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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)

			M-o-M		Y-o-Y
			Increase		Increase
	January	December	(Decrease)	January	(Decrease)
Period	2019	2018	%	2018	%
Net Revenues	78,094	89,831	(13.1)	79,741	(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)

	Limit of	Amount Drawn
Lending Company	lending	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):

	Limit of	Amount
Guarantor	guarantee	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.

Financial derivative transa	actions (in NT\$ thousands)		
(1) Derivatives not under hedge accounting.			
TSMC			
		Forward	
Margin Payment		T OI Wald	
Premium Income (Expens	se)		
	Notional Amount	51,500,372	
	Mark to Market		
Outstanding Contracts	Profit/Loss	(75,183)	
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	(94,622)	
	Notional Amount	31,832,876	
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	67,900	
Equity price linked produc	ct (Y/N)	N	
TSMC China			
		Forward	
Margin Payment		2 02 11 42 4	
Premium Income (Expens	se)		
	Notional Amount	10,680,169	
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market	77,361	

Profit/Loss

	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)	
F : 10	Notional Amount	3,378,085	

Expired Contracts

N

Realized Profit/Loss	(52.913)
INCALIZED FIGURE LOSS	(34,3131

Equity price linked product (Y/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		(75,252)	
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