

## Portfolio Investment Liabilities (As at End of Period) 2024

## PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT LIABILITIES BY INSTRUMENT

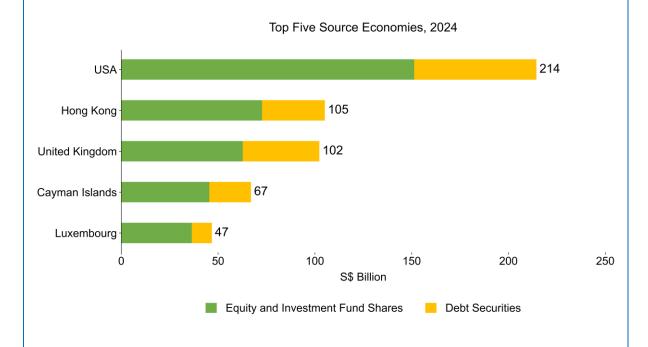
Portfolio investment refers to cross-border investments involving equity and investment fund shares as well as debt securities, other than those included in direct investment or reserve assets. Portfolio investments are often influenced by global events and geopolitical risks, which can result in volatility and short-term price movements due to market sentiments. Understanding the magnitude and composition of portfolio investment is important to Singapore, given its position as a global financial hub and openness to capital flows.

Singapore's portfolio investment liabilities stood at \$842 bil as at end 2024, up 18.8% from end 2023. The growth in liabilities was due to increased holdings of both equity and investment fund shares, and debt securities which rose 18.8% and 18.9% respectively over the period.

	2023	2024	Period-on-Period Change
	S\$ Billion		%
Total	709	842	▲ 18.8
Equity and Investment Fund Shares	438	520	▲ 18.8
Debt Securities	271	322	▲ 18.9

## PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT LIABILITIES BY SOURCE ECONOMY

The top five source economies were the United States of America (USA), Hong Kong, United Kingdom, Cayman Islands, and Luxembourg. Collectively, they accounted for 63.6% of Singapore's total portfolio investment liabilities as at end 2024.



## **CONCEPTS AND DEFINITIONS**

Portfolio investment refers to cross-border investments by an investor in one economy into an enterprise that is resident in another economy with a lesser degree of influence than that of a direct investment relationship<sup>1</sup>.

Portfolio investment takes the form of investments in either equity and investment fund shares or debt securities and is often associated with, but not limited to, trading of securities on organised or other financial markets.

Singapore's portfolio investment liabilities refer to the stock of non-residents' holdings of Singapore's equity and investment fund shares, and debt securities, other than those included in direct investment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Direct investment refers to cross-border investment where a direct investor, residing in one economy, owns 10% or more of the ordinary shares or voting power in an enterprise residing in another economy.

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