## Kia develops its first gasoline direct injection engine

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Kia has developed its own gasoline direct injection (GDI) engine based on the new Theta II family of units that will power the = next generation of Kia vehicles.

Developed as part of the Hyundai-Kia Motor Group commitment to reducing harmful emissions the GDI engine puts the Kia

brand at the cutting edge of engine design and management by achieving three seemly incompatible goals: GDI lowers emissions while raising power output and improving fuel economy.

The first unit is a 2.4 litre four-cylinder unit with a compression ratio of 11.3:1, and delivers 201 hp in its initial Korean domestic market specification.

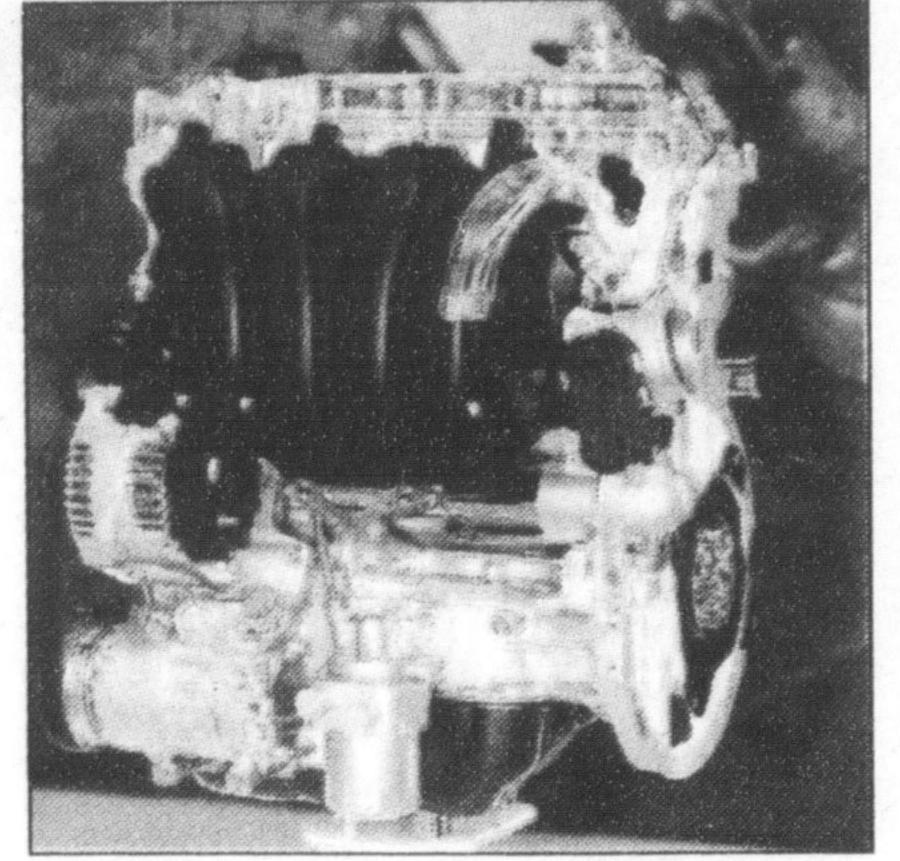
One serious limitation of conventional fuel injection systems is that as engine revolutions increase, the valve opening and closing times get progressively shorter, thus reducing the time available to inject fuel.

GDI avoids this problem altogether by positioning the fuel injector in the most optimal location, directly inside the combustion chamber to offer unparalleled precision.

GDI's other benefits include improved dynamic performance and fuel better economy.

Compared to a conventional engine of the same displacedelivers seven per cent more torque at low revolutions and 12 per cent more torque at

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the high-end for better take-off and overtaking perform-

And perhaps best of all, a vehicle equipped with a GDI engine will get about 10 per cent better fuel economy than a vehicle equipped with a conventional multi-point fuel injected engine.

Precise figures will vary according to the vehicle in which the engine is installed.

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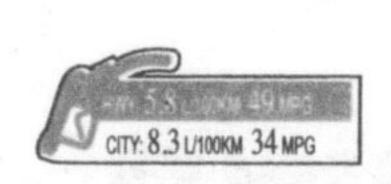
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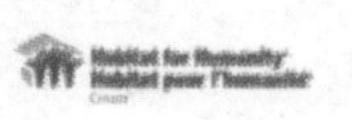
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## All-New Kia Soul Awarded 2010 'Top Safety Pick' by Insurance Institute for Highway Safety

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The 2010 Kia Soul has been recognized by the U.S. Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS) by being given a 2010 "Top Safety Pick" award for the second consecutive time this year in the Small

Car category. Ratings from the Institute are based on results from frontal, side and rear impact crash tests, and for the first time a good performance in a roof strength test to measure protection in a rollover also was required to win.

Each vehicle's overall evaluation was based on various measurements specific to each crash angle, and overall impact on crash test dummies inside the vehicle at the time of collision.

All vehicles must have electronic stability control available to be eligible.

All Soul models also offer consumers the same



Above: The Kia Soul has been given a "Top Safety Pick" award by the U.S. Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS).

> high level of standard safety equipment as all Kia vehicles, including front seat active headrests, dual front advanced airbags, front seat-mounted and full-length side curtain airbags, an Antilock Brake System (ABS), Electronic Stability Control (ESC), Traction Control System (TCS), Electronic Brake Distribution (EBD), Brake Assist System (BAS) and a Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS).

> Front and rear crumple zones, side-impact door beams, an impact-absorbing steering column and Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children (LATCH) system also come standard.