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Quo Vadis Brazil?

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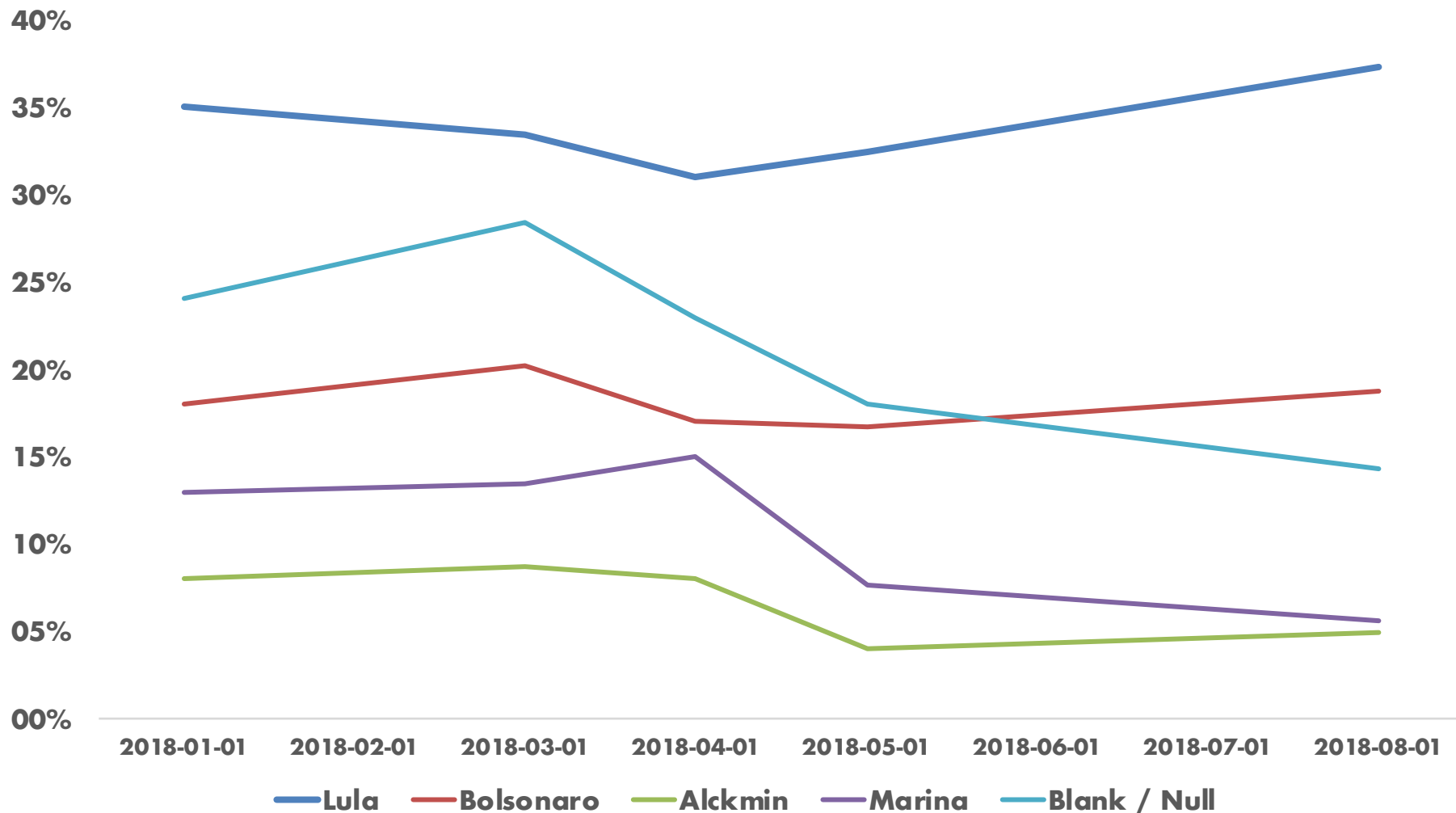
Politics

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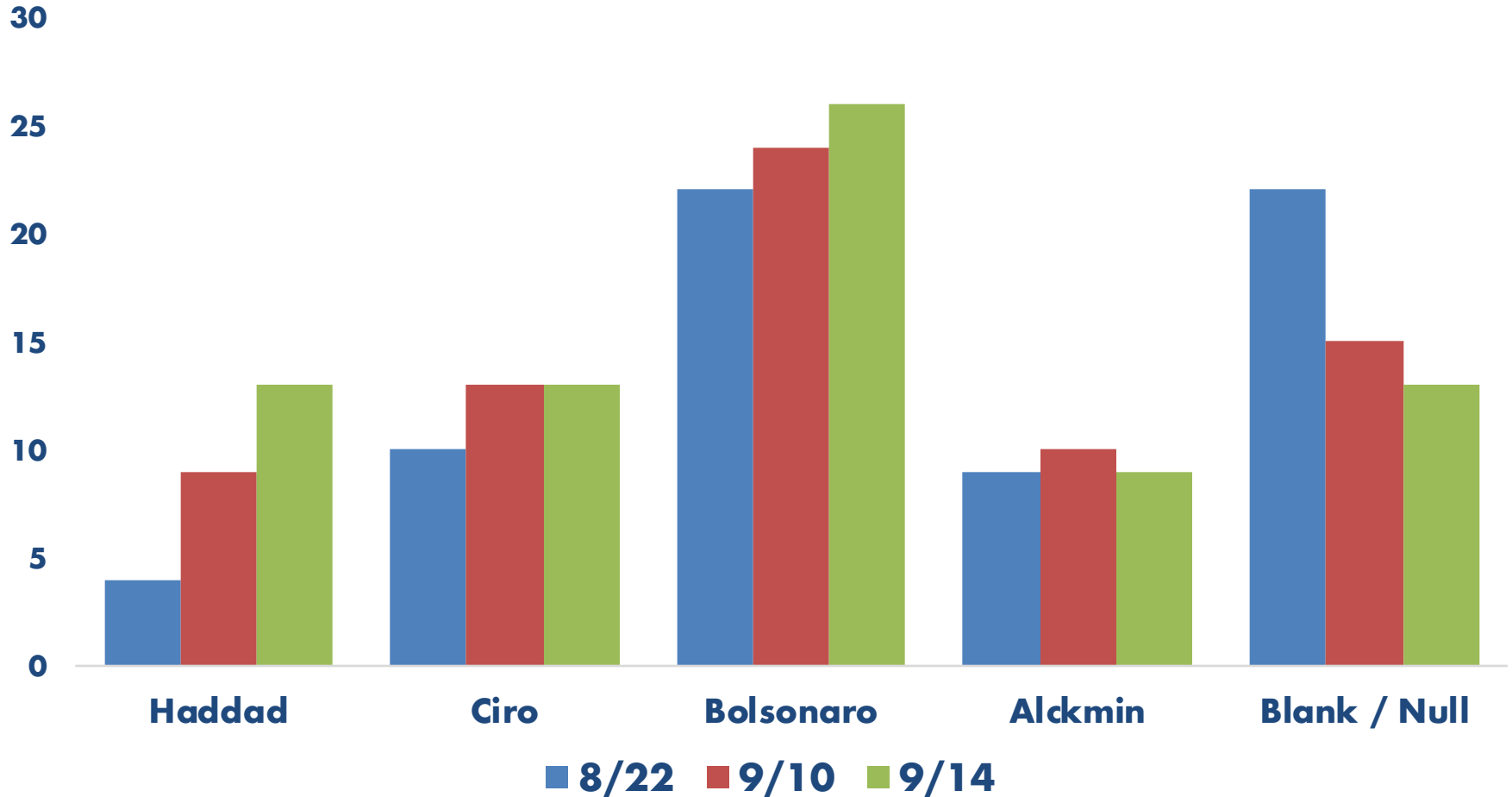
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Electoral Polls With Lula



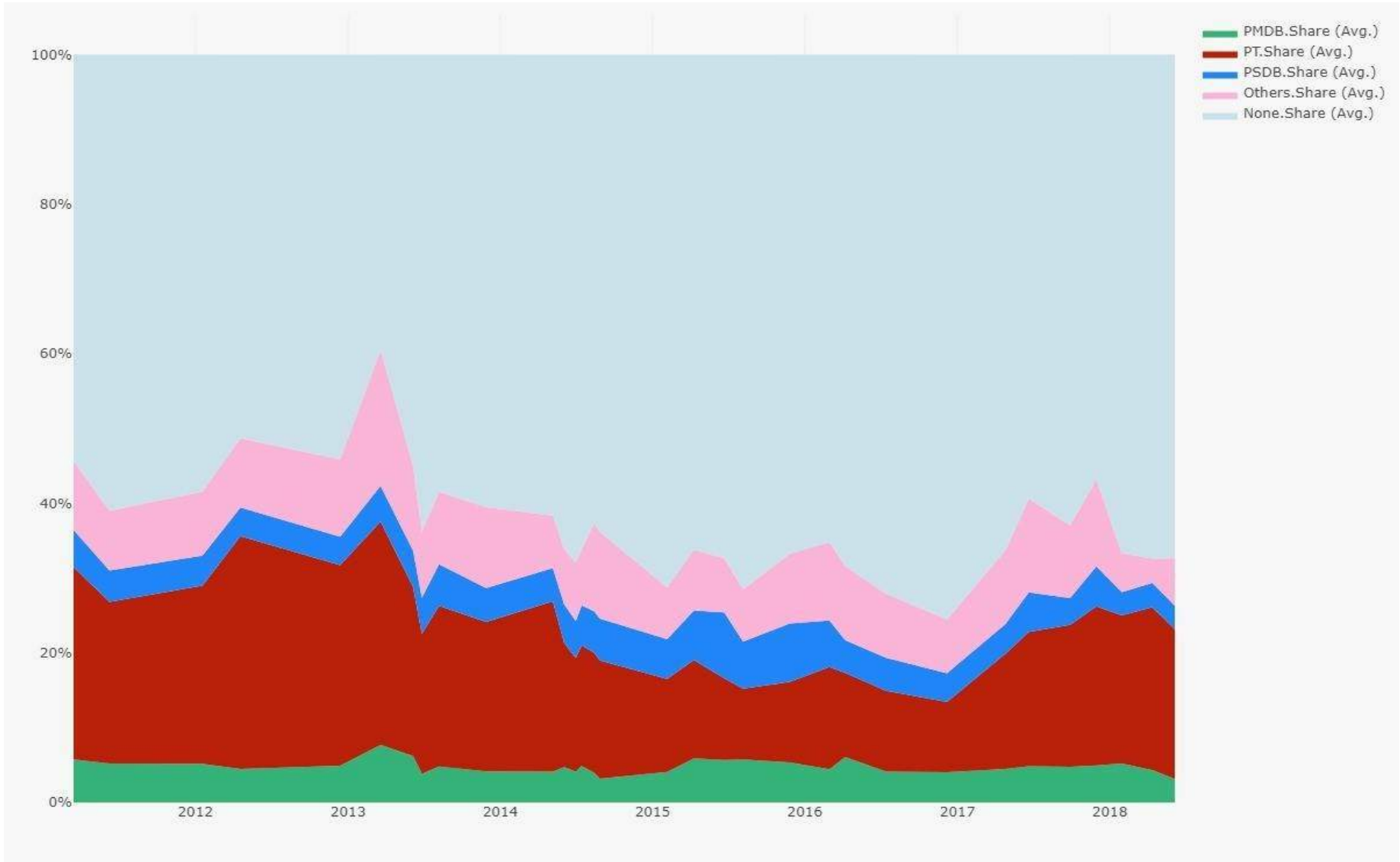
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Electoral Polls Without Lula %



