TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING CO LTD Form 6-K May 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 May 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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(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 x

(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: May 10, 2013

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

TSMC April 2013 Sales Report

Hsinchu, Taiwan, R.O.C. May 10, 2013 - TSMC (TWSE: 2330, NYSE: TSM) today announced its net sales for April 2013: On a consolidated basis, net sales for April 2013 were approximately NT\$50.07 billion, an increase of 13.5 percent from March 2013 and an increase of 23.5 percent over March 2012. Revenues for January through April 2013 totaled NT\$182.83 billion, an increase of 25.1 percent compared to the same period in 2012.

TSMC Sales Report (Consolidated):

(Unit: NT\$ million)

			M-o-M		Y-o-Y			Y-o-Y
			Increase		Increase	January through	January through	Increase
	April	March	(Decrease)	April	(Decrease)	April	April	(Decrease)
Period	2013	2013	%	2012	%	2013	2012	%
Net Sales	50,071	44,134	13.5	40,542	23.5	182,826	146,157	25.1

* April 2012 and Jan-April 2012 figures are prepared in accordance with T IFRS (International Financial Reporting Standards as endorsed for use in the R.O.C.)

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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 April. 2013.

1. Sales volume (in NT\$ thousands)

Period	Items	2013	2012
April	Net sales	50,070,645	40,542,396
JanApril	Net sales	182,825,641	146,157,227

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

		Amount Drawn
Lending Company	Limit of lending	Bal. as of period end
TSMC Partners*	39,683,238	2,356,800
TSMC Development*	13,929,202	2,371,530

* The guarantee is provided to TSMC Global, a subsidiary of TSMC.

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

		Amount
Guarantor	Limit of guarantee	Bal. as of period end
TSMC*	180,799,429	44,190,000

* The guarantee is provided to TSMC Global, a subsidiary of TSMC.

4. Financial derivative transactions (in NT\$ thousands): For assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies.

<u>TSMC</u>

		Futures	Forward	Swap
Margin Payment				-
Premium Income (Expense)				
	Notional Amount		15,114,161	
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss		11,872	
	Unrealized Profit/Loss		(22,433)	1,755
Expired Contracts	Notional Amount		58,804,768	47,025,295
	Realized Profit/Loss		270,663	(12,020)
Equity price linked product (Y/N)			Ν	Ν

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TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC China

		Futures	Forward	Swap
Margin Payment				
Premium Income (Expense)				
	Notional Amount		2,201,013	
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss		11,103	
	Unrealized Profit/Loss		13,693	
Expired Contracts	Notional Amount		3,307,942	
	Realized Profit/Loss		7,767	
Equity price linked product (Y/N)			Ν	
TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Solar				

Futures Forward Swap Margin Payment Premium Income (Expense) 504,048 Notional Amount 1,136,831 **Outstanding Contracts** Mark to Market Profit/Loss (3,335) (14,811) Unrealized Profit/Loss (2,966) (14,095) **Expired Contracts** 2,015,089 4,268,564 Notional Amount 10,249 Realized Profit/Loss 455 Equity price linked product (Y/N) Ν Ν

TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Solid State Lighting

		Futures	Forward	Swap
Margin Payment				-
Premium Income (Expense)				
	Notional Amount		315,507	359,440
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss		(1,911)	(5,818)
	Unrealized Profit/Loss		(1,680)	(5,785)
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Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss		1,908	139
Equity price linked product (Y/N)			Ν	Ν
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TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Global

		Futures	Forward	Swap
Margin Payment				
Premium Income (Expense)				
Outstanding Contracts	Notional Amount Mark to Market Profit/Loss		14,624,775 (887,053)	
	Unrealized Profit/Loss		(889,703)	
Expired Contracts	Notional Amount Realized Profit/Loss			
Equity price linked product (Y/N)			Y	