

# **Energy Transition:** the role of natural gas

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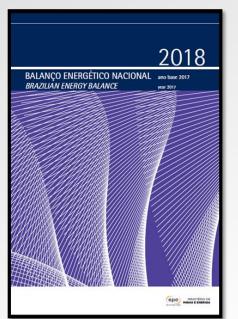
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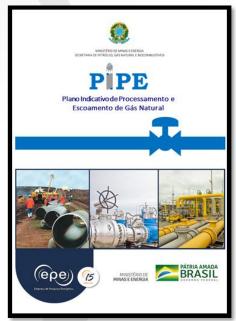


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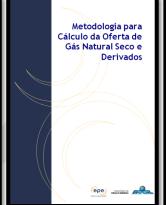










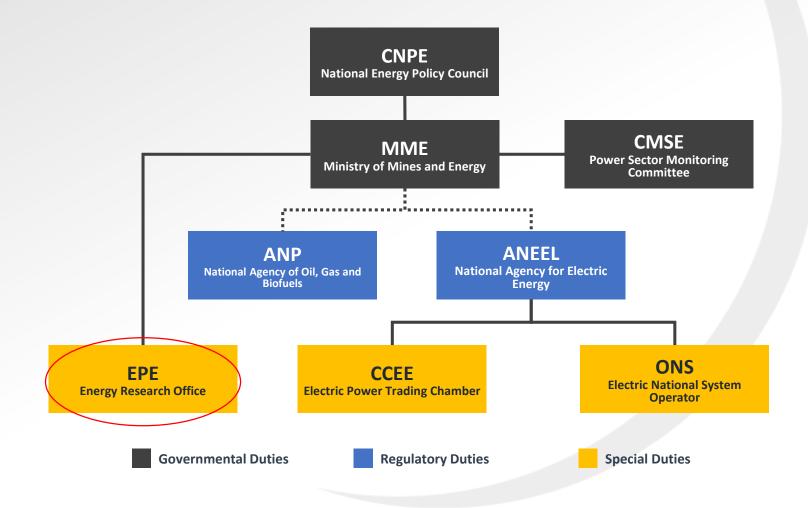






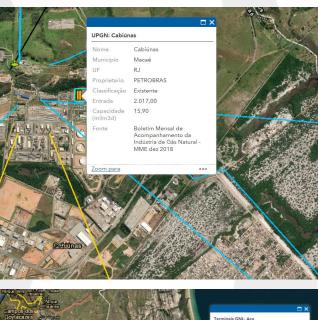


## Institutional arrangements



## Webmap EPE: an useful tool







https://gisepeprd.epe.gov.br/webmapepe/



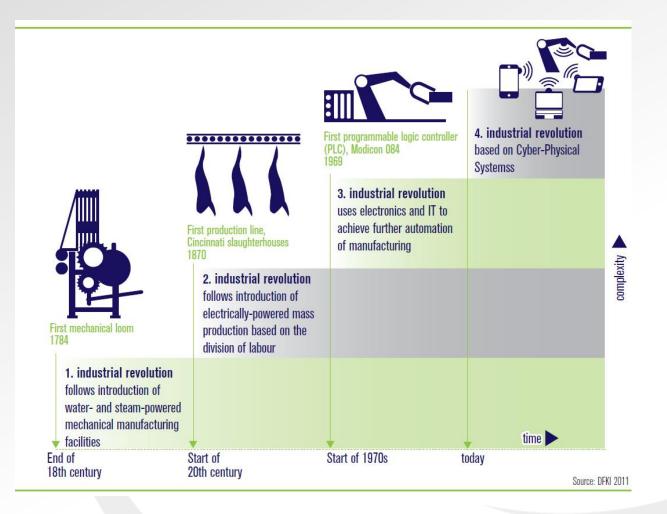


# ENERGY TRANSITION IN BRAZIL: THE ROLE OF NATURAL GAS





## **Energy transition is not only about energy...**







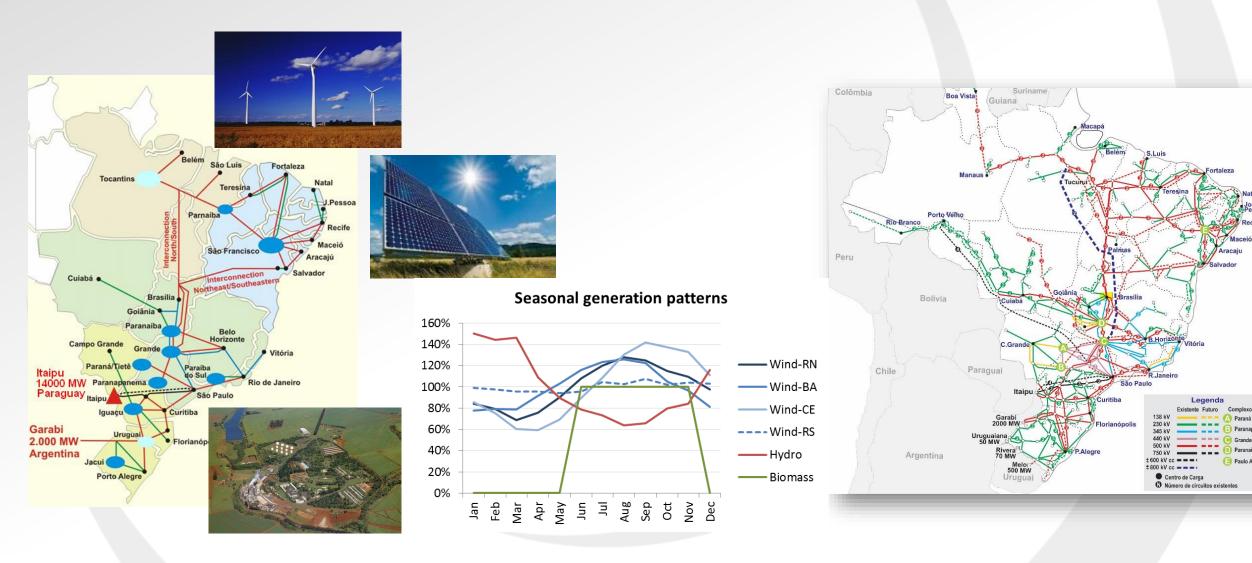








