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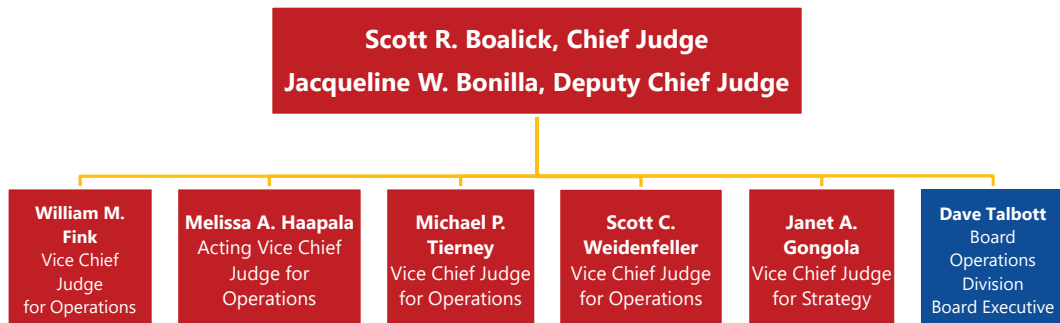
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Scott R. Boalick, Chief Administrative Patent Judge
March 21, 2019



PTAB organizational structure

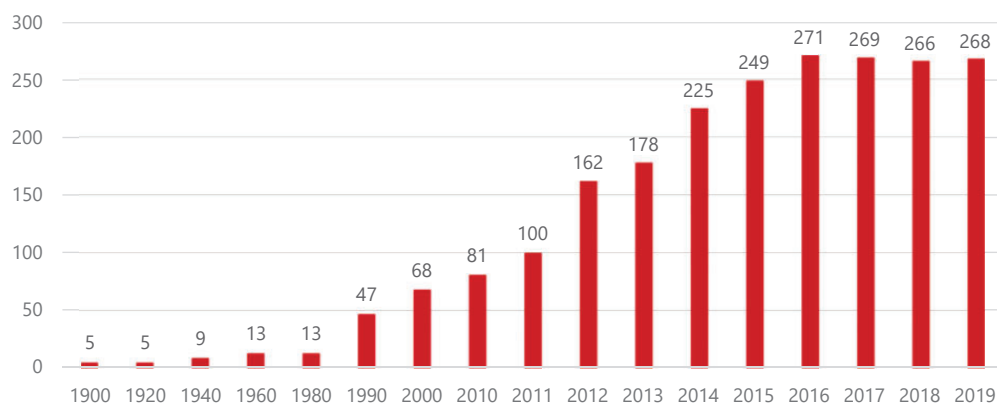


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Board size over time

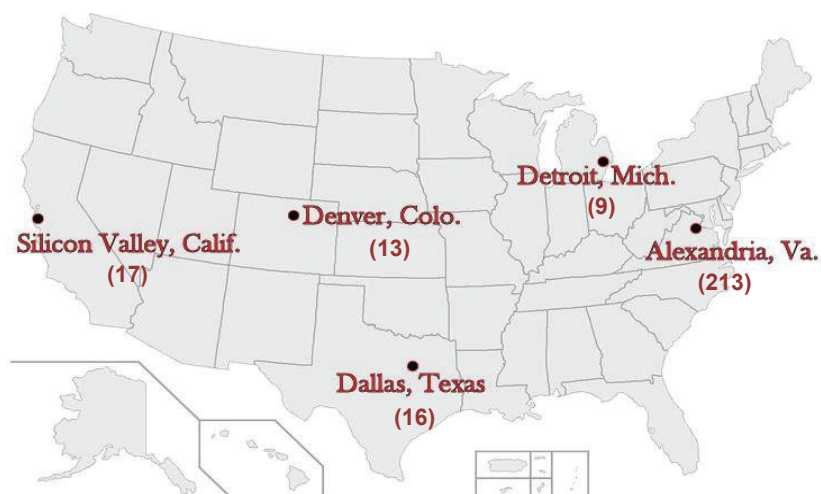
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Locations of PTAB Judges



*Alexandria, Va. count includes judges who participate in TEAPP.

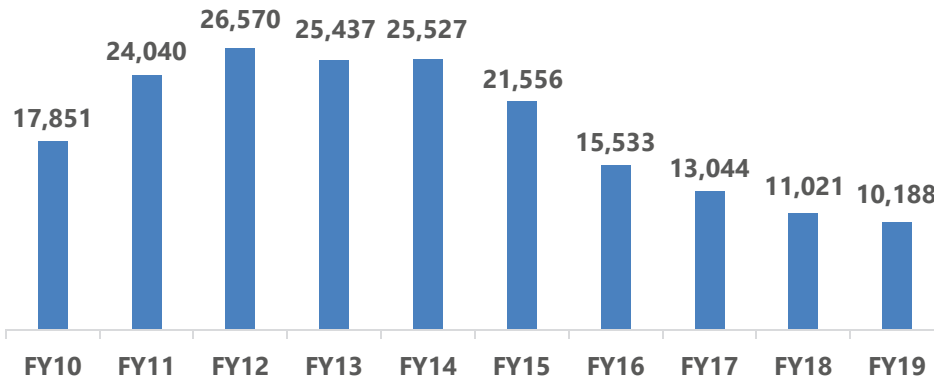


Appeal statistics

Patent Trial and Appeal Board
January 2019

Pending appeals FY10 to FY19

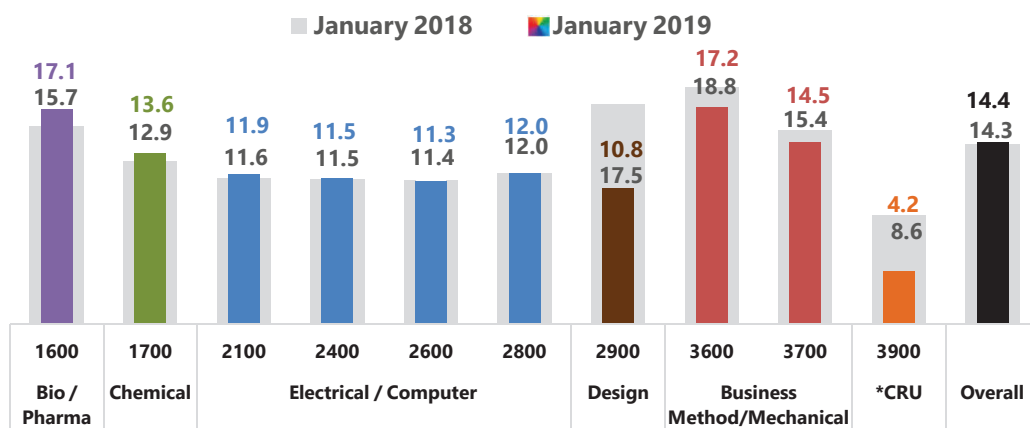
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Pendency of decided appeals in FY18 and FY19

(January 2018 compared to January 2019 in months)



Pendency is calculated as average months from Board receipt date to final decision.

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