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# **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 November 2012

# 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 x 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 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: Nov. 9, 2012

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

### **TSMC October 2012 Sales Report**

**Hsinchu, Taiwan, R.O.C.** November 9, 2012 - TSMC (TWSE: 2330, NYSE: TSM) today announced its net sales for October 2012: On an unconsolidated basis, net sales were approximately NT\$49.28 billion, an increase of 15.1 percent over September 2012 and an increase of 32.3 percent over October 2011. Revenues for January through October 2012 totaled NT\$419.67 billion, an increase of 19.1 percent compared to the same period in 2011.

On a consolidated basis, net sales for October 2012 were approximately NT\$49.94 billion, an increase of 15.2 percent over September 2012 and an increase of 32.8 percent over October 2011. Consolidated revenues for January through October 2012 totaled NT\$424.88 billion, an increase of 18.0 percent compared to the same period in 2011.

### TSMC Sales Report (Unconsolidated):

							(Unit: NT	\$ million)
			M-o-M		Y-o-Y	January		Y-o-Y
			Increase		Increase	through	January through	Increase
	October	September	(Decrease)	October	(Decrease)	October	October	(Decrease)
Period	2012	2012	%	2011	%	2012	2011	%
Net Sales	49,283	42,817	15.1	37,247	32.3	419,669	352,460	19.1

<sup>\*</sup> Year 2012 figures have not been audited.

### TSMC Sales Report (Consolidated):

							(Unit: NT	\$ million)
			M-o-M		Y-o-Y	January		Y-o-Y
			Increase		Increase	through	January through	Increase
	October	September	(Decrease)	October	(Decrease)	October	October	(Decrease)
Period	2012	2012	%	2011	%	2012	2011	%
Net Sales	49,938	43,353	15.2	37,610	32.8	424,882	359,979	18.0

<sup>\*</sup> Year 2012 figures have not been audited.

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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 October 2012.

### 1) Sales volume (in NT\$ thousands)

Period	Items	2012	2011
Oct.	Net sales	49,282,571	37,246,661
JanOct.	Net sales	419,668,836	352,459,776

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

	Limit of lending	Oct.	Bal. as of period end
TSMC Partners*	38,187,846	0	5,261,940
TSMC Development**	12,894,450	116,932	1,213,170

- \* The borrower is TSMC China, TSMC s subsidiary
- \*\* The borrower is TSMC Solar, TSMC s subsidiary
- 3) Endorsements and guarantees (in NT\$ thousands): None.
- 4) Financial derivative transactions (in NT\$ thousands)

### **TSMC**

Hedging purpose (for assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies)

		Forward	Swap
Margin Payment			
Premium Income (Expense)			
	Notional Amount	13,450,269	
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	(4,754)	
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	(19,678)	
Expired Contracts	Notional Amount	128,401,113	51,087,801
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	22,975	(75,370)
Equity price linked product (Y/N)		N	N

TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Partners

Hedging purpose (for assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies)

		Forward	Swap
Margin Payment			_
Premium Income (Expense)			
	Notional Amount	702,420	
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	(2,718)	
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	7,827	
Evaluad Contracts	Notional Amount	104,377,061	
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	(72,236)	

Equity price linked product (Y/N)

N

TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC China

Hedging purpose (for assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies)

		Forward	Swap
Margin Payment			
Premium Income (Expense)			
	Notional Amount		
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss		
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	736	
Everinad Contracts	Notional Amount	16,030,288	
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	(2,947)	
Equity price linked product (Y/N)		N	

TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Solar

Hedging purpose (for assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies)

		Forward	Swap
Margin Payment			
Premium Income (Expense)			
	Notional Amount	309,881	886,254
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	(3,513)	(1,325)
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	(3,451)	(1,266)
Expired Contracts	Notional Amount	2,336,656	6,143,564
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	(5,341)	(19,118)
Equity price linked product (Y/N)		N	N

TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Solid State Lighting

Hedging purpose (for assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies)

		Forward	Swap
Margin Payment			
Premium Income (Expense)			
	Notional Amount	91,592	
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss	(543)	
	Unrealized Profit/Loss	(549)	60
Exmined Contracts	Notional Amount	1,450,953	977,734
Expired Contracts	Realized Profit/Loss	(2,449)	(7,599)
Equity price linked product (Y/N)		N	N

TSMC s subsidiaries - TSMC Global

Hedging purpose -applying hedge accounting (for assets / liabilities denominated in foreign currencies)

		Forward	Swap
Margin Payment			
Premium Income (Expense)			
	Notional Amount		
Outstanding Contracts	Mark to Market Profit/Loss		
	Unrealized Profit/Loss		
Expired Contracts	Notional Amount	31,776,767	

	Realized Profit/Loss	8,893
Equity price linked product (Y/N)		N