

CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE AND THE AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY: RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND OUTLOOK

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It has already been demonstrated that the automobile industry in Central Europe is no longer just an economy within the economy but is an economic factor in its own right. The automobile industry's influence is strong and its development is closely interwoven with the economic development of the countries concerned.

By incorporating the European Parliament's contribution to the book,

development of future policies and relations between industrial and political institutions can be further strengthened and refined. This publication is the result of joint efforts by Czechoslovakia, Poland, the Soviet Union and Germany. The editors believe that the studies presented here represent the present-day state of knowledge about the automobile industry in Central Europe and its role in the national economies of the respective countries. The book will be particularly valuable to students, researchers and journalists.

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