Global Silicon Wafers
Market: Size, Trends &
Forecasts
(2018-2022)

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Executive Summary and Scope Introduction/Market Overview Global Market Analysis Regional Market Analysis Dynamics Competitive Landscape Company Profiling



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### **Scope of the Report**

Attributes	Details	
Title	Global Silicon Wafers Market: Size, Trends & Forecasts (2018-2022)	
Coverage	Global and Regional	
Regional Coverage	APAC and North America	
Market Influencing Variables	Growth Drivers, Challenges, Market Trends	
Forecast Period of Market	2018-2022	
Competition in the Market	Dominated	
Key Players	Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company, Limited (TSMC), Ferrotec Holdings Corporation, SUMCO Corporation and Shin-Etsu Chemical Co., Ltd.	

### Global Silicon Wafers Market

### **Executive Summary**

A wafer is a thin slice of semiconductor material that is formed with highly pure single crystalline material that is almost defect free. The wafer undergoes many micro fabrication process steps during formation. Wafers are used in various devices like, in electronics and photovoltaic for the fabrication of integrated circuits and for the solar cells, etc.

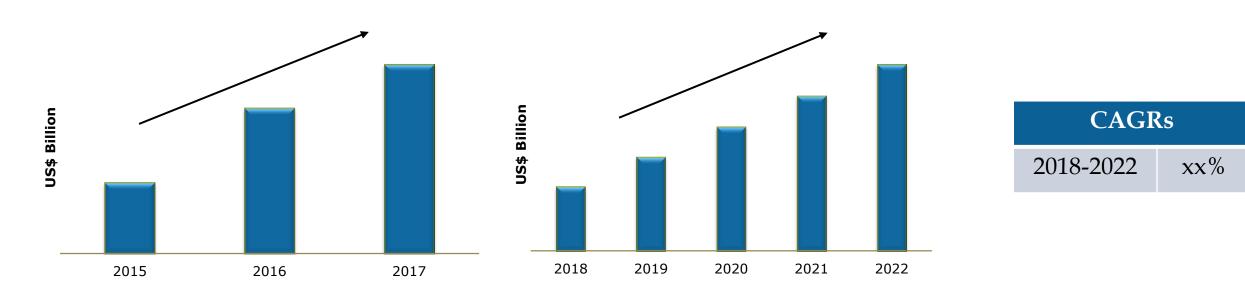
Silicon wafers are the most popular type of wafer. Wafers are also made using other compound, like III-V or II-VI materials, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), a III-V semiconductor etc. Silicon wafers are the most prevalent in the electronics industry and have various other applications like, manufacturing semiconductors, artificial intelligence, integrated circuits, home appliances, automobile etc. Silicon wafers are majorly used as there is abundance of silicon in nature, and silicon is hard and highly efficient. Silicon wafers also conduct electricity well at high temperatures and are thermally stable. But, silicon wafers are also brittle, have short lifecycles and produce toxic substances in manufacturing process.

Silicon wafers are segmented on the basis of type, fabrication and size. Silicon wafers are of six types: Polished Wafers, Hydrogen Annealed Wafer, Hyper Hydrogen Annealed Wafer, Epitaxial Wafers, Diffused Wafers and Silicon-On-Insulator (SOI) Wafer. On the basis of fabrication, silicon wafers are segmented as: Undoped Silicon Wafer and Doped Silicon Wafer (P-type Silicon Wafer and N-type Silicon Wafer). Silicon wafers are of various sizes: Less than 200mm, 200mm, 300mm and 450mm.

The global silicon wafers market has increased at a significant CAGR over the years and projections are made that the market would rise in the next four years i.e. 2018-2022 tremendously. The silicon wafers market is expected to increase due to increasing demand from memory sectors, rising automotive production, rising demand for solar photovoltaic power etc. Yet the market faces some challenges such as high cost, high barriers to entry, environmental regulations, etc.

### Silicon Wafers Market: Global Analysis

#### Global Silicon Wafers Market by Value

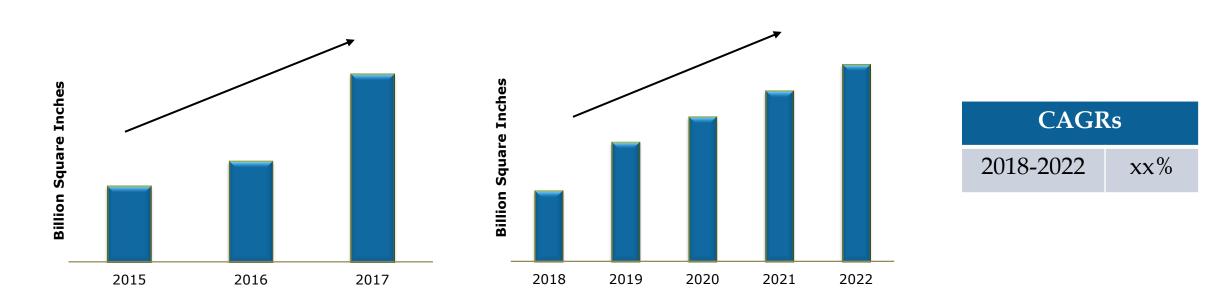


The global silicon wafers market valued at US\$.... billion in 2017, increased as compared to US\$... billion in 2016. The global silicon wafers market is anticipated to grow at CAGR of ...% from 2018-2022, and reach up to US\$... billion by 2022 from US\$... billion in 2018.