### Power Sector: Integration of hydro, solar, wind & biomass





#### **Energy transition: towards low carbon, competitive,** decentralized and efficient markets

Increasing role of Distributed **Energy Resources** 





**Distributed generation (DG)** 



**Energy storage** 



**Electric vehicles / recharging stations** 



**Energy efficiency** 



**Demand-side management** 

Wind and Solar PV getting cheaper and cheaper...

And driving demand for transmission, storage and flexible generation such as hydro reservoirs and gas-fired power plants

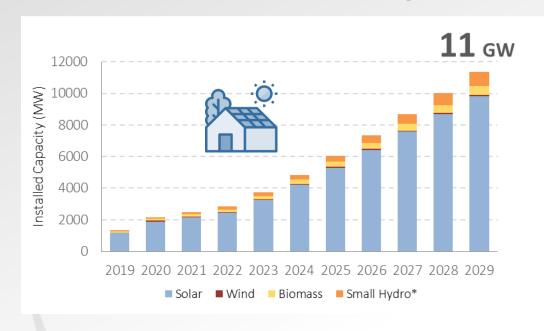
There are opportunities for gas cogeneration too!

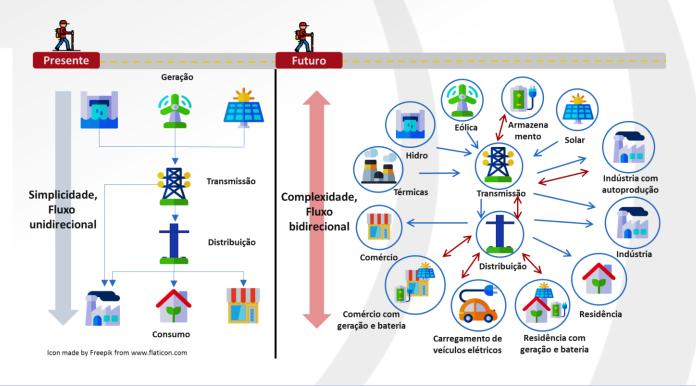




### The challenge of expansion...

#### Of a system in change





- Tariff components
- Model for micro and mild DER
- DSM, etc...



