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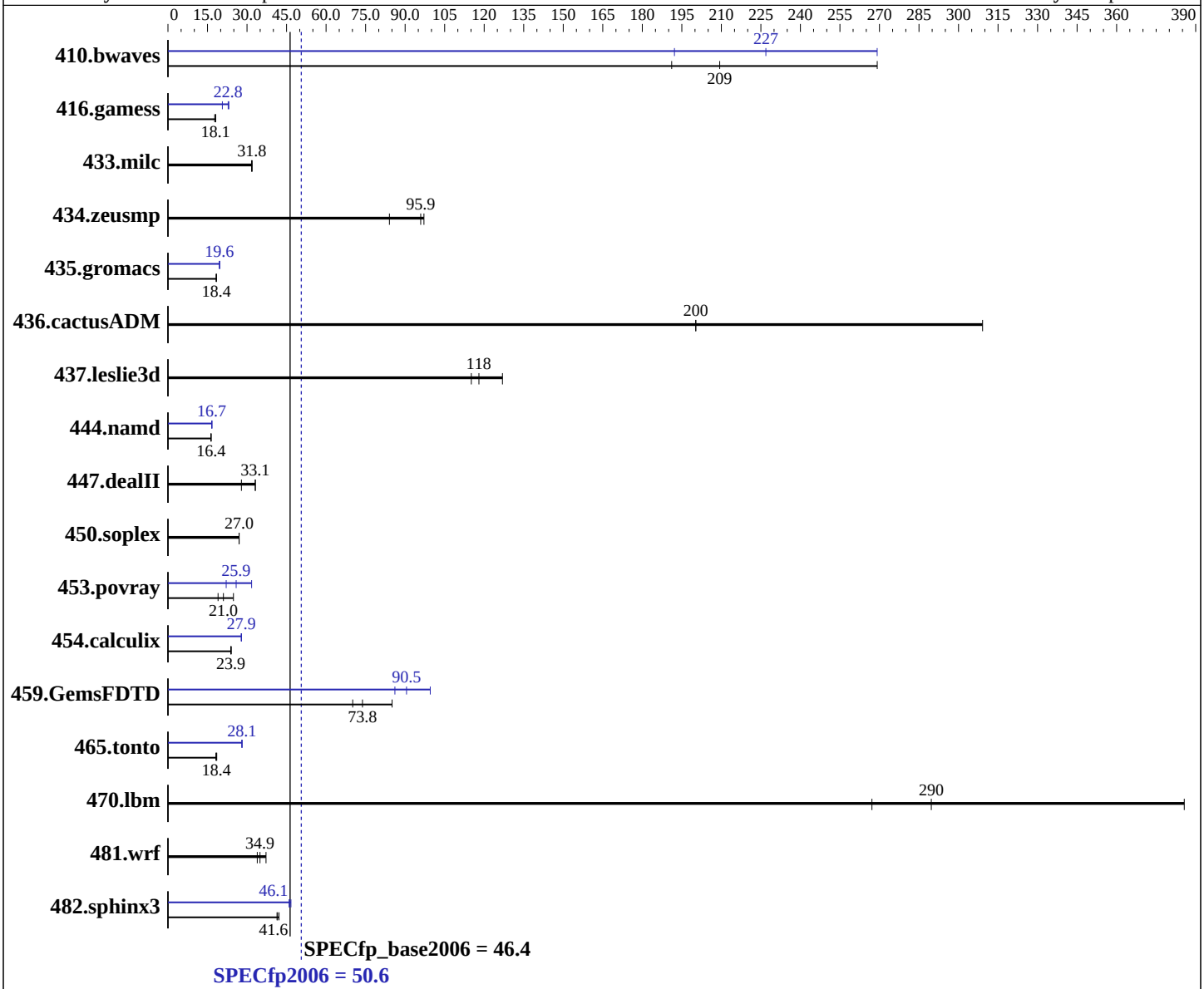

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E7-2870
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.80 GHz
CPU MHz:	2400
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	20 cores, 2 chips, 10 cores/chip, 2 threads/core
CPU(s) orderable:	1,2 chips
Primary Cache:	32 KB I + 32 KB D on chip per core
Secondary Cache:	256 KB I+D on chip per core

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Software

Operating System:	SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 SP1 (x86_64), Kernel 2.6.32.12-0.7-default
Compiler:	Intel C++ and Fortran Intel 64 Compiler XE for applications running on Intel 64 Version 12.0 Update 3
Auto Parallel:	Yes
File System:	ext3
System State:	Run level 3 (multi-user)
Base Pointers:	64-bit

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L3 Cache: 30 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 128 GB (16 x 8 GB 4Rx8 PC3-8500R-7, ECC)
Disk Subsystem: 2 x 50 GB SSD, RAID 0
Other Hardware: None