### Silicon Wafers Market: Global Analysis

#### Global Silicon Wafers Market by Shipment



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# Silicon Wafers Market: Global Analysis

Global Silicon Wafers Market by Region; 2017



Global Silicon Wafers Market by Segments; 2017

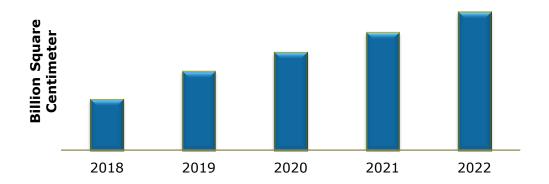




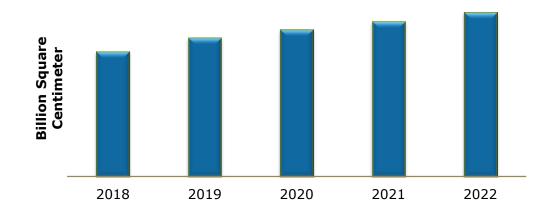
Segments	Share	CAGRs
300mm Silicon Wafers	xx%	xx%
200mm Silicon Wafers	xx%	xx%
Less than 200mm Silicon Wafers	xx%	xx%
450mm Silicon Wafers	xx%	xx%

### Silicon Wafers Market: Demand Analysis

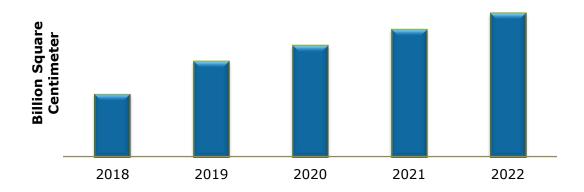
#### **Computing Silicon Wafers Market by Demand**



**Industrial Silicon Wafers Market by Demand** 



#### Mobile Phones Silicon Wafers Market by Demand

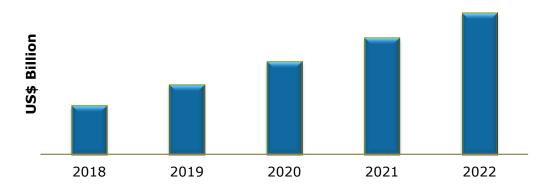


Applications	CAGR
	2018-2022
Computing	xx%
Mobile Phones	xx%
Industrial	xx%
Automotive	xx%

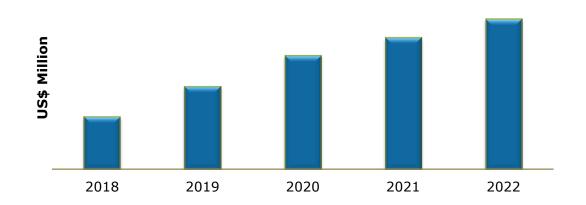


# Silicon Wafers Market: Segment Analysis

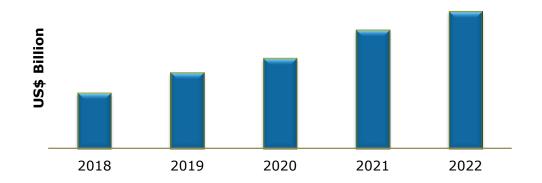
#### 3000mm Silicon Wafers Market by Value



Les than 200mm Market by Value



#### 200mm Silicon Wafers Market by Value

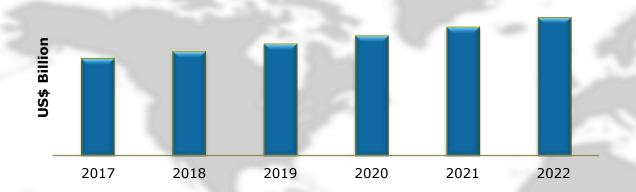


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Less than 200mm Silicon Wafers	xx%	
450mm Silicon Wafers	xx%	



# Silicon Wafers Market: Regional Analysis

### **APAC Silicon Wafers Market by Value**



North America Silicon Wafers Market by Value

US\$ Million							
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	

Region	CAGR	
	2018-2022	
APAC	xx%	
North America	xx%	



### Silicon Wafers Market: Dynamics

### **Growth Driver** • Increasing Demand from Memory Sectors • Rising Automotive Production Challenges • High Barriers to Entry • Strict Environmental Regulations **Market Trends** • Growing Artificial Intelligence (AI) Applications • Shift towards Monocrystalline Silicon Wafers



### Silicon Wafers Market: Competitive Landscape

### **Players Profiled**

 Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company, Limited (TSMC)

Ferrotec Holdings Corporation



SUMCO Corporation



• Shin-Etsu Chemical Co., Ltd.