# Already in the agenda: Planning, Policy and

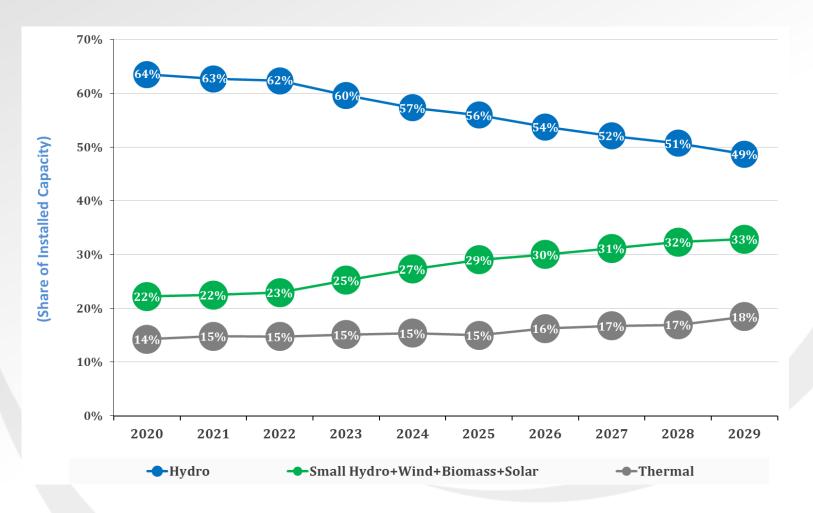
Planning, Policy and Regulation





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#### Hydropower

Share decreases, but its role changes

#### Renewables

Increases due to its economics in a system approach

#### **Natural Gas**

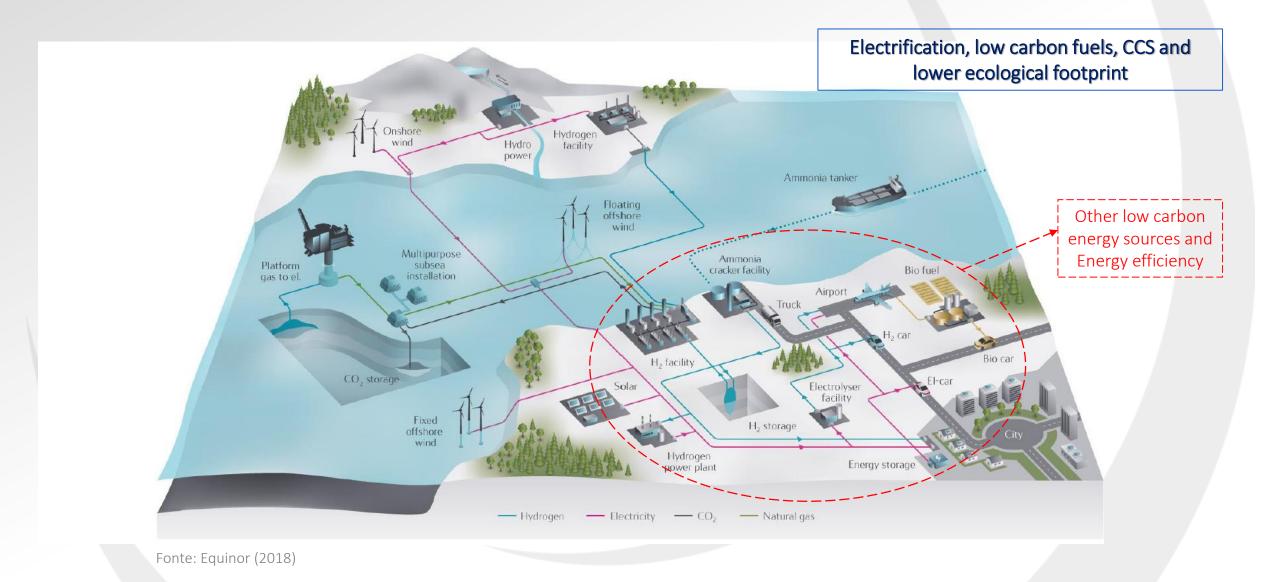
Important to satisfy demand growth and to provides reliability







## **Energy transition is not only about electricity either...**





#### **Natural gas in transportation**

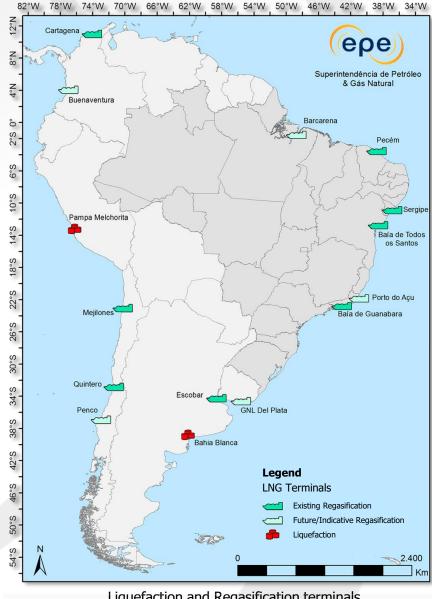
- LNG for Bunker
- LNG for long-haul trucks
  - Running range: 1,100-1,600 km
  - LGN Blue Corridors
  - Up to 15% of energy efficiency gains
  - LNG price savings vs. diesel in Europe: 38% (NE) - 52% (IT)
  - Can be fueled by Bio-LNG (CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reduction of 95%)
- Small Scale LNG for Brazilian gas markets integration
- South America LNG Integration and Optimization



