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Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Limited
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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 quarantees 4) Financial derivative transactions for the period of July 2003.

1) Sales volume (NT\$: Thousand)

| Period | Items | 2003 | 2002 | Cha |
|------------|----------------|-------------|------------|-----|
| Jul | Invoice amount | 17,294,756 | 17,628,621 | -3 |
| Jan - July | Invoice amount | 98,533,435 | 93,387,074 | 5, |
| Jul | Net sales | 17,648,605 | 13,536,263 | 4, |
| Jan - July | Net sales | 106,896,070 | 93,508,432 | 13, |

2) Funds lent to other parties (NT\$ Thousand)

| | Limit of lending | Jul | Bal. As |
|---------------------|------------------|---------|---------|
| TSMC | 59,976,893 | - | |
| TSMC's subsidiaries | 26,828,606 | (2,070) | |

3) Endorsements and quarantees (NT\$ Thousand)

| | Limit of endorsements | Jul |
|---|-----------------------|-----------|
| TSMC | 74,971,117 | (140,760) |
| TSMC's subsidiaries | N/A | 0 |
| TSMC endorses for subsidiaries | | (140,760) |
| TSMC's subsidiaries endorse for TSMC | | 0 |
| TSMC endorses for PRC companies | | 0 |
| TSMC's subsidiaries endorse for PRC companies | | 0 |

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4) Financial derivative transactions

a-1. Hedging purpose (for assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies)

| Underlying assets / liabilities | Liabilities: | YEN: |
|---------------------------------|--------------|------|
| | | EUR: |
| | Assets: | US\$ |
| Financial instruments | | |
| Realized profit (loss) | | |

a-2. Hedging purpose (for the position of floating rate liabilities)

| Underlying assets / liabilities | Liabilities: |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Financial instruments | |
| Realized profit (loss) | |

b. Trading purpose: None.

TSMC Monthly Sales Report - July 2003

Hsinchu, Taiwan, August 7, 2003 - Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Ltd. (TSMC or the Company) (TAIEX: 2330, NYSE: TSM) today announced that net sales for July 2003 totaled NT\$17,649 million, a slight decrease of 1.1 percent from June 2003. On a year-over-year basis, July 2003 net sales increased 30.4 percent. Revenues for January through July 2003 totaled NT\$106,896 million, an increase of 14.3 percent over the same period in 2002.

Mr. Harvey Chang, TSMC spokesperson and senior vice president, attributed the slight decrease in July 2003 revenues to customers' seasonal inventory adjustments. The Company's third quarter 2003 guidance remains as provided in its July 24, 2003 investor conference.

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Sales Report: (Unit: NT\$ million)

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| Net Sales | 2003 (1) | 2002 | Growth |
|----------------------|----------|--------|--------|
| July | 17,649 | 13,536 | 30.4% |
| January through July | 106,896 | 93,508 | 14.3% |

(1): Year 2003 figures have not been audited.

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