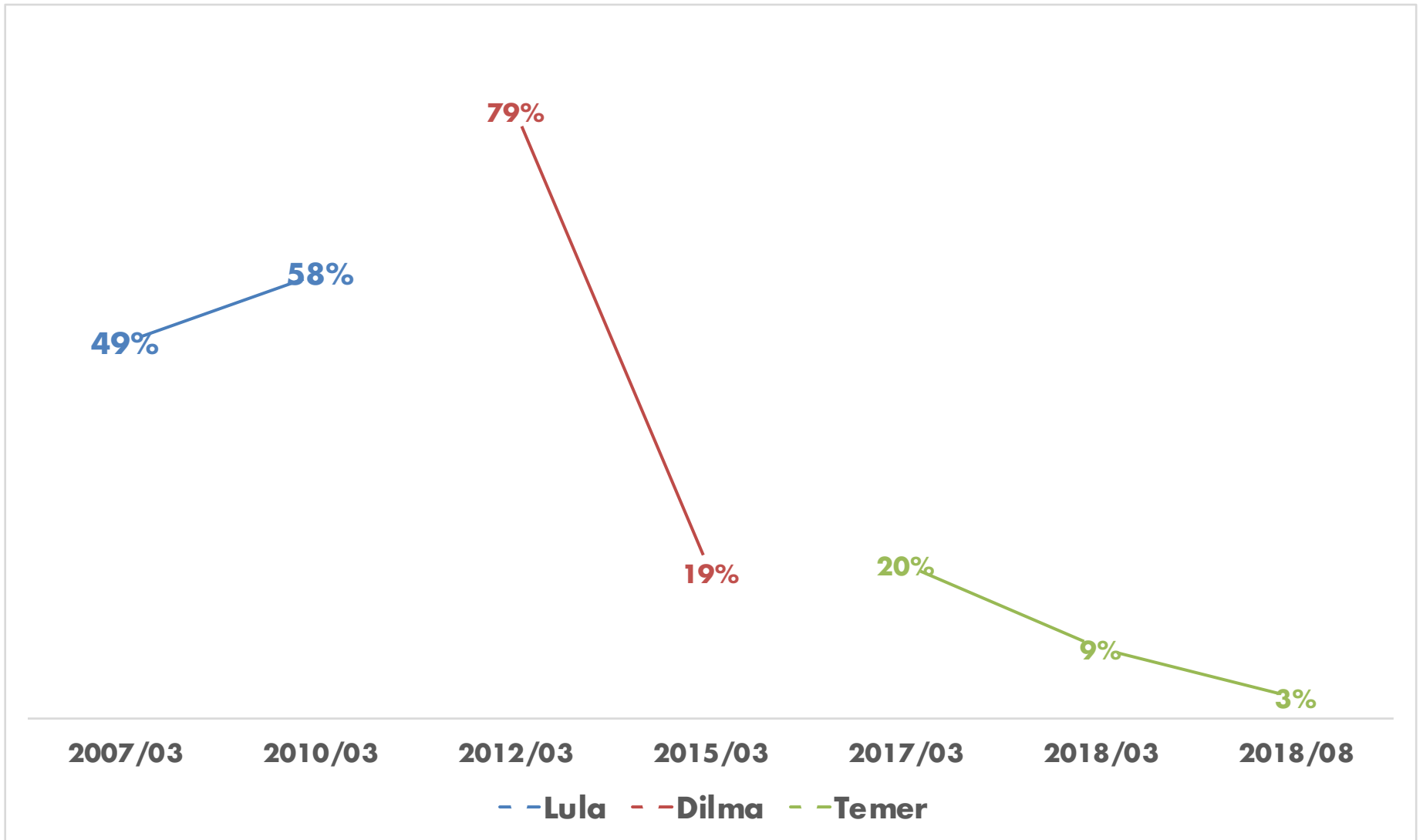
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Party Preferences



