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NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY: AN AGENDA ON

THE ETHANOL SECTOR

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Brazilian Sugarcane Sector - Key Numbers

Number of mills	380 ¹	
Sugarcane growers	70,000	
Direct employment	840 thousand ²	
Revenue	US\$ 40 billion	
Foreign Revenue	US\$ 11.3 billion (2016/17)	
% Energy matrix	16.9%	
CO ₂ emission reductions CO ₂	> 600 million t since 1975	

30 billion liters

2nd world producer: 25% of production and 20% of world exports 15 million MWh

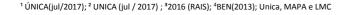
4 % of Brazilian electricity consumption; 38% of annual planned production in Belo Monte complex



40 million ton.

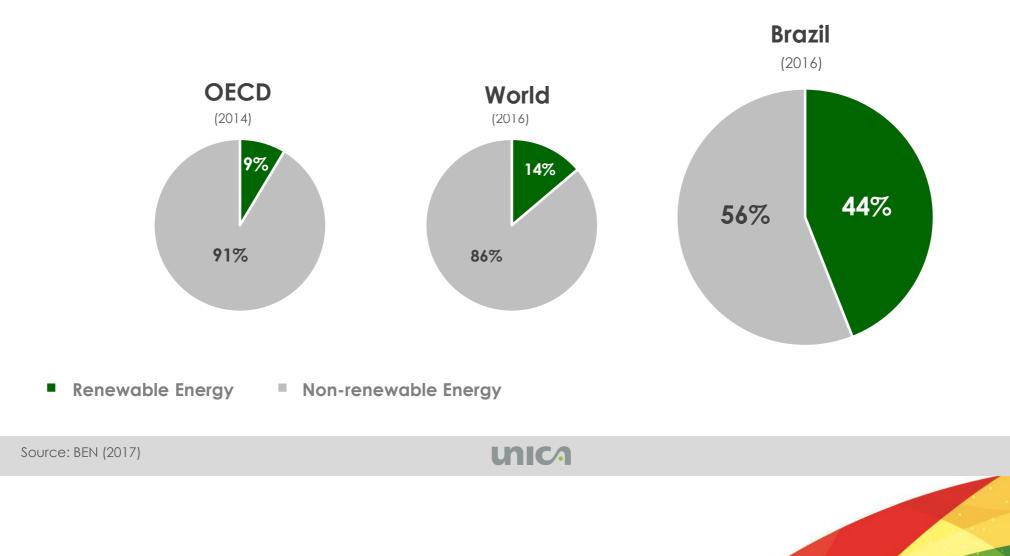


Largest producer and exporter in the world: 20% of global production and 40% of exports



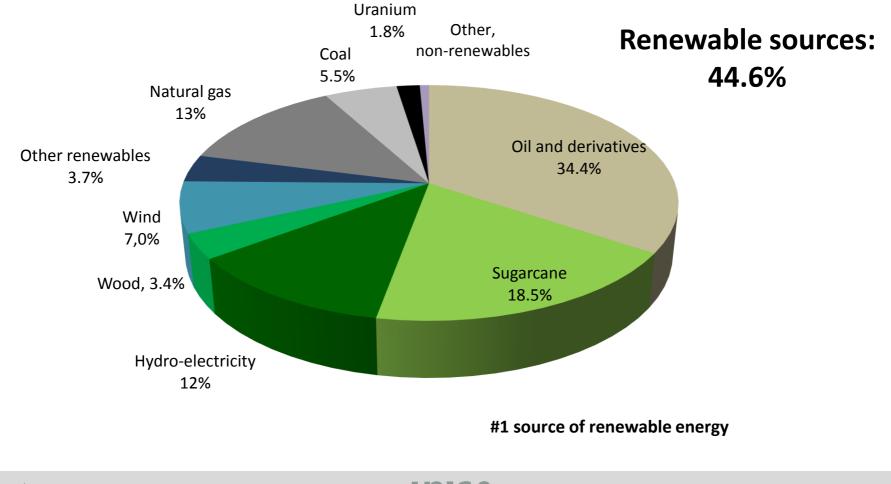


Brazilian Energy Matrix: An Example for the World





Brazilian Energy Matrix (2016)



Source: (BEN) 2017

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HOW ETHANOL IS CONSUMED IN BRAZIL

