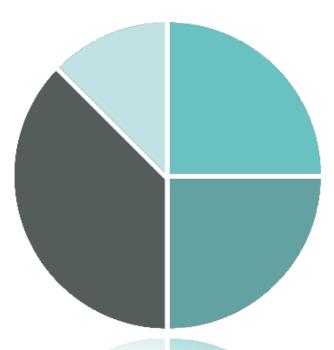
# MONTHLY ENERGY BULLETIN BRAZIL



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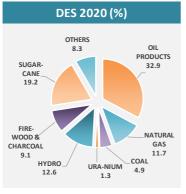
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## DOMESTIC ENERGY SUPPLY

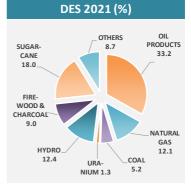
Two good indicators from January 2021 over January 2020 are noteworthy: the 11.9% increase in cement sales and 8.1% in industrial power consumption. In the same period, the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic persist on some indicators: in households there was a 5.4% increase in electricity consumption and a 2.1% increase in cooking gas consumption; in the commerce sector there was a decrease of 7.1% in the use of electricity; in aviation there was a 37% drop in the use of kerosene; and in light vehicles there was a 3.7% drop in fuel use.

For the Domestic Energy Supply –  $DES^1$  of January, an increase of 1.5% was estimated, but for the entire year of 2021 the estimate is that it will increase between 3.0 and 4.0%. With the current information, the indicator was estimated at 3.5%.



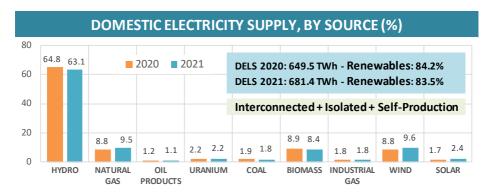
### TOTAL ENERGY DEMAND IN 2021 MAY RISE 3.5%

287.6 million toe - 48.6% renewables



297.5 million toe - 47.5% renewables

For the 2021's Domestic Electricity Supply (DELS)<sup>2</sup> an increase of 4 to 5% is expected. With the current information, the indicator was estimated at 4.9%. The share of renewables should be between 83 and 85%.



# **HIGHLIGHTS IN JANUARY 2021**

#### Oil production recoils

Oil production dropped 9.6% in January 2021, compared to the same month in 2020, but grew 5.2% over the previous month, reversing the falling curve observed in the last months of 2020. Natural gas production followed the same logic, with a decrease of 1.7% and an increase of 7.4%, respectively.

#### Mining and metallurgy in high

Steel production grew 10.8% over January 2020. Iron ore exports grew 9.9%, but pellet exports fell by almost 20%, following the trend of 2020.

#### Hydraulic supply declines

The hydraulic energy supply fell 9.1% over the same month in 2020, but grew 6% over the previous month. Itaipu's indicators were -17% and + 14%, respectively.

#### Oil derivatives increase

Apparent consumption of oil products rose 1% over January 2020 (excluding ethanol and biodiesel). Diesel consumption (including biodiesel) increased by 0.7%, and gasoline C increased by 0.2%. Automotive ethanol consumption fell by 7%. Total natural gas demand decreased by 1.6%, with increases in industrial consumption and power generation and a decrease of over 10% in other uses.

The Otto's cycle (gasoline, ethanol and natural gas) light vehicles energy consumption recoiled 3.7% over January 2020 (-9.3% in 2020, 4.5% in 2019, -1.2% in 2018, 1.7% in 2017, -1.1% in 2016 and 6.2% in 2014).

#### Electricity consumption rises

Electricity consumption, without self-producers, grew 3% over January 2020, showing a strong increase in industrial consumption, of 8.1%. Residential consumption also grew, with a rate of 5.3%. Commercial consumption, on the other hand, continued to fall by 7.1% (-10.6% in the whole of 2020).

#### Increasing in Biodiesel production

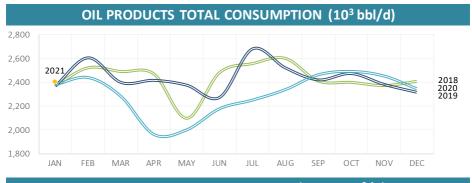
Biodiesel production grew 7.6% over the same month in 2020, but decreased 2.4% over the previous month. The annual indicator has been over 9% in the past four years.

