

TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING CO LTD  
Form 6-K  
May 14, 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,

Taiwan

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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

(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 14, 2013

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

**TSMC Board of Directors Meeting Resolutions**

**Hsinchu, Taiwan, R.O.C. May 14, 2013** TSMC (NYSE: TSM) today held a meeting of the Board of Directors, which passed the following resolutions:

1. Approved capital appropriations totaling approximately US\$4,901.9 million for the purpose of R&D and capacity expansion for advanced process technologies, construction of 12-inch GigaFab<sup>TM</sup> facilities, and installation of facility systems.
2. Approved the issuance of unsecured straight corporate bonds in the domestic market for an amount not exceeding NT\$45 billion to raise capital for capacity expansion.

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