



TSMC's Strong Profit Performance Defies Trade Concerns, Revenue Outlook Unchanged

Description

Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company (TSMC) had good results in the first quarter. They made more money than expected, thanks to the demand for AI chips. Their net income went up by 60%. The revenue also increased by 41%. This was because of the high-performance computing division, which includes AI and 5G. These technologies make the chips faster and more efficient. The CEO of TSMC said that they expect to do well in the next quarter too. However, there might be some problems with tariffs from the U.S. government. They could affect the business, but TSMC is still hopeful. They plan to keep growing and investing in new facilities. TSMC is a big company that makes chips for companies like Nvidia and AMD. Shares of TSMC went down a little bit, but they are still doing okay.

Vocabulary List:

1. **revenue** /'revənju:/ (noun): The income generated from normal business operations.
2. **net income** /net 'ɪn.kʌm/ (noun): The total profit of a company after all expenses and taxes have been deducted.
3. **division** /dɪ'vɪʒ.ən/ (noun): A separate part of a larger organization especially one that has particular responsibilities.
4. **efficient** /ɪ'fɪ.ənt/ (adjective): Performing or functioning in the best possible way with the least waste of time and effort.
5. **tariffs** /'tærɪfs/ (noun): Taxes imposed by a government on imported goods.
6. **impact** /'ɪm.pækt/ (noun): The effect or influence of one person thing or action on another.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Which term relates to the overall health of a country's financial system?
Option: Inflation
Option: Technology
Option: Interest Rates
Option: Economic
2. What is the term used to describe the ability to guide and direct others effectively?
Option: Stocks



- Option: Representative
- Option: Leadership
- Option: Mortgages

3. Which term refers to the funds or revenue of a government or organization?

- Option: Investments
- Option: Technology
- Option: Gasoline
- Option: Treasury

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

4. In economics _____ is the rate at which the general level of prices for goods and services rises and consequently purchasing power falls.

5. _____ are individuals or other entities that provide capital to start-up ventures or support small companies in exchange for ownership equity.

6. The trade war had a significant _____ on global markets leading to increased volatility and uncertainty.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

7. A economy is one that shows minimal fluctuations in growth and is not subject to extreme highs and lows.
8. The company was for its lack of transparency in its financial reporting.
9. The company set a new for quarterly revenue surpassing all previous figures.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Economic 2. Leadership 3. Treasury

Gap-Fill: 4. Inflation 5. Investors 6. Impact

Matching sentence: 1. Stable 2. Criticized 3. Record

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