

P-Note Surge in Indian Markets

In **November 2023**, there was an increase in <u>participatory note</u> **investments**, reaching a total of ₹1.31 lakh crore.

- Participatory Notes (P-Notes) are financial instruments used by foreign investors who wish to
 invest in Indian markets without directly registering with the market regulator, the
 Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI).
 - They are issued by **registered** <u>foreign institutional investors</u> (FIIs) or their sub-accounts against underlying Indian securities.

The Vision

While P-Notes offer flexibility and ease of investment, they have been a subject of regulatory scrutiny due to concerns about their potential use in money laundering, round-tripping, and lack of transparency.

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