

GREEN TRAVEL TIPS



Key principle: make every effort to reduce or avoid creating greenhouse gas emissions (CO²)

Before turning the key:

- plan and consolidate your trips
- avoid congested routes
- whenever possible avoid being an S.O.V. (single occupant vehicle)
- if driving, use most efficient car possible
- allow enough time to travel at a reduced speed

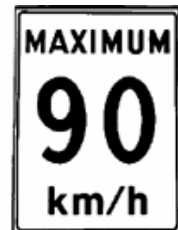
- keep car well-tuned
- remove excess weight (unnecessary heavy items from trunk, for example)

Starting the car:

- avoid idling whenever possible
- don't pump the accelerator if you have a fuel injected engine
- warm up car by driving

Behind the wheel:

- accelerate smoothly
- maintain steady speed
- reduce use of air-conditioning
- remember it reduces fuel consumption (and thus emissions!) by about 15% by reducing speed from 105 km/h to 90 km/h



For more information www.greencars.org



OTHER RESOURCE LINKS:

<http://oee.nrcan.gc.ca/transportation>

www.conservens.ca/energysavingtips

www.gnb.ca/0085

www.gov.pe.ca/go/saveenergy

www.re-energize.org

www.christianaid.org

www.davidsuzuki.org/Climate_Change/

What You Can Do

www.myfootprint.org

www.offsetters.ca

www.cooldrivepass.com

www.goforgreen.ca