World's largest LNG-powered container ship, Jacques Saadé, in Shanghai (South China Morning Post, 2019).



Shacman LNG truck imported from China: to be tested in Sergipe in december 2019 (Golar Power, 2019).



Liquefaction and Regasification terminals in South America (source: EPE).







#### **Sustainable aviation fuels - SAF**

Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation - CORSIA

-50% CO<sub>2</sub> na aviação internacional em 2050 (base 2005)

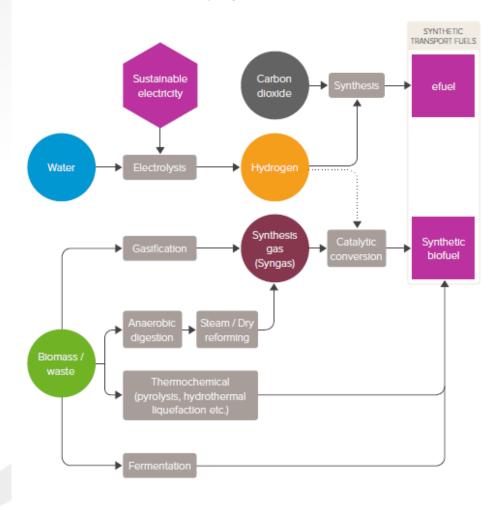




Current technologies, maximum blend allowed and most common feedstocks for dropin SAFs as defined under standard ASTM D7566

Technology	Maximum blend (%v/v)	Feedstocks
FT & FT-SKA	50	Wastes (MSW, etc.), coal, <b>gas</b> , sawdust
HEFA	50	Vegetable oils: palm, camelina, jatropha, used cooking oil.
SIP (Synthesized Iso-Paraffin)	10	Sugarcane, sugar beet
ATJ (Isobutanol and Ethanol)	50	Sugarcane, sugar beet, sawdust, lignocellulosic

Routes to carbon based sustainable liquid synthetic fuels.



Source: The Royal Society (2019). Sustainable synthetic carbon based fuels for transportation: policy briefing





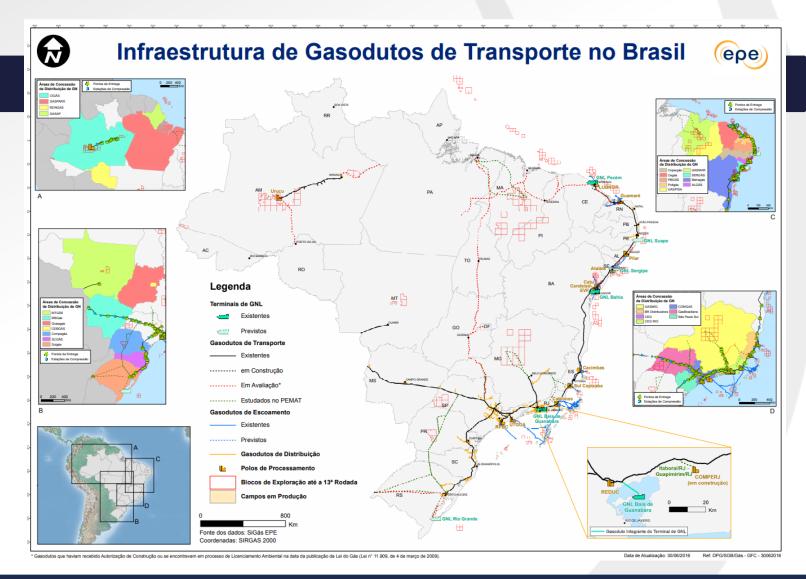
## GAS FIGURES & PERSPECTIVES IN BRAZIL



### Natural gas infrastructure in Brazil

## Main figures about natural gas infrastructure in Brazil

- **9.409** km transmission pipelines
- **187** delivery stations (citygates)
  - **33** compression stations
  - **14** processing plants (96 million m³/d)
    - 3 LNG regasification terminals (47 million m³/d)
  - Available at www.epe.gov.br