• Mandatory blending:

• Blend mandated by the government: 18-27.5% (currently 27%)

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- No pure-gasoline sold in Brazil
- Consumption: +/- 11 bn liters

• Pure ethanol (flex fuel vehicles):

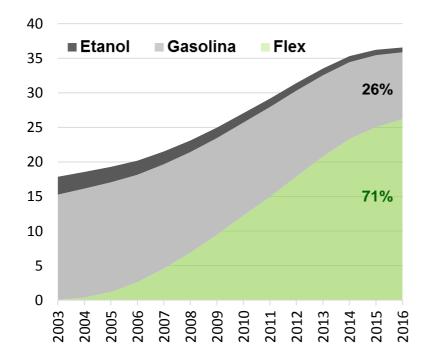
- Market-driven
- Consumption: +/- 17 bn liters
- 70% of the car fleet flex fuel
- All the almost 42,000 fueling stations with dedicated ethanol pumps



FFV Vehicles

Thanks to the the continuous expansion of FFVs, the potential demand for hydrous ethanol is increasing...

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Brazilian vehicle fleet (million units)

 95% of Brazilian total automobile sales are flex vehicles (2016)

✤ 41% of Brazilian total motorcycle sales are flex vehicles (2016) and currently they represent 28% of the national motorcycle fleet

Sources: UNICA, ANFAVEA and ABRACICLO.2016



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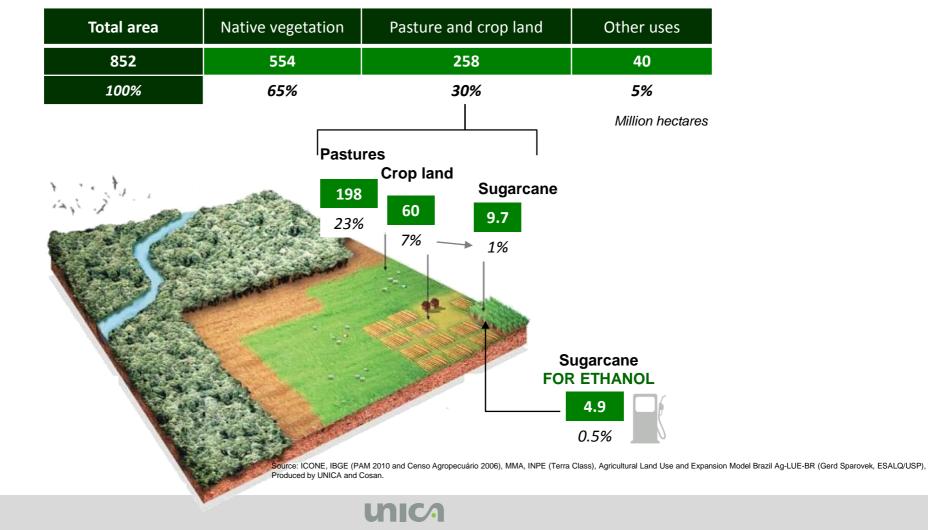
FLEX FUEL MARKET

20 automakers and over 200 models





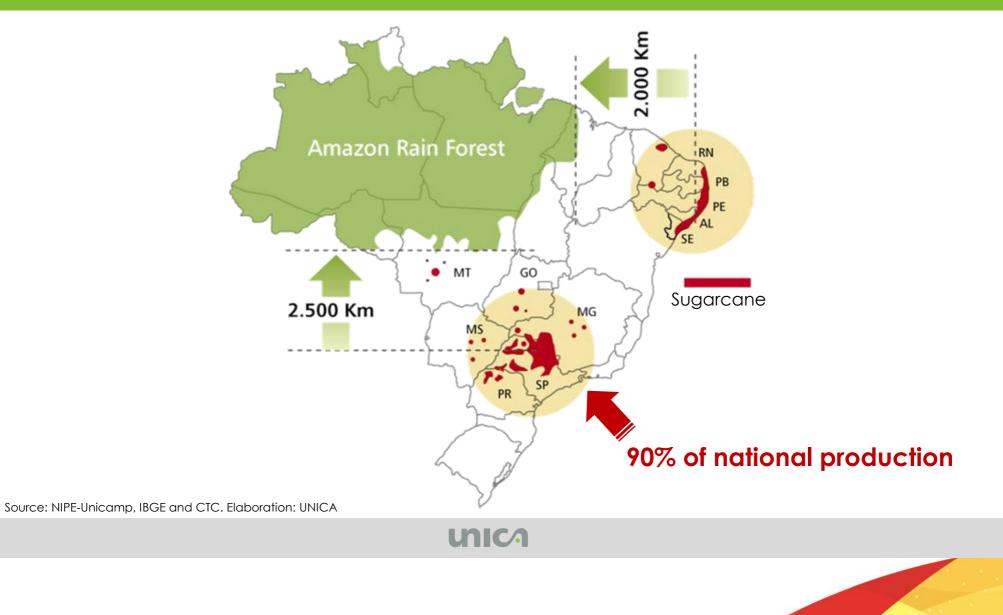
LAND AVAILABILITY FOR THE EXPANSION OF SUGARCANE CROP....







