## Top Ten Countries Holding Our National Debt

Japan	\$720 B
China	\$174 B
United Kingdom	\$135 B
"Caribbean Banking Centers"	\$100 B
South Korea	\$67 B
Taiwan	\$57 B
Germany	\$51 B
Hong Kong	\$50 B
Switzerland	\$48 B
OPEC	\$43 B

Source: Department of Treasury Note: As of September 2004