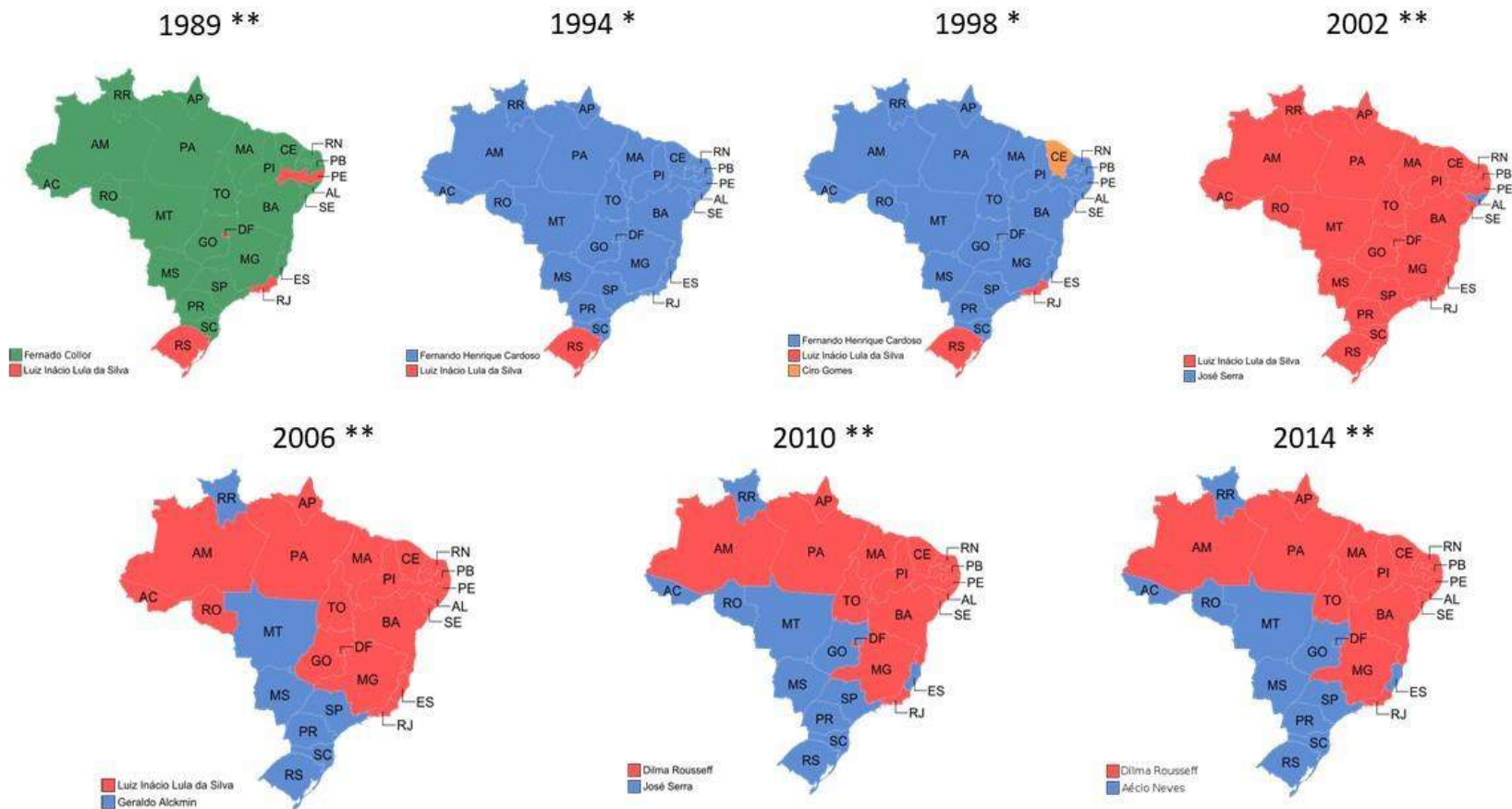
Source: Emerson Cervi

Presidential Approval



Source: CNI-IBOPE and CNT-MDA

Previous Presidential Elections

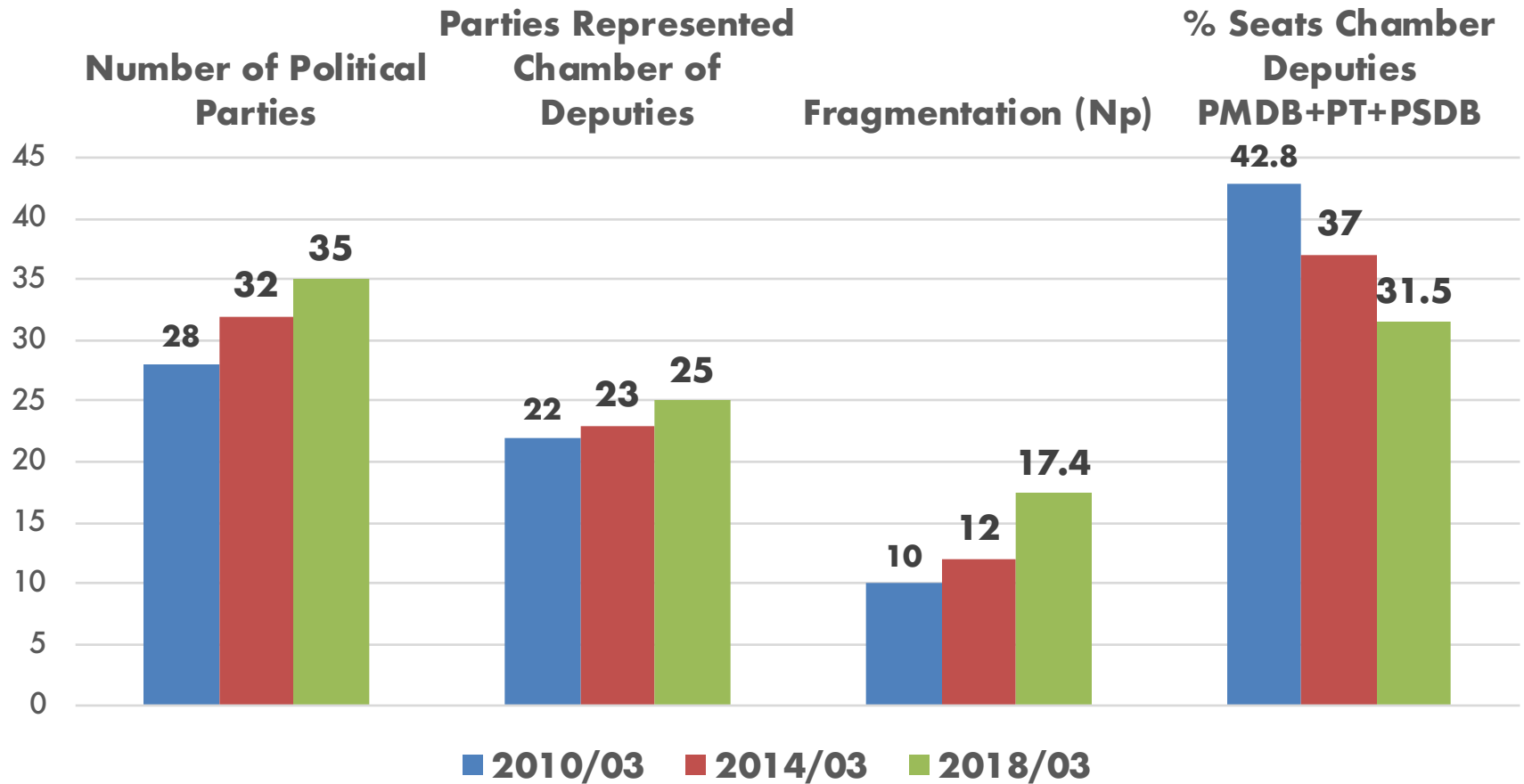


* Indica resultado em primeiro turno, pois não houve o segundo

** Indica o resultado em segundo turno

Source: TSE, Rogerio Arantes and Emerson Cervi

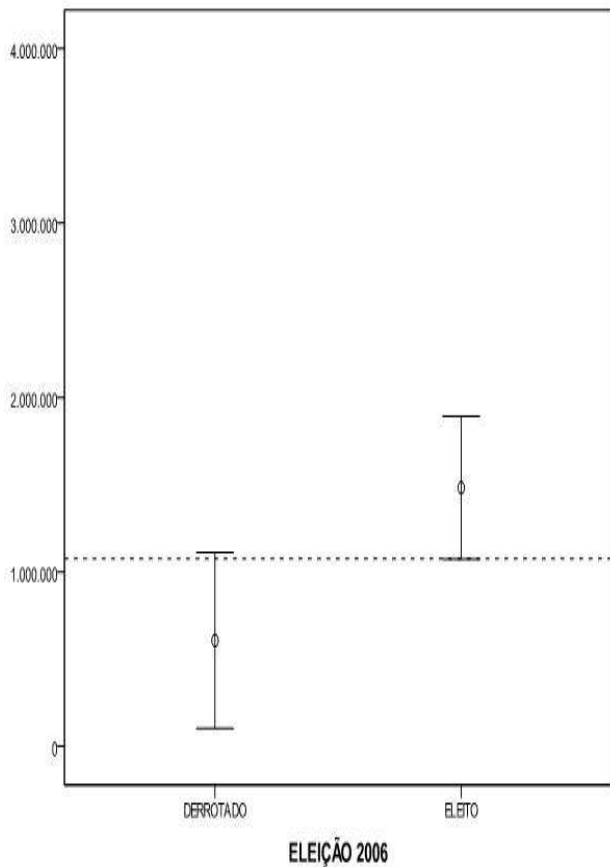
Political Fragmentation



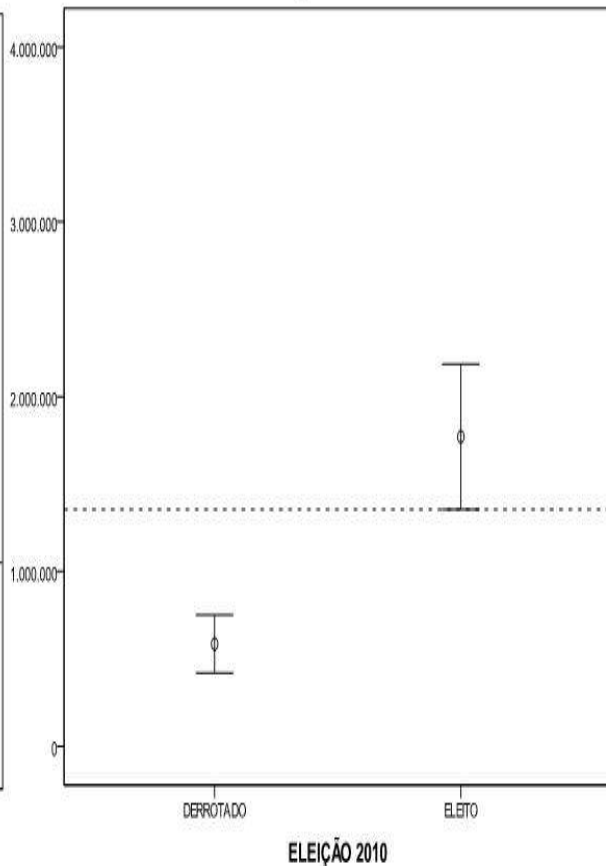
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Plutocratic Tendencies

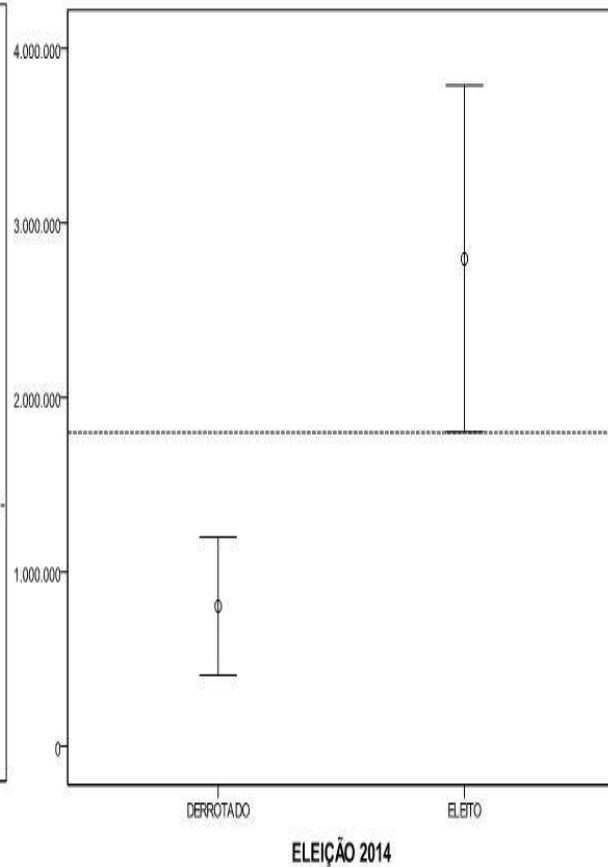
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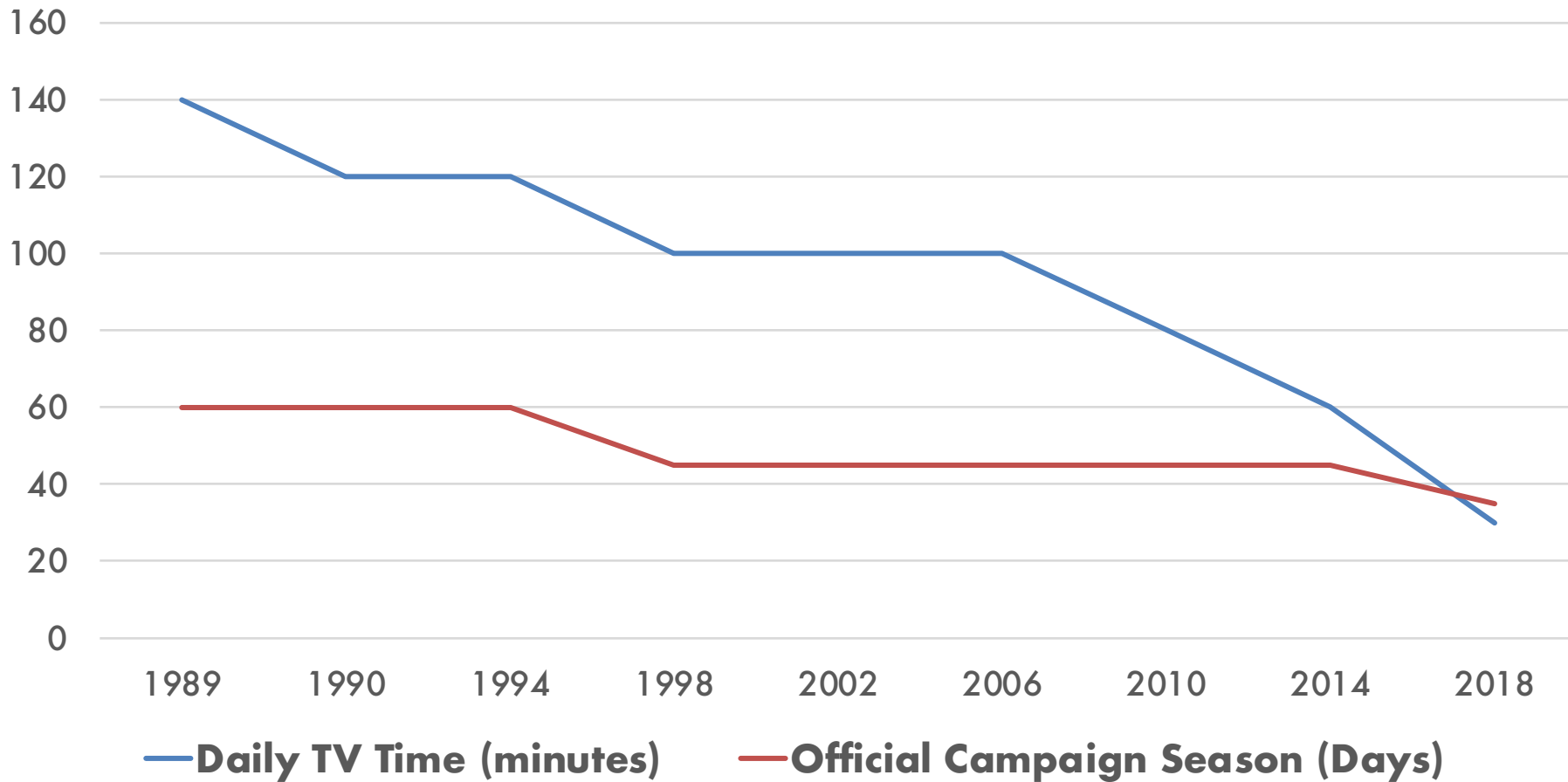


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Source: Emerson Cervi

Political Campaign



Source: Rogerio Arantes

Democracies don't die, they are killed

2015 March

Petrobras corruption scandal and Car Wash Operation. Hundreds of thousands protest against President Rousseff.

