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# The Yangtze River Delta Integration and the Mission of Development Zones

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### Abstract

In recent years, with the Yangtze River Delta Integration being upgraded to the national strategy, development zones within the region have been endowed with new historical mission. This report suggests that the new mission of the construction of development zones should include three major aspects. The first one is organizational reconstruction with an emphasis on top-level design and institutional construction; the second one is industrial reconstruction, whose aims are to establish industrial cooperative platforms, co-construct industrial cooperative parks and engage in synergetic innovation of core technologies; the third one is function reconstruction, which mainly includes the reconstruction of the customs and industry-city integration functions. By carrying out the reconstruction of organization, industry and function, development zones in this region may realize upgrading and innovative development, which would significantly promote the implementation of the national strategy of the Yangtze River Delta Integration.

## Key Words

Yangtze River Delta Integration development zones organizational reconstruction industrial reconstruction function reconstruction