

THE ECONOMIC STRUCTURE OF THE STATE OF SERGIPE IN 2006: A CONTRIBUTION BY THE INPUT-OUTPUT MATRIX

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This paper aims at constructing the Input-Output Matrices (IOM) of the State of Sergipe, so that information be offered as well as specific recommendations that may serve as inputs for the planning policies of the state. Therefore, we used the tools of the input-output analysis through the methodological variant of the modified aggregated RAS for the construction of regional matrices in order to identify the technological profile of the state's economy through structural indicators of self-sufficiency, chaining and impact multipliers. The results show that the economy in Sergipe has serious problems related to the structure supply offer of inputs in vital sectors for the development of the state. In addition to that, it is sectorially concentrated, has low international insertion and a few key sectors which induce local growth. Moreover, the disconnection among the sectors that generate more output, employment and income hinder the adoption of public policies.