

Verify Engine Operating Temperature

Meets NATEF Task: (A8-A-10) Verify engine operating temperature; determine necessary action. (P-1)

Name	Date	Time on Task				_	
Make/Model/Year	VIN	Evaluation:	4	3	2	1	

1. Check service information for specified engine operating temperature, which is generally between the thermostat temperature rating and 20°F above the thermostat temperature.

Thermostat temperature = _____ Normal coolant temperature range = _____

Thermostat Temperature	Normal Operating Temperature
180°F (82°C)	Between 180° and 200°F (82° and 93°C)
195°F (91°C)	Between 195° and 215°F (91° and 102°C)

- 2. Determine the operating temperature of the engine by as many methods as possible including:
- Dash temperature gauge = _____
- Scan tool (ECT) = _____
- Infrared pyrometer = _____
- Other (specify)



3. Based on the result of the engine operating temperature measurements, what is the necessary action?