

Sharp fall in global equity prices in 4Q/18 sparked sale in stocks

	FOREIGN QUARTERLY NET PURCHASE OF US STOCKS (US\$M)		US QUARTERLY NET PURCHASE OF FOREIGN STOCKS (US\$M)*	
	OCT-DEC 2018	JUL-SEPT 2018	OCT-DEC 2018	JUL-SEPT 2018
Total	-46,018	-47,926	27,179	7
Europe	-54,303	-19,429	-32	-3,514
Latin America	4,933	-1,046	1,230	-222
Caribbean	-4,992	-3,671	208	6,888
Asia	6,043	-21,537	16,419	-12,887
China	109	-1,888	1,219	1,039
Hong Kong	-2,766	-15,375	4,379	-15,788
India	-88	-166	2,565	932
Indonesia	-12	-26	40	-138
Japan	-2,666	1,214	7,258	1,586
S Korea	3,890	802	480	-2,918
Malaysia	-189	-196	-1	-281
Philippines	-67	-2	-76	-35
Singapore	5,422	-10,351	-456	2,058
Taiwan	1,219	278	-180	-1,756
Thailand	123	121	55	-190

*Negative entries indicate a US purchase