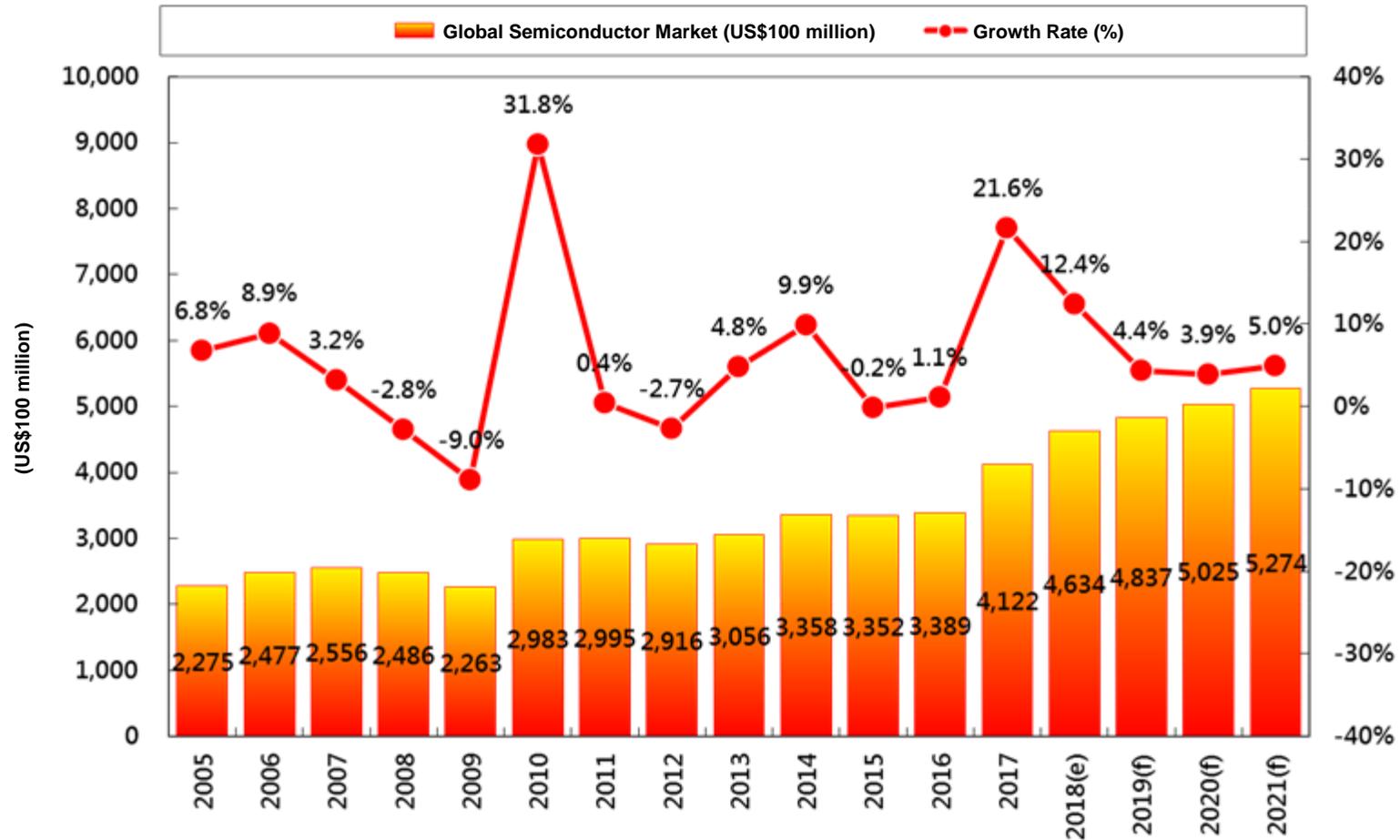


In 2017, the global semiconductor market reached USD 412.2 billion with a growth of 21.6%. It is expected to reach USD 463.4 billion in 2018 with a continuous growth of 12.4%.



Source : WSTS, ITRI- ISTI, organized by SIPO (August 2018)

