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**TECHNOLOGY CHOICE AND DEVELOPMENT IN BRAZIL:
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Technology choice profoundly affects a country's development process because capital-intensive and labor-intensive technologies have different socioeconomic linkages within the economy. This research examines the impacts of technology choice through the use of a social accounting matrix (SAM) framework. SAM-based modeling determines the direct and indirect effects of technology choice on development, particularly poverty alleviation in Brazil. Brazil's alternative fuel program was analyzed as a special example of technology choice. Two ethanol production technologies and the gasoline sector were compared; to make the study more robust, labor and capital intensive technologies were evaluated in the production of agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and services. Growth in these economic sectors was examined to assess the effects on employment, factor and household income, energy intensity, and carbon dioxide costs. Poverty alleviation was a focus, so income to unskilled agriculture labor, unskilled non-agriculture labor, and income to rural and urban households in poverty was also analyzed.

The major research finding is that overall, labor-intensive technologies generate more employment, factor and household income, environmental and energy benefits to Brazil's economy than capital-intensive technologies. In addition, labor-intensive technologies make a particular contribution to poverty alleviation. The results suggest that policies to encourage the adoption of these technologies, especially in the agriculture and renewable energy sectors, are important because of their intersectoral linkages within the economy.

Many studies have shown that Brazil's fuel ethanol program has helped to realize multiple macroeconomic objectives. However, this is the first empirical study to quantify its household income effects. The ethanol industry generated the most household income of the energy sectors. The research confirms a key finding of the appropriate technology literature, namely that government policies are important to the implementation of labor-intensive technologies.

Finally, this research makes two important contributions to the SAM methodology. It is one of the first SAM modeling exercises to quantify the costs of carbon dioxide emissions and the impact of alternative fuels on regional and human development. The addition of an environmental sector enables the planner to determine carbon dioxide effects resulting from growth in different socioeconomic sectors. This will have implications for greenhouse gas mitigation strategies.

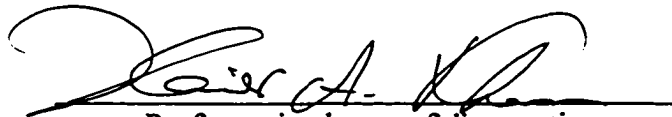
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CHAPTER ONE

INTRODUCTION

Technology choice is an important socioeconomic development issue because different techniques often imply different strategies of economic development with very different effects on the performance of the economy.¹

Others state more explicitly:

The choice of technologies is one of the most important collective decisions facing a developing country. It is a choice which affects the whole fabric of the economic and social structure. It determines who works and who does not; the whole pattern of income distribution, where work is done and therefore the urban/rural balance; what is produced and for whose benefit resources are used.²

This research examines the social, economic, energy, and environmental effects of several production technologies. Brazil's alternative fuel program is analyzed as a special example of a technology choice. In addition, the employment, labor and household income, energy as well as environment effects of different

¹Amartya Sen, *Choice of Techniques: An Aspect of the Theory of Planned Economic Development* (New York: Augustus M. Kelley, 1968), 2.

²Intermediate Technology Development Group, *Journal of Appropriate Technology* (London: Intermediate Technology Development Group, n.d.), 2.

economic sectors are evaluated. Labor and capital intensive technologies are compared in the production of agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and services. The findings of this analysis have implications for development planning.

Brazil can provide many insights into the use of alternative transportation fuels because of its extensive experience with ethanol. Brazil's development of a domestic gasoline substitute, based on ethanol produced from sugarcane, is today the largest alternative transportation fuel program worldwide. Public policy makers promoted the biomass fuel program as a means to help meet its energy needs, and at the same time, contribute to its overall development.

SECTION ONE: BRAZIL'S ALTERNATIVE FUEL PROGRAM

Brazil's alternative transportation fuel program, called *Proalcool*, was explicitly justified as part of a development strategy. In 1974, Brazil's oil import bill was 39.5% of total exports.³ Policy makers adopted an alternative transportation fuel policy in 1975, primarily to save foreign exchange and to be energy self-sufficient. Other objectives included: to stimulate rural employment, to reduce regional income inequality, to utilize surplus agricultural feedstock, and to foster a domestic research and development capability in distillation technology and machinery.⁴ Brazil's

³Mark Levison, "Alcohol Fuels Revisited: The Costs and Benefits of Energy Independence in Brazil," *The Journal of Developing Areas* 21 (April 1987): 243.

⁴Plinio Nastari, "The role of sugarcane in Brazil's history and economy" (Ph.D.

program has been successfully implemented because of government policies affecting both production and consumption. These policies include subsidies, tax incentives, and differential fuel pricing.

Proalcool is the most extensive domestic gasoline substitute program in the world. About 685 distilleries with an installed capacity of over 16 billion liters, produce some 12 billion liters of ethanol annually. Currently, ethanol is the primary automotive fuel in Brazil with 75% of the passenger cars operating on either pure ethanol (which is 77% to 83% as efficient as gasoline) or an ethanol-gasoline blend (which is as efficient as gasoline).⁵ An estimated 30% -- or 4.5 million—of Brazil's current passenger vehicles operate only on pure ethanol (also known as neat or hydrous ethanol), and 5 million cars run on gasoline that is blended with 22% ethanol (also known as anhydrous ethanol).⁶ Between 1976 and 1990, total investment in Brazil's *Proalcool* program amounted to \$10.5 billion (in September 1990 dollars), and saved the country \$18.3 billion in foregone oil imports as of 1990.⁷ Projections

diss., Iowa State University, 1983), 112.

⁵Kevin Rask, "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production," *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 43, no. 3 (1995): 630-631.

⁶Jose Goldemberg, L. Monaco, and I. Macedo, "The Brazilian Fuel Alcohol Program," in *Renewable Energy: Sources for Fuels and Electricity*, ed. T.B. Johansson, K. Kelly, A. Reddy, and R. Williams (Washington, D.C.: Island Press, 1993), 843.

⁷Plinio Nastari, "Turbulence Marks Brazil's Alcohol Program," *Fuel*

for *Proalcool's* direct employment is estimated to be about 700,000.⁸ The substitution of gasoline has avoided the release into the atmosphere of an average of 5.86 million tons of carbon per year (MtC/year) from 1980 to 1990, which is almost 25% of Brazil's total carbon dioxide emissions contribution caused by the transport sector (24 MtC) in 1990.⁹ In addition, the World Bank reports that ethanol-powered cars reduce emissions of lead by 100%, carbon monoxide by 57%, hydrocarbons by 64%, and nitrogen oxides by 13%.¹⁰

While the socioeconomic and environmental benefits of *Proalcool* are documented, controversy has always surrounded Brazil's national ethanol program. The assessments of the socioeconomic impacts of the ethanol industry are contentiously debated. There is consensus that Brazil has been extremely successful in developing a substitute for gasoline in the transportation sector. However, the major criticism is the opportunity cost of government support for the alternative fuel program. Critics of the program claim the ethanol program is too costly and the

Reformulation (January/February 1992): 51.

⁸Ibid.

⁹E. Lebre La Rovere and P. Audinet, "Environmental Benefits of the Brazilian Ethanol Programme," *Proceedings From the First Biomass Conference of the Americas: Energy, Environment, Agriculture, and Industry* (Golden, CO: National Renewable Energy Laboratory, 1993), 1540.

¹⁰World Bank, *Project Completion Report, Brazil - Alcohol and Biomass Energy Development Project* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1990), 61.

primary beneficiaries of the program are special interest groups involved in the production, distribution, and consumption of ethanol, i.e., land owners who produce sugarcane, the distillation industry, and the privileged class who own cars. This study intends to evaluate the direct and indirect effects of the alternative fuel industry.

SECTION TWO: RESEARCH OBJECTIVES

The overall objective of this research is to assess the extent to which different economic sectors contribute to Brazil's development objectives. This study examines the effects of several comparative technologies on poverty alleviation. The ethanol industry is evaluated as a special example of technology choice. Two ethanol production techniques are analyzed for their employment, income generation and distribution, energy consumption, and environmental effects. Brazil's response to the energy crises of the 1970s has important implications for energy, environmental, and agroindustrial policies. It is also instructive for countries that have the potential to produce a renewable biomass alternative to petroleum.

In addition, the employment, income, energy, and environmental effects are compared between a relatively labor-intensive technology and a capital-intensive technology in the production of agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and service sectors. Analysis of the economic sectors shows the production activities that most benefit the poorer households; it also highlights differences due to technology choice.

This study permits an examination of the impact of growth in specific economic sectors on poverty. Growth rather than poverty alleviation has been the priority of the Brazilian government. Brazil has high income inequality with marked regional income differences. Income inequality appears to have increased significantly in the 1960s; however, during the 1970s the trend was much milder and the level of absolute poverty declined in the 1970s.¹¹ The proportion of families in poverty hardly budged from 1960 to 1970, but fell appreciably from 1970 to 1980 - from 38% to 22% of the population.¹²

Table 1 shows the number of families below the poverty line in 1960, 1970, and 1980. In 1940, about 30% of the Brazilian population lived in urban areas, while 70% lived in rural areas. The census of 1980 showed the proportions reversed, with about 70% of the population living in urban areas.¹³ Agriculture is still responsible for about a third of all existing jobs, compared to about 55% in 1940. About 30% of GDP was generated by the agriculture sector in 1940, and about 12% in the early 1980s.¹⁴

¹¹Angus Maddison and Associates, *The Political Economy of Poverty, Equity, and Growth: Brazil and Mexico* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1992), 79.

¹²Ibid., 95.

¹³Antonio Brandao and J.L. Carvalho, *Trade, Exchange Rate, and Agricultural Pricing Policies in Brazil* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1991), 11.

¹⁴Ibid.

Table 1. Number of families below the poverty line, 1960, 1970, 1980.

Measure	1960	1970	1980
Poverty line (current new Cr\$)	3.30	150.00	4153.50
Deflator	1.00	45.46	1258.64
Poverty line in 1960 prices (new Cr\$)	3.30	3.30	3.30
Number of families in poverty (10 ⁶)	5.27	7.04	5.83
Total number of families (10 ⁶)	13.55	18.58	26.87
Percentage of families below poverty line	38.90	37.90	21.70
Urban population % ^a	47	58	70

Source: Unpublished estimates by A.V. Villela and Associates in Maddison and Associates. *The Political Economy of Poverty, Equity, and Growth: Brazil and Mexico* (New York: Oxford University Press, 1992), 95. © by Oxford University Press. ^a "Reprinted from *Energy Policy*, Gilberto De Martino Jannuzzi, Residential energy demand in Brazil by income classes, 254-263. © (June 1989), with permission from Elsevier Science."

A. Need for Study

In recent years, research has been done to assess the socioeconomic impacts of the ethanol industry in Brazil.¹⁵ Almost all conclude that the technical

¹⁵Goldemberg et al., *The Brazilian Fuel Alcohol Program*; F. Joseph Demetrius, *Brazil's National Alcohol Program: Technology and Development in an Authoritarian Regime* (New York: Praeger, 1990); Armand Pereira, *Ethanol, Employment and Development: Lessons from Brazil* (Geneva, Switzerland: International Labour Organization, 1986); R. Bhatia and A. Pereira, ed., *Socioeconomic Aspects of Renewable Energy Technologies* (New York: Praeger

implementation of the biomass energy program has been a success, and that there have been significant foreign exchange savings and employment generation. Against these gains are cited a worsening of regional and individual income distribution for which there are only descriptive assessments. The current research will provide an empirical analysis of the distributional effects within a methodological framework capable of measuring both the direct and indirect employment, income distribution, and environmental consequences of the alternative fuel program.

Additionally, this research will contribute to the literature on science, technology, and development, especially technology choice and its social and economic consequences. Specifically, this study will show the employment, income, energy, and environmental effects of two different production techniques across several economic sectors. The research findings will have policy implications for poverty alleviation and overall development objectives.

Publishers, 1988); World Bank, *Project Performance Audit Report, Brazil: Alcohol and Biomass Energy Development Project* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1990); World Bank, *Alcohol Production from Biomass in Developing Countries*. (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1980); U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Policy, Planning and Analysis, *Assessment of Costs and Benefits of Flexible and Alternative Fuel Use on the U.S. Transportation Sector. Progress Report Two: The International Experience* (Springfield, VA: National Technical Information Services, August 1988); Daniel Sperling, *New Transportation Fuels: A Strategic Approach to Technical Change* (Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 1988); Fred Moavenzadeh and David Geltner, *Transportation, Energy and Economic Development: A Dilemma in the Developing World* (New York: Elsevier, 1984).

B. Specific Approach of Study

This research provides an assessment of a technology choice within the macroeconomic framework of a social accounting matrix (SAM). It empirically illustrates the relevancy of a SAM in capturing the policy implications of choosing between alternative technologies. A novel contribution of this research is the incorporation of a pollution sector to the SAM methodology. Given the carbon emissions from the energy sector and conservative carbon emission costs from the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, the carbon dioxide (CO₂) costs are estimated. Therefore, the CO₂ costs of different policies can also be captured. This study is the second analysis,¹⁶ which uses data between 1975 and 1985 to assess the extent to which the government's explicit objectives were being met through the end of the second five-year period. The findings will contribute to the alternative energy discussion and assist in future energy policy formulation.

A second novelty of this research is that it includes an empirical analysis of the employment effects of industrialization between 1960 and 1990. Using data from the 1993 United Nations Macroeconomic Data System, it compares rates of labor absorption with industry growth rates. Policymakers, particularly of those countries experiencing chronic unemployment, may find the SAM methodology a useful short-term planning tool.

¹⁶Demetrius, *Brazil's National Alcohol Program*.

C. Research Hypotheses

1. The adoption of labor-intensive technologies provides greater employment than relatively more capital-intensive technologies. Brazil's ethanol sector provides greater employment than the gasoline sector. In addition, Brazil's traditional agriculture, non-durable consumer goods, and private service sectors generate more employment than the export agriculture, durable consumer goods, and public and financial/commercial service sectors.
2. The adoption of labor-intensive technologies provides greater total labor and capital income than relatively more capital-intensive technologies. Brazil's ethanol sector provides more factor income than the gasoline sector. In addition, Brazil's traditional agriculture, non-durable consumer goods, and private service sectors generate more factor income than the export agriculture, durable consumer goods, and public and financial/commercial service sectors.
3. The implementation of labor-intensive technologies increases the income received by the lower income rural and urban households. Brazil's ethanol sector generates greater income than the gasoline sector to the following households: rural workers, rural managers, organized urban labor, and non-organized urban labor. In addition, Brazil's traditional agriculture, non-durable consumer goods, and private service sectors provide more income to rural and urban households in

poverty than the export agriculture, durable consumer goods, and public and financial/commercial service sectors.

4. Certain kinds of government policies are needed to support labor-intensive technologies. A decrease in government expenditures for the ethanol sector will negatively affect employment within the energy sector and income distribution to lower income rural and urban households: rural workers, rural managers, organized urban labor, and non-organized urban labor. In addition, a decrease in government expenditures in Brazil's traditional agriculture, non-durable consumer goods, and private service sectors will negatively affect employment within the energy sector and income distribution to the rural and urban households in poverty than the export agriculture, durable consumer goods, and public and financial/commercial service sectors.

5. Labor-intensive technologies have lower environmental and energy costs than comparative capital-intensive technologies. The use of ethanol has lower CO₂ and conventional energy costs than gasoline. In addition, Brazil's traditional agriculture, non-durable consumer goods, and private service sectors have lower CO₂ and non-renewable energy costs than the export agriculture, durable consumer goods, and public and financial/commercial service sectors.

D. Research Methodology

The SAM is an analytical framework which summarizes the interrelationships among the structure of production (including output by economic sector); the distribution of value added going to factors of production (including employment); and the income distribution by socioeconomic groups (households) as well as the corresponding consumption and savings behavior of these socioeconomic groups. It reveals how changes in production affect household income distribution and how household income affects final demand. This relatively new framework is meaningful because one can more fully comprehend how technology and government policies affect production sectors, and in turn how production sectors affect the entire economy, especially the employment and household income.

The hypotheses are tested within the open Keynesian multisectoral approach of a SAM framework. The testing incorporates comparative static exercises relying on fixed price multipliers and structural path analysis. This methodology shows the employment and income distribution effects resulting from changes in expenditure patterns due to changes in technology or government policies. Fixed price multipliers, derived from a SAM model, are used to assess how changes in technology or government policy affect the employment and household income of different economic sectors. Structural path analysis decomposes the fixed price

multiplier to capture the direct and indirect results of such changes upon the entire socioeconomic system.

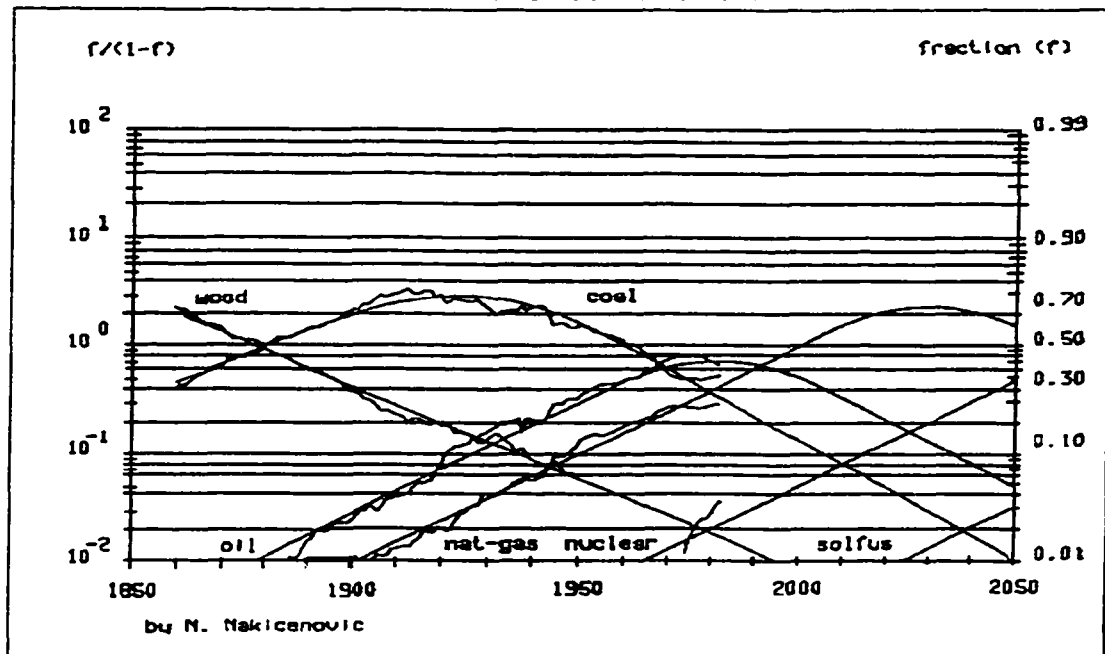
This research is interesting because the methodology can capture the socioeconomic differences due to technology choice. It also contributes to the literature on alternative fuels which are becoming more important for environmental public health reasons.

SECTION THREE: ALTERNATIVE FUEL DEVELOPMENT

Alternative fuels have been integral to the evolution of transportation energy systems. Figure 1 shows the outcome of underlying developments in the transportation sector which has resulted in the substitution of traditional fossil fuel energy sources, based first on coal and steam, then on oil and natural gas, and more recently, but to a lesser extent, on nuclear and hydro energy. Fuelwood and traditional energy sources dominated primary energy until 1880, as canal transport peaked in 1836 and feed for horses and working animals reached a maximum in the 1870s. Coal became the major fuel source between 1880 and 1960 and was the basis for the massive expansion of railroads and steamships. Steam systems peaked in the 1920s and declined thereafter due to the development of internal combustion engine systems of automobiles. Since 1960, oil has become the primary transportation energy source. Historically, the development of transportation technologies and their fuels has occurred cyclically as technologies have provided the means to increase

distances involved in the transport of people, goods, and services in shorter periods of time. The steam ship replaced the sail boat, the electric motor replaced the stationary coal-fired steam engine, and the internal combustion engine powered car replaced the horse.¹⁷

FIGURE 1. GLOBAL PRIMARY ENERGY SUBSTITUTION.



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Alternative fuels have minimally affected modern motor vehicle transportation systems. One percent of the world's motor vehicles use fuels other than gasoline or

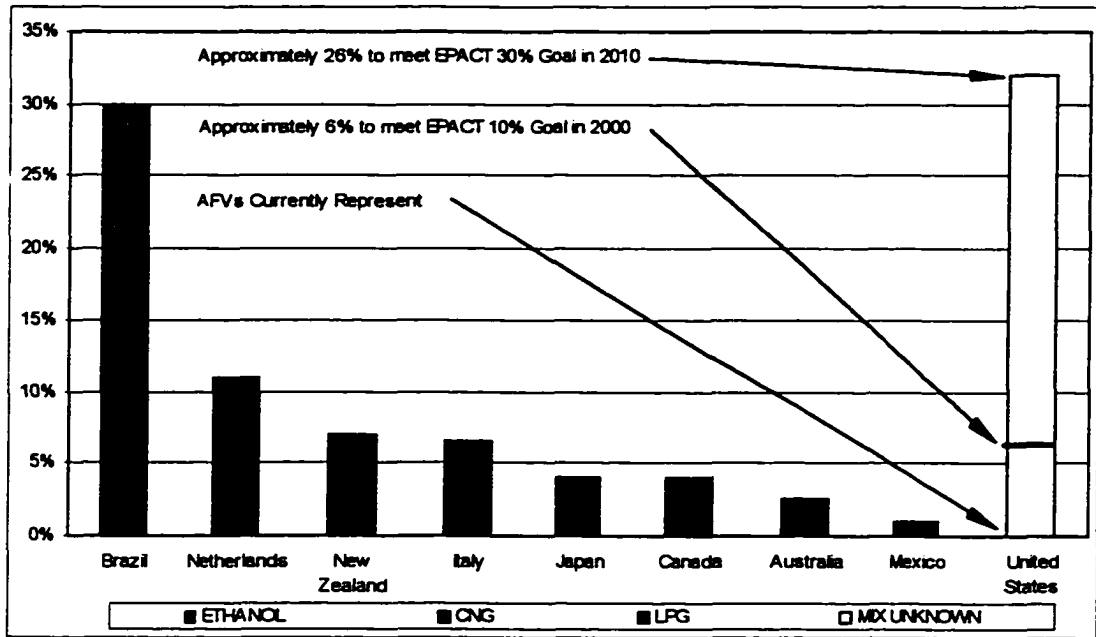
¹⁷Arnulf Grubler et al., *Dynamics of Transport and Energy Systems* (Laxenburg, Austria: IIASA, RR93-19, 1993), 11-14. See also A. Grubler and N. Nakicenovic, *Evolution of Transport Systems: Past and Future* (Laxenburg, Austria: IIASA, 1991).

diesel fuel.¹⁸ Three major alternative transportation fuels are used today: ethanol, compressed natural gas (CNG), and liquefied petroleum gas (LPG). Only Brazil, the Netherlands, and New Zealand have alternative fuel programs affecting significant portions of their motor vehicles. The United States Energy Policy Act (EPACT) of 1990 is expected to increase the number of alternative fuel vehicles from less than 5% of the total vehicle fleet in 1990 to over 30% in 2010. Figure 2 shows the percentage of alternative fuel vehicles in selected countries.

The recent development of alternative transportation fuels initially occurred as a result of the energy crises of the 1970s and early 1980s. The 1973-74 quadrupling of oil prices successfully led the commercial, residential, agricultural, and industrial sectors to greater efficiency, conservation, and alternative fuel use. However, transportation systems have been largely unable to achieve large-scale fuel diversification or fuel flexibility and remain dependent upon petroleum.

¹⁸U.S. Dept. of Energy, *EPACT Section 506: Technical and Policy Analysis*, (Washington, D.C.: Office of Transportation Technologies, in press), E-1.

FIGURE 2. ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL VEHICLE FLEET.



Source: U.S. Dept. of Energy, *EPACT Section 506: Technical and Policy Analysis*, (Washington, D.C.: Office of Transportation Technologies, in press), E-13.

Today, it is the environmental and socioeconomic costs associated with fossil fuel use, i.e., greenhouse gas emissions, ground level ozone, acid rain, and air toxics that are driving the development of alternative transportation fuels. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) estimates that gasoline vapors and motor vehicle emissions account for roughly 50% of the ozone, 75% to 90% of the carbon monoxide, and about 50% of the airborne toxics that put people at risk of cancer.¹⁹

¹⁹U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), "Health Risk Perspectives on Fuel Oxygenates," 600/R-94/217 (Washington, D.C.: Office of Research and Development, December 1994), 2.

Fossil energy consumption associated with human activities is responsible for 70% to 90% of carbon dioxide emissions, the major greenhouse gas.²⁰ In 1990, fossil energy consumption emitted about 5.5 billion tonnes of carbon (GtC) into the atmosphere; the transportation sector was responsible for more than 1 GtC and for approximately 22% of global final energy consumption.²¹ The World Bank states, "motor vehicles cause more air pollution than any other single human activity."²² The worldwide fleet is estimated at over 580 million motor vehicles with over 400 million passenger cars.²³

The transport sector is of particular interest because it is the fastest growing energy end-use category. It is this sector where the impact of population growth on natural resource consumption, and resulting environmental pollution, is perhaps the

²⁰Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), *Energy Supply Mitigation Options: Review Draft* (Geneva: IPCC, 1994), 4.

²¹N. Nakicenovic *et al.*, "Long-Term Strategies for Mitigating Global Warming," *Energy* 18, no. 5 (1993): 404 and 556.

²²A. Faiz *et al.*, *Automobile Air Pollution: Issues and Options for Developing Countries*, working paper no. 492 (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, August 1990), 14.

²³National Alternative Fuels Hotline for Transportation Technologies, "International Alternative Fuel Vehicle Count Estimates," mimeo, (Washington, D.C.: National Alternative Fuels Hotline, 1994); and Nakicenovic *et al.*, "Long-Term Strategies for Mitigating Global Warming," , 556.

most indirect of all energy demand categories.²⁴ The transportation sector accounts for over 50% of total oil consumption in developing and developed countries.²⁵ Energy use for transportation in the developing world is expected to grow rapidly in the future, as increasing urbanization and growing incomes lead to greater demand for transportation services.²⁶

Andreas Schaefer's study on global motorized mobility trends confirms the direct relationship between economic development and motorized transportation services.²⁷ His research finds that as per capita gross domestic product (GDP) increases so does motorized mobility. If global per capita GDP continues to increase annually by 2%, as it has between 1960 and 1990, then global motorized mobility per capita will double by 2020. Schaefer concludes that if the world population increases

²⁴Arnulf Grubler, "The transportation sector: growing demand and emissions," *Pacific and Asian Journal of Energy* 3 (1993): 179-199.

²⁵U.S. Congress, Office of Technology Assessment, *Fueling Development: Energy Technologies for Developing Countries*, OTA-E-516 (Washington, D.C.: U.S. Government Printing Office, April 1992), 145.

²⁶U.S. Congress, Office of Technology Assessment, *Energy in Developing Countries*, OTA-E-486 (Washington, D.C.: U.S. Government Printing Office, January 1991), 76.

²⁷Andreas Schaefer, "Trends in Global Motorized Mobility: The Past 30 Years and Implications for the Next Century," forthcoming, 1-23.

by 50% between 1990 and 2020,²⁸ then absolute motorized mobility will increase by a factor of three.

Schaefer's study highlights the importance of motor vehicles. He calculates that worldwide passenger car traffic volume increased from 3 trillion passenger kilometers (passenger-km) in 1960 to some 10 trillion passenger-km in 1990. Between 1960 and 1990, bus passenger-km increased from 1 trillion to almost 7 trillion; railway passenger-km increased from 1 trillion to 2 trillion, and aircraft passenger-km increased from 150 billion to 2 trillion. He found that in 1990, 75% of total car traffic volume occurred in the most industrialized countries, while developing countries account for almost 80% of global bus passenger-km.²⁹ It is expected that as per capita income increases in the developing world, there will be a significant increase in motor vehicle transportation.

Automobiles are integral to current transportation systems. In 1986, the number of automobiles per 1000 people in China was less than 2; in Brazil, 87; and in the U.S., 673 -- whereas, the average annual growth in automobile size between 1982 and 1986 was 41.6% in China, almost 9% in Brazil, and 2.4% in the U.S.³⁰

²⁸United Nations, *World Population Prospects: The 1992 Revision* (New York: United Nations, 1993), 6.

²⁹Schaefer, "Global Motorized Mobility Trends," 3.

³⁰U.S. Congress, Office of Technology Assessment, *Energy in Developing Countries*, 12.

Table 2. Percentage annual growth rate of passenger fleet in select countries.

Country Group	Passenger Cars	Commercial Vehicles	Two & Three Wheelers	Total
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES				
Cameroon	11.8	29.5	9.1	13.1
Kenya	3.2	3.7	4.0	3.3
Bolivia	8.6	24.5	6.9	11.6
Brazil	8.9	7.3	25.6	9.8
Thailand	8.8	4.4	9.5	8.8
India	8.2	11.2	25.4	18.4
China	41.6	14.8	44.9	29.8
Taiwan	16.2	5.4	10.3	13.9
Weighted Average	10.0	11.4	19.1	13.9
INDUSTRIAL COUNTRIES				
Japan	3.0	4.1	7.0	4.4
US	2.4	3.5	-5.6	2.3
West Germany	3.3	0.4	-2.2	2.6
Weighted Average	2.6	3.6	2.4	2.8

Source: U.S. Congress, Office of Technology Assessment, *Energy in Developing Countries*, OTA-E-486 (Washington, D.C.: U.S. Government Printing Office, January 1991), 12.

Table 2, incorporating commercial vehicles as well as two and three wheelers, shows that the weighted average of total annual vehicle fleet growth in developing countries is five times greater than in industrial countries. Further evidence which

supports the trend toward independent travel is the World Bank's worldwide funding of highways which increased from \$2.5 billion in 1970 to \$14.3 billion in 1986. Total investment in transportation systems went from \$5.3 billion to \$26.9 billion during the same period

The U.S. Office of Technology Assessment identifies increases in worldwide population growth rates and industrialization as the two major forces driving global energy consumption levels higher. Today, developing countries have 4 billion people or 77% of the world's population; they are projected to account for 88% of the global population by 2100, virtually all of the projected increase in global population.³¹ This population growth will need services which require commercial energy to provide employment, housing, and food. Management of energy development to improve the living standards of growing populations has far reaching environmental and socioeconomic impacts for both developing and industrialized countries.

Development was central to the 1992 United Nations Conference on the Environment and Development (UNCED) in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. The conference underscored the importance of alternative energy for sustainable development:

The goal of sustainable development cannot be realized without major changes in the world's energy system. Accordingly, Agenda 21, which was adopted by UNCED, called for "new policies or programs, as appropriate, to increase the contribution of environmentally safe and sound and cost-effective energy systems,

³¹Ibid., 11.

particularly new and renewable ones, through less polluting and more efficient energy production, transmission, distribution, and use.³²

The United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, ratified in March 1994, requires signatory countries to submit national plans for implementing the Convention. These national plans will affect transport energy supply and demand. For these reasons, alternative transportation fuels are becoming increasingly important to countries' energy management and development planning. Brazil's alternative fuel program is an interesting case study because it was a unique response to the energy crises of the 1970s. Policy makers incorporated energy management and development planning to enact an alternative transportation fuel program that provides substantial environmental and socioeconomic development benefits.

SECTION FOUR: CONCLUSION

This research examines the pioneering effort of Brazil to utilize sugarcane as an alternative transportation fuel in response to the energy crisis of the 1970s. Brazil formulated and developed a national energy policy based on a certain set of factors which existed in 1974; these factors have since changed. Policymakers are now forced to reconsider the extent to which they can continue to support the program in light of low oil prices.

³²T. Johansson, H. Kelly, A. Reddy, R. Williams, *Renewable Energy: Sources for Fuels and Electricity* (Washington, D.C.: Island Press, 1993), preface.

It also assesses the direct and indirect social, economic, energy, and environmental impacts of several production technologies. A labor-intensive technology and a capital-intensive technology are compared in the agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and service sectors. The research hypotheses posit that the labor-intensive technologies generate more employment, provide greater labor and household income, utilize less energy, and have lower environmental costs than the capital-intensive technologies. Furthermore, government support of the labor-intensive technologies is warranted because labor-intensive technologies make a greater socioeconomic contribution to the Brazilian economy than capital-intensive technologies.

The direct and indirect linkages of the different technologies can be seen in a SAM-based model. The fixed price multiplier and structural path analysis, based on the SAM model, capture the employment, income distribution, and output impacts of technology choice and government policies upon the energy, agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors as well as on the entire economic system. This research has implications for energy, agriculture, and industrial policy.

This study is particularly relevant to countries which have the potential to produce an alternative to petroleum given the increasing demand for oil in developing countries, increasing independent automotive travel, and increasing environmental pressure to develop cleaner transportation fuels. It also shows the impact of growth

in specific sectors of the economy on poverty alleviation as well as the socioeconomic and environmental consequences of technology choice in the agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and service sectors. These results will provide policymakers with data on how certain government policies will affect different social and economic sectors of Brazil's economy.

SECTION FIVE: OUTLINE OF STUDY

Chapter Two reviews the literature on science, technology, and development, focusing on the implications of technology choice upon socioeconomic development. Chapter Three examines how the alternative fuel industry fits into Brazil's socioeconomic structure. It details the development of the ethanol industry. Chapter Four presents the ways in which the alternative fuel program has affected employment and distribution. It describes two different technologies used to produce ethanol, as well their employment and distributional implications. Chapter Five presents a cost assessment of ethanol production. It covers ethanol production costs and several evaluations of the ethanol program. Chapter Six explains the SAM-based methodology that is used to measure and evaluate the direct and indirect employment and income distributional effects of Brazil's ethanol industry. It also describes the Brazilian SAM in detail. Chapter Seven presents the empirical findings of the data analysis. Chapter Eight discusses the results in light of energy policy formulation within the context of socioeconomic development planning.

CHAPTER TWO

REVIEW OF LITERATURE

The rationale of this study is to determine whether local labor-intensive technologies better contribute to the development process than capital-intensive technologies. The research hypotheses investigate the socioeconomic and environmental effects of several labor-intensive and capital-intensive technologies to assess which type of technology provides greater employment, improves income distribution, utilizes less conventional energy, and lowers greenhouse gas costs. To that end, the results of this research will contribute to the literature on science, technology, and development, especially technology choice and its social and economic consequences. Section one outlines the choice of technology debate. Section two presents empirical data on the employment and income distribution effects of industrialization between 1960 and 1990. Section three discusses the current evidence of technology choice using the same analytical framework as this research, i.e., the social accounting matrix model.

SECTION ONE: TECHNOLOGY CHOICE DEBATE

How does technology affect development in third world countries? Numerous studies illustrate its positive and negative contributions. It is now generally agreed that technology is not neutral and the results of empirical research show that technology can have deleterious socioeconomic consequences. Technology can also affect the underlying relationships of the entire economic system and ultimately impact a country's development path. Hence, development economists are reexamining more rigorously the relationship between technology and development to better understand the direct and indirect ramifications of technology choice.

Technology choice is critical to the development process because capital-intensive techniques and labor-intensive techniques have different socioeconomic linkages within the economy. These differences have a profound effect on the underlying relationships of the entire economic system and ultimately on the country's development strategy.

The technology choice debate focuses on the implications of choosing between alternative techniques of production. The general debate is between proponents of modern technologies, which are relatively capital-intensive, and advocates of traditional technologies, also known as intermediate, alternative and local technologies, which are relatively labor-intensive. The central argument

revolves around the relationship of capital accumulation to investment and growth, and the tradeoff between current and future consumption. The resolution to this debate is important because the choice between modern and traditional technologies suggests radically different policy options. If modern technologies are chosen, then policies which encourage capital-intensive techniques are adopted, for example, lowering interest rates and currency revaluation. If traditional technologies are preferred, then government policies such as increased interest rates, tax incentives for labor-intensive techniques, and subsidies, are implemented. This research contributes to this debate by evaluating the employment and income effects of capital-intensive and labor-intensive technologies in the agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and service sectors.

A. Capital-Intensive Technology Argument

From the 1940s through the early 1960s, the conventional means of economic development was the introduction of capital-intensive technologies. These technologies were supposed to trigger the “trickle-down” effect and improve labor productivity, which in turn would lead to increased wages, salaries and greater profits. Higher wages and salaries were to encourage rising effective demand and result in greater expenditures in both existing and new markets. Greater profits were to permit increased retained earnings and increased investment. This strategy rewarded a higher growth rate to firms investing in capital-intensive technologies and

expanded opportunities to those meeting the needs of wealthier workers. The socioeconomic results from the introduction of capital-intensive technologies were mixed. There was economic growth and employment, but the distribution of benefits was uneven.

Proponents of capital-intensive technologies argue that modern technologies are necessary for economic growth, because they are superior sources of capital accumulation, and contribute to investment which in turn leads to economic growth. While the resulting income distribution favors the high-income groups, it is their savings which expand the productive base and increase output. It is theorized that initially income inequality worsens; however, after a certain level of capital accumulation is achieved, there will be a spill-over effect. This inequality is temporary and will be reduced when labor is absorbed into the modern sector. As labor becomes scarce, wages will increase and income inequality will improve. Advocates of capital-intensive technologies point to the success of the Marshall Plan in the reconstruction of post-war Europe and to the historical experience of industrialized countries. This theory focuses on economic growth and is the basis of growth theory and modernization theory. It is supported by Polak, Buchanan, Kahn, Galenson and Leibenstein, Rostow, Kaldor, and Mellor.³³

³³ J.J. Polak, "Balance of Payments Problems of Countries Reconstructing with the Help of Foreign Loans," *Quarterly Journal of Economics* 57 (1943): 218; Norman S. Buchanan, *International Investment and Domestic Welfare: Some*

Critics of this view say the major problem with the introduction of capital-intensive technologies is that it does not allow for important differences between developing countries and Europe. Developing countries do not have a shortage of laborers, an established infrastructure, a highly educated population, sufficient capital base and financial systems, or market and distribution systems. There is a mismatch of the needs of the developing country and the means for helping them achieve their development objectives.

During the 1960s, increasing divergences between the modern and traditional sectors were observed. This phenomenon of the “dual economy,” i.e., the situation where the modern sector is largely unconnected to traditional preindustrial sectors, was imputed to capital-intensive technologies. The dual economy’s failure to employ surplus labor and maldistribution of income challenged development economists to question the relationship between capital-intensive technologies and development.³⁴

Aspects of International Borrowing and Lending in the Post-War Period (New York: Holt and Company, 1945), 24; Alfred E. Kahn, “Investment Criteria in Development Programs,” *Quarterly Journal of Economics* 38 (1951): 39; Walter Galenson and Harvey Leibenstein, “Investment Criteria, Productivity, and Economic Development,” *Quarterly Journal of Economics* 69 (1955): 351; W.W. Rostow, “The takeoff into self-sustained growth,” *Economic Journal* 66 (1956): 25-48; Nicholas Kaldor, *Strategic Factors in Economic Development* (Ithaca, NY: Cornell University, 1963), 11; and J.W. Mellor, *The New Economics of Growth: A Strategy for India and the Developing World* (Ithaca, NY: Cornell University, 1976).

³⁴W.A. Lewis, “Economic development with unlimited supplies of labour,” *Manchester School of Economics and Social Studies* 22 (1954): 139-191; G. Ranis and J. Fei, “A theory of economic development,” *American Economic Review* 51

E. F. Schumacher criticized the introduction of capital-intensive technologies. He observed that many technologies which were transferred from industrialized countries exacerbated development problems of developing countries and led to misuse of scarce resources and difficult adjustment costs, as well as an overall worsening of welfare for the developing country, notably the poor.

B. Labor-Intensive Technology Argument

E.F. Schumacher was the first to advocate the use of traditional labor-intensive technologies as a means to achieve social and economic development in his book *Small Is Beautiful: Economics As If People Mattered*. He espouses the idea that simple technologies can alleviate unemployment and low productivity within existing socioeconomic structures and at the same time improve income inequality.

He sets out four propositions:

First, that workplaces have to be created in areas where people are living now and not primarily in the metropolitan areas into which they tend to migrate. Second, that these workplaces must be on average, cheap enough so that they can be created in large numbers without this calling for an unattainable level of capital formation and imports. Third, that the production methods employed must be relatively simple, so that demands for high skills are minimized, not only in the production process itself, but also in matters of organization, raw material supply, financing marketing, and so forth. Fourth, that production should be mainly from local materials and mainly for local use.³⁵

(1961): 533-565; D. Jorgenson, "The development of a dual economy," *Economic Journal* 71 (1961): 309-334.

³⁵E.F. Schumacher, *Small is Beautiful: Economics As If People Mattered* (London: Harper and Row Publishers, 1973), 165.

There are additional characteristics of labor-intensive technologies. The production process is smaller scale; it includes the production of a simpler product designed for lower income consumers, or one that is suitable as an input into other local products or processes;³⁶ it is designed to be compatible with the preservation of nature using renewable, rather than non-renewable, resources.³⁷

Proponents of labor-intensive technologies recommend that the choice of technology be based on the factor endowment of an individual country. This theory argues for labor abundant countries to adopt technologies that help increase employment, raise the productivity of those involved in traditional sectors, and produce goods for local consumption using indigenous resources. It further argues that this process will lead to greater income distribution and improved welfare, especially for the poor. This view rejects the idea that capital accumulation alone leads to growth, thence to development, i.e., the “trickle-down” approach to development; and instead ascribes to a strategy of redistribution with growth from the bottom-up.

Examples in the literature illustrate that the adoption of the traditional technology over the modern technology does indeed generate greater employment

³⁶Frances Stewart, *Macro-Policies for Appropriate Technology in Developing Countries* (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 1987), 3.

³⁷Harvey Brooks, "A Critique of the Concept of Appropriate Technology," in *Appropriate Technology and Social Values - A Critical Appraisal*, ed. FA. Long and

and increased income equality. The International Rice Research Institute has developed tools for small farmers which have resulted in tens of thousands of hand threshers being used in Thailand and the Philippines.³⁸ In Bangladesh, half a million manually operated pumps have increased incomes and improved the health of at least a million people.³⁹ In Chile, the Center for Studies in Appropriate Technology in coordination with local organizations developed energy-efficient insulated cooking pots which yield a 50% savings in cooking fuel.⁴⁰ In South Asia, areas susceptible to drought utilize traditional irrigation systems like hill-side tanks to improve irrigation and increase agricultural yields. Furthermore, a United Nations report on industry in the 1980s, which looked at employment and productivity within the manufacturing sector, found that, "in most developing countries, growth of output has been closely associated with reliance on relatively labor-intensive technologies."⁴¹

A. Oleson. (Cambridge: Ballinger Publishing Company, 1980), 64.

³⁸Frances Stewart, "The Case for Appropriate Technology: A Reply to R.S. Eckaus," *Issues in Science and Technology* (Summer 1987): 104.

³⁹ Ibid.

⁴⁰ M. Baquedano, "Socially appropriate technologies and their contributions to the design and implementation of social policies in Chile," in *Social Policy from the Grassroots: Nongovernmental Organizations in Chili* ed., C. Downs, G. Solimano, and L. Zuniga (Boulder: Westview, 1989), 135-48.

⁴¹United Nations, *Industry in the 1980s: Structural Change and Interdependence* (New York: United Nations, 1985), 130.

While empirical evidence demonstrates that the adoption of labor-intensive techniques may alleviate unemployment and may reduce inequality, investment in these technologies has been disappointing. Beder attributes this to “powerful vested interests supporting existing technologies as well as institutional and professional structures that have evolved alongside those technologies.”⁴² Ranis, Pack, Morawetz, Forsyth, Stewart, Willoughby, US Office of Technology Assessment, and Massaquoi identify government policies as the catalyst for selecting labor-intensive technologies.⁴³ The most recent discussion in the literature focuses on the

⁴²Sharon Beder, “The Role of Technology in Sustainable Development,” *IEEE Technology and Society Magazine* Winter (1994): 17.

⁴³Gustav Ranis, “Industrial Sector Labor Absorption,” *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 21, no. 3 (April, 1973): 38; Howard Pack, “The substitution of labor for capital in Kenyan manufacturing,” *Economic Journal* 86 (March 1976): 45; David Morawetz, “Employment Implications of Industrialisation in Developing Countries: A Survey,” *Economic Journal* (September 1974): 530; David J.C. Forsyth, “Government Policy, Market Structure and Choice of Technology in Egypt” in *Technology, Institutions and Government Policies*, ed. J. James and S. Watanabe (New York: St. Martin’s Press, 1985), 137-186; Frances Stewart ed., *Macro-Policies for Appropriate Technology in Developing Countries*, (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 1987), 272; see also Frances Stewart, *Technology and Underdevelopment*, (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 1977); Kelvin Willoughby, *Technology Choice: A Critique of the Appropriate Technology Movement* (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 1990), 309-311; U.S. Congress, Office of Technology Assessment, *Fueling Development: Energy Technologies for Developing Countries*, OTA-E-516, (Washington, D.C.: U.S. Government Printing Office, April, 1992), 8; Joseph Massaquoi, “The Effect of Some Sectoral Development Policies on Technology - The Case of the Informal Sector,” in *Technology and Developing Countries: Practical Applications, Theoretical Issues*, ed. Richard Heeks (London: Frank Cass & Co. 1995), 179.

importance of macro-policies within a country's political environment. Frances

Stewart proposes:

[I]f government policies deal with the objectives of decision makers, access to resources, nature of markets, and the availability of technology; within the political economy of each country, ...then,...as small farmers and the small-scale industrial sector develop in strength, they also acquire political strength. A cumulative process may then be set in motion which from small beginnings, results in a political economy favoring traditional technologies.⁴⁴

The choice of technology debate continues to reveal the macroeconomic objectives of policymakers. At the micro level, evidence exists which show that the adoption of labor-intensive technologies does indeed in some cases provide greater employment and improve income inequality than capital-intensive technologies. However, macro projects require large investments in infrastructure which are by nature capital intensive. Is industrialization by labor-intensive technologies possible? The next section analyzes the employment and income distribution associated with industrialization between 1960 and 1990.

SECTION TWO: INDUSTRIALIZATION

The Industrial Revolution began first in England in the eighteenth century with the use of steam power, innovations in the cotton textile industry, and the utilization of large quantities of coal and iron. Worldwide industrialization followed. It developed steadily in France in 1830 and in Germany in 1850; its boom period in

⁴⁴Stewart, *MacroPolicies for Appropriate Technologies*, 297.

the US occurred between 1860 and 1890. The Europeans introduced the development of industries in India, China, and Japan at the end of the nineteenth century and the beginning of the twentieth century. The Industrial Revolution continues throughout the world and is marked by significant social and economic structural changes.

One of the notable changes associated with the transition from an agricultural society to a modern industrial society is mechanization, which in turn has led to greater economic specialization and mass production. Worldwide output and incomes have increased dramatically in many parts of the world since World War II. The following subsections examine the employment and income distribution effects of recent industrial development.

A. Industrialization and Employment

Since the Industrial Revolution, there is the perception that technological progress has led to unemployment. While technological innovations have created unemployment in the short run, the vast productivity increases of the last two centuries suggest that there is no long-term crowding out effect from technology to unemployment.⁴⁵ However, Eriksson finds that there is a trade-off between growth and employment. He states that if the exogenous changes get larger and drive

⁴⁵Clas Eriksson, "Is There A Trade-Off Between Employment and Growth," *Oxford Economic Papers* 49 (1997): 77.

interest rates up, then unemployment rises. On the other hand indirect changes in the growth rate due to lower interest rates e.g. lower capital tax or unemployment benefits, will improve employment. The policy implication is that in order to increase both growth and employment rates, one should improve incentives.⁴⁶

Empirical evidence shows that average annual growth rates in industrial employment persistently lag behind average annual industry growth rates. Gustav Ranis highlights a report which identifies the employment concern:

[E]ven where countries have been growing at 5 or 6% annually in real terms...industrial sector growth rates of 8 to 10% annually have been accompanied by labor absorption rates of only 2 to 3%.⁴⁷

Table 3 provides the average annual growth rates for industrial employment and industry growth, as well as the labor elasticity coefficients (i.e., employment growth per industry output growth). It shows that overall industrial gross domestic product (GDP) growth and industrial employment growth are positively correlated; however, for the most part, labor elasticity coefficients are less than one between 1960 and 1990. The inelastic labor elasticity coefficients suggests that there is not much evidence of the “trickle-down” effect or at least labor-intensive industrialization.

⁴⁶ Ibid.

⁴⁷ Gustav Ranis, "Industrial Sector Labor Absorption", 38.

Table 3. Average annual growth in the industry sector (Ind) and industry employment (L) and labor/industry (L/Ind) elasticity between 1960-1990, percentage.

Country	60-70 Ind	L	L/Ind	70-80 Ind	L	L/Ind	80-90 Ind	L	L/Ind
Germany	5	1	.18	3	1	.23	2	1	.27
Japan	11	4	.23	5	2	.29	4	1	.28
US	4	2	.47	3	2	.70	3	1	.39
Ireland	4	2	.31	4	2	.43	3	2	.69
Brazil	12	5	.27	9	6	.54	2	3	1.62
Chile	5	3	.49	3	3	1.0	3	3	1.1
Mexico	7	5	.60	7	6	.76	2	4	2.81
Egypt	7	3	.43	10	3	.24	6	4	.58
Gabon	12	3	.17	7	7	.94	-3	6	-2.89
Nigeria	16	3	.11	8	4	.40	-1	4	-5.18
Tanzania	7	5	.69	4	7	1.94	1	6	6.39
Zaire	5	5	.99	-1	6	-4.62	2	4	2.29
India	4	2	.51	5	2	.40	7	3	.39
Pakistan	8	3	.24	7	4	.51	7	2	.59
Korea	12	6	.36	10	5	.37	10	4	.32
Singapore	10	3	.26	11	5	.29	7	2	.16
Thailand	11	5	.32	7	7	1.01	9	4	.39
China	na	na	na	8	4	.47	10	5	.36

Source: United Nations, *Macroeconomic Data System* (New York: United Nations), 1993.

Table 3 also shows that between 1960 and 1970, industry growth significantly outpaced industry employment growth in most countries. For all countries except Zaire, the labor elasticity coefficients were less than one. While industry growth was slower in the 1970s, employment growth was still lower than industry growth in all countries, except Chile, Tanzania, Thailand, and Zaire. However, labor elasticities improved in all cases except Egypt and India during this decade. In spite of the 1980s recession, industry growth, by and large, continued to be greater than industry employment growth except in Brazil, Mexico, Gabon, Nigeria, Tanzania, and Zaire. In these cases the labor elasticities were greater than one which suggests that the recession did not adversely affect industry employment. In addition, it suggests that industry utilized more labor-intensive technologies than capital-intensive technologies as these countries have surplus labor and less capital to invest in capital-intensive technologies. In any case, while these countries were the exception, they represent one third of the sample. This suggests that developing economies may be able to insulate their industry employment by the use of relatively more labor-intensive technologies.

Economic growth associated with industrialization did result in greater employment between 1960 and 1990. However, the data show that the gap between labor absorption rates and industry growth rates remains during times of economic

expansion and recession. The employment elasticities over the 30 year period improved in all cases except Asia (India, Korea, Singapore, and China) and the US.

Given surplus labor and insufficient demand for output worldwide, technology choice will affect sustainable development in industrialized and developing countries alike. The next section examines how the benefits of economic growth were distributed.

B. Industrialization and Income Distribution

A recent United Nations study on the international distribution of world income finds that while the level of gross world product increased six fold between 1970 and 1989, income equality among countries deteriorated.⁴⁸ Figure 3 shows that, between 1970 and 1989, the average annual inequality growth rate increased by 0.21% based on the Gini index which is based on purchasing power parity conversion rates.⁴⁹ Why income inequality increases with industrialization is not clear.

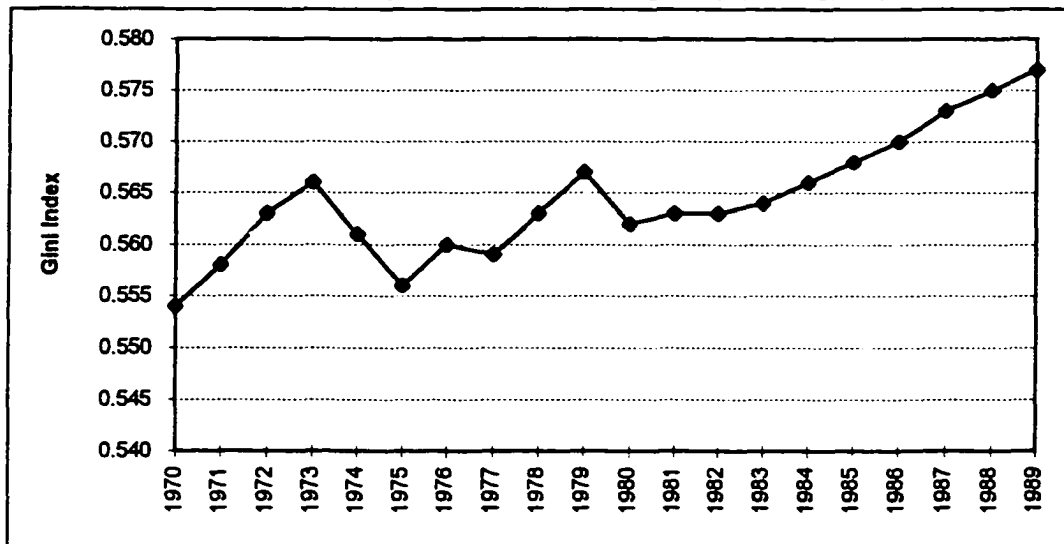
One group of studies concludes that there is a tradeoff between growth and income equality. Kuznet's inverted U hypothesis states that income equality

⁴⁸United Nations, *Trends in International Distribution of Gross World Product* (New York: United Nations, 1993), 20, 25.

⁴⁹The Gini index is an indicator of income inequality. It is a ratio of the area between the Lorenz curve and the complete equality line to the entire area between the complete equality line and the complete inequality line. The value of the Gini index will lie between zero (complete equality) and one (complete inequality). United Nations, *Trends in International Distribution of Gross World Product*, 29.

deteriorates during the early stages of economic growth and then improves during the later stages. This relationship is supported by Kuznets, Wells, Fishlow, Adelman and Morris, and Paukert.⁵⁰ Others argue that income distribution can affect

FIGURE 3. GINI INDEX OF GROSS WORLD PRODUCT: 1970-1989.



Source: United Nations, *Trends in International Distribution of Gross World Product* (New York: United Nations, 1993), 30.

the potential for industrial growth. Income inequality can limit the size of the domestic market which would negatively affect economic growth (Murphy, Shleifer and Vishny, and Galor and Zeira).⁵¹

⁵⁰Simon Kuznets, "Quantitative Aspects of the Economic Growth of National Distribution of Income by Size," *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 11, no. 2 (1963): 1-79; J. Wells, "Distribution of Earnings, Growth, and the Structure of Demand in Brazil during the 1960s," *World Development* 2 (1970): 97-126; A. Fishlow, "Brazilian Size Distribution of Income," *American Economic Review* 62, no. 2 (1972): 391-402; Irma Adelman and C. T. Morris, *Economic Growth and Social Equity in Developing Countries* (Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press, 1973); F. Paukert, "Income Distribution at Different Levels of Development: A Survey of Evidence," *International Labour Review* 108 (1973): 97-126.

Another group of studies in the literature finds that the evidence does not link economic growth with income deterioration (Ahluwalia, Loehr and Powelson, Fields, Papanek and Kyn).⁵² These authors state that on the basis of time series analysis, no direct relationship between growth and inequality exists. There are some who state that growth and equitable income distribution is possible. The East Asian model is given as an example to show that relatively equitable income distribution can be sustained throughout the rise from low-income to high-income status (Auty, Griffin, Lucas and Verry).⁵³

While it is clear that industrialization has led to economic growth, the employment and income distributional effects are mixed. To better understand the underemployment and increasing income inequality requires an investigation of the

⁵¹K. Murphy, A. Shleifer, R. Vishny, "Industrialization and the Big Push," *Journal of Political Economy* 97, no. 5 (1989): 1003-1026; Galor and J. Zeira, "Income distribution and macroeconomics," *Review of Economic Studies* 60, no. 1 (1993): 35-52.

⁵²M. S. Ahluwalia, "Income Inequality: Some Dimension of the Problem," in Chenery et. al., *Redistribution with Growth*. (London: Oxford University Press, 1974); William Loehr and John Powelson, *The Economics of Development and Distribution* (New York: Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, Inc, 1981), 127; Gary S. Fields, "Growth and Income Distribution," in *Essays on Poverty, Equity and Growth* ed. George Psacharopoulos (New York: Pergamon Press, 1991), 37; Gustav Papanek and Oldrich Kyn, "The effect on income distribution of development, the growth rate and economic strategy," *Journal of Development Economics* 23, no.1 (1986): 55-65.

⁵³Richard M. Auty, *Patterns of Development: Resources, Policy and Economic Growth* (London: Edward Arnold, 1995), 260.

structure of production. In what ways does the choice of technique contribute to employment and income distribution objectives? Modeling based on the social accounting matrix methodology captures the effects of growth in different economic sectors in each socioeconomic sector of the economy.

SECTION THREE: SAMS AND CHOICE OF TECHNIQUE

The SAM is a tool for planners to better understand the social and economic consequences of the development process. Its methodology is rooted in Francois Quesnay's *Tableau Economique*⁵⁴ with further extensions being done by its modern architect, Sir Richard Stone.⁵⁵ The SAM has been utilized since the mid 1970s and a body of literature exists to show the application of this methodology.⁵⁶ A number of country and regional SAMs exist that detail the interrelationships among the structure of production, the value added to the factors of production, and the income distribution by different socioeconomic groups as well as their corresponding consumption and savings patterns. The Brazilian SAM, built by Maria J. Willumsen⁵⁷

⁵⁴Francois Quesnay, *Tableau Economique*, 1758.

⁵⁵ Richard Stone, "The Social Accounts from a Consumer Point of View" *Review of Income and Wealth* 12, no.1 (March 1966): 1-33.

⁵⁶See Graham Pyatt and Jeffrey Round, *Social Accounting Matrices: A Basis for Planning* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1985).

⁵⁷M.J.F. Willumsen, "The Social Accounting Framework as a Tool for Policy Analysis: The Case of Brazil" (Ph.D. diss., Cornell University, 1984).

and extended by Robert D. Cruz and Maria J. Willumsen,⁵⁸ is the basis of the current research.

Modeling based on a social accounting matrix (SAM) framework takes a multi-sectoral economy-wide approach to study the underlying relationships of development including that between growth and poverty. It can also assess the income and employment effects associated with a technology choice. Several studies using the SAM methodology classify the production of various products along dualistic technological criteria, namely the production of a good by a modern technology and a traditional technology. Many cases show that the traditional technology generates greater employment and income effects than the modern technology (Khan, Defourny and Thorbecke, Khan and Thorbecke, Svejnar and Thorbecke, James and Khan, and Leatherman and Marcouiller).⁵⁹

⁵⁸Robert Cruz and M.J.F. Willumsen, "Wage Inflation, Fiscal Policies, and Income Distribution in Brazil," *Journal of Policy Modeling* 13, no.3 (1991): 383-406.

