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# **Nissan's Sustainability and Light Duty FE Strategy 2025-2035**

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Assessment of Technologies for  
Improving Fuel Economy of  
Light-Duty Vehicles—Phase 3

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# Introduction

## Background

- **Renault-Nissan is a top three global automaker with over 10M annual units sold**
- **Global CO2 and emission regulation are tightening, due to climate change and air pollutant concerns**
  - **38% CO2 reduction needed by 2025 (compared to 2016) to comply with CAFE (Europe market)**

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- **OEM and policy roles for EV success**

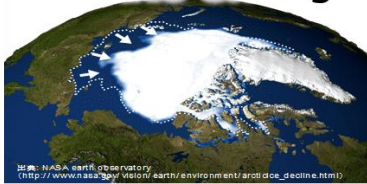
# Global Emission Trends and Nissan Sustainability Vision

## Drive our Powertrain Strategy

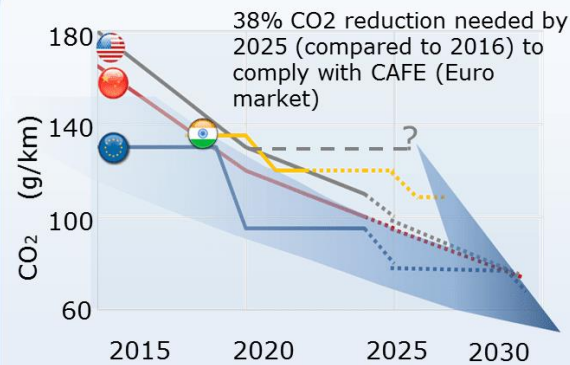
- Globally, CO<sub>2</sub> and emission regulations are strengthening, due to climate change and air pollutant concerns
- Nissan's vision is a zero-emission, zero-fatality society

Corporate vision  
Nissan : Enriching people's lives

### Climate Change



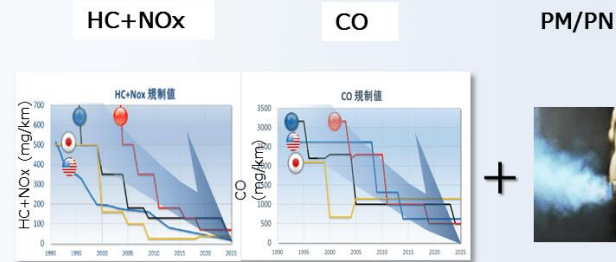
#### CO<sub>2</sub> regulation



### Air Pollution



#### Emission regulation



Realizing a  
zero-emission, zero-fatality society

### Nissan Sustainability 2022



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Zero Emission

Nissan Zero Emission means No More CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions

# Global Nissan Powertrain Strategy is Based on 2 Pillars

- Two pillars support movement towards sustainable mobility
  - ✓ Continuous **Internal Combustion Engine Evolution**
  - ✓ BEV expansion to promote **Zero Emission**



