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the PiS government in Poland took a less combative approach and was more willing to listen to the recommendations of the EC and private investors.

Despite criticism from the ECB and Poland’s central bank, the government imposed a levy on the banking and insurance sectors in 2016

Moreover, with state-owned stakes in more capital-intensive production, the PiS government has been able to put forward a more ambitious developmentally-oriented and sustainable industrial strategy by setting out to capitalise on supporting domestic capital in driving innovation and pro- ductivity of the economy, in cooperation with foreign investors.