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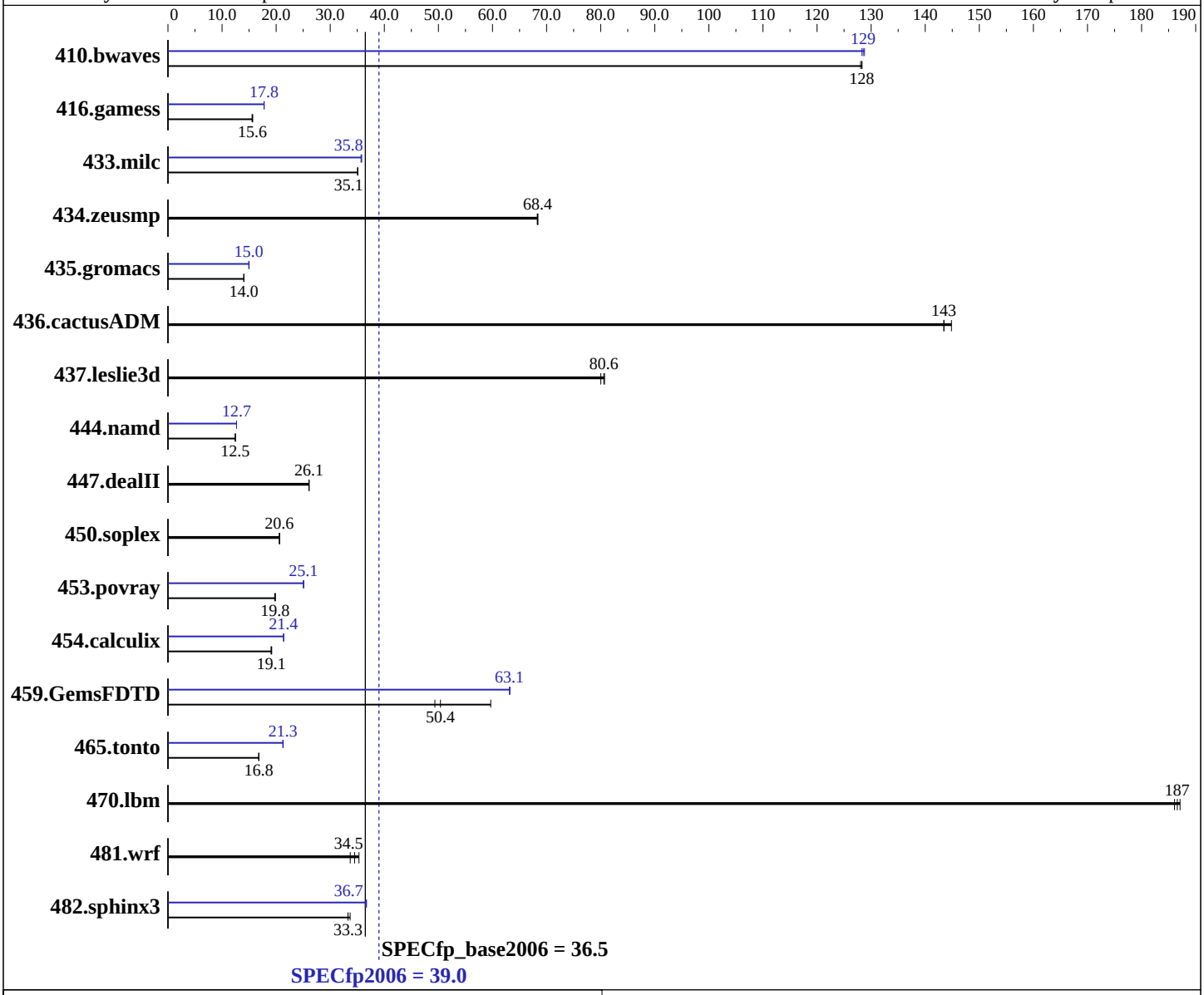

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E5606
CPU Characteristics:	
CPU MHz:	2133
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	8 cores, 2 chips, 4 cores/chip
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: 8 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 96 GB (12 x 8 GB 2Rx4 PC3-10600R-9, ECC, running at 1067 MHz)
Disk Subsystem: 1 x 146 GB SAS, 15000 RPM
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	106	128	106	128	**106**	**128**	106	129	106	128	**106**	**129**
416.gamess	1260	15.5	**1253**	**15.6**	1250	15.7	1100	17.8	1103	17.8	**1102**	**17.8**
433.milc	262	35.1	262	35.1	**262**	**35.1**	256	35.8	257	35.7	**257**	**35.8**
434.zeusmp	133	68.3	133	68.4	**133**	**68.4**	133	68.3	133	68.4	**133**	**68.4**
435.gromacs	510	14.0	508	14.1	**509**	**14.0**	476	15.0	**477**	**15.0**	478	14.9
436.cactusADM	**83.3**	**143**	83.3	143	82.5	145	**83.3**	**143**	83.3	143	82.5	145
437.leslie3d	117	80.0	**117**	**80.6**	116	80.7	117	80.0	**117**	**80.6**	116	80.7
444.namd	**644**	**12.5**	645	12.4	643	12.5	632	12.7	**632**	**12.7**	633	12.7
447.dealII	**439**	**26.1**	439	26.1	439	26.1	**439**	**26.1**	439	26.1	439	26.1
450.soplex	404	20.6	**405**	**20.6**	405	20.6	404	20.6	**405**	**20.6**	405	20.6
453.povray	268	19.8	270	19.7	**268**	**19.8**	213	25.0	212	25.1	**212**	**25.1**
454.calculix	430	19.2	432	19.1	**432**	**19.1**	385	21.4	386	21.4	**386**	**21.4**
459.GemsFDTD	178	59.7	215	49.3	**211**	**50.4**	**168**	**63.1**	168	63.1	168	63.2
465.tonto	**585**	**16.8**	585	16.8	587	16.8	462	21.3	**463**	**21.3**	463	21.2
470.lbm	73.8	186	**73.6**	**187**	73.4	187	73.8	186	**73.6**	**187**	73.4	187
481.wrf	331	33.7	316	35.3	**324**	**34.5**	331	33.7	316	35.3	**324**	**34.5**
482.sphinx3	**585**	**33.3**	586	33.3	579	33.7	534	36.5	**531**	**36.7**	531	36.7

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
'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

```
Power C-State enabled in BIOS
Data Reuse disabled in BIOS
Demand Scrub disabled in BIOS
```

General Notes

```
OMP_NUM_THREADS set to number of cores
Binaries 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: `-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`

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`

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

447.dealII: basepeak = yes

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/Intel-ic12.0-linux64-revB.html
http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/IBM-platform-linux64-revA.20110420.html

You can also download the XML flags sources by saving the following links:
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