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Silicon Graphics Inc. 's first-quarter profit rose sharply to \$ 5.2 million , or 28 cents a share , from \$ 1 million , or six cents a share , a year ago .

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The maker of computer workstations said a surge of government orders contributed to the increase .

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Revenue rose 95 % to \$ 86.4 million from \$ 44.3 million the year earlier .

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In national over-the-counter trading , the company closed yesterday at \$ 23.25 a share , down 25 cents .