

A Sharper Price Decline of Nearly 20% Is Expected for 1Q19 in DRAM Market, Says TrendForce

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DRAMeXchange, a division of [TrendForce](#). Clients in North America and Europe were taking a break during the year-end holiday season, so the quantities of DRAM products traded in December were too small to be considered in the survey of contract prices. With regard to contract prices of mainstream products, the monthly average of 8GB modules is staying roughly at US\$60, while that of 4GB modules is around US\$30. However, for both 8GB and 4GB ones, their monthly lows have already dropped below their respective US\$60 and US\$30 thresholds.

With oligopoly in DRAM market, module makers will face lower profitability

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