

General Notes

Rounding off

Numeric data in tables were rounded up. Therefore, any differences between the resulting summation of items and total amounts may be accounted for the rounding off criterion.

Geographic and Geopolitical

Geographic groupings used in this book were adopted with merely statistic aims. Doing so, they imply no judgement based on political or economic criteria.

Asia-Pacific: comprises Brunei, Cambodia, China, Hong Kong (region under China's special administration), Indonesia, Japan, Laos Popular Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Korea Popular Democratic Republic, Singapore, The Philippines, South Asia (Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka), Republic of Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam, Australia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea and other Oceania countries.

Commonwealth of Independent States: comprises Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine and Uzbekistan.

Middle East: comprises Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

OPEC: Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries. Multilateral organization founded in 1960, which aimed to coordinate petroleum policy of member-countries, besides providing them with technical and economic support. Includes Angola, Algeria, Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, Nigeria, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates and Venezuela.

South and Central America: Caribbean (including Puerto Rico), Central America and South America.

United Arab Emirates: comprise Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah, Ajman, Umm Al-Quwain, and Fujairah.

United Kingdom: comprises Great Britain (England, Scotland, Wales), Northern Ireland, Isle of Man, Channel Islands, Orkney Islands and Shetland Islands.

Natural Gas and Shale Gas

Volumes of gas shown in this book refer to the product at 20 °C and 1 atm pressure.

Brazilian Oil and Natural Gas Reserves

Oil and Natural Gas data series are subject to changes. Current values are available on the ANP website through the link <https://www.gov.br/anp/pt-br/centrais-de-conteudo/dados-estatisticos/reservas-nacionais-de-petroleo-e-gas-natural>.

Sales of Oil Products and Hydrated Ethanol

The sales of oil products and hydrated ethanol were based on enterprise mandatory data declaration to ANP, by means of Production and Product Movement Demonstrative (DPMP), as per ANP Resolution No. 729/2018. The data were updated in March 2025.

Foreign Trade

Data on imports and exports of oil and oil products were extracted, via the internet, from the portal Comex Stat (<http://comexstat.mdic.gov.br/pt/home>). Those data are subject to changes without any previous warning and, therefore, may diverge from data series already published in former editions of this book.