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# **“Doing Business in Brazil: is it that complicated after all?”**

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TABLE 1.1 Rankings on the ease of doing business

Rank	Economy	DB2014 reforms	Rank	Economy	DB2014 reforms	Rank	Economy	DB2014 reforms
1	Singapore	2	64	St. Lucia	0	127	Honduras	0
2	Hong Kong SAR, China	1	65	Italy	3	128	Egypt, Arab Rep.	0
3	New Zealand	1	66	Trinidad and Tobago	1	129	Kenya	0
4	United States	0	67	Ghana	0	130	Bangladesh	1
5	Denmark	0	68	Kyrgyz Republic	0	131	Bosnia and Herzegovina	0
6	Malaysia	3	69	Turkey	3	132	Uganda	1
7	Korea, Rep.	1	70	Azerbaijan	3	133	Yemen, Rep.	0
8	Georgia	1	71	Antigua and Barbuda	0	134	India	0
9	Norway	0	72	Greece	3	135	Ecuador	1
10	United Kingdom	2	73	Romania	3	136	Lesotho	1
11	Australia	1	74	Vanuatu	1	137	Cambodia	0
12	Finland	0	75	Czech Republic	1	138	West Bank and Gaza	1
13	Iceland	1	76	Mongolia	3	139	Mozambique	2
14	Sweden	1	77	Dominica	0	140	Burundi	6
15	Ireland	0	78	Moldova	3	141	Bhutan	2
16	Taiwan, China	0	79	Guatemala	3	142	Sierra Leone	0
17	Lithuania	2	80	Seychelles	0	143	Tajikistan	2
18	Thailand	1	81	San Marino	0	144	Liberia	2
19	Canada	0	82	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0	145	Tanzania	2
20	Mauritius	3	83	Zambia	1	146	Uzbekistan	6
21	Germany	0	84	Bahamas, The	2	147	Nigeria	0
22	Estonia	1	85	Sri Lanka	4	148	Madagascar	2
23	United Arab Emirates	3	86	Kosovo	3	149	Sudan	0
24	Latvia	4	87	Morocco	3	150	Gambia, The	1
25	Macedonia, FYR	6	88	Uruguay	1	151	Iraq	0
26	Saudi Arabia	0	89	Croatia	5	152	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0
27	Japan	0	90	Albania	1	153	Algeria	0
28	Netherlands	2	91	Barbados	0	154	Burkina Faso	1
29	Switzerland	0	92	Russian Federation	5	155	Mali	0
30	Austria	0	93	Serbia	0	156	Micronesia, Fed. Sts.	0
31	Portugal	1	94	Jamaica	3	157	Togo	3
32	Rwanda	8	95	Maldives	1	158	Comoros	1
33	Slovenia	1	96	China	2	159	Lao PDR	1
34	Chile	1	97	Solomon Islands	0	160	Djibouti	3
35	Israel	2	98	Namibia	0	161	Suriname	2

Source: World Bank 2013. *Doing Business 2014: Understanding Regulations for Small and Medium Size Enterprises*. Washington, DC



34	Chile	1	97	Solomon Islands	0	160	Djibouti	3
35	Israel	2	98	Namibia	0	161	Suriname	2
36	Belgium	0	99	Vietnam	2	162	Bolivia	0
37	Armenia	2	100	Palau	2	163	Gabon	3
38	France	1	101	St. Kitts and Nevis	0	164	Afghanistan	2
39	Cyprus	0	102	Costa Rica	2	165	Syrian Arab Republic	0
40	Puerto Rico (U.S.)	0	103	Malta	1	166	Equatorial Guinea	0
41	South Africa	1	104	Kuwait	1	167	Côte d'Ivoire	4
42	Peru	0	105	Nepal	1	168	Cameroon	0
43	Colombia	2	106	Belize	0	169	São Tomé and Príncipe	0
44	Montenegro	2	107	Grenada	0	170	Zimbabwe	0
45	Poland	2	108	Philippines	3	171	Malawi	1
46	Bahrain	1	109	Paraguay	1	172	Timor-Leste	0
47	Oman	0	110	Pakistan	0	173	Mauritania	1
48	Qatar	1	111	Lebanon	0	174	Benin	2
49	Slovak Republic	0	112	Ukraine	8	175	Guinea	3
50	Kazakhstan	2	113	Papua New Guinea	0	176	Niger	2
51	Tunisia	0	114	Marshall Islands	0	177	Haiti	0
52	Spain	1	115	Guyana	1	178	Senegal	1
53	Mexico	3	116	Brazil	0	179	Angola	0
54	Hungary	0	117	Dominican Republic	0	180	Guinea-Bissau	1
55	Panama	4	118	El Salvador	1	181	Venezuela, RB	1
56	Botswana	1	119	Jordan	0	182	Myanmar	1
57	Tonga	1	120	Indonesia	1	183	Congo, Dem. Rep.	3
58	Bulgaria	0	121	Cape Verde	2	184	Eritrea	0
59	Brunei Darussalam	1	122	Kiribati	0	185	Congo, Rep.	3
60	Luxembourg	0	123	Swaziland	2	186	South Sudan	0
61	Samoa	0	124	Nicaragua	2	187	Libya	0
62	Fiji	0	125	Ethiopia	0	188	Central African Republic	1
63	Belarus	4	126	Argentina	1	189	Chad	1