# Global Significance of Taiwan's Semiconductor Industry in 2017.

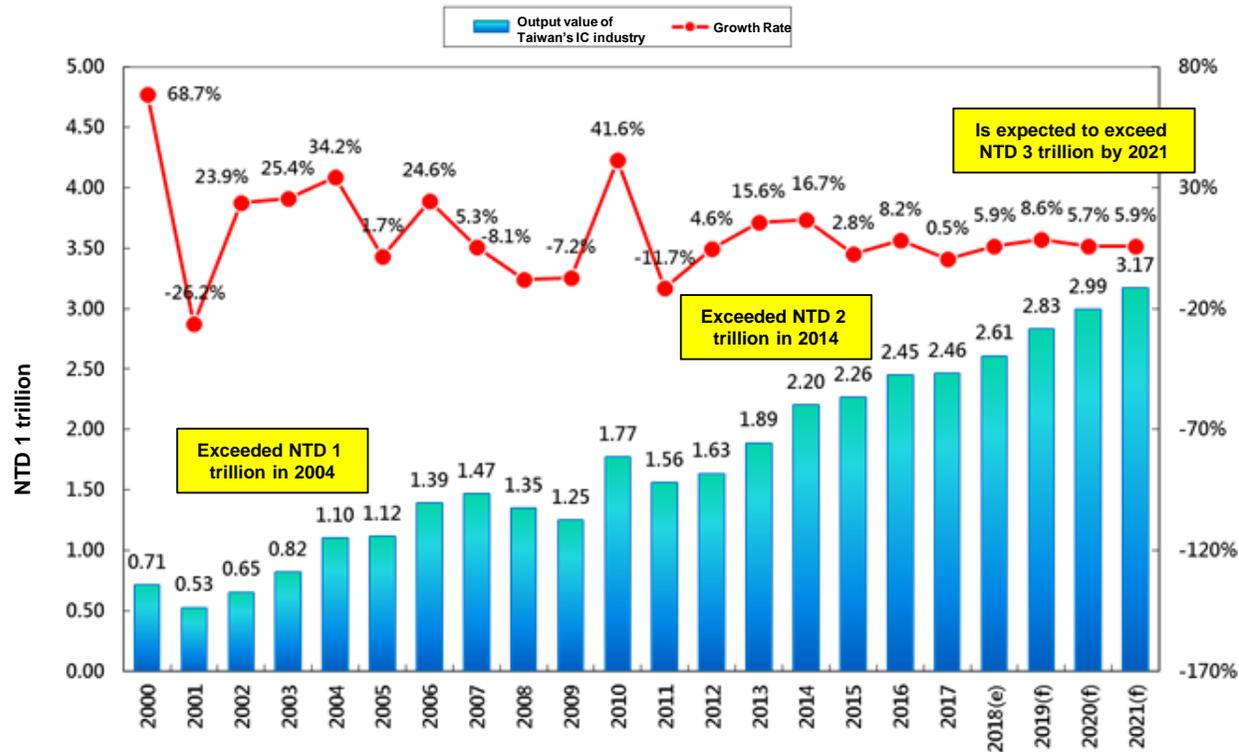
The world's No. 3 player in terms of total IC Industry output  
(IC Design No.2; IC Foundry No.1; IC Packaging and Testing No.1)

2017	Output of Taiwan (US\$100 million)	Global Output (US\$100 million)	Taiwan's Market Share (%)	Taiwan's Ranking	Major Taiwanese Companies	Leading Countries
Output Value of IC Industry Chain = A+B+C+D	810	5,026	16.1%	NO.3	TSMC	The U.S. and Korea
A.IC Design	203	976	20.8%	NO.2	MediaTek	The U.S.
B.IDM (including Memory)	53	3,227	1.6%	NO.5	Nanya Technology	The U.S., Korea, Japan and Europe
C.IC Foundry	397	547	72.5%	NO.1	TSMC	Taiwan
D.IC Packaging and Testing	157	281	55.9%	NO.1	ASE	Taiwan
Output value of IC products (IC brand) =A+B	256	4,203	6.1%	NO.4	MediaTek	The U.S., Korea and Japan

- Taiwan's IC industry has a complete industry chain. From the upstream IC Design to the downstream IDM and IC Packaging and Testing, Taiwan has a unrivaled and professional division-of-labor structure. **The output value of Taiwan's IC industry is in the world's third place**, right after the United States and Korea (before Japan, Europe, mainland China and Singapore).
- The **world's No. 2 player** in terms of total IC Design output, right after the U.S. (before Mainland China).
- The **world's No. 5 player** in terms of total IDM output and the **world's No. 4 player** in terms of total memory production output. Taiwan mainly produces DRAM, and then NOR Flash and Mask ROM. Its world position comes only after Korea, the United States and Japan.
- The **world's No. 1 player** in terms of total IC foundry output and a global leader with advanced below 10 nm production process.
- The **world's No. 1 player** in terms of IC Packaging and Testing output. Besides, among the world's top 10 professional IC Packaging and Testing companies, more than half of them are from Taiwan.

# Taiwan value the development of the semiconductor industry as it facilitates the country' s economic growth and social development.

