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Prada, Louis Vuitton, YSL and Mandarin Oriental – News briefs

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Today in luxury marketing:

Prada net doubles, warns of increasing risks

Luxury goods maker Prada SpA said Thursday it has confidence in the outlook for 2012, but underlined "the increasing risks deriving from the uncertain international economic environment" as its net profit for first quarter more than doubled from the same period last year, according to Market Watch.



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Louis Vuitton so last season for China's super chic

Wealthy shoppers are increasingly turning up their noses at labels they believe have been tainted by the common touch, seeking out understated and exclusive merchandise from the likes of Chanel or Hermes instead. That is becoming a big challenge for designers hoping to cash in on the world's fastest-growing luxury market, per Reuters.

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Jessica Chastain named YSL scent face

The actress is the ambassadress of an upcoming new women's scent, called Manifesto,

WWD reports.

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Mandarin Oriental targets second-tier China

Rising high-end consumption and wealth creation in second- and third-tier Chinese cities is not only attracting brands such as Zegna or multi-brand luxury retailers including The Swank, it is enticing some of the world's top hoteliers to go further inland, according to Jing Daily.

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