2015 August

Defeated presidential candidate Aécio Neves (PSDB) demand Dilma Rousseff's resignation. The Workers' Party (PT) is blamed by the opposition and public opinion for the corruption scandal and the faulty economic situation.

2015 October

PMDB dissolves the alliance with PT. Top finance court (TCU) accuses government of breaking **fiscal laws** to offset 2014 budget shortfall.

2015 December

Led by Eduardo Cunha (PMDB), the Chamber of Deputies launches impeachment proceedings against President Rousseff. Brazil's GDP growth in 2015 was -3,8%.

2016 April

Lower house of Congress votes in favor of impeachment motion against President Dilma Rousseff. The PT accuses opponents of launching a media and parliament led coup d'état.

2016 May

Senate votes in favor of subjecting President Rousseff to an impeachment trial. She is suspended pending the trial.

2016 August

Senators vote to remove President Dilma Rousseff from office for supplement the budget without previous Congress authorization. Michel Temer (PMDB) is sworn in to serve until 2018. PSDB takes part in the new all white/male cabinet.

2016 November

The new government starts a very aggressive austerity program, trying to revert social, environment, and civil rights initiatives from the Lula-Rousseff governments.

2016 December

Congress changes the Constitution to approve a 20-year long freeze on social spending. Brazil's GDP growth in 2016 was -3,5% compared with previous year, making the worst recession since 1929.

2017 January

Prison riots and deteriorating social conditions are met by President Temer decision to increase the use of Armed Forces in public order missions.

2017 April

Massive protests and a general strike against additional bills reducing pensions and labor rights.

2017 May

Temer (PMDB) and PSDB leader Aécio Neves face direct corruption charges against them. Supreme Court and Congress are reluctant to press the case.

2017 June

Brazil's Top Electoral Court acquits Rouseff-Temer ticket regarding accusations of electoral fraud in 2014. Lula is ahead in electoral opinion polls and the Workers Party are still the most preferred party (by a minority of 18% respondents).

Democracies don't die, they are killed

2017 July

Judge Moro sentences former president Lula to nine and half years in prison on corruption and money laundering charges in connection with the Petrobras investigation.

2017 August

Temer government announces plans to privatize Eletrobras, the Petrobras subsidiary that produces 40% of Brazil's electricity.

2017 August

President Temer abolishes the 46,000 sq km National Reserve of Copper and Associates (Renca) ecological reserve, in northern Brazil. 20 domestic and multinational firms have expressed interest in the area's deposits of gold, copper, tantalum, iron ore, nickel and manganese. An injunction against the Renca extinction is issued and the presidential decision override.

2017 October

Brazil's Chamber of Deputies voted 233-251 on a motion to approve impeachment proceedings against President Michel Temer. But the motion required a two-thirds majority (342 votes) to proceed. Brazil auctions offshore oil leases to Exxon Mobil, Statoil and Royal Dutch Shell.

2017 December

Marcelo Odebrecht released from prison after two and a half years. Seven years of his reduced sentence remained but he'd been greenlighted to serve the remainder of his sentence at his luxury home in Sao Paulo. Originally sentenced to 9 years, Odebrecht's sentence was reduced in return for his cooperation in Operation Car Wash.

2018 January-March

Petrobras announced it would pay \$2.95 billion to settle a shareholder lawsuit in the United States stemming from the bribes and kickbacks in the Operation Car Wash scandal.

An appeals court upheld the corruption conviction of Lula, by far the frontrunner in the upcoming presidential election. It also increased his sentence to twelve years.

On March 14th Marielle Franco is assassinated along with her driver in a drive-by shooting in Rio de Janeiro.

2018

In April, judge Moro orders the arrest of Lula to begin serving a 12-year sentence for corruption. Following a three-day stand-off at the steelworkers' union building in São Bernardo do Campo, Lula surrenders to police. He maintains his innocence, but will comply with the arrest after two failed appeals to have the warrant withdrawn.

Elections are scheduled to be held in Brazil in October 2018 to elect the President and Vice President, the National Congress, state Governors and Vice Governors and state Legislative Assemblies. **Lula continues to lead the polls even in jail.** Fernando Haddad (PT) is chosen to substitute Lula if he is not allowed to run.

Brazilian Political System

- Democracy cum *Machtergreifung* ?
- Freedom House 79/100...
- Presidentialism
- Decentralized federalism
- Symmetric and Incongruent Bicameralism
- Proportional Representation
- Single Majority for the Senate
- Strong Judicial System, Weak Executive Branch
- **Open list electoral system**
- **High magnitude electoral districts (mean = 19)**
- **Campaign financing as % of income/profits**
- Multipartism (35 parties, $N_p = 17,4$)
- Main Parties (MDB, PT, and PSDB) < 32% seats

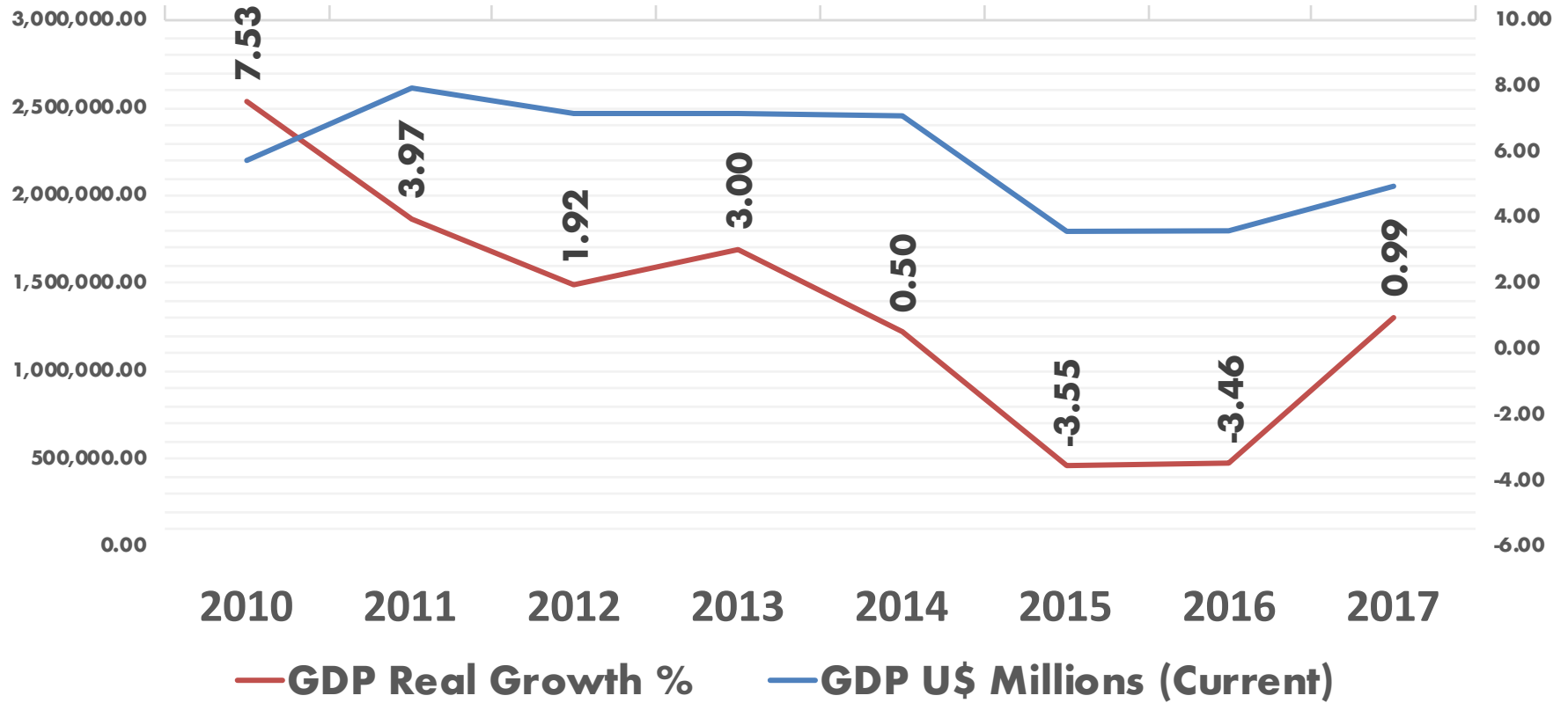
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Economy



