

Porto Digital — ICT & Creative Economy Cluster (Recife)

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Quality score: 81/100

Evidence strength: Strong

Summary

Porto Digital is a triple-helix ICT and creative-economy cluster in historic Recife Antigo. By 2024, 475 companies employed 21,551 people, generating R\$ 6.2 B in revenue — growing IT from 1.6 % to 4 % of Pernambuco GDP in 24 years.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	3/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability	3/3
Sustainability / continuity	3/3
Innovation	2/3
Inclusiveness / equity	1/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	3/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-06-26

[Núcleo Gestor do Porto Digital \(NGPD\)](#) — accessed 2026-06-26

[Porto Digital official website](#) — accessed 2026-06-26

[Porto Digital 2024 results \(TI Inside\)](#) — accessed 2026-06-26

[Porto Digital 2023 results \(official\)](#) — accessed 2026-06-26

[DRCLAS Harvard — Porto Digital Technology Park](#) — accessed 2026-06-26

[Rest of World — Recife tech hub profile](#) — accessed 2026-06-26

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