Sugarcane in Brazil





Government Initiatives

SUGARCANE AGROECOLOGICAL ZONING IN BRAZIL

Guidelines for Sugarcane Expansion

- It excludes sugarcane expansion in the most sensitive biomes – e.g. Amazonia and Pantanal
- 2. It excludes sugarcane expansion on any type of native vegetation (*Cerrados, Campos*, etc.)
- Authorized areas for sugarcane expansion: 64.7 ml hectares, equivalent to 7.5% of the Brazilian territory (currently 1% of the area is used for sugarcane)

It guides licensing decisions of the Brazilian environmental agencies. Public funding for sugarcane mills is subject to its compliance.





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It is one of the most environmentally friendly biofuels supplying today's market

SOURCE				
Feedstock	Sugarcane	Corn	Wheat	Beet
Energy balance (units of renewable energy per unit of fossil fuel input)	9.3	1.4	2.0	2.0
Productivity (liters/hectare)	7,000	3,800	2,500	5,500
GHG reduction* (from US and EU legislations)	61%-91%	1%-49%	16%-69%	52%

Source: World Watch Institute (2006) and Macedo et al. (2008) – energy balance; International Energy Agency (2005), MTEC, EU Commission, EPA and UNICA – productivity; ongoing legislations for renewable energy in U.S. (RFS) and EU (Directive 2009/28/EC) – GHG reduction. Note: *reductions in well-to-wheel CO₂ eq. GHG emissions from ethanol compared to gasoline calculated on a life-cycle basis.





It is a tool to fight climate change...

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»90%: ethanol reduction of GHG emissions compared to petrol

»240 million tons of CO_{2eq}: accumulated GHG emissions reduction since March 2003 (date of the launch of FFVs in Brazil)

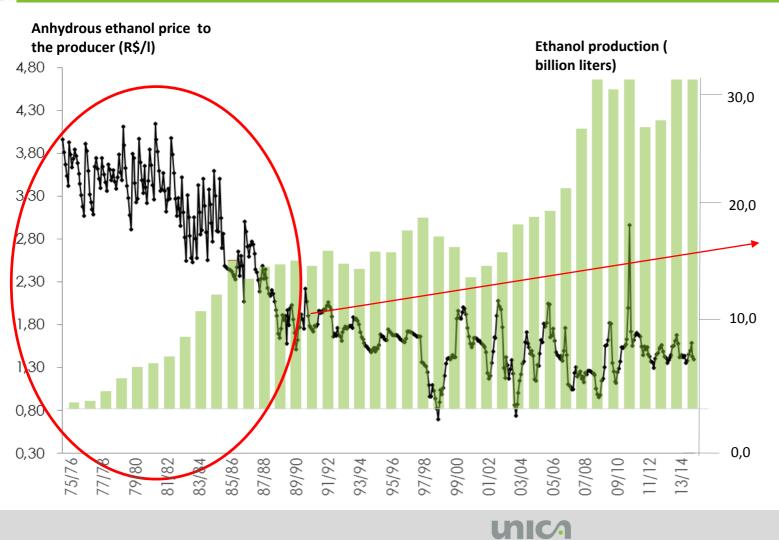
... and it improves the quality of life and foster economies in public health expenditures

- » If vehicles, in the main Brazilian urban centers, would go with:
 - » Pure gasoline
 PM_{2.5}
 1,384 deaths per year
 9,247 hospital admissions per year

Additional cost for the health system: US\$ 193.5 million per year



Technological perspectives for ethanol production



✓ In this period, ethanol production Was multiplied by 20, yields than doubled more (from 3,000 liters/ha to 7,000 liters/ha), and the price was reduced by half.

