

Overview of Taiwan Semiconductor Industry and National R&D Initiatives

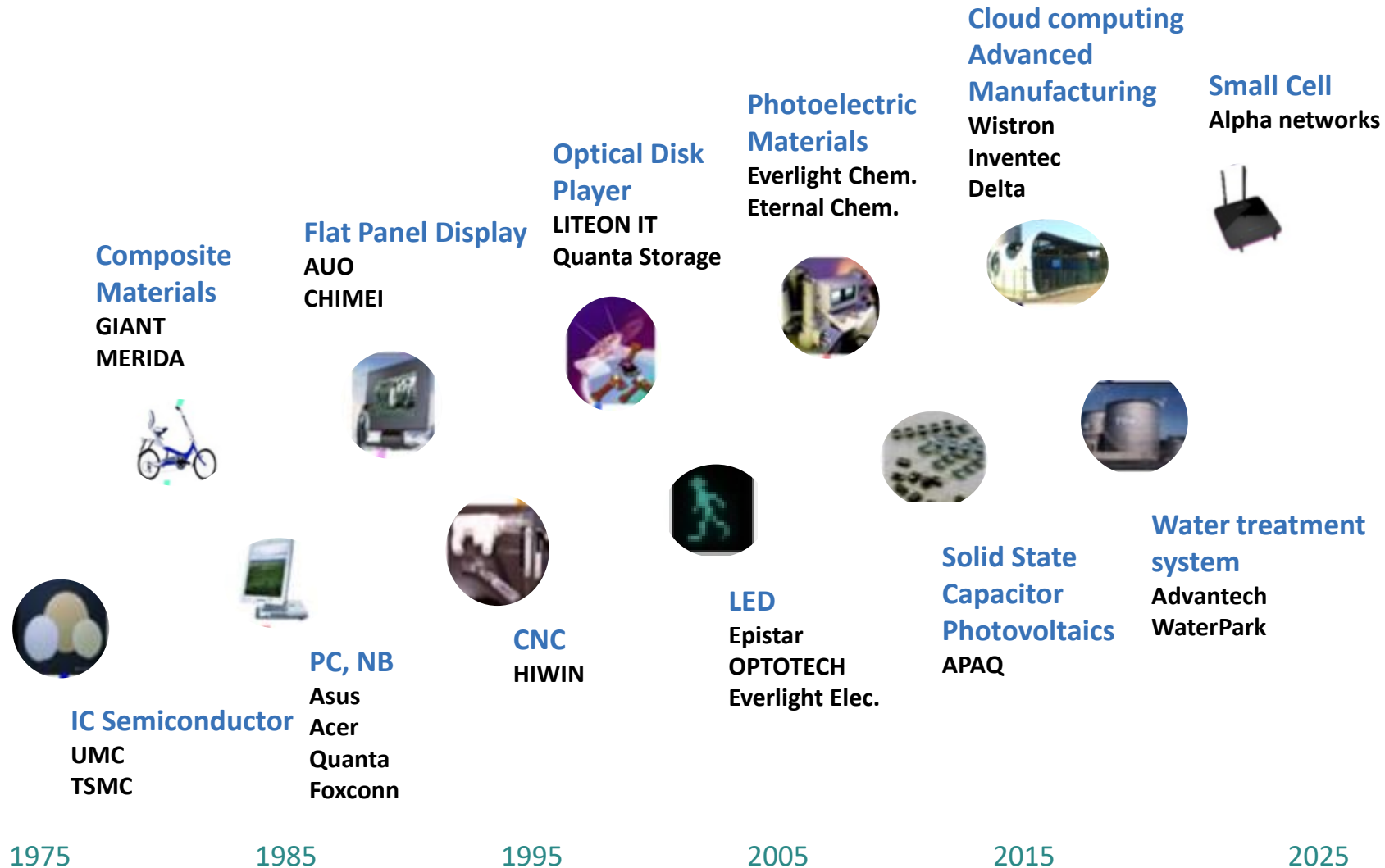
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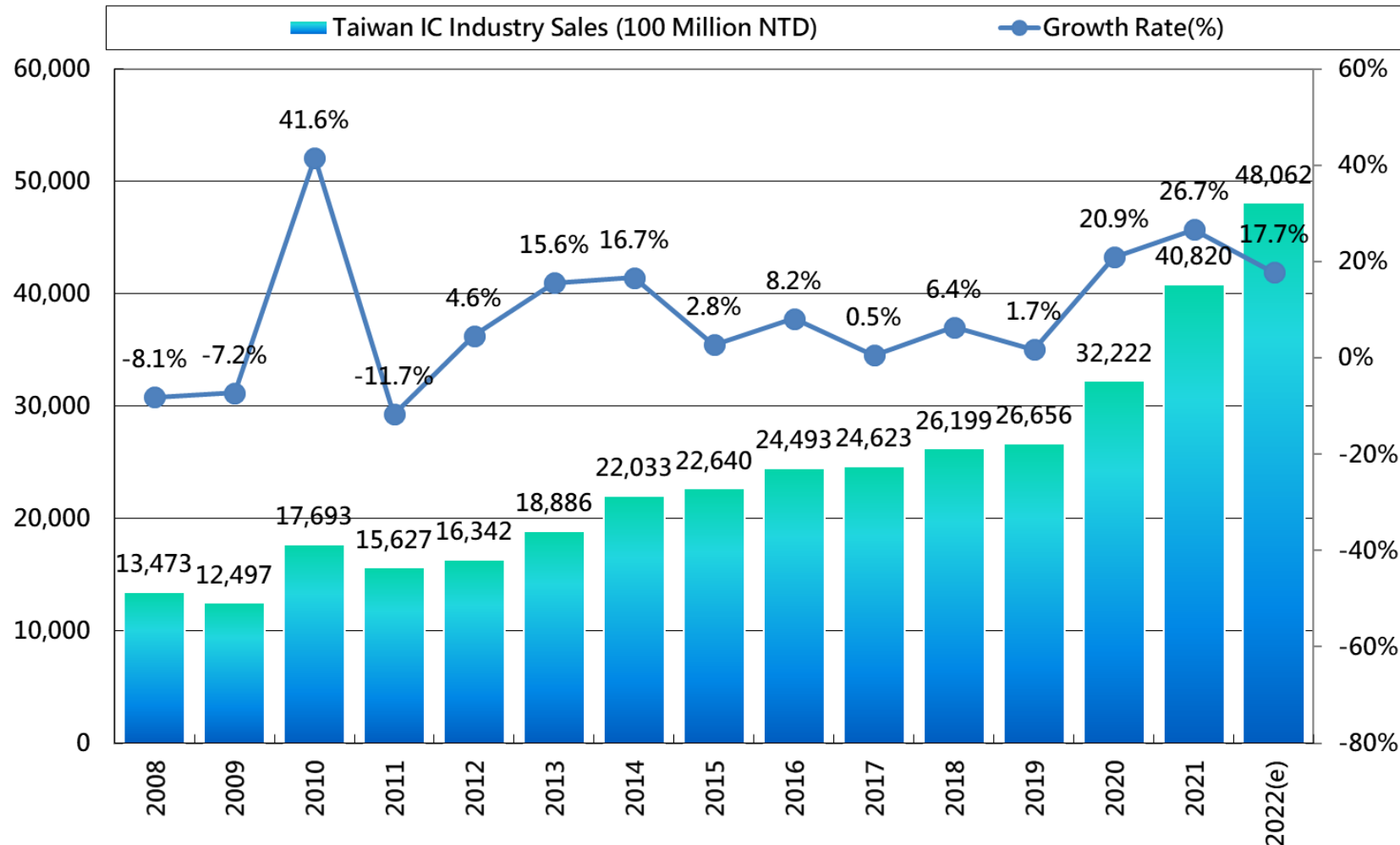
