

TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING CO LTD

Form 6-K

April 10, 2013

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 April 2013

Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Ltd.

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

No. 8, Li-Hsin Rd. 6,

Hsinchu Science Park,

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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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: April 10, 2013

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

TSMC March 2013 Sales Report

Hsinchu, Taiwan, R.O.C. April 10, 2013 - TSMC (TWSE: 2330, NYSE: TSM) today announced its net sales for March 2013: On a consolidated basis, net sales for March 2013 were approximately NT\$44.13 billion, an increase of 7.2 percent from February 2013 and an increase of 18.9 percent over March 2012. Revenues for January through March 2013 totaled NT\$132.76 billion, an increase of 25.7 percent compared to the same period in 2012.

TSMC Sales Report (Consolidated):

(Unit: NT\$ million)

| Period | March 2013 | February 2013 | M-o-M Increase (Decrease) % | March 2012 | Y-o-Y Increase (Decrease) % | January through March 2013 | January through March 2012 | Y-o-Y Increase (Decrease) % |
|-----------|---------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Net Sales | 44,134 | 41,182 | 7.2 | 37,155 | 18.9 | 132,755 | 105,615 | 25.7 |

* March and Jan-March 2012 figures have been recalculated based on IFRS

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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 March 2013.

1. Sales volume (in NT\$ thousands)

| Period | Items | 2013 | 2012 |
|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| Mar. | Net sales | 44,134,225 | 37,114,869 |
| Jan.-Mar. | Net sales | 132,754,996 | 105,614,831 |

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

| | Borrower | Limit of Lending | Amount Drawn Bal. as of period end |
|------------------|----------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|
| TSMC Partners | TSMC China* | 40,234,170 | 2,389,520 |
| TSMC Development | TSMC Solar* | 5,649,034 | 1,657,730 |
| | TSMC Solid State Lighting* | 5,649,034 | 746,725 |

* TSMC's subsidiaries.

3. Endorsements and guarantees (in NT\$ thousands) : None.

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

For assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies.

TSMC

| | | Futures | Forward | Swap |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|---------|------------|------------|
| Margin Payment | | | | |
| Premium Income (Expense) | | | | |
| Outstanding Contracts | Notional Amount | | 2,183,863 | 7,525,120 |
| | Mark to Market Profit/Loss | | 3,057 | 6,235 |
| | Unrealized Profit/Loss | | (31,248) | 7,990 |
| Expired Contracts | Notional Amount | | 44,910,689 | 39,500,175 |
| | Realized Profit/Loss | | 253,935 | 6,631 |
| Equity price linked product (Y/N) | | | N | N |

TSMC's subsidiaries - TSMC China

| | | Futures | Forward | Swap |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------|-----------|------|
| Margin Payment | | | | |
| Premium Income (Expense) | | | | |
| Outstanding Contracts | Notional Amount | | 1,896,164 | |
| | Mark to Market Profit/Loss | | 4,482 | |
| | Unrealized Profit/Loss | | 6,985 | |
| Expired Contracts | Notional Amount | | 2,835,215 | |

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| | Realized Profit/Loss | 3,972 |
| Equity price linked product (Y/N) | | N |
| <u>TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Solar</u> | | |

| | | Futures | Forward | Swap |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| Margin Payment | | | | |
| Premium Income (Expense) | | | | |
| | Notional Amount | | 518,032 | 1,089,927 |
| Outstanding Contracts | Mark to Market Profit/Loss | | 1,351 | 2,072 |
| | Unrealized Profit/Loss | | 1,720 | 2,788 |
| | Notional Amount | | 1,497,058 | 3,178,638 |
| Expired Contracts | Realized Profit/Loss | | 9,748 | 216 |
| Equity price linked product (Y/N) | | | N | N |

TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Solid State Lighting

| | | Futures | Forward | Swap |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Margin Payment | | | | |
| Premium Income (Expense) | | | | |
| Outstanding Contracts | Notional Amount | | 306,353 | 358,400 |
| | Mark to Market Profit/Loss | | 449 | (110) |
| | Unrealized Profit/Loss | | 680 | (77) |
| Expired Contracts | Notional Amount | | 634,332 | 762,073 |
| | Realized Profit/Loss | | 2,682 | 59 |
| Equity price linked product (Y/N) | | | N | N |

TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Global

| | | Futures | Forward | Swap |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|---------|------------|------|
| Margin Payment | | | | |
| Premium Income (Expense) | | | | |
| Outstanding Contracts | Notional Amount | | 11,621,833 | |
| | Mark to Market Profit/Loss | | 659,351 | |
| | Unrealized Profit/Loss | | 649,991 | |
| Expired Contracts | Notional Amount | | | |
| | Realized Profit/Loss | | | |
| Equity price linked product (Y/N) | | | | Y |