



## Dividend Announcement

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To: New York Stock Exchange  
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New York, NY 10005

Please be advised of the following dividend information:

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### DR Program: TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR

CUSIP: 874039100  
ISIN: US8740391003  
Ticker: TSM  
Country: TAIWAN

Ratio (ADR:ORDS): 1 : 5

Type of Distribution:

Ordinary Record Date: 12-Jul-10  
ADR Record Date: 08-Jul-10  
Ordinary Payable Date: 22-Jul-10  
ADR Payable Date: 27-Jul-10  
Ordinary Ex-Date: 06-Jul-10

Ordinary Rate: 2.9997324229912 Note: (1)

Currency: NT\$

Conversion Rate: 32.1905799268 Note: (2)

Gross Rate \$: 0.4659333 Note: (3)

Tax Rate: **20%**

Cash Tax \$: 0.0931867 Note: (4)

Dividend Fee \$: 0.0000000

Net Dividend Rate \$: **0.3727466**

#### Note following formula:

(1) NT\$77,708,119,866 (ordinary cash dividends approved) divided by 25,905,017,151 (total outstanding ordinary shares) = NT\$ 2.9997324229912 cash dividend per ordinary share

(2) This is a final conversion rate.

(3) Gross rate = 2.9997324229912 x 5 (5 ords : 1 ADR) divided by 32.1905799268 (**final conversion rate**) = 0.4659333

(4) 2.9997324229912 (cash dividend per ordinary share) x 5 (5 ords : 1 ADR) x 20% (withholding tax at source) divided by 32.1905799268 (**final conversion rate**) = US\$ 0.0931867 withholding tax on cash dividend per record date share.

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