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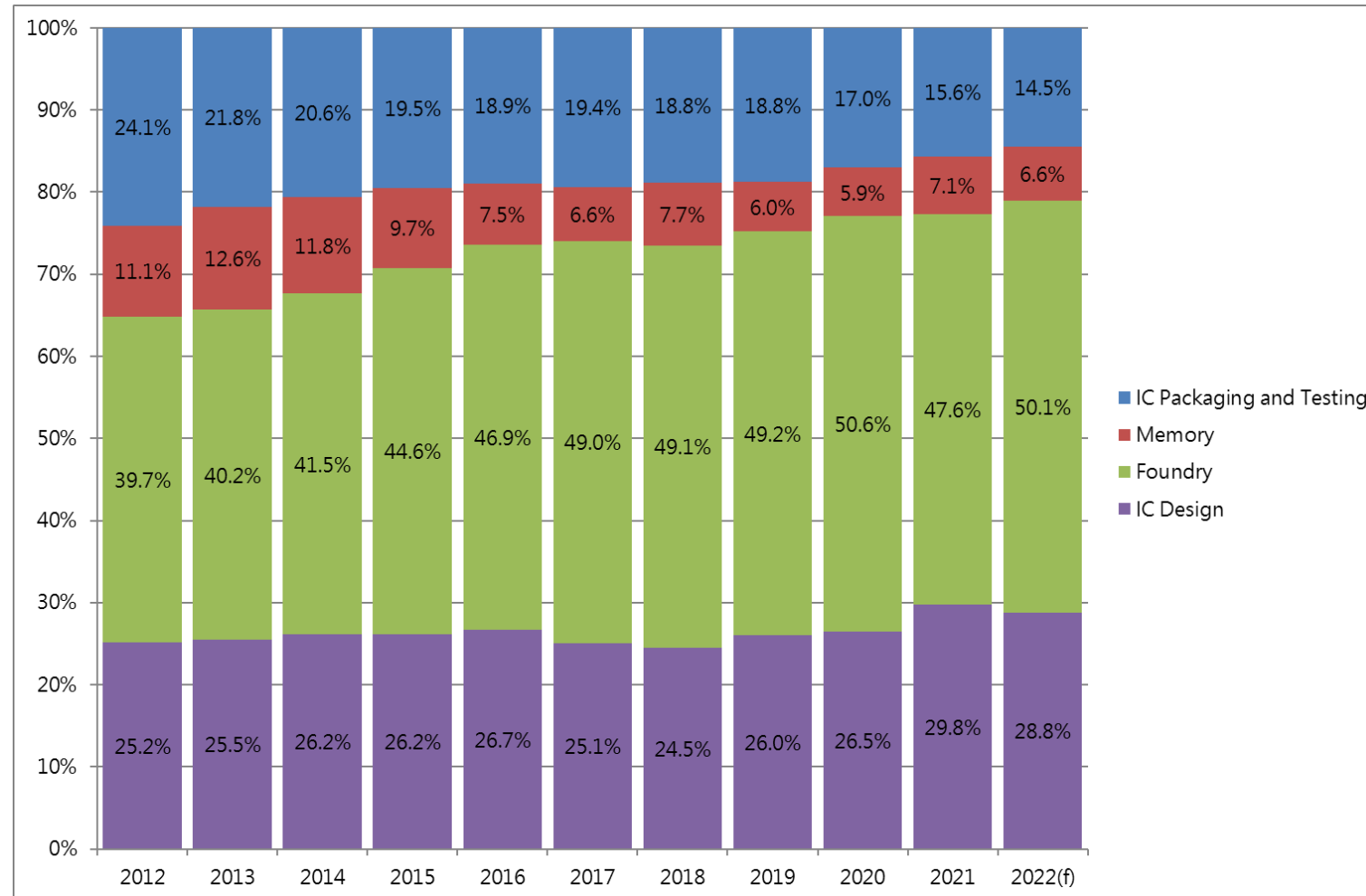
ITRI Fosters New Industries in Taiwan with Semiconductor Industry the First



