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ABSTRACT

The present work is intended to improve the performance of a direct injection compression-ignition engine fueled with nanoparticle surfactant Flaxseed oilbiodiesel blend (B20). The Cerium oxide (CeO₂) nanoparticle additive with surfactant (C TAB) was mixed to B20 in concentrations of 50, 75, and 100 ppm. Tests were performed to assess the engine operating characteristics under varying load conditions such as 25, 50, 75, and 100% by maintaining a uniform speed of 1500 rpm. The combustion characteristics namely cylinderpressure (CP) and net heat release rate (NHRR) have greatly improved with the Cerium oxide (CeO₂) surfactant fuel than diesel-biodiesel blends. Besides,the brake thermal efficiency (BTE) has enhanced together with lower brake specific fuel consumption (BSFC). Finally, a significant decrease in emissions like carbon monoxide (CO), unburnt hydrocarbons (UHC), smoke,and nitrogen oxides (NO_{x}) were observed. At maximum load, the CP and NHRR have improved compared to normal diesel. The reduction in CO, UHC, NO_{x} and smoke were found for Cerium oxide (CeO₂) nanoparticlethan conventional diesel.