

Can Brazilian ports be renewable marine fuel bunkering hubs?

Building on Brazil's renewable energy resources and strategic geographic location, the study "The potential of Brazilian ports as renewable marine fuel bunkering hubs" assessed the country's potential to become a global leader in supplying renewable marine fuels to the international shipping sector.

Can Brazilian ports be key hubs for renewable fuel production?

Brazil's abundant renewable energy resources and location enable it to play a unique role in ramping up renewable fuel production for use in the maritime shipping sector. This study explores the potential of Brazilian ports to become key hubs for supplying renewable hydrogen and its derivatives, renewable ammonia and renewable methanol.

Are Brazilian ports ready for a green shipping corridor?

The analysis explores the readiness of Brazilian ports to support the production, bunkering and deployment of renewable hydrogen and its derivatives, such as renewable ammonia and renewable methanol, laying the groundwork for establishing green shipping corridors.

Which port in Brazil handles the most cargo in 2023?

In Brazil, both public and private ports are highly active. The Port of Santos, the largest port, handled 166 million tonnes of cargo in 2023, including solid and liquid bulk, container cargo, and general cargo. Similarly, Porto do Açu is a major port specializing in dry bulk, breakbulk, and liquefied natural gas.

Which Brazilian port facilities have the highest cargo movement rates?

Brazilian port facilities exhibiting higher activity rates, as determined using the 2021 cargo movement data, namely, Ponta da Madeira, Santos, Tubarão, Angra dos Reis, Sebastião, Paranaguá, Açu, Itaguaçu, Itaquí, and Ilha da Guaba [52], can be identified as primary hotspots for the transition of the Brazilian maritime transportation sector.

How many bunker ports are there in Brazil?

In Brazil, there are 18 ports that sell bunker fuel to ships, and they almost exclusively sell residual fuel and distillate fuel (see Appendix B for the list of bunker ports). The final scores of the top 10 ports are presented in Table 3. Scores for the top 30 ports are in Appendix C.

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