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Philip Morris Cos. posted a 20 % jump in third-quarter profit on a 45 % revenue increase , reflecting strength in the company 's cigarette , food and brewing businesses .

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Net income rose to \$ 748 million , or 81 cents a share , from the year-earlier \$ 621 million , or 67 cents a share .

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Per-share figures have been adjusted for a 4-for-1 stock split paid earlier this month .

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The New York-based tobacco , food and beer concern said revenue increased to \$ 11.25 billion from \$ 7.74 billion .

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In composite trading on the New York Stock Exchange , Philip Morris closed at \$ 43.375 , up 12.5 cents .

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For the nine months , net increased 4.4 % to \$ 2.08 billion , or \$ 2.25 a share , from \$ 2 billion , which included \$ 273 million reflecting the effect of an accounting change .