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Preparing for Dangerous Storms

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President Xi has asked China to “prepare for Dangerous Storms”. What are the measures being taken in the People’s Liberation Army? How are media professionals helping to mentally prepare the population for “dangerous storms”? And what are the steps being taken to ensure technology, energy, and food self-sufficiency, in China?

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Episode 1 – Inside The People's Liberation Army

China's People's Liberation Army celebrates its centenary in 2027, what are its goals for this date? The PLA is already the largest army in the world with over 2 million soldiers. It also has the biggest number of warships. But China's defense budget is still climbing amidst increasing geopolitical tensions. How exactly is the PLA "preparing for Dangerous Storms" as tasked by President Xi?

Episode 2 – China's Quest For Self-Sufficiency

President Xi has asked China to "prepare for Dangerous Storms", and so the country is working towards greater technological independence, amidst an ongoing semiconductor war with the U.S.

China is also working towards greater energy self-sufficiency, ramping up its nuclear energy, and green energy infrastructure projects.

In food supply, it is pushing out new technologies such as sea rice, to improve its self-sufficiency.

Central bankers are also doubling down on efforts to internationalize the RMB currency, and reduce reliance on the U.S. dollar.

What does the quest for self-sufficiency in so many sectors of the economy mean for the country? Prominent thinkers and political scientists share their opinions.

Episode 3 – Engineers Of The Soul

President Xi Jinping said that art and literary workers are the engineers of the human soul. What creative works are these "engineers producing to boost patriotism? How are "little pinks" contributing to the rise of cyber nationalism? And in China's definition of cyberspace sovereignty, is there any room for dissent? How will China's renewed push on patriotic education, and "ideology work" help the country "prepare for dangerous storms"?

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