Pulp production was estimated to increase by 0.6% in January, compared to January 2020 (+43% from 2013 to 2020). Cement consumption increased by 11.9% over January 2020 (10% in 2020).

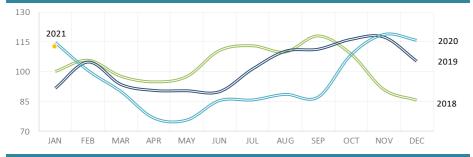
#### Electricity tariffs rise

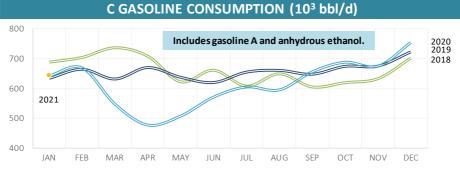
The national average tariff for residential electricity rose 3.6% in January (-2.6% in 2020, 8.0% in 2019, 12.6% in 2018 and stable in 2017). Commercial tariff increased by 1.3% (-2.1% in 2020, 7.4% in 2019, 12.4% in 2018 and 0.7% in 2017) and industrial rose 3.3% (0.1% in 2020, 5.7% in 2019, 13.4% in 2018 and 1.2% in 2017).

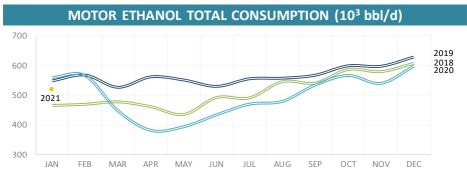
|   | JANUARY      |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| SPECIFICATION   | IN THE MONTH |              |               | ACCUMULATED IN THE YEAR |              |               |              |
|   | 2021         | 2020         | %21/20        | 2021                    | 2020         | %21/20        | %            |
| OIL   |              |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
| PRODUCTION - with Shale Oil and NGL(10 <sup>3</sup> b/d)                            | 2,969        | 3,283        | -9.6          | 2,969                   | 3,283        | -9.6          | -            |
| IMPORTS AVERAGE PRICE (US\$/bbl FOB)  | 68           | 65           | 4.9           | 68                      | 65           | 4.9           | -            |
| OIL PRODUCTS  |              |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
| TOTAL CONSUMPTION (10 <sup>3</sup> b/day)   | 2,406        | 2,381        | 1.0           | 2,406                   | 2,381        | 1.0           | 100.0        |
| hereof: DIESEL with biodiesel - (10 <sup>3</sup> b/day)                             | 957          | 950          | 0.7           | 957                     | 950          | 0.7           | 37.8         |
| hereof: GASOLINE C (10 <sup>3</sup> b/day)  | 644          | 643          | 0.2           | 644                     | 643          | 0.2           | 21.4         |
| CONSUMER PRICE - DIESEL (R\$/I)<br>CONSUMER PRICE - GASOLINE C (R\$/I)              | 3.70<br>4.62 | 3.79<br>4.58 | -2.4<br>0.9   | 3.70<br>4.62            | 3.79<br>4.58 | -2.4<br>0.9   | -            |
| CONSUMER PRICE - GASOLINE C (R\$/I)<br>CONSUMER PRICE - LPG (R\$/13 kg)             | 76.9         | 4.58         | 10.2          | 4.62                    | 4.58         | 10.2          | -            |
| NATURAL GAS   | 70.5         | 09.7         | 10.2          | 70.9                    | 09.7         | 10.2          | -            |
| PRODUCTION (106 m3/day)   | 136.4        | 138.8        | -1.7          | 136.4                   | 138.8        | -1.7          |              |
| IMPORTS (106 m <sup>3</sup> /day)   | 37.1         | 32.0         | 16.0          | 37.1                    | 32.0         | 16.0          |              |
| NON-UTILIZED AND REINJECTION (106 m <sup>3</sup> /day)                              | 60.7         | 56.1         | 8.2           | 60.7                    | 56.1         |               | -            |
| AVAILABILITY FOR CONSUMPTION (106 m <sup>3</sup> /day)                              | 112.8        | 114.7        | -1.6          | 112.8                   | 114.7        |               | 100.0        |
| INDUSTRIAL CONSUMPTION (106 m <sup>3</sup> /day)                                    | 37.0         | 36.3         | 1.8           | 37.0                    | 36.3         |               | 32.8         |
| POWER GENERATION CONS. (106 m <sup>3</sup> /day)                                    | 42.5         | 40.5         | 5.1           | 42.5                    | 40.5         | 5.1           | 37.7         |
| INDUSTRIAL PRICE SP(*) (US\$/MMBtu) - consump-                                      | 10.9         | 15.3         | -29.1         | 10.9                    | 15.3         | -29.1         | -            |
| tion range of 20,000 m <sup>3</sup> /day  |              |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
| MOTOR PRICE SP (US\$/MMBtu)   | 14.4         | 19.7         | -26.8         | 14.4                    | 19.7         | -26.8         | -            |
| RESIDENTIAL PRICE SP (US\$/MMBtu)   | 34.1         | 42.9         | -20.5         | 34.1                    | 42.9         | -20.5         | -            |
| ELECTRICITY   |              |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
| NATIONAL INTERCONNECTED SYSTEM  | 71,122       | 69,759       | 2.0           | 71,122                  | 69,759       | 2.0           | 100.0        |
