

NUVEEN CALIFORNIA SELECT TAX FREE INCOME PORTFOLIO
Form N-Q
February 28, 2014

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20549

FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT
COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-6623

Nuveen California Select Tax-Free Income Portfolio
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Nuveen Investments
333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Kevin J. McCarthy
Vice President and Secretary
333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606
(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 312-917-7700

Date of fiscal year end: 3/31

Date of reporting period: 12/31/13

Form N-Q is to be used by management investment companies, other than small business investment companies registered on Form N-5 (§§ 239.24 and 274.5 of this chapter), to file reports with the Commission, not later than 60 days after the close of the first and third fiscal quarters, pursuant to rule 30b1-5 under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (17 CFR 270.30b1-5). The Commission may use the information provided on Form N-Q in its regulatory, disclosure review, inspection, and policymaking roles.

A registrant is required to disclose the information specified by Form N-Q, and the Commission will make this information public. A registrant is not required to respond to the collection of information contained in Form N-Q unless the Form displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget ("OMB") control number. Please direct comments concerning the accuracy of the information collection burden estimate and any suggestions for reducing the burden to the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20549-0609. The OMB has reviewed this collection of information under the clearance requirements of 44 U.S.C. § 3507.

Item 1. Schedule of Investments

Portfolio of Investments (Unaudited)

Nuveen California Select Tax-Free Income
Portfolio (NXC)
December 31, 2013

Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS – 106.3%			
	MUNICIPAL BONDS – 106.3%			
	Consumer Staples – 3.8%			
\$ 95	California County Tobacco Securitization Agency, Tobacco Settlement Asset-Backed Bonds, Sonoma	6/15 at 100.00	BB+	\$ 88,861
	County Tobacco Securitization Corporation, Series 2005, 4.250%, 6/01/21			
385	California County Tobacco Securitization Agency, Tobacco Settlement Asset-Backed Revenue Bonds, Fresno County Tobacco Funding Corporation, Series 2002, 5.625%, 6/01/23	3/14 at 100.00	A3	385,924
	Golden State Tobacco Securitization Corporation, California, Tobacco Settlement Asset-Backed Bonds, Series 2007A-1:			
1,065	5.750%, 6/01/47	6/17 at 100.00	B	791,497
385	5.125%, 6/01/47	6/17 at 100.00	B	261,889
	Golden State Tobacco Securitization Corporation, California, Tobacco Settlement Asset-Backed Bonds, Series 2007A-2, 5.300%, 6/01/37	6/22 at 100.00	B	788,280
	Tobacco Securitization Authority of Northern California, Tobacco Settlement Asset-Backed Bonds, Series 2005A-1, 5.500%, 6/01/45	6/15 at 100.00	B–	1,053,705
4,525	Total Consumer Staples			3,370,156
	Education and Civic Organizations – 3.9%			
3,000	California Educational Facilities Authority, Revenue Bonds, Santa Clara University, Series 2008A, 5.625%, 4/01/37	4/18 at 100.00	Aa3	3,184,980
	California Educational Facilities Authority, Revenue Bonds, University of Redlands, Series 2005A, 5.000%, 10/01/35	10/15 at 100.00	A3	45,270
45				
35			A2	37,069

Edgar Filing: NUVEEN CALIFORNIA SELECT TAX FREE INCOME PORTFOLIO - Form N-Q

	California Educational Facilities Authority, Revenue Bonds, University of the Pacific, Series 2006, 5.000%, 11/01/21	11/15 at 100.00		
250	California Statewide Communities Development Authority, School Facility Revenue Bonds, Alliance College-Ready Public Schools, Series 2011A, 7.000%, 7/01/46	7/21 at 100.00	BBB-	263,228
3,330	Total Education and Civic Organizations Health Care – 10.0%			3,530,547
235	California Health Facilities Financing Authority, Revenue Bonds, Rady Children’s Hospital – San Diego, Series 2011, 5.250%, 8/15/41	8/21 at 100.00	A1	239,493
2,550	California Health Facilities Financing Authority, Revenue Bonds, Sutter Health, Series 2007A, 5.250%, 11/15/46 (UB)	11/16 at 100.00	AA-	2,538,831
425	California Statewide Community Development Authority, Revenue Bonds, Childrens Hospital of Los Angeles, Series 2007, 5.000%, 8/15/47	8/17 at 100.00	BBB+	380,141
545	California Statewide Community Development Authority, Revenue Bonds, Kaiser Permanente System, Series 2001C, 5.250%, 8/01/31	8/16 at 100.00	A+	555,573
1,505	California Statewide Community Development Authority, Revenue Bonds, Kaiser Permanente System, Series 2007A, 4.750%, 4/01/33	4/17 at 100.00	A+	1,490,837
540	Loma Linda, California, Hospital Revenue Bonds, Loma Linda University Medical Center, Series 2008A, 8.250%, 12/01/38	12/17 at 100.00	BBB	585,625
500	Palomar Pomerado Health Care District, California, Certificates of Participation, Series 2009, 6.625%, 11/01/29	11/19 at 100.00	Baa3	512,420
1,100	Palomar Pomerado Health Care District, California, Certificates of Participation, Series 2010, 6.000%, 11/01/41	11/20 at 100.00	Baa3	1,025,530
670	San Buenaventura, California, Revenue Bonds, Community Memorial Health System, Series 2011, 7.500%, 12/01/41	12/21 at 100.00	BB	730,789
800	Upland, California, Certificates of Participation, San Antonio Community Hospital, Series 2011, 6.500%, 1/01/41	1/21 at 100.00	A	866,952

