# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION <br> Washington, D.C. 20549 

## 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 April, 2005
Commission File Number 1-15106

## PETRÓLEO BRASILEIRO S.A. - PETROBRAS

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

## Brazilian Petroleum Corporation - PETROBRAS <br> (Translation of Registrant's name into English)

Avenida República do Chile, 65
20035-900 - Rio de Janeiro, RJ
Federative Republic of Brazil
(Address of principal executive office)
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Yes $\qquad$ No X

## Petrobras breaks new oil production record in Brazil

(Rio de Janeiro, April 05, 2005). PETRÓLEO BRASILEIRO S/A - PETROBRAS, [Bovespa: PETR3/PETR4, NYSE: PBR/PBRA, Latibex: XPBR/XPBRA], a Brazilian international energy company, announces that, yesterday, on April 04 2005, the Company broke its new daily oil production record in Brazil with an output of 1,666,492 barrels.
http: //www.petrobras.com.br/ri/english

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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: April 5, 2005

## PETRÓLEO BRASILEIRO S.A--PETROBRAS

By: /s/ José Sergio Gabrielli de
Azevedo

José Sergio Gabrielli de
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Chief Financial Officer and
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