

Computing Travel within the Local PDS Area - POV vs. POV - Distance *Exceeds* Normal Commute (JTR, par. 020603-B1c1a)

Note: Rates used in these examples may not be current and are for illustrative purposes only.

Scenario: A traveler ordinarily commutes by personally-owned vehicle (POV) and the one-way commuting distance to the permanent duty station (PDS) is 35 miles. The traveler drives from the residence to an alternate work site 50 miles away and then to a second alternate work site 25 miles away. The traveler returns to residence 10 miles away. The traveler is authorized TDY mileage for the distance that exceeds the ordinary round-trip commuting distance.

Commuting Distance Greater than Ordinary		
Step	Action	Calculation
1	Calculate the ordinary round-trip commuting distance.	35 miles both ways =70 miles
2	Calculate the distance the traveler currently commutes to the alternate work sites.	First work site: 50 miles
		Second work site: 25 miles
		Return to residence: 10 miles
		50+25+10=85 miles
3	Calculate the difference between the current commute from Step 2 and the ordinary round-trip commuting distance from Step 1.	85-70=15 miles
4	Total authorized TDY mileage.	15 miles