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Compensation and Pension Entitlement	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
	December 30, 2010	764,476	301,030

Compensation and Pension Rating Bundle	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
		742,721	291,215

Compensation

Entitlement (Original and Supplemental)	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
			705,655	280,139
Original Entitlement - Veterans ¹				
Initial entitlement decisions for Voc Rehab	095	432	79	18.3%
Initial entitlement for service-connected disability (=>8)	010	38,855	19,545	50.3%
Initial entitlement for service-connected disability (<=7)	110	153,786	72,265	47.0%
Original Entitlement - Survivors ²				
Initial claims from surviving spouses, children or parents	140	11,083	4,542	41.0%
Initial claims from children Veterans with Spina bifida and/or birth defects	410	96	19	19.8%
Supplemental Entitlement				
Increased evaluation and/or additional claimed conditions	020	373,592	183,166	49.0%
Increased entitlement due to hospitalization or surgery	320	2,283	511	22.4%
Spina bifida and/or birth defects reconsideration	420	24	12	50.0%
Agent Orange presumptives *				
Reopened or new Agent Orange claims prior to 8/30/10 *	681	28,618	0	0.0%
Nehmer review cases based upon new Agent Orange presumptives *	687	80,195	0	0.0%
Reopened or new Agent Orange claims prior to After 9/01/10 *	405	16,233	0	0.0%
Agent Orange claims where an interim decision was provided*	409	458	0	0.0%

¹ First claim filed by a Veteran for benefits (including Voc Rehab memo ratings) based upon the effects of disabilities, diseases, or injuries incurred or aggravated during active military service.

² First claim received from surviving spouses, dependent children and dependent parents based upon the Veteran's death due to service-related causes.

*As of 11/1/10 Agent Orange presumptive will include EP 681, EP 687 and EP 405

*As of 12/13/2010 the Agent Orange presumptive claim category will include EP 409

Award Adjustments	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
			110,579	34,352
Dependency	130	56,719	15,368	27.1%
Survivor restored entitlement	133	8	3	37.5%
Hospitalization adjustment (non-rating)	135	174	106	60.9%
Misc determinations	290	27,647	11,950	43.2%
Spina bifida and/or birth defects adjustments	450	4	2	50.0%
Future examination for disabilities	310	7,036	2,400	34.1%
Due process	600	18,991	4,523	23.8%

Involves the modification of benefits based not upon entitlement (in the majority of cases a rating to determine service connection and/or to assign a degree of disability is not required), but upon additional ancillary factors. Such activity usually occurs when a Veteran or survivor is currently entitled and receiving benefits. Some compensation award adjustment activities can be considered annual and cyclical in nature.

Program Reviews	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
			21,847	9,842
Income verification for unemployability	314	271	270	99.6%
Review of Hemodialysis related cases/conditions	680	296	168	56.8%
Review of Radiation related cases/conditions	682	678	608	89.7%
Review of Misc cases referred to central office	684	40	36	90.0%
Review of effective date related to herbicide exposure	685	3	3	100.0%
Cost of Living Adjustments (COLAs) and other reviews	690	4,685	1,694	36.2%
Social Security number verification	690 Group	15,874	7,063	44.5%

These actions are not initiated by Veterans or survivors. All program review actions are initiated by internal VBA controls and mandates. These actions are classified as internal controls necessary to audit, review, and ensure that benefits and entitlements are proper and the intent of laws and regulations is being followed.

Other	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
			60,590	24,004
Pre-decisional hearings	173	1,409	985	69.9%
Correspondence	400	22,465	2,591	11.5%
Congressional correspondence	500	445	104	23.4%
Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests	510	18,969	7,358	38.8%
Review, including quality assurance	930	17,037	12,827	75.3%
Correction of errors	960	265	139	52.5%

Combination of workload received from Veterans, survivors and internal sources.

Pension

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Entitlement		58,821	20,891	35.5%
Increased entitlement and/or reconsideration	120	18,592	5,583	30.0%
Initial entitlement - Veteran	180	11,990	3,203	26.7%
Initial entitlement - Survivor	190	28,239	12,105	42.9%
Claims for benefits from Veterans and survivors that have never before applied for pension, as well as claims for aid and attendance, and housebound benefits. Some pension entitlement claims require a rating decision.				