⁵⁹Haider Khan, "Choice of Technology and Income Distribution" (Ph.D. diss., Cornell University, 1982); H. Khan, "Technology Choice in the Energy and Textile Sectors in the Republic of Korea," in *Technology and Employment in Industry: A Case Study Approach*, ed. A.S. Bhalla (Geneva, Switzerland: International Labour Office, 1985); J. Defourny and E. Thorbecke, "Structural Path Analysis and Multiplier Decomposition within a SAM Framework," *Economic Journal* 94 (1984): 111-136; H. Khan and E. Thorbecke, *Macroeconomic Effects and Diffusion of Alternative Technologies within a Social Accounting Matrix Framework: The Case of Indonesia* (Brookfield: Gower Publishing Co., 1988); J. Svejnar and E. Thorbecke, "Determinants of Technological Choice," in *Technology Choice and Change in Developing Countries: Internal and External Constraints*, ed. Barbara Lucas and Stephen Freedman (Dublin: Tycooly International Publishing Ltd., 1983);

Most recently, this modeling methodology has been used to analyze the impact of growth in different economic sectors on poverty (Khan, Thorbecke and Jung, and Lipton and Ravallion).⁶⁰ These studies point to the importance of sectoral patterns of growth on poverty. Thorbecke and Jung found that for Indonesia the agriculture and service sectors offer more to overall poverty alleviation than the industrial sectors. Khan found that in South Africa the mining and service sectors provide the greatest benefit to the rural and urban poor; in addition, the manufacturing sector has few direct linkages to poor African households.

SECTION FOUR: CONCLUSION

This chapter discusses the importance of technology choice to economic growth, employment, and income distribution. Advocates of capital-intensive technologies believe they are relatively more profitable, and in the long run provide greater growth because of increased productivity with its resultant rising earnings which in turn provides greater long term employment. Proponents of labor-intensive

Haider Khan and Jeffrey James, "Technology Choice and Income Distribution," *World Development* 25, no. 2 (1997): 165; John Letherman and David Marcouiller, "Income Distribution Characteristics of Rural Economic Sectors: Implications for Local Development Policy," *Growth and Change* 27 (1996): 434-459.

⁶⁰Haider Khan, "Sectoral Growth and Poverty Alleviation: A Multiplier Decomposition Technique Applied to South Africa," forthcoming. E. Thorbecke and H.S. Jung, "A multiplier decomposition method to analyze poverty alleviation," *Journal of Development Economics* 48 (1996): 279-300; and M. Lipton and M. Ravallion, "Poverty and policy" Working paper WPS 1130 (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1993).

technologies believe that employment and income distribution concerns must be foremost on the planners' agenda. In doing so, labor-intensive technologies will contribute to income distribution, employment, as well as the long term growth objectives which will provide both economic and social stability.

The question is, do labor-intensive technologies truly offer the employment and income distribution benefits to address the persistent unemployment and income inequality of so many countries? If so, then efforts need to be made to encourage the adoption of labor-intensive technologies; if not, then perhaps growth objectives need to be reevaluated and fostered to assist developing countries achieve their development objectives. It seems that capital-intensive technologies may enhance rapid growth today at the expense of some employment and maldistribution of benefits. Additionally, labor-intensive technologies may offer greater income distribution and employment today than in the future. The planner's priority and the situation in each developing country will dictate which scenario is the case: employment and income distribution versus economic growth and some employment. There is no definitive answer to meet the needs of developing countries. The planner must weigh either higher incomes and fewer jobs today or more jobs and less equal distribution of benefits today.

CHAPTER THREE

BRAZIL'S ALTERNATIVE FUEL PROGRAM

Brazil has the largest alternative fuel program worldwide. The national program, commonly known as *Proalcool*, came about because of prevailing domestic and international circumstances confronting Brazil's political economy. This chapter documents the linkages between Brazil's alternative fuel industry and its socioeconomic structures. Section one provides a thumbnail sketch of Brazil, positioning the alternative fuel industry within the context of Brazil's economic development. Section two summarizes the four phases of the *Proalcool* program. Sections three and four detail the evolution of the public and private sector participation in the ethanol industry. Section five concludes with a description of Brazil's household energy consumption.

SECTION ONE: BRAZIL AND ITS ALTERNATIVE FUEL INDUSTRY

A. Brazil

Brazil is one of the largest countries in the world. The World Bank ranks Brazil fourth in terms of land mass, fifth in population, and eighth in economic size.⁶¹

⁶¹World Bank, *1992 World Development Report: Development and the*

- 47 -It is classified as an upper middle-income country with a per capita income of \$4,700 (\$5,400 at purchasing power parity).⁶² The annual growth rate of per capita GDP averaged 4.6% between 1973 and 1980, but was -0.4% between 1980 and 1993. Per capita income fell during the latter period in spite of a sharp slowing down of population growth, to only 1.9%. There were negative GDP growth rates in 1983, 1988, 1990, and 1992. Table 4 shows Brazil's economic growth rate, inflation and investment between 1978 and 1993.⁶³ In 1990, Brazil's external debt exceeded \$116 billion.

Table 4. Brazil: growth, inflation and investment.

Time Periods	Growth rate (%)	Inflation rate (%)	Investment growth rate (%)	Investment ratio (%) ^a
1978	4.9	40.8	4.8	23.52
1979-1980	8.5	93.0	8.6	23.22
1981-1982	-1.7	97.4	-9.5	20.80
1983	-2.9	211.0	-16.3	17.22
1984-1986	6.9	161.7	10.0	17.17
1987-1989	2.2	933.8	-1.7	17.18
1989-1991	-0.4	1098.7	-4.5	15.73
1990-1993	-0.3	1240.8	-3.7	14.69 ^b
1991-1993	1.2	1170.2	-1.2	14.40 ^b

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Environment (New York: Oxford University Press, 1992), 219, 223.

⁶²*The Economist*. "Reforming Brazil: Is it for real?" (May 17, 1997): 38.

⁶³M. Abreu, D. Carneiro, and R. Werneck, "Brazil: Widening the Scope for Balanced Growth," *World Development* 24, no. 2 (1996): 241, 243.

Brazil's economy is highly politicized with the federal government strongly influencing economic development. Brazil's industrialization process has predominately centered on making its large domestic market self-reliant through an import substitution strategy involving state-owned industry, significant tariff and non-tariff protection, and economic regulation. Import substitution was the goal of Brazil's economic policies between 1946 and 1964, when it achieved an all time low import ratio of 6%.⁶⁴ Then an export-oriented trade strategy was followed between 1964 and 1973. The first energy crisis of 1973-74 precipitated a renewed import substitution drive which favored mineral exploitation and the use of public funds to survey mineral deposits, especially crude oil and non-iron ores.⁶⁵ Import protection with export subsidies and aggressive devaluations were used to address the balance of payments problems in the 1980s.

Brazil's economic policies have shifted since the 1990 democratic elections. The civilian government policies encouraged trade liberalization, privatization and export promotion. The government replaced all quantitative barriers with tariffs and in 1992 established a new tariff schedule, with a maximum of 35% that was enacted

⁶⁴World Bank, *Brazil: Industrial Policies and Manufactured Exports* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1983), vi.

⁶⁵Antonio Brandao and J.L. Carvalho, *Trade, Exchange Rate, and Agricultural Pricing Policies in Brazil* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1991), 2.

in early 1994, and bound in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.⁶⁶ The country's average import tariff was brought down from 51% in 1988 to below 14% in 1996.⁶⁷ In March 1991, Brazil signed the Asuncion Treaty with Argentina, Uruguay, and Paraguay, creating the Mercosul: a common market for goods, services and factors among those countries, which began in 1994. Brazil's success with integrating liberalization will depend on the ability of the economy to absorb lower aggregate domestic demand and possible regional or sectoral unemployment resulting from import competition.⁶⁸

In mid-1994, President Cardoso introduced the real plan named after the new currency in order to stabilize prices. In 1996, inflation was 10%, the lowest inflation rate in Brazil since the 1950s.⁶⁹ The achievement of such low inflation has had three major effects in Brazil because inflation was so firmly institutionalized:

First, the country has started to reverse discrimination against the poor. The United Nations Economic Commission for Latin America reckons that at least 8 million people were lifted out of poverty between 1993 and 1995 (though perhaps a third of Brazilians remain below the official poverty line). Second, greater price stability has enable firms for the first time in a generation to think about the medium term. Many have opted to modernise themselves by teaming

⁶⁶Winston Fritsch, "Brazil Strengthens Its Hand on Trade," *International Economic Insights* (July/August 1992), 7.

⁶⁷ Abreu *et al.*, "Brazil: Widening the Scope for Balanced Growth," 244.

⁶⁸Ibid.

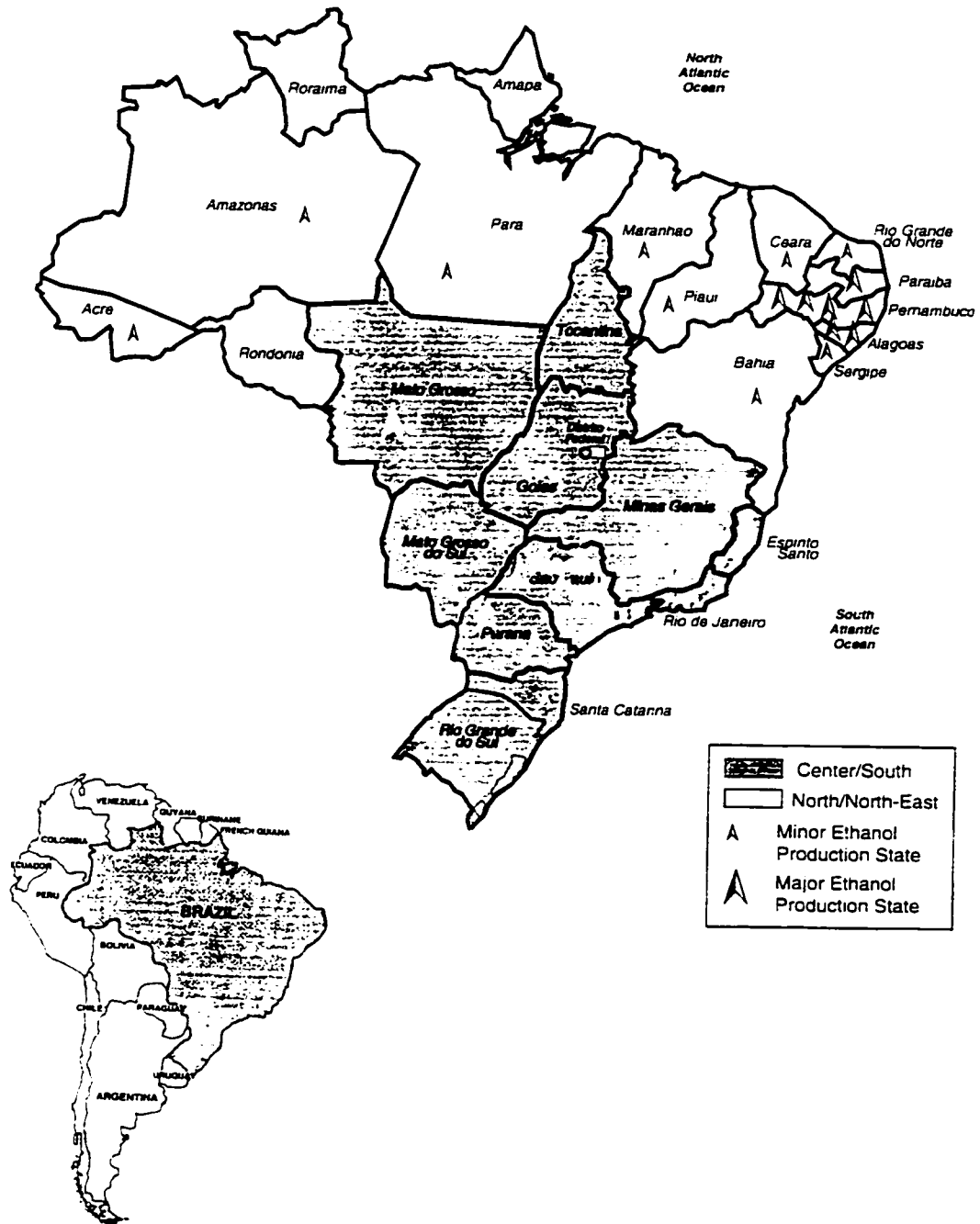
⁶⁹*The Economist*, "Reforming Brazil: Is it for real?" 39.

up with foreigners. Third, relative macro-economic stability has increased growth and triggered a consumer boom. Sales of packaged foods, consumer durables and cars have rocketed, as millions of new consumers have entered the market.⁷⁰

Brazil is a dualistic economy with two major macro regions, the richer center-south and the poorer north/northeast. Figure 4 presents a map of Brazil and shows the two macro-regions and ethanol producing areas. The center-south is subdivided into three regions with the following states and territories in parentheses: south (Parana, Santa Catarina, and Rio Grande do Sul), southeast (Minas Gerais, Espirito Santo, Rio de Janeiro, and Sao Paulo), and center-west (Mato Grosso and Goias). The north/northeast comprises the north (Rondonia, Acre, Amazonas, Roraima, Para, and Amapa) and the northeast (Maranhao, Piaui, Ceara, Rio Grande do Norte, Paraiba, Pernambuco, Alagoas, Sergipe, and Bahia). This macro-regional classification is used by the government as a basis for national development planning, because of the huge disparity of income between the two macro-regions. The southeast and south are the richest regions, in absolute and per capita terms. The center-west is poorer in absolute terms and in development infrastructure, but because its population is very low and its per capita relatively high, it is considered part of the center-south. In the north/northeast, the north and most of the Amazon region are

⁷⁰Ibid.

FIGURE 4. BRAZIL'S MACRO-REGIONS AND ETHANOL PRODUCING STATES.



poor and thinly populated while the northeast is heavily populated and the poorest region in the country on a per-capita basis.⁷¹

The social consequences of Brazil's political economy include regional differences in education, energy utilization, population, and economic development. Table 5 shows social and economic indicators for Brazil's northeast and southeast regions for 1960 and 1980.

Table 5. Social and economic indicators for two regions, 1960 and 1980, percent.

Year	1960		1980	
	Northeast	Southeast	Northeast	Southeast
Share of total population	31.7	43.7	29.3	43.5
Share of industrial value added	6.9 ^a	79.2 ^a	8.1	72.6
Share of domestic income	14.4 ^a	65.0 ^a	11.6 ^b	63.5 ^b
Illiterate	65.7	36.7	52.9	21.5
Households with electricity	16.4	58.2	43.6	85.4
Share of population in rural areas	66.1	43.0	49.5	20.8
Share of households with sewage	6.1	40.4	18.2	63.5

a-data for 1959; b-data for 1975.

Source: IBGE. Anuario estatístico (1960, 1980) in Maddison and Associates. *The Political Economy of Poverty, Equity, and Growth: Brazil and Mexico* © (New York: Oxford University Press, 1992), 80.

⁷¹Ramesh Bhatia and Armand Pereira, *Socioeconomic Aspects of Renewable Energy Technologies* (New York: Praeger, 1988), 48.

The indicators reveal that the level of economic development and standard of living in the southeast region is considerably higher than the northeast region. In 1980, the per capita of the urban southeast was about two times greater than the national average. On the other hand, the rural northeast had a per capita income of about one-half the national average and one-fourth of that in the state of Sao Paulo.⁷² The underlying socioeconomic situation was a contributing factor leading to the development of Brazil's alternative fuel program.

B. Brazil's Alternative Fuel Program

In Brazil, ethanol is produced from sugarcane, which is an important and longtime staple to the agricultural sector and economy.⁷³ Brazil's government has long promoted ethanol as a petroleum substitute.⁷⁴ During World War I, the use of ethanol was required in all gasoline and by 1923, ethanol production reached 150 million liters per year (3.18 PJ). The *1o Congresso Nacional sobre Aplicacoes Industriais do Alcool* (First National Congress on Industrial Applications of Alcohol)

⁷²Angus Maddison and Associates, *The Political Economy of Poverty, Equity, and Growth: Brazil and Mexico* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1992), 81.

⁷³Sugar cane, introduced in 1534 by Portuguese colonizers, was the leading agricultural commodity until 1850. It continues to be a chief agricultural export. Antonio Brandao and Jose Carvalho, *Trade, Exchange Rate, and Agricultural Pricing Policies in Brazil*, 10-11.

⁷⁴Nicholas Otto designed the first modern internal combustion engine in 1876 to run on fuel ethanol. Henry Ford's Model T also ran on ethanol as did most engines at the turn of the 20th Century.

proposed that an infrastructure be established to promote ethanol production and use.⁷⁵ In 1931, a federal decree mandated that ethanol (at least 5% by volume) be added to gasoline and established guidelines for its transportation and commercialization in order to increase demand for sugar during the worldwide depression. By 1941, ethanol production reached 650 million liters (13.8 PJ).⁷⁶ The mandated use of ethanol continued with the exact proportion of ethanol varying according to the availability of sugarcane. Figure 5 shows the percentage of anhydrous ethanol (mixing gasoline with ethanol) in gasoline between 1939 and 1989. Currently, 22% ethanol by volume is required to be included in each liter of gasoline sold.

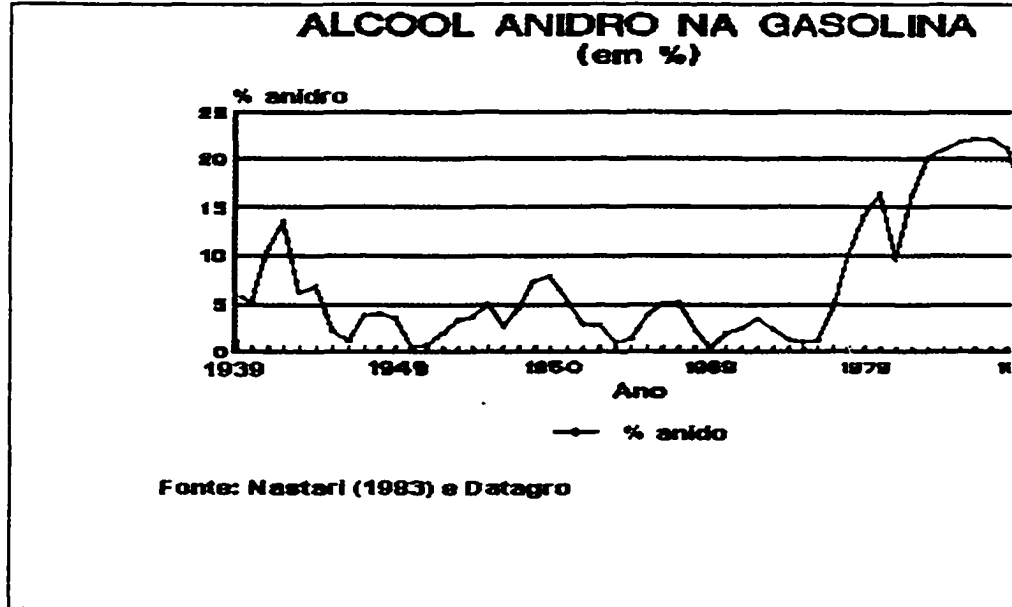
Ethanol as a transportation fuel became important in 1956, when the government pursued an industrialization strategy based on the automotive industry.⁷⁷ Between 1967 and 1974, automobile output quadrupled, and by 1974 Brazil had 4 million cars and 1.4 million trucks and buses. During the same period, annual petroleum consumption nearly doubled to about 11.9 billion liters per day (2.52 PJ).⁷⁸ Highway travel was emphasized over railroads and mass transit.

⁷⁵Nastari, "The role of sugarcane in Brazil's history and economy," 112.

⁷⁶Goldemberg *et al.*, "The Brazilian Fuel Alcohol Program", 841.

⁷⁷Marc Levison, "Alcohol Fuels Revisited: The Costs and Benefits of Energy Independence in Brazil," *The Journal of Developing Areas* 21 (April 1987) 243-244.

FIGURE 5. PERCENTAGE OF ETHANOL IN GASOLINE.



Source: Plinio Nastari, personal correspondence, 1992.

By the 1970s, Brazil was importing from 80% to 85% of its domestically consumed petroleum compared to 20% in the early 1950s.⁷⁹ In 1972, before oil prices quadrupled, Brazil spent \$600 million per year on petroleum.⁸⁰ In 1974, Brazil's oil import bill grew to \$3.2 billion, or 39.5% of total exports.⁸¹ By 1978,

⁷⁸Sperling, *New Transportation Fuels*, 73.

⁷⁹CENAL, *The National Alcohol Program: Proalcool* (Brasilia, Brazil: National Executive Commission of Alcohol, 1988), 5.

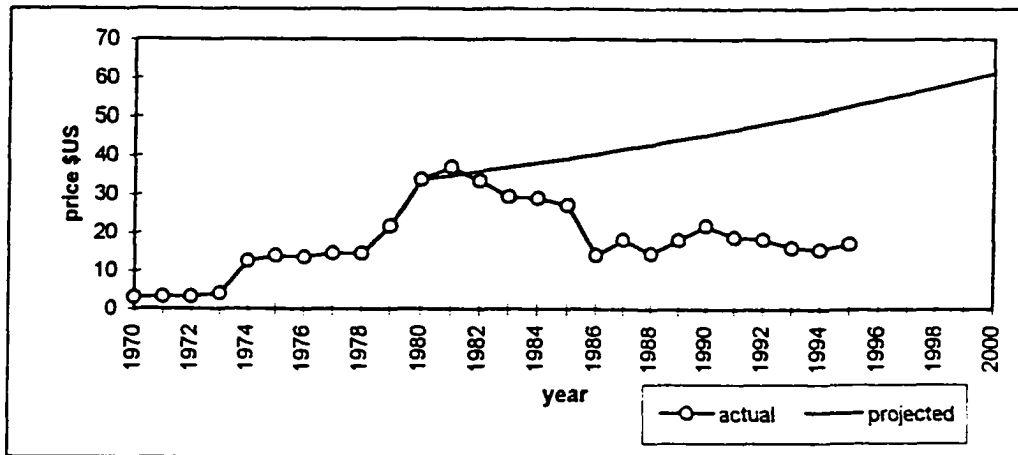
⁸⁰Ibid., 73.

⁸¹Levison, "Alcohol Fuels Revisited," 243.

petroleum imports increased to over \$4 billion and continued increasing into the early 1980s.⁸²

Oil prices were key to the development of Brazil's alternative fuel program. Oil price projections of the World Bank in 1980 were forecast to increase at about 3% per year, to the end of the century. Figure 6 shows this forecast, along with the evolution of actual crude oil prices between 1970-2000.⁸³

FIGURE 6. ACTUAL AND PROJECTED CRUDE OIL PRICES 1970-2000, \$/BARREL OF OIL.



Source: American Petroleum Institute, *Basic Petroleum Data Book*, 17, no. 1 (January 1997): Section VI, Table 3.

Before the energy crises of the 1970s, ethanol was viewed as a gasoline extender; afterwards its role changed to be a gasoline substitute. The major factors

⁸²Sperling, *New Transportation Fuels*, 73.

⁸³World Bank, *Project Performance Audit Report*, (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1990), 8-9.

contributing to the expanded use of an alternative transportation energy, was the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries' oil price increases and the consequential foreign exchange requirements for oil imports. Two additional factors were critical to the evolution of ethanol as a transportation fuel: Brazil's sugar supply and its foreign debt service.

The prevailing international and domestic circumstances facing the Brazilian sugar industry in the early 1970s largely contributed to the development of an alternative fuel program based on sugarcane. In 1971, the Brazilian Institute of Sugar and Alcohol (IAA) initiated a major sugar modernization program to capitalize on the expectations of expanded sugar export markets following the US embargo of Cuban sugar.⁸⁴ Sugar is one of Brazil's most important agricultural exports and is exported as a processed good (brown or refined sugar).⁸⁵ It is consistently among Brazil's top ten manufactured exports.⁸⁶

Figure 7 shows that export earnings varied greatly due to volatile sugar prices, particularly between 1974 and 1976. World prices fluctuated drastically, from

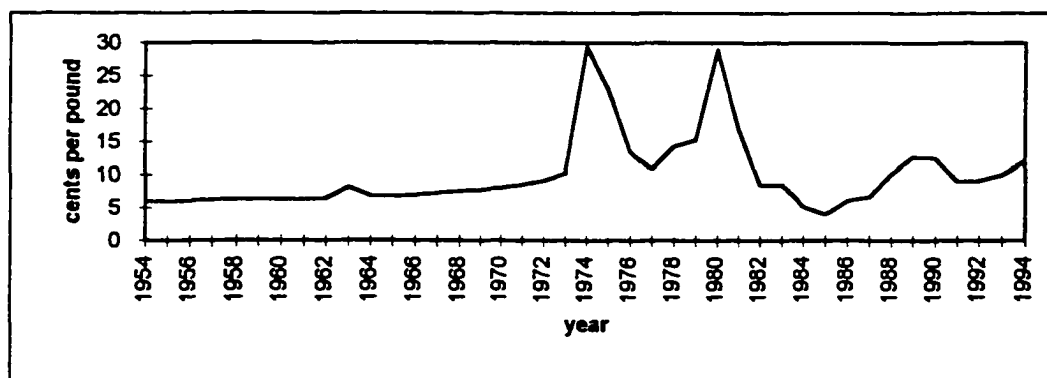
⁸⁴World Bank, *Project Performance Audit Report, Brazil: Alcohol and Biomass Energy Development Project*, 3.

⁸⁵Antonio Brandao and J.L. Carvalho, *Trade, Exchange Rate, and Agricultural Pricing Policies in Brazil*, 105.

⁸⁶World Bank, *Trends in Developing Economies 1991* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1991), 58.

monthly highs of 57 cents per pound in 1974 to 9.5 cents per pound in 1976. This corresponded to sugar exports valued at \$1.3 billion, or 16.6% of the value of total merchandise exports in 1974 to \$306 million, or 3%, of total merchandise exports in 1976.⁸⁷ By 1985, sugar traded at 3 cents per pound and began increasing due to reduced stocks and supply deficits. In 1990, world sugar prices fell from 15 cents a pound down to 10 cents. In 1995, sugar was trading at 12 to 15 cents a pound.

FIGURE 7. WORLD SUGAR PRICES (1954 TO 1994).



Source: Knight-Ridder Financial/Commodity Research Bureau, *CRB Commodity Yearbook* (New York: John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 1996), 271.

An ethanol transportation fuel, based on sugarcane, benefited the sugar industry by providing an additional value-added market for sugarcane. This was important for several reasons. First, it reduced sugar's vulnerability to widely fluctuating world prices through an alternative use for sugarcane. Second, it reduced the economic risk of modernizing the sugarcane industry. Third, it protected and

⁸⁷World Bank, *Brazil: Economic Memorandum* (Washington, D.C.: The World

restored the political influence of sugar producers as they advanced the nation's import-substitution objectives. The option to sell sugarcane on the world market or to convert it into a transportation fuel stabilized and revitalized the sugar industry.

Table 6. Brazil's oil imports and trade balance, millions of dollars.

Year	Exports	Imports	Foreign Debt	Oil Imports	Oil Imports Accumulated	Oil Imports/Exports (%)
1971	2,900	3,200		280		9.7
1972	4,000	4,200	9,500	380	660	9.5
1973	6,200	6,200	12,600	720	1,400	11.6
1974	8,000	12,600	17,200	2,800	4,200	35.0
1975	8,700	12,200	21,200	2,750	7,000	31.6
1976	10,100	12,300	26,000	3,460	10,400	34.3
1977	12,000	12,000	32,800	3,660	14,100	30.5
1978	12,700	13,700	43,500	4,090	18,200	32.2
1979	15,200	18,000	49,900	6,190	24,300	40.7
1980	20,100	23,400	53,800	9,370	33,700	46.6
1981	23,300	22,100	61,400	10,600	44,300	45.5
1982	20,200	19,400	70,200	9,600	53,900	47.5
1983	21,900	15,400	84,200	7,800	61,700	35.6
1984	27,000	13,900	100,200	0	0	0
1985	25,600	12,200	97,900	0	0	0

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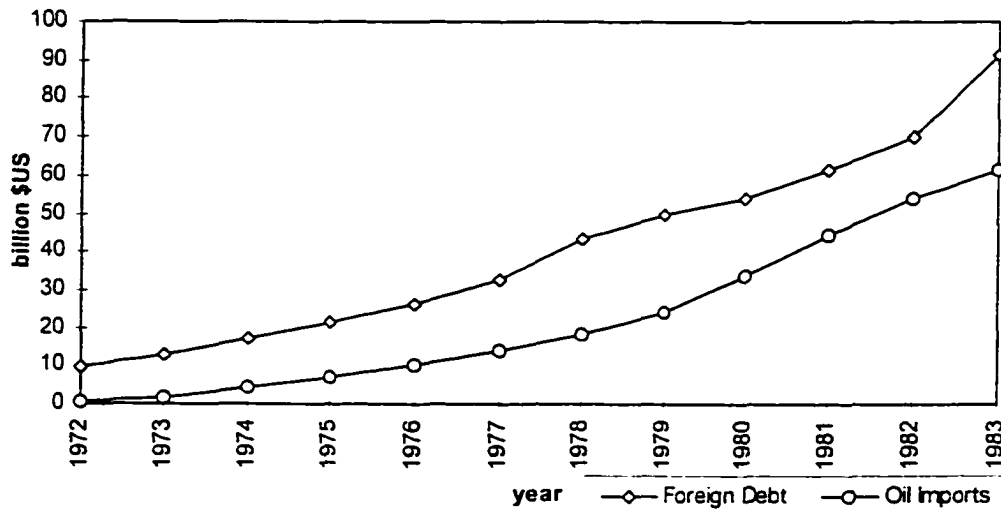
Brazil's external debt service also forced government leaders to seek ways to reduce its foreign debt, particularly its oil imports. Oil imports were a major source of Brazil's foreign debt problem. Table 6 shows the impact of oil imports on

Bank, 1984), 254.

Brazil's economy. For example, 47% of export earnings were used to pay for oil imports in 1982.

The external debt did not affect the economy until the early 1980s, with the second oil shock and the higher international interest rates. This situation was compounded by the lack of foreign loans and capital flight from Brazil in 1982. The London Interbank Offer Rate (LIBOR) dollar rate increased from an average of 9.4% in 1978 to a peak of 19.5% in March 1980.⁸⁸ Figure 8 shows that Brazil's foreign debt can be attributed in large part to the accumulated oil bill since 1973.

FIGURE 8. EVOLUTION OF BRAZIL'S FOREIGN DEBT AND OIL IMPORT INFLUENCE.



Source: Jose Goldemberg. *Energy for a Sustainable World*. © (New York: John Wiley & Sons, 1988), 241. Reprinted with permission from John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

⁸⁸Ibid., 5. LIBOR is the London Interbank Offer Rate, which is the interest that banks in London pay to attract deposits from other banks for six months. B.D. Nossiter, *The Global Struggle for More* (New York: Harper & Row, 1987), 7.

The energy crisis, coupled with an abundant sugar supply and an increasing foreign debt service, prompted the government to adopt an alternative transportation fuel policy in 1975. On November 14, 1975, President Ernesto Geisel created *Proalcool* (the National Alcohol Program) primarily to save foreign exchange and to be energy self-sufficient. Other objectives included: stimulate rural employment, reduce regional income inequality, utilize surplus agricultural feedstock and foster a domestic research and development capability in distillation technology and machinery.⁸⁹ Brazil's program has been successfully implemented because of—and in spite of—the government's participation.

External factors, including instability in the world oil and sugar commodity markets and the resulting foreign debt service, drove the government's support of the alternative fuel program rather than market forces. The prevailing domestic factors were the trade and budget deficits. Thus, the government created *Proalcool* in order to address the country's fiscal and energy concerns and assisted in the development of the alternative fuel program.

SECTION TWO: *PROALCOOL* DEVELOPMENT PHASE HIGHLIGHTS

There are four phases of *Proalcool's* development: Phase I (1975-1978); Phase II (1979-1984); Phase III (1985-1989); and Phase IV (1990-present). This section describes the main features of each phase.

⁸⁹Plinio Nastari, "The Role of Sugarcane in Brazil's History and Economy," (Ph.D.

A. Proalcohol Phase I (1975 to 1978)

Phase I started with a government decree to create a domestic ethanol industry. It was based primarily on the production of “gasohol,” a mixture of up to 20% ethanol by volume. This period is characterized by an expanded production of predominantly anhydrous ethanol (mixing gasoline with ethanol) and hydrous (pure) ethanol (a neat alternative fuel). The government’s primary objective was to save foreign exchange via gasoline substitution. This was accomplished by utilizing idle capacity at existing annexed distilleries of sugar plantations. The quadrupling of ethanol production occurred during this time because government policies provided significant incentives to producers. Large sugarcane plantations added distilleries and converted the cane to ethanol because of depressed sugar prices worldwide.

There were two key factors which limited the risks of this phase. First, automobiles normally fueled with gasoline did not require any engine modifications when using “gasohol” (anhydrous ethanol). Therefore, the spark-ignition engine market remained single engine and essentially single fueled, with ethanol replacing gasoline. Second, the opportunity value of the anhydrous ethanol was equal to that of the gasoline displaced; ethanol’s lower energy content was partially offset by its higher octane number.

diss., Iowa State University, 1983), 112.

B. Proalcool Phase II (1979 and 1985)

Phase II was the boom phase of the ethanol industry. The second oil crisis of 1979-80 prompted government policy makers to broaden *Proalcool's* objectives. Expansion was financed in part by the World Bank. In 1981, the World Bank approved a loan for \$250 million to partially finance 67 ethanol distilleries.⁹⁰ This period is marked by four developments.

The first aspect of this phase was the decentralization of production and supply of ethanol. The aim was to encourage increased employment and raise incomes, especially in the rural areas. This was achieved through the participation of autonomous distilleries. The government provided incentives for the development and expansion of autonomous distilleries. Autonomous distilleries, located independently from sugar plantations and often in rural areas, were involved solely in ethanol production and received their sugarcane from small cooperatives.

The second development of this phase was the commercialization of neat ethanol-powered vehicles in late 1979. There were significant government incentives for the purchase of both neat ethanol-powered vehicles and fuel such that by 1980 these vehicles accounted for 73% of vehicle sales. The first neat ethanol-powered vehicles were simply gasoline-powered engines, modified to use ethanol. However,

⁹⁰World Bank, *Project Performance Audit Report: Brazil Alcohol and Biomass Energy Development Project* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1990), 55.

widespread problems with exhaust system corrosion and cold-starts occurred because of the materials' incompatibility with neat ethanol. In addition, unlicensed mechanics performed faulty ethanol conversions. Consumer acceptance of both ethanol and the new vehicles was undermined because no one could differentiate between factory produced ethanol vehicles and poorly retrofitted vehicles. This, combined with the fuel price increases from 40% to the 65% cap on ethanol, resulted in a sharp decline in neat ethanol vehicles to less than 10% of total vehicle sales by July 1981. The government renewed its commitment to the program by lowering alternative fuel prices to 59% of the gasoline price and by continuing to provide incentives to purchase neat ethanol-powered vehicles.⁹¹ Automakers agreed to repair poorly converted vehicles and improve engine design to ensure compatibility with ethanol. The government and industry actions restored consumer confidence and the sale of neat ethanol cars increased to over 90% of total car sales between 1983 and 1985.

The third attribute of Phase II was the adoption of pollution control measures by state governments to reduce stillage, a liquid by-product of the sugarcane distillation process. Stillage was initially disposed of in rivers and was the focus of

⁹¹U.S. General Accounting Office, "Alternative Fuels: Experiences of Brazil, Canada, and New Zealand in Using Alternative Fuels," Report to the Chairman, Environment, Energy, and Natural Resources Subcommittee, Committee on Government Operations, House GAO/RCED-92-119 (Washington, D.C.: U.S. General Accounting Office, 1992), 51-52;

serious environmental concerns. Today, stillage is treated and used as fertilizer for sugarcane fields.

The fourth attribute of Phase II was the implementation of government measures to avoid the substitution of land for food crops to fuel crops, that is land used for sugarcane to be processed into fuel versus land use for food crops. Between 1976 and 1982, land under cultivation increased by 12% to 5.4 million hectares. This increase was divided among sugarcane, 24%; food crops, 35%; and export crops, 41%. The implication is that food crops face greater competition from export crops, particularly soya, than from sugarcane.⁹² As of 1992, sugarcane for ethanol production occupied 4.2% of the land area devoted to primary food crops. This low agricultural use is true even in Sao Paulo, where the largest tracts of sugarcane are located and where the highest use of cultivable land (50%) is utilized for agricultural purposes.⁹³ Crop rotation has increased food production: beans and peanuts are sometimes rotated with sugarcane and the byproducts of ethanol production, such as hydrolyzed bagasse and dry yeast, are used in cattle, chicken, and pork feed.⁹⁴

One criticism of this phase is increased land ownership. The Sugar-Cane Statute enabled sugar mills and ethanol distilleries to control up to 40% of their raw

⁹²Jose Goldemberg *et al.*, *Energy for a Sustainable World* (New York: John Wiley & Sons, 1988), 247-248.

⁹³Goldemberg *et al.*, "The Brazilian Fuel Alcohol Program", 855.

material requirements; therefore, land ownership was increased to lower their cost of production.⁹⁵ Critics claim that in 1981 some distilleries controlled over 80%, while the national average was about 65%. This increased land ownership caused displacements of food staples, leading to increased seasonality and migration of workers as well as the eviction of small farmers and subsistence peasants who held plots under rentals, partnerships, and illicit forms of land tenure.⁹⁶

During phase two of *Proalcool's* development, ethanol expansion occurred because world oil prices increased and sugar prices decreased. External forces justified the program. Ethanol was seen as a means to energy independence and foreign exchange savings. These objectives were very important to the fiscal integrity and national image of the Brazilian government.

C. *Proalcool's* Phase III (1985 to 1990)

Phase III marked *Proalcool's* maturity. During this period, ethanol shortages and excess consumer demand were experienced. Greater yields in agricultural and industrial productivity occurred. Production was more closely tied to the marketplace and government assistance was significantly reduced. Opponents to the program contested the viability of *Proalcool*, citing declining world oil prices in the

⁹⁴Ibid.

⁹⁵Bhatia and Pereira, *Socioeconomic Aspects of Renewable Energy Technologies*, 21.

face of an enormous international debt. The government implemented a fuel pricing change, beginning in 1985, which was a disincentive to sugarcane producers and consumers. Shortages of ethanol in 1990 and lower world oil prices shifted consumer purchases to gasoline powered vehicles. The proportion of neat ethanol vehicles sold, out of total vehicles sales, diminished from 95% in 1986, to 69% in January 1989, to only 4.8% in July 1990.⁹⁷

D. Proalcool's Phase IV (1991 to present)

Phase IV represents the government's renewed commitment to the ethanol program. The Iraqi invasion of Kuwait in August 1990 raised the problems of continued reliance on oil imports and national energy security. The geopolitical instability of the Middle East provided the impetus for ethanol supporters to argue for an expanded ethanol program. On August 29, 1990, President Fernando Collor announced a complete revision of Brazil's ethanol program, calling for a market of 16 billion liters (339 PJ) of ethanol by the year 2000, and the need of at least 30% sales of ethanol vehicles.⁹⁸

During this period, the environmental benefits of the biomass fuel were highlighted. Substituting ethanol for gasoline significantly contributes to the

⁹⁶Ibid.

⁹⁷Nastari, "Turbulence Marks Brazil's Alcohol Program," 50.

⁹⁸Ibid., 52.

reduction of carbon dioxide, a major greenhouse gas. Table 7 shows that 9.45 million tons of carbon (MtC) are not released into the atmosphere because of sugarcane production and use, with ethanol accounting for 7.41 MtC and bagasse accounting for 3.24 MtC.

Table 7. Brazil's net CO₂ emissions due to sugarcane production and use, 1990-1991, million tons of carbon per year (MtC/year).

Ethanol substitution for gasoline	-7.41
Bagasse substitution for fuel oil in other industries	-3.24
Fossil fuel utilization in sugarcane industry	+1.20
Net contribution	-9.45

Source: Emilio La Rovere, "Environmental Benefits of the Brazilian Ethanol Programme," in *First Biomass Conference of the Americas: Energy, Environment, Agriculture, and Industry Proceedings Vol. III*, (Golden, CO: NREL, 1993), 1540.

Other environmental benefits of the project include the reduction of airborne lead, which in Sao Paulo decreased ten-fold between 1978 and 1983 due to the substitution of ethanol for leaded gasoline and significantly reduced emissions of carbon monoxide, hydrocarbons, and nitrogen oxides.⁹⁹

In 1995, neat ethanol vehicles represented only 3% of total vehicle sales. Beginning in 1996, the national automotive industry agreed that 20% of total motor

⁹⁹World Bank, *Project Performance Audit Report*, 21.

vehicles would be neat ethanol vehicles.¹⁰⁰ Foreign exchange savings and exports of gasoline and ethanol equal \$12.5 and \$8.5 billion respectively.

Phases I - IV highlight Brazil's major alternative transportation fuel effort. *Proalcool* came into existence because of the country's increasing oil consumption, increasing trade and budget deficits, and increasing sugar stocks due to depressed worldwide sugar prices. *Proalcool* survived because of external circumstances which precipitated strong governmental support and policies to encourage consumer participation.

SECTION THREE: GOVERNMENT PARTICIPATION AND POLICIES¹⁰¹

This section presents the institutions and government policies underlying the ethanol industry. Government participation and support has been integral to *Proalcool's* development. Each administration has affected the ethanol program.

A. Phase I: 1975-1978

President Geisel's decree in November 1975, which created *Proalcool*, also established the National Alcohol Commission as the governmental agency responsible for ethanol production. The major institutional actors were the Sugar and Alcohol Institute (IAA), Copersucar, and Petrobras. The IAA lobbied for the sugarcane

¹⁰⁰ "Brazil Reexamines Ethanol Program as U.S. Group Plans Visit," *Oxyfuel News* (Information Resources Institute: Washington, D.C., Sept. 11, 1995): 5.

¹⁰¹This section comes from Daniel Sperling, *New Transportation Fuels*, 76-78; Armand Pereira, *Ethanol, Employment and Development*, 49-59. World Bank,

industry to be the ethanol feedstock and at the same time regulated the sugarcane industry.¹⁰² Copersucar, a cooperative representing the largest ethanol and sugarcane producers in Sao Paulo, lobbied for production subsidies and opposed state-run plantations. Petrobras, the state-owned petroleum monopoly (which was one of the fifty largest corporations in the world at the time¹⁰³), lobbied for control over *Proalcool* to protect its fuel industry and together with the National Petroleum Council determined gasoline production levels and retail fuel prices.

Brazil had advantages in developing its ethanol fueling infrastructure. The principal advantage was that Brazil's government-owned oil company, Petrobras, had considerable control over motor fuel supplies. Petrobras handled more than half of the ethanol distribution through its pipelines and ships, owned 28% of the country's 22,000 fuel stations, and accounted for 25% of all fuel sales.¹⁰⁴

Easy growth marked the first period because idle excess capacity at the sugar plantations and annexed distilleries was utilized with minimal expenditures and risk.

Project Performance Audit Report, 16-20.

¹⁰²The government established a *Comissao de Defesa do Acucar* (CDA) in 1931, which regulated sugar production and subsidized producers. CDA was replaced by the IAA, a federal agency, whose board of directors includes sugar cane growers and millers as well as government representatives. IAA also monopolizes sugar exports and collects the revenues from an export tax imposed on sugar in 1956. (IBRD, 1991, 82.)

¹⁰³Sperling, *New Transportation Fuels*, 77.

Producers, especially those at annexed distilleries, received subsidized loans for investments (15 years with 3 years of grace) at negative real interest rates. Until January 1981, those loans covered up to 80% of industrial investments in sugarcane distilleries and up to 90% for those based on other raw materials (i.e., cassava). Nominal interest rates on those loans varied from 2 to 6% plus 40% of the general price index as a partial adjustment for inflation, which prior to 1980 averaged 50% annually.

The government set initial targets of 790 million gallons of ethanol fuel production and consumption by 1980, which was to account for 20% of anticipated gasoline demand. However by late 1978, production targets were met and there was no excess capacity.

Ultimately the difficult access to credit curtailed the ethanol industry's expansion and the National Alcohol Commission was criticized for its ineffective management.

The program was at a critical juncture: the sugar industry bailout scheme would need to be transformed into an energy scheme in which alcohol fuel pumps would have to be put in place, alcohol vehicles built, and autonomous distilleries become the source of fuel production.¹⁰⁵

The lack of leadership and political maneuverings for control of *Proalcool* significantly weakened the ethanol program.

¹⁰⁴U.S. General Accounting Office, *Alternative Fuels*, 31.

B. Phase II: 1979-1984

Phase II began with the oil price increase in 1979 which was the catalyst for President Figueiredo's new administration's announcement of a stronger alternative fuel plan.

The ineffectual National Alcohol Commission was replaced by the National Alcohol Council (CNAL) made up of thirteen members from seven agencies, and given broader authority to implement an expanded initiative.¹⁰⁶ CNAL was given authority to (a) define *Proalcool's* guidelines and criteria for project appraisal; (b) establish incentives and financing conditions, annual production quotas and prices; and (c) authorize exports of molasses and ethanol. This body of high-level executives had very little day-to-day involvement in decision-making concerning resource allocation. CNAL created a five-member Executive Committee (CENAL) to provide technical support to CNAL and to serve as a decision-making body for ethanol distillery projects and encourage ethanol-related research.¹⁰⁷ CENAL's major role was to approve or reject project proposals. An investor interested in a distillery would submit a detailed technical proposal to CENAL and IAA for projects based on sugarcane, or the Secretariat of Industrial Technology (STI) for manioc projects. If

¹⁰⁵Sperling, *New Transportation Fuels*, 79.

¹⁰⁶Pereira, *Ethanol, Employment and Development*, 78, footnote 2.

¹⁰⁷*Ibid.*, 25-26.

the technical proposal was approved, a financial proposal was then submitted to the state-owned commercial Bank of Brazil to receive subsidized credit, and finally the Central Bank of Brazil would review the financial contract. CNAL was under control of the National Monetary Council. The National Monetary Council, which was comprised of representatives from monetary and fiscal authorities, determined how much credit would be available to the ethanol program.

The ministerial-level Council for Economic Development set fuel production targets and producer prices. The IAA determined the prices of sugarcane, molasses and ethanol and specified their use.¹⁰⁸ The ethanol and sugar produced in the country was purchased above cost, and the price was readjusted every six months. The IAA also established quotas for ethanol and/or sugar production in each distillery and/or sugar mill.

In 1979, the government declared a \$5 billion target for investment in the ethanol industry between 1979 and 1985. In 1985, an annual ethanol production target of 10.6 billion liters (224 PJ) was announced. Between 1980 and 1982, conditions for loans tightened and distillery operators received loans effectively covering 60% of plant costs (rather than 80% during Phase I).¹⁰⁹

¹⁰⁸Ibid., 26.

¹⁰⁹World Bank, *Project Performance Audit Report*, 16.

The World Bank states that its loan (originally \$250 million) played only a marginally positive role between 1981 and 1985 in lowering subsidies. However, there is no question that interest rate subsidies were lowered between 1981 and 1985.¹¹⁰

The government's strong support encouraged automakers to manufacture neat ethanol powered vehicles. Significant state incentives induced consumer purchases and public participation. Neat ethanol cars were cheaper to buy because of lower vehicle registration fees, lower fuel prices, and easier access to credit.

C. Phase III: 1985-1990

During Phase III, Jose Sarney's government policies changed to the detriment of both ethanol producers and consumers. Ethanol shortages jeopardized the alternative fuel program and undermined producer support and consumer confidence.

By mid-1985, the interest rates on *Proalcool* loans, excluding those to the Northeast and North regions, had increased to 5% plus 100% of the general price index. The number of projects approved decreased dramatically because of declining world oil prices.

In 1984, the government changed the fuel pricing policy which resulted in insufficient sugarcane production and the necessity to import ethanol and methanol. The government established an index for prices paid to sugarcane producers using

¹¹⁰Ibid., 17.

1978 as the base year. So in 1984, producers received 77% of the price they had been paid, and by 1990, they received 42% of what they made in 1978. Many independent cane growers could not afford to grow sugarcane. The independent cane growers' share of the total amount of cane crushed dropped from 48% in the 1985/86 crop year to less than 20% in the 1990/91 crop year. Sugar mill and distillery owners planted more cane, but were only able to stabilize the supply of cane at the level of 220 million tons/year and 3.06 billion gallons of anhydrous ethanol. Demand for ethanol increased in part due to the success of the neat-ethanol vehicle to almost 11.8 billion liters (250 PJ), the equivalent of 168,378 barrels/day of gasoline.¹¹¹ The insufficient fuel supply required the government to increase fuel ethanol prices for consumers. The ratio of prices of hydrous ethanol (for neat-ethanol vehicles) to gasoline rose from 0.65 to 0.75.

Ethanol imports met part of the ethanol shortage, but not totally. European wine ethanol and US corn ethanol imports did not close the gap between the supply and demand for ethanol. Therefore, a methanol blend (60% hydrous ethanol, 33% methanol, and 7% gasoline) was utilized. It had the same properties of hydrous ethanol and was tested by the Brazilian automobile industry. The mixture was approved by the local environmental organizations, but was not accepted by the public. Subsequently, ethanol shortages were inevitable in most Brazilian cities

¹¹¹Nastari, "Turbulence Marks Brazil's Alcohol Program," 49.

between March and May of 1990. The only place where ethanol, pure or in blends with methanol, was regularly available was the city of Sao Paulo.¹¹²

The number of neat ethanol vehicles produced peaked and ebbed during this period. The proportion of neat ethanol vehicles sold to total vehicle sales diminished from 95% in 1986, to 69% in January 1989, to only 4% in August 1990. The year-end figure for ethanol vehicle sales in 1990 was 11.6%.

The outlook for the alternative fuel program was bleak in 1990. If Iraq had not invaded Kuwait in August 1990, the program's future would have been in jeopardy.

D. Phase IV: 1991 to Present

Phase IV is the latest phase denoting a change in the government's role in the ethanol industry. Cenal and the IAA were dissolved as two separate entities in 1991. The combined employees of 2100 were reduced to an office of 18 people. In August 1990, President Collor nominated a task force to study reducing the government's involvement in the sugar and ethanol industries. Sugar and ethanol producers sought three major concessions: increased prices paid to ethanol producers, increased credit to expand sugarcane acreage, and producer debt renegotiation. In February 1991, the government began negotiations on debt restructuring for the ethanol and sugar producers and in addition, also promised \$100 million in credit for planting. Also,

¹¹²Ibid.,48-49.

prices paid to ethanol producers were raised to the rate of inflation starting in January 1991. These were important concerns of sugar and ethanol producers and demonstrated the government's recommitment to the ethanol industry. A 16 billion liter (339 PJ) ethanol program was targeted.

While the level of government support has varied, it must be noted that *Proalcool* is a private endeavor, with government policies continuing to underpin the ethanol industry.

SECTION FOUR: PRIVATE SECTOR PARTICIPATION

The ethanol industry affects many sectors in the economy because of the backward and forward linkages involving agriculture and manufacturing. This section presents data on ethanol production, ethanol consumption, industrial and agricultural investment as well as automobile production.

A. Ethanol Production

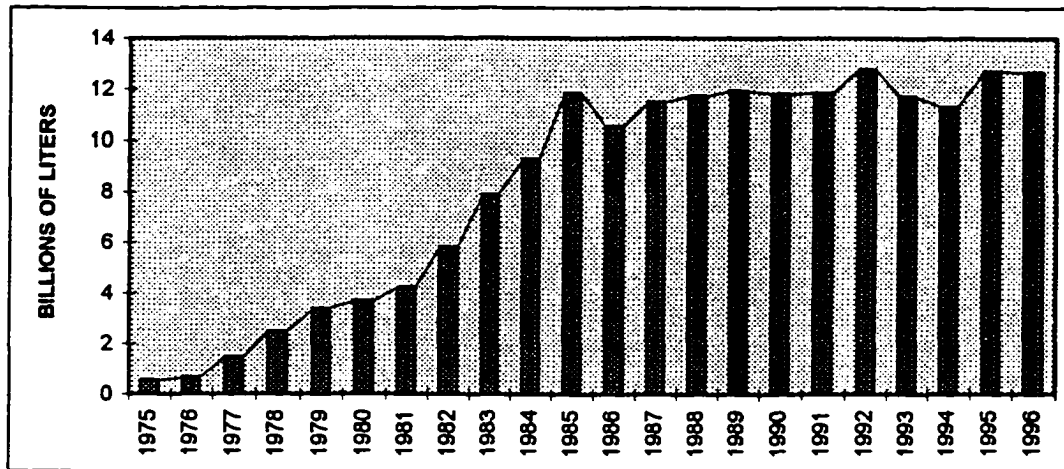
Ethanol production increased from 555.6 million liters (11.8 PJ) in 1976 to 12.7 billion liters (269 PJ) in 1996. Ethanol yields in 1977 were 2,663 liters per hectare, growing to 3,811 liters per hectare in 1985, an average annual increase of 4.3%. During the same period, agriculture yields increased 16% (measured in tons of cane per hectare) and industrial yields increased 23% (liters of ethanol per ton of

cane). By 1989, the average yield in the state of Sao Paulo was 4,700 liters of ethanol per hectare.¹¹³

Figure 9 shows the actual amount of ethanol produced from the program's beginning. The most dramatic expansion in ethanol output occurred during Phase II. Between 1979 and 1985, 368 new projects were approved to replace gasoline with ethanol blends (anhydrous alcohol) and hydrous alcohol was introduced as a neat fuel for automobiles. In 1985 and 1986, approval for new projects was reduced drastically as existing supply met consumption demand. Continued government support for any ethanol expansion was strongly opposed by petroleum interests, especially since oil was discovered off the Brazilian coast and the world price for crude oil was \$16 per barrel in 1986. The government provided subsidies for new distilleries through 1986 to meet the consumption needs of the ethanol demand. Ethanol production leveled off in 1987 with constant annual production between 10.5 billion liters (223 PJ) and 11.5 billion liters (243 PJ). In 1987, entrepreneurs themselves financed the additional 101 plants. Current *Proalcool* production capacity is 16 billion liters (339 PJ).

¹¹³Goldemberg *et al.*, "The Brazilian Fuel Alcohol Program," 848.

FIGURE 9. ANNUAL ETHANOL PRODUCTION, 1975 TO 1996.



Source: 1975-1988: CENAL, *The National Alcohol Program*, (Brasilia, Brazil: CENAL, 1988); 10; 1989-1996: Datagro, "Brazilian Ethanol Production 1987-1996," (Sao Paulo, Brasil: Datagro, 1996).

B. Ethanol Consumption

Significant government incentives were provided to stimulate consumer interest in fuel ethanol. Initially, the price of ethanol was capped at 65% of gasoline's price because it contained two-thirds the energy content of gasoline. The price of ethanol has always been lower than gasoline, fluctuating between its lowest price of 52% and 75% of gasoline's price. During the first phases, ethanol was more accessible because the government prohibited the sale of gasoline on weekends and only permitted the sale of ethanol.

Ethanol is both a replacement for imported gasoline and an export commodity. The cumulative foreign exchange savings and export earnings due to

ethanol production have been significant. The use of ethanol saved \$12.5 billion in foreign exchange between 1976 and 1987. During the same period, the value of gasoline and ethanol exports was \$8.5 billion. Over \$21 billion is credited to the ethanol industry as the equivalent cost of imported gasoline and the value of Brazilian exports of ethanol and gasoline.

C. Industrial and Agricultural Investment in *Proalcool*

The total investment in ethanol distilleries between 1975 and 1989 reached \$7 billion, of which \$4 billion was from the government and \$3 billion was from entrepreneur's resources. Investment in agriculture and industry was \$2.2 billion and \$4.8 billion respectively. In 1981, investment increased significantly due to expanded production goals announced in 1979 and broader development objectives articulated by the government. Investment declined substantially between 1988 and 1990 because of ethanol shortages, reduced ethanol-fueled car production, oil discoveries off the Brazilian coast, and government fiscal problems. However, when Iraq invaded Kuwait in 1990 the government support of the ethanol industry was renewed.

D. Ethanol Powered Automobile Production¹¹⁴

Automobile manufacturers began producing neat ethanol vehicles in late 1979, after initial ethanol production targets were met. Government incentives

¹¹⁴This section comes from U.S. General Accounting Office, *Alternative Fuels*,

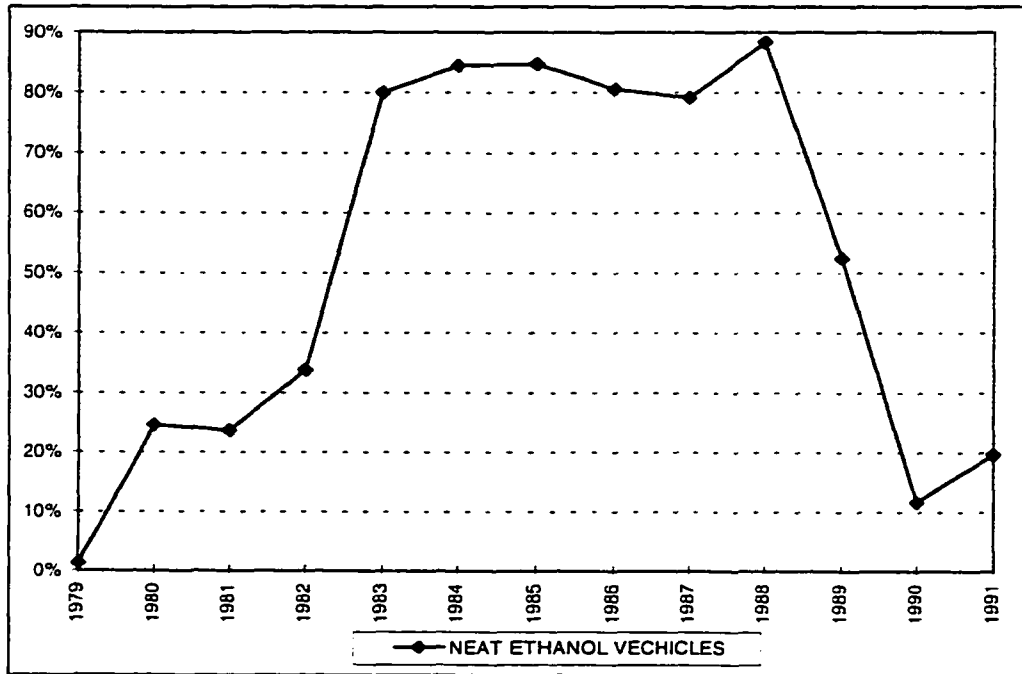
encouraged the purchase of neat ethanol vehicles. These vehicles were cheaper than conventional gasoline vehicles due to lower registration fees, easier credit terms, reduced down payments, and longer repayment schedules.

Neat ethanol vehicles were introduced in late 1979, and by the end of 1980, they captured 73% of the market. However, the first vehicles had problems starting in cold weather and parts deteriorated due to the corrosion of fuel and exhaust system parts. These fuel-related problems and concurrent ethanol price increases resulted in new neat ethanol vehicle sales falling to less than 10% of total vehicle sales by July 1981. Figure 10 shows the production of ethanol-powered motor vehicles. To restore public confidence, a major auto maker agreed to ensure that all ethanol vehicle warranty claims were fully satisfied; to improve ethanol engines and materials compatibility; and to upgrade ethanol vehicle warranties to match or exceed those for gasoline vehicles. Consumer support increased steadily and by 1985, the new improved vehicles accounted for 95% of all new vehicle sales. From late 1989 to early 1990, there was an acute shortage of ethanol, which resulted in a major drop in ethanol vehicle sales by mid 1990. By October 1991, the share of neat ethanol-powered vehicles grew to about 26% of total vehicle sales, or 4.2 million neat ethanol vehicles and 5 million ethanol/gasoline mix powered vehicles.¹¹⁵

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¹¹⁵Goldemberg *et al.*, "The Brazilian Fuel Alcohol Program," 843.

FIGURE 10. PERCENTAGE OF NEAT ETHANOL VEHICLE SALES, 1979-1991.



Source: 1979-1988: CENAL, *The National Alcohol Program*, (Brasilia, Brazil: CENAL, 1988); 10: 1989-1991: Plinio Nastari, personal correspondence, 1992.

Government and industry intervention was critical to the development of ethanol powered motor vehicles. Consumers responded to government incentives and assurances by automobile manufacturers.

