

## 2008

### June / 2008

- The all-new Teana luxury sedan launches in Russia, Japan and China
- The all-new Nissan Maxima and Infiniti FX launch in North America



Teana

### August / 2008

- Nissan unveils its electric vehicle (EV) and hybrid electric vehicle (HEV)

### October / 2008

- The Infiniti brand launches in Europe
- The NP200 compact pickup LCV launches in South Africa
- Nissan Gulf FZCO is established to enhance marketing and sales strategies in the Middle East
- The new Kix mini-SUV is released in Japan

### December / 2008

- The new Fairlady Z is released in Japan and then globally



Fairlady Z

## 2009

### March / 2009

- The Renault-Nissan Alliance celebrates its tenth anniversary
- The Renault-Nissan Alliance and the city of Yokohama embark on a project aimed at achieving zero-emission mobility
- Nissan introduces its range of eco-friendly vehicles, which adhere to Japan's new preferential tax scheme for environment-friendly vehicles

### April / 2008

- Canton plant becomes manufacturing hub for new Light Commercial Vehicle (LCV) business in North America

### May / 2008

- Nissan releases its new five-year business plan, NISSAN GT 2012
- The Automotive Energy Supply Corporation, a Nissan-NEC joint venture, commences development of advanced lithium-ion batteries
- Dongfeng Motor Co., Ltd., Nissan's joint venture in China, announces its five-year plan, Plan 1<sup>3</sup>

### September / 2008

- The newly released clean diesel X-TRAIL "20GT" complies with Japan's "Post new long-term regulations" emissions standards
- The Qashqai+2 launches in Europe

### November / 2008

- "Ultra-low precious metal catalyst" introduced on the all-new Cube. World first innovation halves usage of precious metals
- The all-new Cube is introduced to global markets



Cube

### January / 2009

- Nissan commences manufacturing of the flex-fuel Livina in Brazil

### February / 2009

- Nissan announces recovery actions amid the global crisis