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Award Adjustments		65,922	28,096	42.6%
Annual eligibility verification reporting - no adjustment	050	0	0	0.0%
Hospitalization adjustment (non-rating)	135	1,423	454	31.9%
Dependency	137	7,415	3,111	42.0%
Income adjustments	150	25,545	13,757	53.9%
Annual eligibility verification reporting (EVRs)	155	2,332	2,301	98.7%
Misc determinations	297	13,289	3,925	29.5%
Due process	607	15,918	4,548	28.6%
Involve the modification of benefits based upon income changes. Such pension award adjustment activities can be considered annual and cyclical in nature.				

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Program Reviews		8,023	7,547	94.1%
Income Verification Match	154	6,830	6,828	100.0%
Cost of Living Adjustments	696	54	12	22.2%
Non-entitlement reviews	697	1,139	707	62.1%
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	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Other		3,968	2,523	63.6%
Correspondence	407	1,533	1,176	76.7%
Congressional correspondence	507	283	12	4.2%
Internal quality reviews	937	2,152	1,335	62.0%
Combination of workload received from Veterans, survivors and internal sources.				

Additional Compensation, Pension and Education Workload

Burial	EP	# Pending
	160	28,115
Provides honor and assistance with the burial of Veterans through an enhanced burial benefit for those whose post-service death was due to or hastened by a service-connected disability. The burial program also provides a lesser burial and/or plot allowance to assist with the burial of certain Veterans not entitled to the service-connected burial benefit.		

Accrued	EP	# Pending
	165	3,774
Benefits not paid prior to the death of a Veteran or survivor based upon a pending claim at the time of death which is later granted.		

Appeals	EP	# Pending
As Of January 3, 2011	NA	224,853
Appealed cases include compensation, pension, burial, and accrued benefits and decisions. Retrieved from 214A reports - via VACOLS (includes BVA).		

Education	Type	# Pending
	Ch 33	13,373
	All	128,797
Chapter 33 is the new Post-9/11GI Bill. "All" represents all Education Benefit Programs Including Chapter 33 claims.		

More information on Chapter 33 Education Payments made for Spring 2010 enrollment is available at the following URL:

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COMPENSATION AND PENSION INVENTORY

December 30, 2010

Entitlement		
Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days
USA	764,476	301,030 39.4%

All compensation and pension claims nationwide that require a rating decision (majority) which is the legal decision that obligates the Department of Veteran Affairs to the Veteran and/or beneficiary that claimed benefits. These are the *initial* claims that establish entitlement.