SECTION FIVE: BRAZILIAN HOUSEHOLD ENERGY CONSUMPTION

Residential energy use accounts for 29% of total commercial energy demand. In 1985, there were approximately 30 million households of which an estimated 76% lived in urban areas.¹¹⁶

¹¹⁶G. De Martino Jannuzzi, "Residential Energy Demand in Brazil by Income Class," *Energy Policy* (June 1989): 259.

Table 8 shows the percentage of households that used gasoline, liquid propane gas (LPG) and city gas, electricity, fuelwood, charcoal, and kerosene between 1960 and 1985. Household gasoline consumption increased from 4% in 1960 to 25% in 1985. Residential electricity use doubled between 1960 and 1985, increasing from 38% to 80%. During the same period, LPG and city gas consumption rates increased four fold from 18% to 78%. The use of fuelwood decreased by half; kerosene consumption declined from 20% to 7%; and use of charcoal remained constant at 4%.

Table 8. The penetration levels of fuels and electricity in Brazil's residential sector between 1960-85, percentage.

Fuel	1960	1970	1980	1985
Gasoline	4	9	22	25
LPG and City Gas	18	43	63	78
Electricity	38	47	68	80
Fuelwood	61	45	31	28
Charcoal	5	4	6	4
Kerosene	20	20	14	7
Total number of households (millions)	13	18	25	30
Urban	47	58	70	76

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It is noteworthy that residential electricity has become more widely available; in 1985 it was consumed in eight out of ten households. It is also interesting that gasoline was consumed by only one in four households in 1985. These findings suggest that distributive characteristics may explain why gasoline had the least penetration of the modern fuels, i.e., only the wealthy could afford to purchase cars and gasoline.

Table 9 indicates household energy consumption by income levels. It shows that the demand for modern fuels comes from households with monthly incomes greater than 5 minimum wages (MW) representing 30% of the country's total number of households. Lower income households, those with less than 5 MW, predominantly consume LPG and city gas, electricity, and fuelwood. Gasoline demand is concentrated in the two upper-income classes: 72% of households with 10-20 MW consume gasoline, this percentage increases to 90% of households with more than 20 MW. In addition, urban households consume about 3 times more gasoline energy than the rural household, on average.

There is a direct relationship between income and modern fuel use. As household income increases, household consumption of gasoline, LPG and city gas, and electricity increases. The biggest difference in energy consumption between the upper and lower income classes is that the rich consume significantly more gasoline and the poor consume significantly more fuelwood.

Table 9. The penetration levels of modern fuels in the residential sector of Brazil by income class in 1979, percentage.

Fuel	Income Level					Average		
	<2	2-5	5-10	10-20	>20	Total	Urban	Rural
Gasoline	3	16	44	72	90	24	29	11
LPG & Gas	39	79	92	98	98	67	84	27
Electricity	58	79	94	98	99	71	90	24
Fuelwood	74	44	22	12	6	31	11	77
Households by income class as % of total	37	33	17	9	4			

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Table 10 shows the unevenness of household energy consumption by income class. Households with more than 20 MW consume 6 times more electricity than households with less than 2 MW; LPG and city gas consumption is 2 times greater for the richest compared to the poorest. Households with more than 20 MW consume about 115 GJ/year of gasoline, or 3 times more energy than the lowest-income household. This is due partially to the higher intensity of vehicle use and to the ownership of more than one car per household.

Household consumption of modern fuels increases with income. Electricity, LPG and city gas have already reached residential penetration levels of 80% and

78% respectively. Therefore, as incomes increase it will take less time for households to reach their maximum level of use. Gasoline on the other hand has a residential penetration of only 25%. As incomes increase motor vehicle use will also increase - driving the demand for gasoline up. It will take longer to meet the demand for increasing gasoline. Ethanol has the potential to meet residential energy demand for gasoline.

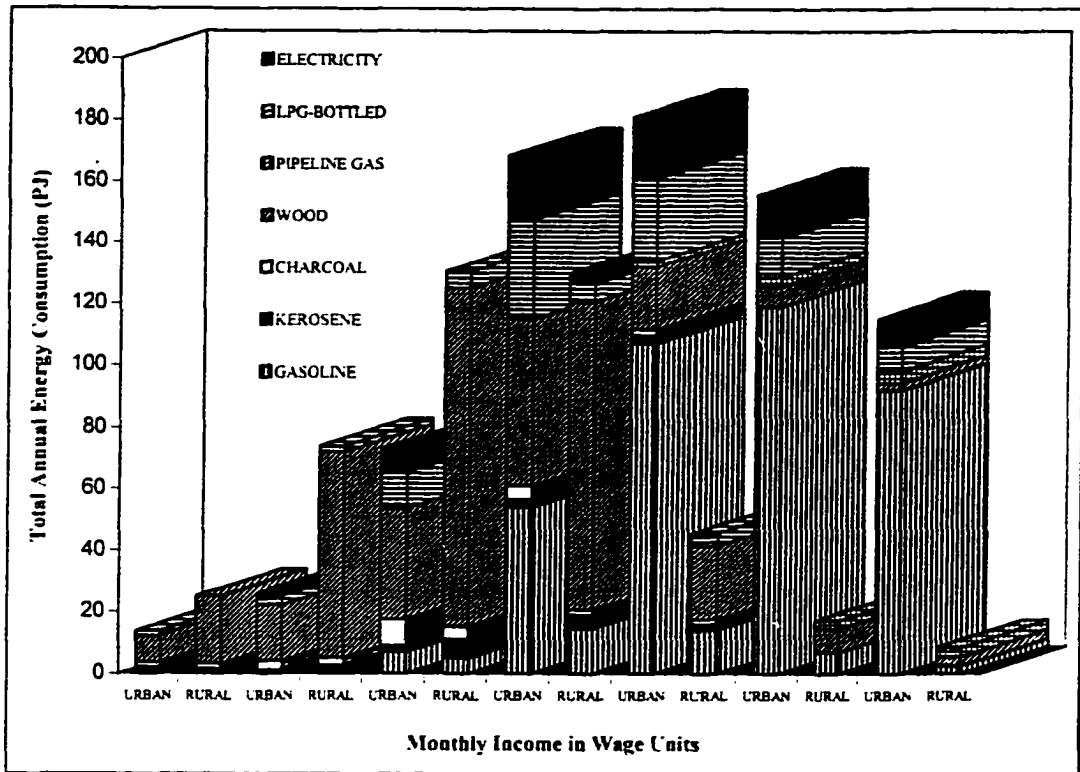
Table 10. Average consumption levels per household of gasoline, liquid propane gas, and electricity by income class in 1979, GJ/year.

	Income Level					Average		
	<2	2-5	5-10	10-20	>20	Total	Urban	Rural
Minimum Wage								
Gasoline	39	52	68	85	115	75		
LPG	6	7	8	9	11	7	8	6
Electricity	2	4	6	8	12	5	5	2

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Figure 11 shows a direct relationship between income and modern fuels, especially gasoline. Gasoline use, particularly in urban areas, increases dramatically with increased income. The market development for a substitution for gasoline seems to have much potential in urban centers.

FIGURE 11. HOUSEHOLD ENERGY CONSUMPTION.



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SECTION SIX: CONCLUSION

In 1975, the Brazilian government established *Proalcool*, an ambitious program to substitute ethanol for gasoline because instability in the world oil and sugar commodity markets was driving the country bankrupt. Brazil's oil imports grew from 20% in the 1950s to 80% in the 1970s with oil imports costing \$3.2 billion or 39.5% of exports. Energy self-sufficiency and foreign exchange savings were the primary goals of the program.

Four phases mark *Proalcool's* development. The first phase (1975 to 1978) was characterized by government supported expansion of anhydrous ethanol production (mixing gasoline with 20% by volume of ethanol) at annexed distilleries which are attached to sugar plantations. Phase two (1979 to 1984) was the ethanol industry's boom phase. The government provided industry incentives for the development of the autonomous distilleries which are located independently of sugar plantations to produce hydrous (neat or pure) ethanol as well as consumer incentives to purchase neat ethanol-powered vehicles. Phase three (1985 to 1989) was known as the maturity stage and is marked by declining government support, ethanol shortages, lower world oil prices, and drastically reduced sales of neat ethanol-powered vehicles. Phase four (1990 to present) represents the government's renewed commitment to the ethanol industry. The environmental benefits of ethanol use was recognized.

Ethanol production levels increased from 555 million liters in 1975 to almost 13 billion liters in 1995. Between 1975 and 1989, investment in the ethanol industry totaled \$7 billion; with \$3 billion coming from industry and \$4 billion coming from government. Ethanol currently accounts for 27% of all motor fuels sales with over 4.5 million neat ethanol-powered vehicles. Most recently neat-ethanol powered vehicles represent 20% of total vehicles sales. The use of ethanol as a blend with

conventional gasoline and as a neat alternative fuel saved millions of dollars in foregone oil imports and generated revenue due to the export of ethanol and gasoline.

In 1985, there were approximately 30 million households, of which an estimated 76% lived in urban areas. A direct relationship between transportation fuel consumption and household income exists. While residential electricity was consumed in eight out of ten households, gasoline was consumed by only one in four households. Gasoline demand is concentrated in the two upper income classes which represent about 13% of all households. Urban households consume about 3 times more gasoline than rural households. The implications of Brazil's household energy consumption suggest that as more people live in urban areas and as their incomes increase, it is expected that more people will be purchasing motor vehicles and driving them.

This chapter showed the development of the ethanol industry and its linkages to industry, government, and households. The ethanol industry plays a significant role within Brazil's economy. The next chapter examines the employment and distributional implications of two different technologies used in ethanol production.

CHAPTER FOUR

ETHANOL'S EMPLOYMENT AND DISTRIBUTIONAL IMPLICATIONS

Increased employment and reduced regional income inequality were two major objectives of the *Proalcool* program. This chapter discusses the employment and distribution effects of two ethanol production technologies. The ethanol distilleries located in the rural northeast are classified as the traditional technology because of the greater labor requirements due to less harvest mechanization. The ethanol distilleries located in the urban center-south are considered the modern technology because they have the country's most developed sugar production and ethanol distillation technology. Section one presents the employment estimated with the ethanol technologies. Section two discusses the distributional effects of the ethanol production technologies.

SECTION ONE: EMPLOYMENT¹¹⁷

The alternative fuel program generates significant job creation within the energy sector. Table 11 shows that the ethanol industry employs the greatest number

¹¹⁷This section comes from Geller, "Ethanol Fuel From Sugar Cane in Brazil," 146-149; and Pereira, *Ethanol, Employment and Development*, 105-123.

of workers of the following four energy sub-sectors: ethanol, oil, electricity, and coal.

Table 11 Employment in the energy sector.

Sector	Jobs	Energy Production (BOE/Day)	Jobs/BOE
Ethanol	707,289	103,200	6,854
Oil	55,000	1,206,000	0.045
Electricity	180,500	1,198,000	0.15
Coal	12,500	65,000	0.192

Source: Plinio Nastari, "Recent developments in Brazil's National Alcohol Program," Third Annual Ethanol Conference. Lincoln, NE (September 1990).

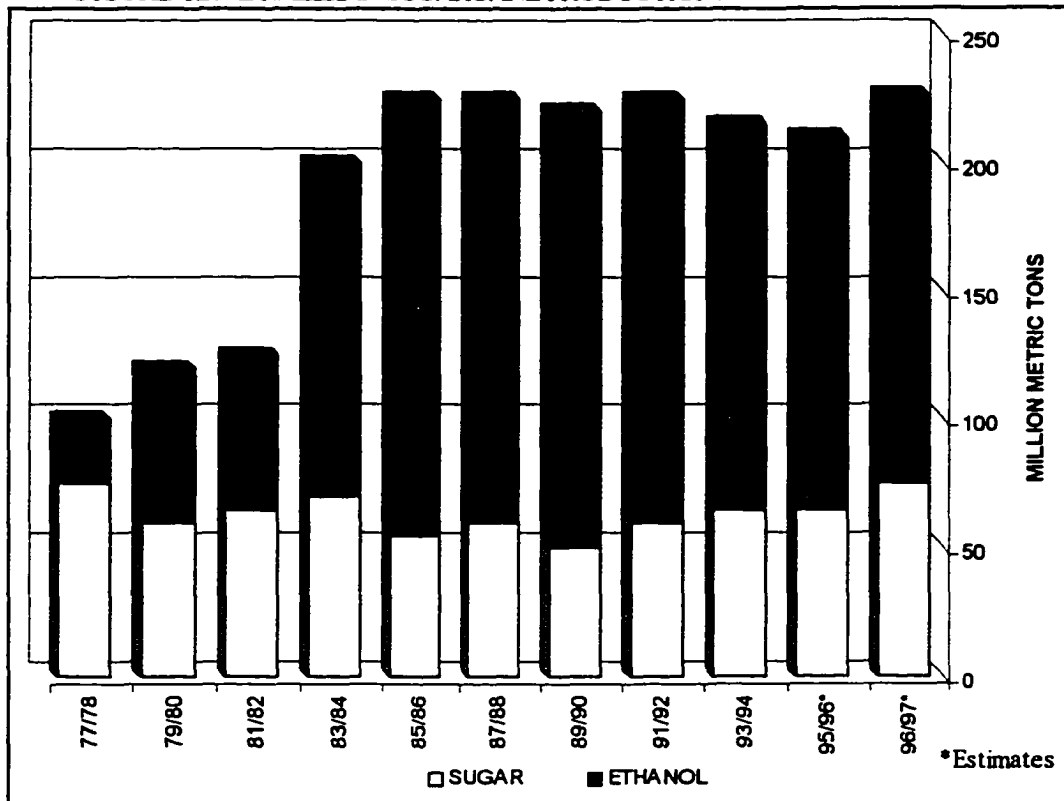
Ethanol production is highly labor intensive because of its backward and forward agro-industrial linkages. However, several factors complicate determining the ethanol industry's direct and indirect employment. Demand for labor in producing ethanol is uneven because of differences in labor and land productivity, between and within regions; the technologies utilized; as well as the large number of seasonal and unsalaried workers.

Two kinds of employment are associated with ethanol production. First is the agricultural employment involved in the production of ethanol's feedstock, sugarcane. Agricultural labor is used mainly for sugarcane production and represents the majority of the labor required for ethanol production. Second is the industrial employment involved with the distillation of ethanol. Industrial labor is highly seasonal, since distilleries typically operate between 150 and 180 days per year.

A. Sugarcane Production

Brazil is the world's largest sugarcane producer and the second largest producer of raw sugar. Figure 12 illustrates the levels of sugarcane production between 1975 and 1995. Brazil has tripled sugarcane production from almost 70 million metric tons in 1975 to estimates of 226 million metric tons in 1996/97. About 66% of the sugarcane produced converted into ethanol and 34% into sugar.¹¹⁸

FIGURE 12. BRAZILIAN SUGARCANE PRODUCTION.



Source: Stephen Vuilleumier, "Global Nutritive Sweetener Outlook," mimeo. 1996, 3.

¹¹⁸Stephan Vuilleumier, "Global Nutritive Sweetener Outlook," paper presented to 19th Annual Seminar on Purchasing, (Kansas City, MO: June 3, 1996) 1-3.

Sugarcane is the basis for sugar, anhydrous ethanol, and neat ethanol (hydrous ethanol) production. Table 12 provides annual production levels of cane, sugar, and ethanol between 1975 and 1995. Table 13 shows that there has been a dramatic change in the percentage of sugarcane used to make sugar, anhydrous ethanol, and hydrous ethanol between 1975 and 1995. The production of hydrous ethanol increased the most from 8% in 1975 to 50% in 1995. Whereas sugar production decreased from 86% in 1975 to 35%. Anhydrous ethanol blends increased from 6% in 1975, to a high of 33% in 1983, and decreased to 15% in 1995. Sugarcane production has shifted from sugar to ethanol production.

Table 12 Annual production of cane, sugar, and alcohol between 1975 and 1995.

Production	74/75	76/77	78/79	80/81	82/83	84/85	86/87	88/89	90/91	92/93	94/95
Cane (10 ⁶ tons)	68.322	87.826	107.626	123.008	166.178	201.218	225.539	220.104	222.429	223.459	240.944
Sugar (10 ⁶ tons)	5.887	7.208	7.342	8.100	8.857	8.848	8.151	8.070	7.365	9.261	11.726
Anhydrous alcohol (10 ⁹ liters)	0.232	0.300	2.095	2.104	3.549	2.102	2.163	1.718	1.288	2.216	2.869
Hydrous alcohol (10 ⁹ liters)	0.323	0.363	0.395	1.602	2.273	7.089	8.343	9.928	10.228	9.480	9.827

Source: Luiz Carvalho, "The prospects for ethanol production in Brazil," *International Sugar Journal* 98, no. 1170 (1996): 289.

Table 13 Sugarcane production expressed in same unit of measurement

	74/75	76/77	78/79	80/81	82/83	84/85	86/87	88/89	90/91	92/93	94/95
Sugar	85.93	86.20	62.53	55.58	46.50	35.86	31.08	28.77	27.19	31.54	34.92
Anhydrous	6.04	6.39	31.73	25.67	33.14	15.15	14.67	10.88	8.44	13.42	15.19
Hydrous	8.04	7.42	5.74	18.75	20.35	48.99	54.25	60.35	64.37	55.04	49.89
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

Source: Luiz Carvalho, "The prospects for ethanol production in Brazil," *International Sugar Journal* 98, no. 1170 (1996): 289.

Sugarcane is produced in two regions. The Center-South (C/S) area includes the states of Sao Paulo and Rio de Janeiro; the Northeast (N/E) area includes the states of Pernambuco and Alagoas.¹¹⁹ Year-round sugarcane production occurs because of complementary crop seasons: the season in the C/S is between May and November, while the season in the N/E region is between September and April. There are also significant differences in climate, soil, and technology between the regions.

The factors which most influence sugarcane yields are: amount of sunlight (sunlight influences the photosynthesis of sugarcane, which in turn affects tonnage per hectare, and the sugar content in each ton of cane), soil quality, rainfall during the post-harvest season (the greater the better), rainfall during the harvest season (the lower the better), temperature during the harvest season (the lower the better as colder temperatures enhance sugarcane maturation), and application of herbicides and fertilizers (when prices paid to cane producers, which is determined by the government, falls, there is a noticeable reduction in the application of inputs, i.e., herbicides and fertilizers).¹²⁰

¹¹⁹World Bank, *Trade, Exchange Rate, and Agricultural Pricing Policies* (Washington, D.C.: The World Bank, 1991), 44.

¹²⁰Private Correspondence with Dr. Plinio Nastari, 1990.

B. Sugarcane Production and Employment

Employment in the agricultural and agro-industrial sectors is largely determined by the production cycle of sugarcane and crop renewal techniques utilized by plantations and farmers. First, there are two varieties of sugarcane: one which takes 12 months before harvesting and the other which has an 18 month maturation period. The 18 month type is the most common.

The replanting and cultivation of sugarcane is not consistent among producers and this has implications for employment and sugarcane yields. The most efficient and optimal crop renewal technique is not always chosen. One reason is the varying levels of demand for sugarcane. An unstable annual demand for sugarcane may motivate a farmer to plant all the sugarcane in one year to maximize the yield in the first harvest. However, the farmer will have diminishing returns thereafter, and not be able to replant in the second and third years to compensate for the increasing losses. Non-optimal crop renewal practices result in alternating surpluses and deficits of sugarcane, as well as off-season periods without any planting.

The most optimal planting pattern for a distillery's plantation is to stagger the planting periods. The first planting yields the necessary amount to meet the demand in the first harvest season, while the second and third plantings provide the additional yields to compensate for the diminishing crop returns of the first planting. This crop planting ensures a stable supply of sugarcane and annual planting (although

decreasing from the first planting to the third and increasing again thereafter). Furthermore, part of the land area may be used for the production of other crops under alternative integrated farming techniques, which would ensure additional returns per hectare and more stable employment.

Employment in the sugarcane sector is a function of the planting patterns and crop renewal techniques. Cultivation and maintenance activities create a year-round demand for labor, but employment is much higher and more stable in plantations where the planting activities are evenly distributed.

C. Ethanol Production

Two different types of distilleries are used in the production of ethanol, annexed and autonomous. The annexed distillery is usually attached to a sugar mill. It has much flexibility in switching production between sugar and ethanol because sugar juice from the sugarcane crusher can be milled into sugar or distilled into ethanol. Historically, annexed distilleries have generated supplemental income by producing ethanol. When sugar prices are low, more sugarcane juice is diverted to the annexed distillery for fermentation into ethanol. When sugar prices are high more sugar juice is milled into sugar. World sugar and ethanol prices influence production levels of both. Until the beginning of the *Proalcool* program in 1975, the only

ethanol production technique was the distillation of molasses (a by-product) from the sugar milling process.¹²¹

Autonomous distilleries are different from annexed distilleries. Autonomous distilleries are independent, stand-alone plants that produce ethanol exclusively. They are located near new sugarcane plantations and receive sugarcane from small producer cooperatives. The development and expansion of autonomous distilleries began in 1979 in order to contribute to rural development and to decentralize the production and supply of ethanol.¹²²

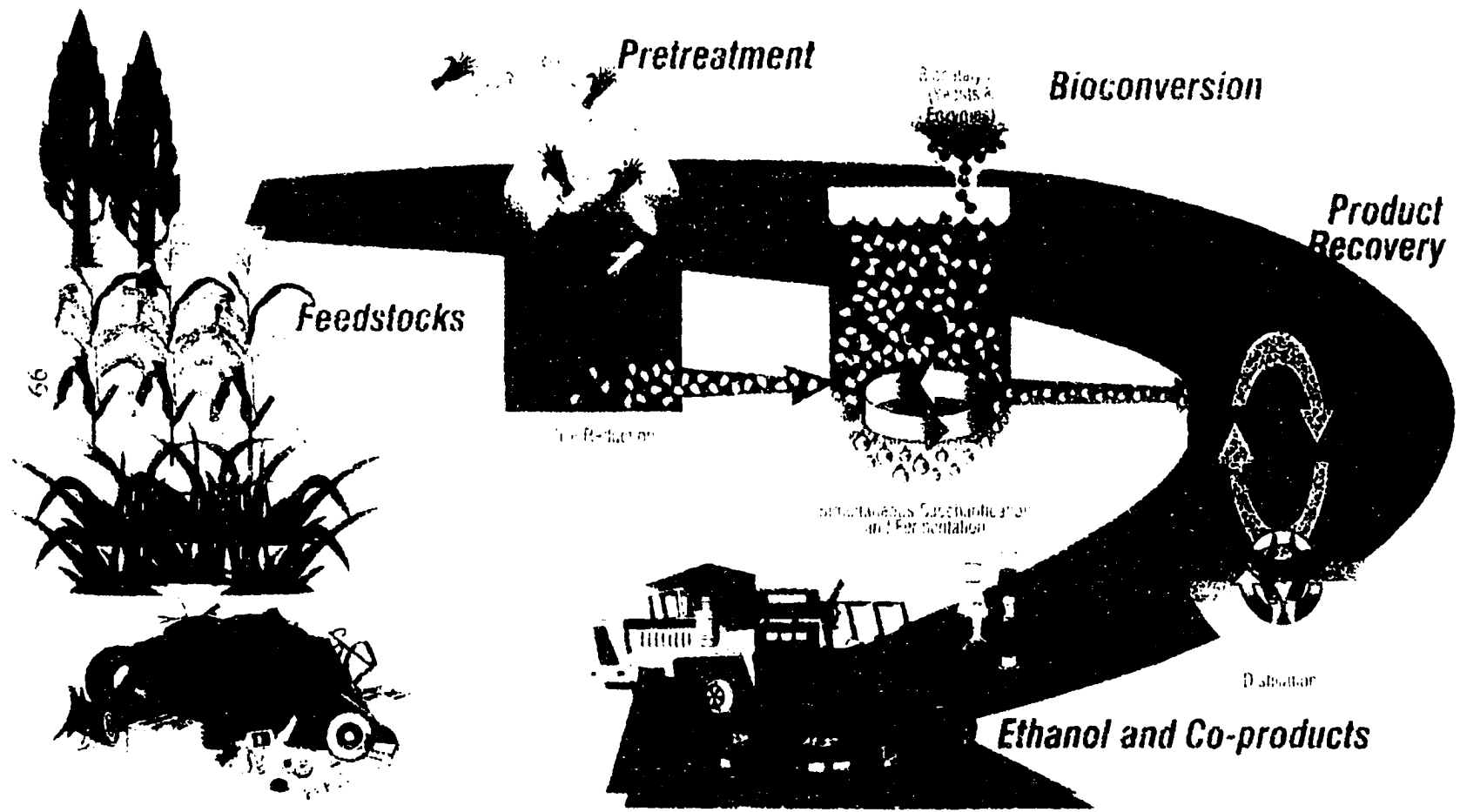
D. Ethanol Production Process

Ethanol is produced directly through the fermentation of sugarcane juice (called “direct” ethanol), and through the fermentation of molasses obtained from sugar production (“indirect” ethanol). Figure 13 shows that the production of ethanol from sugarcane involves three major stages: pretreatment (sucrose extraction), bioconversion fermentation), and product recovery (distillation).

¹²¹Kevin Rask, “The Social Costs of Ethanol Production in Brazil: 1978-1987,” *Economic Development and Cultural Change* (1995): 629.

¹²²Ibid.

FIGURE 13 ETHANOL PRODUCTION PROCESS



Source: National Renewable Energy Laboratory, "Biofuels for Transportation: The Road from Research to the Marketplace," (Golden, CO, National Renewable Energy Laboratory, January, 1995) 3-4, (CD-STL-G1013301)

The technology to convert sugarcane to ethanol is simple.¹²³ An ordinary distillery's electricity and steam production can be generated utilizing sugarcane bagasse. Bagasse, the sugarcane residue from the milling process, is a fibrous material which is used in the industrial process because it can be immediately burned to produce steam.

Step One: Sucrose Extraction

After sugarcane is harvested, it is immediately transported to distilleries. The most common distilleries produce 120,000 liters of ethanol per day while the largest produce one million liters of ethanol per day. Upon arrival, the sugarcane is washed to remove stones and soil dust; then, chopped and crushed in milling machines. The sugarcane is milled using at least two sets of three stainless steel cylinders; the fiber is dampened again in water and then goes through another milling operation. The extracted product, known as beer, is then diluted in water up to one part of sugar to six parts of water.

¹²³This section comes from J.R. Moreira and J. Goldemberg, "Alcohols - Its use, energy and economics - A Brazilian Outlook" *Resource Management and Optimization* 1, no. 3 (January 1981): 231-279. See pages 235-238 for further details.

Step Two: Fermentation

The beer is refrigerated in large stainless steel containers, cooling to avoid temperatures from going above 30-35° C during the time required for efficient fermentation. (Generally twelve hours for economical reasons; a longer time span produces more ethanol, but since the efficiency of the yeast decreases significantly when a 7 or 8% per volume of alcohol is achieved, it then requires up to 36 hours to obtain alcohol in concentrations of 9 to 10%.)

Step Three: Distillation

The alcohol-water mixture undergoes distillation. The residual water is then removed using a mixture which contains benzene. The alcohol is submitted to a new distillation (retification) where the benzene is recovered and water free alcohol is obtained.

Step Four: Storage

The ethanol is then stored. Since ethanol distilleries work only 160-180 days per year, the build-up of large stocks to supply the market all year around is required.

E. Ethanol Production and Direct Employment

Employment in the ethanol sector depends on two regions of sugarcane and ethanol production. These regions have distinct agricultural and industrial

differences. The distilleries of the N/E are classified as the traditional technology in part because they are located in a relatively mountainous area with a greater supply of agricultural workers than the C/S area. These distilleries have higher production costs due to increased transportation costs, less harvest mechanization, and extra infrastructure needed for production. The labor input requirements of the N/E are two to eight times higher than those of the C/S region. Ethanol distilleries of the C/S are classified as the modern technology because they are located in the more urban area. These distilleries have the most developed sugar production, sugarcane harvest mechanization, distillation technology, investment in research and development, and modern plants. This area has a shortage of agricultural workers.¹²⁴

Several studies estimate the direct agricultural and industrial employment associated with the production of ethanol. Jose Goldemberg *et al.* estimate that *Proalcool* generates 475,000 direct jobs and 700,000 at the peak of the harvest season, noting that the N/E region has much less agricultural mechanization and is more than three times as labor intensive as the C/S region.¹²⁵

Armand Pereira estimates that the ethanol industry generates 501,253 jobs. He collected information on six occupational groups involved in producing ethanol.

¹²⁴Rask, "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production in Brazil: 1978-1987," 629-630.

¹²⁵Goldemberg *et al.*, "The Brazilian Fuel Alcohol Program," 854; Goldemberg *et*

He finds that direct employment includes: 68,345 administrative/agro-industrial jobs during the harvest season and 48,728 jobs during the off-season. In addition, direct employment in the agricultural sector numbers 236,419 during the harvest season and 147,761 during the off-season.¹²⁶

Geller estimates total direct employment associated with the production goal of 10 billion liters to be about 620,000 workers; the equivalent of about 420,000 full-time jobs.¹²⁷ Table 14 shows the direct employment created by a typical 120,000 liters/day distillery in the C/S and N/E regions. Agricultural labor is used mainly for planting and harvesting sugarcane and represents 75-90% of the total labor required for ethanol production. Nearly three times as much labor is needed during the six month harvesting season as in the six month land preparation and planting season. Consequently, there are about twice as many temporary jobs as permanent jobs in sugarcane production. Likewise, industrial labor is highly seasonal, since distilleries typically operate between 150 and 180 days per year.

al., Energy for a Sustainable World, 252.

¹²⁶Pereira, *Ethanol, Employment and Development*, 58.

¹²⁷Geller, "Ethanol Fuel From Sugar Cane in Brazil," 146-149.

Table 14: Brazilian employment in ethanol industry by region.

	Total jobs	Total jobs	Total labor (person-yrs)	Total labor (person-yrs)
	Center-South Modern	Northeast Traditional	Center-South Modern	Northeast Traditional
Agriculture				
Permanent	230	890	230	890
Temporary	450	1770	225	885
Subtotal	680	2660	455	1775
Industrial				
Permanent	85	85	85	85
Temporary	125	125	65	65
Subtotal	215	215	150	150
TOTAL	895	2875	605	1925

Based on a 120,000 liters per day distillery producing approximately 20 million liters of ethanol per year.

Source: Coque e Alcool da Madeira S/A (1983) in Howard Geller, "Ethanol Fuel from Sugar Cane in Brazil," *Annual Review of Energy* 10 (1985), 147.

The cited studies show that ethanol production is determined largely by the agricultural technology utilized, i.e., how one grows and harvests the sugarcane and to a lesser extent, the industrial technology used in the distillation of ethanol. The traditional ethanol distilleries are linked to the mountainous land of the rural northeast, an area which is economically poorer and which has more agriculture labor than the modern ethanol distilleries. The modern ethanol distilleries are located in the

more urban C/S, an area which has overall greater resources, superior land quality, and a shortage of agricultural workers. These differences directly affect employment requirements of the ethanol distilleries.¹²⁸

Employment associated with modern and traditional ethanol production is a function of sugarcane production and distillation technology investment. Ethanol production and agricultural technologies are inextricably linked. The policy implications suggest that the social and economic viability of rural communities may affect the urban areas. For example, if the traditional technologies are not supported they may not be able to prevent people moving to urban areas. The loss of agricultural labor may mean that the traditional technologies may have to consider greater mechanization in the planting and harvesting of sugarcane for ethanol production.

F. Investment per Worker

The ethanol sector has relatively low investment costs associated with employment compared to different sectors of the economy. Table 15 shows the average investment necessary per job for various industries. Direct job creation in the industrial sector requires an investment of \$44,000 per person per year. Capital-intensive industries like mineral product or paper and pulp industries typically require

¹²⁸Rask, "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production in Brazil: 1978-1987," 630.

\$70,000. Oil refining-petrochemical operations require the greatest investment, \$220,000 per person per year. The ethanol industry has investment costs of \$11,000 per person, which is the lowest of the different industries.

Investment costs associated the ethanol industry are low due to low capital and fixed cost requirements. Estimates for investment requirement per permanent job in the ethanol sector (which includes capital costs for ethanol production, lands costs as well as the investment in distillery and farm equipment), range from \$23,000-\$28,000 per person per year in the C/S region and \$6000 - \$7000 per person/year in the N/E region.¹²⁹

Table 15. Investment per permanent job.

Sector	Investment per Job (\$US)
Chemical and Petrochemical	220,000
Metallurgy	145,000
Capital Goods	98,000
Automobile Industry	91,000
Intermediate Goods	70,000
Consumer Goods	44,000
Proalcool (agriculture + industry)	11,000

Source: Plinio Nastari, "Turbulence Marks Brazil's Alcohol Program" *Fuel Reformulation*, (January/February 1992): 52.

¹²⁹Nastari, "Turbulence Marks Brazil's Alcohol Program," 52.

G. Qualitative Aspects

The qualitative aspects of employment associated with the ethanol industry are mixed. On the positive side, sugarcane laborers in Sao Paulo (C/S region) receive higher wages than 80% of other agricultural laborers, 50% of service laborers, and 40% of industry laborers.¹³⁰ However, working conditions in the N/E region are not as good, but are reported to be improving. Seasonality associated with sugarcane production has resulted in low salaries, poor working and living conditions, as well as the lack of benefits for workers. Recently, special legislation requires that 1% of the net sugarcane prices and 2% of the net ethanol price be allocated for the healthcare and educational benefits of sugarcane workers.¹³¹ The qualitative conditions of sugarcane employment will continue to challenge the sugarcane industry in the N/E region as the increasing social costs approach the costs of mechanization.

The ethanol industry is highly labor intensive compared to many sectors of the economy. It has low investment employment costs and consequently provides significant job possibilities. While the traditional ethanol distilleries provide the greatest number of jobs, both types of distilleries offer meaningful employment because of the agricultural and industrial linkages of the ethanol industry. However, the working conditions of the traditional distilleries have historically been poor, but

¹³⁰Goldemberg *et al*, "The Brazilian Fuel Alcohol Program," 855.

¹³¹*Ibid.*, 856.

are improving because of social legislation. Therefore, the overall employment effects associated with ethanol production are very positive.

SECTION TWO: DISTRIBUTION OF ETHANOL PRODUCTION

Ethanol production capacity in Brazil is approximately 16 billion liters. Table 16 shows the distribution of ethanol production by region and type of distillery. Ethanol processing occurs predominantly in the C/S region which includes Sao Paulo and Rio de Janeiro. This area accounts for 62% of total capacity. The N/E area which covers Pernambuco and Alagoas is second with 20% of production capacity, followed by the Centerwest (10%), the South (7%), and the North with 1% of the total ethanol production capacity.

The regional production output has shifted over two time periods: the 1978-79 crop and the 1986-87 crop. The N/E region increased its share from 16.5% in the 1978-79 period to 20.9% in the 1986-87 period; the C/S regional contribution declined from 80.3% to 66.5% during the same period.

Table 16. Production capacity of ethanol by region and type of distillery.

Region	Number of Annexed Distilleries	Annexed Distillery Production Capacity	Number of Autonomous Distilleries	Autonomous Distillery Production Capacity	TOTAL Number of Distilleries	TOTAL Production Capacity
North (N/E Area)	1	5.4	6	107.5	7	112.9
Northeast (N/E Area)	104	1855.0	62	1425.1	166	3280.0
Centerwest (C/S Area)	5	107.0	59	1468.9	64	1575.9
Southeast (C/S Area)	173	6204.7	216	3979.6	389	10184. 3
South (C/S Area)	8	217.5	51	969.4	59	1186.9
BRAZIL	291	8389.6	394	7950.5	685	16340. 1

Source: CENAL, *The National Alcohol Program*, (Brasilia, Brazil: CENAL, 1988), 11.

Ethanol yields in 1977 were 2,663 liters per hectare, growing to 3,811 liters per hectare in 1985, an average annual increase of 4.3%. During the same period, agriculture productivity increased 16% (measured in tons of cane per hectare) and industrial productivity increased 23% (measured in liters of ethanol per ton of cane). By 1989, the average yield in the state of Sao Paulo was 4,700 liters of ethanol per hectare.¹³² Table 17 outlines the agricultural and industrial productivity of each

¹³²Goldemberg *et.al.*, "The Brazilian Fuel-Alcohol Program," 848.

region. Agricultural productivity increased most dramatically in the South, Southeast, and Centerwest regions. Industrial productivity measured in liters per ton of sugarcane increased significantly in each region.

Table 17. Evolution of agricultural and industrial productivity.

Region	Agricultural Productivity (tons of cane/ha. Cultivated)				Industrial Productivity (liters/tons of cane)			
	77-78	84-85	86	% increase	77-78	84-85	86	% increase
Northeast	44.4	46.0	47.0	5.9	50.6	61.6	63.7	25.9
Southeast	48.4	57.1	57.3	18.4	61.6	70.5	73.8	19.8
South	38.5	60.0	63.0	63.6	55.1	65.4	69.3	25.8
Centerwest	28.5	43.9	46.7	63.9	53.7	68.3	69.3	29.4
Brazil	46.4	53.1	53.9	16.2	57.4	67.8	70.7	23.2

Source: CENAL, *The National Alcohol Program*, (Brasilia, Brazil: CENAL, 1988), 23.

SECTION THREE: CONCLUSION

Brazil is the world's largest sugarcane producer. Sugarcane production tripled between 1975 and 1995, from 70 million tonnes in 1975 to an estimated 226 million tonnes in the 1996-97 season. About 66% of all sugarcane produced is used for ethanol. Ethanol production is highly labor intensive because of the link to the agriculture sector. Two types of distilleries are used to produce ethanol. Annexed distilleries are usually attached to sugar mills and have flexibility in switching

production between sugar and ethanol. Autonomous distilleries are independent, stand-alone plants that produce ethanol exclusively. The development and expansion of autonomous distilleries began in 1979. The ethanol sector generates the greatest employment of the ethanol, oil, electricity and coal energy sub-sectors and has the lowest investment cost per worker.

The choice of production technology has very different employment and distribution consequences. The traditional ethanol sector is more labor intensive and is found in more rural areas; the modern ethanol sector is relatively more capital intensive and located in more urban areas. Today, the traditional ethanol distilleries account for approximately 20% of total ethanol production and employ roughly 2 to 8 times more workers than the modern ethanol distilleries.¹³³ The next chapter provides a cost assessment of Brazil's alternative fuel program.

¹³³Rask, "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production," 629-630.

CHAPTER FIVE

THE COST OF ETHANOL PRODUCTION

Analyzing the economic efficiency of Brazil's alternative transportation fuel program is very difficult because of data limitations and cost assumptions. The true costs of ethanol production are hard to calculate because of complex production subsidies, tariff structures, and consumption incentives. Cost assessments are also complicated by volatile exchange rates and international oil prices. Since the program's beginning, ethanol cost estimates have ranged from \$20 to \$90 per barrel of gasoline replaced. Recent studies show that the costs of production have declined significantly. Nonetheless, current oil prices render Brazil's ethanol program economically unviable.

This chapter attempts to provide a cost analysis of the *Proalcool* program. Section one shows the costs of ethanol production, and is based on two very recent studies. Section two presents the government subsidies and incentives to the ethanol industry. Section three summarizes several evaluations of the *Proalcool* program.

SECTION ONE: ETHANOL PRODUCTION COSTS

A. Goldemberg Analysis

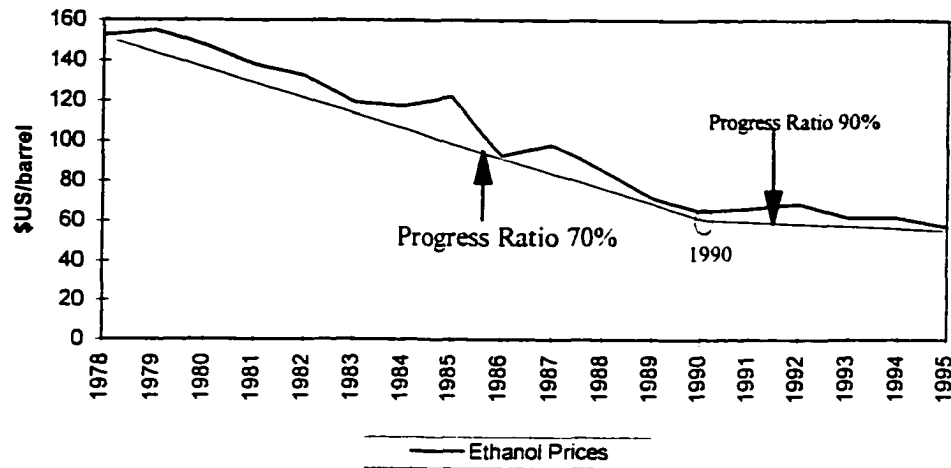
Jose Goldemberg analyzed an indicator called the progress ratio for the evolution of ethanol costs in Brazil between 1978 and 1995. The progress ratio explains the decline in prices of any manufactured product. The price decrease is a result of the learning curves which reflect the gains due to technological progress, economies of scale, and organizational learning.¹³⁴ For example, a progress ratio of 80% means that the cost declines 20% for each doubling of production. The lower the progress ratio the faster the decline in cost. Figure 14 shows the progress ratio for the cost of ethanol production between 1978 and 1995.

Goldemberg concludes, based on the data shown in Figure 14 and Table 18, that between 1982 and 1990, the cost of ethanol declined rapidly according to a progress ratio of 70% and afterwards declined more slowly (a progress ratio of 90%).¹³⁵

¹³⁴Jose Goldemberg "The evolution of ethanol costs in Brazil," *Energy Policy* 24, no.12 (December 1996): 1127.

¹³⁵Ibid.

FIGURE 14. EVOLUTION OF ETHANOL COSTS IN BRAZIL



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Goldemberg states two ways that further technological progress could lower costs: 1) advances in sugarcane production and in the industrial phase of ethanol production which could lead to a reduction in cost of 23.1%, and 2) the efficient use of excess bagasse for the cogeneration of electricity with ethanol production.¹³⁶

¹³⁶Ibid., 1128.

Table 18. Brazilian ethanol production and costs

Year	Ethanol Production (10 ⁶ m ³) ^a	Accumulated Production (10 ⁶ m ³)	Price paid to producers (US\$m ³) ^b	Price paid to producers (US\$/barrel)
up to 1978	2673	2673	952.41	152.3
1979	2854	5527	968.88	155
1980	3676	9203	422.33	147.5
1981	4207	13410	862.42	138
1982	5618	19028	827.09	132.3
1983	7951	26979	745.45	119.3
1984	9201	36180	733.04	117.2
1985	11563	47746	764.07	122.2
1986	9983	57729	581.23	93
1987	12340	70069	612.5	98
1988	11523	81592	532.54	85.2
1989	11629	93221	446.84	71.5
1990	11518	104739	406.13	65
1991	12863	117602-	413.4	66.14
1992	11766	129368	428.53	68.6
1993	11195	140566	385.04	61.6
1994	12512	153078	384.33	61.5
1995	12647	165725	345.15	56.82

Source: ^a1995 National Energy Balance, Ministry of Mines and Energy Brazil; ^bReprinted from *Energy Policy* 24, no. 12, Jose Goldemberg, The evolution of ethanol costs in Brazil, 1128, © (December 1996), with permission from Elsevier Science. "

B. Risk Analysis

Kevin Rask performed a social cost analysis of the Brazilian ethanol industry between 1978 and 1987 based on the I.M.D. Little and J.A. Mirrlees approach. He took surveys conducted by the Institute of Sugar and Alcohol (IAA) which provided the private costs of ethanol production and assigned shadow prices to the private costs (prices) that were equivalent to market prices.

Shadow prices were assigned to the transportation sector, capital subsidies, and market wage rates, as well as tariffs on farm machinery and equipment, fertilizer, and most chemicals. Once the private costs were adjusted to their social values, Rask then compared them with the benefit of decreased petroleum imports.

The most important finding of Rask's cost-benefit analysis is that ethanol can be an efficient substitute for oil when world oil prices are in the range of \$21-\$25 per barrel. Previous studies estimate that ethanol is economic only when oil prices are over \$30. He also attributes the trend of falling costs to falling real wages in Brazilian agriculture and less to technological progress.

Table 19 shows the social costs of ethanol in the C/S region between 1978 and 1987. Rask finds that during the early years of the program, ethanol production by autonomous distilleries in the C/S was extremely costly. The high oil prices in the early 1980s combined with the reductions in social costs of ethanol production made ethanol an efficient alternative to gasoline between 1983 and 1985. The decline of oil prices in the 1980s rendered ethanol production inefficient. The results of the 1985-1987 sample suggest that oil prices must be in the \$23 to \$25 per barrel range before production in the C/S by autonomous distilleries can be considered economically efficient.

The C/S annexed distilleries, being smaller and initially more efficient than the newer autonomous distilleries, record a lower overall social cost. They

produced ethanol efficiently between 1980 and 1985, the years of the highest oil prices.

Table 19. Social costs of ethanol production, Brazil Center-South region, 1978-1987.

	'78	'79	'80	'81	'82	'83	'84	'85	'86	'87
Autonomous Ethanol cost Per liter										
Agriculture	2.23	3.42	6.17	12.0	21.1	49.7	107	476	1.38	3.32
Industry	1.84	3.22	5.48	10.8	15.2	37.0	132	316	0.70	1.92
Total	4.07	6.64	11.65	22.8	36.3	86.7	239	792	2.08	5.24
TOTAL HYDROUS EQUIVALENT										
Per barrel (\$US)	43.5	47.5	41.1	49.4	39.3	28.3	25.1	23.8	25.3	26.4
Oil Price (\$US/barrel)	12.7	17.3	28.7	32.5	33.5	29.3	28.5	26.4	11.6	16.6
Weighted cost	35.2	39.3	34.9	43.9	37.5	27.2	24.2	23.3	24.8	26.0
Annexed-Ethanol cost Per liter										
Agriculture	2.14	3.11	5.28	12.4	24.4	48.5	156	660	1.49	3.39
Industrial	0.94	2.18	3.13	4.98	6.26	14.4	73	204	.33	1.10
Total	3.08	5.29	8.41	17.4	30.7	62.9	229	864	1.82	4.49
TOTAL HYDROUS EQUIVALENT										
Per barrel	31.6	36.4	27.6	36.0	32.0	18.6	23.9	26.6	21.5	21.8
Oil Price (US\$/barrel)	12.7	17.3	28.7	32.5	33.5	29.3	28.5	26.4	11.6	16.6
Weighted cost	25.6	30.5	23.4	31.9	30.1	17.6	23.0	25.5	20.4	21.0

Source: . Kevin Rask. "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production in Brazil: 1978-1987," *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 43, no. 3 (1995): 639. © by The University of Chicago. Oil prices are taken from IMF. Ethanol costs are in Cr\$/US\$ for 1978-85, and cruzados for 1986-1987. Weighted social cost (US\$/barrel) of production, which takes into account the percentage of anhydrous produced (17%-21% more efficient and 3% more costly) relative to hydrous ethanol.

Table 20 shows the social costs of ethanol in the N/E region between 1978 and 1987. The results from the N/E are in stark contrast to those of the C/S. While a comparison of ethanol distillation costs reveals relatively small differences between

Table 20. Social costs of ethanol production, Brazil Northeast region, 1978-1987.

	'78	'79	'80	'81	'82	'83	'84	'85	'86	'87
Autonomous Ethanol cost per liter										
Agriculture	4.08	5.84	13.5	29.6	52.3	126	277	981	2.19	8.04
Industry	1.84	3.22	5.48	7.6	30.8	50	164	560	1.34	3.39
Total	5.92	9.06	19.0	37.2	83.1	176	441	1541	3.53	11.43
HYDROUS EQUIVALENT										
Per barrel (US\$)	65.6	67.4	71.8	85.2	99.0	64.6	52.3	52.7	46.8	64.8
Oil Price (\$US barrel)	12.7	17.3	28.7	32.5	33.5	29.3	28.5	26.4	11.6	16.6
Weighted cost	53.1	56.0	62.9	80.2	92.3	61.3	50.3	51.5	45.5	63.2
Annexed Ethanol cost per liter										
Agriculture	3.85	5.36	12.7	34.1	63.1	97.4	328	1117	3.11	8.21
Industrial	1.52	3.56	4.63	7.76	15.5	26.6	102	204	.72	1.99
Total	5.37	8.92	17.3	41.9	78.6	124	430	1321	3.83	10.2
HYDROUS EQUIVALENT										
Per barrel (US\$)	59.1	66.2	64.7	97.2	93.3	43.5	50.8	44.2	51.2	57.2
Oil Price (US\$/barrel)	12.7	17.3	28.7	32.5	33.5	29.3	28.5	26.4	11.6	16.6
Weighted cost	47.9	56.4	55.2	87.4	81.3	40.5	48.2	43.2	49.9	55.8

Source: Kevin Rask. "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production in Brazil: 1978-1987," *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 43, no. 3 (1995): 639. © by The University of Chicago. Oil prices are taken from IMF. Ethanol costs are in Cr\$/US\$ for 1978-85, and cruzados for 1986-1987. Weighted social cost (US\$/barrel) of production, which takes into account the percentage of anhydrous produced (17%-21% more efficient and 3% more costly) relative to hydrous ethanol.

the N/E and C/S, the costs of sugarcane production are significantly higher in the N/E. Driven by the large labor requirements of the hillside sugarcane farming (hand cutting and transport off the field), the agricultural costs, and subsequently, the total social costs of ethanol in the N/E are over twice those in the C/S.

Ethanol from the N/E region is an efficient oil substitute only when world oil prices are in the range of \$50-\$60 per barrel. This region produces 20% of Brazil's ethanol. The government directly subsidizes the purchase price of ethanol in the N/E, paying approximately double the purchase price paid in the C/S. The production in the N/E is used as a form of government transfer to this depressed region.

Rask's cost analysis does capture significant cost reductions between 1978 and 1987; however, the methodology provides no explanation of their origin. The costs per barrel drop from the \$40s to the \$30s and finally settle around the low \$20s in the mid-late 1980s. Rask questions the source of the cost reductions: are the lower costs due to significant efficiency gains which proponents cite, or are they due to falling real factor prices, a by-product of the deep recession which Brazil entered in the early 1980s? He finds causal evidence to support both explanations. Sugarcane yields have increased from 60 tons/hectare to 75 tons/hectare in the modern ethanol sector. Industrial yields have increased from 60-65 liters/ton to 70-75 liters/ton.¹³⁷ While this evidence supports the claims of increased technical efficiency, there is also

¹³⁷Rask, "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production In Brazil: 1978-1987," 646.

evidence of falling real factor prices. The most consistent factor in the price trend is falling real wages across various states in Brazil. Agriculture labor costs are a substantial portion of the total cost of ethanol production. Falling wages are likely some part of the overall drop in unit costs of production. Rask's results suggest the important force behind falling ethanol costs has been labor costs. This suggests that as economic development occurs, and real wages rise, the future cost-benefit of ethanol production will be negatively impacted. Rask's study does not attempt to incorporate distributional or pollution effects.

SECTION TWO: PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION INCENTIVES

The major inputs to ethanol production are labor, capital, farm machinery and equipment, fertilizers, transportation services, and chemicals.¹³⁸ Comparing the price of oil imports to the costs of ethanol production is complicated by a number of factors, namely subsidized capital investments, production subsidies, tariffs, exchange rates, and consumption incentives.

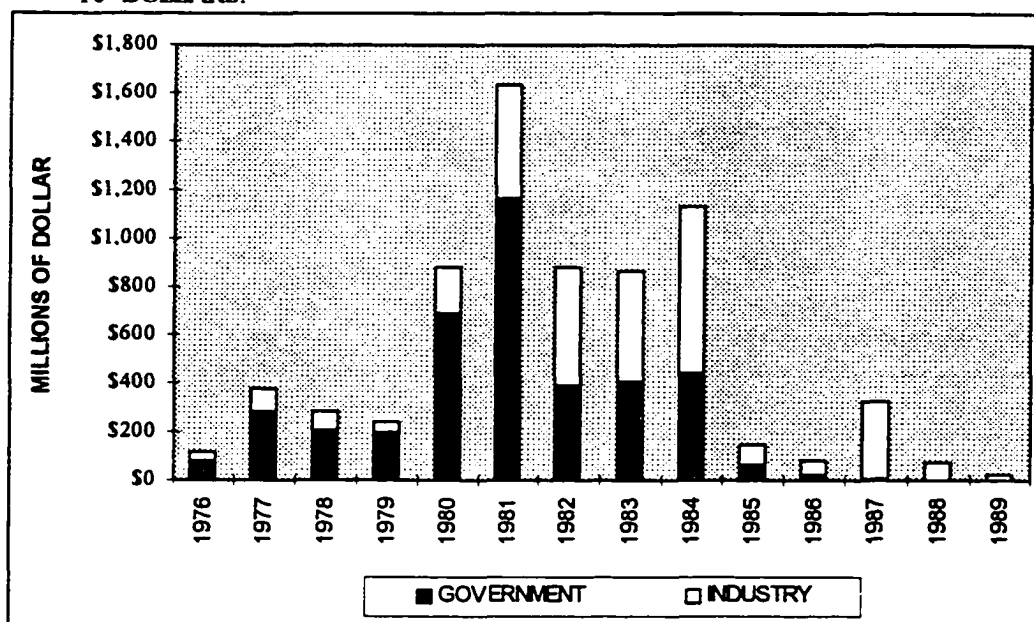
A. Capital Investment Subsidies

Total investment in ethanol distilleries between 1975 and 1989 reached \$7 billion, of which \$4 billion was from the government and \$3 billion was from entrepreneurs' resources. Investment in agriculture and industry was \$2.2 billion and \$4.8 billion respectively. Figure 15 shows the total annual investment between 1975

¹³⁸Ibid., 633.

and 1989. In 1981, the World Bank allocated \$250 million of which \$223.3 million was actually disbursed to partially finance 67 distilleries.¹³⁹

FIGURE 15. ETHANOL INDUSTRY INVESTMENT BY GOVERNMENT AND INDUSTRY, 10⁶ DOLLARS.



Source: CENAL, *The National Alcohol Program*, (Brasilia, Brazil: CENAL, 1988), 18. Datagro, 1992.

B. Sugar and Ethanol Production Subsidies

The sugar and ethanol industries also receive subsidies. A federal agency known as the Sugar and Alcohol Institute (IAA) regulates all sugar production and subsidizes producers. The IAA sets production quotas for sugarcane and sugar producers. The IAA controls domestic sugar prices by setting retail sugar prices

¹³⁹World Bank, *Project Performance Audit Report*, 55.

higher than the world sugar price while exported sugar prices are subject to international agreement. The IAA also determines sugar and ethanol production levels by annexed and autonomous ethanol distilleries. The IAA has monopsonistic power in buying sugar and ethanol as well as monopolistic power in exporting them.¹⁴⁰

The IAA gives more preferential subsidy treatment to the N/E region than to the C/S region because of its lower productivity in producing sugar and ethanol. Prices account for technological differences associated with producing ethanol and sugar. Apart from the years 1974 and 1975, a lack of information exists to estimate the effects of price on ethanol producers. Nonetheless, an implicit subsidy on sugarcane production exists. In 1974 and 1975 the IAA established an explicit price subsidy for sugarcane production. The average subsidy was Cr\$10.06/ton of sugarcane in 1974 and Cr\$21.38/ton of sugarcane in 1975 for production in the C/S region.¹⁴¹

C. Tariffs

Tariffs also complicate the cost assessments of ethanol production. Tariffs are levied on automobiles, trucks, fertilizer, farm machinery and equipment and most chemicals. Table 21 provides the tariff rates for the inputs of ethanol production.

¹⁴⁰World Bank, *Trade, Exchange Rate, and Agricultural Pricing Policies in Brazil*, 106.

Table 21. Tariff schedule for selected ethanol inputs: 1976-1988, (%).

	Fertilizer			Agriculture			Transport	
	Super-Phosphate	Urea	Potassium Chloride	Chemical	Machines	Equipment	Auto-mobiles	Truck
76-78	40	15	0	15	30	40	85	105
79-86	20	15	0	15	30	55	105	105
87-89	20	15	0	15	45	45

Source: Kevin Rask, "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production in Brazil: 1978-1987," *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 43, no. 3 (1995): 635. © by The University of Chicago.

D. Foreign Exchange Savings

Table 22. Brazil's official and equilibrium exchange rates between 1974 and 1987.

Year	Official Exchange Rate	Equilibrium Exchange Rate
1974	6.84	7.66
1975	8.20	8.99
1976	11.00	11.85
1977	14.00	14.73
1978	18.00	19.10
1979	27.00	29.04
1980	53.00	57.58
1981	93.00	99.68
1982	180.00	197.38
1983	577.00	609.01
1984	1,848.00	1,847.36
1985	6,200.00	6,212.76
1986	13.66	14.11
1987	39.23	39.55

Note: Exchange rates are in Cr\$/US\$ for 1974-85 and cruzados/US\$ for 1986-87. Source: Kevin Rask, "The Social Costs of Ethanol Production in Brazil: 1978-1987," *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 43, no. 3 (1995): 635. © by The University of Chicago.

¹⁴¹ Ibid., 106-110.

The cumulative foreign exchange savings and export earnings of ethanol have been significant. Table 23 shows the quantity and value of imported gasoline replaced by ethanol and ethanol's export earnings between 1976 and 1987.

Table 23. Quantity and value of imported gasoline replaced by ethanol, 1976-1987.

Year	Ethanol production 10 ⁶ liters, (PJ)	Equivalent cost of imported gasoline (US\$ millions)	Value of the Brazilian exports of gasoline & ethanol (US\$ millions)
1976	642.2 (13.6 PJ)	61.0	24.8
1977	1,387.7 (29.4 PJ)	133.9	67.2
1978	2,359.1 (49.9 PJ)	283.0	156.6
1979	3,448.3 (73.0 PJ)	865.3	383.1
1980	3,676.1 (77.8 PJ)	1017.5	789.1
1981	4,206.7 (89.1 PJ)	1010.4	689.4
1982	5,617.9 (118.9 PJ)	1314.8	902.5
1983	7,950.3 (168.3 PJ)	1521.0	1,049.5
1984	9,201.0 (194.8 PJ)	1587.2	1,354.3
1985	11,772.9(249.3PJ)	2077.5	1,470.2
1986	9,965.2 (210.9 PJ)	1149.5	1,067.7
1987	12,310.1(260.6PJ)	1458.5	629.4
Total	72,538(1,535.8PJ)	12,480.2	8,583.8

Source: CENAL, *The National Alcohol Program*, (Brasilia, Brazil: CENAL, 1988), 20.

The government places a tax on oil imports. In 1984, the government applied a 20% surcharge to companies needing currency to purchase imports because incremental oil imports were debt-financed.¹⁴² Currently, each equivalent barrel of gasoline carries a tax of 25 US dollars.¹⁴³ Ethanol replaced 12.3 billion liters (260.6 PJ) of gasoline equivalent in 1987 alone, which was the equivalent value of the cost of importing 404 million barrels of gasoline. Ethanol production saved \$12.5 billion in foreign exchange between 1976 and 1987. During the same period, the value of gasoline and ethanol exports was \$8.5 billion.

E. Fuel Pricing

Another government incentive that influences a cost assessment of ethanol production is the price of anhydrous and hydrous fuel ethanol. Initially, the price of hydrous ethanol was capped at 65% of the price of anhydrous ethanol because it contained two-thirds the energy content of anhydrous. The price of hydrous ethanol has always been lower than anhydrous ethanol, fluctuating between its lowest price of 52% and 75% of anhydrous ethanol's price. Currently, hydrous ethanol's selling price is 15% to 20% cheaper than anhydrous ethanol.¹⁴⁴

¹⁴²Goldemberg, *Energy Strategies for Developing Countries*, 249.

¹⁴³Carvalho, "The prospects for ethanol production in Brazil," 292.

¹⁴⁴Ibid.