## ICE Evolution



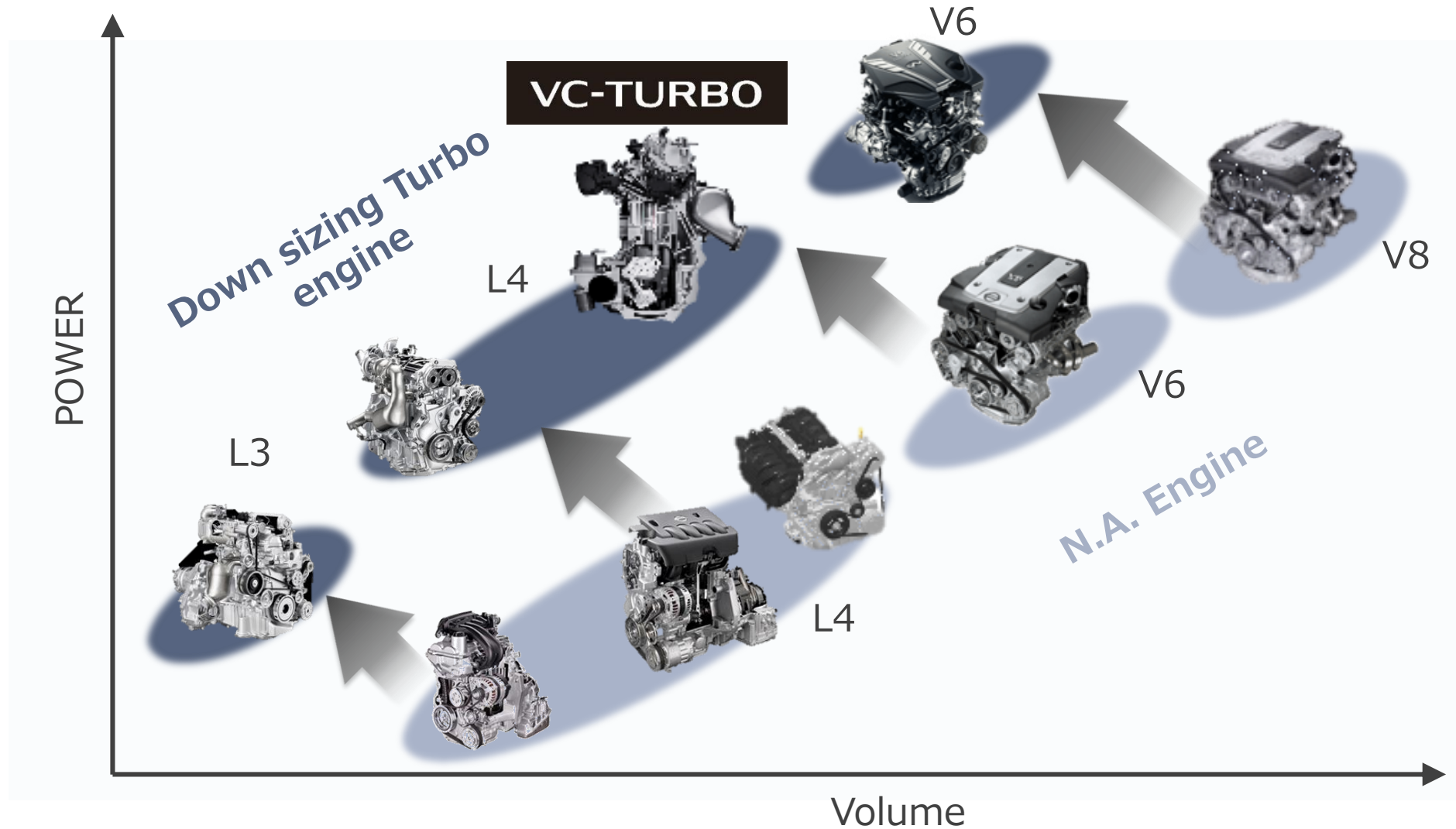
## Zero Emission





# Continuous ICE Evolution

- **Shift to Downsized Turbo (DST) engine reduces CO<sub>2</sub> while ensuring power**

