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- Keep tires inflated: Check the sticker inside your door or glove box for the proper pressure.
- Observe the speed limit: Fuel economy generally drops at speeds above 50 mph.
- Decrease your drag: Remove rooftop boxes and racks when not in use.
- Avoid idling: Turn off your engine when parked.
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