F. Ethanol and Gasoline Prices

The cost of ethanol production is measured against present oil prices which are very different from the oil price projections at the beginning of the program. Actual crude oil prices have been significantly lower than what was projected in 1980. While oil prices have declined between 1981 and 1985, it was the oil price collapse in 1986 which threatened the continued viability of the ethanol program. To compare the cost of a barrel of ethanol and a barrel of gasoline, one must add to the price of a barrel of imported oil, the shipping and refining costs, and the current surcharge per barrel of gasoline (\$25/barrel).¹⁴⁵ Oil prices are central to the ethanol program and continue to affect the program's economic viability.

SECTION THREE: EVALUATIONS OF THE ETHANOL PROGRAM

Brazil's alternative transportation fuel program has been widely critiqued. A number of studies assess the employment and economic ramifications of the ethanol industry. The most recent analyses include the environmental effects; however, the income distribution consequences have not been empirically evaluated. Furthermore, most of the analyses within the literature account for the direct effects of the alternative fuel program, but do not quantify the program's indirect effects. While the technical implementation of the ethanol program has been a success, a quantification of the income distribution and the greenhouse gas consequences have been limited.

¹⁴⁵Ibid.

Luiz Carvalho of the Sugar and Alcohol Industries Association of Sao Paulo analyzed the developments in the ethanol industry since 1975 and considered its future potential.¹⁴⁶ His assessment took into account the environmental benefits associated with the greenhouse effect and pollution reduction in large cities. He concluded that although lower oil prices have created difficulties for the ethanol program in the last few years, the future remains promising. The demand for ethanol-blended gasoline is rising and it is estimated that ethanol production will increase by the year 2000 from the current 12.7 billion liters (1994/95) to about 14.6 billion. Sugar exports are likely to be about 5 million tonnes into the international market; at the same time, the use of ethanol will be helping the country towards clean air, improving the health of the people and reducing the overheating of the atmosphere.

Goldemberg, Monaco, and Macedo most recently have provided an social cost-benefit analysis of the Brazilian fuel-ethanol program which includes the environmental effects.¹⁴⁷ It concludes that the promotion and use of ethanol has achieved multiple objectives, notably: lowered fuel imports, increased job creation, and reduced air pollution. An additional contribution of the program has been the accelerated pace of technological development, thus the creation of a technological environment for the agro-industry which has introduced high-level production

¹⁴⁶Ibid., 289-294.

¹⁴⁷Goldemberg *et. al.*, "The Brazilian Fuel-Alcohol Program," 841-863.

techniques to the agricultural sector, allowing the agricultural sector to become efficiently integrated with the industrial sector.

The World Bank has conducted several assessments of Brazil's ethanol industry as part of the evaluation process of its loans for the program. In 1990, a World Bank audit determined that the major shortcoming of the cashflow analysis was that the sensitivity was performed only against changes in location, land value, and average yield. There was no discussion of sensitivity to decreases in oil prices, neither was there a benchmark price of oil against which the project could be judged economically unviable.¹⁴⁸ The maintenance of massive subsidies to ethanol producers, even when economic signals indicated that they were not needed, became an invitation to create more capacity than was merited, and compounded the difficulties of adjusting to the post 1986 oil price realities.¹⁴⁹ Finally, correct relative prices between fuel substitutes in inter-fuel substitution projects is of cardinal importance. Relative prices among different fuel choices directly affects fuel consumption levels. Fuel pricing policies favoring hydrous alcohol over anhydrous alcohol resulted in the "over-substitution" of "gasohol" (anhydrous alcohol) by

¹⁴⁸World Bank, *Project Performance Audit Report*, 79.

¹⁴⁹*Ibid.*, vii.

hydrous alcohol. The consumer price for hydrous alcohol was much lower than warranted on economic cost grounds.¹⁵⁰

In 1980, the World Bank analyzed ethanol production from biomass in developing countries based on Brazilian data. The major conclusion is that the “relative merits of alcohol production will vary among countries depending on the specific economic parameters of their agricultural, industry, and energy sectors, the most critical of which are cropping patterns, economic costs of biomass, plant capital costs, distribution costs and fuel sources”.

The International Labour Office (ILO) has also examined Brazil’s ethanol industry. Armand Pereira completed the first study in 1986. He analyzed the extent to which *Proalcool* contributed to foreign currency savings, employment creation, and income redistribution. In addition, his study reviewed the technological and economic aspects of ethanol production. The study, which covered the period 1975 to 1980, concluded that *Proalcool* had a positive balance of payments savings of \$520 million in 1980 alone; it created direct employment of 41,000 permanent and 83,000 seasonal workers. The study also found that *Proalcool* had contributed to a concentration in personal and inter-regional income distribution during its first five year period. A second study prepared for the ILO on the socioeconomic aspects of renewable energy technologies was published in 1988. It includes a chapter on the

¹⁵⁰Ibid.

macroeconomic impacts of ethanol production in Brazil which is based on Pereira's 1986 study. This study concluded that the *Proalcool* program had balance of payments savings, generated greater employment, and improved income distribution as well as regional inequality over the first 5 year period. The ILO studies used surveys to consider only the direct effects associated with ethanol production, particularly for employment and income distribution. The current research analyzes both the direct and indirect effects of the ethanol program using a social accounting matrix framework.

In 1988, the U.S. Department of Energy published a report on the use of alternative fuels worldwide. The major conclusion regarding Brazil's development of the ethanol industry was that while the technical and implementation success of *Proalcool* was certain, critics vary in their economic valuation. "The foreign exchange savings from 1976 to 1985 are estimated to be \$8.9 billion; government and industry investments are estimated to be \$6.4 billion." There was no attempt to quantify the socioeconomic impacts.

In 1988, Daniel Sperling concluded that a definitive economic analysis was confounded by changing exchange rates and internal currency adjustment, complex subsidy arrangements, uncertain opportunity costs for land and capital, widely varying costs from one region to another, and foreign debt considerations. He states,

“Clearly when oil prices dropped to \$15 to \$20 per barrel in 1986 and 1987, ethanol production became uneconomic. It is still not possible to determine whether the ethanol initiative was a mistake. The ethanol program provided indirect benefits to the economy of increased employment and industrial investment and has helped reduce the cost and risk of depending upon foreign oil. However, in the mid 1980s even with those benefits the ethanol program must be considered an economic failure. But who can say if this evaluation will still be valid in the 1990s”.

Fred Moavenzadeh and David Geltner found that the Brazilian transport energy policy was successful from a physical perspective, but was shaky from an economic perspective. The backward linkages of the program have contributed to the development and production capability in related fields namely oil exploration and production and alcohol distillation equipment technology. Because of the strong research and development component of the alternative fuel program, further developments of offshore oil and alcohol may provide greater export opportunities from Brazil’s capital industry and for its technology. They also concluded that international oil prices would rise and render the program economically feasible within a decade.

SECTION FOUR: CONCLUSION

Two recent cost assessments were presented. In the first study, Jose Goldemberg analyzed an indicator called the progress ratio to measure ethanol production costs in Brazil between 1978 and 1995. He concluded that the cost of ethanol production declined rapidly between 1982 and 1990, and declined more

slowly between 1990 and 1995. He attributed the cost reductions to technological progress. He concluded that further cost reductions could be achieved through advances in sugarcane production and in the industrial phase of ethanol production. In addition, cost savings could be realized through more efficient use of excess bagasse for the cogeneration of electricity with ethanol production.

In the second study, Kevin Rask's social cost assessment of ethanol production between 1978 and 1987 was presented. Rask's cost analysis captured significant cost reductions between 1978 and 1987; however, the methodology provided no explanation of their origin. The costs per barrel drop from \$40s to \$30s and finally settle around the low \$20s in the mid-late 1980s. He found that the lower costs were not due to significant efficiency gains, rather were due to falling agriculture labor costs. He concluded that as economic development occurs, and real wages rise, the future cost-benefit of ethanol production would be negatively impacted.

Any cost analysis of the ethanol program is difficult because of complex available data. The costs are affected by capital financing arrangements, subsidies, tariffs, and taxes associated with the major inputs, i.e. labor, capital, farm machinery and equipment, fertilizers, transportation services, and chemicals. These costs are not easily obtainable and complicate computing the real costs of ethanol production. Total investment in ethanol distilleries between 1975 and 1989 reached \$7 billion, of

which \$4 billion was from the government and \$3 billion was from entrepreneur's resources. The sugar and ethanol industries also received subsidies. A federal agency known as the Sugar and Alcohol Institute, IAA, regulates all sugar production and subsidizes producers. The IAA sets production quotas for sugarcane and sugar producers. Except for the years 1974 and 1975, a lack of information exists to estimate the explicit subsidies to ethanol producers. Nonetheless, an implicit subsidy on sugarcane production exists. Tariffs also complicate the cost assessments of ethanol production. Tariffs are levied on automobiles, trucks, fertilizer, farm machinery and equipment and most chemicals. Another complication is oil prices which are denominated in US dollars. In 1984, the government applied a 20% surcharge to imports because incremental oil imports were debt-financed. Currently, each equivalent barrel of gasoline carries a tax of 25 US dollars.

The cumulative foreign exchange savings and export earnings of ethanol have been significant. It has been estimated that ethanol production saved \$12.5 billion in foreign exchange between 1976 and 1987. During the same period, the value of gasoline and ethanol exports was \$8.5 billion. Finally, a government fuel ethanol pricing incentive has influenced the cost assessment of ethanol production. The price of hydrous ethanol has been lower than anhydrous ethanol (gasohol), fluctuating between its lowest price of 52% and 75% of anhydrous ethanol's price. Currently, the selling price of hydrous ethanol is 15% to 20% cheaper than anhydrous ethanol.

Comparing the cost of ethanol production to the price of imported petroleum overlooks a number of important factors. For several years incremental oil imports placed a number of strains on the Brazilian economy because they were debt-financed. Actual oil prices were very different to the oil price projections at the beginning of the program. Even though oil prices declined between 1981 and 1985, it was the oil price collapse in 1986 which threatened the continued viability of the ethanol program. Comparing the cost of a barrel of gasoline against the cost of a barrel of ethanol has to include the price of a barrel of imported oil, the shipping and refining costs, and the current surcharge per barrel of gasoline. Oil prices are central to the ethanol program and continue to affect the program's economic viability.

A number of assessments of Brazil's alternative fuel program exist by the World Bank, International Labour Organization, Brazilian trade organizations, and individual researchers. Almost all conclude that the biomass program, *Proalcool*, has been successful in terms of its technical implementation, foreign exchange savings, and employment creation. The major criticisms of the program are the opportunity cost of government support, as well as increasing regional and individual income inequality. A very limited number of empirical studies quantify the income distribution and greenhouse gas effects of the alternative fuel program. The oil price projections of the late 1970s did not materialize, this coupled with the record low oil prices of 1986, has presently rendered the ethanol program economically unviable.

The next chapter presents the methodology used to evaluate the socioeconomic, economic, and environmental differences of the two types of ethanol production technologies.

CHAPTER SIX

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

The methodology used to test the hypotheses is the social accounting matrix framework. This methodology was selected because it is a superior economy-wide model that is capable of capturing an economy's social and economic interrelationships. Comparative static exercises relying on fixed price multipliers and structural path analysis show the employment and income effects resulting from changes in expenditure patterns due to changes in technology or government policies. Fixed price multipliers, (FPM), derived from a social accounting matrix model, are used to assess how changes in technology or government policies affect the ethanol sector in Brazil; and the structural path analysis decomposes the direct and indirect results of such changes upon the entire economic system. Calculating the FPM and using structural path analysis requires an accurate and detailed structure of the economy which a social accounting matrix provides.

SECTION ONE: SOCIAL ACCOUNTING MATRIX

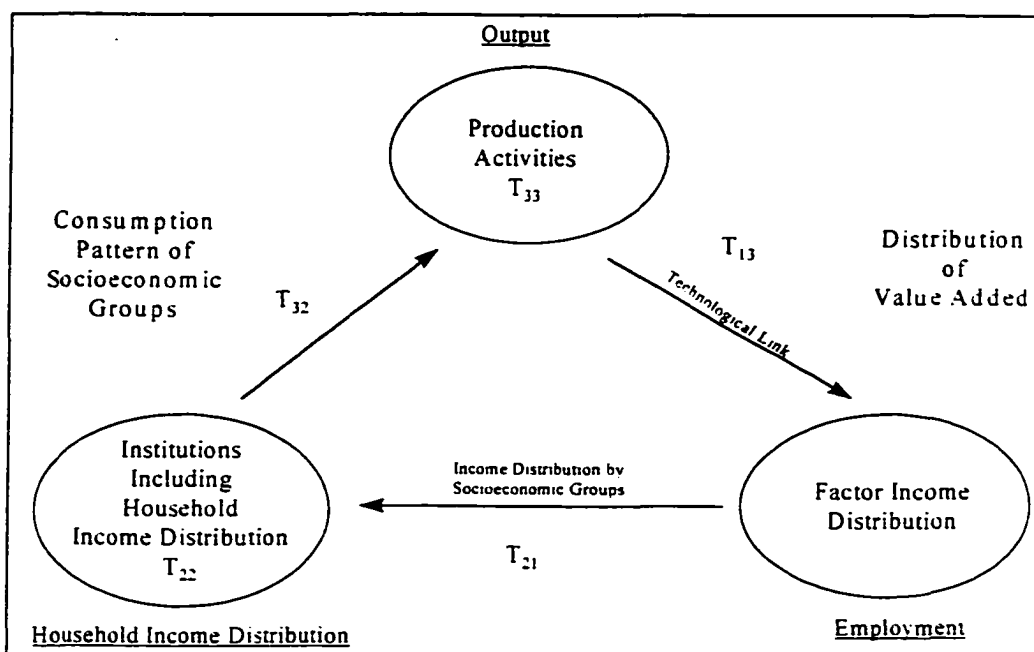
A. SAM Framework

The social accounting matrix (SAM) was developed as a tool for social and economic planning.¹⁵¹ A SAM is best visualized as a snapshot of an entire economy at a certain point in time. It is an open keynesian multisectoral framework which summarizes the interrelationships among the structure of production, output; the distribution of value-added going to the factors of production generated by the production activities, employment; and the income distribution by socioeconomic groups and the corresponding consumption and savings behavior of these socioeconomic groups. Figure 16 shows these interrelationships.

Figure 17 shows how a SAM is organized. The SAM is a data and classification system based on the accounting principle of total receipts equaling total expenditures. The interrelationships among the productive activities, value-added distributed to the factors of production, household income distribution, government and the rest of the world accounts are captured by rows and columns of a matrix. By convention the columns show the account expenditures and the rows show the account receipts. The matrix is organized as a single-entry bookkeeping system with row sums equal to column sums which imposes an accounting consistency. SAMs

¹⁵¹See Graham Pyatt and Erik Thorbecke, *Planning Techniques for a Better Future* (Geneva, Switzerland: International Labour Organization, 1976).

FIGURE 16. SIMPLIFIED INTERRELATIONSHIPS AMONG SAM ACCOUNTS.



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are built upon national input-output tables derived from the United Nations System of National Accounts.

The level of disaggregation and detail of the production sector as provided in Leontief's interindustry transaction matrix is extended to the distribution of value-added to the factors of production and the household/companies consumption sectors in the SAM.¹⁵²

¹⁵²Haider Khan. *The Political Economy of Sanctions Against Apartheid* (Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner Publishers, 1989), 27-28.

FIGURE 17. SIMPLIFIED SCHEMATIC SOCIAL ACCOUNTING MATRIX

		Expenditures					
		Factors	Households & Companies	Production Activities	Sum of Other Accounts	Totals	
		1	2	3	4	5	
Receipts	Factors	1	0	0	T_{13}	x_1	y_1
	Households & Companies	2	T_{21}	T_{22}	0	x_2	y_2
	Production Activities	3	0	T_{32}	T_{33}	x_3	y_3
	Sum of Other Accounts	4	x_1	x_2	x_3	x	y
	Totals	5	y_1	y_2	y_3	y	

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SAMs are superior to input-output matrices because SAMs incorporate the household accounts which expands the understanding of the intersectoral linkages within an economy. SAMs show how changes in production affect household income distribution and the effects of household income distribution upon final demand. These extensions are significant because one can more fully comprehend how technology and government policies affect the production sector, and in turn

how the production sector affects the entire economy, especially the employment and household income distribution effects.

B. Brazil's Social Accounting Matrix

The starting point of the SAM-Tech that was constructed to explore Brazil's alternative fuel program and comparative technologies was a 39x39 1985 SAM built by Drs. M.J. Fernandes Willumsen and Robert Cruz at the Economics Department of Florida International University (see Appendix 1). It is based on the 1975 Brazilian 53x53 SAM built by Dr. M.J. Fernandes Willumsen (Ph.D. dissertation, Cornell University, 1984). In keeping with the characteristics of a SAM, it is a square table consisting of an equal number of rows and columns (39x39). By convention column accounts show expenditures and row accounts show receipts. The units of the SAM are millions of Brazilian Cr\$. Secondary data was used exclusively.

There are eight factors of production: unskilled agricultural labor (F1), skilled agricultural labor (F2), agricultural managers/professionals (F3), agricultural capital (F4), unskilled non-agriculture labor (F5), skilled non-agriculture labor (F6), non-agriculture managers/professionals (F7), and non-agriculture capital (F8).

Nine household accounts are classified: rural capitalists (HH1), rural small producers (HH2), rural workers/tenant farmers (HH3), rural managers/professionals (HH4), urban capitalists (HH5), urban managers/professionals (HH6), urban small

producers (HH7), urban organized workers (HH8), and urban non-organized workers (HH9). This stratification system takes into account social heterogeneity, which is crucially important for policy makers. Including other aspects of stratification besides income, this system minimizes the problems related to the assumption that poverty is only the lack of money and that inequality is primarily a problem of income distribution. Furthermore, this schema - unlike income groupings - enables the policy maker to identify the constituencies of policies and consequently elaborate more effective ones. These household description are modified and taken from Willumsen.¹⁵³

The urban and rural capitalist households (HH1 and HH5) includes very rich people whose incomes are exclusively derived from return on assets. The capitalists do not participate directly in the production process. This household class is characterized principally by the ownership of the means of production and the control over investment decisions. Their power may spread through the system by affecting public opinion and also by political participation. Capitalists are often connected with large national and multinational corporations. This household class exercises strong influence on the economy and society, since most of the employment and investment opportunities depend on their decisions. In terms of income and life-style, the urban and rural capitalists are on the top of the stratification scheme in society.

¹⁵³M.J.F. Willumsen, "The Social Accounting Framework as a Tool for Policy

The next two household classes are the urban managers and professionals and the rural managers and professionals (HH4 and HH6). The members of these households are represented by the managerial class which has arisen with the development of bureaucracy in Brazil. It is comprised of propertied classes and wage-income classes and includes university or equivalently trained professionals such as lawyers, physicians, dentists, and all the very highly skilled managers.

The main distinction between this managerial and professional class and the capitalist class is the way they are involved in the production sector. Like the capitalists, the managers and professional households are likely to be conscious about the role they play in society, and the majority of them tend to belong to professional associations and to syndicates. Actually, this household is closer to the capitalist class than to the small producer class in terms of life-style.

The urban small producers and rural small producers households (HH2 and HH7) are made up of people with sufficient vocational skills to maintain a comfortable and secure lifestyle. It includes small employers who are directly involved in the production process. The main characteristic of this household is the medium level of education and skills of its members together with their freedom to be either employers, or self-employed. Moreover, the jobs they perform are not

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routinized. Education is the distinguishing characteristic between the managers and professionals class and the small producers class.

The small producers class is comprised of many skilled occupations such as technicians, mechanics, blacksmiths, craftsmen, and other skilled professionals as well as insurance salesmen, real estate agents, and other sales categories which are better paid and which require higher skills than retail sales. Proprietors of small businesses, like owners of bars, groceries, cleaning establishments, and so on belong to the small producer household class.

The urban organized workers household class (HH8) includes semi-skilled people and some skilled ones with only a medium-level of education. The main characteristic of this household class is the existence of an employment contract to perform manual and clerical jobs. These jobs are highly routine, are closely supervised, and give little prestige (in terms of life-style) in society. These households include factory workers, clerks, retail salespeople, and those who perform administrative tasks; most belong to employees' associations and labor unions. They earn enough to maintain a reasonably comfortable life-style.

The rural workers and tenant farmers household class (HH3) is comprised of poor and low skilled and some unskilled salaried agricultural employees, such as laborers, low-paid operatives and service workers. Very often they work for small farms, and a reasonable proportion of those employees constitute, together with the

poor self-employed and family workers, the informal sector of the economy. This household class lacks social organization to defend their interests. It is more difficult for them to recognize common interests and act as a social entity because members share the same social position and have a relatively low level of education. Consequently, they have neither labor unions nor any kind of association that could take a collective action to defend their interests.

At the very bottom of the social hierarchy is the urban non-organized workers household class (HH9). It is formed of the urban poor and includes odd jobbers such as shoe shiners, car cleaners, domestic workers, and all types of repair and maintenance workers. The absence of skill and education necessary for the work, and also the erratic character of the jobs, are the defining characteristics of this household. Thus, workers in this stratum have little or no participation in the regular labor force; they constitute the core of the informal sector of the Brazilian economy. Members of this household are discriminated against in the sense that they have much fewer opportunities, and have no secure status at all.

There are sixteen production activities accounts: export agriculture (A101), traditional agriculture (A102), livestock (A103), mineral extraction (A104), non-mineral extraction (A105), durable consumer goods (A106), non-durable consumer goods (A107), intermediate goods (A108), capital goods (A109), energy (A110), civil construction (A111), financial/commercial services (A112), commerce (A113),

transportation and communication (A114), public services (A115), and private services (A116).

There are six additional accounts: one government account (G), one indirect tax account (T), one subsidies account (S), one domestic capital account (K), one rest of the world current account (ROW-C), and one rest of the world capital account (ROW-K).

C. Derivation of SAM-TECH

Two changes were made to Brazil's SAM in order to test the research hypotheses. First, the energy sector was disaggregated into 12 sub-sectors. Then carbon dioxide (CO₂) pollution coefficients were computed and a CO₂ sector was added. This then completed the development of a 51x51 SAM, now called SAM-Tech to denote some of the changes based technology. Figure 18 represents the 1985 SAM-Tech for Brazil (see Appendix 2).

1. Disaggregation of Energy Sector

The first step was to disaggregate the energy sector (A110) into 12 sub-sectors using data from Brazil's Energy Balances found in the 1991 Statistical Yearbook.¹⁵⁴ Initially, the energy sector was disaggregated into 11 sectors: coal/coke (E1), bagasse (E2), kerosene (E3), diesel oil/fuel oil/naphtha (E4), gasoline

¹⁵⁴ Fundacao Instituto Brasileiro de Geografia e Estatistica (IBGE), *Anuario*

FIGURE 18. BRAZILIAN SAM-TECH, 1985

		Expenditures											Total	
		Factors	Households	Activities	Energy	Carbon Dioxide	Gov't	Indirect Taxes	Subsidies	Domestic Capital	Rest of the World			
Receipts	Factors													
	Households													
	Activities													
	Energy													
	Carbon Dioxide													
	Government													
	Indirect Taxes													
	Subsidies													
	Domestic Capital													
	Rest of world	Current												
		Capital												
Total														

(E5), ethanol (E6, E7), liquefied petroleum gas /natural gas/city gas (E8), electricity (E9), fuelwood (E10), charcoal (E11), and other (E12) according to Brazil's 1985 Energy Balance (IBGE, 1986). Later, the ethanol sector was disaggregated on the basis of technology: modern or traditional technology. This data was based on National Executive Commission of Alcohol and Pereira.¹⁵⁵

Estatístico do Brasil 1991 (Rio de Janeiro: IBGE, 1991) 635-649.

¹⁵⁵CENAL, *The National Alcohol Program*, 8-12.

Then the monetary values for the energy sector (E1-E12) were derived by dividing the energy sub-sector (which were in million of tons of oil equivalent) by the total energy (also in million of tons of oil equivalent) and multiplying it by the monetary value of the final consumption energy sector in the SAM. This became the 1985 final consumption energy sector in millions of Brazilian Cr\$.

Reconciliation of the SAM and SAM-Tech row and column accounts was based on a number of resources. The row accounts were derived by reckoning data from Brazil's Energy Balances found in the 1991 Statistical Yearbook,¹⁵⁶ Energy Balances of 40 Developing Countries,¹⁵⁷ and De Jannuzzi.¹⁵⁸ The row accounts were made consistent with the 1985 SAM with the exception of the export and traditional agriculture sectors. The SAM's agriculture energy consumption was significantly lower than indicated by the Energy Balances. Therefore, proportions were computed based on traditional and export agriculture energy consumption coefficients (mainly fuel oil consumption) as calculated by A.K.N. Reddy.¹⁵⁹ The column accounts were

¹⁵⁶Fundacao Instituto Brasileiro de Geografia e Estatistica (IBGE), *Anuario Estatistico do Brasil 1991*, 635-649.

¹⁵⁷Commission of European Communities, *Energy Balances of 40 Developing Countries* (Brussels: Lavoisier, 1981) 106-108.

¹⁵⁸Martino De Januzzi "Residential Energy Demand in Brazil by Income Class," 259.

¹⁵⁹J. Goldemberg *et al.*, *Energy for a Sustainable World*, Chapter 1.3.10.

computed based on the 1980 input-output tables and discussions with Professor Maria Willumsen. The SAM-Tech energy sub-sectors were finalized.

2. Calculation of Carbon Dioxide Sector

A carbon dioxide (CO₂) pollution account was added to the SAM. The CO₂ coefficients were derived using data provided by La Rovere *et al.*¹⁶⁰ and discussions with Prof. Maria Willumsen.¹⁶¹ La Rovere provided the quantity of CO₂ in terms of million tons of carbon (MtC) - generated by the following sectors: industry, residential, transportation, agriculture, energy, and public/commercial. Then these quantities were multiplied by a carbon dioxide cost coefficient.

The cost coefficient for CO₂ was taken from Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)¹⁶² documents and a conversation with J.C. Hourcade, convening author, of the IPCC Working Group III on the socioeconomic costs of greenhouse gas emissions. The marginal damage costs, that is the extra damage done by one extra tonne of carbon emitted is estimated to range from \$5 to \$125 per ton of carbon. The range reflects variations in models, discount rates, and other factors.

¹⁶⁰Emilio La Rovere, "Scenarios for Mitigating Greenhouse Gases Emissions and Promoting Sustainable Energy Development in Brazil," *Interciencia* 20, no.6 (November/December 1995): 343-347.

¹⁶¹Private correspondence, 1995.

¹⁶²Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, "The Social Costs of Climate Change: Greenhouse Damage and the Benefits of Control," Working Group III

These cost estimates are based on simplistic and limited representations of a doubling of the pre-industrial CO₂ concentration or its equivalent for all greenhouse gases. They include both market and non-market impacts. This research used \$5 in order to illustrate the most conservative environmental costs for 1985 and used the exchange rate of 6200 Cr\$ per dollar for the CO₂ cost calculations. The CO₂ sector was now finalized.

The disaggregation of the energy sector and addition of a CO₂ sector completed the modifications to the original SAM and the SAM-Tech was constructed. The SAM-Tech is interesting because the energy sub-sectors include several biomass accounts and a pollution account. The next step is to establish a SAM-Tech model. Therefore, it is necessary to distinguish between a SAM framework and a SAM model.

SECTION TWO: SAM-BASED MODEL

A SAM framework differs from modeling based on a SAM because the framework does not,

postulate any causal mechanism regarding the determination of the actual quantities recorded in a SAM. The modeling approach does treat some accounts as being causally determined by others. In other words, some economic quantities are the result of interactions (often complex ones) between certain others. Specifically, we call those accounts in a SAM that are given to us (i.e., we do not claim to know how they are determined) by an economic process involving all the variables listed in the *exogenous* accounts. Those accounts that

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list the variables thus determined within a particular model of the economy are *endogenous*. Thus, any change in government policy is exogenous. Given a model based on a SAM we can trace the effect of a policy on output, employment and incomes throughout the endogenous parts. These effects can be traced for all production activities, labor and capital income, household income and consumption, and so on.¹⁶³

Different classes of SAM-based models exist. The SAM modeling of this research is based on the fixed price multipliers. It is a simple version of SAM-based general equilibrium models. Conclusions drawn from SAM-based modeling are subject to general limitations of the input-output methodology.

The fixed price SAM-based modeling has some theoretical and practical limitations. In theory, the modeling assumes that prices are fixed, technological coefficients between inputs and outputs are fixed, and full factor employment. Fixed prices suggests that changes in demand do not affect the equilibrium level of supply or demand of factors of production, i.e., there is no factor substitution or subsequent changes in equilibrium levels of demand. Fixed technological coefficients means that the technology in the year of the SAM does not change despite any transformation in the structure of production. These assumptions do not realistically explain final demand because they do not incorporate how changes in price affect the economic relationships, i.e., the substitution and income effects. In addition, SAMs assume excess capacity of production and labor variables which allow prices to remain

¹⁶³Khan, *The Political Economy of Sanctions Against Apartheid*, 37.

constant and does not acknowledge existing supply constraints or other conditions which may cause prices to change. The fixed price and full employment assumptions become major limitations if there are large changes in exogenous demand and/or supply constraints which may cause relative prices to change. While fixed price SAM-based modeling cannot reveal the dynamic effects of supply constraints upon prices within the economy; it is problematic only if factor substitution and/or income effects cause relative prices to change.

From a practical standpoint, SAM-based modeling is limited by the quality of the data and assumptions made about the data. The SAM is a very data-intensive framework. Data come from a multiplicity of sources from various government departments which may not always collect or classify data consistently. Therefore, to have an accurate approximation of the true underlying relationships in the economy the SAM needs constant updating. To eliminate the effects of Brazil's inflation, the SAM was based on coefficients from 1980 data which was multiplied by data from the 1985 input-output tables. It is assumed that the structure of production did not change significantly between 1980 and 1985.

The results from the comparative static simulations, based on the fixed price SAM-based modeling, can be considered reasonably valid as long as relative price do not change. Changes in relative prices would have implications for factor substitution and adjustments in the equilibrium level of demand and supply. Therefore, SAM-

based modeling is meaningful for short-term planning horizons. It can show the effects of different policies on various households and in fact on the entire economic system.

FIGURE 19. SCHEMATIC REPRESENTATION OF ENDOGENOUS AND EXOGENOUS SAM ACCOUNTS.

		Expenditures											
		Endogenous					Exogenous					Total	
		Factors	Households	Activities	Energy	Carbon Dioxide	Govt	Indirect Taxes	Subsidies	Domestic Capital	Rest of the World Current		Rest of the World Capital
Receipts	Endogenous	Factors											
		Households											
		Activities											
		Energy											
		Carbon Dioxide											
	Exogenous	Government											
		Indirect Taxes											
		Subsidies											
		Domestic Capital											
		Rest of world	Current										
Capital													
Total													

Figure 19 presents the SAM-TECH-based model for Brazil. In the Brazilian SAM-TECH model there are forty-five endogenous accounts: eight factors of production, nine institutions (household) accounts, and twenty-seven production activities. Six accounts are exogenous: government, domestic capital account, subsidies, net indirect taxes account, and two rest of the world accounts. Therefore,

one can see how a change in an exogenous account affects the endogenous accounts. This transaction table provides the basis for understanding how changes in expenditure and receipts affect the endogenous and exogenous accounts via multiplier analysis.

A. Multiplier Analysis

An understanding of which accounts are endogenous and exogenous is important because the multiplier analysis of the SAM model methodology shows how a change in an exogenous account affects the endogenous account. The accounting multiplier and the fixed price multiplier reveal how a change in government, domestic capital formation, taxes, subsidies, and trade policies could affect production sectors, factors of production, and households. The employment multiplier is also calculated to show how changes in the exogenous accounts affect employment in the production activities.

1. Accounting Multiplier

Looking at Figure 20 which represents a SAM, we see that:

$$y = n + x \quad (1)$$

$$y = l + t \quad (2)$$

Now, if we divide the entries in the matrix T_{nn} by the corresponding total income (i.e., y_n) we can define a corresponding matrix of average expenditure propensities.¹⁶⁴ This is matrix A_n .

From A_n the endogenous total income (y_n) in the transaction matrix is given:

$$y_n = A_n y_n + x \quad (3)$$

FIGURE 20. SCHEMATIC REPRESENTATION OF ENDOGENOUS AND EXOGENOUS SAM ACCOUNTS.

		Expenditures				Totals
		Endogenous	Sum	Exogenous	Sum	
Receipts	Endogenous	T_{nn}	n	T_{nx}	x	y_n
	Exogenous	T_{xn} (Leakages)	l	T_{xx} (Residual Balances)	t	y_x
		y_n		y_x		

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This states the row sums of the endogenous accounts can be obtained by multiplying the average expenditures propensities for each row of endogenous accounts by the level of income recorded in each column and adding exogenous income x . This can now be expressed as: $y_n = (I - A_n)^{-1} x = M_a x$

$$y_n = M_a x \quad (4)$$

¹⁶⁴ *Ibid.*, 57.

This is the accounting multiplier matrix (see Appendix 3). Now endogenous incomes can be derived by multiplying injection x by a multiplier matrix. The accounting multiplier has two limitations. One, it shows only the results of the change and not the causes of the change, which is due to the static nature of SAMs. Second, it assumes unitary expenditures elasticities. This assumption predicts that consumers purchasing behavior change by the exact change in their income, that is their expenditures on different commodities increases or decreases by exactly the same proportional change (increase or decrease) in their income.¹⁶⁵ Intuitively this is unrealistic. In order to compensate for this limitation, FPMs specify a matrix of marginal expenditure (income) elasticities. This provides a greater approximation of the true household consumption pattern and how different policies affect household income and consequent purchasing behavior. Hence, given the matrix of average expenditures and the corresponding expenditure elasticities of demand, the corresponding marginal expenditure propensities are easily computed.

This research uses the following matrix of marginal propensities, C_n

$$C_n = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & C_{13}=A_{13} \\ C_{21}=A_{21} & C_{22}=A_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & C_{32} & C_{33}=A_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

¹⁶⁵Ibid., 58.

It is assumed that the ownership pattern of factors remains constant, as well as the pattern of interinstitutional transfers, and the technological coefficients for any given activity. In contrast, realistic income elasticities of demand are postulated for the different socioeconomic groups yielding matrix C_{32} .¹⁶⁶

2. Fixed Price Multipliers

To compensate for the unitary expenditures elasticities limitation, a matrix of marginal expenditures propensities (C_n below) is specified corresponding to the observed income and expenditure elasticities of the different households while maintaining fixed prices. From the changes in income (dy_n) resulting from changes in injections (dx) one obtains:¹⁶⁷

$$\begin{aligned} dy_n &= C_n dy_n + dx \\ &= (I - C_n)^{-1} dx \\ &= M_c dx \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

M_c is known as the fixed price multiplier. It allows any nonnegative income and expenditure elasticity to be reflected in M_c .

¹⁶⁶Khan and Thorbecke, *Macroeconomic Effects and Diffusion of Alternative Technologies within a Social Accounting Matrix Framework: The Case of Indonesia*, 37.

¹⁶⁷F.G. Pyatt and J. Round, "Accounting and Fixed Price Multipliers in a SAM," *Economic Journal* 89 (1979): 861.

The calculation of the marginal expenditures propensities (MEP_i) is computed if the average expenditures propensities (AEP_i) and the income expenditure elasticity (Ey_i) are known.

$$Ey_i = MEP_i - AEP_i$$

$$MEP_i = Ey_i (AEP_i) \quad (6)$$

$$\Sigma MEP = 1 \quad (7)$$

so, given the A_{32} matrix (average expenditures propensities) and the expenditure elasticities of demand, the MEP matrix C_{32} is derived. Given equation (7) different saving, import, taxation propensities can be estimated for different groups within the economy in addition to the consumption propensities. In principle, the marginal expenditures propensities of the other four submatrices C_n can be calculated with the same procedure.

a. Household Expenditure Elasticities

The household expenditures elasticities were obtained by taking the percentage change between 1985 and 1975 household expenditures by class and dividing by the percentage change between 1985 and 1975 household income by class. The data used was household data from the Brazil 1975 input-output tables and the 1985 Brazilian SAM. First, the 1975 household survey expenditure data had to be classified and aggregated according to the 1985 SAM activity accounts.

Willumsen¹⁶⁸ provided the data and classification. Then the elasticities were computed by taking the percentage change in household consumption between 1975 and 1985 and dividing it by the percentage change in household income between 1975 and 1985 (see Appendix 4).

b. Household Marginal Expenditures Propensities

The household marginal expenditure propensities were computed by taking the household elements of the matrix of average expenditures propensities and multiplying each element by the corresponding household elasticity. Some of the resulting marginal expenditure propensities were negative and several had very high values. In these instances the average expenditure propensity was used. The average expenditure propensities were used for the following sectors: non-durable consumer goods sector (A107), financial services sector (A112), transportation sector (A114), and the public services sector (A115).

c. Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix

The fixed price multiplier matrix was calculated by substituting the household average expenditures propensities with the marginal expenditures and subtracting out the final (exogenous) demand and calculating the Leontief inverse (see Appendix 5).

¹⁶⁸Maria Willumsen, private communication, 1995.

The FPM now shows how changes in dualistic production sectors affect employment and factor income distribution via the submatrix M_c i.e., M_{13} . The multiplier shows how household income distribution changes from changes in output of any production coefficients associated with the dualistic production activities. The marginal expenditures propensities for C_{32} of the FPM matrix M_c also show how the household expenditure patterns differ among the households.

3. Total Employment Multipliers

The total employment multipliers were calculated using Brazil's 1980 input-output tables. The 1980 input-output tables provided the employment by production activity and output. First, the output and employment totals for the production activities had to be reclassified according to the SAM-Tech. Then the employment coefficients were computed by taking the employment in a sector and dividing it by the total output of that sector. This then gave each sector's employment coefficient. The employment coefficients were then multiplied by elements of the Leontief inverse matrix, i.e., the fixed price multiplier matrix. The columns were summed to give the total employment multipliers for each sector (see Appendix 6).

B. Structural Path Analysis

Structural path analysis (SPA) is used to decompose the accounting multipliers or the fixed price multipliers to show the direct and indirect effects of

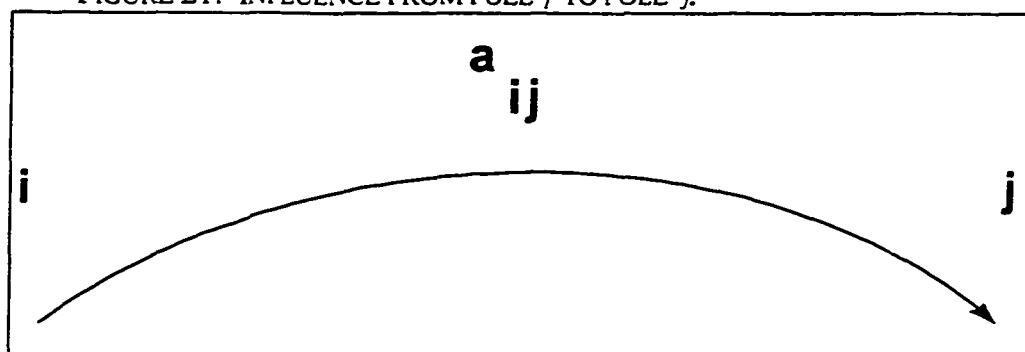
changes in an economic sector j on any other sector of the entire economy. The SPA of this research decomposes the accounting multiplier matrix to demonstrate how economic interactions are transmitted throughout the economic system. This type of analysis is based on the work of Defourny and Thorbecke.¹⁶⁹

Since the application of SPA is relatively new, a brief discussion of the fundamentals of this methodology follows.¹⁷⁰ The starting point is to equate the notion of expenditure to that of "influence." Figure 21 shows that each average expenditure propensity a_{ji} (or, alternatively, marginal expenditure propensity (μ_{ji}) of an "arc" (i,j) linking two poles of the structure and oriented in the direction of the expenditure is to be interpreted as the magnitude of the influence transmitted from pole i to pole j .

¹⁶⁹Jacques Defourny and Erik Thorbecke, "Structural Path Analysis and Multiplier Decomposition Within a Social Accounting Matrix Framework," 111-136.

¹⁷⁰This section follows Kahn and Thorbecke, *Macroeconomic Effects and Diffusion of Alternative Technologies*, 1988, 71-86. See also Defourny and Thorbecke, "Structural Path Analysis and Multiplier Decomposition Within a Social Accounting Matrix Framework," 111-136; Khan and Thorbecke, "Macroeconomic Effects of Technology Choice: Multiplier and Structural Path Analysis within a SAM Framework," *Journal of Policy Modeling* 11 (1989): 131-156.

FIGURE 21. INFLUENCE FROM POLE i TO POLE j .



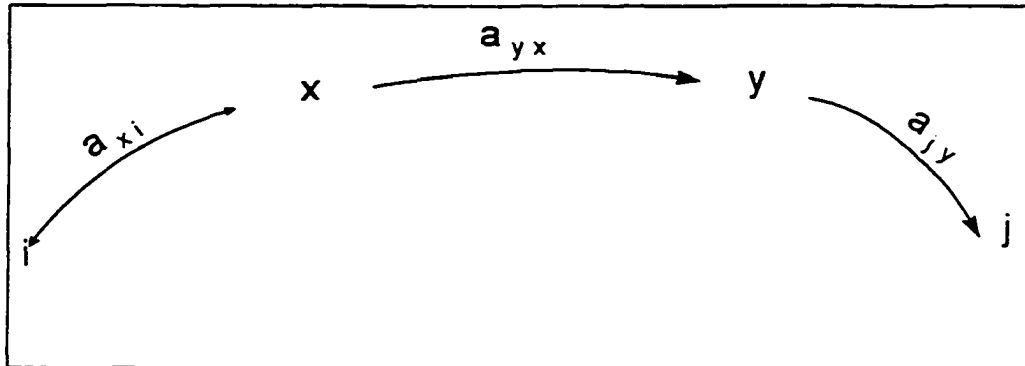
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The average expenditure propensity a_{ij} (or alternatively, the marginal expenditure propensity c_{ij}) reflects the “intensity” of arc (i,j). Hence, as will become clearer subsequently, an analysis based on accounting multipliers derived from the matrix of average expenditure propensities, A_n , of which a_{ij} is an element presumes that influence is reflected by the latter. On the other hand, fixed price multipliers derived from the matrix of marginal expenditure propensities, c_n , assumes that the intensity of the influence between any two poles is captured by the corresponding value of the marginal expenditure propensities.

1. Paths

An elementary path (i,x,y,j) is one which passes only one time through the same pole, see figure 22.

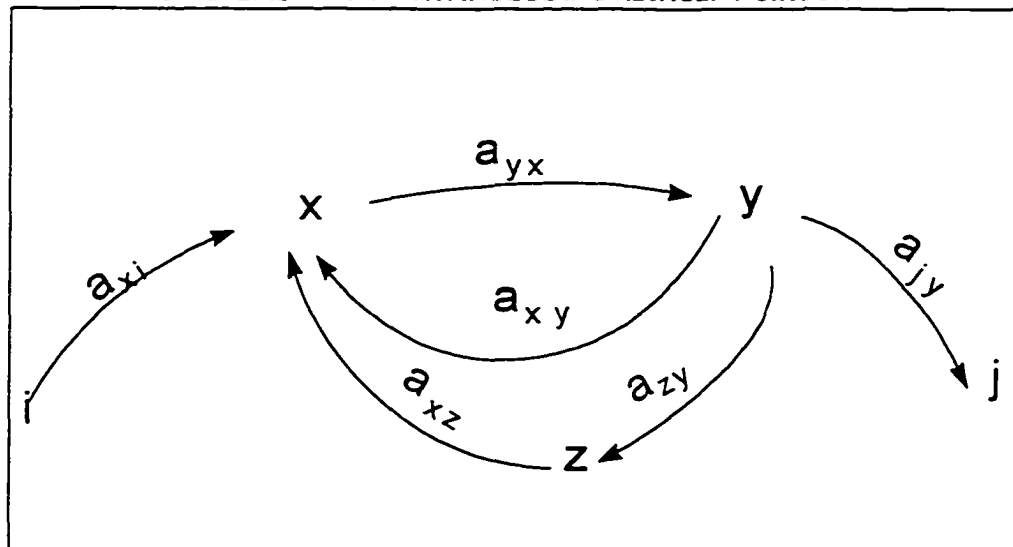
FIGURE 22. ELEMENTARY PATH.



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A circuit path (i,x,y,z) is a path whose pole of origin (pole i) coincides with a pole of destination. see figure 23.

FIGURE 23. ELEMENTARY PATH INCLUDING ADJACENT CIRCUIT.



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The concept of influence is distinguished quantitatively in three ways: direct influence, total influence, and global influence.

2.1 Direct Influence The direct influence of i on j transmitted through an elementary path is the change in income (or production) of j induced by a unitary change in i , the income (or the production) of all other poles except those along the selected elementary path remaining constant. In other words, the direct influence indicates the extent to which an exogenous increase in one sector j initially affects other sectors directly linked to sector j . The direct influence can be measured along an arc or an elementary path.

A. Direct Influence of i on j along arc (i,j)

$$I^D(I \rightarrow j) = a_{ji} \quad (8)$$

where a_{ji} is the (j,i) element of the matrix of average expenditure propensities A_n . Matrix A_n can therefore be called the matrix of direct influence - when the direct influence is measured along *arc* i,j .

B. Direct Influence along Elementary Path $(i,..j)$.

The direct influence transmitted from pole i to pole j along a given elementary path is equal to the product of the intensities of the arcs constituting the path. Thus,

$$I^D_{(i,..j)} = a_{jn} \dots a_{ni} \quad (9)$$

For example, figure 22 represents a given elementary path, $p = (i,x,y,j)$

$$I^D (i \rightarrow j)_p = I^D (i,x,y,j) = a_{xi} * a_{yx} * a_{jy} \quad (10)$$

2.2 Total Influence The total influence captures the direct influence transmitted along a given elementary path and the indirect effects induced by the circuits adjacent to the same path (which have one or more poles in common with path, p). The total influence captures the direct effects of an exogenous increase in the sectors that were initially affected by sector j , i.e., the secondary effects of the sectors directly linked to sector j . Figure 23 shows that between poles i and j the direct influence is the product of $a_{xi} * a_{yx}$ which is then transmitted back from y to x via the two loops yielding an effect $(a_{xi} a_{yx}) (a_{xy} + a_{zy} a_{xz})$ which in turn has to be transmitted back from x to y . This process yields, a series of decreasing repercussion effects between x and y .

$$a_{xi} a_{yx} \{ 1 + a_{yx} (a_{xy} + a_{zy} a_{xz}) + [a_{yx} (a_{xy} + a_{zy} a_{xz})]^2 + \dots \} = a_{xi} a_{yx} [I - a_{yx} (a_{xy} + a_{zy} a_{xz})]^{-1}$$

To complete the transmission of influence along the elementary path, p , the above effects have to travel along the last arc (y,j) so that the above effects have to be multiplied by a_{jy} to obtain the total influence along this path,

$$I^T (i \rightarrow j)_p = a_{xi} a_{yx} a_{jy} [I - a_{yx} (a_{xy} + a_{zy} a_{xz})]^{-1} \quad (11)$$

The direct influence is represented by the first term on the right hand side of equation (11),

$$I^D(i \rightarrow j)^p M_p \quad (12)$$

M_p captures the extent to which the direct influence along path p is amplified through the effects of adjacent feedback circuits and gives the total influence.

2.3 Global Influence The global influence does not follow a specific path in the transmission of influence as measured by direct and total influences. Rather, global influence from pole i to pole j simply measures the total effects on income or output from pole j consequent to an injection of one unit of income or output in pole i . The direct influence is linked to particular elementary path which is entirely isolated from the rest of the structure. The global influence captures the direct influence transmitted by all elementary path linking the two poles under consideration. In addition, the global influence cumulates all the induced and feedback effects resulting from the circuits. To summarize, the global influence captures all the direct and indirect effects of all sectors affected by an exogenous increase in sector j . Therefore, global influence is equal to the sum of the total influence of all elementary paths spanning pole i and pole j .

The global influence is captured by the reduced form of the SAM model derived previously:

$$dy_n = (I - a_n)^{-1} dx = M_s dx \quad (13)$$

Let Ma_{ji} be the (j,i) th element of the matrix of accounting multipliers Ma then, it captures the full effects of an exogenous injection dx_i on the endogenous variable dy_j .

Hence,

$$\Gamma^G(i \rightarrow j) = Ma_{ji},$$

and matrix $Ma = (I - An)^{-1}$ can be called the matrix of global influences.

Therefore, the global influence linking any two poles can be decomposed into a series of total influences transmitted along each and all elementary paths spanning poles i and j .

$$\Gamma^G(i \rightarrow j) = Ma_{ji} = \Gamma^T(i \rightarrow j)_p = \Gamma^D(i \rightarrow j)_p M_p$$

Once the matrix of accounting multipliers is known, SPA, demonstrates how economic interactions are transmitted throughout the entire economic system. First, this research SPA equates average expenditure propensities to influence. Graphically this means that each average expenditure propensity, a_{ji} , of an arc (i,j) linking two poles of the structure and oriented in the direction of the expenditure is to be interpreted as the magnitude of the influence transmitted from pole i to pole j . SPA reveals how the economy is connected by decomposing the global influence into the direct and induced/feedback effects resulting from the existence of elementary path (a path which does not pass more than one time through the same pole) and circuit paths (paths for which the pole of origin coincides with the pole of destination).

The endogenous structure of the SAM means that an elementary path must always travel in the triangular direction as shown in figure 16. In this case an injection occurs in a production activity, (i.e., ethanol production), all elementary paths originating with that activity would affect, first, other production activities (through the induced demand for intermediate inputs represented by the I-O matrix A_{33}) and factor demand (through the distribution of value added among factors, (i.e., matrix A_{13}) before the influence is transmitted to institutions (in particular, the different household groups) through matrix A_{21} . Next, transfers among institutions would be captured through A_{22} before the final link back to production activities (reflecting the consumption pattern of institutions, i.e., A_{32}) can take place.

SECTION THREE: CONCLUSION

The SAM framework is a superior tool for social and economic planning because it is able to provide a detailed disaggregation of the economic activities of households. This is a significant contribution to economy-wide models which typically disaggregate in detail the production activities and factor requirements, but do not include detail on household economic activities.

The SAM framework summarizes the interrelationships among the structure of production, output; the distribution of value-added going to the factors of production generated by the production activities, employment; and the income

distribution by socioeconomic groups, households; as well as the corresponding consumption and savings behavior of these socioeconomic groups.

The 51x51 SAM used in this research, named SAM-TECH, contains twelve energy sub-sectors including four biomass accounts and incorporates a pollution sector. The SAM-TECH has two different ethanol production technologies to capture each technology's employment, income distribution, and environmental effects. This study is the first that quantifies the income distribution effects of the ethanol industry and the second analysis which considers data between 1975 and 1985. The SAM-TECH model has forty-five endogenous accounts: eight factors of production, nine household accounts, twenty-seven production activities, and one pollution sector. Six accounts are exogenous: the government account, domestic capital account, net indirect taxes account, and two rest of the world accounts. This modeling shows how a change in an exogenous account affects the endogenous accounts. This transaction table provides the basis for understanding how changes in exogenous expenditures and receipts affect the endogenous accounts via multiplier analysis.

This research uses fixed price multipliers and structural path analysis to assess the macroeconomic impacts due to the development of Brazil's ethanol industry. FPM and SPA provide an efficient and comprehensive methodology to evaluate the research hypotheses. The strength of this methodology is its ability to capture the

direct and indirect effects of changes in exogenous demand to factor, household, production activities expenditures and receipts. The major shortcoming of the SAM framework and modeling is that its a tool only for short-run planning. This limitation exists because of its static nature and fixed prices. The next chapter presents the research hypotheses and findings.

CHAPTER SEVEN

RESEARCH FINDINGS

The purpose of this research is to better understand the extent to which technology choice affects development, particularly poverty alleviation. While the past chapters have described Brazil's alternative fuel program in detail, the current chapter provides an empirical assessment of the ethanol industry and other economic sectors. Five hypotheses are tested which examine the direct and indirect effects of growth in several economic sectors on Brazil's socioeconomic, environmental, and energy development. The first part of the hypotheses compares the gasoline and ethanol sectors' effect on employment, income generation and distribution, energy intensity, and the environment. The second part of the hypotheses contrasts the employment, income, energy, and environmental effects of a labor-intensive technique and a capital-intensive technique used in the following production activities: agriculture (export agriculture sector and traditional agriculture sector), manufacturing (durable consumer goods sector and non-durable consumer goods sector), energy, and services (financial/commercial services sector, public services sector, and private services sector).

In this research technology choice is determined by labor coefficients for the manufacturing and service sectors which were calculated from the total employment multiplier matrix. The agriculture sectors were pre-classified; even though the export agriculture sector has a higher labor ratio, it was classified as the relatively capital intensive technology. The following production activities were identified as the labor-intensive technologies since they have relatively higher labor intensities: traditional agriculture, non-durable consumer goods, and private services. The production activities that are classified as capital-intensive technologies are: export agriculture, durable consumer goods, and financial/commercial services. The labor coefficient for the private services sector was the highest followed by the financial/services sector and the public services sector.

This empirical assessment will aid policy makers to grasp the ramifications of technology choice and effects of growth in different economic sectors on the country's overall development. The findings of this research will show which production sectors contribute most to poverty alleviation, energy intensity, and environmental goals. Finally, differences in the ability of various economic sectors to reduce poverty, promote renewable energy development, and reduce greenhouse gas emissions can be traced to a number of direct and indirect linkages within the economy.

HYPOTHESIS ONE: TECHNOLOGY CHOICE AND EMPLOYMENT

Comparing the employment effects of a labor-intensive technology with a capital-intensive technology may seem intuitively unnecessary because the labor-intensive technology by definition should have a higher employment coefficient. However this defining characteristic considers only the direct employment effects of a given economic sector. Does a labor-intensive technology always generate more employment than the comparable capital-intensive technology? The SAM-based modeling captures both the direct and indirect employment impacts. The objective of this hypothesis is to determine which technology generates the greatest total employment.

It is hypothesized that the adoption of labor-intensive technologies provides greater total employment than capital-intensive technologies. The first part of the hypothesis determines whether Brazil's ethanol sectors provide more employment than the gasoline sector. The second part of the hypothesis examines the employment effects of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors.

This hypothesis is tested once the fixed price multiplier matrix M_c , i.e., M_{33} , and the physical labor input coefficients for the activities are known. The hypothesis is accepted if the employment multipliers for the labor-intensive technologies are greater than the employment multipliers for capital-intensive technologies. The hypothesis is rejected if the employment effects of the ethanol, traditional agriculture,

durable consumer goods, and private services sectors are less than the gasoline, export agriculture, consumer non-durable goods, and financial/commercial services sectors.

A.1.1 Employment and the Ethanol and Gasoline Sectors

Table 24 presents the employment multipliers for the ethanol and gasoline sectors. It shows that the employment multipliers for the ethanol sector are higher than the multipliers for the gasoline sector. The ethanol employment multipliers are 14.49 for the modern ethanol sector, 14.38 for the traditional ethanol sector, and 11.01 for the gasoline sector. The ethanol employment multipliers are not significantly different. Interestingly, even though the direct employment effects of the traditional ethanol sector are about three times greater than the modern ethanol sector, the total employment which includes the direct and indirect employment of the modern ethanol sector are larger than the traditional ethanol sector. The indirect linkages of the modern ethanol sector particularly to the traditional agriculture sector is the source of employment differences. The result is that the modern ethanol sector employs slightly more people than the traditional ethanol sector.

Employment in the ethanol (renewable) sector is nearly three times greater than the gasoline (non-renewable) sector. Further analysis of the employment multiplier matrix shows that the major source of employment for the ethanol sectors is the traditional agriculture sector.

Table 24. Gasoline and ethanol sectors employment multipliers.

	Gasoline	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T
Export Agriculture	1.55	1.20	1.21
Trad. Agriculture	1.40	6.73	6.34
Livestock	0.39	0.39	0.40
Mineral Extraction	0.02	0.02	0.02
Non-Mineral Ext.	0.63	0.11	0.11
Durable Goods	0.24	0.19	0.19
Non-Durable Goods	0.59	0.49	0.50
Intermediate Goods	0.57	0.48	0.48
Capital Goods	0.14	0.11	0.11
Coal	0.02	0.01	0.01
Bagasse	0.01	0.01	0.01
Kerosene	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oil	0.01	0.01	0.01
Gasoline	0.06	0.00	0.00
Ethanol-M	0.00	0.10	0.00
Ethanol-T	0.00	0.00	0.28
Gas	0.01	0.01	0.01
Electricity	0.08	0.06	0.06
Fuelwood	0.67	0.54	0.54
Veg. Charcoal	0.34	0.26	0.26
Other	0.01	0.00	0.00
Civil Construction	0.04	0.05	0.05
Fin./Com. Services	0.55	0.50	0.52
Commerce	0.38	0.34	0.37
Transport/Comm.	1.94	1.53	1.55
Public Services	0.06	0.05	0.05
Private Services	1.33	1.29	1.30
SUM	11.01	14.49	14.38

Source: Employment Multiplier Matrix.

A.1.2 Employment and Production Activities

Table 25 provides the employment multipliers for the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. An exogenous increase in the export agriculture sector results in an additional 19.20 people being employed within the entire economy and direct employment of 9.67 people in the export agriculture sector; the traditional

agriculture sector employs an additional 16.43 people within the entire economy and 9.52 people in the traditional agriculture sector. The employment multiplier for the non-durable consumer goods sector is 12.87 and 12.03 for the durable consumer goods sector. Analysis of the service industry shows that the private service sector has the highest employment coefficient, 12.89, followed by the public services sector, 10.97, and the financial/commercial service sector, 8.48. Analyzing these sectors indicates that employment generation is the greatest for the agriculture sector, followed by the service sector, and the manufacturing sector.

The relatively more labor-intensive techniques of the manufacturing and service sectors have greater employment than the comparative capital-intensive techniques. Contrary to expectations, the employment multipliers of the relatively capital-intensive technology of the agriculture sector is greater than the labor-intensive technique. Examination of the employment multiplier matrix shows that the direct and indirect employment effects are greater for the export agriculture sector than the traditional agriculture sector. The export agriculture sector has more linkages particularly to the traditional agriculture sector and the transportation/communication sector than the traditional agriculture sector.

Table 25. Select production activities employment multipliers.

	Ag- Export K	Ag- Trad L	Cons- Dur K	Con- ND L	Financial K	Public K	Private L
Export Agriculture	9.67	9.52	1.73	1.92	0.82	1.10	1.09
Traditional Agriculture	1.55	0.44	1.48	2.01	0.81	1.18	1.17
Livestock	0.45	0.17	0.40	0.87	0.24	0.34	0.38
Mineral Extraction	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01
Non-Mineral Extraction	0.16	0.12	0.15	0.15	0.08	0.12	0.10
Durable Consumer Goods	0.26	0.21	1.17	0.24	0.14	0.18	0.17
Non-Durable Cons. Goods	0.62	0.51	0.60	1.38	0.37	0.51	0.56
Intermediate Goods	0.63	0.52	0.66	0.64	0.34	0.44	0.47
Capital Goods	0.13	0.11	0.19	0.13	0.08	0.11	0.15
Coal (Coal Steam & Coke)	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01
Bagasse	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kerosene	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oil (diesel, fuel, naphtha)	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Gasoline	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ethanol-M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ethanol-T	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Gas (LPG,city gas, natural gas)	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Electricity	0.09	0.07	0.09	0.08	0.04	0.07	0.06
Fuelwood	0.77	0.60	0.71	0.71	0.35	0.47	0.44
Veg. Charcoal	0.37	0.28	0.36	0.34	0.19	0.25	0.23
Other	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
Civil Construction	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.10	0.06	0.04
Financial/Commercial Services	0.51	0.48	0.55	0.54	2.15	0.80	0.53
Commerce	0.35	0.32	0.39	0.38	0.33	0.44	0.36
Transportation/Communication	2.13	1.64	2.04	1.97	1.10	1.46	1.33
Public Services	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.04	1.84	0.05
Private Services	1.31	1.29	1.33	1.34	1.27	1.55	5.71
Sum	19.20	16.43	12.03	12.87	8.48	10.97	12.89

Source: Employment Multiplier Matrix.

