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Audatex Estimating

As the industry’s next-generation estimating application, Audatex Estimating enables insurers, collision repair professionals and independent appraisers to generate the most accurate estimates, the first time, every time. In addition, it facilitates communication between business partners by providing a single estimating platform for all parties involved in the claims process—supporting compliance management and resulting in improved cycle time and an overall increase in productivity.

Accurate, Powerful and Precise

Powered by AudaExplore’s Industry-Leading Database

The AudaExplore Collision Estimating Database is the most comprehensive and widely accepted in the collision repair market. It is currently accessed by more than 20,000 repair facilities and insurers in North America, and over the past 20 years has been relied upon to process over 100 million estimates. AudaExplore’s database is the only “vehicle-specific, option-driven” database in the industry. It is built with an “inside out” methodology, allowing users to simply enter a VIN and appropriate option to receive accurate parts numbers, pricing and labor times for makes/models going back to 1970. Covering over 98% of the vehicles on the road today, the Audatex database has the highest data coverage in the industry.

AudaExplore’s database is maintained by a team of over 200 data developers across five Data Development Centers (DDCs) worldwide—U.S., France, Spain, Germany and Brazil. Monthly database updates ensure that the most current parts and labor information is available for generating accurate estimates.

Engineered with Smart Technology

Audatex Estimating is designed to drive part price, labor and refinish accuracy with:

- **OE Part Price Updates:** Weekly price updates guarantee that estimates have the latest OE part pricing information, a feature not available in other estimating systems.
- **Overlap Calculations:** This feature automatically calculates correct labor time for a task that supports multiple, related parts. The intelligent database accounts for duplicate labor operations and labor on related adjacent parts for the highest labor accuracy.
- **Paint Decode Feature:** After inputting a VIN or selecting a vehicle, Audatex Estimating allows you to choose the exact paint color and code from an intelligent database. With the paint code entered, the application calculates accurate paint times through the automated selection of proper vehicle color and the associated two-stage or three-stage refinish.

Fast and Simple-to-Use

Audatex Estimating’s design and navigation make it simple to master. It provides intuitive administrative, vehicle and rate information fields, along with other productivity-enhancing features like:

- **New 3D Intelligent Graphics:** Three dimensional vehicle graphics* drive a faster, more accurate estimate. 360-degree rotation, unlimited zoom, and color-coded parts allow an estimator to find and select the right parts faster.
- **New Enhanced Damage Page:** It is now easier to locate and select parts with a larger vehicle graphics area—up to 95% of the screen. Navigation has been improved with single-click R&I, repair, and replace operations and an intuitive drop-down parts list.
- **Interactive and “Hot” Graphics:** On-screen “hot” graphics link an estimator to a complete collection of parts, prices and labor times, enabling faster estimates through a “point-and-click” approach. Zoom on parts images and enlarge them to ensure correct part identification.
AudaExplore's secure, integrated communication tools allow insurers, repairs facilities and independent appraisers to exchange information quickly and efficiently, improving cycle time and productivity.

- **Automated Claim Data Synchronization**: Schedule Audatex Estimating to electronically transmit completed and audited estimates (insurer, appraiser) automatically at specified times.

- **Audatex Claims Element™**: Repair facilities can electronically retrieve estimates written by insurance adjustors with Audatex Claims Element*, eliminating the need to re-key; balance and calculate an estimate from a walk-in customer.

- **Parts Search Utility**: This time-saving utility locates even the most elusive parts from partial descriptions and OEM part numbers.

- **VIN Decode**: This feature automatically selects the correct year, make and model of a vehicle based on the VIN entered into the system.

- **Add Attachments**: Easily add Word® documents, scanned images, tow bills, police reports and photos to an estimate to produce a comprehensive electronic claim file, consolidating electronic records and eliminating faxing.

- **Personalize Sections**: Set user-defined “preferences” for the worklist, quick admin page, customer database and damage page to easily create, track and sort estimates.

- **Decision-Support Wizards**: Receive fast, automated guidance for additional operations that are often easy-to-miss, ensuring a complete, accurate estimate every time.

- **Smart Data Entry**: Enter zip code, and city and state are decoded and automatically populated, saving time on data entry.

**Streamlined Communication**

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AudaExplore’s training department provides comprehensive training support

- **Multiple Training Options**: Choose from computer-based, virtual and instructor-led training as well as webinars and quick reference guides.

As business becomes more competitive, you need quick access to information. Audatex Estimating has an estimate print-out and several reports that provide you with the information you need, including:

- **New Estimate Print-out**: Organizes the estimate into logical groups, incorporates color and includes a legend at the end, providing a professional look to an estimate printout.

- **Labor Report**: Itemizes included, and not included, operations and overlap considerations for every part.

- **Parts List Report**: All customer, vehicle and part information is included and can be emailed to a parts supplier for efficient parts ordering.

- **Work Order Report**: A working copy of the estimate guides technicians from teardown to refinish.

- **All New “Show Me” On-Screen Training**: Learn at your own pace, through the use of built-in visual and audio support embedded within Audatex Estimating. Available on every screen, “Show me” links guide you, if needed. Click on video segments to walk through all the procedures necessary to write the estimate.

VIEW AN ELECTRONIC SNAPSHOT OF THE ENTIRE ESTIMATE, INCLUDING DAMAGE PHOTOS, ON ONE SCREEN
AudaExplore provides a full suite of applications and add-ons* that ensure accuracy, save you time and maximize your productivity. Audatex Estimating is designed to integrate seamlessly with other AudaExplore claims-related solutions. This lets you easily customize your solution by using Audatex Estimating in conjunction with:

- **Integrated Digital Imaging:** Transmit digital images of vehicle damage with the estimate in one easy step.

- **Autosource**: Provides accurate total-loss vehicle valuations backed by extensive local-market analysis and statistically-based values.

- **Audatex Compliance Add-ons:** Conduct an up-front estimate compliance check with Audatex Estimate Check™, an in-progress check with Audatex Estimate Review™ and a back-end check with Audatex Audit™. Audatex Reinspection™ automates the entire reinspection workflow, from assignment to on-site evaluation.

- **AudaExplore Parts Locating Add-ons:** With Real Steel Recycled Parts, easily add recycled parts to an estimate with prices from a specific yard. With the Aftermarket Parts Database, quickly review and select aftermarket parts for an estimate with exact price from the most cost-effective supplier.

- **Paintless Dent Repair:** Automate paintless dent repair costs by setting up electronic dent matrices.

- **Frame Dimensions:** Get instant electronic access to frame dimensions.

- **Audatex Claims Manager and Dispatch:** Coordinate repair estimates with the workflow of repairers, insurers and independent appraisers.

- **Motorcycle Database:** Access motorcycle data with the click of a mouse.

*Applications and add-ons available for an additional fee.
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World-Class Training and Technical Support

**Training**
As an IACET Authorized Provider, AudaExplore can offer Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for its programs that qualify under IACET guidelines. AudaExplore is also the first in the industry to provide CEUs for virtual classes—including computer-based training and webinars—through its ASE-certified CASE designation. And, specified AudaExplore courses also qualify for credits toward the Automotive Management Institute's (AMI's) Accredited Automotive Manager designation.

Visit the Online Training Center, www.training.audatex.us, for more information and a list of upcoming classes.

**Technical Support**
AudaExplore Technical Support includes access to more than 100 highly-trained representatives, available at 800-546-5237, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Eastern, Monday through Friday. It also includes unlimited access to an online support website, www.support.audatex.us, that offers 24/7 e-based support, web chat, knowledge-base software and answers to your frequently asked questions.

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