

Trade Analysis – Chemicals in Brazil - 2009

Chemical Sector – The Chemical Industry is one of the most important and dynamic sector of the Brazilian Economy. In 2006, the national industry's turnover was US\$ 82 billion, setting it as the 3rd biggest Industry of the country.

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Market Development – A survey carried out by Brazilian Association of Chemical Industries reveals that investment projects in the industrial chemical products segment will be up to US\$ 19.7 billion by 2012. Introduction of alternative suppliers may be driven with the local industries and distributors by presenting advantages for the sector. The Association of Local Distributors in the Sector may be a good channel.

International Trade – In 2008, Brazil imported a total amount of USD 13,54 billion which presented a 39,38% growth over the previous year, USD 9,71 billion. The main suppliers for this sector to Brazil were United States, China, Germany, Argentina and United Kingdom. The Arab Countries appeared as the 10th main supplier to Brazil in that year, exporting USD 356,65 million, an outstanding growth of 195,89% when compared to 2007, USD 120,53 million.

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USD Million
January - December

HS	Description				% Share			% Change
		2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008	- 08/07 -
	World	7342,03	9716,09	13541,81	100	100	100	39,38
	Chemical Sector	7.342,03	9.716,09	13.541,81	100,00	100,00	100,00	39,38
29	Organic Chemicals	4.800,72	6.376,53	8.411,95	65,39	65,63	62,12	31,92
38	Misc. Chemical Products	1.374,84	1.906,38	2.604,86	18,73	19,62	19,24	36,64
28	Inorg Chem; Rare Earth Metals	1.166,47	1.433,18	2.525,00	15,89	14,75	18,65	76,18

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2933	Nit Hetero-Atoms Only	883,10	1.183,43	1.538,19	18,40	18,56	18,29	29,98
2905	Acyclic Alchol,Halogn	303,77	418,29	582,50	6,33	6,56	6,93	39,26
2917	Plycrbxylc Acid,Anhyd	122,44	457,70	574,31	2,55	7,18	6,83	25,48
2930	Organo-Sulfur Compnds	279,86	360,63	561,67	5,83	5,66	6,68	55,75
2902	Cyclic Hydrocarbons	333,76	362,43	489,73	6,95	5,68	5,82	35,12
2934	Nuclc Acd+Slt;O Cmp	270,33	379,94	440,89	5,63	5,96	5,24	16,04
2931	Ot Organo-Inorganc	114,74	195,45	333,62	2,39	3,07	3,97	70,69
2916	Unsat Monocarbox	193,74	226,71	288,04	4,04	3,56	3,42	27,05
2941	Antibiotics	207,08	197,22	280,33	4,31	3,09	3,33	42,14

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3808	Insct,Rodnt+Fung Killr	568,53	835,72	1.267,65	41,35	43,84	48,67	51,68
3824	Bndr Fndr Mld;O Ch Pr	227,57	309,61	408,43	16,55	16,24	15,68	31,92
3822	Cmp Diag Reagnt N Pha	115,85	166,86	218,92	8,43	8,75	8,40	31,20
3811	Antiknck Prp F Mn Oil	91,92	131,77	156,16	6,69	6,91	6,00	18,51
3815	O React Initiat+Accel	110,22	136,30	154,94	8,02	7,15	5,95	13,67
3823	Ind M-Carb Fat Acid	80,89	102,72	129,11	5,88	5,39	4,96	25,69
3812	Prp Rub Accl;Comp Pls	28,93	42,22	56,26	2,10	2,22	2,16	33,25
3809	O Fin Agnt,Et Text,Et	42,05	43,54	45,84	3,06	2,28	1,76	5,28
3802	Actvt Carbn Et;An Blk	19,27	24,80	31,77	1,40	1,30	1,22	28,08

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2815	Sodm,Potas Hydrx,Perx	191,90	204,03	364,73	16,45	14,24	14,45	78,76
2809	Diphos Pentaoxide;Etc	81,79	101,53	362,51	7,01	7,08	14,36	257,06
2836	Carbonates;Peroxcarb	113,36	167,99	210,35	9,72	11,72	8,33	25,22
2814	Ammonia	80,59	110,39	198,03	6,91	7,70	7,84	79,39
2835	Phosph In,On,At,Pho	32,33	44,95	151,80	2,77	3,14	6,01	237,72
2833	Sulfates;Alums;Peroxo	92,69	123,07	146,26	7,95	8,59	5,79	18,85
2844	Radioactive Elem,Isot	61,82	39,84	136,31	5,30	2,78	5,40	242,16
2804	Rare Gases,Nonmetals	52,02	61,44	133,66	4,46	4,29	5,29	117,54
2807	Sulfuric Acid; Oleum	12,91	22,14	94,43	1,11	1,55	3,74	326,56

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	Arab Countries	86,81	120,54	356,65	1	1	3	195,89
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28	Inorg Chem; Rare Earth Metals	84,34	119,65	335,85	97,16	99,27	94,17	180,69
29	Organic Chemicals	2,07	0,73	19,16	2,38	0,61	5,37	2.524,54
38	Misc. Chemical Products	0,40	0,15	1,64	0,46	0,13	0,46	965,64

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2809	Diphos Pentaoxide;Etc	65,38	90,23	312,83	77,53	75,41	93,14	246,69
2826	Fluoride;F-Silicat,Et	9,64	10,35	13,35	11,43	8,65	3,98	29,01
2803	Other Carbon	3,97	8,08	7,04	4,71	6,75	2,10	(12,79)
2825	Ot Inorg Bases;Mtl Ox	-	7,84	2,22	-	6,55	0,66	(71,74)
2811	Ot Inorgnc Acid,Oxy C	0,02	0,15	0,31	0,03	0,13	0,09	105,97
2834	Nitrites; Nitrates	0,17	0,03	0,09	0,20	0,02	0,03	201,34
2815	Sodm,Potas Hydrx,Perx	4,98	2,98	0,02	5,90	2,49	0,01	(99,20)
2853	Inorganic Compounds, Nes; Liqu	-	-	0,00	-	-	-	-
2827	Chloride,Bromide,Iodi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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2901	Acyclic Hydrocarbons	-	-	16,89	-	-	88,13	-
2909	Ether,Various Alcoh	-	0,03	1,02	-	3,74	5,32	3.636,43
2920	O Estr;Halog,Et Deriv	-	-	0,70	-	-	3,63	-
2933	Nit Hetero-Atoms Only	0,01	0,24	0,14	0,34	32,72	0,74	(40,31)
2910	Epoxide 3Memb Ring	-	-	0,14	-	-	0,72	-
2941	Antibiotics	0,01	0,03	0,09	0,62	4,35	0,49	197,42
2931	Ot Organo-Inorganc	-	-	0,07	-	-	0,39	-
2905	Acyclic Alcohol,Halogn	-	-	0,06	-	-	0,31	-
2903	Halogenated Hydrocarb	-	-	0,03	-	-	0,15	-

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3817	O Mxd Alkbnzn+Alknaph	-	-	0,19	-	-	11,59	-
3802	Actvt Carbn Et;An Blk	0,00	-	0,00	0,08	-	0,09	-
3805	Turps,Et;Crud Dipentn	-	-	0,00	-	-	0,02	-
3814	O Org Comp Solv+Thintr	-	-	0,00	-	-	0,01	-
3824	Bndr Fndr Mld;O Ch Pr	0,00	-	0,00	0,24	-	0,01	-
3820	A-Freez Prep+Deice Fl	-	-	0,00E+00	-	-	-	-
3816	O Refrct Cem,Mort,Con	0,28	0,15	-	70,03	100,00	-	(100,00)

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