Note: The rankings for all economies are benchmarked to June 2013 and reported in the country tables. This year's rankings on the ease of doing business are the average of the economy's percentile rankings on the 10 topics included in this year's aggregate ranking. The number of reforms excludes those making it more difficult to do business.  
Source: Doing Business database

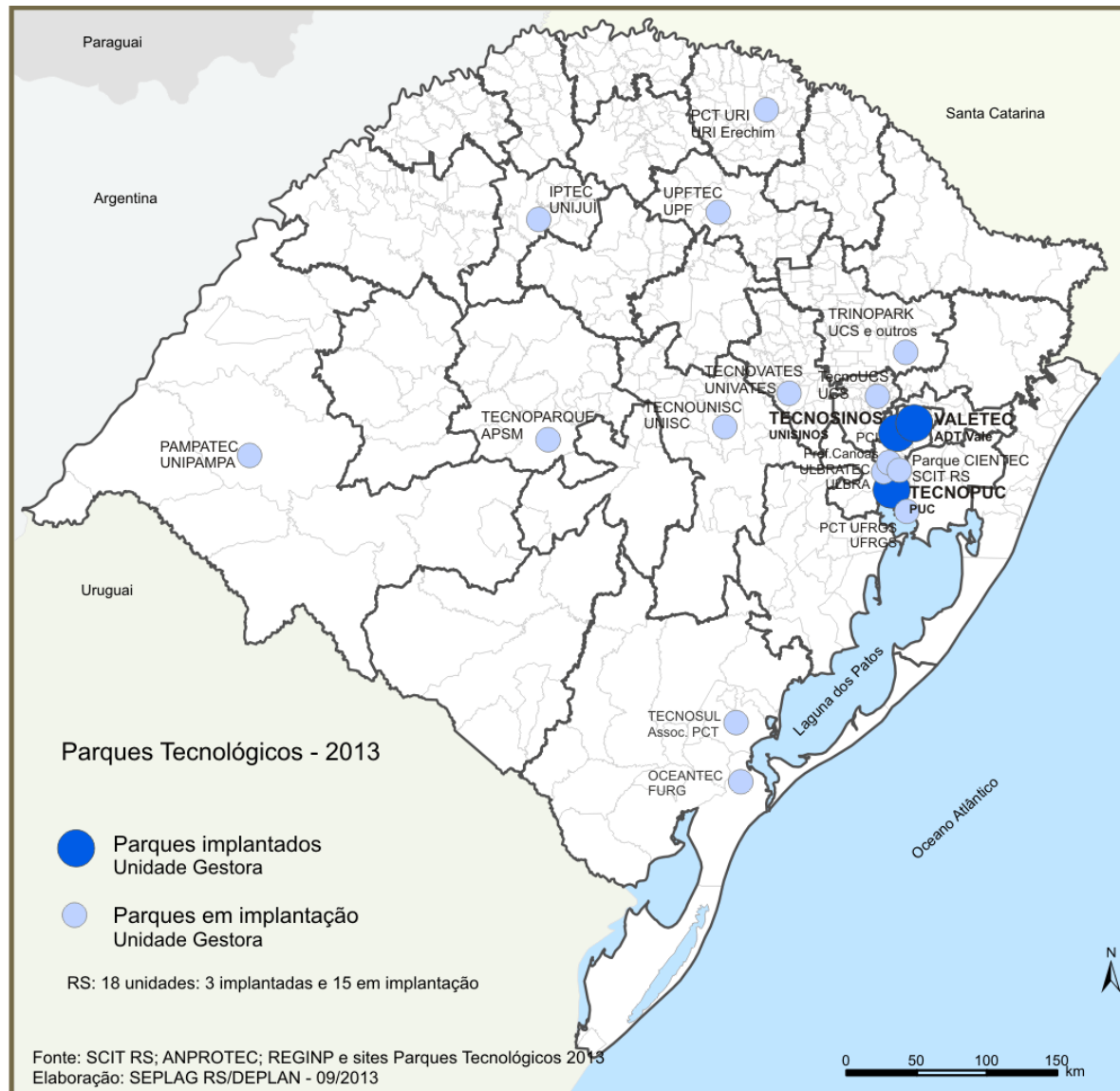
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✓ Reform making it easier to do business ✗ Reform making it more difficult to do business