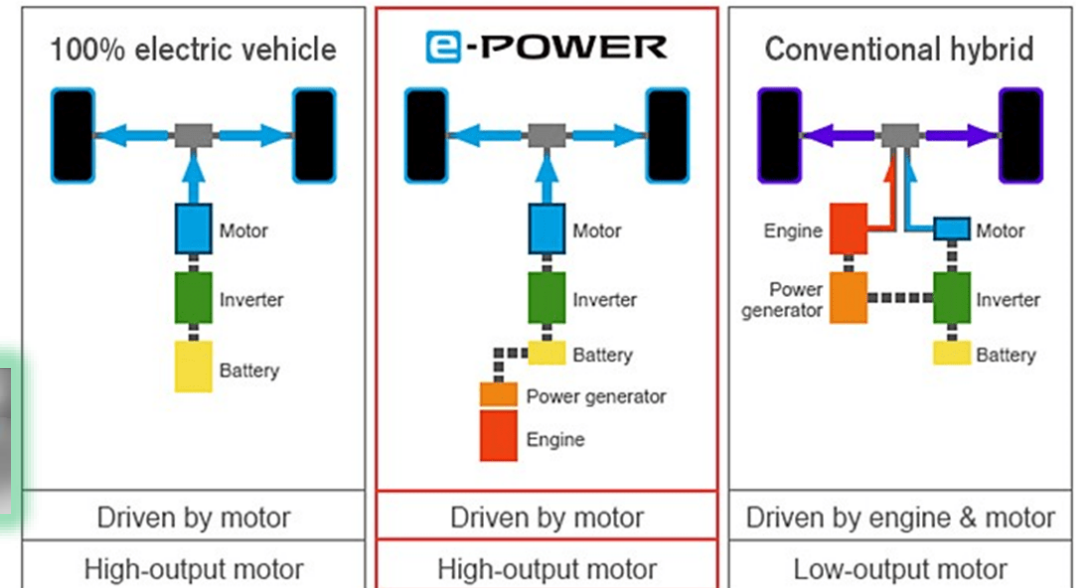
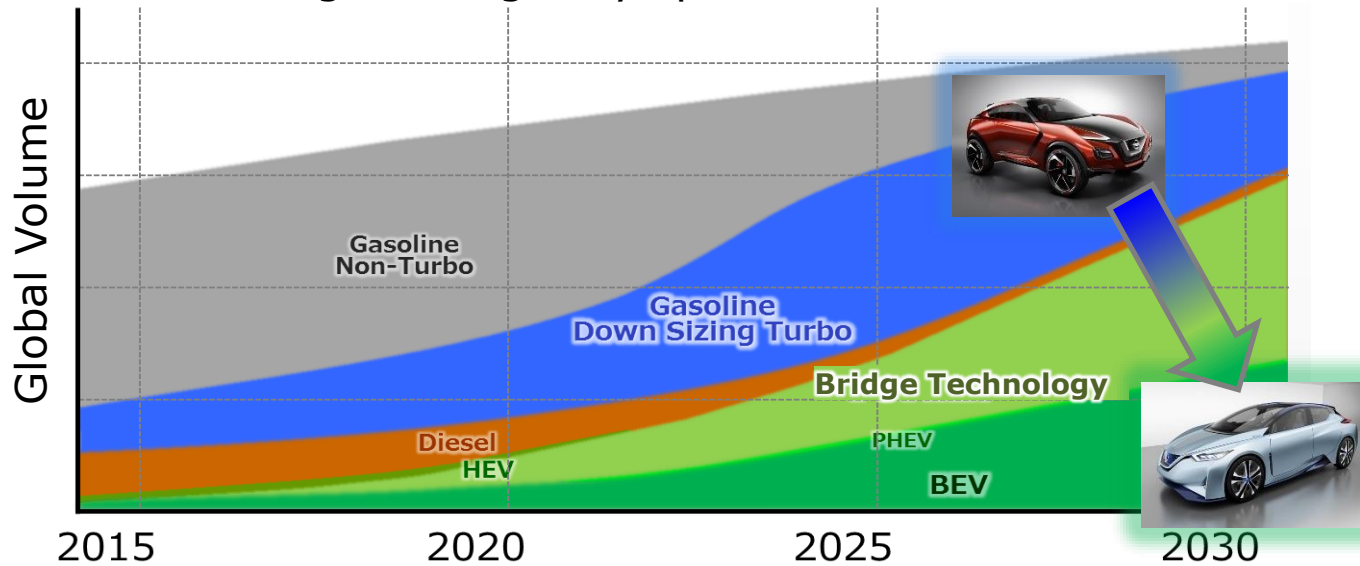


# Electrified Powertrains Will Take a Major Role Globally Beyond 2025

## ➤ Bridge Technology is key to transition from ICE to BEV

- ✓ ICE shift from Naturally Aspirated to Downsized Turbo increases engine efficiency
- ✓ Shared system configuration with BEV.
  - ✓ 100% Motor Drive
  - ✓ High commonality with BEV
- ✓ Key challenge is engine thermal efficiency for series hybrid application
  - ✓ High US highway speeds and miles travelled makes thermal efficiency even more important

