

Brasil - China



Trade and Investment Opportunities in Brasil Innovation, Technology, Competitiveness and Productivity

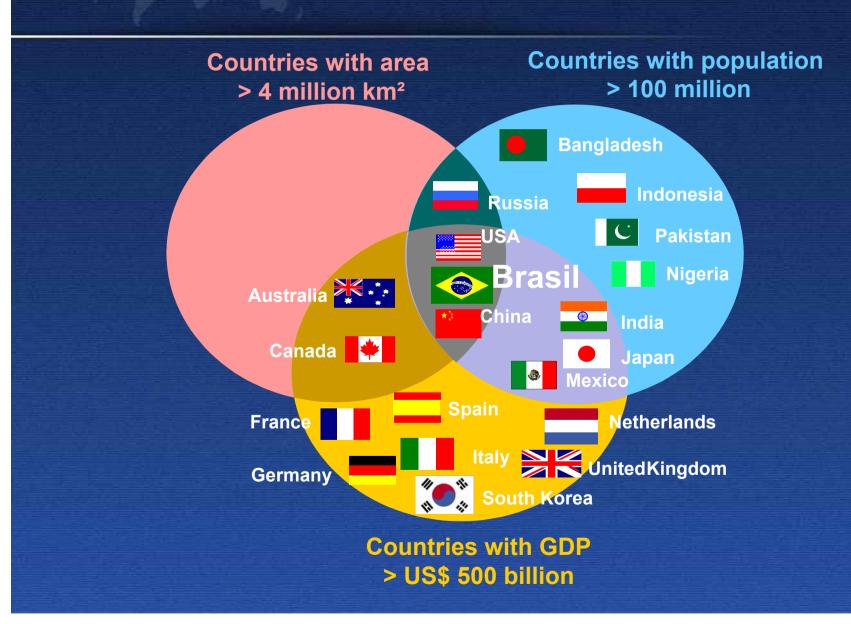


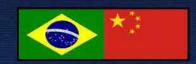
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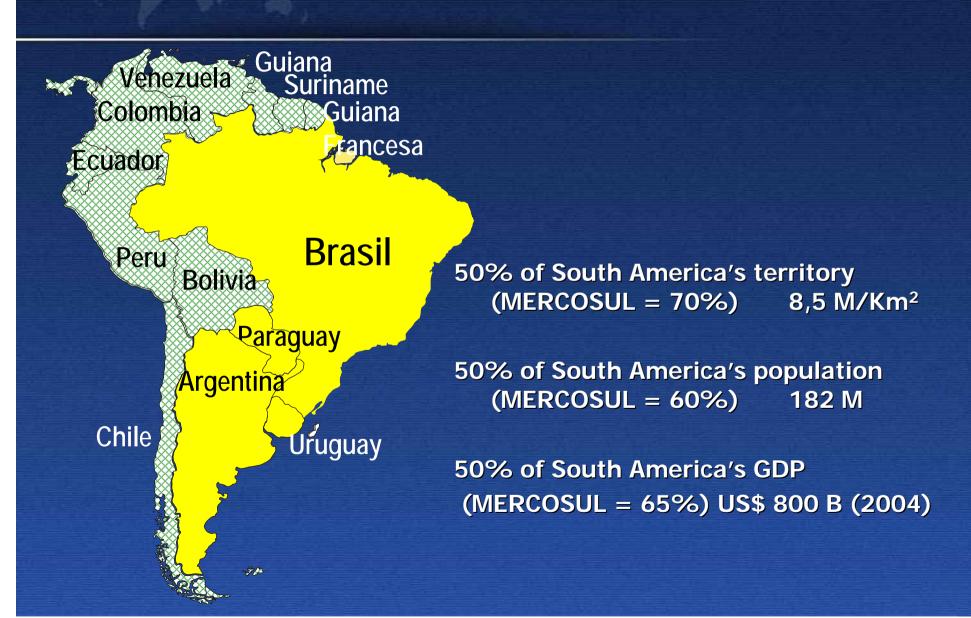
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- Largest regional jets manufacturer;
- Fourth steel exporter;
- Largest consumer of alternative fuels;
- ▶ E-Government: fast elections / over 100 million voters;
- ▶ 99% of income tax returns delivered through the internet;