| SOUTHEAST/MIDWEST POWER LOAD (MWavg)  | 41,435       | 40,095       | 3.3           | 41,435                  | 40,095       | 3.3           | 58.3         |
| SOUTH POWER LOAD (MWavg)  | 12,868       | 12,817       | 0.4           | 12,868                  | 12,817       | 0.4           | 18.1         |
| NORTHEAST POWER LOAD (MWavg)  | 11,242       | 11,368       | -1.1          | 11,242                  | 11,368       | -1.1          | 15.8         |
| NORTH POWER LOAD (MWavg)  | 5,577        | 5,479        | 1.8           | 5,577                   | 5,479        | 1.8           | 7.8          |
| TOTAL CONSUMPTION (TWh) (**)  | 42.4         | 41.2         | 3.0           | 42.4                    | 41.2         | 3.0           | 100.0        |
| RESIDENTIAL<br>INDUSTRIAL   | 13.6<br>14.6 | 12.9<br>13.5 | 5.3<br>8.1    | 13.6<br>14.6            | 12.9<br>13.5 | 5.3<br>8.1    | 32.0<br>34.4 |
| COMMERCIAL  | 7.5          | 8.0          | -7.1          | 7.5                     | 8.0          | -7.1          | 17.6         |
| OTHER SECTORS   | 6.8          | 6.7          | 0.6           | 6.8                     | 6.7          | 0.6           | 15.9         |
| PLANTS ENTRY INTO OPERATING (MW)  | 144          | 93           | 55.3          | 144                     | 93           | 55.3          | -            |
| RESIDENTIAL PRICE (R\$/MWh)   | 800          | 772          | 3.6           | 800                     | 772          | 3.6           | -            |
| COMMERCIAL PRICE (R\$/MWh)  | 690          | 681          | 1.3           | 690                     | 681          | 1.3           | -            |
| INDUSTRIAL PRICE (R\$/MWh)  | 680          | 658          | 3.3           | 680                     | 658          | 3.3           | -            |
| ETHANOL AND BIODIESEL   |              |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
| BIODIESEL PRODUCTION (10 <sup>3</sup> b/d)  | 102          | 95           | 7.6           | 102                     | 95           | 7.6           | -            |
| MOTOR ETHANOL CONSUMPTION (10 <sup>3</sup> b/d)                                     | 520          | 559          | -7.0          | 520                     | 559          | -7.0          | -            |
| ETHANOL EXPORTS (10 <sup>3</sup> b/d)   | 38           | 16           | 141.9         | 38                      | 16           | 141.9         | -            |
| HYDRATED ETHANOL PRICE (R\$/I)  | 3.22         | 3.23         | -0.3          | 3.22                    | 3.23         | -0.3          | -            |
| COAL  |              |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
| ELECTRICITY GENERATION (MWavg)  | 2,152        | 2,376        | -9.4          | 2,152                   | 2,376        | -9.4          | -            |
| IMPORT PRICE (US\$ FOB/t)   | 81.9         | 94.7         | -13.4         | 81.9                    | 94.7         | -13.4         | -            |
| NUCLEAR ENERGY  |              |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
| ELECTRICITY GENERATION - (GWh)  | 1,376        | 1,158        | 18.8          | 1,376                   | 1,158        | 18.8          | -            |
| INDUSTRIAL SECTORS  |              |              |               |                         |              |               |              |
| STEEL PRODUCTION (10 <sup>3</sup> t/day)  | 97           | 87           | 10.8          | 97                      | 87           |               | -            |
| ALUMINIUM PRODUCTION (10 <sup>3</sup> t/day)  | 1.9          | 1.9          | -1.5          | 1.9                     | 1.9          |               | -            |
| IRON ORE EXPORTS (10 <sup>3</sup> t/day)  | 901          | 820          | 9.9           | 901                     | 820          |               | -            |
| PELLETS EXPORTS (10 <sup>3</sup> t/day)   | 32           | 40           | -19.7         | 32                      | 40           |               | -            |
| PAPER PRODUCTION (10 <sup>3</sup> t/day)  | 28.4         | 27.9         | 1.7           | 28.4                    | 27.9         |               | -            |
| PULP PRODUCTION (10 <sup>3</sup> t/day)<br>SUGAR PRODUCTION (10 <sup>3</sup> t/daY) | 54.2         | 53.9         | 0.6           | 54.2                    | 53.9         |               | -            |
| SUGAR PRODUCTION (10° t/day)<br>SUGAR EXPORTS (10° t/day)                           | 13<br>65     | 16<br>52     | -16.9<br>26.5 | 13<br>65                | 16<br>52     | -16.9<br>26.5 | -            |
|   | 03           | 52           | 20.3          | 03                      | 52           | 20.5          | -            |