COMPENSATION INVENTORY

	Entitlement *			Award Adjustment			Program Review			Other			Burial	Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
USA	705,655	280,139	39.7%	110,579	34,352	31.1%	21,847	9,842	45.0%	60,590	24,004	39.6%	13,029	671	199,555
EASTERN AREA	144,535	65,199	45.1%	22,109	8,170	37.0%	5,522	2,816	51.0%	13,463	5,363	39.8%	3,678	102	38,140
Baltimore	12,106	7,546	62.3%	2,831	1,393	49.2%	325	146	44.9%	1,219	758	62.2%	96	13	2,723
Boston	7,206	3,637	50.5%	1,297	483	37.2%	540	421	78.0%	640	340	53.1%	170	7	3,084
Buffalo	6,439	3,069	47.7%	1,555	536	34.5%	158	83	52.5%	445	199	44.7%	188	11	769
Cleveland	19,143	8,080	42.2%	2,179	506	23.2%	565	222	39.3%	2,330	664	28.5%	67	12	6,730
Detroit	17,982	9,687	53.9%	2,108	624	29.6%	220	116	52.7%	2,135	624	29.2%	62	10	5,333
Hartford	2,256	315	14.0%	580	91	15.7%	119	36	30.3%	207	44	21.3%	16	3	912
Indianapolis	15,902	8,890	55.9%	1,838	530	28.8%	280	200	71.4%	1,779	759	42.7%	73	13	4,123
Manchester	2,006	818	40.8%	529	107	20.2%	26	21	80.8%	213	49	23.0%	36	3	724
New York	12,122	6,706	55.3%	2,269	857	37.8%	210	166	79.0%	731	498	68.1%	34	5	3,510
Newark	4,791	1,976	41.2%	672	165	24.6%	140	56	40.0%	415	150	36.1%	30	4	1,677
Philadelphia	21,964	6,775	30.8%	1,681	464	27.6%	1,872	704	37.6%	1,096	520	47.4%	2,700	-	3,647
Pittsburgh	7,541	3,518	46.7%	2,709	1,724	63.6%	601	476	79.2%	1,114	373	33.5%	90	18	2,253
Providence	2,595	926	35.7%	491	182	37.1%	87	10	11.5%	310	79	25.5%	31	2	1,235
Togus	10,161	2,251	22.2%	948	375	39.6%	344	136	39.5%	607	243	40.0%	35	-	689
White River J.	1,052	515	49.0%	161	64	39.8%	11	9	81.8%	99	40	40.4%	40	1	315
Wilmington	1,269	490	38.6%	261	69	26.4%	24	14	58.3%	123	23	18.7%	10	-	416
SOUTHERN AREA	216,701	88,469	40.8%	37,118	10,844	29.2%	7,795	4,101	52.6%	20,464	8,356	40.8%	532	125	65,739
Atlanta	27,868	14,306	51.3%	3,669	847	23.1%	465	334	71.8%	3,759	2,062	54.9%	36	17	8,388
Columbia	19,785	7,809	39.5%	2,296	575	25.0%	358	193	53.9%	761	381	50.1%	46	21	4,368
Huntington	11,332	1,960	17.3%	1,162	354	30.5%	137	77	56.2%	878	242	27.6%	49	5	2,551
Jackson	9,005	4,782	53.1%	1,854	729	39.3%	909	691	76.0%	638	220	34.5%	37	3	3,323
Louisville	6,262	1,581	25.2%	2,010	415	20.6%	473	290	61.3%	536	144	26.9%	10	1	1,505
Montgomery	13,948	6,558	47.0%	3,896	1,258	32.3%	1,814	1,188	65.5%	1,697	766	45.1%	44	21	9,481
Nashville	12,136	2,952	24.3%	1,444	143	9.9%	390	121	31.0%	1,395	235	16.8%	5	2	4,990
Roanoke	21,884	8,608	39.3%	2,236	299	13.4%	675	119	17.6%	1,121	284	25.3%	14	3	5,995
San Juan	5,110	2,525	49.4%	1,079	298	27.6%	43	28	65.1%	583	362	62.1%	57	4	4,106
St. Petersburg	47,111	16,654	35.4%	7,312	1,860	25.4%	1,598	983	61.5%	7,401	3,228	43.6%	197	38	14,086
Washington	47	10	21.3%	6	2	33.3%	2	2	100.0%	6	4	66.7%	1	-	2
Winston-Salem	42,213	20,724	49.1%	10,154	4,064	40.0%	931	75	8.1%	1,689	428	25.3%	36	10	6,944

* Revised to more accurately categorize the Agent Orange presumptive workload.