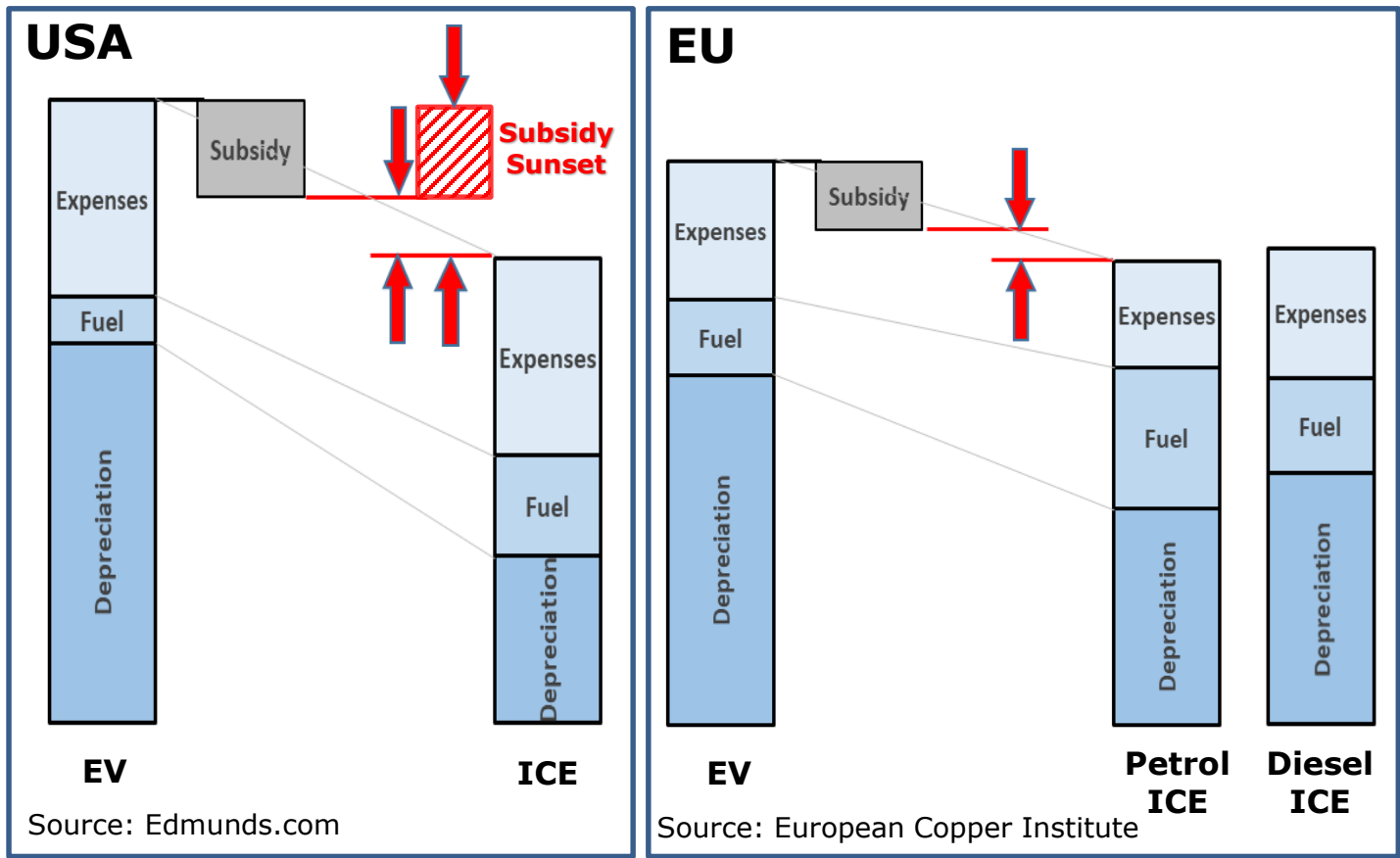
*Significant thermal efficiency gains are possible by limiting an engine's operating range with hybridization*



# Total Cost of Ownership for EV Needs to be Improved

➤ Automakers and Policy Makers need to work together for EV market success

## C-Segment Cost of Ownership



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## **Key points**

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- Cost is the largest barrier to EV success

## **Nissan's Message**

- Nissan will keep developing technologies for sustainable mobility



Thank you very much for your attention.

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