Notes On Initial and Continuing Claims: Regions Footprint

Initial Claims:
During the week ending July 25, a total of 469,213 people within the Regions footprint applied for Unemployment Insurance benefits, down from 572,239 people in the week ending July 18;
Since the week ending March 21, a total of 19,505,069 people within the Regions footprint have filed claims for Unemployment Insurance;
Indiana and Missouri were the only states to see higher initial claims in the week ending July 25;
Last week saw the fewest number of initial claims since the week ending March 14, but claims remain significantly elevated.

Continuing Claims:
As of the week ending July 18, a total of 5,365,430 people within the Regions footprint were receiving regular Unemployment Insurance benefits, down from 5,413,587 in the week ending July 11;
Indiana, Louisiana, Missouri, and Texas saw increases in continuing claims in the week ending July 18;
More than 2.33 million people across the Regions footprint are drawing Unemployment Insurance benefits through the various pandemic relief programs; these numbers are not included in the regular claims data cited above.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division
Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Kentucky
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Kentucky
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division
Initial Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Missouri
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

Source: U.S. Department of Labor; Regions Economics Division

Continuing Claims For Unemployment Insurance: Missouri
weekly data, not seasonally adjusted

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