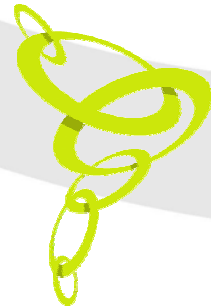


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Objectives of the Document

- Offer IIRSA participants and stakeholders elements that should help them better understand its mission and actions.
- Consolidate its expertise, practices and visions which, throughout all these years, have given rise to a framework of reference for strategic decision making at IIRSA.



Who is its target audience?

- Authorities of all the countries
- Public and private stakeholders
- Leaders and professionals in multilateral agencies
- Professionals participating in IIRSA's activities
- Academia
- Media



Title

IIRSA's Strategic Guidelines



Executive Summary

1. Introduction
2. Economic and political grounds for a regional physical integration
3. Guiding principles of the integration process
4. Force ideas to promote the infrastructure integration process



Examples of Force Ideas

- Actions undertaken jointly by the private and public sectors to develop efficient logistic systems.
- Adopt a preventive, systemic and strategic approach to consider the environmental dimension of project groups in each territory
- Ensure an equitable balance when developing road, river and sea transportation, energy and communication infrastructures.



5. Conceptual Framework

5.1 Strategic motivation: Sustainable development through physical integration

5.2 Territorial reference: Integration and development Hubs

5.3 Analytical reference: Project groups



5. Conceptual Framework(cont.)

5.4 Quality in investment decisions:

Project and project group evaluation

5.5 A two-fold approach: projects and integration processes

5.6 Intensive management of priority projects



6. Institutional Framework

6.1 Multilateral negotiations based on consensus

6.2 Advisory and cooperative bodies: CDE, National Coordinators and GTEs

6.3 Technical support: CCT

6.4 Network of stakeholders from the civil society



7. Relevant strategic aspects of Integration and Development Hubs

7.1 MERCOSUR Hub

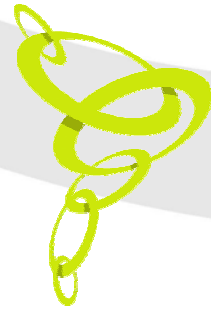
7.2 Andean Hub

(All Hubs)

8. Operational Strategy 2006-2010

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