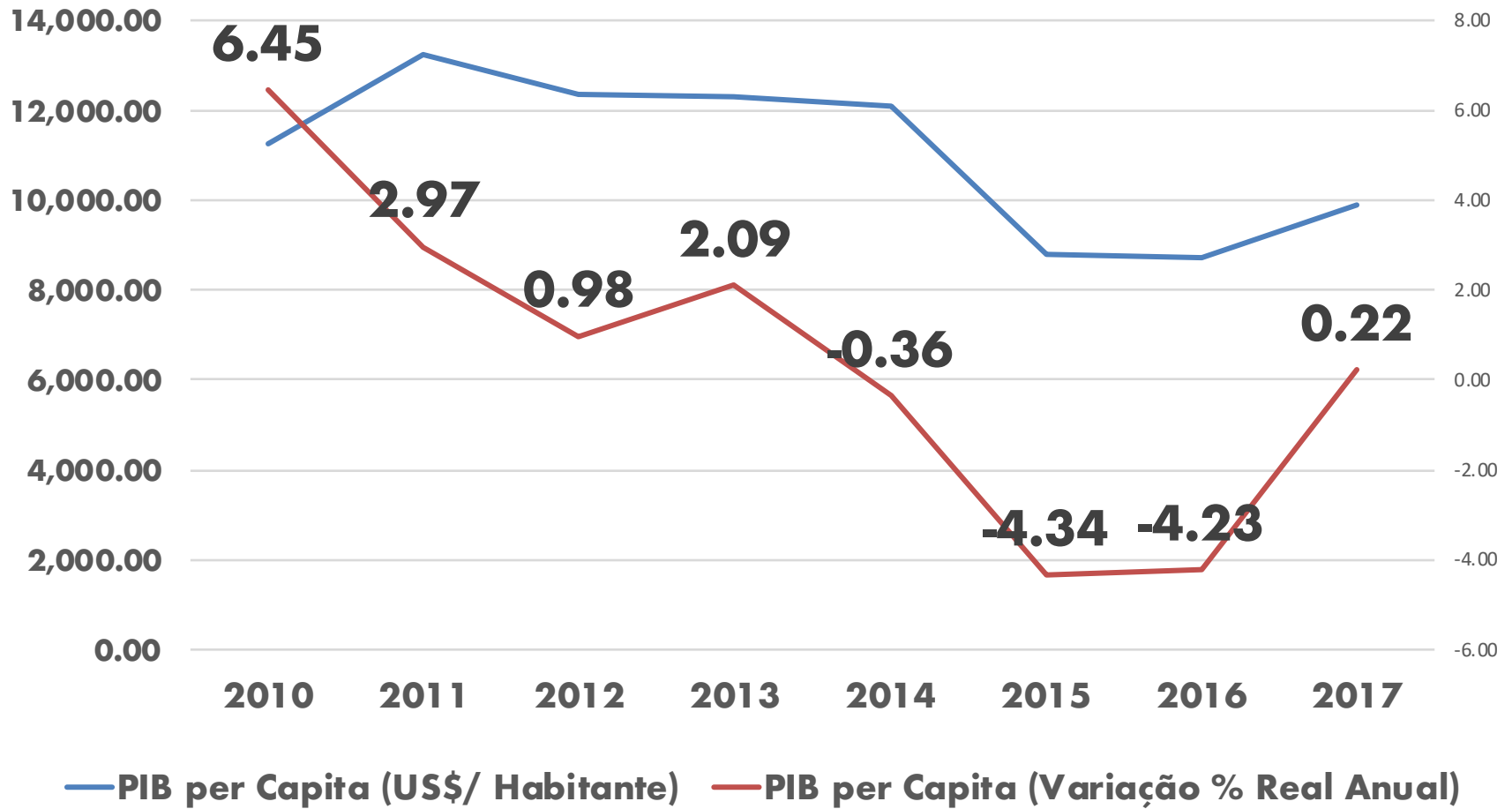
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GDP



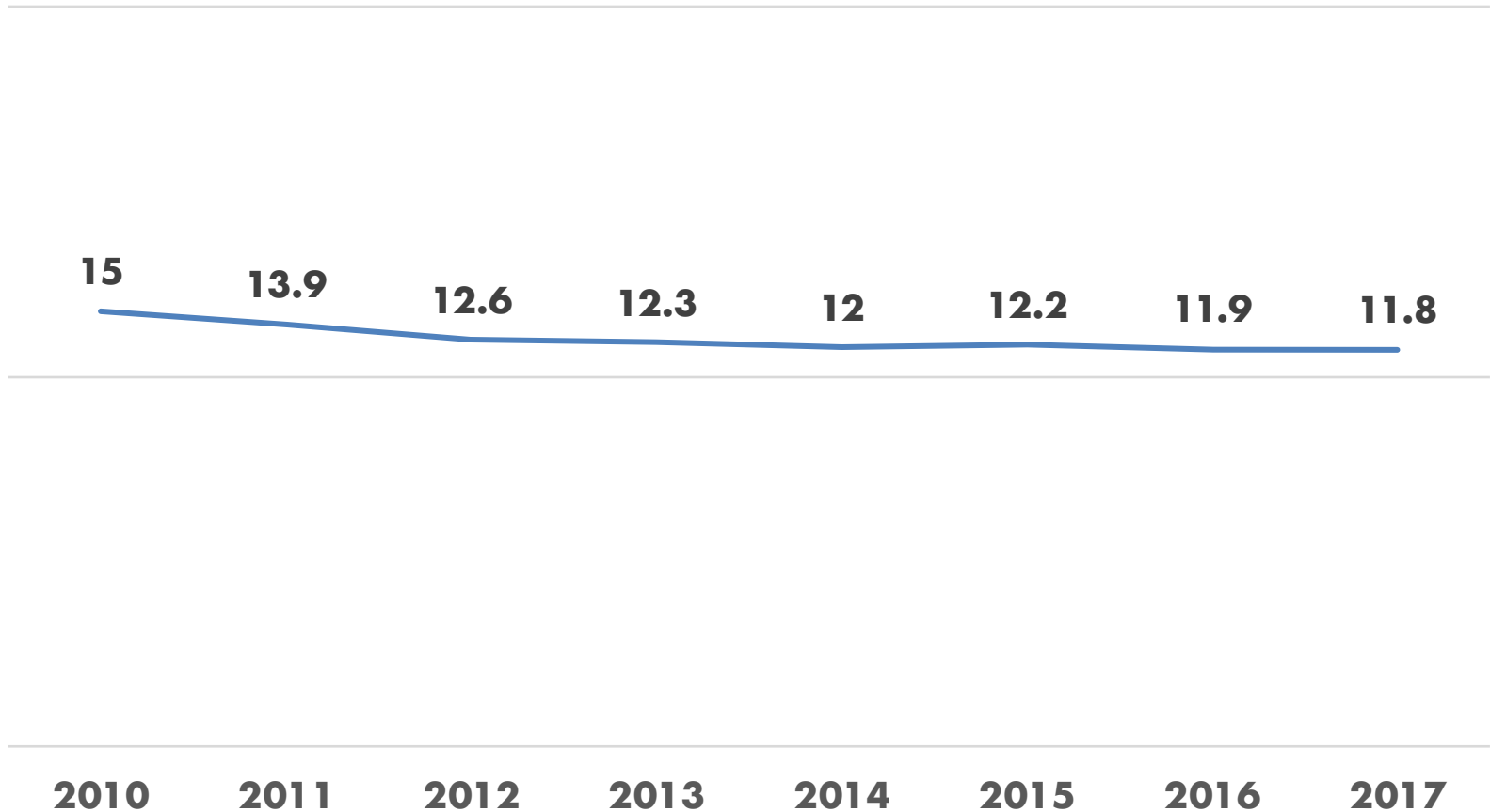
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GDP Per Capita



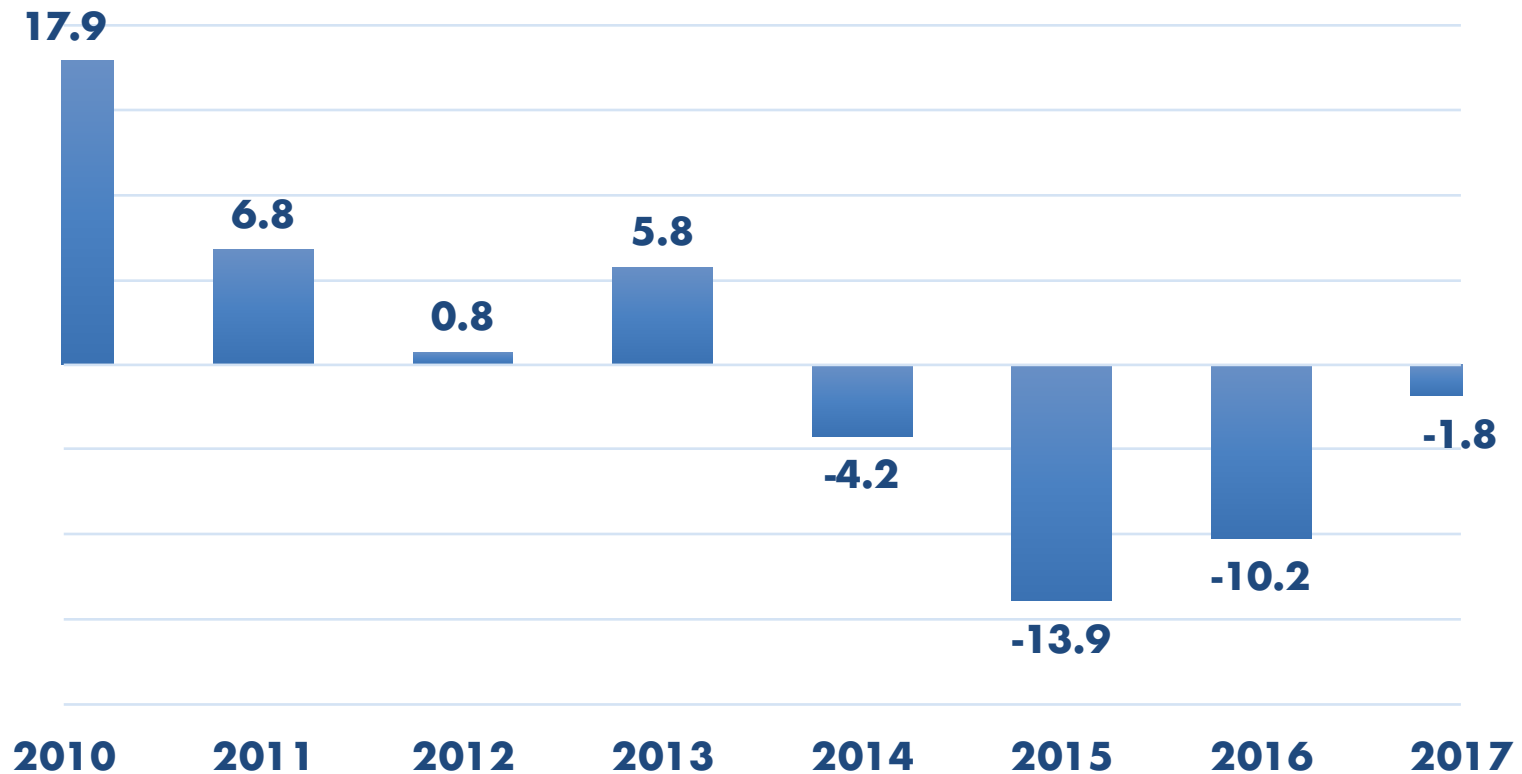
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Industry as % of GDP



