

## Excess Charges - HHG Transportation in Excess of Authorized Weight Allowance (JTR, par. 051306-B)

*Note: The rates and costs used in the examples below may not be current and are for illustrative purposes only. Refer to the [DTMO website](#) for the applicable locality [per diem rates](#).*

### Scenario

A Service member with a weight allowance of 8,000 pounds transports 8,500 pounds of authorized articles. The cost to transport the total weight of 8,500 pounds is \$5,000. The cost of the excess net weight (500 pounds) is prorated based on the cost of total net weight transported (500/8,500). The Service member is financially responsible for \$300.

### Computing Excess Cost

Authorized weight	8,000 lbs.
Weight actually transported	8,500 lbs.
Excess net weight	$8,500 - 8,000 = 500 \text{ lbs.}$
Ratio used for prorated cost of excess net weight	$500/8,500 = 0.06$
Cost to transport total weight (8,500 lbs.)	\$5,000
<b>Cost for excess weight</b>	<b><math>\\$5,000 \times 0.06 = \\$300</math></b>