Peak Pointers: 32/64-bit
Other Software: None

Results Table

Benchmark	Base						Peak					
	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
410.bwaves	50.5	269	**64.9**	**209**	71.1	191	70.7	192	50.5	269	**59.9**	**227**
416.gamess	**1084**	**18.1**	1104	17.7	1079	18.1	948	20.6	**857**	**22.8**	847	23.1
433.milc	289	31.8	288	31.9	**289**	**31.8**	289	31.8	288	31.9	**289**	**31.8**
434.zeusmp	93.7	97.1	108	84.0	**94.9**	**95.9**	93.7	97.1	108	84.0	**94.9**	**95.9**
435.gromacs	**389**	**18.4**	388	18.4	390	18.3	366	19.5	364	19.6	**364**	**19.6**
436.cactusADM	38.7	309	**59.7**	**200**	59.7	200	38.7	309	**59.7**	**200**	59.7	200
437.leslie3d	81.7	115	**79.7**	**118**	74.1	127	81.7	115	**79.7**	**118**	74.1	127
444.namd	490	16.4	492	16.3	**490**	**16.4**	**482**	**16.7**	482	16.7	482	16.7
447.dealII	410	27.9	**345**	**33.1**	345	33.2	410	27.9	**345**	**33.1**	345	33.2
450.soplex	309	27.0	**309**	**27.0**	309	27.0	309	27.0	**309**	**27.0**	309	27.0
453.povray	280	19.0	214	24.9	**253**	**21.0**	**206**	**25.9**	241	22.1	168	31.7
454.calculix	343	24.0	346	23.8	**345**	**23.9**	296	27.8	296	27.9	**296**	**27.9**
459.GemsFDTD	125	85.1	151	70.1	**144**	**73.8**	107	99.5	**117**	**90.5**	123	86.1
465.tonto	541	18.2	**536**	**18.4**	531	18.5	**350**	**28.1**	351	28.1	350	28.1
470.lbm	35.6	386	51.4	267	**47.4**	**290**	35.6	386	51.4	267	**47.4**	**290**
481.wrf	**320**	**34.9**	300	37.2	330	33.9	**320**	**34.9**	300	37.2	330	33.9
482.sphinx3	462	42.1	**469**	**41.6**	471	41.4	418	46.7	424	46.0	**423**	**46.1**

Results appear in the order in which they were run. Bold underlined text indicates a median measurement.

Operating System Notes

```
'ulimit -s unlimited' was used to set the stacksize to unlimited prior to run
echo 1 > /proc/sys/vm/zone_reclaim_mode
'mount -t hugetlbfs nodev /mnt/hugepages' was used to enable large pages
echo 900 > /proc/sys/vm/nr_hugepages
export HUGETLB_MORECORE=yes
export LD_PRELOAD=/usr/lib64/libhugetlbfs.so
```

Platform Notes

```
BIOS Settings:
Turbo Boost Power Optimization set to Traditional
```

General Notes

```
OMP_NUM_THREADS set to number of cores
Binaries were compiled on RHEL5.5
```

Base Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:
```
icc   -m64
```

C++ benchmarks:
```
icpc  -m64
```

Fortran benchmarks:
```
ifort -m64
```

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
```
icc   -m64 ifort -m64
```

Base Portability Flags

410.bwaves: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
416.gamess: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
433.milc: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
434.zeusmp: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
435.gromacs: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -nofor_main
436.cactusADM: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -nofor_main
437.leslie3d: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
444.namd: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
447.dealII: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
450.soplex: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
453.povray: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
454.calculix: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -nofor_main
459.GemsFDTD: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
465.tonto: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
470.lbm: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
481.wrf: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_CASE_FLAG -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX
482.sphinx3: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64

Base Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:
```
-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -parallel -opt-prefetch
-ansi-alias
```

C++ benchmarks:
```
-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -opt-prefetch -ansi-alias
```

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Base Optimization Flags (Continued)

Fortran benchmarks:
`-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -parallel -opt-prefetch`

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
`-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -parallel -opt-prefetch -ansi-alias`

Peak Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:
`icc -m64`

C++ benchmarks:
`icpc -m64`

Fortran benchmarks:
`ifort -m64`

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
`icc -m64 ifort -m64`

Peak Portability Flags

`Same as Base Portability Flags`

Peak Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

433.milc: `basepeak = yes`

470.lbm: `basepeak = yes`

482.sphinx3: `-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -unroll2 -ansi-alias -parallel`

C++ benchmarks:

444.namd: `-xSSE4.2`(pass 2) `-prof-gen`(pass 1) `-ipo`(pass 2) `-O3`(pass 2) `-no-prec-div`(pass 2) `-prof-use`(pass 2) `-fno-alias -auto-ilp32`

447.dealII: `basepeak = yes`

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

450.soplex: basepeak = yes

453.povray: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -unroll4 -ansi-alias -B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

Fortran benchmarks:

410.bwaves: -xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -opt-prefetch -parallel -static

416.gamess: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -unroll2 -inline-level=0 -scalar-rep- -static

434.zeusmp: basepeak = yes

437.leslie3d: basepeak = yes

459.GemsFDTD: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -unroll2 -inline-level=0 -opt-prefetch -parallel -B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

465.tonto: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -inline-calloc -opt-malloc-options=3 -auto -unroll4 -B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

435.gromacs: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -static -auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias

436.cactusADM: basepeak = yes

454.calculix: -xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias

481.wrf: basepeak = yes

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http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/IBM-platform-linux64-revA.html
http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/Intel-ic12.0-linux64-revB.html

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