# Advanced Engine Performance Diagnosis 8<sup>th</sup> Edition Chapter 3 – Gasoline, Alternative Fuels, and Diesel Fuels Lesson Plan

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#### **CHAPTER SUMMARY:**

- 1. Gasoline, Volatility, Air-Fuel Ratios, and Normal and Abnormal Combustion
- 2. Octane Rating, Gasoline Additives, and Testing Gasoline for Alcohol Content, and
- 3. General Gasoline Recommendations, E85, Alternative Fuel Vehicles, and Propane
- 4. Compressed Natural Gas, Diesel Fuel, and Biodiesel

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#### **OBJECTIVES:**



- 1. Discuss the characteristics of gasoline and refining of gasoline.
- 2. Discuss the volatility of gasoline.
- 3. Explain air-fuel ratios.
- 4. Explain normal and abnormal combustion.
- 5. Explain octane rating.
- 6. Discuss gasoline additives.
- 7. Discuss testing gasoline for alcohol content.
- 8. Discuss general gasoline recommendations.
- 9. Discuss n85.
- 10. Discuss alternative fuel vehicles.
- 11. Discuss propane.
- 12. Discuss compressed natural gas fuels.
- 13. Discuss diesel fuel.
- 14. Discuss biodiesel.



#### **RESOURCES**: (All resources may be found at jameshalderman.com)

- 1. Task Sheet: Flexible Fuel Vehicle Identification
- 2. Task Sheet: Alternative Fuel Power and Economy Specifications
- 3. Task Sheet: Alcohol Content in Gasoline
- 4. Chapter PowerPoint
- 5. Crossword and Word Search Puzzles
- 6. Videos: (A8) Fuel, Air Induction, and Exhaust Systems Diagnosis and Repair
- 7. Animations: (A8) Fuel, Air Induction, and Exhaust Systems Diagnosis and Repair



#### **ACTIVITIES**:

- 1. Task Sheet: Flexible Fuel Vehicle Identification
- 2. Task Sheet: Alternative Fuel Power and Economy Specifications
- 3. Task Sheet: Alcohol Content in Gasoline

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#### **ASSIGNMENTS:**

- 1. Chapter crossword and word search puzzles from the website.
- 2. Complete end of chapter quiz from the textbook.
- 3. Complete multiple choice and short answer quizzes downloaded from the website.



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#### **CLASS DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Review and group discussion chapter <u>Frequently Asked Questions</u> and <u>Tech Tips</u> sections.
- 2. Review and group discussion of the five (5) chapter Review Questions.

#### **NOTES AND EVALUATION:**