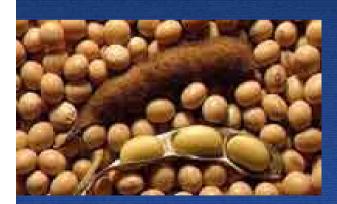






Largest exporter and producer of coffee, orange juice, sugar and ethanol;

Second producer and largest exporter of soybeans, beef and chicken;









- 31.000 km of railways Largest system in LA in terms of transported cargo: 162 bi tku (11th in the world);
- 1,7 million km of roads 3rd in the world;
- 67 airports with annual flow of 75 million people;
- 54 ports with capacity for over 500 million tons/year projected expansion to 200 million tons. by 2007;
- 22% of world arable land;









COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGES

- Expanding GDP;
- Growing industrial output;
- Increasing foreign trade
- Expanding innovative companies;
- Increasing infrastrucuture projects.

BALANCED GOV POLICIES

- Austere government policy;
- Responsible fiscal policy;
- Contained inflation rate;
- Contracting public debt/GDP ratio;
- Diminishing investment costs.

Initiatives for Development



- Enhancement of the country's technological base in areas that show potential for growth;
- Creation of a favorable environment for private and public investments;
- R\$ 15 billion (more than US\$ 7 billion) of Government investments;
- Creation of the National Council on Industrial Development;
- Creation of the Brazilian Agency for Industrial Development;

Focus of Initiatives



Competitiveness and innovation:

Strategic options

Semiconductors

Software

Capital goods

Medical and pharmaceutical products

Future bearer sectors (Biotechnology, Nanotechnology, Biomass)



BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES Renewable energy sources



Expansion in alcohol production

Brazil has 90 million hectares available for producing sugar cane.

Alcohol Production in 2004: 18billion liters/year

Alcohol Production cost: US\$ 0,20/liter (at least 30%)

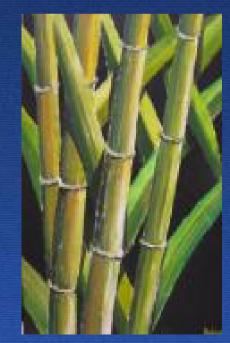
less than any other world producer).

Anhydrous alcohol barrel US\$ 25-32

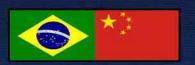
Oil barrel US\$ 35 - 50 (presently near US\$ 60)



Source: Ministry of Agriculture and UNICA



BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIESRenewable energy sources