Hypothesis one is not accepted because total employment associated with all the labor-intensive technologies is not always greater than the corresponding capital-intensive technologies. The ethanol sectors provide more employment than the

gasoline sectors. While the modern ethanol sector generates slightly more employment than the traditional ethanol sector, the difference is not significant.

In two of three economic sectors studied, the labor-intensive technologies generated more total employment than the capital-intensive technologies. The labor-intensive technologies of the consumer non-durable goods sector and the private services sector provide greater total employment than the capital intensive technologies of the durable goods sector and the service sectors (public and financial/commercial services sectors). There is one exception: the export agriculture sector generates more total employment than the traditional agriculture sector.

HYPOTHESIS TWO: TECHNOLOGY CHOICE AND FACTOR INCOME

The choice of technology significantly affects the income to the factors of production. Labor and capital income are the basis of household income. Therefore, it is important to understand how different sectors affect labor and capital income, and ultimately, how growth in different sectors affects poverty. The labor-intensive technology by definition has a higher labor to capital ratio than the capital-intensive technology. Presumably, labor income should be higher with the labor-intensive technology.

It is hypothesized that the adoption of labor-intensive technologies generates greater total labor and capital income than capital-intensive technologies. The first part of the hypothesis ascertains whether Brazil's ethanol industry provides more

factor income than the gasoline sector. The second part of the hypothesis examines the factor income effects of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. Then each sector is analyzed to determine its impact on the labor income of unskilled agricultural and non-agricultural workers.

The hypothesis is tested within the submatrix of the fixed price multiplier matrix M_{13} . Adding the fixed price multipliers for all labor and capital factors for the ethanol, gasoline, agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors gives the factor income accruing to each sector. The data show which sectors provide greater labor and capital income.

Hypothesis two is accepted if total labor and capital income for the ethanol sectors, traditional agriculture sector, non-durable consumer goods sector, and private services sector are greater than those for the gasoline sector, export agriculture sector, durable consumer goods sector, and the public services sector as well as the financial services sector. The hypothesis is rejected if the factor income of the labor-intensive technologies are less than the capital-intensive technologies.

B.1.1 Factor Income and the Gasoline and Ethanol Sectors

Table 26 presents the factor income from the gasoline and ethanol sectors as a result of an additional 1000 Cr\$ increase in exogenous demand. Each number is rounded to make it easier to interpret. An additional 1000 Cr\$ of exogenous demand will lead to additional labor and capital factor incomes for the gasoline sector of

(1562 Cr\$); whereas, the labor and capital factor incomes for both the modern and traditional ethanol sectors will increase by (3326 Cr\$) (1639 Cr\$+1687 Cr\$). Total labor income is (453 Cr\$) for the modern ethanol technology, (522 Cr\$) for the traditional ethanol technology, and (493 Cr\$) for the gasoline sector. The ethanol sectors generate more total labor income than the gasoline sector. Furthermore, the traditional ethanol production technology provides greater labor income (522 Cr\$) than the modern ethanol production technology (453 Cr\$). While the capital income of the ethanol sectors (1185 Cr\$ + 1165 Cr\$ = 2350 Cr\$) is more than the capital income of the gasoline sector (1069 Cr\$); the modern ethanol sector generates more capital income (1185 Cr\$) than the traditional ethanol sector (1165 Cr\$).

Table 26. Gasoline and ethanol sector factor income (Cr\$)

	Gasoline	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T
1000	E110-5	E110-6	E110-7
Unskilled Ag. Labor	6	12	12
Skilled Ag. Labor	19	49	47
Mgrs/Prof. Ag Labor	1	5	4
Ag. Capital	129	403	383
Unskilled Non Ag. Labor	173	148	202
Skilled Non-Ag. Labor	220	167	196
Mgrs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	75	73	62
Non-Ag. Capital	940	782	782
Total labor/capital income	1562	1639	1687
Sum of labor income	493	453	522
Sum of capital income	1069	1185	1165

Source: Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix

The finding of this hypothesis shows that ethanol's labor-intensive technology is superior to ethanol's capital-intensive technology for generating total labor income; however, the modern ethanol sector generates more capital income than the traditional ethanol sector.

B.1.2. Structural Path Analysis of Factor Income and the Ethanol and Gasoline Sectors

There is one caveat to all the structural path analyses of this research. The computer program that was utilized permitted a decomposition of the accounting multiplier only and not the fixed price multiplier. The result is that the numbers do not exactly correspond to the fixed price multiplier matrix and in some cases overestimates and in some cases underestimates the global effects. Generally, the accounting multiplier overestimates the global effects.

Structural path analysis (SPA) decomposes the accounting multipliers, also known as the global effect, into the direct effect and total effect. The direct effect indicates the extent to which an exogenous increase or decrease in sector j (also known as pole j) affects the immediate inputs into sector j . The total effect shows the direct effects due to a change in sector j and the indirect effects associated with the backward linkages of the sectors directly affected by a change in sector j . The global effect includes all the direct and indirect effects of all sectors affected by an exogenous increase or decrease in sector j .

It is useful to understand how to read the SPA tables before a presentation of the results. Going from left to right on Table 27 one sees the following columns: path, global effect, direct effect, path multiplier, total effect, percentage of global effect, and percentage of cumulative effect. This research deals primarily with the global effect, direct effect, total effect, and percentage of global effect. The path indicates the pole of influence from a SAM column sector to a SAM row sector. That is, the poles of influence give the effect of a change in a column's sector expenditures on the receipts of a row sector. For example, the path [32,1] involves column sector 32, the modern ethanol sector, and row sector 1, unskilled agriculture labor. The global effect is the same as the accounting multiplier and is decomposed into the direct effect and total effect. The direct effect is the same as the average expenditures propensities and indicates the effect of an exogenous increase on the column sector expenditures on the row sector receipt. The total effect is the same as the indirect effects and includes the effects on other sectors. For example, the first path presented in Table 27 is path [32,19,1] - the poles are the modern ethanol sector (32) and the unskilled agriculture labor income (1); sector 19 is the traditional agriculture sector and is an intermediate pathway. A definition of the poles of the paths will be presented before the results.

Table 27 includes the following poles: 32-modern ethanol sector; 33 traditional ethanol sector; 1-unskilled agriculture labor income; 2-skilled agriculture

labor income; 3-agriculture managerial income; 4-agriculture capital income; 5- unskilled non-agriculture labor income; 6-skilled non-agriculture labor income; 7-non-agriculture managerial income; 8-non-agriculture capital income.

Table 27. SPA - Effect of ethanol production on factor income.

Path	Global Effect	Direct Effect	Path Mult	Total Effect	% of Global	Cum %
32, 19, 1	0.013	0.007	1.226	0.008	64.6	64.6
33, 19, 1	0.012	0.006	1.226	0.008	61.9	61.9
32, 19, 2	0.051	0.031	1.234	0.038	74.5	74.5
33, 19, 2	0.049	0.029	1.234	0.035	71.9	71.9
32, 19, 3	0.005	0.004	1.221	0.004	91.8	91.8
33, 19, 3	0.004	0.003	1.221	0.004	89.9	89.9
32, 19, 4	0.416	0.282	1.256	0.354	85	85
33, 19, 4	0.397	0.261	1.256	0.328	82.7	82.7
32, 5	0.142	0.021	1.143	0.024	17.1	17.1
33, 5	0.195	0.073	1.143	0.083	42.7	42.7
32, 6	0.161	0.025	1.162	0.029	18.3	18.3
33, 6	0.19	0.052	1.162	0.06	31.6	31.6
32, 7	0.072	0.017	1.044	0.018	25.3	25.3
33, 7	0.06	0.005	1.044	0.006	9.3	9.3
32, 8	0.779	0.141	1.481	0.208	26.8	26.8
33, 8	0.779	0.127	1.481	0.188	24.1	24.1

Table 27 presents the global influence of the modern and traditional ethanol sectors on factor incomes. For path [32,19,1] the global influence of the modern ethanol sector on unskilled agriculture workers income is (.013); that is, a one Cr\$ increase in the modern ethanol sector will result in an increase in total income to unskilled agriculture workers of (.013 Cr\$). The modern ethanol sector's global influence on skilled agriculture workers [path 32,19,2] is (.051 Cr\$) and is (.005 Cr\$)

on professional labor [path 32,19,3]. The global influence of traditional ethanol technology on unskilled agriculture workers [path 33,19,1] is (.012 Cr\$), on skilled agriculture workers [path 33, 19,2] is (.049 Cr\$), and on agriculture professionals is (.004 Cr\$) [path 33,19,3]. Thus, the global influence of the modern ethanol sector is slightly greater than the traditional ethanol production sector's global influence on the income of unskilled agriculture workers. The global influence of the traditional ethanol sector is larger than the modern ethanol sector for two of three non-agriculture labor income groups. The global influence of the traditional ethanol sector on the income of unskilled non-agriculture workers [path 33,5] is (.195 Cr\$); whereas, the global influence of the modern ethanol sector on the income of unskilled non-agriculture workers is (.142 Cr\$) [path 32,5]. The global influence of the traditional ethanol sector on the income of non-agriculture skilled workers is (.190 Cr\$) [path 33,6], while the global influence of the modern ethanol sector on the income of skilled non-agriculture workers is (.161 Cr\$) [path 32,6]. Finally, the global influence of the modern ethanol sector on non-agriculture professionals is (.072 Cr\$) [path 32,7], while the global influence of the traditional ethanol sector on non-agriculture professionals is (.06 Cr\$) [path 33,7]. Coincidentally, both ethanol production technologies yield the same return to non-agricultural capital - (.779 Cr\$).

The SAM-based methodology highlights a significant difference in the income received by both unskilled and skilled non-agriculture labor from the ethanol sectors

due to technology choice. The labor income of unskilled and skilled non-agriculture workers increases significantly more with the traditional ethanol sector than the modern ethanol sector. This difference can be better understood by decomposing and diagramming the accounting multiplier. SPA is used to illustrate the effects of technology choice on the income of unskilled non-agriculture labor.

Figures 24 and 25 show the effect of ethanol production on unskilled non-agriculture labor income. The underlined numbers identifies differences between the two technologies. Comparing the two figures indicates that unskilled non-agriculture labor receives significantly more labor income from the traditional ethanol sector than from the modern ethanol sector. Figure 24 reveals that unskilled non-agriculture receives (73 Cr\$) directly from the traditional ethanol technology and (21 Cr\$)

FIGURE 24. INCOME EFFECTS OF TRADITIONAL ETHANOL SECTOR ON UNSKILLED NON-AGRICULTURE LABOR.

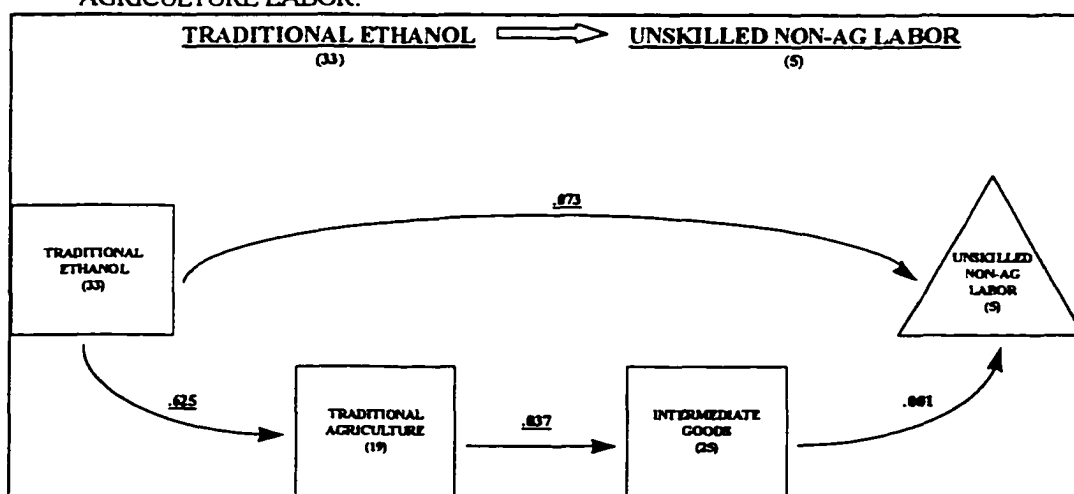
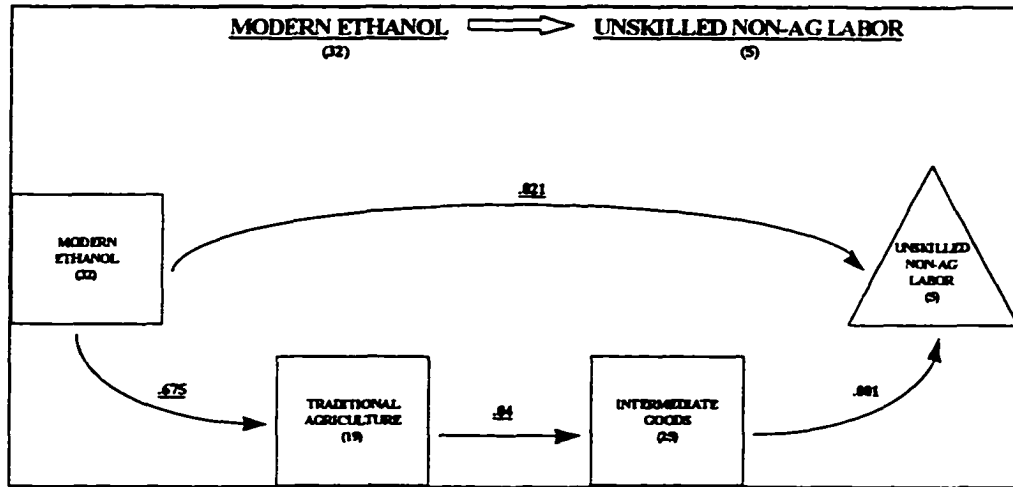


FIGURE 25. INCOME EFFECTS OF MODERN ETHANOL SECTOR ON UNSKILLED NON-AGRICULTURE LABOR.



directly from the modern ethanol technology (figure 25). Regional wages associated with the traditional technology are substantially higher than those of the modern ethanol sector; thus wages account for this difference. In addition, employment is more than three times greater in the northeast than in the center south. Higher wages and greater employment requirements of traditional ethanol distilleries result in labor costs which are significantly higher for the traditional ethanol distilleries than for the modern ethanol distilleries.

The policy implications of this analysis suggests that unskilled non-agriculture labor benefits significantly more from the traditional ethanol sector than the modern ethanol sector.

B1.3. Factor Income and Production Activities

Table 28 presents the labor and capital income associated with the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. The traditional agriculture sector (1620 Cr\$) produces more total factor income than the export agriculture sector (1502 Cr\$). The traditional agriculture sector provides more total capital income (1202 Cr\$) and less

Table 28. Production activities and factor income (Cr\$).

	Ag- Export	Ag- Trad	Cons- Dur	Con- ND	Financial	Public	Private
1000	K	L	K	L	K	K	L
Unskilled Ag. Labor	12	16	6	10	3	5	5
Skilled Ag. Labor	33	66	20	33	11	16	16
Mgrs/Prof. Ag Labor	1	6	1	2	1	1	1
Ag. Capital	314	555	138	198	74	105	107
Unskilled Non Ag. Labor	151	129	180	167	155	374	224
Skilled Non-Ag. Labor	168	143	201	194	181	354	243
Mgrs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	67	57	82	73	72	147	89
Non-Ag. Capital	755	647	867	868	1105	828	878
Total Factor Income	1502	1620	1493	1543	1603	1828	1563
Total Capital Income	1069	1202	1005	1066	1180	933	985
Total Labor Income	433	418	488	478	423	895	578
Total Agriculture Labor Income	46	88	27	44	15	21	22
Total Non-Ag Labor Income	387	329	462	433	408	874	556
Ag. Unskilled Labor Income	12	16	6	10	3	5	5
Non-Ag. Unskilled Labor Income	151	129	180	167	155	374	224

Source: Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix.

labor income (418 Cr\$) than the export agriculture' sector capital income (1069 Cr\$) and labor income (433 Cr\$). Further inspection shows that the traditional agriculture sector raises more agriculture capital (555 Cr\$) and agriculture labor income (88 Cr\$) than the export agriculture sector's agriculture capital (314 Cr\$) and labor (46 Cr\$); while the export agriculture sector generates more non-agriculture labor income (387 Cr\$) and non-agriculture capital income (755 Cr\$) than the traditional agriculture sector's non-agriculture labor income (329 Cr\$) and non-agriculture capital income (647 Cr\$).

The non-durable consumer goods sector (1543 Cr\$) generates more total factor income than the durable consumer goods sector (1493 Cr\$). The non-durable consumer goods sector produces more capital income (1066 Cr\$) and slightly less labor income (478 Cr\$) than the consumer durable goods sector's capital income (1005 Cr\$) and labor income (488 Cr\$). Further examination shows that the non-durable consumer goods sector generates almost two times more agriculture labor income (44 Cr\$) and unskilled agriculture labor income (10 Cr\$) than the durable consumer goods sector's agriculture labor income (27 Cr\$) and unskilled agriculture labor income (6 Cr\$). The durable consumer goods sector raises more non-agriculture labor income (462 Cr\$) and unskilled non-agriculture labor income (180 Cr\$) than the non-durable consumer goods sector's non-agriculture labor income (433 Cr\$) and unskilled non-agriculture labor income (167 Cr\$).

The public services sector raises the most factor income (1828 Cr\$) followed by the financial services sector (1603 Cr\$), and private services sector (1563 Cr\$). The public services sector generates the most labor income (895 Cr\$) especially non-agriculture labor income (374 Cr\$), while the financial services sector produces the most capital income (1180 Cr\$), particularly non-agriculture capital (1105 Cr\$). The private services sector generates the most agriculture labor income (22 Cr\$).

The labor-intensive technologies generate the most agriculture labor income in each of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. The capital-intensive technologies produce the most non-agriculture labor income in each of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. The agriculture and manufacturing labor-intensive technologies generate more capital income than the capital-intensive technologies, which is due to the higher return to agriculture capital.

B1.4. SPA of Unskilled Labor Income and Production Activities

SPA was applied to examine the direct and indirect effects of an exogenous expenditure in production activity i on the income of factor j . In this case, the accounting multipliers for seven production activities (traditional and export agriculture, durable and non-durable consumer goods, and financial, private, and public services) were decomposed to demonstrate the production activities effects on the labor income of unskilled labor. This increase in income can be interpreted as an

increase in income of factor j (unskilled workers) but as such does not identify in which sector the additional income is to occur. SPA gives the sector breakdown.

Table 29 includes the following poles: 18-export agriculture; 19 traditional agriculture; 23-durable consumer goods; 24-non-durable consumer goods; 40-financial/commercial services; 43-public services; 44-private services; 1-unskilled agriculture workers; 5-unorganized urban workers.

It can be seen from Table 29 that the labor income to unskilled agricultural workers increases more from the traditional agricultural sector (.016 Cr\$) [path 19,1] than from the export agricultural sector (.012 Cr\$) [path 18,1]. However, the labor income of unskilled non-agricultural workers increases more from export agriculture

Table 29. Effect of select production activities on unskilled workers labor income.

Path	Global Effect	Direct Effect	Path Mult	Total Effect	% of Global	Cum %
18, 1	0.012	0.005	1.234	0.007	54	54
19, 1	0.016	0.01	1.225	0.012	73.3	73.3
18, 45, 24, 5	0.145	0.002	5.196	0.009	6.3	6.3
19, 25, 5	0.123	0.002	2.88	0.005	3.8	3.8
24, 20, 1	0.011	0.003	1.962	0.006	56.4	56.4
23, 5	0.174	0.02	1.539	0.031	17.9	17.9
23, 25, 5		0.002	3.129	0.007	3.8	21.7
23, 26, 5		0.004	1.939	0.008	4.7	26.4
23, 45, 24, 5		0.001	5.596	0.007	4.3	30.7
23, 45, 25, 5		0.002	7.088	0.016	9.5	40.1
23, 45, 42, 5		0.003	5.082	0.014	8.2	48.4
24, 5	0.161	0.016	2.039	0.033	20.2	20.2
40, 5	0.149	0.029	2.413	0.071	47.4	47.4
43, 5	0.368	0.228	1.185	0.27	73.3	73.3
44, 5	0.219	0.095	1.323	0.125	57.3	57.3

(.145 Cr\$) [path 18,45,24, 5] than from traditional agriculture (.123 Cr\$) [path 19,25,5]. Within manufacturing sectors being compared, only the non-durable goods sector generates labor income to unskilled agriculture workers (.011 Cr\$) [path 24,20,1]. However, the durable goods sector creates more labor income to unskilled non-agriculture workers (.174 Cr\$) [path 23,5] than the non-durable consumer goods sector (.161 Cr\$) [path 24,5]. Unskilled non-agriculture workers receive the most labor income from the public services sector (.368 Cr\$) [path 43,5], followed by the private services sector (.219 Cr\$) [path 44,5] and the financial/commercial services sector (.149 Cr\$) [path 40,5]. Further analysis shows that the manufacturing and service sectors provide an example where the indirect effects on labor income are larger than the direct effects. The durable consumer goods sector shows that the sum of proportional indirect effects for unskilled non-agricultural workers transmitted indirectly via the demand for intermediate and capital goods as well as non-agricultural goods including paths [23, 25, 5] through paths [23, 45, 42, 5] ($3.8+4.7+4.3+9.5+8.2=30.5\%$) was greater than the proportional direct effects of the consumer durable goods sector 17.9% [path 23,5]. The service sectors (poles 40,43,44) are not tied to agriculture and do not employ a significant number of agricultural workers. Interestingly, the global influence of an exogenous increase in the public service sector on the income of unskilled non-agriculture workers is the largest (.368 Cr\$) [path 43, 5], followed by the global influence of the private services

sector on unskilled non-agriculture income (.219 Cr\$) [path 44,5], and the global influence of financial /commercial services sector on unskilled non-agriculture worker income is (.149 Cr\$) [path 40,5]. This finding suggests that indirect effects are sometimes significant and deserve further examination, especially if the global influence of two production activities is approximately the same.

Hypothesis two is not accepted because not all labor-intensive technologies provide more total labor and capital income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. While ethanol's labor-intensive technology is superior to ethanol's capital-intensive technology for generating total factor and labor income; the modern ethanol sector generates more capital income than the traditional ethanol sector. Unskilled agriculture labor receives the same labor income from both ethanol sectors. However, unskilled non-agriculture labor receives significantly more labor income from the labor-intensive ethanol sector than from the capital-intensive ethanol sector. Labor costs are significantly higher for the labor-intensive technology than for the capital-intensive technology. This is because agricultural employment associated with the traditional ethanol sector is three times greater than for the modern ethanol sector.

The labor intensive technologies of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors produce more total labor and capital income, more agriculture labor income, and more labor income to unskilled agriculture workers than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. However, the capital-intensive technologies raise more total

non-agriculture workers income and more labor income to unskilled non-agriculture workers. This suggests that labor-intensive technologies contribute more income to agriculture labor as well as unskilled agriculture labor; furthermore, capital-intensive technologies contribute more to non-agriculture labor and unskilled non-agriculture labor. The capital-intensive technology of the service sectors is the only case of a capital-intensive technology providing more factor income than the labor-intensive technology.

HYPOTHESIS THREE: TECHNOLOGY CHOICE AND HOUSEHOLD INCOME

Hypothesis three analyzes the effect of sectoral growth on household income. Do labor-intensive technologies contribute more to poverty alleviation than capital-intensive technologies? The SAM-based modeling makes it possible to examine the effects of growth in specific economic sectors on household poverty. Decomposing the accounting multiplier shows the linkages in the economy to household income.

This hypothesis posits that the implementation of labor-intensive technologies increases the income received by the lower income rural and urban households more than the capital-intensive technologies. The first part of the hypothesis determines whether Brazil's ethanol sectors provide more income to households in poverty than the gasoline sector: rural workers (HH3) , rural managers (HH4), urban organized labor (HH8), and urban non-organized labor (HH9). The second part of the

hypothesis examines the impact of the agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and service sectors on the income of households in poverty. Structural path analysis is diagrammed to visualize the ways that the households are affected.

This hypothesis is tested within the submatrix of the fixed price multiplier matrix M_{32} . M_{32} shows the effect of an exogenous change in the output of any production activity on household income.

The hypothesis is accepted if the household income fixed price multipliers for the ethanol sectors, traditional agriculture sector, non-durable consumer goods sector, and private services sector are greater than the multipliers for the gasoline sector, export agriculture sector, durable consumer goods sector, as well as the public and financial service sectors. Likewise, the hypothesis is rejected if the household income multipliers for the rural workers (HH3), rural managers (HH4), urban organized labor (HH8), and urban non-organized labor households (HH9) from the ethanol, traditional agriculture sector, non-durable consumer goods sector, and private services sector are lower than the household income generated by the gasoline sector, export agriculture sector, durable consumer goods sector, as well as the public and financial service sectors.

C.1.1. Ethanol and Gasoline Sectors and Household Income

Table 30 presents the household income from the ethanol and gasoline sectors. It indicates that total household income from the ethanol sectors (1775

Cr\$+1723 Cr\$=3498 Cr\$) is greater than that from the gasoline sector (1732 Cr\$). Furthermore, the traditional ethanol sector produces more household income (1775 Cr\$) than the modern ethanol sector (1723 Cr\$). The rural household income (HH 3,4) for both the modern and traditional ethanol sectors combined was (145 Cr\$) (74+71), whereas, the rural household income for the gasoline sector was (31 Cr\$). The poorest urban household income (HH 8,9) for both the modern and traditional ethanol sectors combined was (825 Cr\$) (376+449) and (472 Cr\$) for the gasoline sector. Poorer rural and urban household incomes benefit significantly more from ethanol production than from gasoline production.

Table 30. Gasoline and ethanol sector household income (Cr\$).

Household Income				
	1000	Gasoline	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T
Rural Capitalists	HH1	88	234	223
Rural Sm. Producers	HH2	57	145	138
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	HH3	16	33	32
Rural Mgrs./Prof.	HH4	15	41	39
Urban Capitalists	HH5	466	381	382
Urban Mgrs./Prof.	HH6	185	162	151
Urban Sm. Producers	HH7	432	351	361
Urban Organized Workers.	HH8	247	195	230
Urban Non-Organized Workers	HH9	225	181	219
TOTAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME		1732	1723	1775
HH 3,4 income		31	74	71
HH 8,9 income		472	376	449

Source: Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix.

Two findings are surprising. First, the modern ethanol sector provides slightly more income to all rural households and urban managers than the traditional

ethanol sector. The modern ethanol sector generates more household income to rural capitalists (234 Cr\$), rural small producers (145 Cr\$), rural workers/tenant farmers (41 Cr\$) and urban managers (162 Cr\$) than the traditional ethanol sector's household income to rural capitalists (223 Cr\$), rural small producers (138 Cr\$), rural workers/tenant farmers (32 Cr\$), and urban managers (151 Cr\$). Second, the traditional ethanol sector contributes more to household incomes of urban capitalists (382 Cr\$), urban small producers (361 Cr\$), urban organized workers (230 Cr\$), and urban non-organized workers (219 Cr\$) than the modern ethanol sector's household income to urban capitalists (381 Cr\$), urban small producers (351 Cr\$), urban organized workers (195 Cr\$), and urban non-organized workers. SPA in the next section helps to explain this finding.

Contrary to expectations, the modern ethanol sector provides slightly more income to all rural households and urban managers than the traditional ethanol sector. Table 31 shows the source of the household income. This discussion highlights the differences. The rural capitalist household receives more agriculture capital (.154 Cr\$) path [32,19,4,9] from the modern ethanol sector than from the traditional ethanol sector (.143 Cr\$) path [33,19,4,9]. The rural small producers households receive more income from the modern ethanol sector via skilled agriculture (.014 Cr\$) path [32,19,2,10] and agriculture capital (.077 Cr\$) path [32,19,4,10] than the traditional ethanol sector's skilled agriculture (.013 Cr\$) path [33,19,2,10] and

agriculture capital (.071 Cr\$) path [33,19,4,10]. The rural managers and professionals also receive significantly more income from the modern ethanol sector via agriculture managers/professionals (.014 Cr\$) path [32,19,3,12] and agriculture capital (.077 Cr\$) path [32,19,4,12] than from the traditional ethanol sector's agriculture managers/professionals (.003 Cr\$) path [33,19,3,12] and agriculture capital (.020 Cr\$) path [33,19,4,12]. The rural workers households also receive more income from the modern ethanol sector than the traditional ethanol sector and is discussed in more detail in the next section.

The major reason that the modern ethanol sector generates more income to rural households is due to the greater agriculture capital that the traditional agriculture sector generates. More of this income is distributed to the rural households. SPA shows that between 76% and 81% of the household income is explained by the returns to agriculture labor and agriculture capital. It should also be noted that the modern ethanol sector purchases more from the traditional agriculture sector which gets distributed to agricultural factors of production.

Another interesting finding, is that the traditional ethanol sector contributes more to household incomes of urban small producers, urban organized labor, and urban non-organized labor than the modern ethanol sector. Table 31 shows again the source of the urban household income from the traditional ethanol sector. Urban small producers receive more from the traditional ethanol sector via the unskilled

non-agriculture labor (.006 Cr\$) path [33,5,15] and skilled non-agriculture labor (.009 Cr\$) path [33,6,15] than from the modern ethanol sector's unskilled non-agriculture labor (.002 Cr\$) path [32,5,15] and skilled non-agriculture labor (.005 Cr\$) path [32,6,15]. The urban small producers households receive more agriculture capital from the modern ethanol sector (.045 Cr\$) path [32,8,15] than from the traditional ethanol sector (.041 Cr\$) path [33,8,15].

The urban organized workers households receive more income from the traditional ethanol sector than from the modern ethanol sector. The major difference in income is the higher income received by unskilled and skilled non-agriculture labor which gets distributed to the urban organized workers households. Urban organized workers receive significantly more income from the traditional ethanol sector via unskilled non-agriculture labor (.028 Cr\$) path [33,5,16] and skilled non-agriculture labor (.025 Cr\$) path [33,6,16] than from the modern ethanol sector's unskilled non-agriculture labor (.008 Cr\$) path [32,5, 16] and skilled non-agriculture labor (.012 Cr\$) path [32,6, 16].

Urban small producers, urban organized workers, and urban non-organized workers households receive more income from the traditional ethanol sector than from the modern ethanol sector. SPA shows that the traditional ethanol sector pays three times more to unskilled non-agriculture labor and two times more to skilled non-agriculture labor than the modern ethanol sector. This is due to the higher labor

costs associated with the traditional ethanol sector. The urban non-organized workers household also receives more from the traditional ethanol sector and is discussed in more detail in the next section.

C.1.2 SPA of Household Income of the Ethanol and the Gasoline Sectors

The poles in Table 31 are: 9-rural capitalists, 10-rural small producers, 11-rural workers, 12-rural professionals, 13-urban capitalists, 14-urban professionals, 15-urban small producers, 16-urban organized laborers, 17-urban non-organized laborers, 32, modern ethanol sector, and 33-traditional ethanol sector.

Table 31 presents the global influence of an exogenous increase in both the modern and traditional ethanol sectors on household income. It can be seen that the global influence for the modern ethanol sector is greater than the global influence for the traditional ethanol sector for the following households: rural capitalists (.242 Cr\$) [path 32,19,4,9] vs. (.231 Cr\$) [path 33,19,4,9]; rural small producers (.15 Cr\$)[path 32,19,1,10] vs. (.143 Cr\$) [path 33,19,1,10]; rural workers (.035 Cr\$) [path 32,19,2,11] vs. (.034 Cr\$) [path 33,19,1,11]; rural professionals (.042 Cr\$) [path 32,19,2,12] vs. (.040 Cr\$) [path 33,19,2,12]; and urban professionals (.16 Cr\$) [path 32,7,14] vs. (.15 Cr\$) [path 33,7,14]. The global influence of the traditional ethanol is greater than the global influence of the modern ethanol sector for urban small producers (.361 Cr\$) [path 33,5,15] vs. (.351 Cr\$) [path 32,5,15], urban organized labor (.227 Cr\$) [path 33,5,16] vs. (.191 Cr\$) [path 32,5,16], and urban

Table 31. Effect of ethanol production on household income.

Path	Global Effect	Direct Effect	Path Mult	Total Effect	% of Global	Cum %
32, 19, 4, 9	0.242	0.154	1.265	0.195	80.8	80.8
33, 19, 4, 9	0.231	0.143	1.265	0.181	78.3	78.3
32, 19, 1, 10	0.15	0.002	1.256	0.002	1.4	1.4
32, 19, 2, 10		0.014	1.259	0.018	12	13.5
32, 19, 4, 10		0.077	1.272	0.098	65.4	78.9
33, 19, 1, 10	0.143	0.002	1.256	0.002	1.4	1.4
33, 19, 2, 10		0.013	1.259	0.017	11.7	13
33, 19, 4, 10		0.071	1.272	0.091	63.3	76.4
32, 19, 1, 11	0.035	0.004	1.235	0.005	15.6	15.6
32, 19, 2, 11		0.014	1.24	0.018	51.3	66.9
33, 19, 1, 11	0.034	0.004	1.235	0.005	15	15
33, 19, 2, 11		0.013	1.24	0.017	49.3	64.2
32, 19, 2, 12	0.042	0.002	1.238	0.003	6	6
33, 19, 2, 12	0.04	0.002	1.238	0.002	5.8	5.8
32, 19, 3, 12		0.004	1.226	0.004	10.4	16.3
33, 19, 3, 12		0.003	1.226	0.004	10	15.8
32, 19, 4, 12		0.021	1.258	0.027	64	80.3
33, 19, 4, 12		0.02	1.258	0.025	62	77.9
32, 8, 13	0.383	0.058	1.52	0.088	23	23
33, 8, 13	0.383	0.052	1.52	0.079	20.7	20.7
32, 7, 14	0.161	0.017	1.101	0.019	11.8	11.8
33, 7, 14	0.15	0.005	1.102	0.006	3.9	3.9
32, 5, 15	0.351	0.002	1.466	0.003	0.8	0.8
33, 5, 15	0.361	0.006	1.466	0.009	2.5	2.5
32, 6, 15		0.005	1.469	0.007	1.9	2.7
33, 6, 15		0.009	1.469	0.014	3.8	6.3
32, 8, 15		0.045	1.578	0.071	20.3	23
33, 8, 15		0.041	1.578	0.064	17.8	24.1
32, 5, 16	0.191	0.008	1.277	0.01	5.4	5.4
33, 5, 16	0.227	0.028	1.276	0.036	15.9	15.9
32, 5, 17	0.178	0.011	1.251	0.014	7.9	7.9
32, 6, 17		0.008	1.291	0.011	6	13.9
32, 8, 17		0.002	1.65	0.004	2	15.9
33, 5, 17	0.216	0.039	1.25	0.048	22.4	22.4
33, 6, 17		0.017	1.291	0.022	10.1	32.5
33, 8, 17		0.002	1.65	0.003	1.5	34

non-organized labor (.216 Cr\$) [path 33,5,17] vs. (.178 Cr\$) [path 33,2,5,17]. SPA shows that the modern ethanol sector generates more agriculture capital than the traditional ethanol sector and it gets distributed to the rural households. Furthermore, agriculture capital is the source of greater rural household income.

Diagramming the SPA provides a better visual understanding of the effect of technology choice in ethanol production on the rural and urban households in poverty. Figures 26 and 27 illustrate the links between the modern and traditional ethanol technologies on the household income of rural workers. Figures 26 and 27 show that ethanol production and the poorest rural household are linked via unskilled and skilled agriculture labor. Comparing figures 26 and 27 indicates that the modern ethanol technology generates more income to unskilled (.007 Cr\$) and skilled (.031 Cr\$) agriculture labor than the traditional ethanol technology income to unskilled (.006 Cr\$) and skilled (.029 Cr\$) agriculture labor. The rural workers households receive more income from the modern ethanol technique via skilled agriculture labor (.014 Cr\$) than from the traditional ethanol technique via skilled agriculture labor (.013 Cr\$). One explanation for this finding can be traced to the traditional agriculture sector. The traditional agriculture sector receives more from the modern ethanol sector (.675 Cr\$) than from the traditional ethanol sector (.625 Cr\$). This is consistent as the modern ethanol distilleries are responsible for two thirds of total ethanol production.

FIGURE 26. INCOME EFFECTS OF TRADITIONAL ETHANOL SECTOR ON POOREST RURAL HOUSEHOLDS.

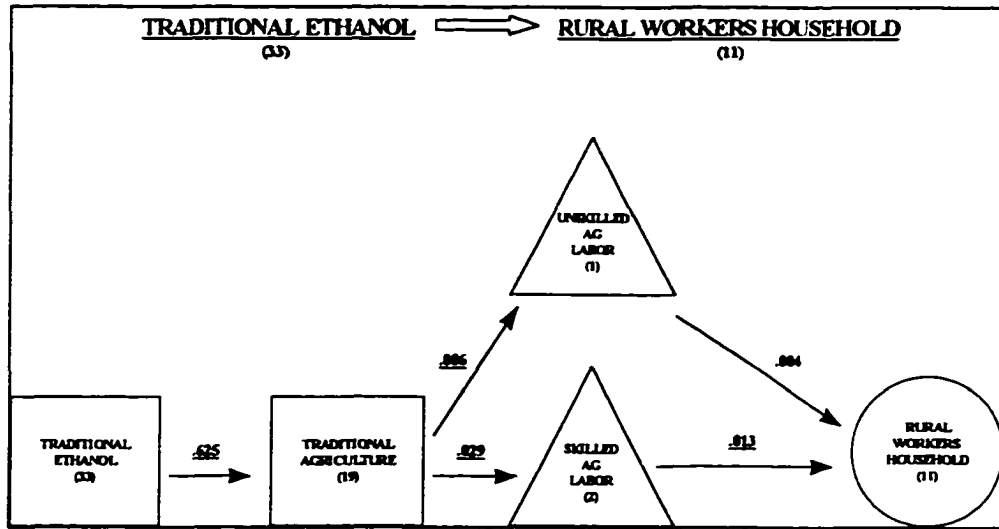
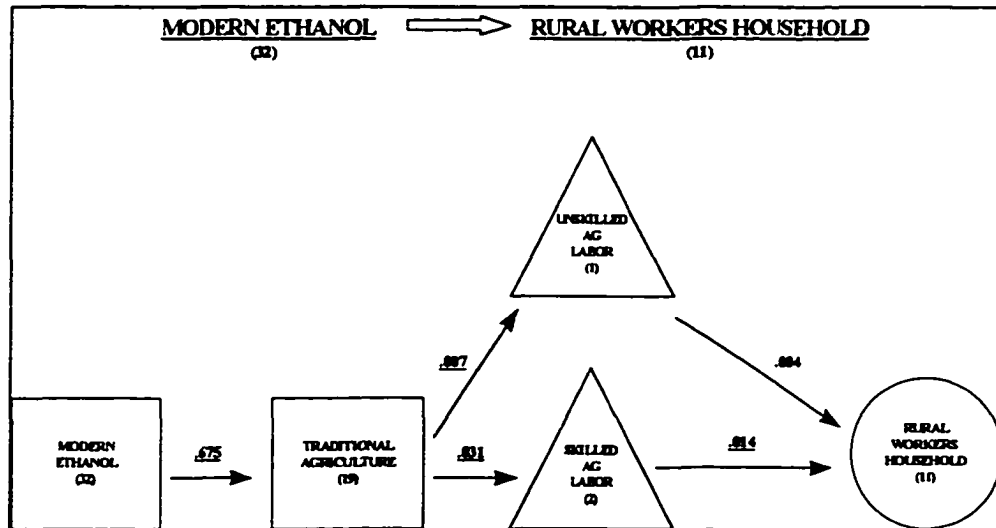


FIGURE 27. INCOME EFFECTS OF MODERN ETHANOL SECTOR ON POOREST RURAL HOUSEHOLDS.



Figures 28 and 29 provide the modern and traditional ethanol technology effects on the income of the poorest urban household: the poorest urban workers. Figures 28 and 29 show that ethanol production and the household income of the urban non-organized workers are linked via unskilled and skilled agriculture labor as well as non-agriculture capital.

Comparing figures 28 and 29 indicates that the traditional ethanol technology generates significantly more income to unskilled agriculture labor (.073 Cr\$) and skilled agriculture labor (.052 Cr\$) than the modern ethanol technology income to unskilled agriculture labor (.021 Cr\$) and skilled agriculture labor (.025 Cr\$). This finding is explained by differences in labor costs between traditional and modern ethanol technologies due to location. Wages in the northeast associated with the traditional ethanol sector are significantly higher than wages in the center south associated with the modern ethanol sector. Further inspection of the SPA diagram shows that the households of the urban non-organized workers receive more income from the traditional ethanol technique via unskilled agriculture labor (.039 Cr\$) and skilled agriculture labor (.017 Cr\$) than from the modern ethanol technique via unskilled agriculture labor (.011 Cr\$) and skilled agriculture labor (.008 Cr\$). While the modern ethanol technology generates more non-agriculture capital (.141 Cr\$) than the traditional ethanol technology (.127 Cr\$), both ethanol technologies raise the same amount of non-agriculture capital which gets distributed to the urban non-

organized workers households (.002 Cr\$). Interestingly, ethanol production and the poorest urban households have an additional link via non-agriculture capital that the poorest rural households do not have.

FIGURE 28. INCOME EFFECTS OF TRADITIONAL ETHANOL SECTOR ON POOREST URBAN HOUSEHOLDS.

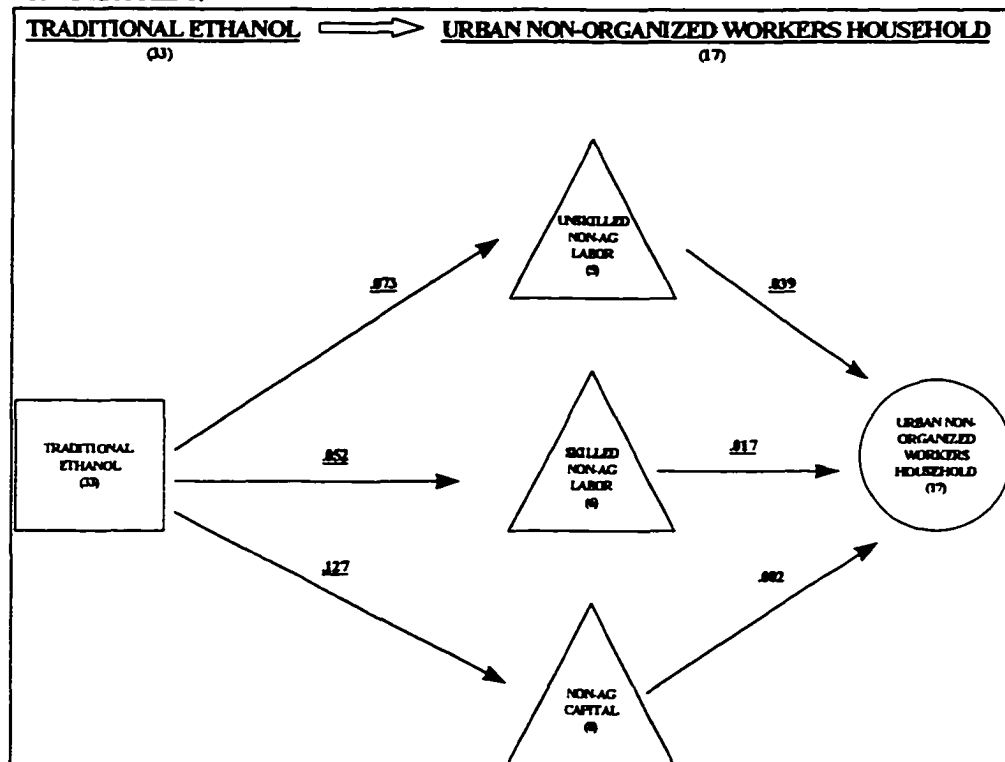
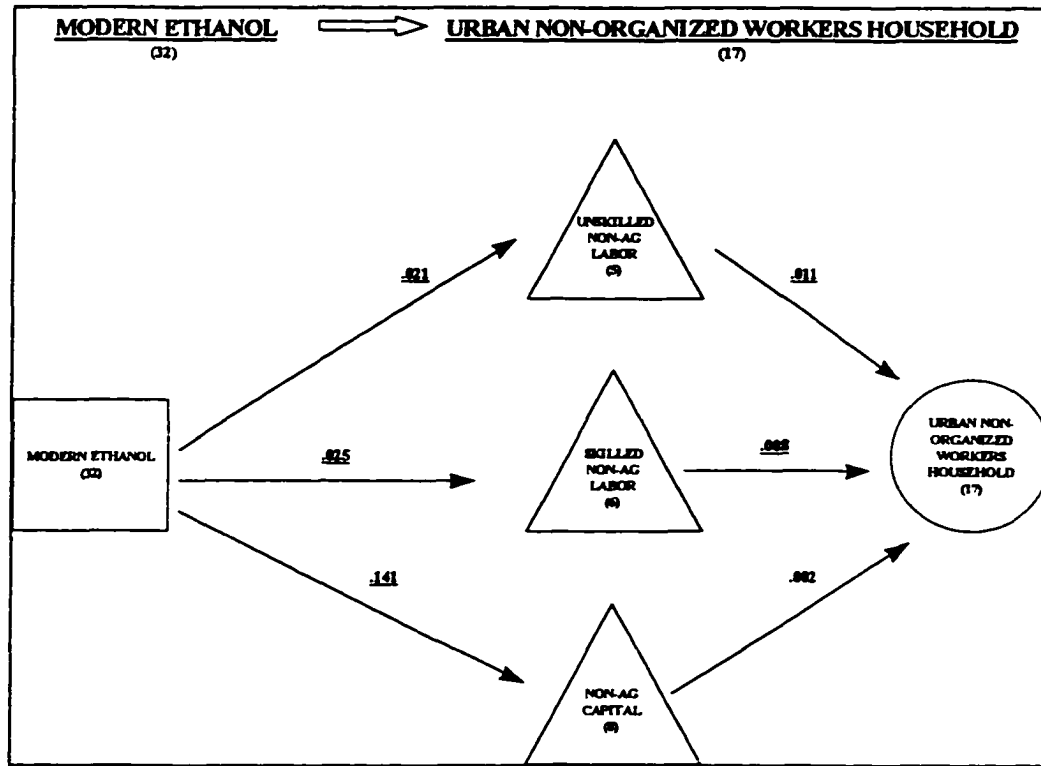


FIGURE 29. INCOME EFFECTS OF MODERN ETHANOL SECTOR ON POOREST URBAN HOUSEHOLDS.



C1.3. Household Income and Production Activities

Table 32 details the household income from different production activities. A comparison of the household income of the production activities shows that the agriculture and manufacturing labor-intensive technologies generate more total household income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The traditional agriculture sector provides more income to rural households and to rural

households in poverty than the export agriculture sector. Conversely, the export agriculture sector generates more income to urban households and more income to

Table 32. Production activities and household income (Cr\$).

		Ag- Export	Ag- Trad	Cons- Dur	Con- ND	Financial	Public	Private
		K	L	K	L	K	K	L
Rural Capitalists	HH1	192	319	94	126	50	69	70
Rural Sm. Producers	HH2	117	196	60	84	32	45	45
Rural Workers/Ten. Farmers	HH3	27	44	17	25	9	13	13
Rural Mgrs./Prof.	HH4	31	56	16	22	9	12	12
Urban Capitalists	HH5	400	332	441	438	495	394	412
Urban Mgrs./Prof.	HH6	167	138	188	178	178	236	181
Urban Sm. Producers	HH7	372	308	411	406	440	413	394
Urban Organized Workers.	HH8	215	177	242	231	200	372	258
Urban Non-Organized Wkrs	HH9	201	165	225	214	182	358	242
Total Household Income		1721	1734	1694	1723	1594	1912	1628
Total Rural Income		367	615	187	257	100	139	141
Rural HH in Poverty	HH 3,4	58	100	33	47	18	25	25
Total Urban Income		1355	1119	1506	1466	1495	1773	1487
Urban HH in Poverty	HH 8,9	416	342	466	445	382	730	500

Source: Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix.

urban households in poverty. The non-durable consumer goods sector produces more income to rural households and rural households in poverty than the durable consumer goods sector. The durable consumer goods sector generates more urban household income and more income to urban households in poverty than the non-

durable consumer goods sector. Examination of the service sectors reveals that the public services sector returns the most total household income, the most total urban household income, and the most income to urban households in poverty. The private services sector provides the most income to rural households of the service sectors. The public and private service sectors provides the same income to rural households in poverty which is greater than the financial services sector.

The economic sector which raises the most household income is the service sector followed by the agriculture and manufacturing sectors. The labor-intensive technologies generate more total household income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies in two of the three economic sectors: agriculture and manufacturing. The capital-intensive service sector provides more household income than the comparative labor-intensive service sector technology. Interestingly, the labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors contribute more to rural households than the comparative capital-intensive technologies.

C.1.4. SPA of Poorest Household Income of the Production Activities

SPA is applied to assess the direct and indirect effects of an exogenous increase in the production activities of the agriculture, manufacturing, and services sectors on the household income of the poorest households: rural workers/tenant

farmers and urban non-organized labor. It can be seen from Table 33 that in some cases the indirect effects are greater than the direct effects.

Table 33 includes the following poles: 18-export agriculture; 24-consumer non-durable goods sector; 11-rural workers household.

Table 33. Effect of select production activities on the poorest rural household incomes.

Path	Global Effect	Direct Effect	Path Mult	Total Effect	% of Global	Cum %
18, 1, 11	0.029	0.004	1.247	0.004	15.6	15.6
18, 2, 11		0.006	1.255	0.007	24.9	40.5
19, 1, 11	0.046	0.007	1.234	0.008	17.6	17.6
19, 2, 11		0.021	1.239	0.027	58	75.6
24, 19, 2, 11	0.027	0.001	2.148	0.003	10.2	10.2
24, 20, 1, 11		0.002	1.968	0.004	14.8	25
24, 20, 2, 11		0.004	1.971	0.008	30.9	55.9

Table 33 considers only the global influence of the production activities on rural households. Of the seven production activities, only the traditional and export agriculture sectors and consumer non-durable goods sector have any significant effect on the household incomes of rural workers/tenant farmers. The global influence of an exogenous increase in export and traditional agriculture is (.029 Cr\$) [path 18,1,11] and (.046 Cr\$) [path 19,1,11], respectively. The proportion of the direct effects of rural workers household income from unskilled agriculture labor accounts for export agriculture is 15.6% [path 18,1,11]; whereas, the indirect effect of rural workers household income from skilled agriculture labor is 24.9% [path 18,2,11]. The

proportion of the direct effects for traditional agriculture from unskilled agriculture labor is 17.6% [path 19,1,11]; while the indirect effects from skilled agriculture labor account for 58% [path 19,2,11]. The indirect effects of household income of rural workers/tenant farmers is particularly affected by the labor income of skilled agriculture workers. An exogenous increase in the production of non-durable consumer goods also increases the household income of rural workers/tenant farmers. The global influence is (.027 Cr\$) [path 24,19,2,11] with the proportion of direct effects accounting for 10.2% [path 24,19,2,11]; the indirect effects equal 45.7% [14.8% (path 24,20,1,11) + 30.9% (path 24,20,2,11)]. SPA indicates that the traditional agriculture sector and consumer non-durable goods sector (the labor-intensive technologies) increase household income for rural workers/tenant farmers more than the export agriculture sector or consumer durable goods sector (capital-intensive technologies). This is due to the minimal linkages that the capital-intensive technologies have with the unskilled and skilled agriculture labor.

Figures 30 and 31 diagram the effects of the traditional agriculture sector and the export agriculture sector on the income of the poorest rural household income: the rural workers. Figure 30 shows that the traditional agriculture sector and rural workers household income are linked via unskilled agriculture labor and skilled agriculture labor. Figure 30 indicates that the traditional agriculture sector pays unskilled agriculture labor (.01 Cr\$) of which a portion (.007 Cr\$) is passed on to the

FIGURE 30. INCOME EFFECTS OF TRADITIONAL AGRICULTURE SECTOR ON POOREST RURAL HOUSEHOLDS.

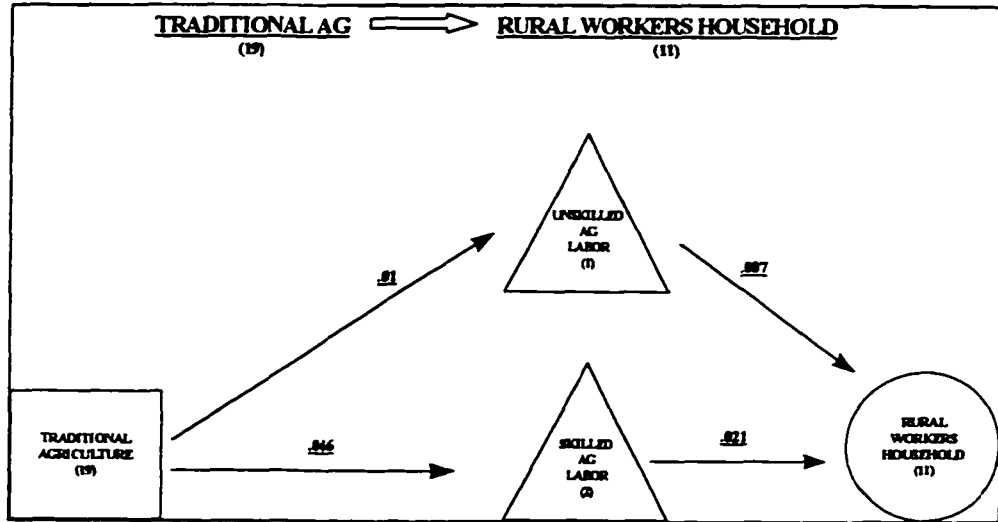
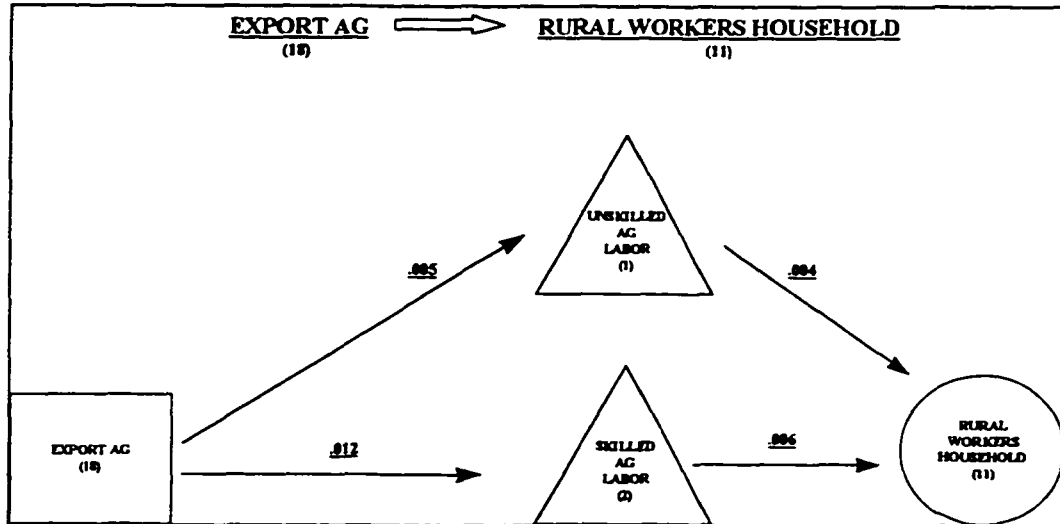


FIGURE 31. INCOME EFFECTS OF MODERN AGRICULTURE SECTOR ON THE POOREST RURAL HOUSEHOLDS.



rural workers household income. The traditional agriculture sector pays skilled agriculture labor (.046 Cr\$) of which a portion (.021 Cr\$) is passed on to the rural workers household income. Figure 31 indicates that the export agriculture sector pays unskilled agriculture labor (.005 Cr\$) of which a portion (.004 Cr\$) is passed on to the rural workers household income. The export agriculture sector pays skilled agriculture labor (.012 Cr\$) of which a portion (.006 Cr\$) is passed on to the rural workers household income. The traditional agriculture sector provides significantly more income to the poorest rural households than the export agriculture sector.

Table 34 includes the following sectors: 18-export agriculture; 19 traditional agriculture; 23-durable consumer goods; 24-non-durable consumer goods; 40-financial/commercial services; 43-public services; and 44-private services.

Table 34. Effect of select production activities on poorest urban household incomes.

Path	Global Effect	Direct Effect	Path Mult	Total Effect	% of Global	Cum %
18, 45, 17	0.197	0.011	4.595	0.05	25.4	25.4
19, 45, 17	0.162	0.005	4.877	0.024	14.9	14.9
23, 5, 17	0.221	0.011	1.653	0.018	8	8
24, 6, 17	0.211	0.008	2.163	0.018	8.5	17
40, 5, 17	0.179	0.015	2.575	0.04	22.2	22.2
43, 5, 17	0.355	0.12	1.293	0.155	43.8	43.8
44, 5, 17	0.239	0.05	1.425	0.071	29.8	29.8

Table 34 shows that the global influence of an exogenous increase in the production of agriculture, manufacturing, and services on the household income of

urban non-organized labor is greater with the capital-intensive technology than the labor-intensive technology. Comparing the export and traditional agriculture sectors reveals that the global influence of an exogenous increase in the export agriculture sector on the household income of urban non-organized labor is greater than the traditional agriculture sector (.197 Cr\$) [path 18,45,17] vs. (.162 Cr\$) [path 19,45,17]. The global influence for the consumer durable goods sector is greater than the non-durable goods sector (.221 Cr\$) [path 23,5,17] vs. (.211 Cr\$) [path 24,6,17]. Analysis of the service sectors shows that the global influence of the public services sector ranks first for urban household income to non-organized labor and is (.355 Cr\$) [path 43,5,17], followed by private services (.239 Cr\$) [path 44,5,17], and financial/commercial services (.179 Cr\$) [path 40,5,17]. The poorest urban households receive more income from the capital-intensive technology in the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors than the comparative labor-intensive technologies.

Figures 32 and 33 diagram the income effects of the non-durable consumer goods sector and the durable consumer goods sector on the poorest urban household income: the urban non-organized workers. Figure 32 shows that the non-durable consumer goods sector and urban non-organized workers household income are linked via unskilled non-agriculture labor, skilled non-agriculture labor, and non-agriculture capital. An indirect link between the non-durable goods sector and the

urban non-organized workers household is the intermediate goods sector via unskilled non-agriculture labor. Figure 32 indicates that the non-durable consumer goods sector directly pays: a) unskilled non-agriculture labor (.016 Cr\$) of which a portion (.008 Cr\$) is passed on to the urban non-organized workers household income; b) skilled non-agriculture labor (.025 Cr\$) of which a portion (.008 Cr\$) is passed on to the urban non-organized workers household income; and c) non-agriculture capital (.104 Cr\$) of which a portion (.002 Cr\$) is passed on to the urban non-organized workers household income. The non-durable consumer goods sector

FIGURE 32. INCOME EFFECTS OF NON-DURABLE GOODS SECTOR ON THE POOREST URBAN HOUSEHOLDS.

