



### Evolution of the .PT Registry

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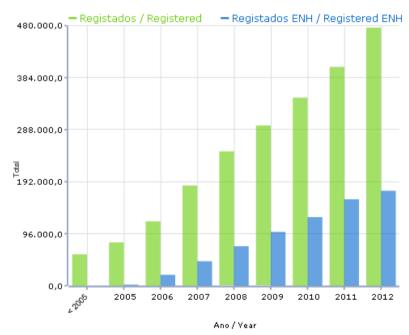
.PT delegated 1988

Operation of DNS Service since 1992



#### **About us**

- We have nearly 500.000 registered domains, of which 175.000 are registered under an initiative named "on spot firm"
  - Whenever a company is created automatically receives a free domain name (for one year)





### **Registration Rules**

## Until 1995 – no rules Few domains

1995 - 2001

- Name of company
- Trademark or trademark request
- 2001
  - Creation of .com.pt (on-line registration, first come first serve, cheaper than .PT, ...) with arbitration
  - .org.pt, .net.pt, .int.pt, .nome.pt, ...
- 2008
  - For .PT trademark request no longer valid





### **Registration Rules**

- 1<sup>st</sup> May 2012
  - Liberalization of the registration also under .PT, like many other countries
- Currently there are few limitations on registration of domains under. PT
  - Illegal names
  - Geographical names have restrictions





### **Special dates**

- Nov 2002 AAAA records in the information system
- Apr 2003 Full IPv6 infrastructure
- Jan 2005 IDNs

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- Mar 2008 DNSSEC trials
- Jan 2010 Full DNSSEC
  - NSEC3
- Sep 2009 EPP



#### **Additional Information**

- 141 Registrars all over the world

- The Portuguese Registry was one of the first registries in the world to obtain **ISO 9001** certification in Jan 2006

- Root-servers in Portugal
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  - Just now L



#### **Arbitration**

- 2009 Establishment of an Arbitration Center to solve conflicts
  - ARBITRARE legally able to resolve disputes, in portuguese or english, over:
  - Industrial property (trademarks and patents).
  - .PT Domain Names.
  - Trade names and corporate names.

www.arbitrare.pt



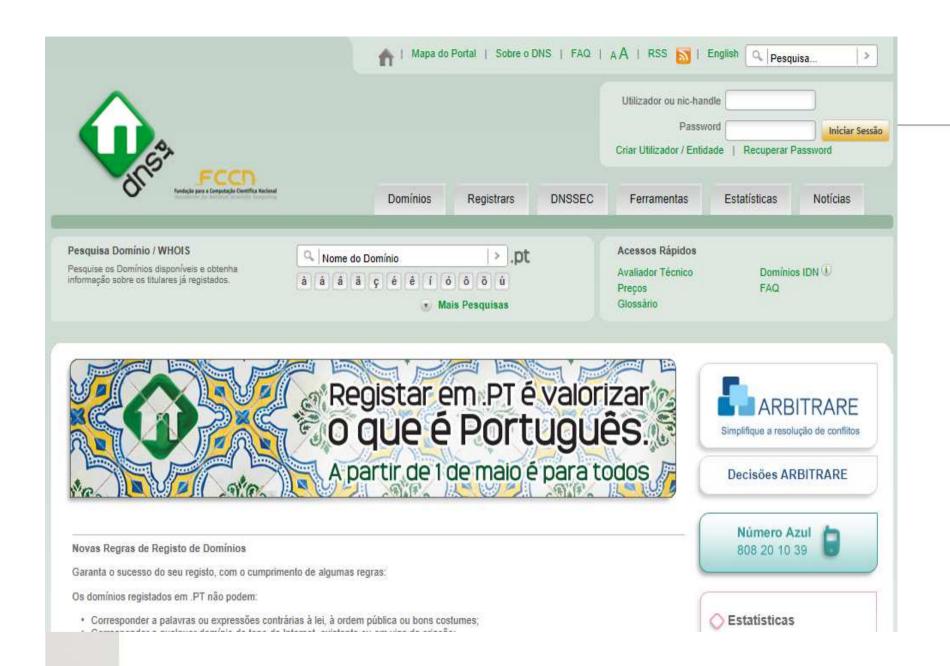


#### Multi-stakeholder model

- Followed ICANN since the beginning
  - GAC membership



- .PT consultative committee
  - 3 reps government
  - 3 reps private sector
  - 3 experts in domain names
- Final decision of the Government
  - Informal relation



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