FLEX FUEL

- 1 Gasoline
- 2 Alcohol (Ethanol)
- 3 Combination of 1 and 2



Clean Development Mechanism - CDM
Carbon Credits







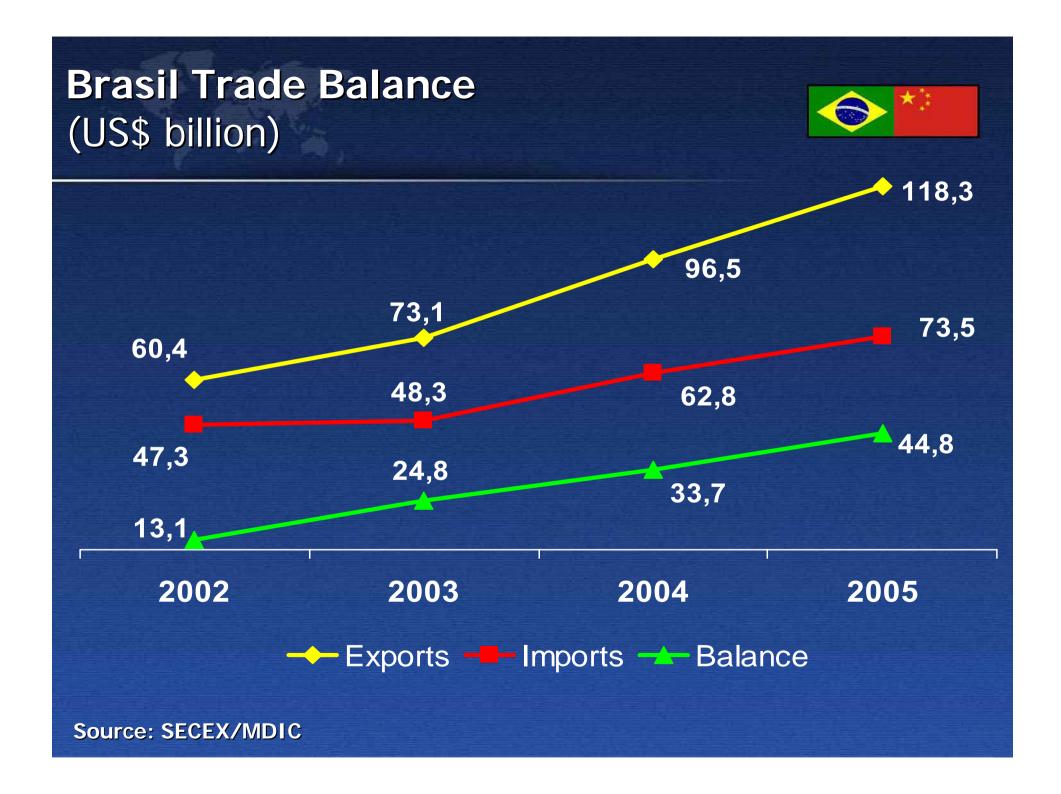




Brazilian companies increasingly invest abroad

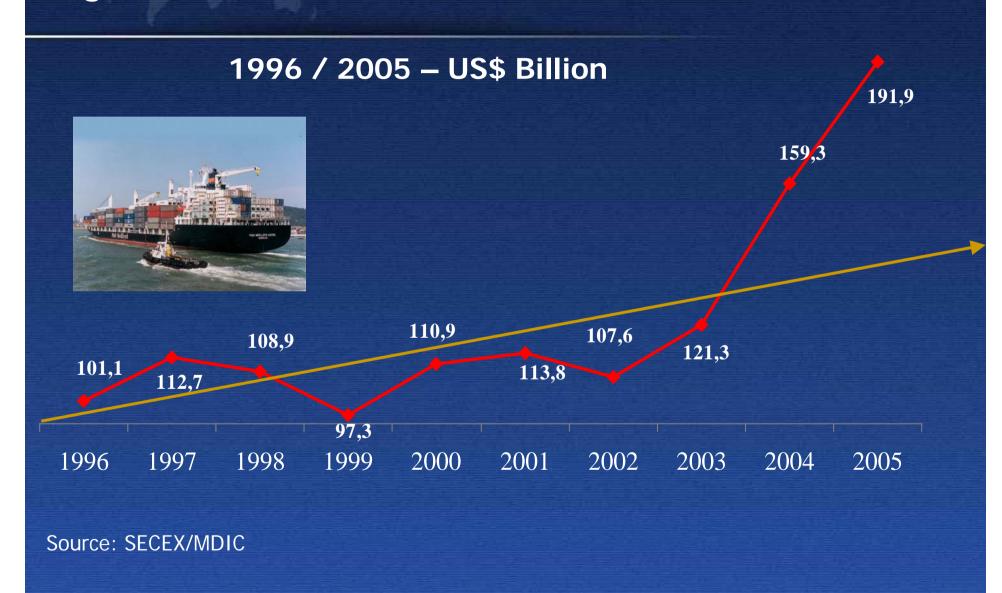






Increasing Trade Flow Demand Improved Logistics Network





Leading Export Sectors (2005)



- Transport Equipment: US\$ 19.119 million + 19,2%;
- Steel Products: US\$ 12.623 million + 22,6%;
- Soya bean Complex: US\$ 9.477 million 5,7%;
- ▶ Petroleum and petrochemicals: US\$ 9.078 million +58,4%
- Metallic Minerals: US\$ 8.025 million + 53,2%;