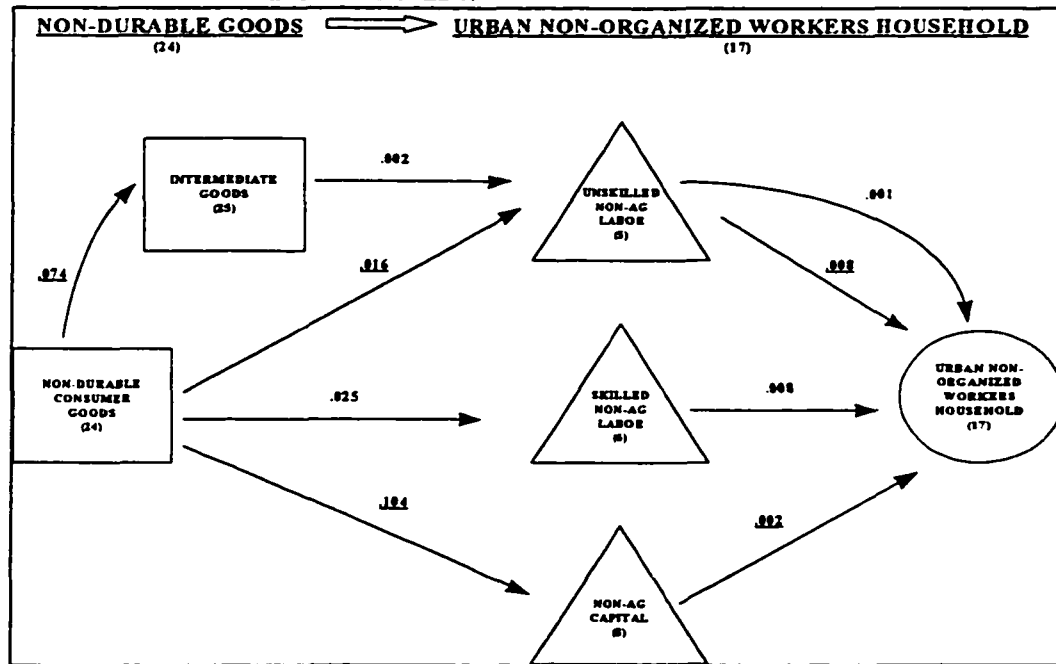
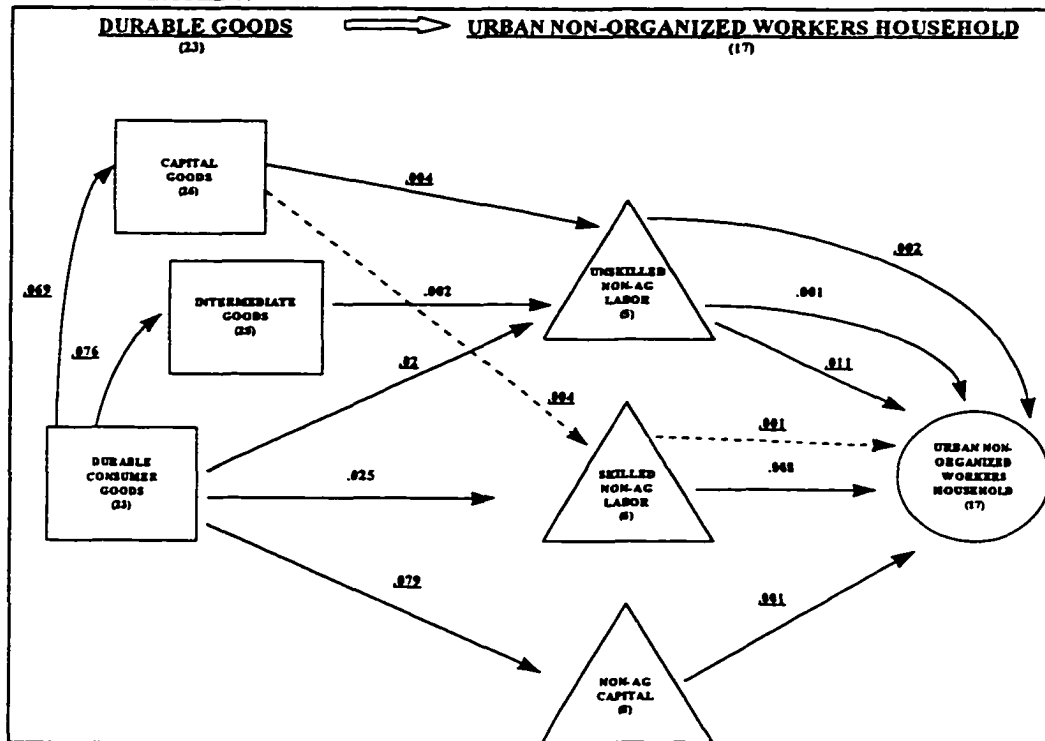


FIGURE 33. INCOME EFFECTS OF DURABLE GOODS SECTOR ON POOREST URBAN HOUSEHOLDS.



is indirectly linked to the urban non-organized workers household income via the intermediate goods sector. The non-durable goods sector pays the intermediate goods sector (.074 Cr\$) of which (.002 Cr\$) is paid to unskilled non-agriculture labor of which (.001 Cr\$) is passed on to urban non-organized workers household income. Figure 33 indicates that the durable goods sector has an additional path (the capital goods sector) which the non-durable goods sector does not have. This additional link means that unskilled non-agriculture labor and skilled non-agriculture labor receive

additional income which is in turn distributed to the poorest urban household. Figure 33 indicates that the durable consumer goods sector directly pays: a) unskilled non-agriculture labor (.02 Cr\$) of which a portion (.011 Cr\$) is passed on to the urban non-organized workers household income; b) skilled non-agriculture labor (.025 Cr\$) of which a portion (.008 Cr\$) is passed on to the urban non-organized workers household income; and c) non-agriculture capital (.079 Cr\$) of which a portion (.001 Cr\$) is passed on to the urban non-organized workers household income. The durable consumer goods sector is indirectly linked to the urban non-organized workers household income via the intermediate goods sector and the capital goods sector. The durable goods sector pays the intermediate goods sector (.076 Cr\$) of which (.002 Cr\$) is paid to unskilled non-agriculture labor of which (.001 Cr\$) is passed on to urban non-organized workers household income. The durable goods sector pays the capital goods sector (.069 Cr\$) of which (.004 Cr\$) is paid to unskilled non-agriculture labor of which (.002 Cr\$) is passed on to urban non-organized workers household income. In addition, the capital goods sector pays the skilled non-agriculture labor (.004 Cr\$) of which a portion (.001 Cr\$) is passed on to the income of the urban non-organized workers household. The urban non-organized workers household receives more income from the durable goods sector because of the additional indirect linkage to the capital goods sector which the non-durable goods sector does not have.

Hypothesis three is not accepted because the labor-intensive technologies do not always provide more household income than the capital-intensive technologies. The traditional ethanol sector provides the most household income, followed by the gasoline sector and modern ethanol sector. Contrary to expectations, the modern ethanol sector provides more income to all rural households and urban managers than the traditional ethanol sector. SPA shows that the modern ethanol sector generates more agriculture capital than the traditional ethanol sector and that it gets distributed to the rural households. Furthermore, agriculture capital is the source of greater rural household income. Interestingly, the traditional ethanol sector contributes more to the household incomes of urban small producers, urban organized labor, and urban non-organized labor than the modern ethanol sector. This is due to higher labor costs in the northeast associated with the traditional ethanol sector than the wages of the center-south associated with the modern ethanol sector.

The labor-intensive technologies generate more total household income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies in two of three economic sectors: agriculture and manufacturing. The capital-intensive service sector provides more household income than the comparative labor-intensive service sector technology. The traditional agriculture sector provides the most income to rural households and to rural households in poverty than the export agriculture sector. Conversely, the export agriculture sector generates more income to urban households and more

income to urban households in poverty. The non-durable consumer goods sector produces more income to rural households and rural households in poverty. The durable consumer goods sector generates more urban household income and more income to urban households in poverty. Examination of the service sectors indicates that the public services sector returns the most total household income, the most total urban household income, and the most income to urban households in poverty. The private services sector provides the most income to rural households of the service sectors. The public and private service sectors contribute the same income to rural households in poverty which is greater than the financial services sector.

The poorest rural households receive more household income from the labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. Meanwhile, the poorest urban households receive more income from the capital-intensive technologies. Diagramming the structural path analysis shows exactly how the economic sectors are linked to the factors of production, and in turn the linkages among the factors of production and households.

HYPOTHESIS FOUR: ENERGY SECTOR AND EMPLOYMENT, FACTOR INCOME, AND HOUSEHOLD INCOME

The ethanol industry would not have developed without government policies. The level of government support has decreased substantially. Government incentives and subsidies to the ethanol industry have benefited the ethanol producers and

consumers, particularly higher income households. At the same time, the alternative fuel industry has also positively affected the lower income households to the extent that these households have direct or indirect linkages with the ethanol sector. It is hypothesized that a decrease in government support of the ethanol industry will negatively affect employment within the energy sector and income distribution to the rural and urban households in poverty: rural workers, rural managers, urban organized labor, and urban non-organized labor. The employment aspects are tested as in hypothesis two and the income distribution aspects are tested as in hypothesis three.

D.1.1 Employment and the Energy Sector

The employment effects of reduced government support of the ethanol industry can be determined by knowing the physical labor input coefficients and fixed price multiplier matrix. Similar to hypothesis two, the impacts of an exogenous decrease in spending by the government sector on the energy sector employment are calculated by multiplying the cruzeiro amount of government reduction by the employment multiplier matrix. This number indicates the employment effects (jobs reduced) due to an exogenous reduction in government expenditures.

Table 35 presents the employment multipliers for the energy sector. An exogenous decrease in expenditures in the energy sector would result in significant job losses in the energy sector. A million cruzeiro decrease in the energy sector would

Table 35. Energy sector employment multipliers

Total Employment Multiplier - Energy Sector												
1000000	Coal	Bagasse	Kerosene	Oil	Gasoline	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T	Gas	Electricity	Fuelwood	Veg. Char	Other
	K	L	K	K	K	L	L	K	L	L	L	K
Export Agriculture	1.57	1.13	1.44	1.30	1.55	1.20	1.21	1.44	1.55	1.82	1.83	1.15
Trad. Agriculture	1.42	6.11	1.29	1.15	1.40	6.73	6.34	1.29	1.39	1.73	1.87	1.15
Livestock	0.39	0.37	0.36	0.31	0.39	0.39	0.40	0.35	0.38	0.44	0.44	0.38
Mineral Extraction	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Non-Mineral Ext.	0.38	0.18	0.13	0.12	0.63	0.11	0.11	0.43	0.65	0.46	0.38	0.58
Dur Goods	0.24	0.18	0.22	0.20	0.24	0.19	0.19	0.22	0.24	0.28	0.28	0.17
Non-Durable Goods	0.60	0.46	0.54	0.47	0.59	0.49	0.50	0.53	0.58	0.65	0.66	0.59
Intermediate Goods	0.58	0.44	0.52	0.46	0.57	0.48	0.48	0.52	0.57	0.65	0.66	0.55
Capital Goods	0.14	0.10	0.11	0.10	0.14	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.14	0.15	0.15	0.15
Coal	0.96	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01
Bagasse	0.01	0.72	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Kerosene	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oil	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.16	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.01
Gasoline	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ethanol-M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ethanol-T	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Gas	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.39	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Electricity	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.60	0.09	0.09	0.06
Fuelwood	0.68	0.51	0.62	0.56	0.67	0.54	0.54	0.62	0.67	8.72	0.80	0.47
Veg. Charcoal	0.34	0.25	0.31	0.28	0.34	0.26	0.26	0.31	0.33	0.39	8.32	0.24
Other	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	1.21
Civil Construction	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04
Fin./Com. Services	0.54	0.51	0.48	0.38	0.55	0.50	0.52	0.48	0.54	0.55	0.55	0.68
Commerce	0.39	0.36	0.34	0.27	0.38	0.34	0.37	0.34	0.37	0.38	0.38	0.39
Transport/Comm.	1.98	1.49	1.83	1.61	1.94	1.53	1.55	1.80	1.93	2.25	2.27	1.49
Public Services	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05
Private Services	1.33	1.27	1.13	0.96	1.33	1.29	1.30	1.17	1.28	1.33	1.34	1.24
Sum	12	14	10	9	11	15	14	10	11	20	20	11

Source: Employment Multiplier Matrix.

lead to an estimated reduction of 157 jobs. The ethanol sectors would account for 29 of the 157 jobs - or 18% of the energy jobs. Employment losses in the renewable energy sectors (modern ethanol-15, traditional ethanol-14, bagasse-14, electricity-11, fuelwood-20, and vegetable charcoal-20) are significantly higher than the employment in the non-renewable energy sources (coal-12, gasoline-11, kerosene-10, oil-9, gas-10, and, other-11). Examination of the employment matrix shows that even though the direct employment effects of some of non-renewable energy sectors are larger than the direct employment effects of some renewable energy sectors, the total employment associated with the renewable energy sectors are larger than the non-renewable energy sectors because of the indirect effects. For example, the coal sector's direct employment is .96 and total employment is 12; bagasse's direct employment is .72 and total employment is 14. It is the indirect employment effects of the renewable energy sectors that account for renewable energy's greater employment than those of the non-renewable energy sectors. The renewable energy sectors generate more total employment than the non-renewable energy sectors.

D.2.1. Factor Income and Energy Sector

The energy sector can be further analyzed. The fixed price multiplier sub-matrix M_{13} gives the factor income resulting from a change in the output of any energy sub-sector. Thus, the labor and capital income effects due to a change in the energy sector can be better understood.

Table 36 presents the energy sector factor income. Ranking the combined labor and capital incomes gives the following breakdown: traditional ethanol (1687 Cr\$), modern ethanol (1639 Cr\$), bagasse (1590 Cr\$), gasoline (1562 Cr\$), coal (1533 Cr\$), vegetable charcoal (1492 Cr\$), fuelwood (1477 Cr\$), electricity (1464 Cr\$), other (1368 Cr\$), gas (1357 Cr\$), kerosene (1315 Cr\$), and oil (1072 Cr\$). The ethanol industry generates the most factor income within the energy sector. The renewable energy sectors raise more total factor income than non-renewable energy sectors. Furthermore, renewable energy provides more agriculture labor and capital as well as more non-agriculture labor and capital than non-renewable energy.

Table 36 illustrates the effects of an exogenous change in the energy sector on factor incomes. It can be seen that the unskilled agriculture labor gains the most income from the ethanol sectors (each sector 12 Cr\$), followed by bagasse (11 Cr\$), and vegetable charcoal (7 Cr\$). Skilled agriculture labor also takes in the most income from the modern ethanol sector (49 Cr\$), followed by the traditional ethanol sector (47 Cr\$), and bagasse (45 Cr\$). Agriculture managers get the most income from the modern ethanol sector (5 Cr\$), followed by the traditional ethanol sector (4 Cr\$) and bagasse (4 Cr\$). Agriculture capital obtains the most return from the modern ethanol sector (403 Cr\$), followed by the traditional ethanol sector (383 Cr\$), and bagasse (367 Cr\$). The modern and traditional ethanol sectors generate

the most income to both agriculture labor and agriculture capital of all the energy sub-sectors.

Table 36. Energy sector and factor income (Cr\$).

SAM-TECH, Brazil, 1985, Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix												
1000												
	Coal	Bag.	Kero.	Oil	Gasol.	Eth-M	Eth-T	Gas	Elect.	Fuelwd	Veg	Other
	K	L	K	K	K	L	L	K	L	L	L	K
Unskilled Ag. Labor	6	11	5	5	6	12	12	5	5	6	7	5
Skilled Ag. Labor	19	45	17	15	19	49	47	17	18	22	23	16
Mgrs/Prof. Ag Labor	1	4	1	1	1	5	4	1	1	1	1	1
Ag Capital	131	367	120	107	129	403	383	119	129	155	163	107
Total ag labor & capital	157	427	143	127	155	469	445	143	154	185	194	130
Unskilled Non Ag. Labor	173	158	180	115	173	148	202	155	158	168	179	151
Skilled Non-Ag. Labor	197	172	195	130	220	167	196	188	203	201	203	191
Mgrs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	75	61	67	53	75	73	62	67	71	74	74	67
Non-Ag. Capital	932	772	731	647	940	782	782	806	879	849	841	828
Total non-ag labor & capital	1377	1162	1172	945	1408	1170	1242	1215	1311	1292	1298	1238
Total labor & capital.	1690	2017	1458	1199	1717	2107	2132	1500	1618	1662	1686	1497

Source: Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix.

Unskilled non-agriculture labor gains the most income from the traditional ethanol sector (202 Cr\$), followed by the kerosene sector (180 Cr\$), the gasoline sector (173 Cr\$), and the coal sector (173 Cr\$). Skilled non-agriculture labor obtained the most income from the gasoline sector (220 Cr\$), followed by the electricity and vegetable charcoal sectors (each 203 Cr\$), and the fuelwood sector (201 Cr\$). Non-agriculture managers received the most income from the gasoline and coal sectors (each 75 Cr\$), then fuelwood and vegetable charcoal (each 74 Cr\$). Non-agriculture capital gained the highest return from the gasoline sector (940 Cr\$),

followed by the coal sector (932 Cr\$), fuelwood sector (849 Cr\$), and vegetable charcoal sector (841 Cr\$). Interestingly, analysis of the non-agriculture labor and capital factor income accounts suggests that the gasoline sector provides the most income to non-agriculture capital, non-agriculture managers, and skilled non-agriculture labor.

D.2.2. SPA of Factor Income of the Energy Sector

Decomposition of the accounting multipliers i.e., the global influence from the energy sub-sectors poles to unskilled labor income, reveals some differences from the employment multipliers. While the employment multipliers for the renewable energy sub-sectors were significantly higher than those of the non-renewable energy sectors, the energy sub-sectors factor income received by unskilled workers differs considerably.

The poles in Table 37 includes: 28-bagasse, 32-modern ethanol, 33-traditional ethanol, 1-unskilled agriculture workers.

Table 37 presents the global influence of the energy sub-sectors on unskilled agriculture worker income. Only three sectors have a significant effect on unskilled agriculture labor income: the modern and ethanol sectors and the bagasse sector. The global influence of the modern ethanol sector is (.013 Cr\$) [path 33,1]; while the global influence is (.012 Cr\$) for the traditional ethanol sector [path 33,1] and (.012 Cr\$) for the bagasse sector [path 28,1]. These three renewable energy sectors

Table 37. Energy sector effects on unskilled non-agriculture labor income.

	Global	Direct	Path	Total	% of	Cum
Path	Effect	Effect	Mult	Effect	Global	%
28, 19, 1	0.012	0.003	2.156	0.007	63.3	63.3
32, 19, 1	0.013	0.007	1.226	0.008	64.6	64.6
33, 19, 1	0.012	0.006	1.226	0.008	61.9	61.9

increase the income to unskilled agriculture workers via the traditional agriculture sector. Renewable energy provides more labor income to unskilled agriculture workers than the non-renewable energy sectors.

Table 38 includes the following poles: 27-coal, 28-bagasse, 29-kerosene, 30-oil, 31-gasoline, 32-modern ethanol, 33-traditional ethanol, 34-gas, 35-electricity, 36-fuelwood, 37-vegetable charcoal, 38-other, 5-unskilled non-agriculture workers.

Table 38 presents the global influence of the energy sub-sectors on unskilled non-agriculture labor income. Table 38 ranks the global influence of the energy sub-sectors on unskilled non-agricultural labor income as follows: traditional ethanol technology (.195 Cr\$) [path 33,5], kerosene (.175 Cr\$) [path 29,5], vegetable charcoal (.173 Cr\$) [path 37,5], coal (.167 Cr\$) [path 31,5], gasoline (.167 Cr\$) [path 27,5], fuelwood (.162 Cr\$) [path 36,5], electricity (.153 Cr\$) [path 35,5], bagasse (.152 Cr\$) [path 28,5], gas (.149 Cr\$) [path 34,5], other (.147 Cr\$) [path 38,22,5], modern ethanol sector (.142 Cr\$) [path 32,5], and oil (.111 Cr\$) [path 30,5]. Renewable energy provides more income to unskilled non-agriculture workers than the non-renewable energy sectors.

Table 38. Energy sector effects on unskilled non-agriculture labor income.

Path	Global Effect	Direct Effect	Path Mult	Total Effect	% of Global	Cum %
27, 5	0.167	0.02	1.161	0.023	13.6	13.6
28, 5	0.152	0.02	2.015	0.04	26.1	26.1
29, 5	0.175	0.05	1.147	0.057	32.6	32.6
30, 5	0.111	0.002	1.256	0.003	2.3	2.3
30, 45, 24, 5		0.001	5.33	0.007	6.5	8.8
30, 45, 25, 5		0.002	6.759	0.016	14.5	23.3
30, 45, 42, 5		0.003	4.838	0.014	12.6	35.9
31, 5	0.167	0.015	1.165	0.017	10.3	10.3
32, 5	0.142	0.021	1.143	0.024	17.1	17.1
33, 5	0.195	0.073	1.143	0.083	42.7	42.7
34, 5	0.149	0.016	1.162	0.018	12.2	12.2
35, 5	0.153	0.002	1.32	0.003	2	2
35, 22, 5		0.012	1.339	0.016	10.5	12.5
35, 45, 24, 5		0.001	5.279	0.007	4.9	17.4
35, 45, 25, 5		0.002	6.695	0.017	10.8	28.2
35, 45, 42, 5		0.003	4.793	0.014	9.4	37.6
36, 5	0.162	0.002	1.249	0.003	1.8	1.8
37, 5	0.173	0.015	1.191	0.017	10.1	10.1
38, 22, 5	0.147	0.011	1.183	0.013	9.1	9.1

Further inspection of the SPA results shows that for several energy sub-sectors, the indirect effects on income to unskilled non-agricultural labor are greater than the direct effects. For example, the oil sector's direct labor income to non-agricultural workers is 2.3% [path 30,5], while the indirect effects via the non-durable consumer goods is 6.5% [path 30,45,24,5], intermediate goods sector 14.5% [path 30,45,25,5], and the transportation sector 12.6% [path 30,45,42,5]. The electricity sector's direct effect is 2% of the global influence [path 35,5], while the indirect effects are via the non-mineral sector 10.5% [path 35,22,5], consumer non-durable goods sector 4.9% [path 35,45,22,5], intermediate goods sector 10.8% [path

35,45,25,5], and the transportation sector 9.4% [35,45,42,5]. The indirect effects are also greater than the direct effects of an exogenous increase in the fuelwood sector on urban unskilled workers income. SPA suggests that if policy makers are interested in the effect of energy policy on unskilled workers, then investment in some energy sub-sectors may be more effective than others because of their intersectoral linkages. SPA reveals that the oil, electricity, fuelwood, and vegetable charcoal sectors have greater indirect effects than the direct effects of the coal, bagasse, kerosene, gasoline, modern and traditional ethanol sectors, gas, and the other energy sub-sectors on non-agricultural unskilled labor income.

D.3.1 Household Income and the Energy Sector

As stated in Hypothesis 3, M_{32} gives the household income distribution resulting from a change in output of any production activity. This hypothesis tests the effects of an exogenous decrease in government expenditures on the energy sector and subsequent household income effects.

Table 39 presents the energy sector household income. It can be seen that the following energy sub-sectors provide the most total household income: traditional ethanol (1775 Cr\$), vegetable charcoal (1737 Cr\$), gasoline (1732 Cr\$), modern ethanol (1723 Cr\$), fuelwood (1720 Cr\$), coal (1708 Cr\$), bagasse (1666 Cr\$), electricity (1644 Cr\$), gas (1527 Cr\$), kerosene (1496 Cr\$), other (1454 Cr\$), and oil (1240 Cr\$).

Table 39. Energy sector household income (Cr\$).

Energy Sector Household	Coal	Bagas	Keros.	Oil	Gasol.	Ethan-M	Ethan-T	Gas	Electr.	Fuelwd	Veg. Char	Other
1000	K	L	K	K	K	L	L	K	L	L	L	K
Rural Capitalists	89	214	82	73	88	234	223	82	88	106	110	71
Rural Sm. Prod.	58	132	53	47	57	145	138	53	57	68	71	46
Rural Workers	16	31	15	13	16	33	32	15	16	19	19	13
Rural Mgrs./Prof.	15	37	14	13	15	41	39	14	15	18	19	12
Urban Capitalists	464	374	375	334	466	381	382	406	441	444	441	395
Urban Mgrs./Prof.	185	147	158	134	185	162	151	164	176	184	184	157
Urban Sm. Prod.	426	347	356	306	432	351	361	377	409	414	413	366
Urban Organ. Lab.	236	199	229	166	247	195	230	218	232	243	249	206
U. Non-Organ. Lab.	218	186	214	154	225	181	219	200	211	224	231	188
Total income	1708	1666	1496	1240	1732	1723	1775	1527	1644	1720	1737	1454

Source: Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix

Therefore, a million cruzeiros decrease in the production of the modern ethanol sector is estimated to result in total decreased household income of (1723 Cr\$); the traditional ethanol sector is estimated to lose household income of (1775 Cr\$). A million cruzeiro decrease in the gasoline sector results in household income loss of (1732 Cr\$). These three sectors have among the highest household income multipliers in the entire economy. Therefore, reduced government support will significantly affect household income within the energy sector and the entire economy.

Renewable energy provides more rural and urban household income than the non-renewable energy sectors. The rural households receive (1904 Cr\$) from the renewable energy sectors, compared to (968 Cr\$) from the non-renewable energy

sector. The urban households obtain (8363 Cr\$) from renewable energy and (8187 Cr\$) from the non-renewable energy sectors. Rural households take in almost twice as much income from the renewable energy sectors than from non-renewable energy sectors. Urban households on the other hand receive only slightly more from the renewable energy than from the non-renewable energy sectors. For households in poverty, renewables raise rural incomes by (319 Cr\$) compared to (171 Cr\$) by the non-renewables. Renewable energy increases urban incomes by (2601 Cr\$) compared to (2502 Cr\$) by non-renewable energy sectors. Renewable energy significantly and positively contributes to household income in Brazil. Renewable energy sectors provide more household income to rural and urban households and to those households in poverty than the non-renewable energy sectors.

D.3.2 SPA of the Household Income of the Energy Sector

Table 40 shows the effect of a change in the production of the energy sector on the household income of rural unskilled workers and urban non-organized workers. The indirect effects of energy production on the poorest rural and urban household incomes, are often larger than the direct effects.

The poles in Table 40 include: 27-coal, 28-bagasse, 29-kerosene, 30-oil, 31-gasoline, 32-modern ethanol, 33-traditional ethanol, 34-gas, 35-electricity, 36-fuelwood, 37-vegetable charcoal, 38-other, 11-rural workers, 17-urban non-organized labor.

Table 40. Energy sector effects on incomes of poorest rural and urban households.

Path	Global Effect	Direct Effect	Path Mult	Total Effect	% of Global	Cum %
28, 19, 1, 11	0.032	0.002	2.172	0.005	15.3	15.3
28, 19, 2, 11		0.007	2.18	0.016	50.3	65.6
32, 19, 1, 11	0.035	0.004	1.235	0.005	15.6	15.6
32, 19, 2, 11		0.014	1.24	0.018	51.3	66.9
33, 19, 1, 11	0.034	0.004	1.235	0.005	15	15
33, 19, 2, 11		0.013	1.24	0.017	49.3	64.2
27, 5, 17	0.215	0.01	1.269	0.013	6.1	6.1
28, 5, 17	0.183	0.01	2.204	0.023	12.6	12.6
29, 5, 17	0.212	0.026	1.255	0.033	15.6	15.6
30, 5, 17	0.151	0.001	1.367	0.001	1	1
31, 5, 17	0.222	0.008	1.272	0.01	4.5	4.5
32, 5, 17	0.178	0.011	1.251	0.014	7.9	7.9
33, 5, 17	0.216	0.039	1.25	0.048	22.4	22.4
34, 5, 17	0.197	0.008	1.269	0.011	5.3	5.3
35, 5, 17	0.208	0.001	1.427	0.002	0.8	0.8
36, 5, 17	0.221	0.001	1.357	0.002	0.8	0.8
37, 5, 17	0.228	0.008	1.299	0.01	4.4	4.4
38, 22, 5, 17	0.187	0.006	1.286	0.008	4.1	4.1

SPA indicates that the indirect effects are greater than the direct effects on the household income to rural workers for the bagasse and ethanol sectors. For example, the proportion of the indirect effects of an exogenous decrease in the bagasse sector on the rural workers is 50.3% [path 28,19,2,11] via skilled agriculture labor, while the proportion of the direct effects is 15.3% [path 28,19,1,11] via unskilled agriculture labor. Examination of Table 40 reveals that for the poorest rural households, the indirect effects are greater than the direct effects for both the modern and traditional ethanol sectors.

Table 40 also presents the global influence of an exogenous decrease in the energy sector on the household income of urban non-organized workers. It suggests that the household income of urban non-organized workers will be most affected by a decrease in the following energy sub-sectors: vegetable charcoal (.228 Cr\$) [path 37,5,17], gasoline (.222 Cr\$) [path 31,5,17], fuelwood (.221 Cr\$) [path 36,5,17], traditional ethanol (.216 Cr\$) [path 33,5,17], coal (.215 Cr\$) [path 27,5,17], kerosene (.212 Cr\$) [path 29,5,17], electricity (.208 Cr\$) [path 35,5,17], gas (.197 Cr\$) [path 34,5,17], other (.187 Cr\$) [path 38,22,5,17], bagasse (.183 Cr\$) [path 28,5,17], modern ethanol (.178 Cr\$) [path 32,5,17], and oil (.151 Cr\$) [path 30,5,17]. Three of the top five energy sub-sectors that most affect the incomes of the poorest urban households are renewables (vegetable charcoal, fuelwood, and traditional ethanol) and could be a priority of industrial policies that affect urban households in poverty.

Hypothesis four is accepted because the renewable energy sectors provide relatively more employment, factor income, and household income effects of the energy sub-sectors. The renewable energy sectors provide more total employment than the non-renewable energy sectors. Renewable energy sectors are relatively more labor-intensive than the non-renewable energy sectors.

The energy sector affects agriculture and non-agriculture factor income differently. Unskilled and skilled agriculture labor receives the most income from the

ethanol sectors followed by bagasse and vegetable charcoal. The modern and traditional ethanol sectors provide the greatest income to both agriculture labor and agriculture capital of all the energy sub-sectors. The renewable energy sectors raise more factor income than the non-renewable energy sectors. Renewable energy generates more agriculture labor and agriculture capital income as well as more non-agriculture labor and non-agriculture capital income.

The energy sector's impact on household income is interesting. The traditional ethanol sector provides the most household income followed by the vegetable charcoal sector, gasoline sector, modern ethanol sector, coal sector, bagasse sector, electricity sector, gas sector, kerosene sector, and other sector.

Renewable energy provides more rural and urban household income than non-renewable energy. Rural households receive almost twice as much income from renewable energy sectors than from non-renewable energy sectors. Urban households on the other hand obtain only slightly more from the renewable energy than from the non-renewable energy sectors. Renewable energy significantly and positively contributes to household income in Brazil. Renewable energy sectors provide more household income to rural and urban households and to those households in poverty than non-renewable energy sectors.

HYPOTHESIS FIVE: TECHNOLOGY CHOICE AND CO₂ COSTS

In Brazil, the two major sources of carbon emissions are deforestation and the energy sector. The total carbon emissions are estimated to be approximately 256 million tons of carbon (MtC). Carbon emissions due to deforestation are not included in this analysis because of data limitations. Peer-reviewed studies exist which detail the energy sector carbon emissions. The energy sector emissions are estimated to be about 70 MtC. CO₂ emissions due to energy consumption and production were allocated to the following sectors: households (10%), agriculture (7.5%), industry (38%), energy (10.5%), transportation (33%), and services (1%).¹⁷¹

It is hypothesized that the adoption of labor-intensive technologies generates less CO₂ costs than capital-intensive technologies. The first part of the hypothesis ascertains the CO₂ costs of the energy sector. The second part of the hypothesis examines the CO₂ costs of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. Then energy consumption of these sectors is analyzed to determine which economic sectors are the more environmentally friendly.

Hypothesis five is accepted if the CO₂ costs of the ethanol sectors, traditional agriculture sector, non-durable consumer goods sector, and private services sector are less than those for the gasoline sector, export agriculture sector, durable

¹⁷¹Emilio La Rovere, "Scenarios for Mitigating Greenhouse Gases Emissions and

consumer goods sector, and the public services sector as well as the financial services sector. The hypothesis is rejected if the CO₂ costs of the labor-intensive technologies are greater than the capital-intensive technologies.

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Given that the transportation sector accounts for 33% of energy-related CO₂ emissions, an alternative to petroleum-based transportation fuel merits serious evaluation. It is hypothesized that the development of alternative renewable energy sources, particularly for motor vehicle transportation significantly decreases emissions that contribute to global warming and air pollution, i.e., the use of ethanol has significantly lower CO₂ emission costs than conventional gasoline.

The energy sector accounts for 10.5% of the total energy sector-related CO₂ costs. Table 41 ranks the energy sub-sectors from the lowest to the highest CO₂ costs: other (2223 Cr\$), bagasse (2303 Cr\$), modern ethanol (2431 Cr\$), traditional ethanol (2442 Cr\$), oil (2757 Cr\$), gas (3027 Cr\$), kerosene (3030 Cr\$), gasoline (3242 Cr\$), electricity (3251 Cr\$), coal (3279 Cr\$), fuelwood (3863 Cr\$), and vegetable charcoal (3884 Cr\$).

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greater linkages to the traditional agriculture sector and transportation sector. Gasoline CO₂ costs on the other hand, increase by (3242 Cr\$). The renewable energy sectors have a little higher CO₂ emissions costs than the non-renewable energy sectors. This is primarily due to the greater CO₂ emissions costs associated with the fuelwood and vegetable charcoal sectors. The hypothesis is not accepted.

Table 41. Energy sector carbon dioxide costs (Cr\$).

Energy Sub-Sectors	CO ₂ Cost
Other	2223
Bagasse	2303
Ethanol-M	2431
Ethanol-T	2442
Oil	2757
Gas	3027
Kerosene	3030
Gasoline	3242
Electricity	3251
Coal	3279
Fuelwood	3863
Vegetable Charcoal	3884

Source: Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix

E.1.2. SPA of CO₂ Costs and the Energy Sector

Table 42 presents the direct and indirect CO₂ costs associated with a 1000 Cr\$ increase in the production of each energy sub-sector. The accounting multipliers for the CO₂ costs associated with energy production are very large. Therefore, an analysis of the global influence is important. Decomposing the global influence of an exogenous increase in the production of energy on CO₂ costs shows that the direct

effects account for a high percentage of the global influence. With the exception of the other energy sub-sector, the direct effects account for 39% to 91% of the CO₂ costs associated with energy production. This finding suggests that the energy sector is directly responsible for the majority of the energy sector's total CO₂ costs.

The poles in Table 42 include: 27-coal, 28-bagasse, 29-kerosene, 30-oil, 31-gasoline, 32-modern ethanol, 33-traditional ethanol, 34-gas, 35-electricity, 36-fuelwood, 37-vegetable charcoal, 38-other, and 45-carbon dioxide.

Table 42. Global effects of energy production on carbon dioxide costs.

	Global	Direct	Path	Total	% of	Cum
Path	Effect	Effect	Mult	Effect	Global	%
27, 45	3.413	0.576	4.386	2.527	74	74
28, 19, 45	2.42	0.117	8.212	0.963	39.8	39.8
29, 45	3.147	0.576	4.384	2.526	80.3	80.3
30, 45	2.853	0.576	4.505	2.596	91	91
31, 45	3.378	0.576	4.388	2.528	74.8	74.8
32, 19, 45	2.55	0.229	4.675	1.069	41.9	41.9
33, 19, 45	2.567	0.212	4.675	0.99	38.6	38.6
34, 45	3.146	0.576	4.39	2.529	80.4	80.4
35, 45	3.379	0.602	4.466	2.691	79.6	79.6
36, 45	3.993	0.825	4.387	3.618	90.6	90.6
37, 45	4.018	0.825	4.386	3.617	90	90
38, 24, 45	2.365	0.096	5.02	0.481	20.4	20.4

E.2.1 CO₂ Costs and Production Activities

Economic sectors account for approximately 79.5% of total CO₂ costs.

Table 43 provides the CO₂ costs associated with the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors.

Table 43. CO₂ costs associated with select production activities (Cr\$).

K - Export Agriculture	3655
L - Traditional Agriculture	2682
K - Durable Consumer Goods	3447
L - Non-Dur. Consumer Goods	3306
K - Financial Services	1653
K - Public Services	2189
L - Private Services	2080

Source: Fixed Price Multiplier Matrix.

Table 43 shows that the service sectors have the lowest CO₂ costs followed by the agriculture sector, and the manufacturing sector. The traditional agriculture sector (2682 Cr\$) has lower CO₂ costs than the export agriculture sector (3655 Cr\$). The non-durable consumer goods sector (3306 Cr\$) has even lower CO₂ costs than the durable consumer goods sector (3447 Cr\$). The financial services sector (1653 Cr\$) has the lowest service sector CO₂ costs followed by the private services sector (2080 Cr\$) and the public services sector (2189 Cr\$).

Further inspection of the CO₂ costs and production activities reveals that the labor-intensive technologies have less CO₂ costs than the capital-intensive technologies. The traditional agriculture sector, the non-durable consumer goods sector, and the private services sector all have lower CO₂ costs than the export agriculture sector, the durable consumer goods sector, and the public services sector. It is not surprising that the service sectors have the lowest CO₂ costs while the manufacturing sector have the highest CO₂ costs.

E.2.2. SPA of CO₂ Costs and Production Activities

Table 44 includes the following poles: 18-export agriculture, 19-traditional agriculture, 23-durable consumer goods, 24-non-durable consumer goods, 40-financial/commercial services, 43-public services, 44-private services, and 45-carbon dioxide.

Table 44. Effects of select production activities on carbon dioxide costs.

	Global	Direct	Path	Total	% of	Cum
Path	Effect	Effect	Mult	Effect	Global	%
18, 45	3.779	0.751	4.398	3.304	87.4	87.4
19, 45	2.793	0.339	4.673	1.583	56.7	56.7
23, 45	3.579	0.565	4.739	2.677	74.8	74.8
24, 45	3.436	0.471	5.016	2.362	68.7	68.7
40, 45	1.781	0.018	8.665	0.157	8.8	8.8
43, 45	2.343	0.035	4.513	0.16	6.8	6.8
44, 18, 45	2.209	0.001	4.855	0.005	0.2	0.2
44, 19, 45		0.004	5.147	0.019	0.8	1.1
44, 23, 45		0.006	5.226	0.032	1.5	2.6
44, 24, 45		0.073	5.481	0.399	18.1	20.6
44, 25, 45		0.031	6.939	0.217	9.8	30.5
44, 26, 45		0.014	5.752	0.08	3.6	34.1
44, 35, 45		0.004	4.929	0.018	0.8	34.9
44, 42, 45		0.003	4.994	0.017	0.7	35.6
44, 5, 15, 45		0.001	5.353	0.006	0.3	35.9
44, 5, 16, 45		0.005	5.101	0.026	1.2	37.1
44, 5, 17, 45		0.007	5.07	0.036	1.6	38.7
44, 6, 15, 45		0.002	5.374	0.012	0.6	39.2
44, 6, 16, 45		0.007	5.107	0.034	1.5	40.8
44, 6, 17, 45		0.005	5.126	0.023	1.1	41.8
44, 7, 14, 45		0.004	4.928	0.019	0.9	42.7
44, 8, 13, 45		0.014	5.459	0.076	3.4	46.1
44, 8, 14, 45		0.002	5.498	0.012	0.6	46.7
44, 8, 15, 45		0.009	5.503	0.051	2.3	49
44, 24, 18, 45		0.005	5.491	0.025	1.1	50.2
44, 24, 19, 45		0.003	5.801	0.018	0.8	51
44, 24, 25, 45		0.004	7.812	0.034	1.5	52.5
44, 26, 25, 45		0.006	8.195	0.045	2	54.5

Table 44 shows that the SPA of the direct and indirect effects of the global influence of the agriculture, manufacturing, and services sectors on the costs of CO₂ has mixed results. The direct effects of an exogenous increase in the agriculture and the manufacturing sectors on CO₂ costs are greater than the combined indirect effects. The global influence of an exogenous increase in the export agriculture on CO₂ is (3.779 Cr\$) [path 18,45] and is significantly higher than that of the traditional agriculture (2.793 Cr\$) [path 45]. The accounting multiplier for the durable consumer goods sector is (3.579 Cr\$) [path 23,45] and is higher than the non-durable goods sector (3.436 Cr\$) [path 24,45]. The accounting multipliers for the services sectors are as follows: financial/commercial services (1.781 Cr\$) [path 40,45], public services (2.343 Cr\$) [path 43,45], and private services (2.209 Cr\$) [path 44,18,45]. Interestingly, the service sectors SPA results suggest that the indirect effects of the global influence of an exogenous increase in the production of financial/commercial services, public services, or private services on CO₂ costs are substantially higher than the direct effects. For example, path [44,18,45] indicates that the proportion of the direct effects of an exogenous increase on the private service sector is 0.2%, while the proportion of the indirect effects via the consumer non-durable goods is 18.1% [path 44,24,45] and the intermediate goods sector is 9.8% [path 44,25,45]. The service sectors have the lowest CO₂ costs compared to the agriculture, manufacturing, and energy sectors.

E.3.1 Energy Intensity of Production Activities

Fossil energy consumption is responsible for 70% to 90% of CO₂ emissions, the major greenhouse gas associated with global warming. Therefore, an analysis of the energy requirements of the different economic sectors is important to understand the linkage between production, energy consumption, and energy-related CO₂ emissions costs. In order to better understand the energy intensity of different production activities, the energy requirements of the agriculture, manufacturing, and services sectors were examined. The oil and electricity energy sub-sectors were selected as the conventional energy sources; the fuelwood sector was selected as the unconventional energy source. The purpose of this section is to determine whether or not the labor-intensive technologies consume more unconventional energy than the capital-intensive technologies; and to determine if capital-intensive technologies consume more conventional energy than the labor-intensive technologies.

Table 45 presents the conventional and unconventional energy consumption of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. The energy requirements of these sectors have ramifications for CO₂ emission costs due to the relationship between energy consumption and carbon emissions.

Table 45. Production activities consumption of select conventional and unconventional energy sources (Cr\$).

	Oil	Electricity	Fuelwood	Total
K - Export agriculture	108	170	97	375
L - Traditional agriculture	85	131	76	292
K - Durable consumer goods	101	166	90	357
L - Non-durable consumer goods	98	160	89	347
K - Financial/commercial services	51	86	44	181
K - Public services	70	138	59	267
L - Private services	64	111	56	231

Source: Fixed price multiplier matrix.

Table 45 indicates that in each case, the export agriculture, durable consumer goods, and the public services sectors consume more conventional and unconventional energy than the traditional agriculture, non-durable consumer goods, as well as the private services sector, and financial/commercial services sectors. The total energy requirement of the export agriculture sector is (375 Cr\$) and (292 Cr\$) for the traditional agriculture sector. The durable consumer goods sector spends (357 Cr\$) compared to (347 Cr\$) of the non-durable consumer goods sector. The public services sector had the greatest energy requirement, (267 Cr\$); followed by the private services sector, (231 Cr\$); and the financial services sector, (181 Cr\$).

The total energy requirements of the capital-intensive technologies are greater than those of the labor-intensive technologies. Furthermore, the manufacturing sector consumes the most total energy, followed by the agriculture and service sectors. The

manufacturing sector consumes the most fuelwood and oil. The service sectors consume the most electricity and the least oil and fuelwood.

E3.2. SPA of Energy Intensity and Production Activities

The accounting multipliers associated with an exogenous increase in the energy sector on CO₂ costs are so large that an understanding of the energy intensity of production activities is also very important. Therefore, an analysis was done on the SPA's global influence of an exogenous increase in agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors on the following energy sub-sectors: oil, electricity, and fuelwood.

Table 46 includes the following poles: 30-oil, 35-electricity, 36-fuelwood, 18-export agriculture, 19-traditional agriculture, 23-durable consumer goods, 24-non-durable consumer goods, 43-public services, 44-private services.

Table 46 presents the SPA effects of an increase in the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors on their energy consumption. The global influence of an exogenous increase in the export agriculture sector on the oil sector is (.112 Cr\$) [path 18,30] which is greater than an exogenous increase in the traditional agriculture sector on the oil sector (.089 Cr\$) [path 19,30]. The global influence of an exogenous increase in the export agriculture sector on electricity is (.182 Cr\$) [path 18,35]. This is greater than the exogenous increase in the traditional agriculture sector on the electricity sector (.143 Cr\$) [path 19,35]. The global influence of an

Table 46. Select production activities effects on select energy sub-sectors.

Path	Global Effect	Direct Effect	Path Mult	Total Effect	% of Global	Cum %
18, 30	0.112	0.003	1.344	0.003	3.1	3.1
19, 30	0.089	0.006	1.339	0.008	8.6	8.6
23, 45, 30	0.105	0.011	4.87	0.053	50.8	50.8
24, 45, 30	0.102	0.009	5.155	0.047	46	46
43, 30	0.074	0.002	1.164	0.002	2.4	2.4
44, 24, 45, 30	0.067	0.001	5.632	0.008	11.8	11.8
18, 35	0.182	0.002	1.409	0.003	1.5	1.5
19, 35	0.143	0.004	1.408	0.005	3.5	3.5
23, 35	0.178	0.004	1.582	0.007	3.9	3.9
24, 35	0.172	0.004	2.113	0.008	4.7	4.7
43, 35	0.151	0.025	1.231	0.03	20.1	20.1
44, 35	0.123	0.006	1.394	0.008	6.7	6.7
18, 36	0.104	0.003	1.334	0.003	3.3	3.3
19, 36	0.084	0.005	1.33	0.007	8.2	8.2
23, 45, 36	0.096	0.013	4.742	0.063	65.6	65.6
24, 36	0.096	0.002	2.03	0.003	3.4	3.4
44, 24, 45, 36	0.062	0.002	5.484	0.009	15.1	15.1

exogenous increase in the export agriculture sector on the fuelwood sector is (.104 Cr\$) [path 18,36] and is greater than the global effect of an exogenous increase in the traditional agriculture sector on fuelwood sector (.084 Cr\$) [path 19,36]. This suggests that for the agriculture sector, the modern technology has a higher energy intensity than the traditional technology.

The global influence of the consumer durable goods sector on oil is (.105 Cr\$) [path 23,45,30] and electricity (.178 Cr\$) [path 23,35]. These are greater than the global influence of an increase in the consumer non-durable goods sector on oil (.102 Cr\$) [path 24,45,30] and electricity (.172 Cr\$) [path 23,45]. The global

influence of an exogenous increase in either the consumer durable goods sector or consumer non-durable goods sector results in an increase in the fuelwood sector of (.096 Cr\$) [path 23,45,36 and path 24,36]. This suggests that the consumer durable goods sector has a little higher energy intensity than the non-durable consumer goods sector.

The public and private service sectors utilize oil, electricity, and fuelwood. The global influence of an exogenous increase in the public services sector on oil is (.074 Cr\$) [path 43,30] and is greater than the private services sector (.067 Cr\$) [path 44,30]. The global influence of an exogenous increase in the public services sector on the electricity sector is (.151 Cr\$) [path 43,35] which is greater than the global influence of an exogenous increase in the private services sector on the electricity sector (.123 Cr\$) [path 44,35]. Only the public services sector utilizes fuelwood (.062 Cr\$) [path 44,24,45,36]. The public services sector consumes more energy than the private services sector.

These findings suggest that the relatively labor-intensive technologies have lower energy intensities than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The traditional agriculture sector is more energy efficient than the export agriculture sector. The consumer non-durable goods sector is more efficient than the durable consumer goods sector. Finally, the financial/commercial services sector is more energy efficient than the private services sector which is more efficient than the public

services sector. Comparing the economic sectors, demonstrates that the service industry is the most energy efficient, followed by agriculture, and manufacturing.

Hypothesis five is accepted because the CO₂ costs associated with most labor-intensive technologies are lower than the comparable capital-intensive technologies. CO₂ costs of the ethanol sectors are lower than those of the gasoline sector. The traditional ethanol sector has slightly higher CO₂ costs than the modern ethanol sector. This is due to the traditional ethanol sector's indirect effects. The renewable energy sectors have higher CO₂ costs than the non-renewable energy sectors because of the greater CO₂ costs associated with the fuelwood and vegetable charcoal sectors.

The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors have lower CO₂ costs than the comparative capital-intensive technologies; however, the capital-intensive technique of the service sectors has lower CO₂ costs than its comparative labor-intensive technique. An increase in the production of export agriculture sector has higher CO₂ costs higher than the traditional agriculture sector. The durable consumer goods sector has significantly higher CO₂ costs than the non-durable goods sector. The private services sector has greater CO₂ costs than the public services sector; however, the financial/commercial services sector has the lowest CO₂ costs. The services sectors have the lowest CO₂ costs followed by the agriculture, manufacturing, and energy sectors.

The energy requirements of the agriculture, manufacturing, and services sectors were examined to better understand the linkage between production, energy consumption, and energy-related CO₂ emissions costs. The oil and electricity energy sub-sectors were selected as the conventional energy sources; whereas, the fuelwood sector was selected as the unconventional energy source. The labor-intensive technologies consume less unconventional and conventional energy than the capital-intensive technologies. The traditional agriculture sector is more energy efficient than the export agriculture sector. The consumer non-durable goods sector is more efficient than the consumer durable goods sector. The financial/commercial services sector is more energy efficient than either the private or public services sectors. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors are more energy efficient than the comparative capital-intensive technologies.

CONCLUSION

Hypothesis one examined the effect of technology choice on employment. First, the two ethanol sectors were analyzed to determine which production technique provides the most employment. It was found that the employment multipliers for the modern ethanol sector were very slightly higher than the traditional ethanol sector (14.49 vs. 14.38) and that both ethanol sectors were higher than the gasoline sector (11.01). The ethanol sectors employ nearly three times more people than the gasoline sector.

The employment multipliers for the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors were also computed. The export agriculture sector employed more people than the traditional agriculture sector. The employment multiplier for the consumer non-durable goods sector was greater than that of the consumer durable goods sector. Finally, the private sector generates the most employment followed by the public service sector and the financial/commercial sector. The employment multipliers were the highest for the agriculture sectors followed by the manufacturing and service sectors. Interestingly, the labor-intensive technologies for the manufacturing and service sectors generated more employment than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive techniques employed more people in the agriculture and ethanol sectors. This is due to the export agriculture sector's greater direct and indirect employment effect than the traditional agriculture sector. The modern ethanol sector had more linkages to traditional agriculture and the transportation sectors than the traditional ethanol sector.

Hypothesis two investigated the effect of technology choice on factor income. It examined whether a labor-intensive technology generated more labor income than the capital-intensive technology. Several production activities were analyzed. A comparison of the two ethanol and gasoline sectors demonstrated that the ethanol sectors provided the most labor and capital income. Furthermore, the traditional ethanol sector contributed more combined labor and capital income than

the modern ethanol sector. However, the gasoline sector generated more labor income than the modern ethanol sector, but less than that of the traditional ethanol sector.

A comparison of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors revealed that the labor-intensive technology raised more labor and capital income than the capital-intensive technology. The traditional agriculture sector provided more total factor income than the export agriculture sector. Traditional agriculture produced more agriculture labor and agriculture capital income than the export agriculture sector. However, the export agriculture sector contributed more non-agriculture labor and non-agriculture capital income than the traditional agriculture sector. The consumer non-durable sector generated greater factor income than the consumer durable goods sector. Interestingly, the consumer non-durable goods sector provided more capital income and slightly less labor income than the durable consumer goods sector.

The capital-intensive technique of the service sectors generated more factor income than the labor-intensive technique. The public services sector produced greater total factor income than the financial services sector and the private sector. The public services sector provided the most labor income and the least capital income of the service sectors. The financial services sector contributed the most capital income and the least total factor income of the service sectors. The capital-

intensive technique of the service sector was the only case of a capital-intensive technology which netted more factor income than a labor-intensive technology.

While the labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors provide more total combined labor and capital factor income, an analysis of the agriculture and non-agriculture labor income showed interesting results. The labor-intensive technologies generated the most agriculture labor income in each of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. The capital-intensive technologies produced the most non-agriculture labor income in the agriculture and manufacturing sectors. The agriculture and manufacturing labor-intensive technologies generated more capital income than the capital-intensive technologies. This was due to the high return to agriculture capital income.

SPA was applied to observe the effects of an exogenous increase in the production of additional activities on the labor income of unskilled agriculture workers and unskilled non-agriculture workers. SPA demonstrated that the traditional and modern ethanol sectors produced the same income to unskilled agriculture workers. However, the traditional ethanol sector provided significantly more income to unskilled non-agriculture workers than the modern ethanol sector.

SPA revealed that the global influence of the traditional agriculture sector raised more income to unskilled agriculture workers than the export agriculture sector. However the export agriculture sector generated more income to unskilled

non-agriculture workers than the traditional agriculture sector. The consumer non-durable goods sector returned more income to unskilled agriculture labor than the consumer durable goods sector; whereas, the durable consumer goods sector provided more income to unskilled non-agriculture labor than the non-durable consumer goods sector. The public and private service sectors contributed more income to unskilled agriculture labor than the financial services sector. The public services sector provided the most income to unskilled non-agriculture income followed by the private services sector and the financial services sector. SPA also illustrated that the proportion of indirect effects were more important than the direct effects. In the manufacturing and services sectors, the indirect effects on unskilled workers income were larger than the direct effects.

The labor intensive technologies in the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors produced more labor income to unskilled agriculture workers than the comparative capital-intensive technology. However, the capital-intensive technologies of these sectors raised more labor income to unskilled non-agriculture workers. This suggests that labor-intensive technologies contribute more to rural unskilled workers and that capital-intensive technologies provide more to urban unskilled workers.

Hypothesis three investigated the effect of technology choice on household income. It was found that the traditional ethanol sector provided the most household

income, followed by the gasoline sector and modern ethanol sector. Two findings were surprising. First, the modern ethanol sector provided slightly more income to all rural households and urban managers than the traditional ethanol sector. Second, the traditional ethanol sector contributed more to household incomes of urban small producers, urban organized labor, and urban non-organized labor than the modern ethanol sector. The major reason that the modern ethanol sector generated more income to rural households, is due to the greater agriculture capital that the traditional agriculture sector generates, which is further distributed to the rural households. The modern ethanol sector purchased more from the traditional agriculture sector which was distributed to agricultural factors of production.

Urban small producers, urban organized workers, and urban non-organized workers households, received more income from the traditional ethanol sector than from the modern ethanol sector. SPA indicated that unskilled non-agriculture labor received three times more income, and that skilled non-agriculture labor received two times more income from the traditional ethanol sector than from the modern ethanol sector. This result was due to the higher labor costs associated with the traditional ethanol sector.

Comparing the household income of the production activities revealed that the agriculture and manufacturing labor-intensive technologies generated more total household income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The

traditional agriculture sector provided more income to rural households and to rural households in poverty than the export agriculture sector. Conversely, the export agriculture sector contributed more income to urban households and more income to urban households in poverty. The non-durable consumer goods sector produced more income to rural households and rural households in poverty. The durable consumer goods sector raised more urban household income and more income to urban households in poverty. Examination of the service sectors indicated that the public services sector returned the most total household income, the most total urban household income, and the most income to urban households in poverty. The private services sector provided the most income to rural households of the service sectors. The public and private service sectors provided the same income to rural households in poverty, and was greater than the financial services sector's contribution to rural households in poverty.

The economic sector which raised the most household income was the service sector followed by the agriculture and manufacturing sectors. The labor-intensive technologies generated more total household income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies in two of the three economic sectors: agriculture and manufacturing. Interestingly, in each of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors, the labor-intensive technologies generated more income to rural households than the capital-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive service sector provided

more household income than the comparative labor-intensive service sector technology.

SPA of an exogenous increase in the production of agriculture, manufacturing, and services sectors on the poorest rural and urban household incomes (i.e., the rural workers/tenant farmers household and urban non-organized workers household) was also done. SPA indicated that an exogenous increase in the production of traditional agriculture or consumer non-durable goods generated more household income for rural workers/tenant farmers than the export agriculture sector or the consumer durable goods sector. The labor-intensive sectors of the agriculture, and manufacturing industries contributed more income to rural households in poverty than the capital-intensive sectors of the agriculture and manufacturing industries.

Comparing export and traditional agriculture indicated that the export agriculture sector generated more urban non-organized workers household income than the traditional agriculture sector. The non-durable consumer goods sector provided slightly more household income to the urban non-organized workers than the durable consumer goods sector. Further analysis of the global influence for the manufacturing sectors revealed that the indirect effects of the non-durable consumer goods sector were two times greater than the indirect effects of the durable consumer goods sector on the urban household income of non-organized labor. This suggests that the non-durable consumer goods sector had significantly more linkages with

sectors affecting the urban household income of non-organized labor than the consumer durable goods sector. Analysis of the service sectors indicated that the public services sector generated the most urban household income to non-organized labor, followed by private services, and financial/commercial services. In addition, the capital-intensive technologies in each of the economic sectors studied generated more income to urban households in poverty.

Hypothesis four looked more closely at the energy sector. It examined the employment, household income, and factor income effects of the twelve energy sub-sectors. Ranking the employment multipliers of the energy sectors from the highest to the lowest gave the following order: fuelwood and vegetable charcoal, modern ethanol, traditional ethanol and bagasse, coal, electricity and other, kerosene, and oil. A few of the non-renewable energy sectors had larger direct employment effects than the renewable energy sector; however, the indirect effects of the renewable energy sectors were greater than those of the non-renewable energy sector. Thus, renewable energy sectors provided more employment than the non-renewable energy sectors and were relatively more labor-intensive than the non-renewable energy sectors.

The energy sub-sectors affected agriculture and non-agriculture factor income differently. Unskilled agriculture labor received the most income from the ethanol sectors followed by the bagasse and vegetable charcoal sectors. Skilled agriculture labor also received the most income from the modern ethanol sector, followed by the

traditional ethanol sector and bagasse sector. Agriculture managers obtained the most income from the modern ethanol sector followed by the traditional ethanol sector and bagasse sector. Agriculture capital received the most return from the modern ethanol sector followed by the traditional ethanol and bagasse sectors. The modern and traditional ethanol sectors provided the greatest income to both agriculture labor and agriculture capital of all the energy sub-sectors. The renewable energy sectors raised more factor income than the non-renewable energy sectors. Renewable energy also provided more agriculture labor and agriculture capital income as well as more non-agriculture labor and non-agriculture capital income.

The energy sub-sectors were also analyzed for their effects on non-agriculture factors of production. Unskilled non-agriculture labor received the most income from the traditional ethanol sector, followed by the kerosene sector, vegetable charcoal sector, and the gasoline and coal sectors. Skilled non-agriculture labor received the most income from the gasoline sector, followed by the electricity and vegetable charcoal sectors, and the fuelwood sector. Non-agriculture managers gained the most income from the gasoline and coal sectors, followed by the fuelwood and vegetable charcoal sectors, and the modern ethanol sector. Non-agriculture capital received the highest return from the gasoline sector, followed by the coal sector, electricity sector, and the fuelwood sector. Interestingly, analysis of the non-agriculture factor income accounts found that the gasoline sector provided the most

income to non-agriculture capital, non-agriculture managers, and skilled non-agriculture labor.

The energy sector's impact on household income was interesting. The traditional ethanol sector generated the most household income followed by the vegetable charcoal sector, gasoline sector, modern ethanol sector, fuelwood sector, coal sector, bagasse sector, electricity sector, gas sector, kerosene sector, other sector, and oil sector.

Renewable energy provided more rural and urban household income than non-renewable energy. Rural households gained almost twice as much household income from the renewable energy sectors than from the non-renewable energy sector. Urban households on the other hand receive only slightly more from the renewable energy than from the non-renewable energy sectors. For households in poverty renewables raised rural incomes almost one and a half times more than non-renewables; urban incomes increased slightly more by renewable energy than by non-renewable energy sectors. Renewable energy significantly and positively contributed to household income in Brazil, especially rural and urban households in poverty.