#### **The New Gas Market Program**





**Objective:** formation of an open, dynamic and competitive natural gas market in Brazil



#### **Pillars:**

- To promote competition
- To integrate gas industry to power and industrial sectors
- To harmonize federal and states regulations
- To reduce tax barriers



**Participants:** MME, Ministry of Economy, Casa Civil, EPE, ANP e CADE

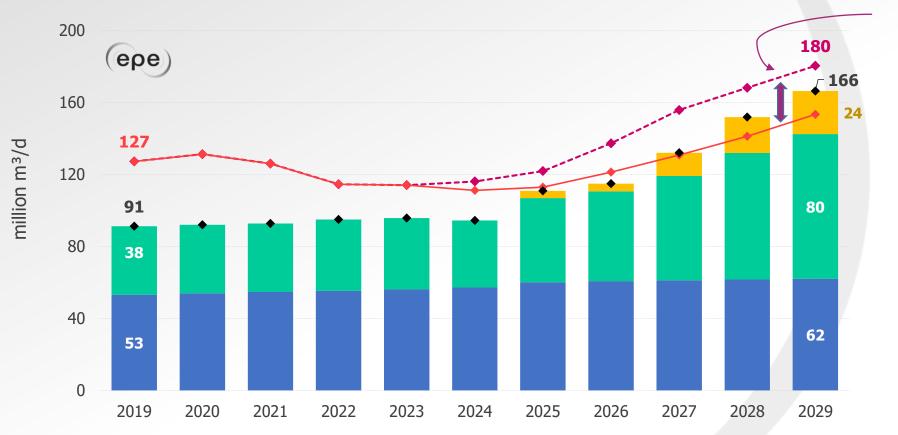


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### Natural gas supply-demand balance forecast – integrated network



New Gas Market

- Non-Thermoelectric Demand
- Additional Demand driven by New Gas Market
- Thermoelectric Demand
- **◆ Total Demand (Max Gas-fired Dispatch)**
- → Potential Total Supply (integrated network)
- Potential Total Supply driven by New Gas Market (integrated network)

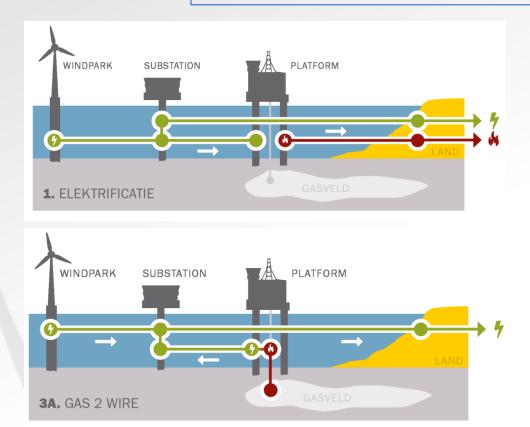
Source: EPE

# REDUCING CARBON FOOTPRINT OF THE O&G INDUSTRY IN THE ENERGY TRANSITION

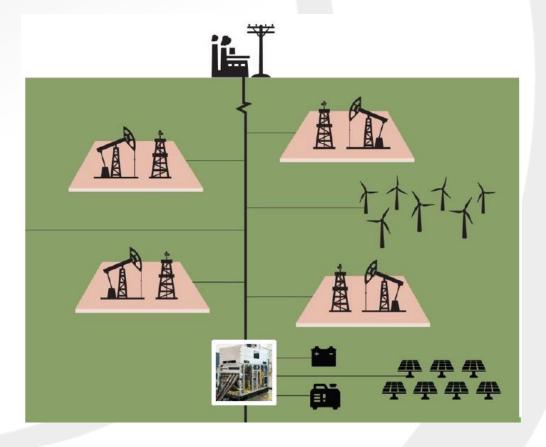


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#### Electrification, integration to renewables and carbon footprint reduction



Fonte: North Sea Energy (2018)



Fonte: Joint Institute for Strategic Energy Analysis (2018)





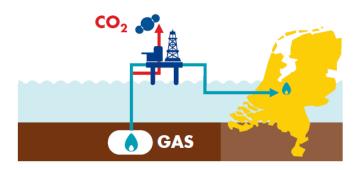


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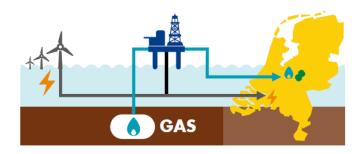
#### **CURRENT**

