

Small Engine Service and Repair

Curriculum Guide: *Small Engine Service and Repair*

Module: 5. Governor Adjustment and Repair

Unit Objective:

Students will apply principles of governor adjustment and repair by identifying governor components and inspecting, servicing, and repairing small engine governor systems.

Show-Me Standards: 1.10, CA3

References:

Briggs & Stratton Corporation. Accessed January 13, 2004, from <http://www.briggsandstratton.com>.

Kohler Engines. Accessed January 13, 2004, from <http://www.kohlerengines.com/>.

Small Engine Service and Repair. University of Missouri-Columbia, Instructional Materials Laboratory, 1994.

Instructional Strategies/Activities:

- Students will engage in study questions in lesson 1.
- Students will complete the Module 5 evaluation, Governor Adjustment and Repair.
- Students will complete the following competency profile: Governor Adjustment and Repair.
- Additional activities that relate to the unit objective can be found under the heading "Other Activities" in the following location: p. 5.7 (1, 2).

Performance-Based Assessment:

As part of the instructional strategies and activities for this module, students will identify governor components and inspect, service, and repair small engine governor systems.

Assessment will be based on performance on the module evaluation and the ability to safely and correctly perform the assigned repair and service procedures.

Module 5—Governor Adjustment and Repair Instructor Guide

The instructor should assign the performance-based assessment activity procedures in conjunction with the relevant lesson material outlined in the instructor guide. Students will complete the activity procedures as they progress through the module lessons.

1. Use the Governor Adjustment and Repair Competency Profile to assess student performance. This profile includes the procedures listed below. The page number indicates the location of a checklist for the procedure. The procedures and checklists are found in the student manual.
 - Adjusting and Repairing Air Vane Governors, p. 17
 - Servicing Mechanical Governors, p. 23
 - Servicing Mechanical Governors (New Style), p. 27
2. Have students complete the Module 5 evaluation, Governor Adjustment and Repair. Answers for the evaluation are found on pp. 5.7–5.8 of the instructor manual.
3. Because the student manual includes step-by-step instructions and an itemized checklist for each competency procedure, there is no student handout for this performance-based assessment activity. However, there is a scoring guide that can be used, if desired. The scoring guide lists the assessment activity procedures and includes spaces for points possible, points earned, and instructor comments.
4. The final assessment score will be based on the performance on the module evaluation and the ability to safely and correctly perform the assigned repair and service procedures.

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Module 5—Governor Adjustment and Repair Scoring Guide

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Activity	Criteria	Points Possible	Points Earned	Instructor Comments
Governor Adjustment and Repair Competency Profile	<input type="checkbox"/> Adjusting and repairing air vane governors			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Servicing mechanical governors			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Servicing mechanical governors (new style)			
Module 5 Evaluation	Complete Module 5 evaluation			

Total Points Earned _____

