# Technical Perspectives on Semiconductor Stocks -- Ichor, IPG Photonics, KLA-Tencor, and Lam Research

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# **Ichor Holdings**

Fremont, California headquartered Ichor Holdings Ltd's stock finished Thursday's session 3.19% lower at \$32.15 with a total trading volume of 1.03 million shares. The Company's shares have surged 28.24% in the past month and 104.91% over the past year. The stock is trading 18.54% above its 50-day moving average and 32.24% above its 200-day moving average. Additionally, shares of Ichor, which engages in the design, engineering, and manufacture of fluid delivery subsystems for semiconductor capital equipment in the US, the UK, Singapore, and Malaysia, have a Relative Strength Index (RSI) of 62.03.

On January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018, Ichor announced that it will conduct a conference call on February 07<sup>th</sup>, 2018, at 1:30 p.m. PT to discuss its Q4 FY17 and full year FY17 results and business outlook. After the close of the market that day, the Company will issue an earnings press release, which will be available on its website.

On January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018, research firm Needham reiterated its 'Buy' rating on the Company's stock with an increase of the target price from \$36 a share to \$42 a share. Get the full research report on ICHR for free by clicking below at:

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# **IPG Photonics**

On Thursday, shares in Oxford, Massachusetts headquartered IPG Photonics Corp. recorded a trading volume of 304,888 shares. The stock ended the session 0.75% higher at \$257.64. The Company's shares have surged 20.89% in the last month, 23.00% in the previous three months, and 138.51% over the past year. The stock is trading 11.84% above its 50-day moving average and 44.17% above its 200-day moving average. Moreover, shares of IPG Photonics, which develops and manufactures a range of high-performance fiber lasers, fiber amplifiers, and diode lasers used in various applications, primarily in materials processing worldwide, have an RSI of 61.82.

On January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018, research firm Needham reiterated its 'Buy' rating on the Company's stock with an increase of the target price from \$230 a share to \$280 a share. Access the free research report on IPGP now by signing up at:

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# **KLA-Tencor**

Milpitas, California headquartered KLA-Tencor Corp.'s shares closed the day 1.60% lower at \$113.09. The stock recorded a trading volume of 1.84 million shares, which was higher than its three months average volume of

1.58 million shares. The Company's shares have gained 3.45% in the last month, 5.01% over the previous three months, and 33.57% over the past year. The stock is trading 6.01% and 11.80% above its 50-day and 200-day moving averages, respectively. Additionally, shares of KLA-Tencor, which designs, manufactures, and markets process control and yield management solutions for the semiconductor and related nano-electronics industries worldwide, have an RSI of 57.58.

On January 08<sup>th</sup>, 2018, research firm Needham downgraded the Company's stock rating from 'Strong Buy' to 'Buy', with a target price of \$130 per share. Are you already registered with Wall St. Equities? Do so now for free, and get the report on KLAC at:

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### Lam Research

Shares in Fremont, California headquartered Lam Research Corp. finished 5.00% lower at \$199.25. The stock recorded a trading volume of 8.26 million shares, which was higher than its three months average volume of 2.82 million shares. The Company's shares have advanced 6.73% in the last month and 70.42% over the past year. The stock is trading above its 50-day and 200-day moving averages by 1.51% and 15.93%, respectively. Furthermore, shares of Lam Research, which designs, manufactures, markets, refurbishes, and services semiconductor processing equipment used in the fabrication of integrated circuits worldwide, have an RSI of 48.84.

On January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018, Lam Research announced the promotion of Tim Archer to the position of President, effective immediately. Mr. Archer will continue to serve as COO of the Company, a position he has held since June 2012. Martin Anstice, CEO and current President, will continue as CEO.

On January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018, research firm Stifel reiterated its 'Buy' rating on the Company's stock with an increase of the target price from \$235 a share to \$260 a share. Aspiring Member, please take a moment to register below for your free research report on LRCX at:

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