13	116	Washington.....	60	478
Huron.....	86	1,022	Wayne.....	57	508
Jackson.....	51	603	Williams.....	35	295
Jefferson.....	49	545	Wood.....	101	691
Knox.....	67	391	Wyandot.....	20	122
Lake.....	183	1,847	Out of State	422	3,147
Lawrence.....	35	248	Interstate Agent	348	2,543
Licking.....	129	883			
Logan.....	32	255	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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