Self-sufficient offshore gas production



#### 2025 - 2030

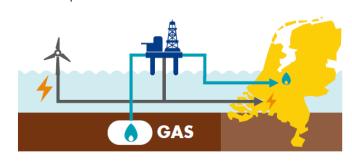
Demonstration power to gas (green H<sub>2</sub>)



Fonte: NAM (2018)

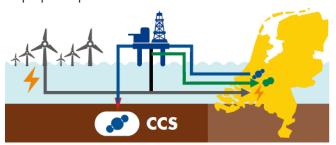
#### 2021 - 2025

CO<sub>2</sub> neutral gas production; electricity from offshore wind Extended production lifetime



#### 2030+

CCS in depleted gas field; power to gas (green H<sub>2</sub>) Repurposed platform

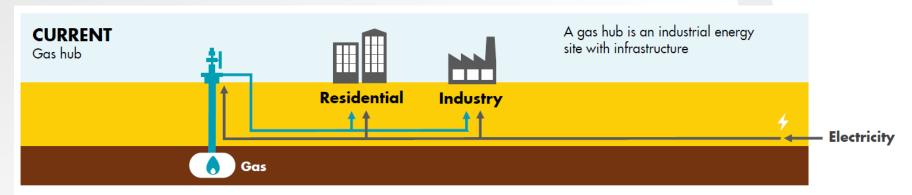


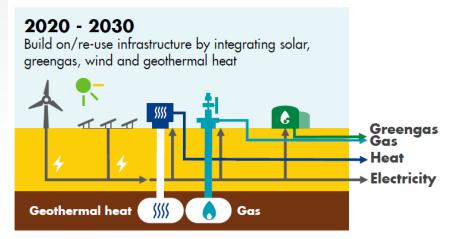


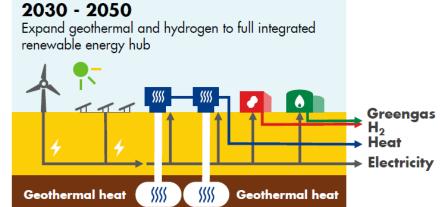


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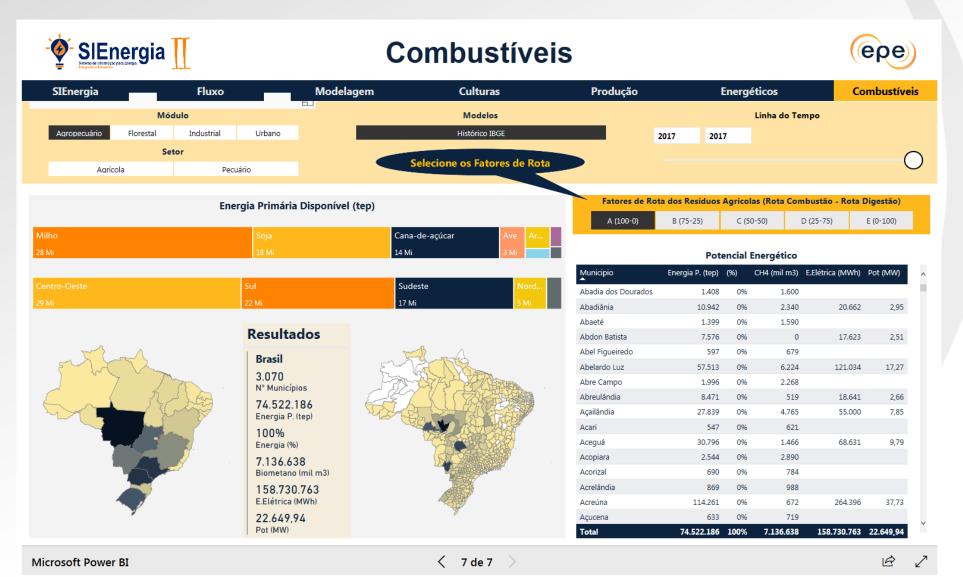




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## Biogas & biomethane potential: "greening" gas supply



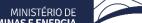












# FINAL REMARKS





### A new role for Energy Planning

As we move into the future, Energy Planning is more and more focused on how to prepare energy systems to better deal with and benefit from innovation and new solutions

Not to predict the future, but get prepared to make the most of it



And improve **COMMUNICATION!** 





# Obrigado!

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