Wheels: David says, "I am looking for good fuel mileage and am considering a used TDI diesel Jetta or Golf. What is your opinion?"

Halderman: The term TDI means turbocharged direct injection (diesel) engine technology. While I am very impressed with the technology that is included with this engine, I feel that similar fuel economy is available in conventional gasoline engine-powered vehicles. Gasoline is available everywhere while diesel fuel may be hard to find in some areas. Gasoline engines are typically quieter and easier (less expensive) to repair.