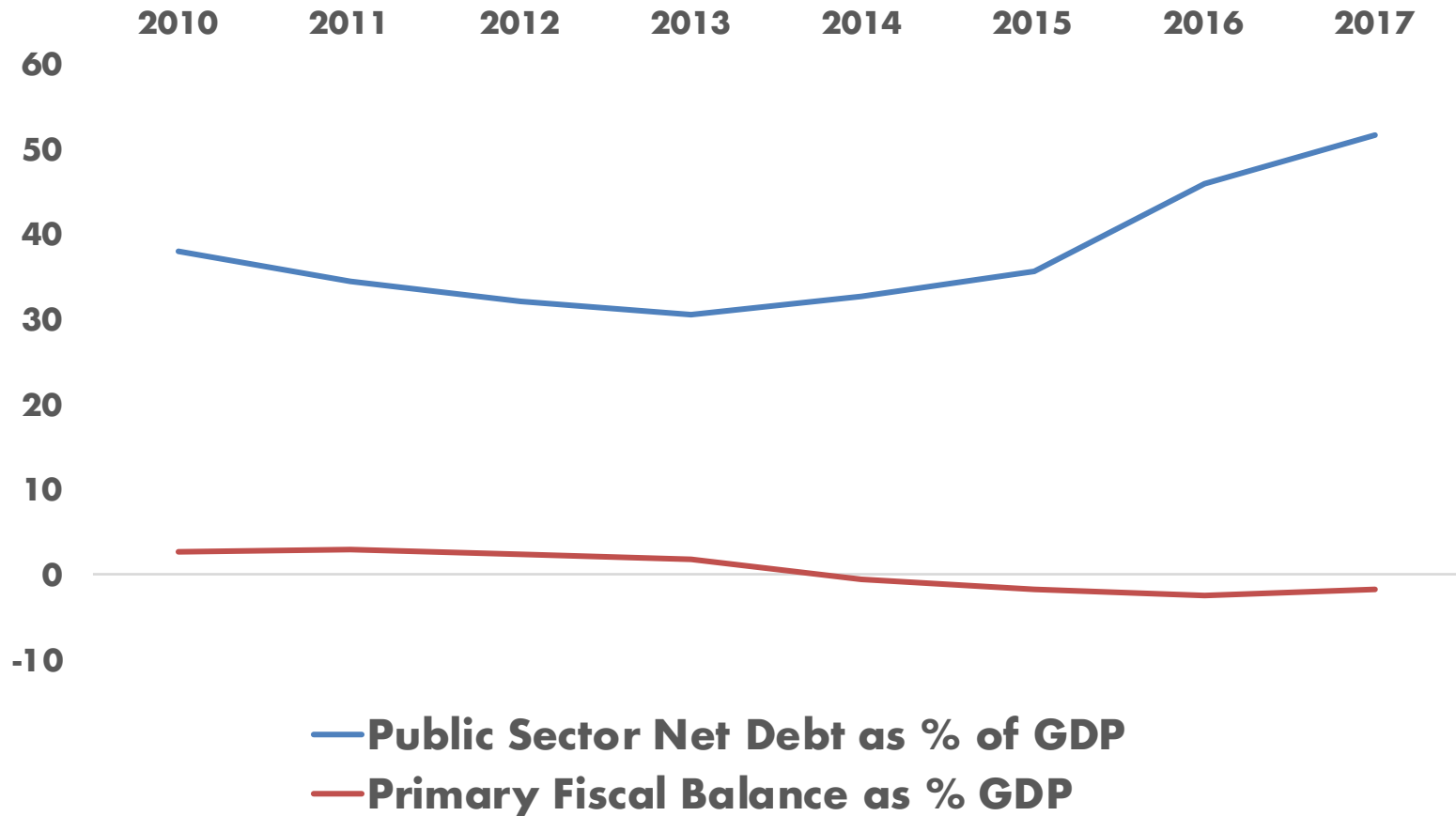
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Gross Fixed Capital Formation



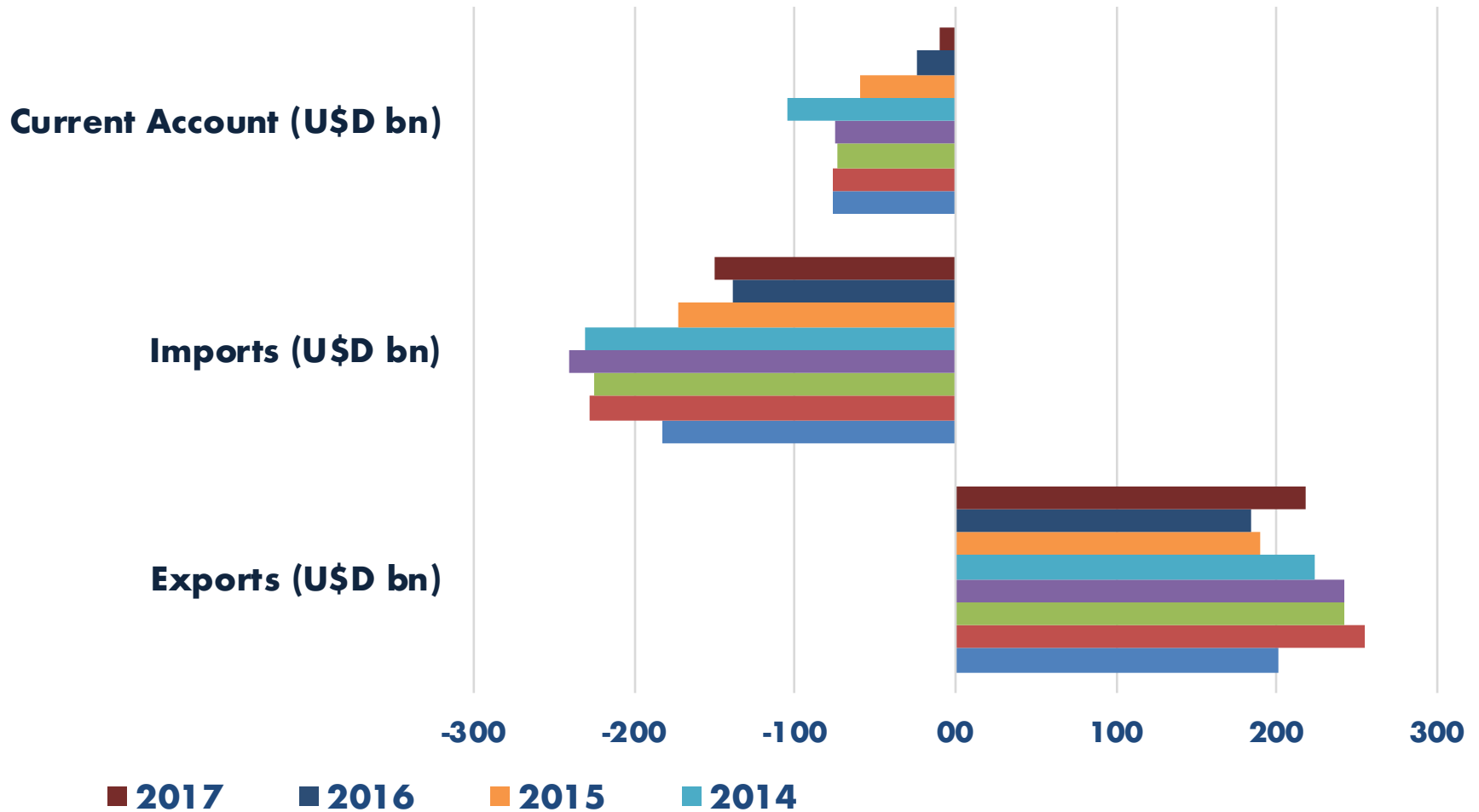
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Fiscal Public Sector



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Balance of Payments



Source: BCB

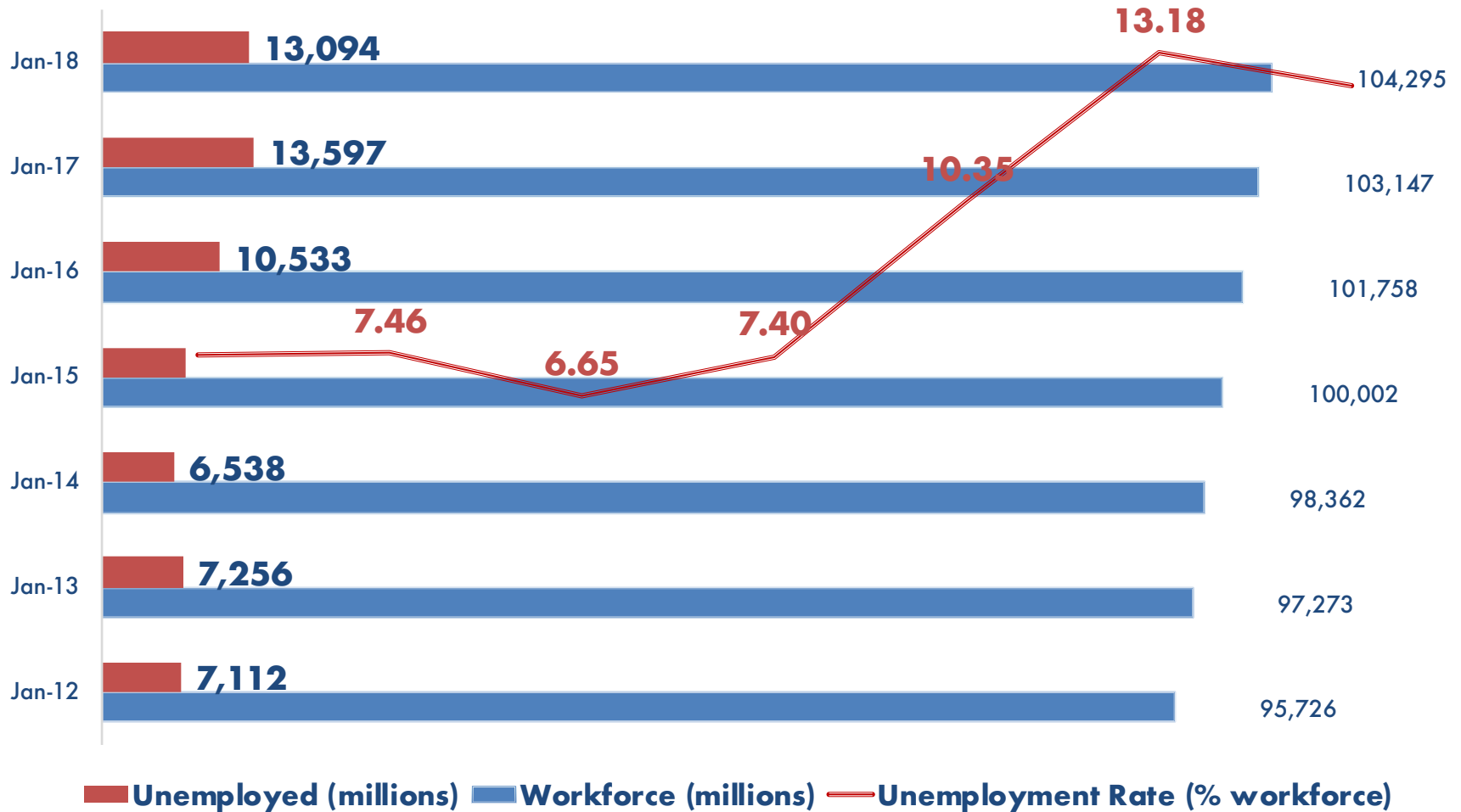
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Society