Taiwan IC Industry Reaches Record-high of NTD4.08 Trillions (US\$145.8B) in 2021

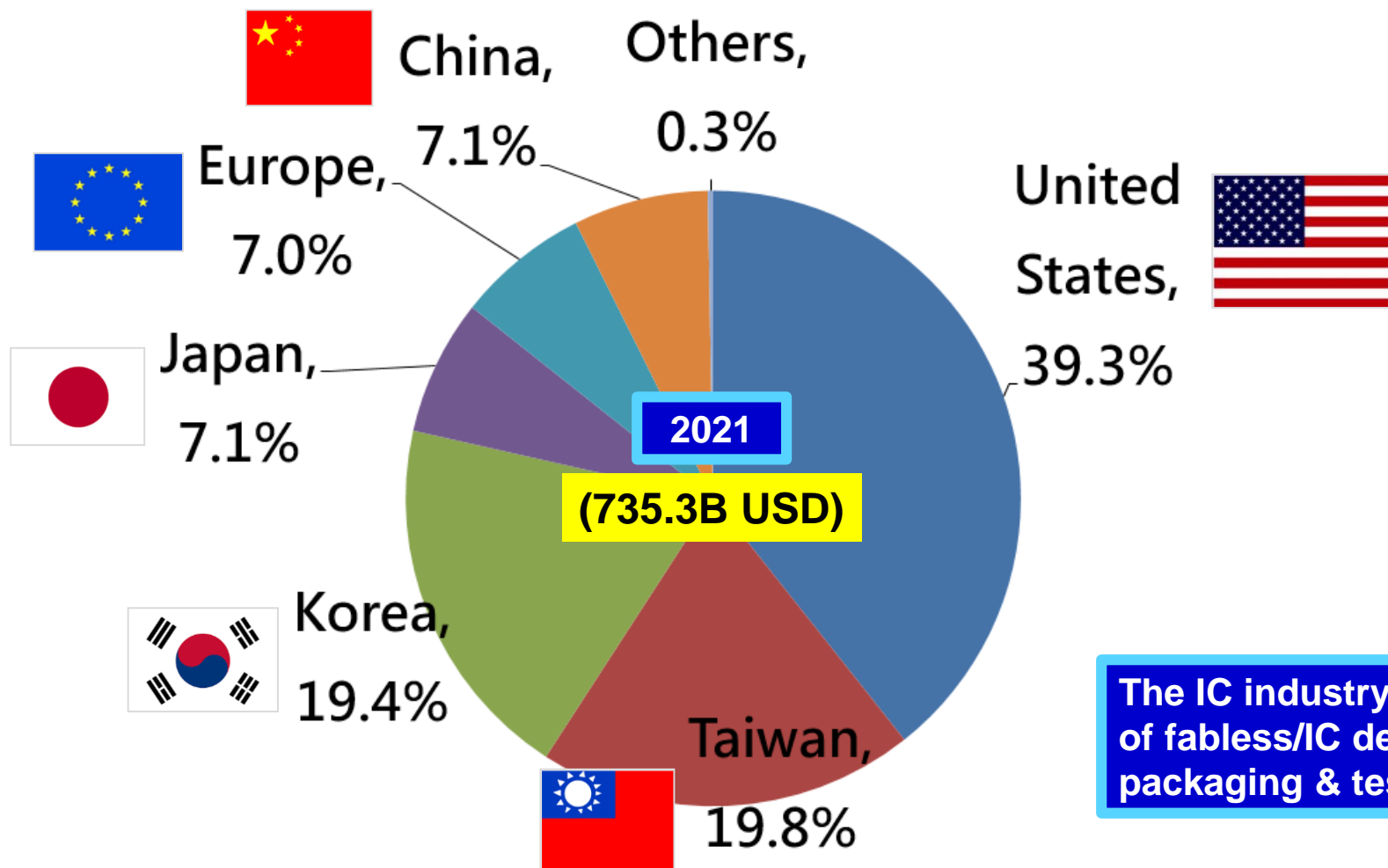


Foundry Contributes the Most, Followed by Fabless IC Design of Taiwan IC Industry