MAJOR EXPORT PARTNERS

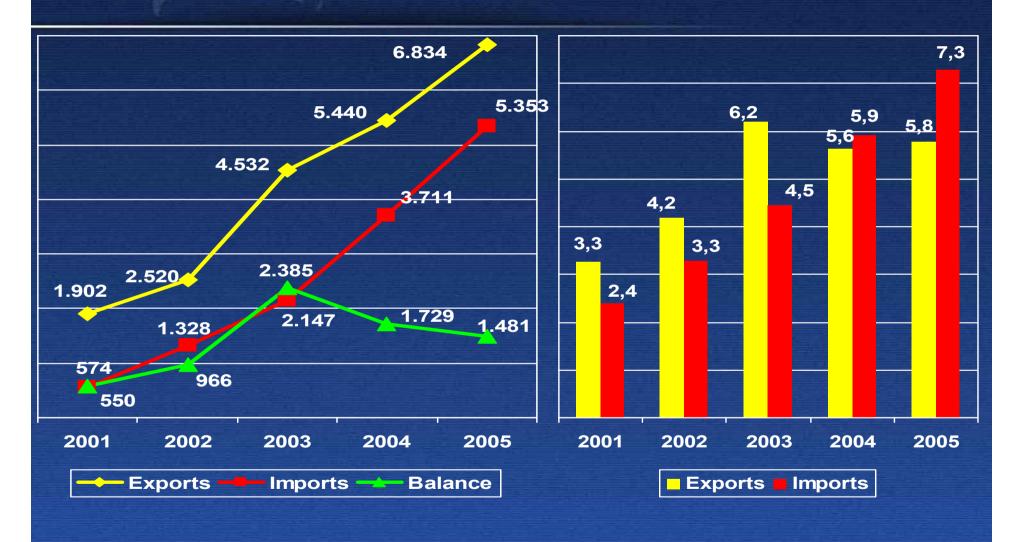
2005 - US\$ MILLION



	Value	Δ % 2005/04	% Share
1 – United States	22.741	11,8	19,2
2 – Argentina	9.915	34,5	8,4
3 – China	6.834	25,6	5,8
4 – The Netherlands	5.283	-10,7	4,5
5 – Germany	5.023	24,5	4,2
6 - Mexico	4.064	2,9	3,4
7 – Chile	3.612	41,9	3,1
8 – Japan	3.476	25,6	2,9
9 – Italy	3.224	11,0	2,7
10 – Russia	2.917	75,9	2,5

Brasil/China Trade Flow (US\$ million FOB)



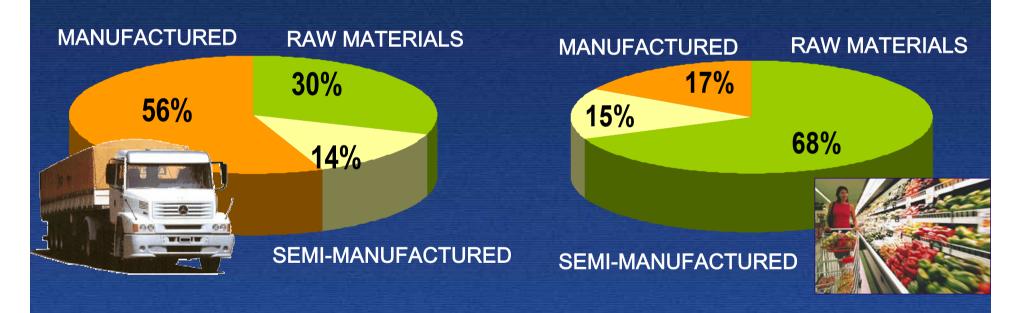


Source: SECEX/MDIC

Brazilian Exports of Products 2005







Source: SECEX/MDIC

MAIN PRODUCTS EXPORTED TO CHINA 2005 - / US\$ MILLION



PRODUCT	VALUE	% SHARE	Δ %
IRON ORE	1.785	26,1	60,1
SOYA BEAN	1.717	25,1	5,9
OIL	542	7,9	157,8
ROLLED STEEL	334	4,9	54,1
PAPER PULP	270	4,0	1,4
ТОВАССО	249	3,6	144,3
LEATHER AND SKIN	249	3,6	27,3
SOYA OIL	144	2,1	-65,9
SWAN WOOD	138	2,0	9,3
COTTON	90	1,3	370,5
BROILER CHICKEN	79	1,2	132,6



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