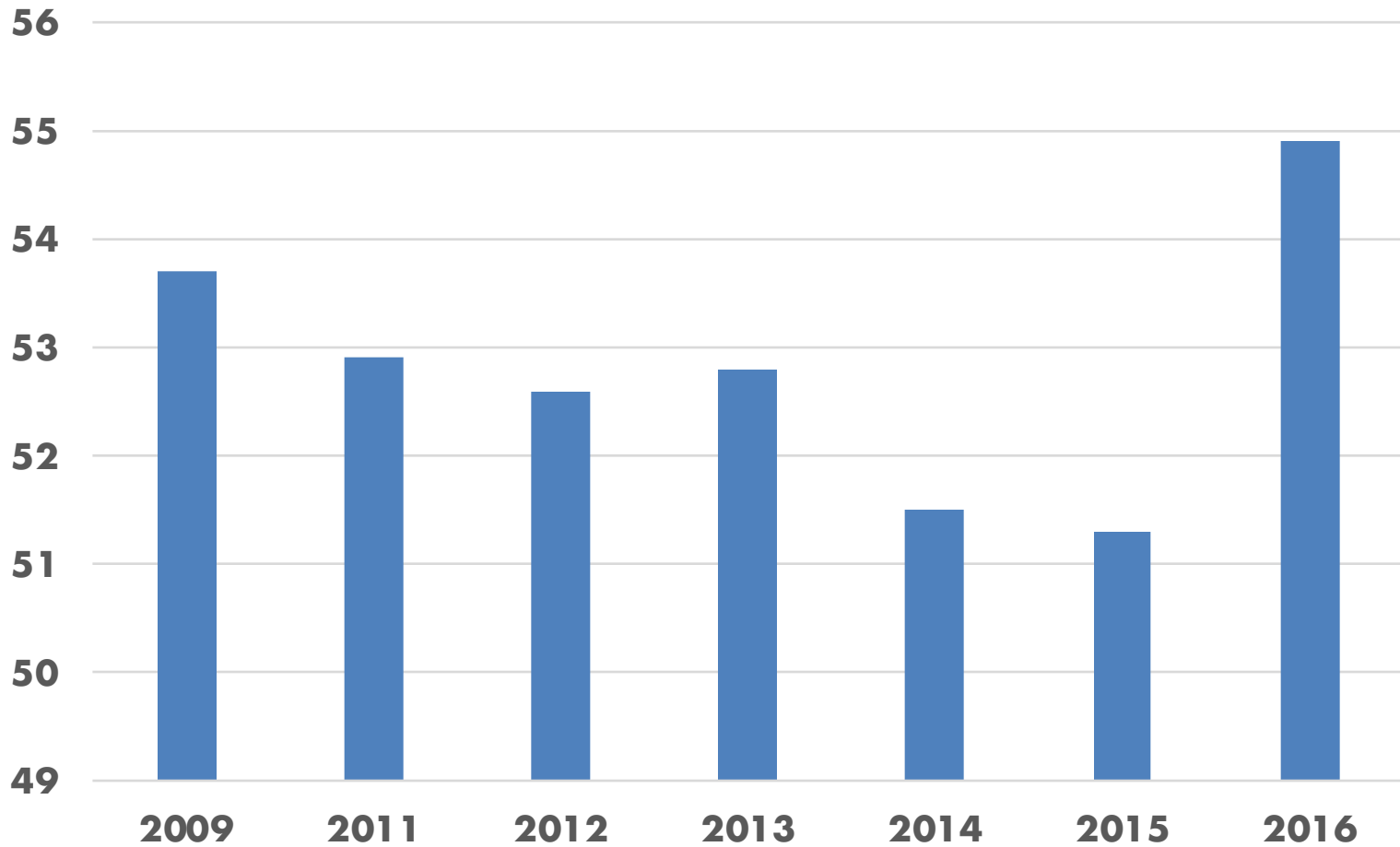
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Unemployment