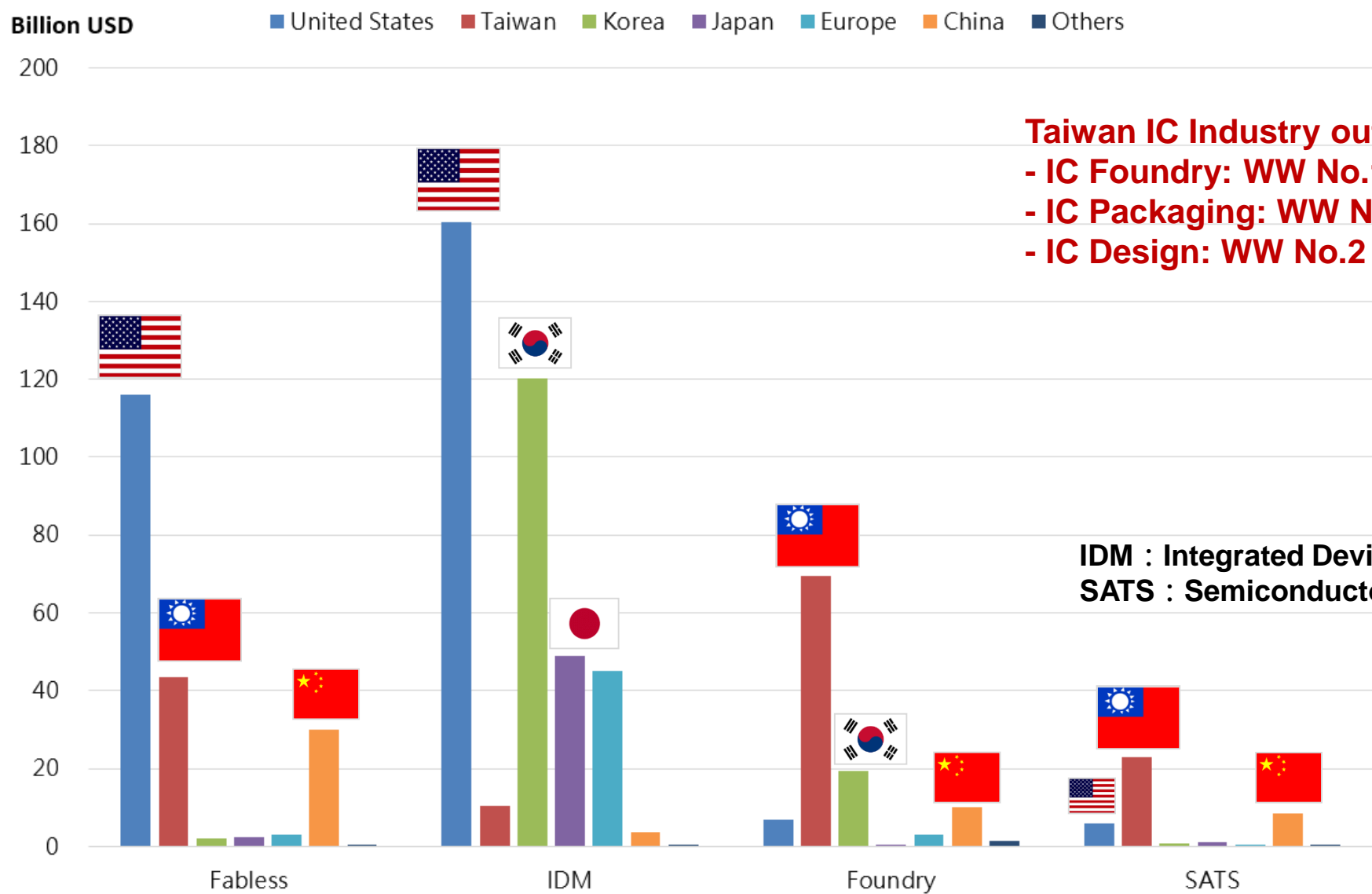
2021 Global Semiconductor Industry Competitiveness

The total output value of US semiconductor industry ranks No.1 in the world, followed by Taiwan and South Korea.