Hypothesis five considered the CO₂ costs associated with technology choice. Again the ethanol and gasoline sectors were compared. The analysis found that the traditional ethanol sector had slightly higher CO₂ costs than the modern ethanol sector. This is due to the traditional ethanol sector's greater indirect linkages to the

traditional agriculture sector and transportation sector. The gasoline sector had greater CO₂ costs than the ethanol sectors. Ranking the CO₂ costs of the energy sub-sectors from the lowest to the highest gave the following list: other, bagasse, modern ethanol, traditional ethanol, oil, gas, kerosene, gasoline, electricity, coal, fuelwood, and vegetable charcoal. The renewable energy sectors had higher CO₂ costs than the non-renewable energy sectors, because of the greater CO₂ emissions costs associated with the fuelwood and vegetable charcoal sectors.

An increase in the production of export agriculture sector had higher CO₂ costs than those of the traditional agriculture sector. The durable consumer goods sector had significantly higher CO₂ costs than the non-durable goods sector. The private services sector had greater CO₂ costs than the public services sector. However, the financial/commercial services sector had the lowest CO₂ costs. Interestingly, SPA of the service sectors revealed that the indirect effects of the global influence of an exogenous increase in the production of the services sectors on CO₂ costs were substantially greater than the direct effects. The service sectors had the lowest CO₂ costs compared to the agriculture, manufacturing, and the energy sectors. Interestingly the labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors had lower CO₂ costs than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. However, the capital-intensive technique of the service industry's had lower CO₂ costs than the labor-intensive technique.

An additional analysis was done because fossil energy consumption is responsible for 70% to 90% of CO₂ emissions, the major greenhouse gas associated with global warming. Therefore, energy intensities of the different economic sectors were analyzed to better understand the linkage between production, energy consumption, and energy-related CO₂ emissions costs. The energy requirements of the agriculture, manufacturing, and services sectors were examined. The oil and electricity energy sub-sectors were selected as the conventional energy sources; the fuelwood sector was selected as the unconventional energy source. In each sector studied, it was determined that the labor-intensive technologies consume less unconventional and conventional energy than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The traditional agriculture sector was more energy efficient than the export agriculture sector. The consumer non-durable goods sector was more efficient than the consumer durable goods sector. The financial/commercial services sector was more energy efficient than either the private or public services sectors. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors were more energy efficient than the comparative capital-intensive technologies.

It is clear from the analyses performed that labor-intensive technologies and the ethanol industry contribute significantly to Brazil's socioeconomic development in

terms of employment generation. They also help in alleviating regional factor and household income disparities and environmental costs associated with carbon dioxide.

CHAPTER EIGHT

CONCLUSION

The overall objective of this research was to assess the extent to which technology choice has affected socioeconomic development. The research initially focused on Brazil's fuel ethanol program because it is the world's most extensive alternative fuel program. It was intriguing because the ethanol program has important implications for energy, environmental, and development planning. In addition, it was not the result of a technology transfer, but rather the effort of a newly industrialized country to develop an indigenous and renewable gasoline substitute. The research used the social accounting matrix modeling methodology which permitted an expansion of the analysis to include comparative technologies in the production of energy, agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors. These extensions allowed a more comprehensive assessment of the effects of technology choice on employment, income distribution, and the environment.

This research measured the direct and indirect impacts of the energy, agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors on Brazil's socioeconomic development. Two ethanol production technologies and the gasoline sector were compared. In addition, labor-intensive and capital-intensive technologies were also analyzed in the production of agriculture, energy,

manufacturing, and services sectors to capture any differences due to technology choice. Growth in the economic sectors was examined to determine its effects on employment, labor and capital income, household income, carbon dioxide costs, and energy intensity. Because poverty alleviation was of concern, additional analyses were done. The income effects resulting from growth in the economic sectors to unskilled agriculture labor, unskilled non-agriculture labor, and rural and urban households in poverty were measured. The research findings suggests that significant differences exist in the employment, labor and household income, environmental and energy effects due to technology choice. Section one presents the key findings. Section two discusses the contributions to the literature. Section three presents the policy implications of this research.

SECTION ONE: MAJOR RESEARCH FINDINGS

The employment, factor income, household income, environment, and energy intensity research findings are summarized in Table 47 and Table 48. Table 47 presents the economic sector results. Table 48 provides the energy sector results. The key findings are divided into three sections: the ethanol/gasoline comparison, energy sector comparisons, and economic sector comparisons.

Table 47. Summary of Economic Sector Effects (Cr\$)

		Gasoline	Ethanol	Ethanol	Ag	Ag	Cons. Goods	Cons. Goods	Financial	Public	Private
			Modern	Traditional	Export	Traditional	Durable	Non-Durable	Services	Services	Services
			K	L	K	L	K	L	K	K	L
Employment		11.01	14.49	14.38	19.2	16.43	12.03	12.87	8.48	10.97	12.89
Factor Income		1562	1639	1687	1502	1620	1493	1543	1603	1828	1563
Capital Income		1069	1185	1165	1069	1202	1005	1066	1180	933	985
Labor Income		493	453	522	433	418	488	478	423	895	578
Agriculture Labor Income		25	65	63	46	88	27	44	15	21	22
Non-Ag Labor Income		468	388	460	387	329	462	433	408	874	556
Ag. Unskilled Labor Income		6	12	12	12	16	6	10	3	5	5
Non-Ag. Unskilled Labor Income		173	148	202	151	129	180	167	155	374	224
Household Income											
Total Household Income		1732	1723	1775	1721	1734	1694	1723	1594	1912	1628
Total Rural Income		176	453	432	367	615	187	257	100	139	141
Total Urban Income		1556	1270	1343	1355	1119	1506	1466	1495	1773	1487
Rural HH in Poverty		31	74	71	58	100	33	47	18	25	25
Urban HH in Poverty		472	376	449	416	342	466	445	382	730	500
Environment											
CO2 emission costs		3242	2431	2442	3655	2682	3447	3306	1653	2189	2080
Total Energy Consumption		1469	1372	1374	525	406	502	487	258	367	
Total Fossil-Fuel Energy		1166	131	132	185	143	175	170	90	121	
Electricity		153	121	122	170	131	166	160	86	138	
Total Biomass		146	1116	1117	165	128	156	153	79	105	
Other Energy		4	3	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	
Total Non-Renewable		1170	134	136	189	147	179	174	92	124	
Total Renewable		299	1237	1239	335	259	322	314	166	243	

Table 48. Summary of Energy Sector Effects (Cr\$).

	Coal	Bagasse	Kerosene	Oil	Gasoline	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T	Gas	Electricity	Fuelwood	Veg. Char	Other	Total
	K	L	K	K	K	L	L	K	L	L	L	K	
Employment	11.77	14.27	9.65	8.53	11.01	14.49	14.38	10.25	11.39	20.09	20.20	10.64	157
													0
Factor Income													0
Total Factor Income	1533	1590	1315	1072	1562	1639	1687	1357	1464	1477	1492	1368	17556
Total Capital Income	1063	1139	850	754	1069	1185	1165	925	1008	1004	1004	936	12102
Total Labor Income	471	450	464	319	493	453	522	433	457	473	487	432	5454
Total Ag Labor	26	60	23	21	25	65	63	23	25	30	31	22	413
Total Non-Ag. Labor	445	391	441	298	468	388	460	409	432	444	456	409	5041
Ag. Unskilled Labor	6	11	5	5	6	12	12	5	5	6	7	5	84
Non-Ag. Unskilled Labor	173	158	180	115	173	148	202	155	158	168	179	151	1958
Household Income													
Total HH Income	1708	1666	1496	1240	1732	1723	1775	1527	1644	1720	1737	1454	19422
Total Rural Income	178	414	163	146	176	453	432	163	175	211	219	142	2872
Total Urban Income	1529	1253	1332	1094	1556	1270	1343	1364	1469	1510	1518	1312	16550
Rural HH in Poverty	31	68	29	25	31	74	71	29	31	37	38	26	489
Urban HH in Poverty	454	385	444	320	472	376	449	418	443	468	480	394	5103
													0
Environment													0
CO2	3279	2303	3030	2757	3242	2431	2442	3027	3251	3863	3884	2223	35733
Total Energy Consumption	1474	2111	1434	1417	1469	1372	1374	1434	1481	1548	1551	1347	18011
Total Fossil-Fuel Energy	1167	125	1153	1165	1166	131	132	1153	166	194	194	122	6867
Electricity	154	115	141	127	153	121	122	141	1165	178	179	113	2710
Total Biomass Energy	148	1867	136	122	146	1116	1117	136	146	1172	1173	108	7387
Other Energy	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	4	4	5	5	1004	1047

A. Employment Findings

Table 49 shows that the labor-intensive technologies generated more total employment than the capital-intensive technologies in the energy, manufacturing, and service sectors. There was one exception, the capital-intensive technology of the agriculture sector generated more employment than the labor-intensive technology. Comparing these sectors showed that the employment multipliers were highest for energy, followed by the agriculture, manufacturing and service sectors.

Table 49. Labor and capital intensive employment multipliers

Labor-Intensive		Capital-Intensive	
Traditional Ag	16.43	Export Ag	19.2
Non Dur Consumer	12.87	Dur. Consumer	12.03
Private Services	12.89	Financial Services	8.48
		Public Services	10.97
Energy		Energy	
Bagasse	14.27	Coal	11.77
Ethanol-T	14.38	Gasoline	11.01
Ethanol-M	14.49	Kerosene	9.65
Electricity	11.39	Oil	8.53
Fuelwood	20.09	Gas	10.25
Veg. Charcoal	20.2	Other	10.64

A.1. Total employment was not significantly different between the labor-intensive technique and the capital-intensive technique in ethanol production.

Total employment was greater for the ethanol sectors than for the gasoline sector. The ethanol employment multipliers were 14.49 for the modern ethanol sector, 14.38 for the traditional ethanol sector, and 11.01 for the gasoline sector. Total employment for each of the ethanol sectors was not significantly different, even

though direct employment in the traditional ethanol sector was about three times greater than the modern ethanol sector. The indirect employment effects accounted for the differences between the modern and traditional ethanol sectors. The modern ethanol sector's linkage to the traditional agriculture sector resulted in slightly higher employment for the modern ethanol sector than for the traditional ethanol sector.

A.2. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy sector provided significantly more employment than the capital-intensive technologies of the energy sector.

Employment multipliers of the labor-intensive energy technologies (modern ethanol-14.49, traditional ethanol-14.38, bagasse-14.27, electricity-11.39, fuelwood-20.09, and vegetable charcoal-20.20) were significantly higher than those of the capital-intensive energy technologies (coal-11.77, gasoline-11.0, kerosene-9.65, oil-8.53, gas-10.25, and, other-10.64). While the direct employment effects of some of non-renewable energy sectors were larger than the direct employment effects of some renewable energy sectors, the total employment associated with the renewable energy sectors were larger than the non-renewable energy sectors because of the indirect effects. For example, the coal sector's direct employment was .96 and total employment was 12; bagasse's direct employment was .72 and total employment was 14. Indirect employment effects of the renewable energy sectors accounted for renewable energy's greater employment than those of the non-renewable energy

sectors. The renewable energy technologies which were relatively labor intensive had higher employment than the capital-intensive energy technologies.

A.3. The labor-intensive technologies of the manufacturing and service sectors generated more employment than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. Agriculture's capital-intensive technology provided more employment than the labor-intensive technology.

The employment multipliers of the consumer non-durable goods sector was 12.87 and 12.89 for the private services sector. They were higher than the durable goods sector 12.03 and the service sectors (public services, 10.97 and the financial/commercial services sectors, 8.48). There was one exception: the export agriculture sector 19.20, generated more total employment than the traditional agriculture sector, 16.43.

B. Factor Income Findings

Table 50 provides the factor income of the comparative labor and capital intensive technologies. The labor intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and energy sectors produced more total labor and capital income, more agriculture labor income, and more labor income to unskilled agriculture workers than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. However, the capital-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and energy sectors raised more non-agriculture labor income and more labor income to unskilled non-

agriculture workers than the comparative labor-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive technology of the service sector was the only case of a capital-intensive technology providing more factor income than the labor-intensive technology.

Table 50. Labor and capital intensive sectors and factor income (Cr\$).

	Factor	Capital	Labor	Ag	Non-Ag	Unskilled	Unskilled
	Income	Income	Income	Labor	Labor	Ag. Labor	Non-Ag. Labor
LABOR-INT. TECHNOLOGIES							
Traditional Ag	1620	1202	418	88	329	16	129
Con Non-Durable Goods	1543	1066	478	44	433	10	167
Private Services	1563	985	578	22	556	5	224
Energy Sector							
Bagasse	1590	1139	450	60	391	11	158
Ethanol-M	1639	1185	453	65	388	12	148
Ethanol-T	1687	1165	522	63	460	12	202
Electricity	1464	1008	457	25	432	5	158
Fuelwood	1477	1004	473	30	444	6	168
Vegetable Charcoal	1492	1004	487	31	456	7	179
Total Labor-Int. Energy	9349	6505	2843	273	2570	53	1013
CAPITAL-INT. TECHNOLOGIES							
Export Ag	1502	1069	433	46	387	12	151
Con Durable Goods	1493	1005	488	27	462	6	180
Financial Services	1603	1180	423	15	408	3	155
Public Services	1828	933	895	21	874	5	374
Energy Sector							
Coal	1533	1063	471	26	445	6	173
Kerosene	1315	850	464	23	441	5	180
Oil	1072	754	319	21	298	5	115
Gasoline	1562	1069	493	25	468	6	173
Gas	1357	925	433	23	409	5	155
Other	1368	936	432	22	409	5	151
Total Capital-Int. Energy	8208	5597	2611	140	2471	31	945

B.1.1 Ethanol's labor-intensive technology generated more total labor income than ethanol's capital-intensive technology; however, ethanol's capital-intensive technology generated more capital income than ethanol's labor-intensive technology.

Total factor income for the modern ethanol sector was (1639 Cr\$), (1687 Cr\$) for the traditional ethanol sector, and (1562 Cr\$) for the gasoline sector. Total labor income was (453 Cr\$) for the modern ethanol technology, (522 Cr\$) for the traditional ethanol technology, and (493 Cr\$) for the gasoline sector. The ethanol sectors generated more total labor income than the gasoline sector. Furthermore, the traditional ethanol sector provided greater labor income (522 Cr\$) than the modern ethanol sector (453 Cr\$). The capital income of the ethanol sectors was more than the capital income of the gasoline sector. The modern ethanol sector generated the most capital income (1185 Cr\$), followed by the traditional ethanol sector (1165 Cr\$), and the gasoline sector (1069 Cr\$).

B.1.2 Unskilled agriculture labor benefited equally from the modern ethanol sector and the traditional ethanol sector. Unskilled non-agriculture labor benefited significantly more from the traditional ethanol sector than the modern ethanol sector.

Unskilled agriculture labor received (12 Cr\$) each from the modern and traditional ethanol. Unskilled non-agriculture labor received (202 Cr\$) from the

traditional ethanol technology and (148 Cr\$) from the modern ethanol technology. Labor costs were higher for the traditional ethanol sector than for the modern ethanol sector.

The policy implication of this analysis is that unskilled non-agriculture labor benefits significantly more from the traditional ethanol sector than the modern ethanol sector.

B.2.1. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy sector raised more factor income than the capital-intensive energy technologies.

The combined labor and capital income of the energy sector was the following: traditional ethanol (1687 Cr\$), modern ethanol (1639 Cr\$), bagasse (1590 Cr\$), gasoline (1562 Cr\$), coal (1533 Cr\$), vegetable charcoal (1492 Cr\$), fuelwood (1477 Cr\$), electricity (1464 Cr\$), other (1368 Cr\$), gas (1357 Cr\$), kerosene (1315 Cr\$), and oil (1072 Cr\$). The ethanol industry generated the most factor income within the energy sector. The labor-intensive energy technologies provided more agriculture labor and agriculture capital as well as more non-agriculture labor and non-agriculture capital than the capital-intensive energy technologies.

B.2.2. The energy sector's labor-intensive technologies raised more labor income to unskilled agriculture labor and unskilled non-agriculture labor than the comparative capital-intensive technologies.

Unskilled agriculture labor received (12 Cr\$) each from the modern and traditional ethanol sectors; (11 Cr\$) from the bagasse sector; (7 Cr\$) from the vegetable charcoal sector; (6 Cr\$) each from the fuelwood, gasoline, and coal sectors; (5 Cr\$) from each of the kerosene, oil, gas, and other sectors. Unskilled non-agriculture labor gained (202 Cr\$) from the traditional ethanol sector; (180 Cr\$) from the kerosene sector; (179 Cr\$) from the vegetable charcoal sector; (173 Cr\$) each from the gasoline and coal sectors; (168 Cr\$) from the fuelwood sector; (159 Cr\$) from the electricity sector; (158 Cr\$) from the bagasse sector; (155 Cr\$) from the gas sector; (151 Cr\$) from the other sector; (148 Cr\$) from the modern ethanol sector; and (115 Cr\$) from the oil sector. Labor-intensive energy technologies provided more income to unskilled agriculture labor and unskilled non-agriculture labor than the capital-intensive energy technologies.

B3.1 The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors generated more combined labor and capital income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies.

The combined factor income produced by the traditional agriculture sector was (1620 Cr\$) and (1502 Cr\$) by the export agriculture sector. Total capital and labor income provided by the consumer non-durable goods sector was (1543 Cr\$) and (1493 Cr\$) by the consumer durable goods sector. The service sectors gained the most factor income from the capital-intensive technologies of the public services

sector, (1828 Cr\$); followed by the financial/services sector, (1603 Cr\$); and the private services sector, (1563 Cr\$).

B.3.2. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors raised more labor income to unskilled agriculture labor than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors generated more income to unskilled non-agriculture labor than the comparative labor-intensive technologies.

Unskilled agriculture labor gained (16 Cr\$) from the traditional agriculture sector and (12 Cr\$) from the export agriculture sector. The consumer non-durable goods sector raised (10 Cr\$) for unskilled agriculture labor; the consumer durable goods sector provided (6 Cr\$) to unskilled agriculture labor. Unskilled agriculture labor got (5 Cr\$) each from the private and public services sectors, and (3 Cr\$) from the financial/commercial services sector.

Unskilled non-agriculture labor received (151 Cr\$) from the export agriculture sector and (129 Cr\$) from the traditional agriculture sector. Unskilled non-agriculture labor earned (180 Cr\$) from the durable consumer goods sector and (167 Cr\$) from the consumer non-durable goods sector. Unskilled non-agriculture labor obtained the most from the public service sector, (374 Cr\$); followed by the private services sector, (224 Cr\$); and (155 Cr\$) from the financial/commercial services sector.

This suggests that labor-intensive technologies contributed more to agriculture labor and unskilled agriculture workers and that capital-intensive technologies contributed more to non-agriculture labor and unskilled non-agriculture workers.

C. Household Income Findings

Table 51 gives the household income associated with each production technology. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy, agriculture, and manufacturing sectors provided more household income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive technology of the service sector raised more household income than the labor-intensive technologies.

C.1.1. The labor-intensive technology of the ethanol sector generated more total household income than the capital-intensive technology of the ethanol sector.

The traditional ethanol sector produced (1775 Cr\$) in total household income while the modern ethanol sector raised (1723 Cr\$) in total household income.

C.1.2. The capital-intensive technologies of the ethanol sector generated slightly more income to rural households in poverty than the labor-intensive technology of the ethanol sector. The labor-intensive ethanol technology provided more income to urban households in poverty.

Table 51. Labor-intensive and capital-intensive technologies and household income.

	Household Income	Rural HH Income	Urban HH Income	Rural HH in Poverty	Urban HH in Poverty
LABOR-INT. TECHNOLOGIES					
Traditional Ag	1734	615	1119	100	342
Con Non-Durable Goods	1723	257	1466	47	445
Private Services	1628	141	1487	25	500
Energy Sector					
Bagasse	1666	414	1253	68	385
Ethanol-M	1723	453	1270	74	376
Ethanol-T	1775	432	1343	71	449
Electricity	1644	175	1469	31	443
Fuelwood	1720	211	1510	37	468
Vegetable Charcoal	1737	219	1518	38	480
Total Labor-Intensive	10265	1904	8362	319	2601
CAPITAL-INT. TECHNOLOGIES					
Export Ag	1721	367	1355	58	416
Con Durable Goods	1694	187	1506	33	466
Financial Services	1594	100	1495	18	382
Public Services	1912	139	1773	25	730
Energy Sector					
Coal	1708	178	1529	31	454
Kerosene	1496	163	1332	29	444
Oil	1240	146	1094	25	320
Gasoline	1732	176	1556	31	472
Gas	1527	163	1364	29	418
Other	1454	142	1312	26	394
Total Capital-Intensive	9156	969	8188	170	2501

Rural households received (453 Cr\$) from the capital-intensive ethanol technology and (432 Cr\$) from the labor-intensive ethanol technology. This finding is due to the modern ethanol sector linkage to the traditional agriculture sector.

Specifically, the modern ethanol sector purchased more from the traditional agriculture sector which generated greater agriculture capital that was distributed to the rural households. Rural households in poverty also obtained slightly more income from the modern ethanol sector, (74 Cr\$), than the traditional ethanol sector, (71 Cr\$).

Urban households received more from the traditional ethanol sector, (1343 Cr\$), than from the modern ethanol sector, (1270 Cr\$). The traditional ethanol sector pays three times more to unskilled non-agriculture labor and two times more to skilled non-agriculture labor than the modern ethanol sector. This finding is due to the higher labor costs associated with the traditional ethanol sector. The traditional ethanol sector generated (449 Cr\$) to urban households in poverty compared to the (376 Cr\$) raised by the modern ethanol sector.

C.2.1. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy sector raised more household income than the capital-intensive technologies.

The following energy sub-sectors provided the most total household income: traditional ethanol sector, (1775 Cr\$); vegetable charcoal sector, (1737 Cr\$); gasoline sector, (1732 Cr\$); modern ethanol sector, (1723 Cr\$); fuelwood sector, (1720 Cr\$); coal sector, (1708 Cr\$); bagasse sector, (1666 Cr\$); electricity sector, (1644 Cr\$); gas sector, (1527 Cr\$); kerosene sector, (1496 Cr\$); other sector, (1454 Cr\$); and the oil sector, (1240 Cr\$).

C.2.2. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy sector produced more income to rural and urban households as well as more income to urban and rural households in poverty than the capital-intensive energy technologies.

The energy sector generated the following income to the rural households: modern ethanol sector, (453 Cr\$); traditional ethanol sector, (432 Cr\$); bagasse sector, (414 Cr\$); vegetable charcoal sector, (219 Cr\$); fuelwood sector, (211 Cr\$); coal sector, (178 Cr\$); gasoline sector, (176 Cr\$); electricity sector, (175 Cr\$); gas sector, (163 Cr\$); kerosene sector, (163 Cr\$); oil sector, (146 Cr\$); and the other sector, (142 Cr\$). Rural households received almost twice as much income from the labor-intensive energy sectors than from capital-intensive energy sectors.

The energy sectors provided the following urban households income: gasoline sector, (1556 Cr\$); coal sector, (1529 Cr\$); vegetable charcoal sector, (1518 Cr\$); fuelwood sector, (1510 Cr\$); electricity sector, (1469 Cr\$); gas sector, (1364 Cr\$); traditional ethanol sector, (1343 Cr\$); kerosene sector, (1332 Cr\$); other sector, (1312 Cr\$); modern ethanol sector, (1270 Cr\$); bagasse sector, (1253 Cr\$); and the oil sector, (1094 Cr\$). Urban households received only slightly more income from the labor-intensive energy technologies than from the capital-intensive energy technologies.

For households in poverty, labor-intensive technologies raised rural incomes by (319 Cr\$) compared to (171 Cr\$) by the capital-intensive technologies. Urban

households in poverty received slightly more income from the labor-intensive technologies (2601 Cr\$), compared to the capital-intensive technologies, (2501 Cr\$). Labor-intensive energy technologies provided more household income to rural and urban households in poverty than capital-intensive energy technologies.

C.3.1. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and energy sectors generated more total household income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive of the service sector provided more household income than the labor-intensive technologies.

Total household income from the traditional agriculture sector was (1734 Cr\$), and (1721 Cr\$) from the export agriculture sector. The non-durable consumer goods sector raised households income by (1723 Cr\$) compared to the (1694 Cr\$) by the durable consumer goods sector. The renewable energy technologies generated more total household income (10,265 Cr\$) than non-renewable energy technologies (9156 Cr\$). The public service sector increased household income by (1912 Cr\$), followed by the private services sector, (1628 Cr\$), and the financial services sector, (1594 Cr\$). The service sectors generated the most household income followed by the agriculture and manufacturing sector.

C.3.2. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and service sectors raised more income to rural households and rural households in poverty than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive

technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors produced more income to urban households and urban households in poverty.

The traditional agriculture sector provided (615 Cr\$) to rural households and (100 Cr\$) to rural households in poverty compared to the export agriculture sector which increased rural household income by (367 Cr\$) and (58 Cr\$) to rural households poverty. The non-durable goods sector raised household income by (257 Cr\$) and (47 Cr\$) to the rural households in poverty compared to the durable goods sector which augmented rural household income by (187 Cr\$) and (33 Cr\$) to the rural households in poverty. Renewable energy technologies provided (1904 Cr\$) to rural households and (319 Cr\$) to rural households in poverty. Non-renewable energy technologies increased rural household income by (969 Cr\$) and (170 Cr\$) to rural households in poverty. The private services sector generated the most rural household income, (141 Cr\$) and income to rural households in poverty, (25 Cr\$); followed by public services sector rural household income, (139 Cr\$), income to rural households in poverty, (25 Cr\$); and the financial services sector rural household income, (100 Cr\$), and income to rural households in poverty, (18 Cr\$).

The traditional agriculture sector provided (1119 Cr\$) to urban households and (342 Cr\$) to urban households in poverty compared to the export agriculture sector which increased urban household income by (1355 Cr\$) and (416 Cr\$) to urban households poverty. The non-durable goods sector raised household income

by (1466 Cr\$) and (445 Cr\$) to the urban households in poverty compared to the durable goods sector which augmented urban household income by (1506 Cr\$) and (466 Cr\$) to the urban households in poverty. Renewable energy technologies increased urban households income by (8362 Cr\$) and (2601 Cr\$) to urban households in poverty. Non-renewable energy technologies generated urban household income of (8188 Cr\$) and (2501 Cr\$) to urban households in poverty. The private services sector generated the most urban household income, (1487 Cr\$) and income to urban households in poverty, (500 Cr\$); followed by public services sector urban household income, (1773 Cr\$), income to urban households in poverty, (730 Cr\$); and the financial services sector urban household income, (1495 Cr\$), and income to urban households in poverty, (382 Cr\$).

D. Carbon Dioxide Costs

Table 52. Labor-intensive and capital-intensive technologies and carbon dioxide costs (Cr\$).

Sector	CO ₂ Costs		Sector	CO ₂ Costs
Labor-Intensive Tech.			Capital-Intensive Tech.	
Trad Agriculture	2682		Export Agriculture	3655
Consumer Non-Dur	3306		Cons-Dur Goods	3447
Private Services	2080		Financial Services	1653
Bagasse	2303		Public Services	2189
Ethanol-M	2431		Coal	3279
Ethanol-T	2442		Kerosene	3030
Electricity	3251		Oil	2757
Fuelwood	3863		Gasoline	3242
Vegetable Charcoal	3884		Gas	3027
			Other Energy	2223

Table 52 provides the carbon dioxide costs associated with the comparative production technologies. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors had lower carbon dioxide costs than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive technologies of the energy and service sectors had lower carbon dioxide costs than the comparative labor-intensive technologies.

D.1. The labor-intensive technology of the ethanol sector had slightly higher CO₂ emission costs than the capital-intensive technology of the ethanol sector.

The traditional ethanol sector had slightly higher CO₂ costs (2442 Cr\$), than the modern ethanol sector, (2431 Cr\$). This is due to the traditional ethanol sector's indirect linkages to the traditional agriculture sector via the households of the urban organized and non-organized workers.

D.2. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy sector had greater CO₂ costs than the capital-intensive energy technologies.

Ranking the energy sub-sectors from the lowest to the highest CO₂ costs: other, (2223 Cr\$); bagasse, (2303 Cr\$); modern ethanol, (2431 Cr\$); traditional ethanol, (2442 Cr\$); oil, (2757 Cr\$); gas, (3027 Cr\$); kerosene, (3030 Cr\$); gasoline, (3242 Cr\$); electricity, (3251 Cr\$); coal, (3279 Cr\$); fuelwood, (3863

Cr\$); and vegetable charcoal, (3884 Cr\$). The labor-intensive energy technologies generated (18,174 Cr\$) of CO₂ costs compared to the capital-intensive energy technologies of (17,558 Cr\$).

D.3. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors had lower CO₂ costs than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The most capital-intensive technology of the service sector had lower CO₂ costs than the other service sectors.

The CO₂ costs of the traditional agriculture sector, (2682 Cr\$), were lower than the export agriculture sector, (3655 Cr\$). The CO₂ costs of the non-durable consumer goods sector, (3306 Cr\$), were lower than the durable consumer goods sector, (3447 Cr\$). The financial services sector had the lowest CO₂ costs, (1653 Cr\$), followed by the private services sector, (2080 Cr\$); and the public services sector, (2189 Cr\$).

E. Energy Intensities of Economic Sectors

Table 53 provides the conventional and unconventional energy consumption of the comparative production technologies. The labor-intensive technologies in the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors had lower energy requirements than the comparative capital-intensive technologies.

Table 53. Labor-intensive and capital-intensive technologies and energy consumption (Cr\$).

	Oil	Electricity	Fuelwood	Total
Export agriculture	108	170	97	375
Traditional agriculture	85	131	76	292
Durable consumer goods	101	166	90	357
Non-durable consumer goods	98	160	89	347
Financial/commercial services	51	86	44	181
Public services	70	138	59	267
Private services	64	111	56	231

The export agriculture, durable consumer goods, and public services sectors consumed more conventional and unconventional energy than the traditional agriculture, non-durable goods, private services and financial/commercial services sectors. The total energy requirement of the export agriculture sector is (375 Cr\$) and (292 Cr\$) for the traditional agriculture sector. The durable consumer goods sector, (357 Cr\$); consumed slightly more compared to the non-durable consumer goods sector, (347 Cr\$). The public services sector had the greatest energy requirement, (267 Cr\$), followed by the private services sector, (231 Cr\$); and the financial/commercial services sector, (181 Cr\$). The manufacturing sector consumed the most total energy, followed by the agriculture and service sectors.

SECTION TWO: RESEARCH CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE LITERATURE

A. Contributions to Brazil's Alternative Fuel Program Debate

This research makes one novel contribution to the ongoing fuel ethanol dialogue and confirms several findings of previous studies. This is the first empirical

study that quantifies the household income effects of Brazil's fuel ethanol program. It was found that the ethanol sectors generate the most household income of the energy sectors. Furthermore, the ethanol sectors provide substantially more rural household income and income to rural households in poverty than the other energy sectors. The ethanol sectors significantly improve household income distribution.

The research findings confirm that the ethanol sectors generate significant employment. The ethanol sectors had the highest employment multipliers of the energy sector. Linkages to the traditional agriculture sector and transportation sector are key sources of indirect employment. Brazil's alternative transportation fuel program contributes to both rural and urban socioeconomic development objectives. As sugarcane is the main feedstock for ethanol production, ethanol has significant linkages to agriculture and industry which in turn has positive employment and income distribution effects.

The research findings confirm that the ethanol sectors produce the most combined labor and capital income. The ethanol sectors raise the most labor income, agriculture labor income and non-agriculture labor income, unskilled agriculture income and unskilled non-agriculture labor income of the energy sectors. Factor income is important because it is the basis of household income.

The ethanol sectors have among the lowest CO₂ costs of the energy sector. The source of the ethanol industry's CO₂ costs is sugarcane production via the

agriculture sector. The use of ethanol is put forth as an effective strategy to mitigate greenhouse gas emissions because it has lower CO₂ costs than gasoline. Since the transportation sector accounts for roughly 33% of the CO₂ emissions, any strategy which addresses mobile sources must be seriously considered, especially as the number of motor vehicles and total vehicle miles traveled is growing.

B. Contributions to Technology Choice Debate

This research examined several production technologies to capture the direct and indirect employment, factor and household income, and environmental effects due to technology choice. Labor-intensive and capital-intensive technologies were compared in the production of energy, agriculture, manufacturing, and services. Analysis of the dualistic technologies did not find consistent results.

1. Technology choice and employment.

It was hypothesized that the relatively labor-intensive technology would generate more employment than the relatively capital-intensive technology. Even though not all labor-intensive technologies generated more employment, the research findings did confirm this hypothesis in all but one economic sector. Contrary to expectations, the employment multiplier of agriculture's capital-intensive technology was greater than that of the agriculture's labor-intensive technology. While the employment multiplier of the modern ethanol sector was slightly larger than the traditional ethanol sector, the difference was not significant. With the exception of

the agriculture sector, the labor-intensive technologies of the manufacturing, energy, and service sectors were greater than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. This finding is consistent with the literature that considers both the direct and indirect employment effects.

2. Technology choice and factor income.

It was hypothesized that the relatively labor-intensive technologies would provide greater total factor income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. Even though not all labor-intensive technologies generated total factor income, the research findings did confirm this hypothesis in three out of four economic sectors. The labor intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and energy sectors produced more total labor and capital income, more agriculture labor income, and more labor income to unskilled agriculture workers than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. However, the capital-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and energy sectors raised more non-agriculture labor income and more labor income to unskilled non-agriculture workers than the comparative labor-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive technology of the service sector was the only case of a capital-intensive technology providing more factor income than the labor-intensive technology. The findings are consistent with the literature.

3. Technology choice and household income.

It was hypothesized that labor-intensive technologies would contribute more to household incomes than capital-intensive technologies. Even though not all labor-intensive technologies provided greater household income, the research findings did confirm this hypothesis in all but one economic sector. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy, agriculture, and manufacturing sectors provided more household income than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The capital-intensive technology of the service sector raised more household income than the labor-intensive technologies. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and service sectors raised more income to rural households and rural households in poverty. The capital-intensive technology of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors increased income to urban households and urban households in poverty. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy sector generated more income to urban households and urban households in poverty than the capital-intensive technologies. The service sectors generated the most household income followed by the agriculture and manufacturing sector. The findings are consistent with the literature that considers household income.

4. Technology choice and the environment.

It was hypothesized that the labor-intensive technologies would have lower CO₂ costs than the relatively capital-intensive technologies. The research findings did

confirm this hypothesis in two out of four economic sectors. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors had lower CO₂ costs than the comparative capital-intensive technologies, whereas, the capital-intensive technologies of the energy and service sectors had lower CO₂ costs than the comparative labor-intensive technology. The labor-intensive technologies of the energy sector, namely the fuelwood and vegetable charcoal sectors had the highest CO₂ costs of the energy sector. The labor-intensive service technology, private services sector, had lesser CO₂ costs than the capital-intensive technology of the public services sector and higher carbon cost than the most capital-intensive service technology, financial services sector. The service sectors have the lowest CO₂ costs compared to the agriculture, manufacturing, and energy sectors.

5. Technology choice and energy intensity.

The energy intensity of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors was examined because of the direct link between energy consumption and CO₂ emissions. The oil and electricity energy sub-sectors were the conventional energy sources; the fuelwood sector was the unconventional energy source. It was hypothesized that the labor-intensive technologies would have lower energy intensities than the comparative capital-intensive technologies. The labor-intensive technologies of the agriculture, manufacturing, and service sectors had lower energy requirements than the comparative capital-intensive technologies.

C. Contributions to SAM Methodology

This research makes two important contributions to the SAM methodology. First, it is one of the first SAM modeling analyses that quantifies the impact of carbon dioxide emissions. Second, it is the first study that quantifies impact of alternative fuels on regional and human development in a newly industrialized economy. The addition of an environmental sector and an alternative fuel sector in the SAM-based modeling enables the planner to see the consequences of the carbon dioxide and alternative energy effects in different socioeconomic sectors. In addition, it improves SAM-based modeling and will enhance the development planning process particularly by countries that have the capacity to develop an ethanol transportation fuel substitute and that have significant energy related CO₂ emissions.

The SAM modeling methodology of this research is one of the first to conceptualize the effects of carbon dioxide costs on human development. The research made a first measurement of the direct and indirect impacts of Brazil's energy carbon dioxide costs on Brazil's socioeconomic sectors. It showed the linkages of energy sector CO₂ emission costs to other socioeconomic sectors.

The incorporation of an environmental sector and regional economic sector into SAM-based modeling furthers the understanding of social development because it identifies the magnitude of the direct and indirect effects as well as the inter-regional and intra-regional linkages among production, employment, and household income

distribution and consumption. Quantifying the energy related CO₂ costs and including a CO₂ sector are a significant contribution to economy-wide models which typically do not provide this kind of detail.

The research contributes to the regional development dialogue because it demonstrated the ability of SAM-based modeling to enrich the understanding of social development at the regional and national level. Incorporating more regional sectors such as the traditional and modern ethanol sector strengthens SAM-based modeling because it captures not only the direct and indirect effects, but also the inter-regional and intra-regional effects of a change in an economic sector on employment and on households. Clarification of the inter-regional and intra-regional effects of investment in certain sectors promotes a greater understanding of the regional development process. Given sufficient data, modeling based on SAMs can identify the regions and the economic sectors that contribute most toward development objectives. For example, if rural poverty alleviation is an important goal, then regional SAM-based modeling can show which region and which economic sectors have greater linkages with unskilled agriculture labor and rural households in poverty.

SECTION THREE: POLICY IMPLICATIONS

The findings of this research have several policy implications.

1. The research findings suggest that the adoption of an alternative transportation fuel policy based on renewable energy may help realize multiple macroeconomic objectives. First, the development of a domestic gasoline substitute has a positive effect on the country's trade balance. Reduced petroleum imports have improved Brazil's balance of payments and have resulted in significant foreign exchange savings. As the global demand for energy services is growing at 2% per annum, the demand for motor vehicle transportation is increasing. Transportation fuel substitutes will insulate a country's vulnerability to disruptions in energy supply or to risks of foreign indebtedness.
2. Domestically, the ethanol industry has contributed to the diversification of Brazil's energy supply and led to the transformation of the sugar industry into sugar, ethanol, and bagasse industries. The investment requirements of the ethanol sector are among the lowest of economic sectors. Investment costs are \$6000-\$7000 per person-year in the N/E region and \$23,000-\$28,000 per person-year in the C/S region compared to \$42,000 per person-year in the industrial sector or \$200,000 per person-year in the petrochemical sector.

Ethanol's agroindustrial linkages are of particular importance to Brazil. Between 1980 and 1988, the agriculture sector's relative economic strength had a stabilizing effect on the economy. The ethanol industry will continue to contribute to the development and strengthening of the agriculture sector.

3. The environmental benefits associated with a renewable transportation fuel are significant. The transportation sector accounts for 33% of Brazil's energy-related carbon dioxide emissions. The production and use of ethanol results in significantly lower CO₂ costs compared to fossil fuel-based gasoline. The use of ethanol has improved air quality and has eliminated the need for lead in gasoline. Stillage, a by-product of the ethanol's production cycle is now treated and used as a fertilizer for the agriculture sector.
4. Countries with adequate land mass may find a biomass-based transportation fuel policy a means to achieve positive energy, economic, and environmental goals. However, two caveats are needed. One concern is oil prices. Low oil prices make the ethanol program more expensive. The government will have to consider the opportunity costs of subsidies and incentives to the industry to determine if it is economically efficient. Another concern is potential land use conflicts. As long as there is an sufficient agricultural land and low population densities, then the substitution of sugarcane should not be in conflict with the

production of food staples. However, diversifying the feedstock of ethanol to include cellulosic biomass, particularly fuelwood, may aggravate the fuelwood crisis in developing countries.

5. The research findings suggest that labor-intensive technologies may have many positive contributions to sustainable development. Brazil's past industrialization policies have favored the development of capital-intensive industry. The result has been underemployment and increased income inequality. The labor-intensive technologies of Brazil's agriculture, manufacturing, energy, and service industries have many direct and indirect linkages to other socioeconomic sectors. The labor-intensive technologies generate significant employment, factor and household income, and environmental benefits to Brazil's economy. In addition, these technologies make a particular contribution to rural development, which is important as rural migration to urban centers puts increasing strains on urban systems.
6. This research suggests that there are major differences in employment, income generation and distribution, and environmental effects due to technology choice. These differences are captured through the methodology of social accounting matrix-based modeling. The research findings confirm the key finding of the appropriate technology literature. Government policies are necessary for the

adoption and implementation of appropriate technologies. The state's use of investment-promoting taxes, exchange and credit controls, import quotas, farm price supports, and consumption incentives were important to the development of Brazil's alternative fuel program.

Concluding Comment.

The overall objective of this research was to determine the effects of technology choice on development, particularly poverty alleviation in Brazil. It was found that labor-intensive technologies, especially in the agriculture and renewable energy sectors, are important because of their intersectoral linkages within the economy. They make a particular contribution to poverty alleviation. These findings suggest that policies to support the adoption of labor-intensive technologies will positively contribute to socioeconomic development.

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Appendix I 'Social Accounting Matrix, Brazil, 1985, Transaction Matrix
(Millions of Cruzeiros)

	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	F6	F7	F8	FH1	FH2	FH3	FH4	FH5	FH6	FH7	U-sm prod		
	A-unskill																	
	A-skilled			A-capital			U-unskill			U-skill			U-mgrs			U-capital		
	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	F6	F7	F8	FH1	FH2	FH3	FH4	FH5	FH6	FH7	U-sm prod		
Unskilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Skilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Mgrs/Prof Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Ag Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Unskilled Non-Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Mgrs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Non-Ag Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Rural Capitalists	0	0	0	66341	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Rural Sm. Producers	1449	8838	0	33113	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	3780	8923	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Rural Mgrs /Prof.	0	1258	1039	9212	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	302122	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Urban Mgrs /Prof	0	0	0	0	0	0	81491	57592	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Urban Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	16302	36737	0	236097	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	73922	1E+05	0	16893	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Urban Non-Organized Workers	448	0	0	0	101072	66739	0	11331	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Export Agriculture	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	37	69	6	17	45	274	274		
Traditional Agriculture	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	224	665	484	140	1020	1054	5016	5016		
Livestock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	265	127	50	288	378	1997	1997		
Mineral Extraction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	5	0	0	0	1	79		
Non-Mineral Extraction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Durable Consumer Goods	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3054	1847	249	969	13910	7310	13929	13929		
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3103	7811	4811	1764	14128	13314	58901	58901		
Intermediate Goods	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	161	278	100	83	730	626	2095	2095		
Capital Goods	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	19	27	6	89	43	145	145		
Energy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1027	1012	208	459	4675	3467	7636	7636		
Civil Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Financial/Commercial Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4686	6990	3051	2068	21338	15600	52711	52711		
Commerce	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3633	5420	2365	1603	16543	12095	40865	40865		
Transportation/Communication	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4110	6885	3087	1907	18713	14391	51918	51918		
Public Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	357	435	76	143	1624	1077	3277	3277		
Private Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5141	5049	945	1915	23406	14450	38072	38072		
Government	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8904	2602	633	2760	40546	20821	19624	19624		
Indirect Taxes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Subsidies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Domestic Capital Formation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31546	6459	1461	8723	143651	65808	48710	48710		
Rest of the World - Current	0	0	0	12347	0	0	317	110145	318	0	0	110	1447	832	0	0		
Rest of the World - Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total	5677	19019	1039	121013	191296	2E+05	81808	734180	66349	45784	17698	22706	302125	171312	345249	345249		

Appendix I. Social Accounting Matrix, Brazil, 1985, Transaction Matrix
(Millions of Cruzeiros)

	U-wrksr	U-norg wrk	Ag-Export	Ag-Trad	Livestock	Minerals	Non-min	Cons-Dur	Con-ND	Intermed	Capital	Energy	Construct	Financial	Commerce
	HH8	HH9	A101	A102	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	A110	A111	A112	A113
Unskilled Ag Labor	0	0	759	1656	3262	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled Ag Labor	0	0	1703	7693	9624	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mgrs/Prof. Ag Labor	0	0	24	889	126	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ag Capital	0	0	23767	70292	26950	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unskilled Non Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	638	2744	5102	10817	23843	11544	2927	5761	17560	8581
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	2189	8783	6239	17045	14782	10390	2975	14820	21623	13861
Mgrs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	312	1172	2551	3884	13282	6102	1069	3382	9418	3890
Non-Ag. Capital	0	0	0	0	0	16826	19190	19930	70286	102276	23908	24001	43107	199946	73558
Rural Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Mgrs./Prof	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Mgrs./Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Export Agriculture	388	745	222	475	196	0	3	2668	26571	1066	5	0	0	0	0
Traditional Agriculture	4084	5203	278	8003	4004	18	0	41	40581	9933	5	12928	0	0	0
Livestock	1643	1357	563	2113	966	0	0	0	36913	269	0	0	0	0	0
Mineral Extraction	14	58	0	422	272	2140	49	126	2044	12870	334	51	2265	0	0
Non-Mineral Extraction	0	0	0	0	0	8	48	14	12	2211	13	44495	0	0	0
Durable Consumer Goods	6052	2674	0	0	108	82	38	16285	766	1295	1715	54	7098	132	200
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	44754	51697	435	453	112	96	113	456	53642	6678	557	3767	351	1351	71
Intermediate Goods	1232	1073	3875	9891	8386	2077	2412	19183	50163	247570	41828	2604	69009	8452	5708
Capital Goods	139	282	43	246	57	1216	2825	17341	2863	10773	28205	1614	9744	430	537
Energy	2740	2237	863	2526	1311	1542	458	1101	4281	16798	1670	9950	3711	396	23937
Civil Construction	0	0	0	0	5	89	289	235	645	963	363	243	10038	14743	498
Financial/Commercial Services	33286	32784	451	1356	150	1974	4278	5412	12862	19631	5235	4794	5076	262177	11238
Commerce	25805	25417	54	135	71	493	380	2546	6154	7652	2732	1467	371	0	2254
Transportation/Communication	33527	33173	222	562	292	436	387	1395	3408	4110	1137	3903	457	3429	7153
Public Services	1636	814	14	38	32	110	120	170	579	1751	260	193	49	267	351
Private Services	15664	10149	249	630	327	909	1189	2299	5434	6588	2333	963	3138	8748	3611
Government	11891	6806	1001	2962	1135	1235	1409	1464	5161	7511	1756	1763	3166	14684	5402
Indirect Taxes	0	0	347	1015	565	1280	1098	3885	0	22282	6740	0	23116	23781	28821
Subsidies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Domestic Capital Formation	28452	15697	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rest of the World - Current	0	0	9	28	16	48	203	1131	3991	8298	1966	29964	632	2127	326
Rest of the World - Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	211307	190166	34879	111385	57967	33718	47188	109574	358102	542432	148798	149725	205291	589264	189997

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	Transport	Public	Private	Gov't	Ind Tax	Subsidies	DCF	ROW-C	ROW-K	
	A114	A115	A116	G	T	S	K	RC	RK	
Unskilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5677
Skilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19020
Mgrs/Prof Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1039
Ag Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1E+05
Unskilled Non Ag Labor	14380	69732	17662	0	0	0	0	0	0	2E+05
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	15321	57650	18295	0	0	0	0	0	0	2E+05
Mgrs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	5464	25333	5909	0	0	0	0	38	0	81806
Non-Ag. Capital	64523	17902	42187	0	0	0	0	16519	0	7E+05
Rural Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	66353
Rural Sm. Producers	0	0	0	2388	0	0	0	0	0	45788
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	0	0	0	4995	0	0	0	0	0	17698
Rural Mgrs /Prof	0	0	0	11100	0	0	0	98	0	22707
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	3E+05
Urban Mgrs /Prof	0	0	0	32070	0	0	0	175	0	2E+05
Urban Sm Producers	0	0	0	56142	0	0	0	0	0	3E+05
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	20010	0	0	0	0	0	2E+05
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0	0	0	10595	0	0	0	0	0	2E+05
Export Agriculture	0	0	139	0	0	146	98	1704	0	34877
Traditional Agriculture	49	3131	2148	0	0	683	8510	3180	0	1E+05
Livestock	0	34	261	0	0	297	10243	138	0	57965
Mineral Extraction	0	0	0	0	0	0	669	12308	0	33717
Non-Mineral Extraction	0	354	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	47187
Durable Consumer Goods	1605	491	2042	0	0	952	14144	12575	0	1E+05
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	829	5544	28867	0	0	5992	969	47524	0	4E+05
Intermediate Goods	9772	7594	15637	0	0	602	2642	28631	0	5E+05
Capital Goods	13334	5550	12377	0	0	1216	24032	15623	0	1E+05
Energy	35217	8124	1116	0	0	4933	2825	5498	0	1E+05
Civil Construction	2008	2154	900	0	0	17	2E+05	1956	0	2E+05
Financial/Commercial Services	8580	48558	8223	0	0	1173	11601	3963	0	6E+05
Commerce	0	978	0	0	0	6625	8094	16242	0	2E+05
Transportation/Communication	13079	4892	820	0	0	2811	451	16563	0	2E+05
Public Services	219	6658	464	3E+05	0	13	0	0	0	3E+05
Private Services	12842	16177	6066	0	0	315	0	32	0	2E+05
Government	4738	1314	3098	0	146168	0	93637	0	0	4E+05
Indirect Taxes	25832	13159	20015	0	0	0	0	0	0	2E+05
Subsidies	0	0	0	0	25774	0	0	0	0	25774
Domestic Capital Formation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2267	4E+05
Rest of the World - Current	5434	280	419	0	0	0	4077	0	0	2E+05
Rest of the World - Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	651	1616	0	2267
Total	233226	3E+05	186645	4E+05	171942	25775	4E+05	184456	2267	

Social Accounting Matrix SAM-TECH, Brazil, 1983, Transaction Matrix
(Millions of Cruzeros)

	Ag-Tech	Livestock	Minerals	Non-min	Cons-Dur	Cons-ND	Intermed.	Capital	Coal	Business	Kerosene	Oil	Gasoline	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T	Gas	Electricity	Fuelwood	
	A102	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5	E110-4	E110-4	E110-8	E110-9	E110-10	
Unskilled Ag. Labor	1636	3262	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled Ag. Labor	7693	9624	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mgn/Prof. Ag Labor	689	126	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ag Capital	70292	26920	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unskilled Non Ag. Labor	0	0	638	2744	5102	10817	23843	11544	292	293	293	146	293	100	339	293	293	146	0
Skilled Non-Ag. Labor	0	0	2189	8783	6239	17043	14782	10390	200	250	290	340	395	120	240	330	390	120	0
Mgn/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	0	0	312	1172	2531	3884	13282	6102	114	53	53	207	107	82	25	107	215	53	0
Non-Ag. Capital	0	0	14826	19190	19930	70286	102276	23908	2206	1150	413	5981	2400	666	589	1720	8346	240	0
Rural Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Int. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Workers/Tenent Farmers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Mgn/Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Mgn/Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Export Agriculture	475	196	0	3	2668	26571	1066	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Traditional Agriculture	8003	4004	18	0	41	40581	9933	5	0	5136	0	0	0	3193	2904	0	0	0	835
Livestock	2113	946	0	0	0	36913	269	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Non-Mineral Extraction	422	272	2140	49	126	2044	12870	334	51	1446	249	13	3938	0	0	2275	23810	7473	0
Durable Consumer Goods	0	108	82	38	16285	766	1295	1715	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	453	112	96	113	456	53642	6678	557	339	0	65	411	208	80	76	133	1302	311	0
Intermedial Goods	9991	8386	2077	2412	19183	50163	243570	41828	234	0	45	306	143	55	53	92	901	214	0
Capital Goods	246	57	1216	2825	17341	2863	10773	28203	197	0	0	173	89	54	31	52	646	150	0
Coal (Coal Stemm and Coke)	0	0	0	0	0	43	5625	510	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Business	0	0	0	0	0	0	5191	0	0	6196	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kerosene	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oil (diesel, fuel, asphalt)	940	67	607	257	0	320	1061	275	0	0	0	1917	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gasoline	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ethanol-M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ethanol-T	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gas (LPG city gas, natural gas)	0	0	0	93	0	37	69	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Electricity	600	445	846	103	1101	2371	3326	842	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1637	0	0
Fuelwood	874	797	55	0	0	1084	1525	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veg. Charcoal	0	0	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Civil Construction	0	2434	1309	1541	453	1101	4269	1667	0	0	0	1917	0	0	0	0	1637	0	0
Financial/Commercial Services	1356	5	89	289	235	645	963	363	43	0	0	0	0	46	44	0	110	0	0
Commerce	135	71	493	380	2546	6154	7652	2732	233	283	133	434	264	101	97	170	2016	396	0
Transportation/Communication	562	292	436	387	1395	3408	4110	1137	351	142	25	157	81	31	30	52	511	121	0
Public Services	38	32	110	120	172	579	1751	260	17	15	3	44	11	4	4	10	36	16	0
Private Services	630	337	909	1189	2299	5434	6588	2333	87	77	17	131	53	20	20	34	332	80	0
Carbon Dioxide Pollution	57045	0	0	0	142210	318395	321027	39487	8370	0	3395	41912	114777	0	0	10746	75802	51117	0
Government	2962	1135	1235	1409	1464	5161	3311	1756	170	92	32	180	103	40	38	73	652	95	0
Interest Trans	1015	565	1280	1098	3883	0	22282	6740	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subsidies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROW-Current	28	16	48	203	1131	3991	6798	1966	139	400	939	19772	144	57	56	2337	5673	230	0
ROW-Capital	0	170772	59274	35258	47636	252887	883335	190149	14875	21244	5893	74665	19921	4732	4645	18652	127450	61977	0

Social Accounting Matrix SAM-TECH, Brazil, 1985, Transaction Matrix
(Millions of Cruzeiros)

	Veg	Other	Construct	Financial	Commerce	Transport	Public	Private	CO2	Govt	Ind Taxes	Subsidies	Capital	ROW-Our	ROW-Cap	ROW-K	Row	Sum
	E110-11	E110-12	A111	A112	A113	A114	A115	A116	CO2	Govt	T	\$	DNF	ROW-Our	ROW-Cap	ROW-K	Row	Sum
Unskilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5677
Skilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19020
Mgn/Prof. Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1019
Ag Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	121009
Unskilled Non-Ag Labor	439	0	2927	17360	8381	14380	69732	17662	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	194218
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	306	0	2973	14820	13861	15321	37850	18295	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	206948
Mgn/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	53	0	1069	3382	9418	3464	23333	5999	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82875
Non-Ag Capital	240	50	24001	43107	199946	64533	17921	42187	0	0	0	0	0	16319	0	0	0	738179
Rural Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11655	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	78608
Rural Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7625	2388	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53410
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2232	4995	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19930
Rural Mgn/Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2022	11100	0	0	0	98	0	0	0	24729
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53077	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	335228
Urban Mgn/Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24434	32070	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	193760
Urban Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50793	56142	0	0	0	175	0	0	0	359673
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33611	20010	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	244933
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31550	10395	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	221730
Export Agriculture	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	105705	0	0	146	98	1704	0	0	0	140721
Traditional Agriculture	890	0	13978	0	0	49	3131	2009	57043	0	0	681	8510	3180	0	0	0	181316
Livestock	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	261	0	0	0	297	10243	138	0	0	0	37663
Mineral Extraction	0	0	51	2263	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	669	12308	0	0	0	57963
Non-Mineral Extraction	2610	677	44491	0	0	0	354	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	91674
Durable Consumer Goods	0	0	54	7098	132	200	1603	491	142210	0	0	932	14144	12375	0	0	0	231840
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	133	707	3767	351	1351	829	5344	28847	318595	0	0	5992	569	47354	0	0	0	680452
Intermediate Goods	91	485	2621	69009	8452	5708	9722	7394	324107	0	0	602	2642	28631	0	0	0	869159
Capital Goods	0	200	1614	9744	410	337	13334	5350	13377	39687	0	1218	34032	15623	0	0	0	190096
Coal (Coal Steam and Coke)	0	0	0	0	0	67	0	0	8570	0	0	0	60	0	0	0	0	14873
Biogas	0	0	6396	0	0	2136	0	0	0	0	0	1100	23	0	0	0	0	21244
Kerosene	0	0	0	3	0	137	1543	62	3393	0	0	1	103	303	0	0	0	5893
Oil (diesel, fuel, naphtha)	0	0	1917	1396	0	2633	16399	465	41912	0	0	150	1320	2344	0	0	0	74663
Gasoline	0	0	0	0	0	2111	0	0	11477	0	0	153	313	2387	0	0	0	19921
Ethanol-M	0	0	0	0	0	1087	0	0	0	0	0	1773	40	100	0	0	0	4732
Ethanol-T	0	0	0	0	0	1115	0	0	0	0	0	1702	40	103	0	0	0	4643
Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18652
Electricity	0	0	1637	1914	380	9640	7979	7553	1104	73802	0	0	90	29	14	0	0	127450
Fuelwood	0	0	373	0	0	1883	226	0	51117	0	0	0	38	0	0	0	0	61977
Veg. Charcoal	0	0	0	0	0	4699	0	0	24833	0	0	32	19	1	0	0	0	30109
Other	0	0	0	0	0	990	2331	0	0	0	0	0	29	122	0	0	0	3472
Civil Construction	0	0	9950	3706	390	33934	33216	8154	1112	227832	0	4933	2816	5197	0	0	0	387633
Financial/Commercial Services	199	437	4823	5076	12128	8572	48239	8223	10850	0	0	17	170140	1956	0	0	0	203239
Commerce	32	133	1467	371	0	2334	0	978	0	0	0	1173	11601	3963	0	0	0	604921
Transportation/Communication	159	263	3903	437	3429	7153	13079	4892	870	0	0	6623	8694	16242	0	0	0	191461
Public Services	7	6	193	49	267	351	219	6658	464	10830	0	2810	451	16363	0	0	0	931220
Private Services	34	78	943	3138	8748	3611	12842	16177	6066	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	306482
Carbon Dioxide Pollution	24833	0	227832	0	10850	0	716100	6066	0	274903	0	315	0	0	0	0	0	187604
Government	56	248	1779	3166	14684	5402	4738	1314	3098	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2378254
Interest Taxes	0	0	0	23116	23781	28821	13159	20013	0	0	0	0	91637	0	0	0	0	413984
Subsidies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	171936
Capital	9	188	29944	632	2127	326	3434	280	419	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23774
ROW-Current	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33274
ROW-Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	214439
ROW-Total	30109	3472	387635	208992	600478	213928	984333	187353	2397854	412205	171936	30707	353590	189972	2267	1227462	0	2267

Social Accounting Matrix SAM:TECH, Brazil, 1985, Average Expenditures Propensities Matrix