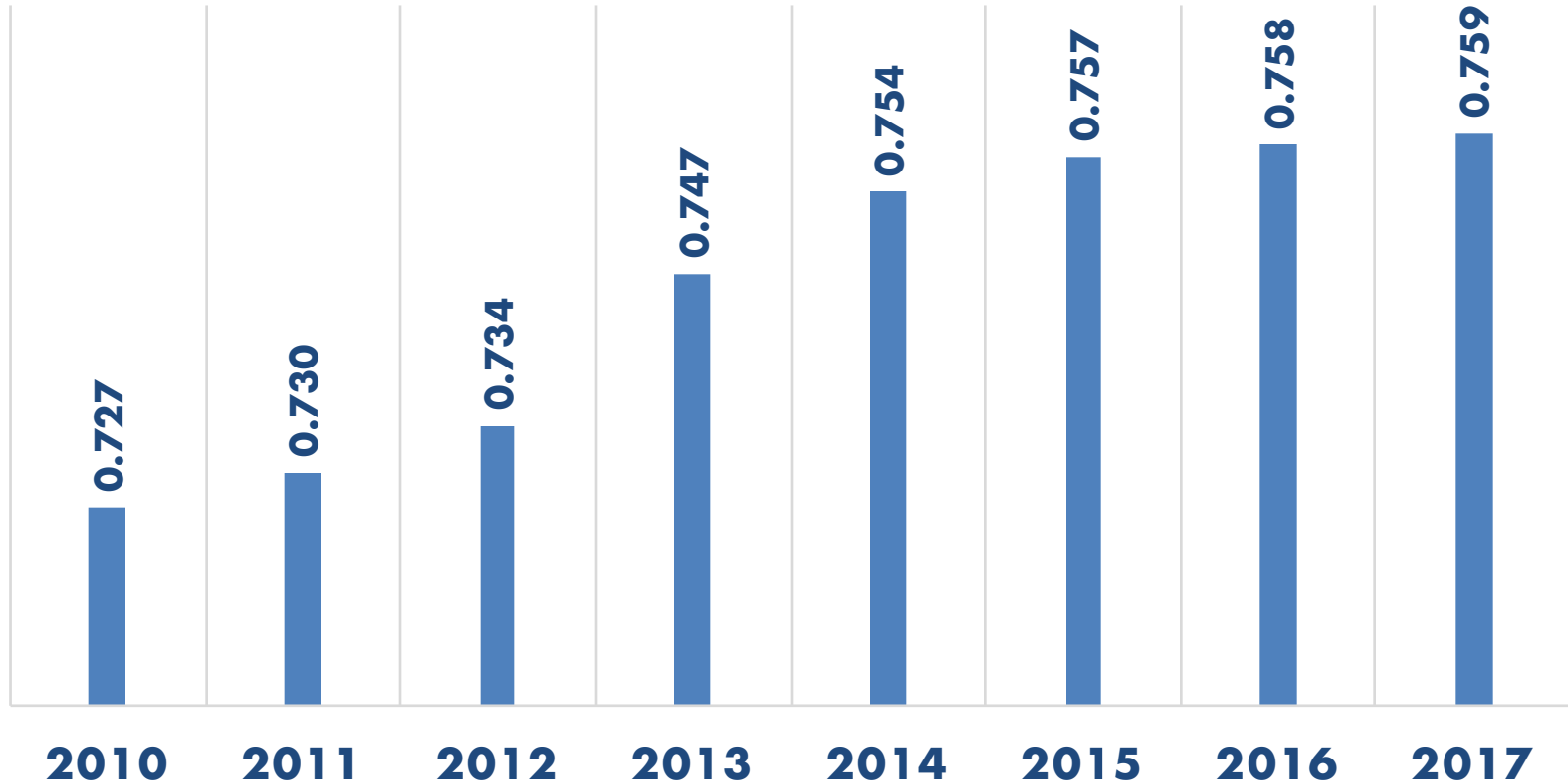
Source: IBGE-PNAD

Gini Index



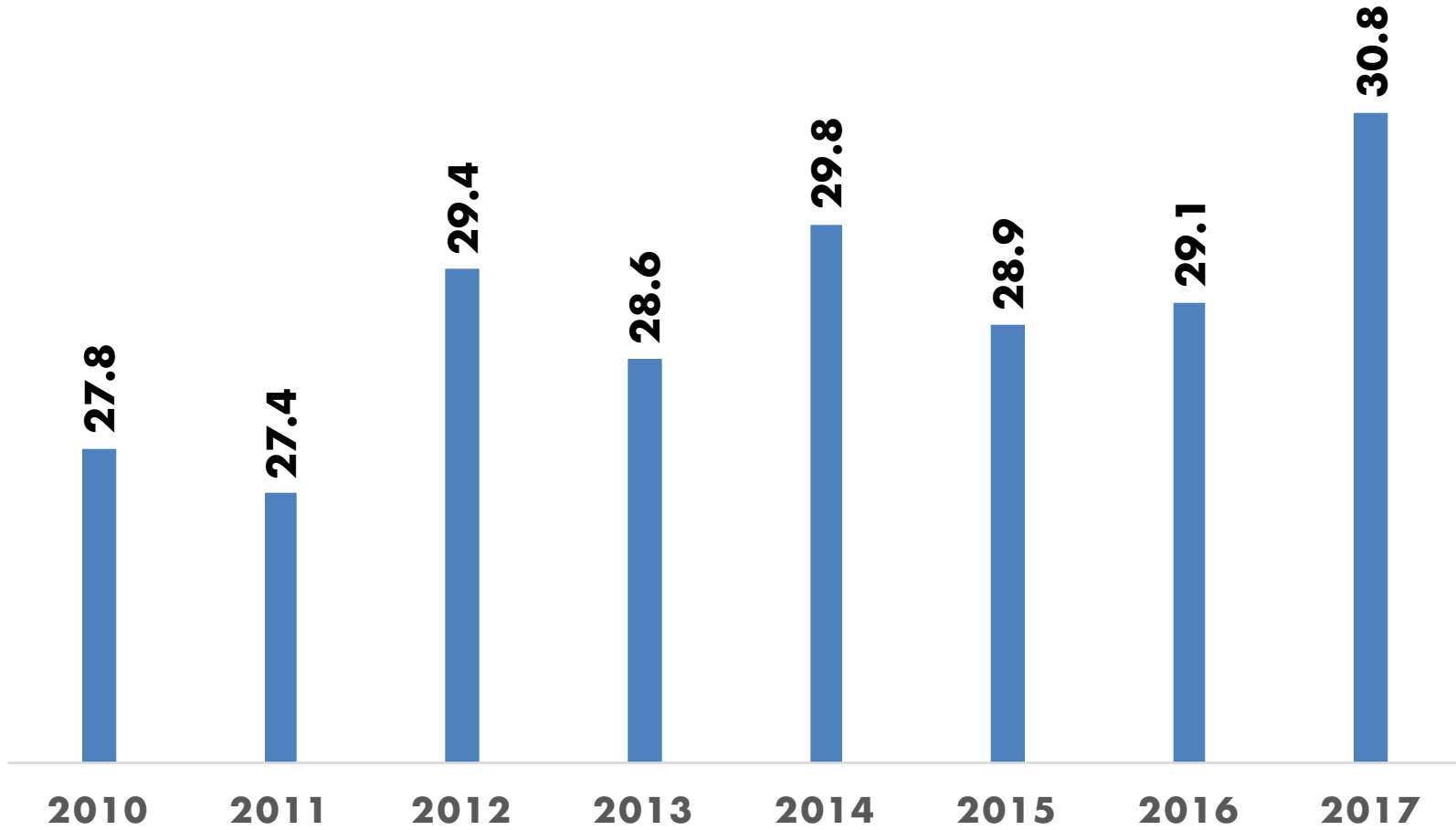
Source: World Bank

Human Development Index



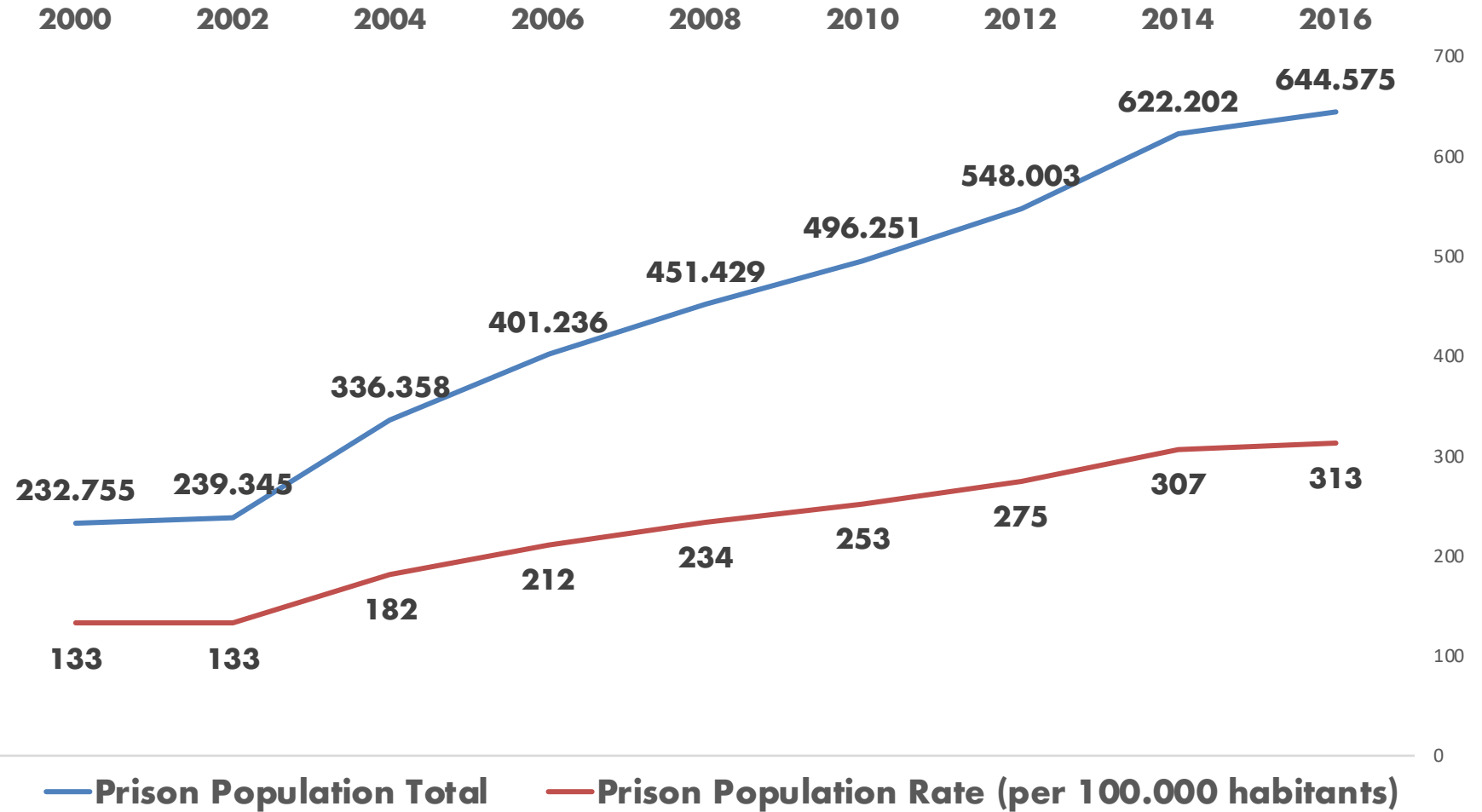
Source: UNDP

Homicides Rate



Source: FBSP, per 100.000 habitants

Incarceration



Source: World Bank

Violence

Segurança Pública em Números 2018



MORTES VIOLENTAS INTENCIONAIS

63.880

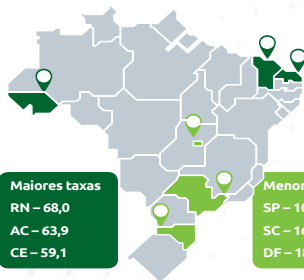
Mortes Violentas Intencionais em 2017
175 mortos por dia

Taxa de **30,8** por 100 mil habitantes

Crescimento de **2,9%** entre 2016 e 2017



Taxas por 100 mil habitantes



Maiores taxas
RN – 68,0
AC – 63,9
CE – 59,1

Menores taxas
SP – 10,7
SC – 16,5
DF – 18,2

DESAPARECIMENTOS

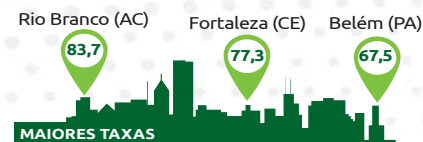


82.684 registros de desaparecimentos apenas em 2017

CRIMES NAS CAPITAIS

16.799 mortes violentas intencionais

Taxa de 34 por 100 mil habitantes



MAIORES TAXAS

PESSOAS ENCARCERADAS

729.463 pessoas encarceradas no Brasil em 2016

689.947 no Sistema Penitenciário
39.516 sob Custódia das Polícias

367.217 vagas

2 pessoas presas para cada vaga

Presídios Federais

832 vagas
437 presos

CONTROLE DE ARMAS

119.484 armas de fogo apreendidas em 2017



Necessidade de fortalecer a política

94,9% das armas apreendidas no ano não foram cadastradas no sistema da Polícia Federal (SINARM).

13.782 armas legais foram perdidas, extraviadas ou roubadas, o que equivale a 11,5% das armas apreendidas pelas polícias no mesmo ano.

É como se um mês de trabalho das polícias tivesse se perdido.

FINANCIAMENTO DA POLÍTICA DE SEGURANÇA

84,7 bilhões em 2017

Varição de 0,8%

Brasil gasta **R\$ 408,13** por cidadão com segurança pública
1,3% do PIB

União
9,7 bi
crescimento de 6,9%

Municípios
5,1 bi
redução de 2%

Unidades da Federação
69,8 bi
variação de 0,2%

55.900 Homicídios dolosos

crescimento de 2,1%

2.460 Latrocínios

redução de 8,2%

955 Lesões corporais seguidas de morte

crescimento de 12,3%

367 policiais mortos

redução de 4,9%

5.144 mortos em intervenções policiais

crescimento de 20%

1 Policial Civil ou Militar assassinado por dia em 2017

14 Mortos em Intervenções Policiais por dia

ESTUPROS

60.018 estupros em 2017

Crescimento de **8,4%** em relação a 2016

FEMINICÍDIOS

1.133 feminicídios em 2017

LEI MARIA DA PENHA

221.238 registros de violência doméstica em 2017 (Lesão corporal dolosa)

606 casos por dia

HOMICÍDIOS

4.539 mulheres vítimas de Homicídio em 2017

Crescimento de **6,1%** em relação a 2016



Obstacles to Overcome

- Highly unequal and hierarchical society
- Premature deindustrialization, extractive curse
- Growth stagnation and semi-peripheral status
- Authoritarian State reflects Society
- Personalist and clientelistic political life
- Corporativism *versus* social class' organization
- Tax evasion and corruption as elite *mores*
- Judicial system as rent seeking clique
- Armed Forces and Police: conditional subordination

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Foreign Policy and Defense

Future International System?

Scale: global already, but how about oceans and outer space?

Interaction Capacity: hypersonic transportation and digital convergence

Kapital: asianization, concentration, six fold GDP (2050)

Macht: regional multinational States, terrorism, major war risk

Knowledge: diffusion, exponential growth, AI

Main Units: regional states, TNCorporations, UN for climate change

Structure: unbalanced multipolarity, systemic chaos, and the end of Anarchy

To a certain extent, China's competitive pressure in Latin America may favor the bargaining conditions of the countries of the region with the United States, the European Union and Japan.

However, the strategic choices that the United States and China make at the global level could have a negative impact on the region.

Latin America is not interested in an even greater deterioration of international security in the coming years, much less a war between the United States and China.

In the nuclear age, more than ever, world peace is necessary for sustainable development and regional integration.

Thank You
Obrigado

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