Edgar Filing: NUVEEN CALIFORNIA SELECT TAX FREE INCOME PORTFOLIO - Form N-Q

8,870	Total Health Care			8,926,191
	Housing/Multifamily – 0.9%			
	California Municipal Finance Authority, Mobile Home Park Revenue Bonds, Caritas			
375	Projects	8/20 at 100.00	BBB	385,496
	Series 2010A, 6.400%, 8/15/45			
	California Municipal Finance Authority, Mobile Home Park Revenue Bonds, Caritas			
395	Projects	8/22 at 100.00	BBB	387,246
	Series 2012A, 5.500%, 8/15/47			
770	Total Housing/Multifamily			772,742
	Housing/Single Family – 0.0%			
	California Housing Finance Agency, Home Mortgage Revenue Bonds, Series 2006H,			
40	5.750%,	2/16 at 100.00	A–	41,843
	8/01/30 – FGIC Insured (Alternative Minimum Tax)			
	Industrials – 1.2%			
	California Pollution Control Financing Authority, Solid Waste Disposal Revenue			
1,015	Bonds, Republic	No Opt. Call	BBB+	1,081,371
	Services Inc., Series 2002C, 5.250%, 6/01/23 (Mandatory put 12/01/17) (Alternative Minimum Tax)			
	Tax Obligation/General – 38.6%			
	California State, General Obligation Bonds,	11/19 at		
1,650	Various Purpose Series 2009, 5.500%, 11/01/39	100.00	A1	1,771,325
	California State, General Obligation Bonds,	10/21 at		
1,965	Various Purpose Series 2011, 5.000%, 10/01/41	100.00	A1	1,993,846
	California State, General Obligation Bonds,			
2,000	Various Purpose Series 2012, 5.250%, 4/01/35	4/22 at 100.00	A1	2,110,740
	Escondido Union High School District, San Diego County, California, General Obligation			
6,225	Refunding Bonds, Series 2009, 0.000%, 8/01/36 – AGM Insured	No Opt. Call	Aa2	1,800,146
	Golden West Schools Financing Authority, California, General Obligation Revenue Refunding			
	Bonds, School District Program, Series 1999A:			
4,650	0.000%, 8/01/16 – NPFPG Insured	No Opt. Call	A	4,334,497
1,750	0.000%, 2/01/17 – NPFPG Insured	No Opt. Call	A	1,589,123
2,375	0.000%, 8/01/17 – NPFPG Insured	No Opt. Call	A	2,113,370
2,345	0.000%, 2/01/18 – NPFPG Insured	No Opt. Call	A	2,044,043
	Mountain View-Los Altos Union High School District, Santa Clara County, California, General			
	Obligation Capital Appreciation Bonds, Series 1995C:			
1,015	0.000%, 5/01/17 – NPFPG Insured	No Opt. Call	Aa1	980,084
1,080	0.000%, 5/01/18 – NPFPG Insured	No Opt. Call	Aa1	1,015,502

Edgar Filing: NUVEEN CALIFORNIA SELECT TAX FREE INCOME PORTFOLIO - Form N-Q

	Palomar Pomerado Health, California, General Obligation Bonds, Convertible Capital Appreciation, Election 2004 Series 2010A:			
10,825	0.000%, 8/01/34	No Opt. Call	A+	3,270,665
3,250	0.000%, 8/01/35	No Opt. Call	A+	920,693
	Sacramento City Unified School District, Sacramento County, California, General Obligation			
3,220	Bonds, Series 2005, 5.000%, 7/01/27 – NPF Insured	7/15 at 100.00	A1	3,369,149
8,075	San Bernardi			