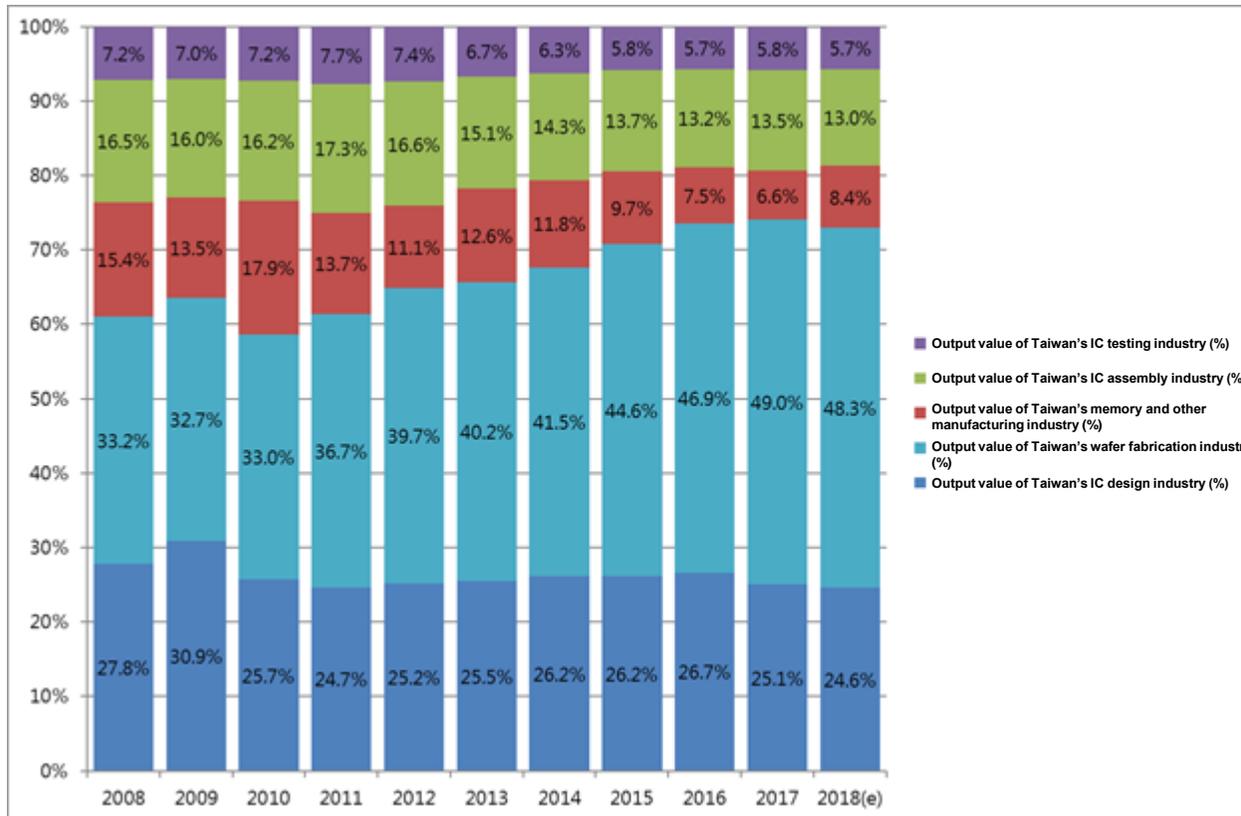
The industry' s output value is expected to reach NTD 3 trillion by 2021.



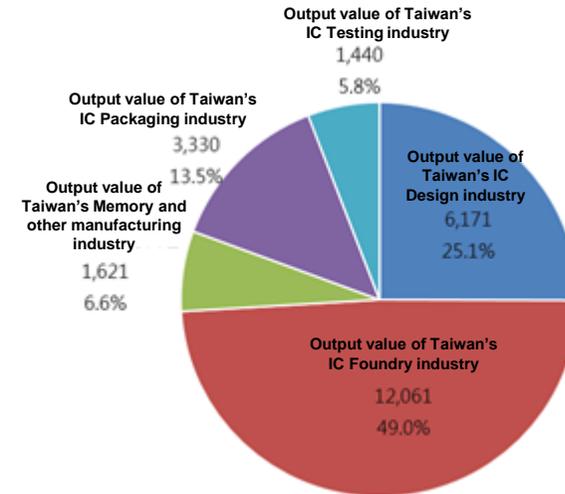
- The output value of Taiwan' s semiconductor industry reached 2.46 trillion in 2017 with a growth of 0.5%. It is expected to reach 2.61 trillion by 2018 with a growth of 5.9%.
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# The Output Structure of Taiwan's Semiconductor Industry.

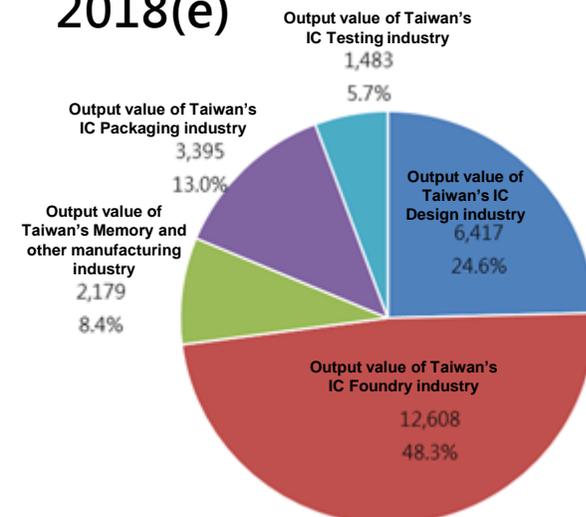
In 2018, the proportion of IC Foundry is 48%, which has facilitated the development of IC Design (25%), IC Packaging and Testing (19%) and memory industry (8%).



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The Output Value Structure and Distribution of Taiwan's Semiconductor Industry from 2008 to 2018.