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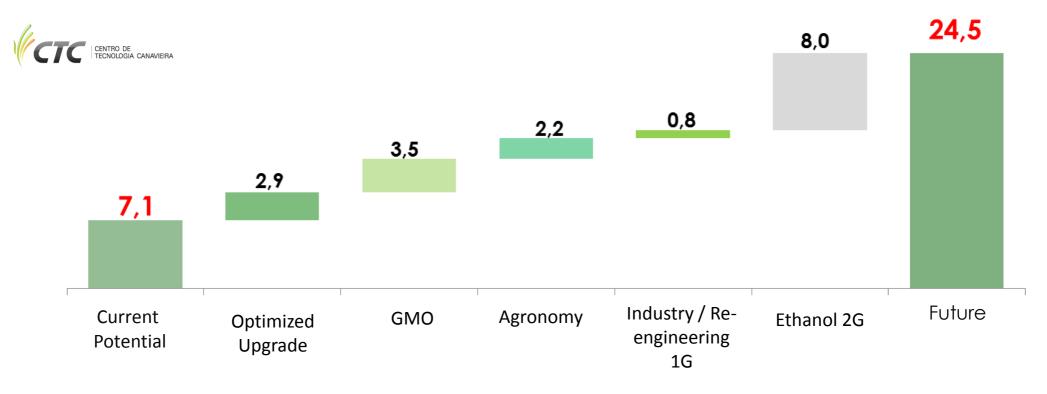
✓ Current technological potential shows that a similar movement may be observed in the next years.



What are the potential gains in producing ethanol?

Potential gains in productivity for Brazilian sugarcane etanol

(thousand liters of ethanol per hectare)



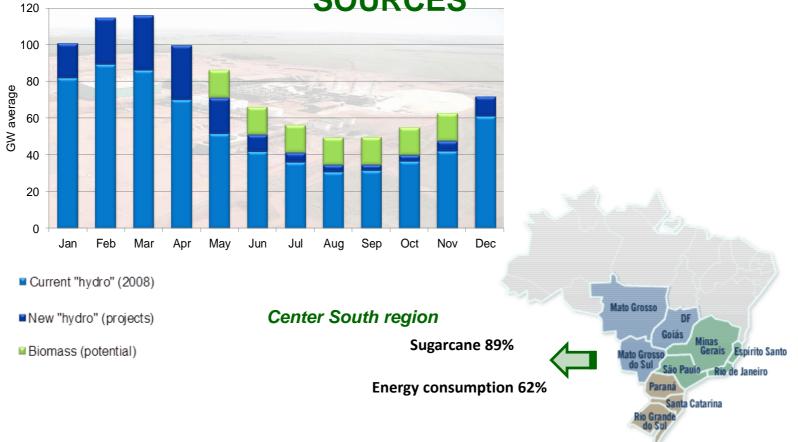




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SINERGY BETWEEN HYDRO AND BIOMASS SOURCES



Source: Nivalde J. de Castro et. al. CCEE and EPE database .





Trends for bioenergy and a green economy...

G7 Climate Commitment



In 2014, G7 agreed to support GHG reduction between 40% and 70% of emissions until 2050 (base 2010) and decarbonize the global economy (i.e., ban fossil fuels) in the course of this century ...



- CoP-21 in 2015: Over 190 countries have established a global commitment for net zero emissions and promised to try to significatively bring global emissions down from peak levels
- 62 countries have (voluntary or compulsory) mandates defining the use of biofuel
- 37 countries explicitly mentioned in their commitments the use of biofuel as a tool to reduce emissions





What is the sector's new challenge?

- Contribute to meet the ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENTS made by Brazil in Paris Agreement, focusing at the same time on supplying the domestic market
- Fulfillment of Brazil's environmental goals will require a new cycle of investments and a technological breakthrough









Brazil intends to...