COMPENSATION INVENTORY

	Entitlement *			Award Adjustment			Program Review			Other			Burial	Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
CENTRAL AREA	179,126	63,952	35.7%	24,901	6,905	27.7%	3,982	1,437	36.1%	14,062	5,205	37.0%	7,366	222	52,657
Chicago	15,122	7,774	51.4%	2,079	656	31.6%	745	404	54.2%	1,171	560	47.8%	66	12	6,418
Des Moines	5,356	2,145	40.0%	711	182	25.6%	116	44	37.9%	586	164	28.0%	15	2	1,775
Fargo	1,581	321	20.3%	231	31	13.4%	82	15	18.3%	152	15	9.9%	9	-	338
Houston	32,711	16,151	49.4%	8,628	3,593	41.6%	325	200	61.5%	2,911	1,543	53.0%	260	21	12,349
Lincoln	8,074	781	9.7%	638	43	6.7%	203	12	5.9%	803	191	23.8%	6	8	1,466
Little Rock	7,247	2,919	40.3%	1,842	518	28.1%	356	204	57.3%	1,135	523	46.1%	42	7	2,946
Milwaukee	12,624	4,464	35.4%	852	79	9.3%	181	60	33.1%	977	148	15.1%	6,496	-	2,241
Muskogee	15,485	3,559	23.0%	1,760	197	11.2%	542	91	16.8%	921	226	24.5%	2	1	3,302
New Orleans	8,273	3,417	41.3%	1,135	257	22.6%	111	34	30.6%	436	175	40.1%	58	7	3,916
Sioux Falls	1,157	228	19.7%	201	46	22.9%	107	42	39.3%	197	28	14.2%	-	3	211
St. Louis	15,286	4,755	31.1%	2,285	703	30.8%	302	135	44.7%	1,375	411	29.9%	119	10	5,249
St. Paul	9,778	1,498	15.3%	933	69	7.4%	92	33	35.9%	552	192	34.8%	21	-	1,256
Waco	41,596	13,658	32.8%	3,133	436	13.9%	726	84	11.6%	2,517	903	35.9%	267	150	10,424
Wichita	4,836	2,282	47.2%	473	95	20.1%	94	79	84.0%	329	126	38.3%	5	1	766
WESTERN AREA	165,289	62,519	37.8%	26,424	8,432	31.9%	4,548	1,488	32.7%	12,569	5,059	40.2%	1,453	222	43,019
Albuquerque	4,479	1,982	44.3%	480	46	9.6%	143	50	35.0%	525	212	40.4%	23	1	1,942
Anchorage	1,376	518	37.6%	245	43	17.6%	35	3	8.6%	183	95	51.9%	6	-	220
Boise	2,029	492	24.2%	541	53	9.8%	103	27	26.2%	277	63	22.7%	30	4	725
Denver	8,780	3,114	35.5%	1,754	356	20.3%	435	135	31.0%	545	95	17.4%	63	8	3,278
Cheyenne	1,117	368	32.9%	284	80	28.2%	82	76	92.7%	214	70	32.7%	75	1	223
Fort Harrison	1,445	247	17.1%	229	20	8.7%	82	9	11.0%	253	22	8.7%	2	1	306
Honolulu	4,735	2,641	55.8%	457	91	19.9%	97	52	53.6%	579	331	57.2%	8	1	748
Los Angeles	14,259	7,056	49.5%	2,475	722	29.2%	63	51	81.0%	964	558	57.9%	95	5	6,527
Manila	1,287	384	29.8%	2,212	1,292	58.4%	26	9	34.6%	792	393	49.6%	311	79	2,751
Oakland	21,730	11,535	53.1%	3,592	1,118	31.1%	776	252	32.5%	1,742	1,207	69.3%	112	30	6,347
Phoenix	20,303	7,216	35.5%	1,308	148	11.3%	384	174	45.3%	1,369	375	27.4%	15	5	4,036
Portland	9,411	3,411	36.2%	2,457	775	31.5%	410	70	17.1%	1,172	351	29.9%	77	14	4,460
Reno	6,508	3,656	56.2%	878	222	25.3%	108	44	40.7%	372	106	28.5%	27	5	1,052
Salt Lake City	7,174	1,298	18.1%	1,744	270	15.5%	677	61	9.0%	1,115	284	25.5%	2	1	1,682
San Diego	26,240	10,437	39.8%	2,089	257	12.3%	738	239	32.4%	959	331	34.5%	1	-	3,568
Seattle	34,416	8,164	23.7%	5,679	2,939	51.8%	389	236	60.7%	1,508	566	37.5%	606	67	5,154
Other	4	-	0.0%	27	1	3.7%	-	-	-	32	21	65.6%	-	-	-

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PENSION INVENTORY

	Entitlement			Award Adjustment			Program Review			Other			Burial	Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
USA (PMC's)	58,821	20,891	35.5%	65,922	28,096	42.6%	8,023	7,547	94.1%	3,968	2,523	63.6%	15,086	3,103	3,040
Philadelphia	24,137	9,106	37.7%	32,129	17,083	53.2%	67	44	65.7%	1,127	637	56.5%	6,515	2,045	872
Milwaukee	15,493	4,431	28.6%	14,628	4,128	28.2%	1,879	1,841	98.0%	712	325	45.6%	1,019	493	1,085
St. Paul	14,553	4,615	31.7%	18,460	6,532	35.4%	6,018	5,604	93.1%	1,509	1,065	70.6%	7,465	565	1,083
Other (in transit)	4,638	2,739	59.1%	705	353	50.1%	59	58	98.3%	620	496	80.0%	87	N/A	N/A

EDUCATION INVENTORY

	Chapter 33 Claims Pending				*All Claims Pending			
	Current Work Items Pending	Work Items Pending Last Week	Weekly Change	Percent Change	Current Work Items Pending	Work Items Pending Last Week	Weekly Change	Percent Change
USA (Education)	13,373	11,995	1,378	11.5%	128,797	146,541	(17,744)	-12.1%
Buffalo	3,712	2,852	860	30.2%	37,500	38,831	(1,331)	-3.4%
Atlanta	2,879	2,664	215	8.1%	25,212	27,928	(2,716)	-9.7%
St Louis	3,220	3,107	113	3.6%	29,330	33,326	(3,996)	-12.0%
Muskogee	3,562	3,372	190	5.6%	36,755	46,456	(9,701)	-20.9%

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