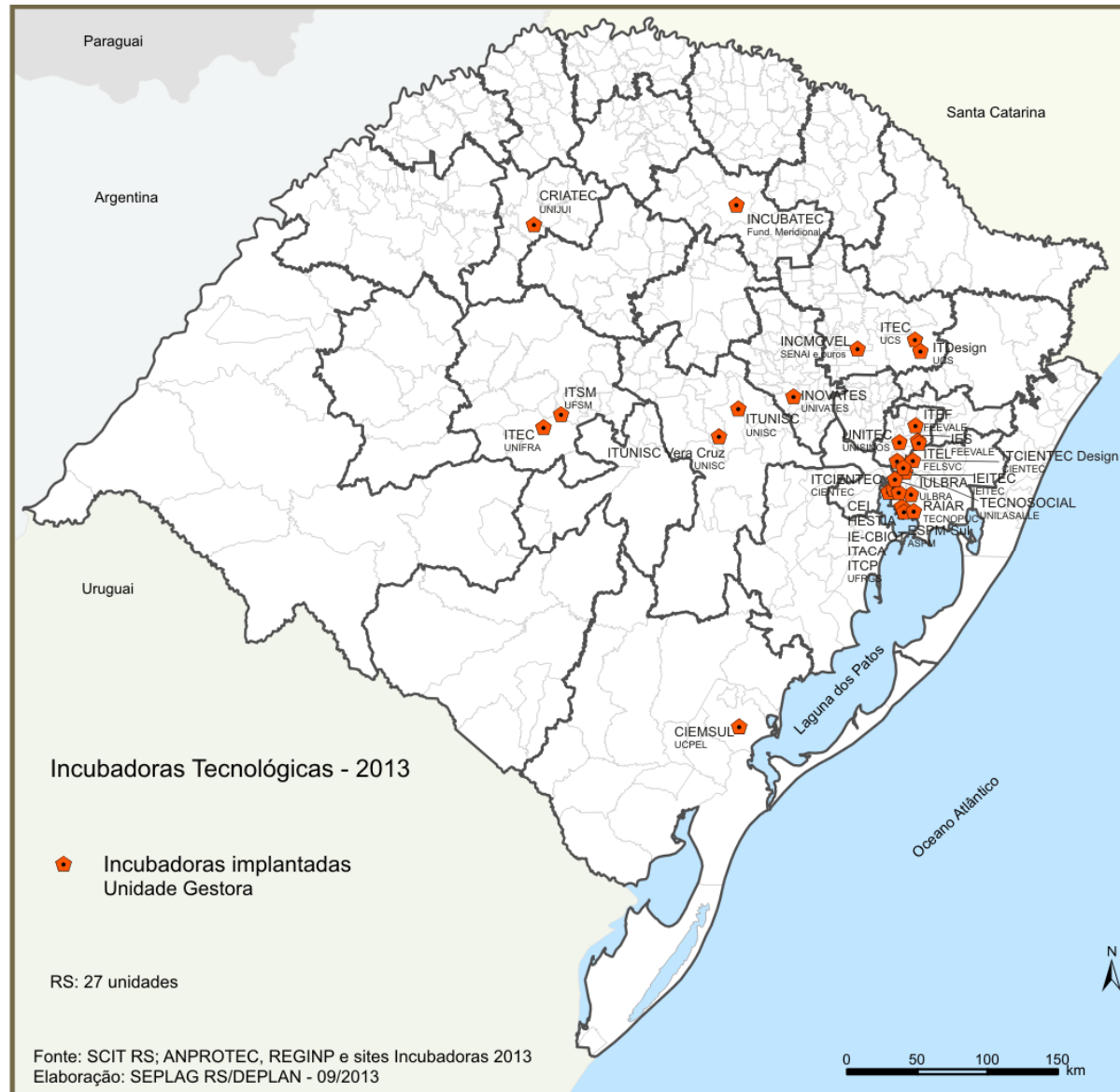
<b>BRAZIL</b>		Latin America & Caribbean		GNI per capita (US\$)	11,630
Ease of doing business (rank)	116	Upper middle income		Population (m)	198.7
<b>Starting a business</b> (rank)	123	<b>Registering property</b> (rank)	107	<b>Trading across borders</b> (rank)	124
Procedures (number)	13	Procedures (number)	14	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	107.5	Time (days)	30	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.6	Cost (% of property value)	2.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,215
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		<b>Getting credit</b> (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	17
<b>Dealing with construction permits</b> (rank)	130	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,275
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	400	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	50.4	<b>Enforcing contracts</b> (rank)	121
Cost (% of income per capita)	34.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	63.4	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	731
<b>Getting electricity</b> (rank)	14	<b>Protecting investors</b> (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	16.5
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	58	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	<b>Resolving insolvency</b> (rank)	135
Cost (% of income per capita)	34.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	12
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	19.5
		<b>Paying taxes</b> (rank)	159		
		Payments (number per year)	9		
		Time (hours per year)	2,600		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	68.3		

Note: Most indicator sets refer to a case scenario in an economy's largest business city. For more details, see the data notes.

## Rio Grande do Sul Technology Parks and potential Sustainable Innovation Zones



## Rio Grande do Sul Business Incubators and potential Sustainable Innovation Zones





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