Reduce its GHG

emissions by

43% below

2005 levels in

2030

Increase the share of sustainable biofuels in Brazil's energy mix to **18%** "(...) by **expanding biofuel consumption, increasing ethanol supply**, including by increasing the share of advanced biofuels (2nd generation), and increasing the share of biodiesel in the diesel mix"

 $= \sim 40$ billion liters of ethanol

Brazil's Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) under the Paris Agreement

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Forms of Cooperation



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Enhancement of Ethanol Program in Japan

Ethanol Sector:



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Brazil and Japan can work together to increase the

blending of ethanol in Gasoline to 10% in Japan, with clear benefits for the environment, improvement of air quality, and Japanese commitments on the Paris Agreement.

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Technological Cooperation

Second Generation Ethanol (2G):

Technology transfer and joint research projects to improve the

production of second generation ethanol











2G SUSTAINABILITY: OPTIMIZING RESOURCES

 Biomass availability: sugarcane bagasse (already available at production sites) and sugarcane trash (tops & leaves left in the field) need to be collected and transported to the mill.

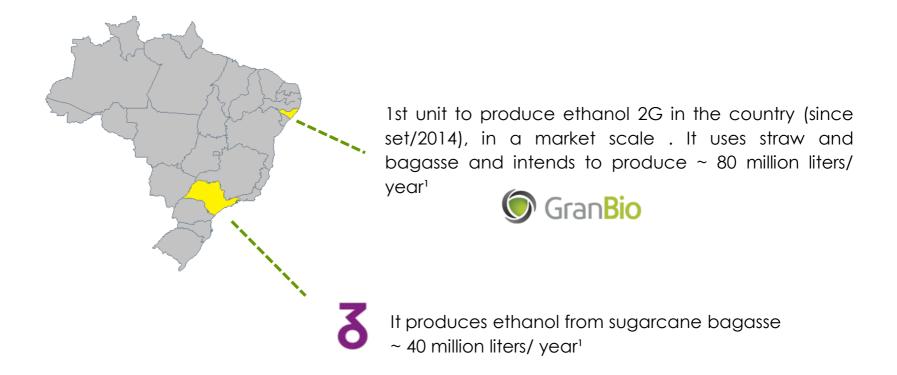


 Technology: at present, enzymatic hydrolysis is the most feasible alternative for 2G ethanol - production can be integrated with 1G; other technologies becoming available to produce sugarcane-derived jet fuel, diesel and 'green' chemicals.





Ethanol 2G in Brazil: already a reality in Brazil



¹ Annual Productive Capacity





Sugarcane Pellets: JV between Cosan and Sumitomo Corporation

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Agricultural Residue Utilization to Support Power Generation in Japan

- New technology developed in Brazil
- Power generation Feed in tariffs (FIT) in Japan promote the creation of supply chains in order to kick-start the flow of agricultural waste to Japan
- Sugarcane bagasse is classified as industrial waste and does not enjoy the agricultural residue FIT necessary to create this flow – unlike Palm Kernel Shell (PKS) which does enjoy this FIT



Technological Cooperation

✤ Automotive Industry:



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- Development of new technological solutions for hybrid vehicles with ethanol engines or flex fuel

- Fuel cell from ethanol.







Technological Cooperation – Ethanol-based fuel cell

Hidrogen cells fueled by ethanol

Nissan e-NV200 "E-Bio-Fuel-Cell"





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- The cell extracts hydrogen to feed the engine, from ٠ ethanol, inside the car;
- It can be used pure ethanol or or mixed up to 55% with **water**, to charge a 24kWh battery, without any potency loss;
- In Brazil, the logistics infrastructure for ethanol is already there;
- Maximum speed is of 120km/h, guarantying autonomy ٠ for over 600 km with just 30 liters of ethanol;
- The system is "carbon neutral" when counted wheel-towell.

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Brazil-Japan - Market Access for sugar

- Currently, Japan has a requirement for a maximum polarization of 97.99% for raw sugar with tax free (beyond that there is a tariff of around US\$ 200,00/ton);
- Brazil has a minimum pol of 99%;
- Japan imports between 1,2 and 1,4 mln t of raw sugar to process in its refineries, mainly from Australia and Thailand;
- Therefore, despite the fact that Brazil is the largest exporter in the world, it has to pay a tarrif to enter Japan even with a better quality and cheaper product;
- Brazil and Japan can work together to review this restriction, and provide to the Japanese market access to the Brazilian sugar



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