

TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING CO LTD

Form 6-K

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1934 Act Registration No. 1-14700

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF

THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of February 2019

Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Ltd.

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

No. 8, Li-Hsin Rd. 6,

Hsinchu Science Park,

Taiwan

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.)

Form 20-F

Form 40-F

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.)

Yes

No

(If Yes is marked, indicated below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82: .)

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Ltd.

Date: February 15, 2019

By /s/ Lora Ho
Lora Ho
Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer

TSMC January 2019 Revenue Report

Hsinchu, Taiwan, R.O.C. Feb. 15, 2019 - TSMC (TWSE: 2330, NYSE: TSM) today announced its net revenues for January 2019: On a consolidated basis, revenues for January 2019 were approximately NT\$78.09 billion, a decrease of 13.1 percent from December 2018 and a decrease of 2.1 percent from January 2018.

TSMC January Revenue Report (Consolidated):

(Unit:NT\$ million)

Period	January 2019	December 2018	M-o-M	Y-o-Y
			Increase (Decrease) %	Increase (Decrease) %
Net Revenues	78,094	89,831	(13.1)	(2.1)

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This is to report the changes or status of 1) sales volume, 2) funds lent to other parties, 3) endorsements and guarantees, and 4) financial derivative transactions for the period of January 2019.

1. Sales volume (in NT\$ thousands)

Period	Items	2019	2018
Jan.	Net sales	78,093,827	79,740,672

2. Funds lent to other parties (in NT\$ thousands)

Lending Company	Limit of lending	Amount Drawn Bal. as of period end
TSMC China*	55,686,664	31,471,260

* The borrower is TSMC Nanjing, a wholly-owned subsidiary of TSMC.

3. Endorsements and guarantees (in NT\$ thousands):

Guarantor	Limit of guarantee	Amount Bal. as of period end
TSMC*	393,792,979	2,557,977

* The guarantee was provided to TSMC North America, a wholly-owned subsidiary of TSMC.

4. Financial derivative transactions (in NT\$ thousands)

(1) Derivatives not under hedge accounting.

TSMC**Forward**

Margin Payment

Premium Income (Expense)

	Notional Amount	51,500,372
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	(75,183)
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	(94,622)
	Notional Amount	31,832,876
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	67,900

Equity price linked product (Y/N)

N

TSMC China**Forward**

Margin Payment

Premium Income (Expense)

	Notional Amount	10,680,169
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	77,361

	Unrealized Profit/Loss	50,949
	Notional Amount	10,212,809
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	191,219
Equity price linked product (Y/N)		N

VisEra Tech**Forward**

Margin Payment

Premium Income (Expense)

	Notional Amount	460,658
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	(124)
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	(489)
	Notional Amount	353,445
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	(1,015)

Equity price linked product (Y/N)

N

TSMC Nanjing**Forward**

Margin Payment

Premium Income (Expense)

	Notional Amount	3,405,958
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	(20,515)
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	(15,195)
	Notional Amount	3,378,085
Expired Contracts		

Realized Profit/Loss (52,913)

Equity price linked product (Y/N) N

(2) Derivatives under hedge accounting.

TSMC**Forward**

Margin Payment

Premium Income (Expense)

	Notional Amount	6,038,089
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	16,148
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	(9,852)

	Notional Amount	
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	2,503

Equity price linked product (Y/N) N

TSMC Global**Future**

Margin Payment

Premium Income (Expense)

	Notional Amount	8,545,720
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	(150,647)
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	3,255

	Notional Amount	2,345,462
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	(53,727)
Equity price linked product (Y/N)		N