The IC industry includes sub-segments of fabless/IC design, pure-foundry, IC packaging & testing, and IDM.

Taiwan's Foundry and SATS Serving WW Customers



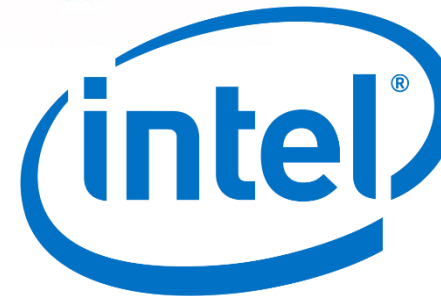
Taiwan IC Industry output value ranks WW No.2
- IC Foundry: WW No.1 (2021 WW share : 63%)
- IC Packaging: WW No.1 (2021 WW share : 58%)
- IC Design: WW No.2 (2021 WW share : 22%)

IDM : Integrated Device Manufacturer
SATS : Semiconductor Assembly and Test Services

ISTI Source: ITRI/ISTI Research

Note: Revenue calculated based on which country the company's HQ is located in.  **ITRI**
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Attracting foreign partners' investments to increase their value-add to upgrade Taiwan IC ecosystem

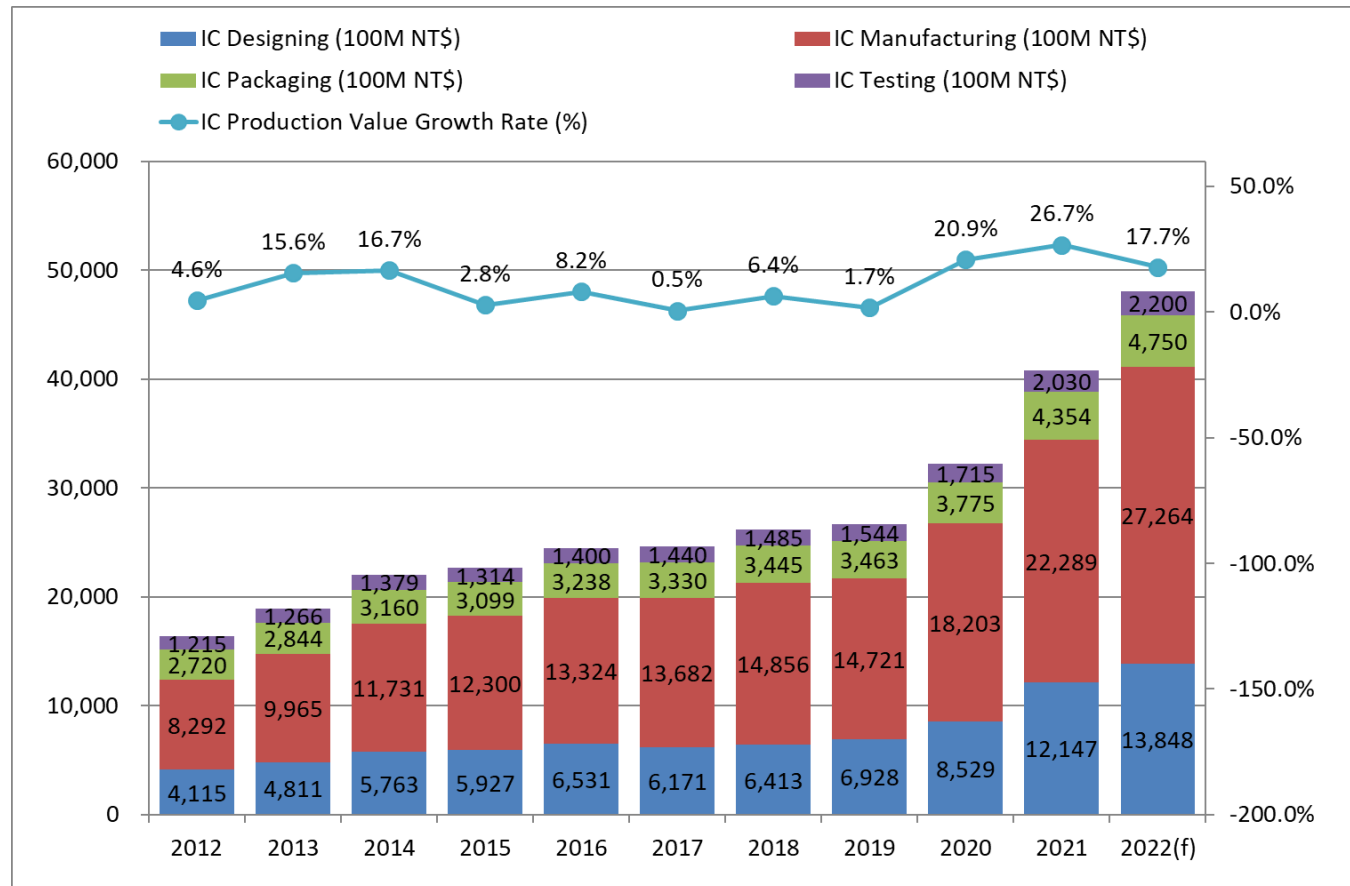


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Taiwan IC Industry Outperforms WW Growth in the Last 10 Years, and What's the Next 10's ?

Clustering ecosystem with agility and flexibility, increases and enhances international partnerships, from various applications of NB and smartphone to data center and automotive



2012-2022(f) CAGR % :
Taiwan IC Industry 11.4%
Worldwide 7.5% (WSTS)

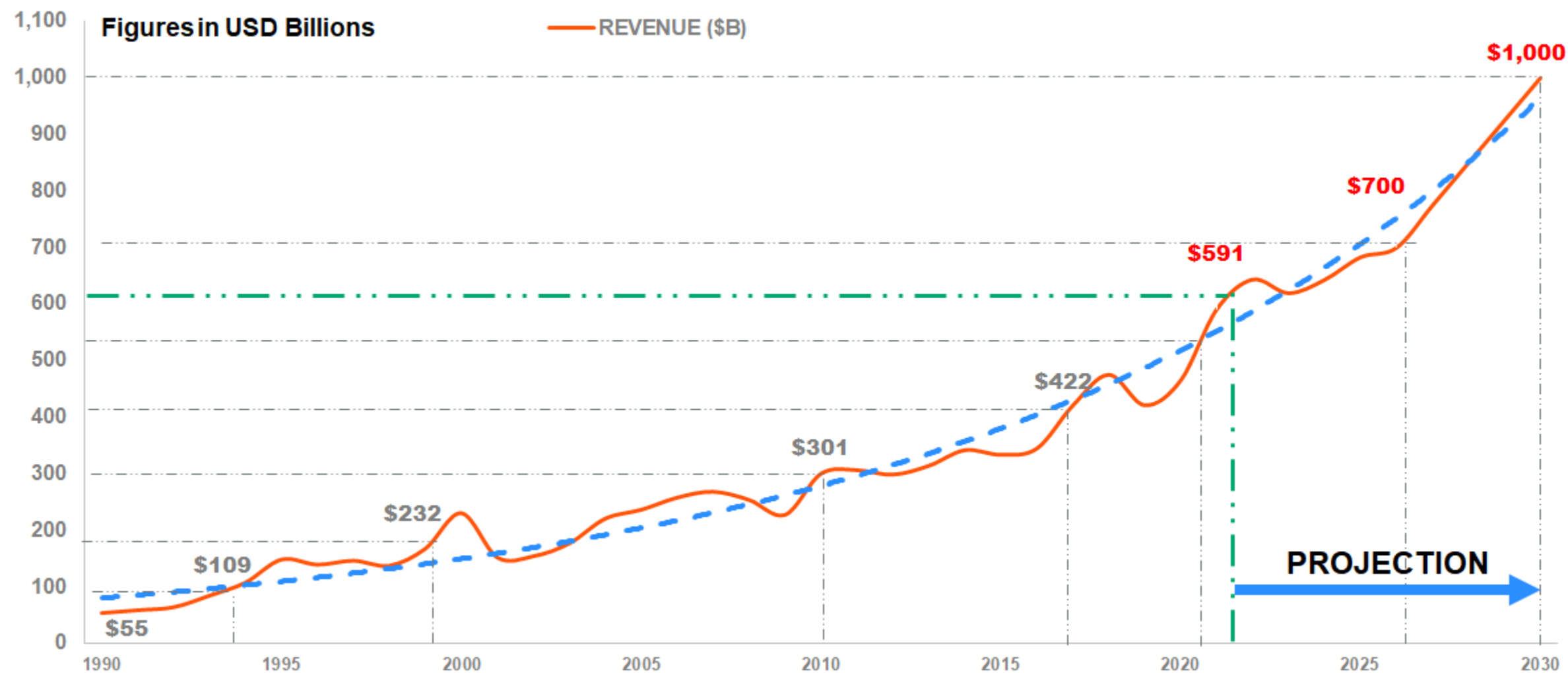
2012-2022(f) CAGR% :