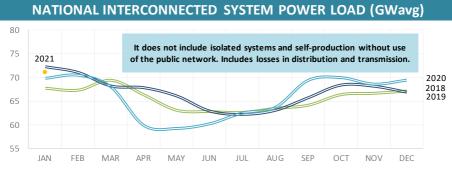


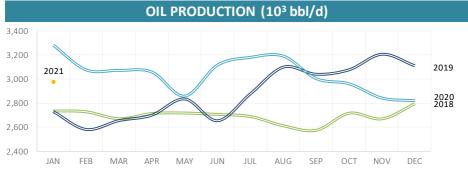
NATURAL GAS TOTAL DEMAND (million m<sup>3</sup>/d)

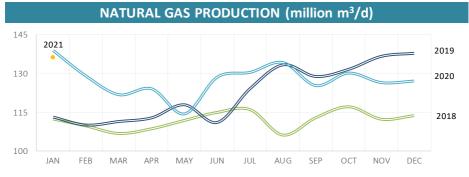


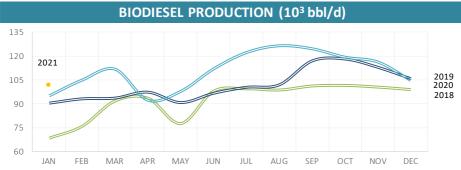


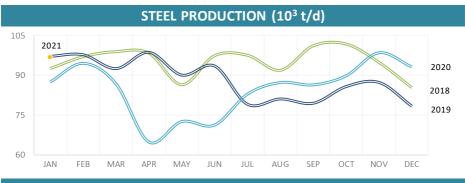






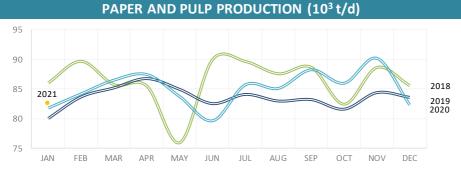


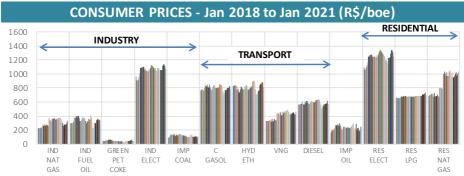




CEMENT SALES (10<sup>3</sup> t/d)







Note: For a better visualization, the minimum scale of the graphs was raised to the level close to the lowest value of the curves.

# METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

The purpose of this bulletin is to follow up a set of energy and non-energy variables that provide a reasonable estimate of the behavior both monthly as cumulative of the total energy demand in Brazil.

Total demand of natural gas = domestic production (+) import (-) unused (-) reinjection.

<sup>1</sup> Domestic Energy Supply (DES), or Brazilian Energy Demand, represents the energy necessary to move the economy of a country or region over a period of time. Includes final energy consumption in the residential sector and in the other economic sectors, includes losses in transmission and distribution, losses on power transformation and the own consumption of the energy sector.

<sup>2</sup> 2020 data from DEL and DELS reflect the results of the December 2020 edition of this Bulletin, in combination with partial results from the 2021 cycle of the National Energy Balance (in progress by the Energy Research Company) and with the partnership of SPE/MME with energy sector companies and agencies.

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