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EXPANSION *Brazil/Spain & Portugal*

The maps of Brazil and Spain & Portugal in this expansion can only be played with a copy of Power Grid.

The rules of Power Grid remain the same, except for following modifications and special features of the two maps contained in this expansion.

Brazil

Overview

In Brazil, power providers prefer biogas for the production of electricity. Thus, players should consider the garbage power plants as biogasfired power plants and the garbage resources as biogas tanks when playing with the Brazil maps. The fight for scarce resources is intense and will keep the players focused during the game!

Preparation

After the players lay out the starting market with the power plants 03-10, the players sort out all the remaining biogas power plants (**remember, these are the »original« garbage power plants**) and set them aside. Then, the players continue with the power plant deck setup as in the basic game rules (removing random plants based on the number of players, etc.). Next, the players put power plant 14 directly under power plant 13 in the power plant deck and shuffle all other biogas power plants into the remaining deck.

Playing the Game

Phase 5: Bureaucracy

In this phase, the resources are filled in accordance with the Brazil resource supply table.

The Brazil resource supply table is on the last page!

Spain & Portugal

Overview

In Spain & Portugal, the interests of power production develop in two completely opposite directions: Uranium will be much more important than in other games, however not at the beginning. The resource market will not get any new uranium at all during »Step 1«, but the supplies of uranium increase rapidly in »Step 2«. On the other hand, and at the same time, three large wind-power plants come onto the market. This clash of interests is intended!

Preparation

First, sort out power plants 18, 22 and 27 from the power plant deck and set them face up aside.

At the start, the prices of resources begin at: coal 1 Elektro, oil 3 Elektro, garbage 6 Elektro, and uranium 5 Elektro.

Playing the Game

Phase 2: Auction power plants

Players with networks only in Portugal may not buy nuclear power plants nor may such players offer nuclear power plants for auction.

Phase 5: Bureaucracy

In this phase, the resources are filled in accordance with the Spain & Portugal resource supply table.

The Spain & Portugal resource supply table is on the last page!

Game steps

Step 2

At the beginning of »Step 2«, place the three power plants 18, 22 and 27 on top of the power plant deck in ascending order, so that the 18 is on top, then the 22, and finally the 27. Thus, power plant 18 is drawn to replace the smallest power plant removed at the beginning »Step 2«.

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POWER GRID



The powerful economic game - for tacticians and strategists!

Earning money with electricity? A great idea!

Build your own power plant empire in this exciting economy game. Both the German and US maps offer you many exciting and entertaining hours.

Contents: double-sided game board, playing money, power plant cards, 200+ wooden playing pieces



2-6 Players



12+



120 Minutes

German Game of the Year - Recommendation list 2005 Awarded with game prizes in Poland and Italy!



EXPANSIONS



France/Italy

Contents: double-sided game board

Great geographical differences and a different emphasis in the supply of the resources require players to find new and interesting tactics.



Benelux/Central Europe

Contents: double-sided game board

On the Benelux side, the players find a fast game board for shorter games. On the Central Europe side, the players find a region dominated by coal and nuclear-free zones which offer still more game options.



China/Korea

Contents: double-sided game board

The divided resource market in Korea and the Chinese planned economy offer the players the greatest challenges and tests their abilities to create a successful power plant empire.



THE NEW POWER PLANT CARDS

Contents: new power plant cards

This expansion offers a completely new set of power plants for players to use separately or in combination with the original deck for many more play options.


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Brazil Resource Supply Table

	2 players			3 players			4 players			5 players			6 players		
	Step			Step			Step			Step			Step		
	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3
 Coal	1	2	3	1	2	3	2	3	4	3	3	5	3	5	6
 Oil	3	4	3	4	5	3	5	6	4	5	7	5	7	9	6
 Biogas	2	2	4	2	3	4	3	4	5	4	5	6	5	6	7
 Uranium	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	3	2	2	3	3

Spain & Portugal Resource Supply Table

	2 players			3 players			4 players			5 players			6 players		
	Step			Step			Step			Step			Step		
	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3
 Coal	3	4	2	4	5	2	4	6	3	4	7	3	6	8	4
 Oil	2	3	5	2	4	5	3	5	6	4	6	7	5	7	9
 Garbage	1	2	3	1	2	3	2	3	4	3	3	5	3	5	6
 Uranium	0	2	1	0	2	1	0	4	1	0	5	1	0	5	2