IC Testing 6.1%
IC Packaging 5.7%

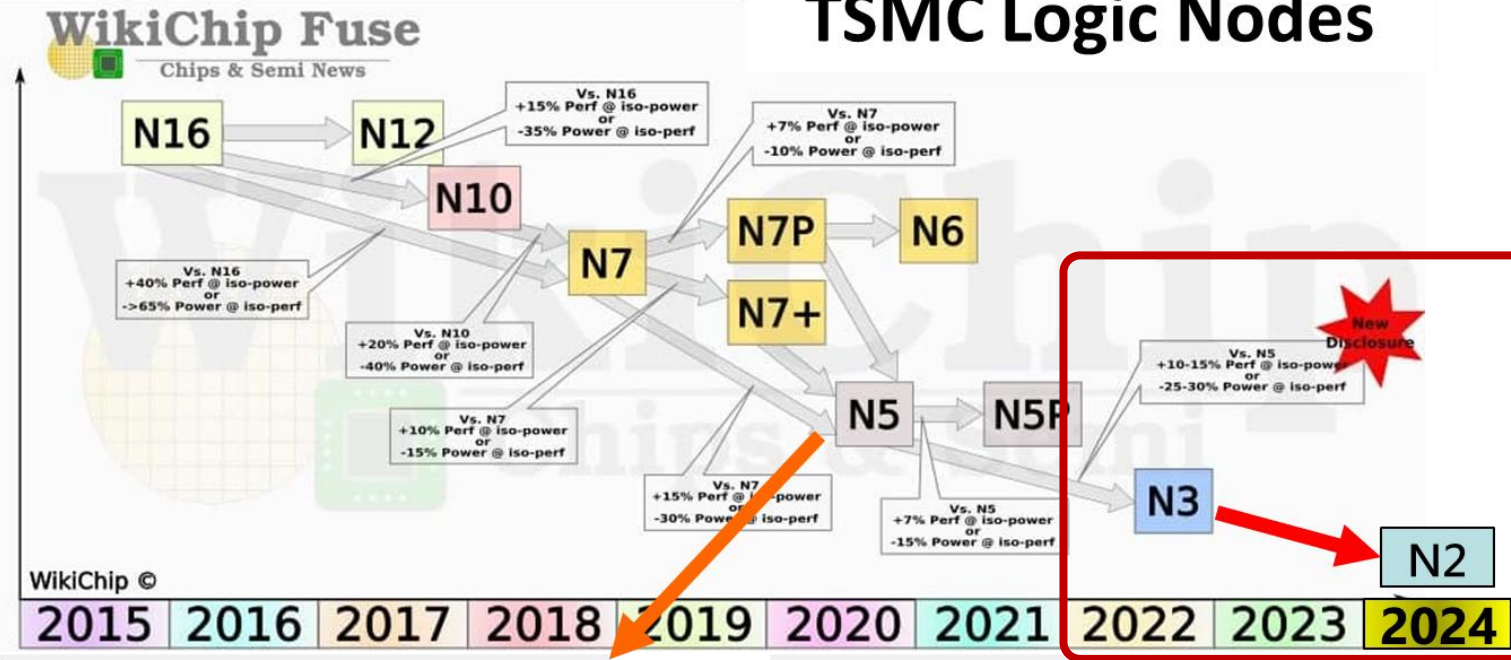
IC Manufacturing 12.6%

IC Design 12.9%

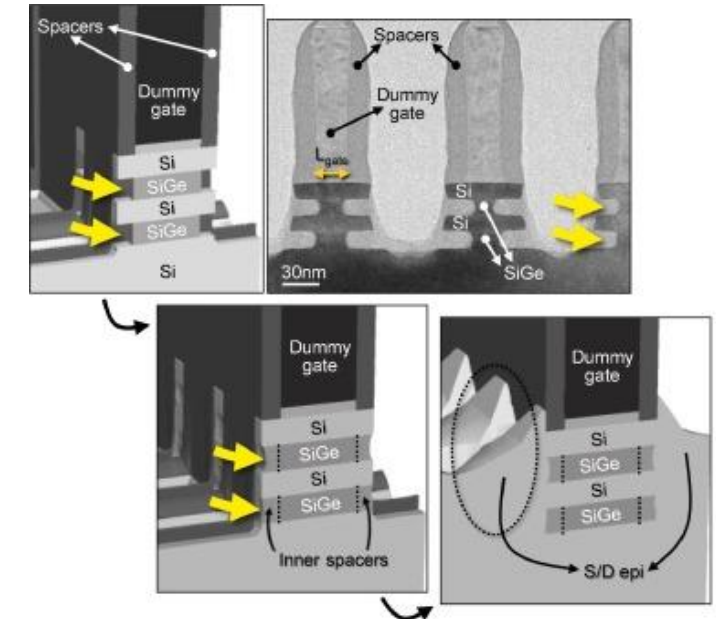
Semiconductor Revenue to Hit \$1 Trillion by 2030 !?



