Brazil Presentation 3



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Brazil's Geography



The biggest watershed in the world is located in Amazon Rainforest area

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Surface Area Comparison

United States (million sq km)	Around 9.8	
Brazil (million sq km)	Around 9.5	

Source: World Bank Data

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United States is the third biggest country in the world and Brazil is the fifth



The majority of the population is located in the Southeast of the country

Population Growth



Source: Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics (IBGE) - 2013

• By the year of 2050 the Brazilian population will exceed 250 million people.

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• In 2014, the population growth rate was 0.86%

Electricity Net Generation



Source: EIA (Energy Information Administration)

Brazil ranks eighth in total electricity generation at 538 TWh

Electricity Consumption per Region



Source: EPE (Empresa de Pesquisa Energética) - 2012

Electricity Consumption per Region



Average Consumption





Southeast Brazil is the highest consumer of electricity in the country

Source: Source: EPE (Empresa de Pesquisa Energética) - 2012

Transmission Lines



Interconnected National Transmission Network

Sources of Electricity in Brazil



Source: ANEEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica)

Most of the energy in Brazil is produced by Hydro, making the energy matrix vulnerable because of dependence on rainfall.

Electric Generation Capacity



Projected dependence on hydro will decrease because of a more diversified energy portfolio

Source: ANEEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica) - 2015

Hydropower

Source: eoi (escuela de organizacion industrial)





Hydroelectricity Generation



Top 10 Hydropower Countries

Brazil is the second largest producer of hydroelectricity at 411 TWh per year



Hydropower Potential



Source: ANNEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica)

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The most promising area for hydropower production is in northern Brazil.

Installed Capacity



Source: ANNEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica)

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Most of the hydropower development has been near to the major population centers

Hydropower Plants



Source: ANNEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica)

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Southeastern Brazil has the most Hydropower Plants

Hydropower Plants

Operating		2	
Kind	Quantity	Capacity (MW)	
Hydroeletrical Generation Center	507.00	341.72	
Small Hydroeletric Center	476.00	4,807.37	
Hydro Power Plant	199.00	85,073.22	94.3%
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Kind	Quantity	Capacity (MW)	
Hydroeletrical Generation Center	1.00	0.85	
Small Hydroeletric Center	36.00	424.52	
Hydro Power Plant	11.00	15,269.14	
Construction	Have not Start	ed	
Kind	Quantity	Capacity (MW)	
Hydroeletrical Generation Center	42.00	28.15	
Small Hydroeletric Center	129.00	1,825.55	
Hydro Power Plant	4.00	447.00	

HGC: Installed capacity less than 1 MW SHC: Installed capacity between 1 and 30 MW HPP: Installed capacity higher than 30 MW

Hydro Power Plants generate most of the power in Brazil.

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Source: ANEEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica - 2015

Wind Energy

Source: Ambiental Energia





Wind Energy Potential



The wind energy potential in Brazil is around 140 GW

Source: Ministério de Minas e Enegia

Wind Farms in Brazil



There are 264 wind generation centers in operation that can potentially produce6.45 GW of energySource: ANEEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica)



Constructing and Planned Wind Farms



- There are 115 wind generation centers in construction resulting in 2.83 GW of energy.
- Also, there are 331 potential wind generation centers that can produce up to 7.79 GW of wind energy.
 Source: ANEEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica)

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Wind Generation in Brazil



There will be a total of 710 wind farms with a generation capacity of 17.07 GW.

Source: ANEEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica) - 2015

Solar Energy





Solar Energy Potential of the Southern Region



Potential in the Southern Region changes more than any other.





Solar Energy Potential of Southeastern Region

Solar Potential of the Southeast of Brazil



Month

Minas Gerais has the highest solar potential in this area

Solar Energy Potential of Center Region



Distrito Federal has the highest solar potential in this area



Solar Energy Potential of Northeastern Region

Solar Potential of the Northeast of Brazil



Ceara has the highest solar potential in this area

Solar Energy Potential of Northern Region

Tocantins has the highest solar potential in this area

Solar Farms in Brazil

Brazil has a high solar energy potential however, there are only a few solar farms in operation, producing 11.2 MW.

Photovoltaic Generation Centers

There will be a total of 61 solar farms with a generation capacity of 1.06 GW.

Source: ANEEL (Agência Nacional de Energia Elétrica)- 2015

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