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What are Advanced Biofuels? Find the Answer in New On-line Primer

The key word is “Sustainable,” Advanced Biofuels USA explains in its new on-line primer on the high-energy liquid transportation fuels that could replace corn-based ethanol in the near future.

Derived from: low nutrient input/high per acre yield crops; agricultural or forestry waste; or other sustainable biomass feedstocks including algae, the primer provides definitions, discussion of current technologies to convert plants into biogasoline and biojetfuel, and much more. The web site includes a general primer on Advanced Biofuels and a version of the primer with additional slides for teachers.

“When many people say “biofuels,” they just think of corn ethanol or soy-based diesel,” explains Joanne Ivancic, the nonprofit organization’s founder. “There are other options. Think of “grassoline” or of fuels derived from algae or forest residues. Advanced (or third generation) biofuels could be the answer to most of the complaints about fuels made wastefully from food crops. I’ve looked all over the web for a concise, easy-to-understand discussion of Advanced Biofuels. NOW it is there. On the Advanced Biofuels USA.org web site.”

The 44-page PowerPoint primer is designed to be used by individuals for a quick introduction to advanced biofuels. An additional 13 slides help teachers or home schoolers prepare lessons in science, social studies, economics and civics.

We hope policy-makers, their staffs, local decision-makers, reporters, researchers, teachers and every day “Joe’s” will take advantage of this new easy-to-use resource.

For more information, visit the Advanced Biofuels USA website: www.AdvancedBiofuelsUSA.org.

The goal of **Advanced Biofuels USA** is to show the American people and their elected representatives that US farmers and researchers together can produce sustainable and economical biofuels that will directly replace all types of transportation fuels including gasoline and jetfuel” to the benefit of our national and military security.