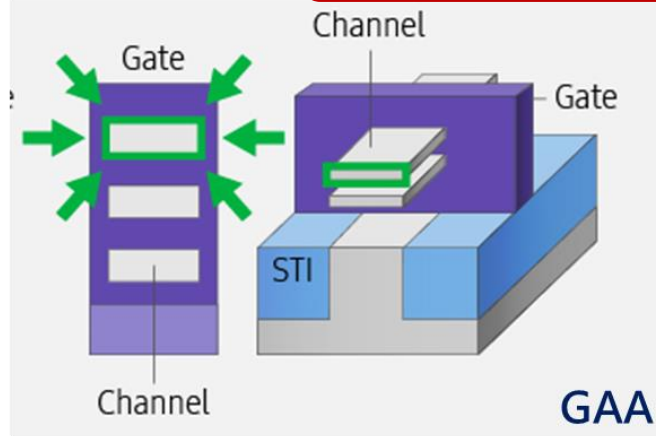
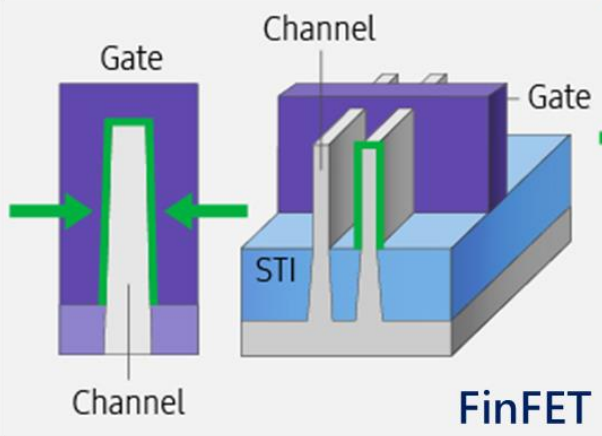
Taiwan Leads for N2 Technology Node Development in Gate-All-Around (GAA) Manufacturing



N2 Gate-All-Around 3D Structure



- In-die measurement: $50 \times 50 \mu\text{m}^2$
- **Atomic level** measurement:
 - **0.1 nm precision** for etch back, inner spacer, line width, side wall angle, 3D profile
 - Film thickness: **0.01 nm precision**



New Semiconductor Initiatives and RD Programs

- **Angstrom Semiconductor Program** : To expedite advanced research on **low-dimensional materials and emerging devices**, and **Å-scale in-line metrology**, as well as **3DIC and chiplet stacking** enabling technologies that could maintain Taiwan's IC leading position for the next decade.
- **Compound Semiconductor Program** : To address **wide bandgap semiconductor opportunities for high-power and high-frequency applications**.
- **AI-on-Chip Program** : To extend our reach to **ultra-low-power Edge AI processor and heterogeneous integration platform**, based on Taiwan's IC industry's capabilities and advantages.

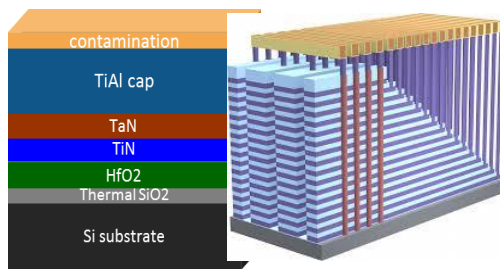
ITRI First Online Measurement Tool to Support N2 GAA Front End Processes

➤ Technology Milestones

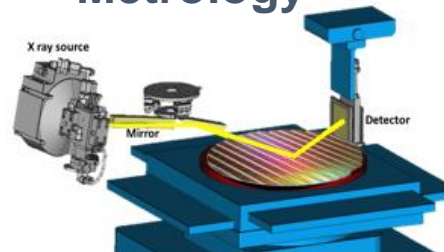
- 2022: Completion of **Reflection X-Ray Metrology** developments
- 2024: **Commercialization tools** available for pilot run and mass production

➤ Metrology Features

- Satisfied nanoscale CD measurement demands in front-end processes where no commercial tool is available: **buried CD structure** with ~1 nm variations, 3D complex structures, and **atomic resolution ≤ 0.1 nm**
- Measurement time reduced by > 60%



Reflection X-ray Metrology



Commercial Tool



Conclusion

- **Taiwan semiconductor industry's high resilience with well-integrated ecosystem and clusters during pandemic, will have three consecutive years' double-digit and record-high growth and is forecasted to reach NTD4.8 trillions (US\$171.6 billions) in 2022.**
- **To upgrade international partnerships, we most welcome foreign partners' participation in Taiwan's new semiconductor initiative and programs to grow together for future business opportunities.**

International Linkage

**Resilient for
Co-Innovation** **Sustainable for
Co-Prosperity**



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