

PETROBRAS - PETROLEO BRASILEIRO SA
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of February, 2012

Commission File Number 1-15106

PETRÓLEO BRASILEIRO S.A. - PETROBRAS
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Brazilian Petroleum Corporation - PETROBRAS
(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

Avenida República do Chile, 65
20031-912 - Rio de Janeiro, RJ
Federative Republic of Brazil
(Address of principal executive office)

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Yes No

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This report on Form 6-K is incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement on Form F-3 of Petróleo Brasileiro -- Petrobras (No. 333-163665).

2011: Net Income of R\$ 33.3 billion

Rio de Janeiro, February 9th, 2012 – Petróleo Brasileiro S.A. - Petrobras discloses its consolidated results for the fourth quarter and for the 2011 fiscal year, according to international financial reporting standards (IFRS).

The Company's net income in 2011 was R\$ 33.3 billion (R\$ 2.55 per share) 5% lower than its 2010 net income of R\$ 35.2 billion (R\$ 3.57 per share). Gross profit was R\$ 77.2 billion in 2011, 1% higher than its 2010 gross profit of (R\$ 76.2 billion).

Despite higher domestic sales of 6% as compared to 2010, notably higher sales of diesel oil (+9%), gasoline (+24%) and Jet Fuel (+12%), higher operating expenses and higher purchase costs of oil and imports of oil products, contributed for the lower figures.

In the segmented result, higher oil prices and output in 2011 affected the result of the Exploration & Production (E&P) segment. However, the Supply segment was negatively affected because of higher oil prices.

Net Income per segment (R\$ million) ¹

Segments⁽¹⁾	2011	2010
Exploration & Production	40,594	29,691
Supply	(9,955)	3,729
Other Segments⁽²⁾	6,076	3,746

Company's profit (1) Includes intersegment transactions that are eliminated for calculating the

(2) Excluding Corporate Segment

Investments in 2011 totaled R\$ 73 billion, of which most went to the E&P (47%) and Supply (37%) segments. Cash flow from operating activities continued to be the main source of financing of investments and reached R\$ 56 billion for the year.

Furthermore, the Company announces that its 2012 Annual Business Plan of R\$ 87,545 million was approved. The table below shows planned investment amounts per segment.

2012 Annual Business Plan

Segments	Investments	
	R\$ Million	%
Exploration & Production	41,838	47,8%
Supply	33,010	38%
Gas & Energy	4,400	5,0%
International	4,161	4,8%
Distribution	1,361	1,6%
Biofuels	1,339	1,5%
Corporate	1,436	1,6%
TOTAL	87,545	100%

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: February 9, 2012

PETRÓLEO BRASILEIRO S.A--PETROBRAS

By:

/s/ Almir Guilherme Barbassa

Almir Guilherme Barbassa
Chief Financial Officer and Investor Relations
Officer

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