	Ag-Trad	Livestock	Minerals	Non-mn	Com-Dar	Con-ND	Intermed	Capital	Coal	Bugasse	Kerosens	Oil	Gasoline	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T	Gas	Electricity	Fuelwood	
	A103	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5	E110-6	E110-7	E110-8	E110-9	E110-10	
Unskilled Ag Labor	0.0098374	0.0562753	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled Ag Labor	0.0416997	0.1660312	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mgn/Prof. Ag Labor	0.005281	0.0021737	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ag Capital	0.4175647	0.4649357	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unskilled Non-Ag Labor	0	0.0189222	0.0581565	0.0202632	0.0202632	0.0152983	0.0275152	0.0612472	0.0186303	0.0197333	0.04972	0.0020069	0.0147081	0.0211327	0.0719817	0.0157088	0.0023289	0.0023573	0
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	0	0.0649227	0.1861476	0.024779	0.024779	0.025189	0.070287	0.051246	0.0134454	0.0168373	0.0492109	0.0046737	0.198283	0.0253593	0.0516685	0.0176923	0.0019998	0.0019375	0
Mgn/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	0	0.0092335	0.0248395	0.0101316	0.0101316	0.0057397	0.025277	0.0323744	0.0076639	0.0035695	0.0089937	0.0028454	0.0053712	0.0173288	0.0033821	0.0057367	0.0017089	0.0008357	0
Non-Ag Capital	0	0.4990261	0.4067143	0.0791545	0.1038681	0.1180283	0.126845	0.1483035	0.1483035	0.0774515	0.0700831	0.0822153	0.1204759	0.1407439	0.1746803	0.0922153	0.0663365	0.003875	0
Rural Sns Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Mgn/Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Mgn/Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Sns Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Export Agriculture	0.0038317	0.0033814	0	0	0.0006636	0.0105963	0.0325664	0.0012302	0.0000265	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Traditional Agriculture	0.0475413	0.0690762	0.0003339	0	0.0001628	0.0198703	0.0146278	0.0000265	0	0.3459052	0	0	0	0.6747676	0.6231884	0	0	0	0.0138048
Livestock	0.0155231	0.0166652	0	0	0	0.0545498	0.0003104	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mineral Extraction	0.0023069	0.0044923	0.0634699	0.0010385	0.0005004	0.0030206	0.0148232	0.0017721	0.0034286	0	0	0.0001787	0.1976808	0	0	0.1219708	0.2051457	0.1206388	0
Non-Mineral Extraction	0	0.00184632	0.002332	0.0002373	0.0000556	0.000177	0.0023515	0.0000669	0.0972101	0.0167699	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Durable Consumer Goods	0.002691	0.0019322	0.0028472	0.0023949	0.0018111	0.0792177	0.0077665	0.0295252	0.0277899	0	0.01103	0.0036496	0.0104412	0.0169662	0.0163417	0.0071306	0.0103487	0.0030214	0
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	0.0519758	0.1446735	0.061601	0.0511201	0.0761877	0.0741305	0.2837001	0.2319204	0.0157311	0	0.0076362	0.0042063	0.0071784	0.011623	0.0114101	0.0049324	0.0071614	0.0034532	0
Intermediate Goods	0.0014613	0.0009834	0.0160649	0.0198733	0.048872	0.0042309	0.024322	0.1494239	0.0132437	0	0	0.0024056	0.0044676	0.0114117	0.0109795	0.0027879	0.0031346	0.0024219	0
Coal (Coal Steam and Coke)	0	0	0	0	0	0.0000635	0.0064913	0.0027038	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bugasse	0	0	0	0	0	0.0000207	0	0.0000637	0	0.4307651	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kerosene	0.0037028	0.0011559	0.0180028	0.0034469	0	0.0007685	0.0012244	0.0014539	0	0	0.0245312	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oil (diesel, fuel, naptha)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ethanol-M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ethanol-T	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)	0.0035643	0.007677	0.0210912	0.002181	0.0041728	0.0037994	0.0018183	0.0044673	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Electricity	0.0031919	0.0137497	0.0016812	0	0	0.0016019	0.0017399	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0130114	0
Fuelwood	0	0	0.0009787	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veg. Charcoal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0.0000863	0.0026396	0.0061251	0.0009333	0.0009532	0.0011113	0.0019259	0.0028908	0	0	0	0	0.009721	0.0094726	0	0	0.0008743	0
Civil Construction	0.0080532	0.0025878	0.0585461	0.0906682	0.0214944	0.0190074	0.0226543	0.0277745	0.0126639	0.0190398	0.0225691	0.0039638	0.0132323	0.0213444	0.0208227	0.0091143	0.0165007	0.0063938	0
Financial/Commercial Services	0.000802	0.0012249	0.0146217	0.0080337	0.0101118	0.0090943	0.0082305	0.0144948	0.0082739	0.0095636	0.0043413	0.0031581	0.0040661	0.0065511	0.0064586	0.0037879	0.0040616	0.0019337	0
Commerce	0.0033385	0.0050375	0.0129312	0.0082021	0.0051404	0.0030163	0.004743	0.0060374	0.0231966	0.0210129	0.0288478	0.0085101	0.0107926	0.0175402	0.0170075	0.0127239	0.0084132	0.0038125	0
Transportation/Communication	0.0002257	0.0005231	0.0032634	0.0025433	0.0006831	0.0008356	0.0020207	0.0013794	0.0011429	0.0010102	0.0035091	0.0006048	0.0005323	0.0008643	0.0008611	0.0005161	0.0004451	0.0002383	0
Public Services	0.0037423	0.0056413	0.0269597	0.0251998	0.0091308	0.0008303	0.0076027	0.0232378	0.0028487	0.0051859	0.0028848	0.0018007	0.0028605	0.0042265	0.0041057	0.0018229	0.0036388	0.0012917	0
Carbon Dioxide Pollution	0.3388718	0	0	0	0.0564805	0.0708173	0.3740351	0.2105612	0.3761344	0	0.5761073	0.5761238	0.5761257	0	0	0.5761312	0.6024973	0.823331	0
Sum of Endogenous Accounts	0.9762086	0.970396	0.9739849	0.9425641	0.9742437	0.9844751	0.9560423	0.9444932	0.979227	0.9648642	0.8331843	0.735738	0.9876009	0.9795013	0.9797632	0.8707913	0.9497269	0.9954306	0
Government	0.0175956	0.0195808	0.0366284	0.0298623	0.0038145	0.0074269	0.0084678	0.0093165	0.0114286	0.0061961	0.0054302	0.0024741	0.0051704	0.0084531	0.0081808	0.0039138	0.0031823	0.0015339	0
Indirect Taxes	0.0066095	0.0097473	0.037963	0.0233711	0.0154198	0	0.0237138	0.0357594	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subsidies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Capital	0.0001663	0.000276	0.0014236	0.0043024	0.0044919	0.0038979	0.009576	0.0104307	0.0093443	0.0269397	0.1637154	0.2717816	0.0072286	0.0120456	0.012056	0.1252949	0.0410907	0.0030354	0
ROW-Current	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROW-Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Column Total	1.0000001	0.9999999	1.0000001	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999	1.0000001	1.0000001	0.9999999	0.9999999	0.9999999

Appendix 3. Social Accounting Matrix SAM-TECH, Brazil, 1995, Average Expenditures Propensities Matrix

	Veg	Cher	Other	Construct	Financial	Commerce	Transport	Public	Private	CO2	Gov't	Ind. Taxes	Subsides	Capital	ROW-Cap	ROW-Cap		
	E110-11	E110-12	A111	A112	A113	A114	A115	A116	CO2	Gov't	d	Ind. Taxes	Y	S	DAF	ROW-Cap		
Unskilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Skilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mgrs/Prof. Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Ag Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unskilled Non-Ag Labor	0.0141804	0	0.0289633	0.0272619	0.0451646	0.0151477	0.2275188	0.0546109	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	0.0099638	0	0.072192	0.0160324	0.0729549	0.0161339	0.1289981	0.0980224	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mgrs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	0.0017603	0	0.0164746	0.0156941	0.0204743	0.0037557	0.0826555	0.0316397	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000206	0	
Non-Ag Capital	0.007971	0.042228	0.2099831	0.3311889	0.3871596	0.0679678	0.0584719	0.2260329	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0893509	0	
Rural Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.005371	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000651	
Rural Sm Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0035138	0.007932	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rural Workers/Tenent Farmers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0010286	0.011178	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rural Mgrs/Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0009318	0.0269283	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000313	
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0244594	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0001372	
Urban Mgrs/Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0123599	0.078011	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0009487	
Urban Sm Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02314078	0.1361992	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0154889	0.0485438	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0143192	0.0237032	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Export Agriculture	0.0293593	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0014895	0.0487119	0	0	0	0.0036646	0.0002778	0.0092375	0	0	
Traditional Agriculture	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0000516	0.0102137	0.010764	0.026288	0	0.0264996	0.024231	0.017239	0	0	
Livestock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0001109	0.0013984	0	0	0	0.0115232	0.0290356	0.0007481	0	0	
Mineral Extraction	0	0	0.0110334	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0018964	0.0667227	0	0	
Non-Mineral Extraction	0.086683	0.1926379	0	0	0	0	0.001155	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0001735	0	0	0.0001735	
Durable Consumer Goods	0.0044817	0.2011952	0.0017098	0.0023213	0.0003737	0.0098733	0.0180887	0.1546659	0.1468178	0	0	0	0.0169164	0.0409937	0.0481701	0	0	
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	0.0030888	0.1380194	0.3161603	0.0140844	0.0300431	0.0102937	0.0237774	0.0378172	0.1493579	0	0	0	0.02324823	0.027468	0.2376315	0	0	
Intermediate Goods	0	0.0569152	0.0474653	0.0007163	0.0028264	0.0140459	0.0181083	0.0663145	0.0182889	0	0	0	0.0233569	0.074892	0.153211	0	0	
Capital Goods	0	0	0	0	0	0.0000706	0	0	0.0039493	0	0	0	0.041793	0.0681229	0.0846936	0	0	
Coal (Coal Steam and Coke)	0	0	0	0	0	0.0000706	0	0	0.0039493	0	0	0	0.041793	0.0681229	0.0846936	0	0	
Bagasse	0	0	0	0	0	0.00225	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0426787	0.0000709	0	0	0	
Kerosene	0	0	0.0000146	0	0.0007211	0.0016275	0.0002023	0	0.0013645	0	0	0	0.0000388	0.000392	0.0027376	0	0	
Oil (diesel, fuel, naphtha)	0	0	0.0068003	0	0.183853	0.174822	0.0015172	0	0.0191343	0	0	0	0.0038198	0.037418	0.0121649	0	0	
Gasoline	0	0	0	0	0	0.0023237	0	0	0.0032889	0	0	0	0.0060138	0.0014542	0.0128401	0	0	
Ethanol-M	0	0	0	0	0	0.0011465	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0687903	0.0001134	0.0003421	0	0	
Ethanol-T	0	0	0	0	0	0.0011936	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0660355	0.0001134	0.0003492	0	0	
Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)	0	0	0.0000974	0	0.0288007	0	0.0002349	0.0004279	0.0049521	0	0	0	0	0.0002551	0.0001572	0	0	
Electricity	0	0.0092236	0.0006332	0.0307384	0.008405	0.0246502	0.0059151	0.0349318	0	0	0	0	0	0.0015729	0.0000759	0	0	
Fuchwood	0	0	0.001817	0	0.0099108	0.0002381	0	0.0235562	0	0	0	0	0	0.0001077	0	0	0	
Veg. Charcoal	0	0	0	0	0.0247324	0	0	0.0114438	0	0	0	0	0	0.0020175	0.0000339	0.0000054	0	
Other	0	0	0	0.0428976	0.0245677	0.0026211	0.0021152	0.0048221	0	0	0	0	0	0.0000822	0.0006614	0	0	
Civil Construction	0.0064093	0.1243597	0.0167265	0.4568903	0.0591492	0.0092977	0.1583711	0.0440578	0.005	0	0	0	0.0066196	0.4822918	0.0106036	0	0	
Financial/Commercial Services	0.0017271	0.0378466	0.0018072	0	0.0118635	0	0.003191	0	0	0	0	0	0.045511	0.0238031	0.0214838	0	0	
Transportation/Communication	0.0032808	0.0148453	0.0022262	0.0037141	0.0376486	0.0137773	0.019614	0.0043935	0.3399997	0	0	0	0.01090246	0.0012784	0.0897894	0	0	
Public Services	0.0002325	0.0017075	0.0003387	0.0004449	0.0018474	0.0002307	0.0217235	0.0234861	0.005	0.6669133	0	0	0.0005044	0	0	0	0	
Private Services	0.0011292	0.0221969	0.015286	0.0145776	0.0190039	0.0132776	0.0577817	0.0325009	0	0	0	0	0.0122216	0	0	0	0	
Carbon Dioxide Pollution	0.82477	0	0	0.0180804	0	0	0.7543318	0.0154009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sum of Endogenous Accounts	0.9978412	0.8439727	0.8468953	0.9323577	0.8181574	0.9620738	0.9518645	0.8719186	1	0.9999999	0	0.8500954	0.9999999	0.7211673	0.9912395	0	0	
Government	0.0018599	0.0705748	0.0154224	0.0244693	0.0284235	0.004991	0.0042873	0.0165987	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Indirect Taxes	0	0	0	0.01126039	0.0398283	0.1516943	0.0272111	0.0479347	0.107238	0	0	0	0	0	0.2654106	0	0	
Subsides	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
ROW-Capital	0.0002989	0.0654123	0.0030786	0.0035444	0.0017158	0.0037241	0.0009136	0.002245	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.011557	0	0	
Column Total	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Appendix 4. Finalized Household Marginal Expenditures Propensities

	Rural Capitalists HH1	Rural Sm. Producers HH2	Rural Workers Tenant Farmers HH3	Rural Mgrs./Prof. HH4	Urban Capitalists HH5	Urban Mgrs./Prof. HH6	Urban Sm. Producers HH7	Urban Lab. Urban Organized HH8	Urban Lab. Non-Organized HH9
Export Agriculture	5.288E-08	1.1884E-05	0.000315181	1.937E-06	8.577E-08	1.922E-06	1.297E-05	7.55141E-05	0.000360031
Traditional Agriculture	0.000202	0.00118419	0.00811493	0.0003084	0.0001985	0.0005793	0.0028052	0.004486726	0.012434704
Livestock	1.525E-05	0.00022158	0.000593245	3.27E-05	1.513E-05	7.342E-05	0.0004571	0.000821234	0.000797985
Mineral Extraction	0	7.3277E-07	8.26955E-07	0	0	4.542E-10	1.043E-06	2.16266E-08	1.7195E-06
Non-Mineral Extraction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Durable Consumer Goods	0.0331252	0.01748403	9.6305E-05	0.0248465	0.0323778	0.0259929	0.0180786	0.011977326	0.001722921
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	0.0287679	0.16269434	0.276933039	0.0781701	0.0295745	0.0585918	0.1188576	0.183987776	0.210589644
Intermediate Goods	7.341E-05	0.00015038	0.000208723	5.428E-05	6.963E-05	0.0001376	0.0003822	0.000311574	0.000372822
Capital Goods	1.166E-05	3.9687E-05	5.15819E-05	2.272E-05	1.231E-05	1.37E-05	2.619E-05	4.90052E-05	4.84479E-05
Coal (Coal Steam and Coke)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bagasse	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kerosene	0	1.1322E-05	0.00172691	0	0	0	8.122E-06	2.49194E-07	5.34506E-06
Oil (diesel, fuel, naptha)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gasoline	5.666E-05	9.4629E-05	0	0.0002383	0.0007326	0.0006476	0.0004623	1.46736E-06	0
Alcohol	9.444E-05	0	0	0.000135	0.0005765	0.0003987	0.0001184	0	0
Alcohol	9.174E-05	0	0	0.0001271	0.0005538	0.0003825	0.0001136	0	0
Gas (LPG,city gas, natural gas)	0.0001376	9.8672E-05	0.002072223	0.0001906	0.0001782	0.0004687	0.000596	8.90046E-06	7.08813E-05
Electricity	0.0023149	0	0	0	0.0005986	0.0017456	0.001547	1.70811E-05	0.000115644
Fuelwood	7.554E-05	0.00058637	0.005295797	0.0011319	2.667E-05	9.266E-05	0.0004063	9.21882E-06	0.000116101
Veg. Charcoal	0	2.75E-05	0.002705489	0	0	0	2.306E-05	1.21817E-06	3.58979E-05
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Civil Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Financial/Commercial Services	0.0434438	0.14559389	0.17562308	0.0916416	0.0446674	0.0686519	0.1063667	0.136841835	0.133546858
Commerce	0.0416682	0.04533418	0.094848654	0.0230795	0.040428	0.0545363	0.1426939	0.125101446	0.212676658
Transportation/Communication	0.0381037	0.14340677	0.177695303	0.084507	0.0391724	0.0633314	0.1047665	0.137832566	0.135131476
Public Services	0.0033098	0.00914384	0.004374694	0.0063812	0.0033995	0.0047396	0.0066127	0.00672577	0.003315831
Private Services	0.1364362	0.161559	0.032134019	0.1385631	0.1353922	0.1479803	0.1948896	0.089815071	0.044878034
	0.327928	0.687643	0.78279	0.449432	0.327974	0.428366	0.699225	0.698064	0.756221
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Social Accounting Matrix BAM-TECH, Brazil, 1985, Marginal Expenditures Propensibilities Matrix

	Ag-Trad	Livestock	Minerals	Non-min	Cons-Dur	Con-ND	Intermed	Capital	Coal	Bagasse	Kerosene	Oil	Gasoline	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T	Gas	Electricity	Fuelwood	
	A102	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E1101	E1102	E1103	E1104	E1105	E1106	E1107	E1108	E1109	E1110	
Unskilled Ag Labor	0.00984	0.05628	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled Ag Labor	0.0457	0.18603	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Migs/Prof. Ag Labor	0.00528	0.00217	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ag Capital	0.41758	0.46494	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unskilled Non Ag Labor	0	0.01692	0.05816	0.02026	0.01398	0.02752	0.08125	0.01963	0.01973	0.04972	0.00201	0.01471	0.02113	0.07296	0.01571	0.00233	0.00236	0.00236	0.00236
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	0	0.06492	0.18615	0.07478	0.02519	0.01706	0.05512	0.01345	0.01664	0.04921	0.00487	0.01963	0.02536	0.05187	0.01769	0.0031	0.00194	0.00194	0.00194
Migs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	0	0.00925	0.02484	0.01013	0.00574	0.03237	0.00766	0.00766	0.00357	0.00898	0.00285	0.00537	0.01733	0.00536	0.00574	0.00171	0.00066	0.00066	0.00066
Non-Ag Capital	0	0.49904	0.40671	0.07915	0.10387	0.11803	0.12685	0.1483	0.07745	0.07008	0.08222	0.12048	0.14074	0.1268	0.09223	0.08634	0.00387	0.00387	0.00387
Rural Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Migs./Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Migs./Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Export Agriculture	0.00282	0.00338	0	0.00006	0.0106	0.03927	0.00123	0.00003	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Traditional Agriculture	0.04154	0.06908	0.00053	0	0.00016	0.05997	0.01146	0.00003	0.34591	0	0	0	0.87477	0.62519	0	0	0	0.0136	0
Livestock	0.00251	0.00489	0.06347	0.00104	0.0005	0.00302	0.01485	0.00177	0.00343	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mineral Extraction	0	0.00274	0.00243	0.00081	0.00002	0.00255	0.00007	0.00343	0.01677	0	0	0.00018	0.19768	0	0	0.12187	0.20515	0.12058	0.12058
Non-Mineral Extraction	0.00289	0.00193	0.00265	0.00239	0.00181	0.01927	0.00771	0.00296	0.02279	0	0.01103	0.00565	0.01044	0.01891	0.01836	0.00713	0.01035	0.00502	0.00502
Durable Consumer Goods	0.05878	0.14487	0.0618	0.05112	0.07619	0.07413	0.2857	0.22192	0.01573	0	0.00764	0.00421	0.00718	0.01182	0.01141	0.00493	0.00718	0.00345	0.00345
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	0.00148	0.00098	0.03608	0.05987	0.06887	0.00423	0.01243	0.14984	0.01324	0	0.00241	0.00447	0.01141	0.01096	0.00278	0.00513	0.00242	0.00242	0.00242
Intermediate Goods	0	0	0	0	0	0.00006	0.00649	0.00271	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Capital Goods	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00599	0	0.43077	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coal (Coal Steam and Coke)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00006	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bagasse	0	0	0	0	0	0.00017	0.00172	0.00146	0	0	0.02835	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kerosene	0.0057	0.00116	0.016	0.00545	0	0	0	0.00006	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oil (diesel, fuel, naphtas)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00172	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gasoline	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alcohol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Electricity	0.00356	0.00766	0.02509	0.00216	0.00437	0.0038	0.00354	0.00447	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01301	0	0
Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)	0.00519	0.01375	0.00163	0	0	0.0018	0.00176	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fuelwood	0	0	0.00098	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veg. Charcoal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0.0009	0.00264	0.00613	0.00093	0.00095	0.00111	0.00193	0.00289	0	0	0	0	0.00972	0.00947	0	0	0	0
Civil Construction	0.00008	0.00259	0.05855	0.09667	0.02149	0.01901	0.02285	0.02777	0.01566	0.01908	0.02257	0.00597	0.01325	0.02134	0.02068	0.00911	0.0165	0.00639	0.00639
Financial/Commercial Services	0.0008	0.00122	0.01462	0.00905	0.01011	0.00909	0.00883	0.01448	0.00687	0.00956	0.00424	0.00218	0.00407	0.00655	0.00846	0.00278	0.00408	0.00195	0.00195
Commerce	0.00334	0.00504	0.01283	0.0082	0.00554	0.00504	0.00474	0.00603	0.0236	0.02101	0.02885	0.00655	0.01078	0.01754	0.01701	0.01222	0.00843	0.00581	0.00581
Transportation/Communication	0.00023	0.00055	0.00328	0.00254	0.00060	0.00068	0.00202	0.00136	0.00114	0.00101	0.00051	0.0006	0.00065	0.00065	0.00066	0.00054	0.00045	0.00028	0.00028
Public Services	0.00374	0.00564	0.02896	0.0252	0.00913	0.00603	0.0076	0.01236	0.00585	0.00519	0.00268	0.0018	0.00286	0.00423	0.00431	0.00182	0.00284	0.00128	0.00128
Private Services	0.33487	0	0	0	0.58481	0.17082	0.37403	0.21056	0.57813	0	0.57811	0.57813	0.57813	0.57813	0	0.57813	0.6025	0.82477	0.82477
Carbon Dioxide Pollution	0.0176	0.01956	0.03663	0.02946	0.00581	0.00763	0.00687	0.00932	0.01143	0.0062	0.00543	0.00247	0.00517	0.00645	0.00818	0.00391	0.00518	0.00133	0.00133
Government	0.0003	0.00975	0.03798	0.02327	0.01543	0	0.02571	0.03578	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Indirect Taxes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subsidies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Capital	0.00017	0.00028	0.00142	0.0043	0.00449	0.0058	0.00956	0.01043	0.00934	0.02684	0.16274	0.27179	0.00723	0.01203	0.01208	0.12528	0.04508	0.00371	0.00371
ROW-Current	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROW-Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Social Accounting Matrix SAM-TECH, Brazil, 1985, Marginal Expenditures Propensities Matrix

	Veg	Char	Other	Construct	Financial	Commer	Transpor	Public	Private	CO2	Govt	G	Ind Taxes	Subsidies	Capital	ROW-Cap	ROW-Cap
	E110.11	E110.12	A111	A112	A113	A114	A115	A116	CO2	Govt	G	Ind Taxes	Subsidies	Capital	ROW-Cap	ROW-Cap	ROW-Cap
Unskilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Migr/Prof / Ag Labor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ag Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unskilled Non Ag Labor	0.01458	0	0.02606	0.02928	0.04516	0.01515	0.22752	0.09463	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	0.00998	0	0.07219	0.03603	0.07295	0.01614	0.183	0.09402	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Migr/Prof Non-Ag Labor	0.00176	0	0.01847	0.01569	0.02047	0.00576	0.00266	0.03166	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00021	0
Non-Ag Capital	0.00797	0.01423	0.20999	0.33319	0.34716	0.06797	0.05847	0.22603	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.08955	0
Rural Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00537	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00007	0
Rural Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00351	0.00379	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00103	0.01212	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Migr./Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00093	0.02893	0	0	0	0	0	0.00053	0
Urban Capitalists	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02446	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00016	0
Urban Migr./Prof.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01128	0.0778	0	0	0	0	0	0.00095	0
Urban Sm. Producers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02341	0.1362	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01549	0.04854	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01454	0.0257	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Export Agriculture	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00149	0.04871	0	0	0	0.00566	0.00028	0.00924	0
Traditional Agriculture	0.02956	0	0	0	0	0.00005	0.01022	0.01078	0.02829	0	0	0	0	0.0285	0.02412	0.01724	0
Livestock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01152	0.02904	0	0	0	0.01152	0.02904	0.00075	0
Mineral Extraction	0	0	0.01103	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00011	0	0	0	0	0.0019	0.06872	0
Non-Mineral Extraction	0.04669	0	0.19266	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00116	0	0	0	0	0.00017	0	0
Durable Consumer Goods	0.00448	0	0.2012	0.00022	0.00105	0.00189	0.0016	0.01094	0.06553	0	0	0	0	0.03694	0.04009	0.06817	0
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	0.00309	0.13402	0.33616	0.1408	0.00037	0.00037	0.01609	0.15467	0.14682	0	0	0	0	0.23248	0.00275	0.23763	0
Intermediate Goods	0	0.05692	0.04747	0.00072	0.00283	0.01465	0.02476	0.08378	0.19358	0	0	0	0	0.02338	0.00749	0.15521	0
Capital Goods	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.06631	0.01829	0	0	0	0	0.04718	0.06812	0.08469	0
Coal (Coal Steam and Coke)	0	0	0	0	0	0.00007	0	0	0.00395	0	0	0	0	0	0.00017	0	0
Baggasse	0	0	0	0	0	0.00225	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.04286	0.00007	0	0
Kerosene	0	0.00001	0	0	0.00772	0.00163	0.0002	0	0.00156	0	0	0	0	0.00004	0.00079	0.00274	0
Oil (diesel, fuel, naptha)	0	0.0068	0	0	0.01346	0.01749	0.00152	0	0.01931	0	0	0	0	0.00542	0.00374	0.01216	0
Gasoline	0	0	0	0	0	0.00222	0	0	0.00529	0	0	0	0	0.00601	0.00145	0.01294	0
Alcohol	0	0	0	0	0	0.00115	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.06879	0.00011	0.00554	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0.0012	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.06604	0.00011	0.00057	0
Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)	0	0.0001	0	0	0.0206	0	0.00023	0.00004	0.00495	0	0	0	0	0	0.00026	0.00016	0
Electricity	0	0.00932	0.00063	0.00044	0.05074	0.0084	0.02465	0.00592	0.03493	0	0	0	0	0	0.00153	0.00008	0
Firewood	0	0.00182	0	0	0.00991	0.00024	0	0	0.02356	0	0	0	0	0	0.00011	0	0
Veg Charcoal	0	0	0	0	0.02473	0	0	0	0.01144	0	0	0	0	0.00702	0.00005	0.00001	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0.00521	0.00246	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00006	0.00066	0
Civil Construction	0.00681	0.12436	0.0489	0.02457	0.00282	0.00212	0.00703	0.00462	0	0	0	0	0	0.00066	0.46229	0.0106	0
Commercial Services	0.00173	0.03765	0.00181	0.00223	0.05915	0.09903	0.15837	0.04406	0.005	0	0	0	0	0.04551	0.03289	0.2148	0
Commerce	0.00528	0.07484	0.00223	0.00571	0.03765	0.13378	0.01596	0.00439	0.33	0	0	0	0	0.23704	0.02294	0.06805	0
Transportation/Communication	0.00023	0.00171	0.00024	0.00044	0.00185	0.00023	0.02172	0.00249	0.005	0.66891	0	0	0	0.00902	0.00128	0.08979	0
Public Services	0.00113	0.0222	0.01529	0.01458	0.1901	0.01353	0.05278	0.0325	0	0	0	0	0	0.0005	0	0	0
Private Services	0.82477	0	0	0	0.01908	0	0.75433	0.0354	0	0	0	0	0	0.01222	0	0.00017	0
Carbon Dioxide Pollution	0.00186	0.07057	0.01542	0.02447	0.02843	0.00499	0.00429	0.0166	0	0	0	0	0.8501	0	0.26543	0	0
Government	0	0	0.1126	0.03963	0.15169	0.02721	0.04293	0.1074	0	0	0	0	0.1499	0	0	0	0
Indirect Taxes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subsidies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Capital	0.0003	0.06545	0.00308	0.00354	0.00172	0.00572	0.00091	0.00224	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01156	0	0
ROW-Current	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00185	0.00878	0
ROW-Capital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	U-org lab	U-unorg la	Ag-Export	Ag-Trad	Livestock	Minerals	Non-min	Cons-Dur	Con-ND	Intermed.	Capital	Coal	Bagasse	Kerosena
	HH8	HH9	A101	A102	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3
Unskilled Ag. Labor	0 0051419	0 0055434	0 0116713	0 0158346	0 0621612	0 0035105	0 0038015	0 0058444	0 0099974	0 0055112	0 0048776	0 0056226	0 0109548	0 0051115
Skilled Ag. Labor	0 0171397	0 0185692	0 0330521	0 0661091	0 1862615	0 0117654	0 0127249	0 0195267	0 0327945	0 0187026	0 0163876	0 0188159	0 0446308	0 0171094
Mgrs/Prof. Ag Labor	0 0009439	0 0010412	0 0013653	0 0064899	0 0033894	0 0006701	0 0007187	0 0011327	0 0016172	0 0011323	0 0009542	0 0010857	0 0041956	0 0009904
Ag Capital	0 1131302	0 1232112	0 3139131	0 5552086	0 5985116	0 0798132	0 0856974	0 1381392	0 1977135	0 1322346	0 1138044	0 1311232	0 3674997	0 1196967
Unskilled Non Ag. Labor	0 1421965	0 1476353	0 1514041	0 1290406	0 1224713	0 13631	0 1837652	0 1797063	0 1671078	0 1798119	0 2153429	0 1729743	0 1582274	0 1798322
Skilled Non-Ag. Labor	0 1630346	0 172074	0 1682285	0 143499	0 1357943	0 1997495	0 3274262	0 2006225	0 1935655	0 1835208	0 2219954	0 1966023	0 1718293	0 1948125
Mgrs/Prof. Non-Ag Labor	0 0621434	0 0650018	0 0670403	0 0568651	0 0540161	0 0610135	0 080431	0 0815716	0 0727514	0 0818123	0 1022912	0 0754468	0 0605318	0 0665556
Non-Ag. Capital	0 7546407	0 8126714	0 7548529	0 646678	0 6194956	1 125531	1 058313	0 8667274	0 8679044	0 8877757	0 8790237	0 915791	0 7718322	0 730626
Rural Capitalists	0 0749144	0 0811584	0 1917281	0 3187864	0 3394061	0 0533216	0 0570867	0 0942478	0 1261506	0 0889349	0 0769343	0 0894993	0 2138451	0 0818953
Rural Sm. Producers	0 0486662	0 0526605	0 1170725	0 1960978	0 2735602	0 0344594	0 0369423	0 0604761	0 083506	0 0570344	0 0495133	0 0575793	0 1321815	0 052653
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	0 0139347	0 0150101	0 0270382	0 0443171	0 1309337	0 0096896	0 0104369	0 0165994	0 025444	0 0155933	0 013722	0 0159455	0 0306021	0 014548
Rural Mgrs/Prof.	0 0129269	0 0140106	0 030854	0 0556265	0 063234	0 0091839	0 0098376	0 016153	0 0219189	0 0152883	0 0132251	0 0153684	0 0372697	0 0140579
Urban Capitalists	0 3692558	0 3964022	0 4000273	0 3317063	0 3063104	0 5067281	0 4815228	0 4409855	0 4380194	0 4401938	0 4279557	0 4635646	0 3739492	0 3747696
Urban Mgrs/Prof.	0 1481287	0 1570319	0 1671492	0 1375685	0 1260565	0 1691215	0 1843214	0 1880618	0 1777796	0 1875929	0 2013378	0 1851567	0 1467759	0 1577279
Urban Sm. Producers	0 3403491	0 364228	0 3715032	0 3075736	0 2832853	0 4512289	0 4590028	0 4108649	0 4055966	0 4055155	0 404393	0 4264907	0 346549	0 3562918
Urban Organized Workers	1 189821	0 1997801	0 2153743	0 1769837	0 1610248	0 2045736	0 2858265	0 2416293	0 2311258	0 227742	0 2547583	0 2359378	0 1992368	0 229219
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0 1754256	1 184126	0 2007478	0 1653491	0 1541469	0 1809168	0 2482097	0 2245477	0 2138772	0 2136873	0 2397296	0 218217	0 1860817	0 2144865
Export Agriculture	0 1537641	0 1628436	1 219474	0 1658185	0 1351487	0 111413	0 1185901	0 2177079	0 2415527	0 1861275	0 1651902	0 1976035	0 1429373	0 1817137
Traditional Agriculture	0 1532329	0 1699881	0 1958717	1 200647	0 2026248	0 1098978	0 1175922	0 1867012	0 2530057	0 1890028	0 1575075	0 1787199	0 7708207	0 1631716
Livestock	0 0498469	0 0531832	0 0562706	0 0556088	1 056224	0 0324921	0 0356305	0 0503506	0 1101274	0 0470557	0 0433074	0 0497315	0 0462228	0 0448914
Mineral Extraction	0 0165248	0 0174355	0 0221667	0 0208608	0 0225783	1 081636	0 0157184	0 0235674	0 0260353	0 0410997	0 025025	0 0242703	0 0173412	0 0182623
Non-Mineral Extraction	0 0461233	0 0500668	0 0643832	0 0497247	0 0433817	0 0407132	1 038404	0 0623951	0 0604054	0 0607222	0 0522628	0 1555978	0 0729472	0 0533033
Durable Consumer Goods	0 2223649	0 2229604	0 3068776	0 2386256	0 1998344	0 1738437	0 1809547	1 360566	0 283011	0 264361	0 2484209	0 2833162	0 2088628	0 2545297
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	0 814872	0 8709111	0 8553022	0 6919199	0 6287599	0 5304354	0 581947	0 823044	1 886606	0 7594937	0 7063181	0 8161189	0 6236416	0 7362449
Intermediate Goods	0 78504	0 8254446	1 114483	0 9067	0 8851048	0 690635	0 7161391	1 166392	1 1229	2 331623	1 200252	1 020131	0 7754249	0 9102226
Capital Goods	0 139434	0 1427165	0 1825981	0 1457687	0 1258072	0 154959	0 1856133	0 2629645	0 1767169	0 1800336	1 327186	0 1912793	0 1315834	0 1526135
Coal (Coal Steam and Coke)	0 0150827	0 0158886	0 0223167	0 016991	0 0144862	0 0120242	0 0126762	0 0220444	0 0210364	0 0278435	0 0221982	1 020235	0 0145943	0 0184194
Bagasse	0 01261	0 0132508	0 017313	0 0138265	0 0129124	0 0103388	0 0108124	0 0176028	0 0169634	0 0293288	0 0169787	0 0159079	1 768807	0 0143634
Kerosena	0 0058157	0 0061926	0 0082467	0 0061975	0 0051541	0 0042417	0 0045024	0 0078172	0 0075505	0 0069767	0 0063201	0 007482	0 0054362	1 006905
Oil (diesel, fuel, naphtha)	0 0754791	0 0807778	0 1084196	0 0854283	0 0659565	0 0750185	0 0643255	0 1008867	0 098407	0 0921911	0 0830333	0 0969498	0 0737121	0 0887401
Gasoline	0 0156794	0 0165436	0 0230755	0 0171183	0 0136321	0 011845	0 012487	0 0218801	0 0210259	0 0195293	0 0174101	0 0209254	0 0149401	0 0192716
Ethanol-M	0 0015806	0 0016657	0 0019809	0 001561	0 0013429	0 0013087	0 001361	0 0019321	0 0018768	0 0017745	0 0016431	0 0019002	0 0014708	0 0017165
Ethanol-T	0 0016242	0 0017113	0 002039	0 0016041	0 0013779	0 001332	0 0013872	0 0019857	0 0019282	0 0018212	0 0016842	0 0019513	0 0015081	0 0017654
Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)	0 0185529	0 0213657	0 0229313	0 0176386	0 0149485	0 0136327	0 01653	0 0223407	0 0216036	0 0203306	0 0189214	0 0216102	0 0161994	0 0195339
Electricity	0 1234572	0 1342217	0 1701578	0 1313835	0 1129631	0 1189226	0 0998233	0 1663809	0 1603688	0 1504454	0 1375533	0 1544007	0 1153615	0 1411664
Fuelwood	0 064628	0 0692126	0 0971799	0 0759604	0 0711151	0 0495977	0 0506903	0 0897042	0 0892508	0 0823391	0 0717438	0 085339	0 0643374	0 0786052
Veg. Charcoal	0 0346926	0 0386968	0 046735	0 0351539	0 028792	0 0263816	0 0269766	0 0448407	0 0431417	0 0402391	0 0365109	0 0428359	0 0312833	0 0393259
Other	0 0042071	0 0048543	0 0044778	0 0035679	0 0031518	0 0029387	0 0031683	0 0044257	0 0042895	0 0040512	0 0038463	0 0043119	0 0034369	0 0039354
Civil Construction	0 0252073	0 0261958	0 0224094	0 020015	0 0197643	0 0228181	0 0291768	0 0244732	0 0239245	0 0237643	0 0245898	0 0263194	0 0205096	0 0202667
Financial/Commercial Services	0 667995	0 6914723	0 5185143	0 4862682	0 4962917	0 5254491	0 6229968	0 5543089	0 5460743	0 5379078	0 5470994	0 5429788	0 5191744	0 4867117
Commerce	0 289147	0 3876508	0 1938118	0 174096	0 1761034	0 1980184	0 217622	0 2143905	0 2099003	0 2066104	0 2200691	0 2110889	0 1944098	0 1850472
Transportation/Communication	1 099946	1 154468	1 412565	1 083785	0 9100129	0 7767153	0 8286128	1 347672	1 301714	1 211651	1 099615	1 308317	0 9873112	1 210232
Public Services	0 0313026	0 0292748	0 03335	0 0279929	0 0259127	0 0250912	0 0257777	0 0331189	0 0325892	0 0323501	0 0298128	0 0325287	0 0269786	0 028644
Private Services	0 3363263	0 3070151	0 2991738	0 2935641	0 2991438	0 300675	0 3128681	0 3031245	0 3050147	0 2938352	0 2972761	0 3021437	0 2886837	0 2570076
Carbon Dioxide Pollution	2 400458	2 533997	3 654975	2 681681	2 100707	1 780932	1 881326	3 447304	3 306233	3 060811	2 707705	3 279346	2 30311	3 029924

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	Oil	Gasoilne	Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T	Cms	Electricity	Firewood	Veg Char	Other	Construct	Financial	Commerce	Transport	Public	Private	CO2
Unskilled Ag. Labor	0.0045137	0.0015401	0.0119687	0.011501	0.0050935	0.011894	0.0064741	0.0066894	0.0049129	0.0040342	0.0032968	0.0031482	0.0066333	0.0046165	0.0048735	0.0061992
Skilled Ag. Labor	0.015113	0.0185448	0.0488963	0.0466794	0.0170518	0.0183774	0.0218661	0.0227873	0.0164196	0.0135874	0.0110401	0.0112178	0.0203461	0.0155686	0.0163267	0.0227308
Mgn/Prof Ag Labor	0.0068799	0.0010717	0.0046183	0.0043554	0.0009891	0.0013102	0.0014056	0.0007954	0.0007954	0.0097943	0.0066233	0.0066399	0.0011936	0.000901	0.0009095	0.0013316
Ag Capital	0.065313	0.1293869	0.4032588	0.3827299	0.1194062	0.1283945	0.1534098	0.1633347	0.0974698	0.0919331	0.0744659	0.076139	0.1437189	0.1051061	0.1071739	0.1614186
Unskilled Non-Ag Labor	0.114832	0.1725339	0.1477256	0.2013786	0.1546648	0.1584465	0.1681718	0.1787039	0.1506446	0.1616583	0.1545445	0.1504947	0.1689772	0.3736923	0.2240051	0.1649378
Skilled Non-Ag Labor	0.1303746	0.2201168	0.1670985	0.1960664	0.1873932	0.2023235	0.2011706	0.2031112	0.191405	0.218148	0.1809922	0.1937792	0.1874603	0.3537186	0.2425695	0.1833583
Mgn/Prof Non-Ag Labor	0.0528389	0.0750194	0.0731323	0.0625057	0.0671114	0.0742985	0.0744455	0.0732747	0.0713667	0.0773067	0.0724853	0.0665394	0.0738689	0.1468188	0.0889291	0.0731878
Non-Ag Capital	0.6473187	0.9198906	0.7818884	0.7820687	0.8055537	0.8790417	0.8485572	0.8411188	0.8284506	0.8827954	1.03148	0.9185045	0.8143245	0.8277792	0.8780472	0.8212168
Rural Capitalists	0.0732136	0.0883495	0.2341343	0.2229389	0.081719	0.0879615	0.1039501	0.1104089	0.070856	0.0659827	0.0497043	0.0512104	0.0985312	0.0649478	0.0699261	0.1113311
Rural Sm Producers	0.470126	0.0568277	0.1446548	0.137927	0.0323109	0.0563506	0.0679086	0.070637	0.0461044	0.0405594	0.0321569	0.0330735	0.0632536	0.0449171	0.0494629	0.0714171
Rural Workers/Tenant Farmers	0.1293228	0.0157255	0.0334095	0.0320694	0.0145056	0.0156221	0.0185419	0.0132747	0.011261	0.0090777	0.0092797	0.0092797	0.012638	0.0126398	0.0130445	0.0195766
Urban Mgn/Prof	0.0125591	0.0151699	0.0408155	0.0388335	0.0140267	0.0150993	0.0181873	0.018967	0.0122342	0.0108368	0.0085631	0.0088162	0.0169088	0.0119871	0.0120663	0.0190876
Urban Capitalists	0.333821	0.4660833	0.3812063	0.3815502	0.4053233	0.4412355	0.4435818	0.4411403	0.395279	0.4155844	0.493218	0.428697	0.4333183	0.3941533	0.4121928	0.4419339
Urban Sm Producers	0.1344603	0.1849679	0.1615522	0.1506568	0.1641233	0.1760186	0.184075	0.1838771	0.1571508	0.1703361	0.1773125	0.1594633	0.1804533	0.2358253	0.1808792	0.1851987
Urban Organized Workers	0.3059765	0.4324983	0.3510207	0.3611435	0.3768679	0.4087642	0.4132621	0.4132621	0.3637311	0.3870439	0.4398617	0.3901967	0.4024533	0.4139681	0.3938218	0.4106944
Urban Non-Organized Workers	0.1662135	0.2469734	0.1950542	0.2103133	0.2176121	0.2315963	0.2434665	0.2487489	0.2060071	0.2246688	0.199932	0.2021341	0.2338413	0.3716311	0.2584924	0.2388371
Export Agriculture	0.1537646	0.225264	0.1810745	0.1913116	0.1999368	0.2112479	0.2244495	0.2309254	0.1877083	0.2018768	0.1822262	0.1829236	0.2174582	0.3381334	0.2418915	0.2221755
Traditional Agriculture	0.1641334	0.1951404	0.1513433	0.1523989	0.1814314	0.1950665	0.2299587	0.2313131	0.1445935	0.1323216	0.1038745	0.1079278	0.1385544	0.1482034	0.1372969	0.2315494
Livestock	0.1452099	0.1764936	0.8491364	0.7991914	0.6285566	0.754101	0.2180558	0.2338325	0.1449255	0.1312893	0.1019605	0.1049962	0.1974133	0.1484988	0.1482034	0.2200375
Mineral Extraction	0.039925	0.0488914	0.0497449	0.0500633	0.044652	0.0481868	0.0548864	0.054742	0.0484649	0.060543	0.0308581	0.0307977	0.0522385	0.0427956	0.0475349	0.0581696
Non-Mineral Extraction	0.162844	0.0203329	0.0188807	0.0188286	0.0185606	0.0202967	0.0231516	0.0232212	0.0196063	0.0345363	0.0216189	0.0210437	0.0123285	0.0210437	0.0159956	0.0245385
Durable Consumer Goods	0.229689	0.2555424	0.0436219	0.045981	0.1754843	0.2653827	0.1880364	0.1543855	0.2338895	0.0440769	0.0321141	0.0502206	0.0668307	0.0485142	0.0410635	0.0730781
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	0.641009	0.8014281	0.6679763	0.6839274	0.7319199	0.7899548	0.8966571	0.9028396	0.8073769	0.8594549	0.5045347	0.5032876	0.8551494	0.6963062	0.7631811	0.9331556
Intermediate Goods	0.8155971	1.001901	0.8408425	0.8423321	0.9193321	1.001181	1.151501	1.154375	0.9408844	1.191916	0.5974845	0.6072348	1.103504	0.7696738	0.830565	1.233765
Capital Goods	0.1392339	0.1857667	0.1496105	0.1499912	0.1652144	0.1862317	0.2022557	0.1979489	0.2099365	0.1891424	0.105131	0.1077825	0.2004594	0.1539603	0.2017291	0.2036305
Coal (Coal Stream and Coke)	0.166764	0.0199332	0.0155761	0.0156322	0.0184987	0.0199827	0.0234409	0.0235328	0.0137035	0.0167936	0.0107753	0.0111809	0.0224609	0.0141691	0.014261	0.0235242
Bragasse	0.128033	0.013563	0.0128611	0.0129258	0.0143937	0.0155903	0.0180116	0.0180761	0.0139997	0.0160415	0.0091531	0.0094525	0.0212185	0.0119259	0.0122185	0.0193373
Kerosene	0.062129	0.0073872	0.0056827	0.0057276	0.0068739	0.0073796	0.0086998	0.0087476	0.0032962	0.0049893	0.0039377	0.0048726	0.0099272	0.0054391	0.0048899	0.0093099
Oil (diesel, fuel, naphtha)	1.106845	0.0962233	0.0772109	0.0773616	0.0890917	0.09615	0.1124886	0.1130137	0.0701561	0.0777616	0.0514348	0.048124	0.1246156	0.0697409	0.0638596	0.1219948
Gasoilne	0.017427	0.020686	0.0166959	0.015778	0.019254	0.0205791	0.0244009	0.024531	0.0145145	0.013882	0.0110454	0.0115173	0.0354987	0.0143724	0.0135686	0.0267206
Ethanol-M	0.0015132	0.0018772	0.0015153	0.0017202	0.0018472	0.0020976	0.0021065	0.0014683	0.0013738	0.0012442	0.0012499	0.0031633	0.0014865	0.0013719	0.0023394	0.0023394
Ethanol-T	0.0015564	0.0019271	0.0015536	0.0017674	0.0017674	0.0018975	0.0021585	0.001678	0.0015051	0.0014049	0.0012645	0.0032724	0.0015212	0.0014026	0.0023066	0.0023066
Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)	0.0173366	0.0216082	0.0166617	0.0169797	0.019776	0.0214389	0.0245209	0.0245992	0.0165211	0.0125228	0.0125405	0.0337928	0.0231505	0.0168696	0.0151315	0.0261854
Electricity	0.1267287	0.1527827	0.1208133	0.1218737	0.1413937	0.165495	0.1788743	0.1788279	0.113237	0.1175403	0.0861616	0.1394594	0.1792355	0.1377792	0.1113066	0.1931273
Firewood	0.071195	0.0843636	0.0679915	0.0681494	0.0785367	0.0884192	0.0999842	0.1004872	0.059593	0.0444036	0.0562773	0.0952901	0.0583115	0.0516099	0.1093361	0.1093361
Veg Charcoal	0.0322916	0.0423898	0.0325759	0.0330123	0.0392831	0.0442417	0.0494528	0.049743	0.0108041	0.0291338	0.0233702	0.0491243	0.0471049	0.0311253	0.0287377	0.0518499
Other	0.0033943	0.0042542	0.0034675	0.0035638	0.0038933	0.0041825	0.0047447	0.004755	0.00353	0.003139	0.0027054	0.0080516	0.0070009	0.0036409	0.003185	0.0030381
Civil Construction	0.0166998	0.0241664	0.0105526	0.0108122	0.0210547	0.0247878	0.0246034	0.0241662	0.0263214	0.0171147	0.0217676	0.0212754	0.0249346	0.0359823	0.0328496	0.0339136
Financial/Commercial Services	0.3856628	0.5568555	0.5093595	0.5254873	0.4848144	0.5468838	0.6818309	0.6818309	0.5468838	0.6818309	0.6818309	0.6818309	0.6818309	0.6818309	0.6818309	0.6818309
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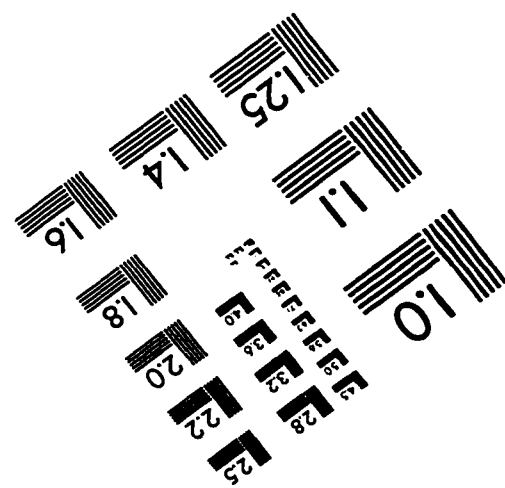
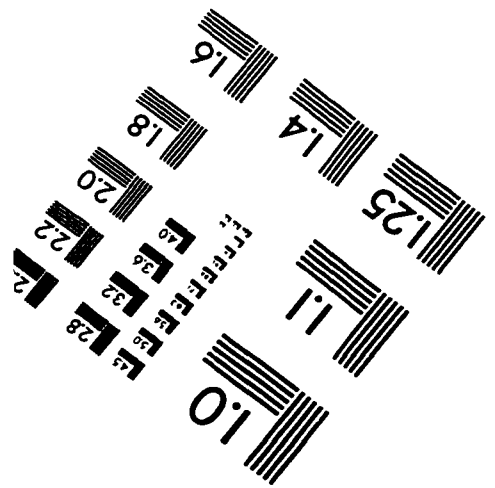
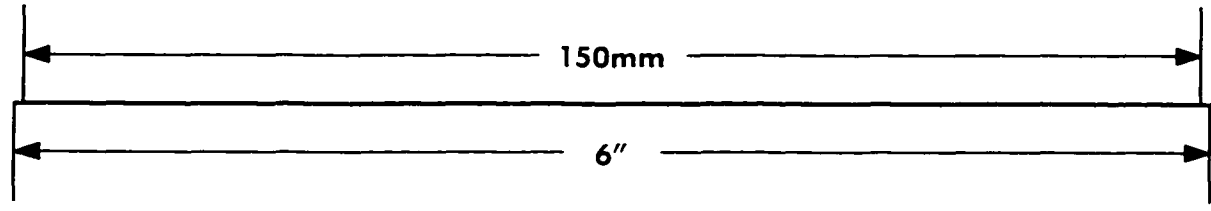
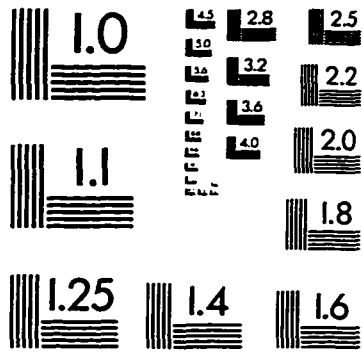
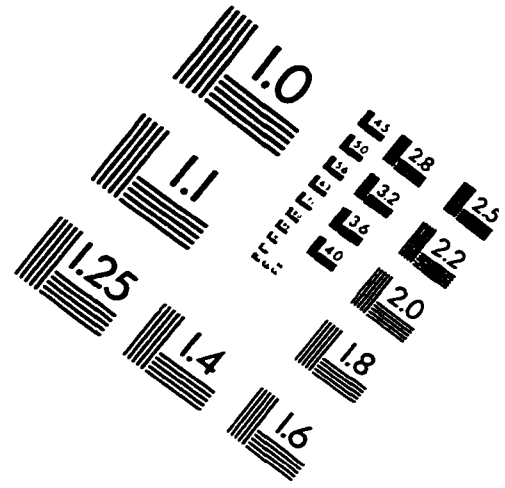
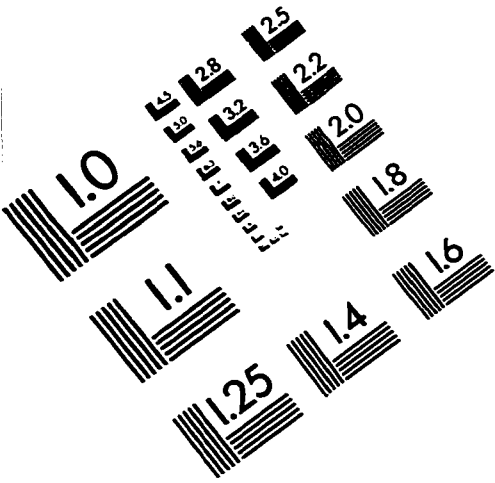
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	Ag-Export	Ag-Trad	Livestock	Minerals	Non-run	Cons-Dur	Com-ND	Intermed	Capital	Coal	Bagasse	Kerosene	Oil	Gasoline	
	A101	A102	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5	
Export Agriculture	A101	A102	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5	
Traditional Agriculture	A102	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5		
Livestock	A103	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5			
Mineral Extraction	A104	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5				
Non-Mineral Extraction	A105	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5					
Durable Consumer Goods	A106	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5						
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	A107	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5							
Intermediate Goods	A108	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5								
Capital Goods	A109	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5									
Coal (Coal Steam and Cokes)	E110-1	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5										
Bagasse	E110-2	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5											
Kerosene	E110-3	E110-4	E110-5												
Oil (diesel, fuel, naphtha)	E110-4	E110-5													
Gasoline	E110-5														
Ethanol-M															
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Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)															
Electricity															
Fuelwood															
Veg. Charcoal															
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		Ethanol-M	Ethanol-T	Gas	Electricity	Fuelwood	Veg Char	Other	Construct	Financial	Commerce	Transport	Public	Private
		E110-6	E110-7	E110-8	E110-9	E110-10	E110-11	E110-12	A111	A112	A113	A114	A115	A116
Export Agriculture	A101	1.2E-06	1.208E-06	1.438E-06	1.547E-06	1.823E-06	1.834E-06	1.146E-06	1.049E-06	8.235E-07	8.557E-07	1.737E-06	1.098E-06	1.089E-06
Traditional Agriculture	A102	6.732E-06	6.346E-06	1.291E-06	1.391E-06	1.729E-06	1.87E-06	1.149E-06	1.041E-06	8.084E-07	8.324E-07	1.565E-06	1.177E-06	1.175E-06
Livestock	A103	3.944E-07	3.969E-07	3.54E-07	3.82E-07	4.351E-07	4.398E-07	3.842E-07	2.858E-07	2.446E-07	2.442E-07	4.142E-07	3.393E-07	3.769E-07
Mineral Extraction	A104	1.57E-08	1.566E-08	1.544E-08	1.688E-08	1.925E-08	1.931E-08	1.631E-08	2.872E-08	1.049E-08	1.025E-08	1.833E-08	1.33E-08	1.427E-08
Non-Mineral Extraction	A105	1.119E-07	1.128E-07	4.305E-07	6.516E-07	4.613E-07	3.788E-07	5.787E-07	1.081E-07	7.879E-08	1.239E-07	1.64E-07	1.19E-07	1.007E-07
Durable Consumer Goods	A106	1.902E-07	1.909E-07	2.211E-07	2.38E-07	2.772E-07	2.786E-07	1.718E-07	2.007E-07	1.402E-07	1.413E-07	2.663E-07	1.76E-07	1.749E-07
Non-Durable Consumer Goods	A107	4.878E-07	4.994E-07	5.345E-07	5.768E-07	6.547E-07	6.593E-07	5.896E-07	4.279E-07	3.683E-07	3.675E-07	6.244E-07	5.086E-07	5.573E-07
Intermediate Goods	A108	4.782E-07	4.79E-07	5.228E-07	5.694E-07	6.549E-07	6.565E-07	5.464E-07	6.778E-07	3.398E-07	3.453E-07	6.276E-07	4.377E-07	4.723E-07
Capital Goods	A109	1.098E-07	1.101E-07	1.213E-07	1.367E-07	1.484E-07	1.453E-07	1.541E-07	1.388E-07	7.716E-08	7.911E-08	1.471E-07	1.13E-07	1.481E-07
Coal (Coal Steam and Coke)	E110-1	1.472E-08	1.478E-08	1.749E-08	1.889E-08	2.216E-08	2.224E-08	1.484E-08	1.587E-08	1.019E-08	1.057E-08	2.123E-08	1.339E-08	1.348E-08
Bagasse	E110-2	5.253E-09	5.28E-09	5.879E-09	6.368E-09	7.357E-09	7.384E-09	5.719E-09	6.553E-09	3.739E-09	3.861E-09	8.667E-09	4.871E-09	4.991E-09
Kerosene	E110-3	5.877E-10	5.923E-10	7.109E-10	7.632E-10	8.995E-10	9.047E-10	5.477E-10	5.16E-10	4.072E-10	5.039E-10	1.027E-09	5.625E-10	5.057E-10
Oil (diesel, fuel, naphtha)	E110-4	1.098E-08	1.103E-08	1.267E-08	1.367E-08	1.599E-08	1.607E-08	9.976E-09	1.035E-08	7.314E-09	9.687E-09	1.772E-08	9.917E-09	9.08E-09
Gasoline	E110-5	8.571E-10	8.616E-10	1.051E-09	1.129E-09	1.332E-09	1.34E-09	7.926E-10	7.58E-10	6.031E-10	6.289E-10	1.392E-09	7.848E-10	7.409E-10
Ethanol-M	E110-6	9.89E-08	1.506E-10	1.699E-10	1.824E-10	2.071E-10	2.08E-10	1.45E-10	1.357E-10	1.229E-10	1.234E-10	3.124E-10	1.468E-10	1.355E-10
Ethanol-T	E110-7	4.341E-10	2.799E-07	4.939E-10	5.302E-10	6.032E-10	6.058E-10	4.206E-10	3.926E-10	3.535E-10	3.564E-10	9.144E-10	4.251E-10	3.919E-10
Gas (LPG, city gas, natural gas)	E110-8	6.362E-09	6.484E-09	3.894E-07	8.186E-09	9.363E-09	9.393E-09	6.309E-09	5.824E-09	4.789E-09	1.29E-08	8.84E-09	6.442E-09	5.778E-09
Electricity	E110-9	6.263E-08	6.318E-08	7.33E-08	6.042E-07	9.221E-08	9.271E-08	5.87E-08	6.093E-08	4.467E-08	7.23E-08	9.224E-08	7.143E-08	5.77E-08
Fuelwood	E110-10	5.39E-07	5.403E-07	6.227E-07	6.693E-07	8.72E-06	7.967E-07	4.748E-07	4.701E-07	3.521E-07	4.462E-07	7.555E-07	4.664E-07	4.441E-07
Veg Charcoal	E110-11	2.583E-07	2.617E-07	3.114E-07	3.349E-07	3.911E-07	3.913E-06	2.441E-07	2.311E-07	1.855E-07	3.895E-07	3.755E-07	2.468E-07	2.278E-07
Other	E110-12	4.178E-09	4.194E-09	4.692E-09	5.04E-09	5.717E-09	5.155E-09	1.299E-06	3.783E-09	3.26E-09	9.702E-09	8.436E-09	4.387E-09	3.838E-09
Civil Construction	A111	5.075E-08	5.118E-08	3.498E-08	4.118E-08	4.087E-08	4.056E-08	4.371E-08	1.779E-06	1.026E-07	3.534E-08	4.142E-08	5.977E-08	4.294E-08
Financial/Commercial Services	A112	5.048E-07	5.208E-07	4.805E-07	5.423E-07	5.52E-07	5.519E-07	6.758E-07	4.806E-07	2.152E-06	4.859E-07	5.2E-07	8.042E-07	5.27E-07
Commerce	A113	3.427E-07	3.658E-07	3.381E-07	3.665E-07	3.809E-07	3.842E-07	3.919E-07	3.395E-07	3.252E-07	2.159E-06	3.636E-07	4.442E-07	3.6E-07
Transportation/Communication	A114	1.534E-06	1.552E-06	1.804E-06	1.932E-06	2.253E-06	2.266E-06	1.486E-06	1.337E-06	1.095E-06	1.17E-06	3.672E-06	1.462E-06	1.329E-06
Public Services	A115	4.77E-08	4.839E-08	5.124E-08	5.533E-08	6.194E-08	6.213E-08	4.62E-08	4.18E-08	3.697E-08	3.875E-08	5.883E-08	1.841E-06	4.627E-08
Private Services	A116	1.291E-06	1.305E-06	1.171E-06	1.278E-06	1.334E-06	1.337E-06	1.235E-06	1.204E-06	1.268E-06	1.154E-06	1.331E-06	1.549E-06	5.708E-06
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