# Aurora Combined Sales Tax Rates

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## Use Tax Rate: AURORA 3.75%

- **ARAPAHOE COUNTY:** 0.25%
  - Use tax is only remitted on the sales and leases of motor vehicles and for building materials. For additional information contact Arapahoe County at 303-795-4620.

- **ADAMS COUNTY:** Not Applicable
  - Does not impose a use tax.
  - For additional information contact Adams County at 720-523-6050.

- **DOUGLAS COUNTY:** 1.00%
  - Use tax is only assessed on motor vehicles and for building materials. For additional information contact Douglas County at 303-660-7340.

## Lodger’s Tax Rate

- **ARAPAHOE COUNTY**
  - AURORA: 8.00%
  - STATE/COUNTY/DIST: 4.25%
  - TOTAL: 12.25%

- **ADAMS COUNTY**
  - AURORA: 8.00%
  - STATE/COUNTY/DIST: 4.75%
  - TOTAL: 12.75%

- **DOUGLAS COUNTY**
  - AURORA: 8.00%
  - STATE/COUNTY/DIST: 5.00%
  - TOTAL: 13.00%

Note: Hotels with more than 75 rooms are subject to a $2.00 per room night Destination Marketing Fee.

## Combined Marijuana Tax Rate (Including Sales Tax Rate)

- **ARAPAHOE COUNTY**
  - AURORA: 7.75%
  - STATE: 15.00%
  - RTD: 1.00%
  - CULTURAL FACILITIES: 0.10%
  - COUNTY: 0.25%
  - TOTAL: 24.10%

- **ADAMS COUNTY**
  - AURORA: 7.75%
  - STATE: 15.00%
  - RTD: 1.00%
  - CULTURAL FACILITIES: 0.10%
  - COUNTY: 0.75%
  - TOTAL: 24.60%

## Excise Tax

- **CITY OF AURORA**
  - Aurora applies a 5.0% excise tax and the state charges 15.0%. This tax is applied to and payable from cultivation operations located within the City of Aurora.

## Occupational Privilege Tax (OPT)

- **Employee Tax:** $2.00 a month withheld for each taxable employee
- **Employer Matching:** $2.00 a month for each taxable employee

**Occupation Tax on Local Exchange Phone Service:** The amount of $3.36 per quarter shall be added to each account supplying local exchange telephone service.

Note: Please contact the State of Colorado at (303) 238-7378 for information regarding the State, RTD, or Cultural Facilities taxes.