

The State of the Art of the Brazilian Pre-Salt Exploration

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Next Pre-Salt Licensing Rounds: Giant Leads





Brazil's Current State





Area under concession ~ 280,000 km²

324 Blocks

440 fields

Production (Dez, 2018)

Oil 2.691 million barrels/d Natural Gas 114 million m³/d

Proven Reserves (Dez, 2017) Oil 12.8 billion barrels Natural Gas 369 billion m³

9th top oil producer in the world and the largest in Latin America*

*Source: eia, 2018





- Pre-Salt
- Conventional Offshore
- Onshore

53% 29%

Onshore

37%

7%

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Oil Production in Brazil





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E&P Environments



Average oil production per well 17,655 bpd High quality Carbonate Reservoirs underneath the salt layer **Pre-salt** High well productivity more than 30,000 bpd in the beginning of productio Potential for giant or supergiant field discoveries 85 wells **Eastern and Equatorial Margin** Conventional Offshore Potential for oil discoveries from the Upper Cretaceous to Paleogene turbidite reservoirs 628 wells 6 bpd Mature Basins (Remaining Potential) Onshore **New Frontier Basins** Solimoes Basin: Potential for light oil accumulations Paleozoic and Proterozoic basins: gas prone 6,683 wells

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Depositional Model



shallow evaporitic alcaline lake

Low gradiente ramp-like deposition

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Pyramid Lake, Nevada

Large sub-lacustrine spring mounds develop in perennial lakes – they need the space (depht) in wich to grow

Petroleum System

Itapema – Itapema/Barra Velha

Stratigraphic chart: Moreira et al., 2007

Structural traps

The classic pre-salt play comprises prominent four way closure structures

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Seismic

Constellation Survey Fast Track

Top of Salt Base of Salt

Seismic

Faults

High porosity and permeability

4.0 cm

Pre-salt Prospectivity

After Formigli, 2007

The Pre-Salt comprises huge accumulations underneath the salt layers;

Light Oil with excellent quality accumulations and high commercial values;

- Great prospectivity, potential for giant and supergiant oil fields;
- High wells productivity related to high quality carbonate reservoirs and extensive and thick production zones.

Source: Petrobras

Pre-salt Production

The Pre-salt Play Production

~1.5 million barrels of oil/day (10 fields)

New Pre-salt Exploration Scenario

Bidding Rounds Schedule

6th Pre-salt Bidding Round Brazil 6

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Depth (m)

Prominent Basement High Four-way Closure Ampitude Anomalies

Area: 1,500 km²

25 km

Survey: R0014_BS_1_SOUTH_PSDM – Courtesy of PGS

6th Pre-salt Bidding Round Brazil 6

Several blocks in the Pre-Salt play including giant leads

Round 16 Round 6 Pre-salt Round 7 Pre-salt Round 8 Pre-salt **Oil/Gas Field** Pre-salt Polygon **Offshore Basin**

Transfer of Rights Surplus Opportunities

October, 28th

Fields

Atapu, Itapu, Buzios and Sepia

The Pre-salt play is comprised of highly productive Aptian carbonate reservoirs in structural traps sealed by thick salt layers;

Currently, there are 10 fields producing from the Pre-salt layers in Brazil. The Pre-salt play is responsible for more than half of the Brazilian oil production;

World class leads will be up for offer on the 6th, 7th and 8th Pre-Salt Licensing Rounds and on the 16th Bidding Round.

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