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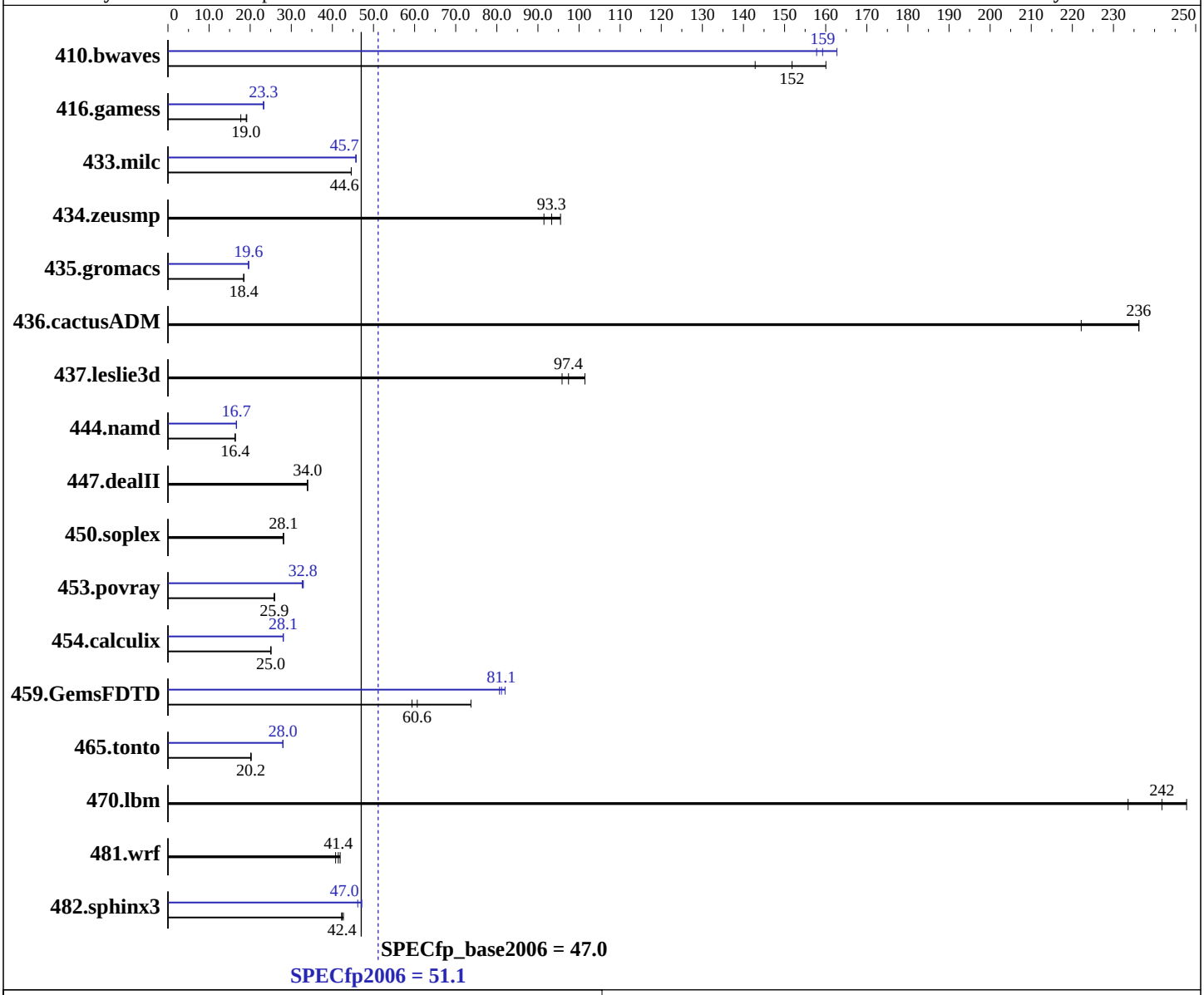

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E5645
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.80 GHz
CPU MHz:	2400
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	12 cores, 2 chips, 6 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: 12 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 96 GB (12 x 8 GB 2Rx4 PC3-10600R-9, ECC)
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	84.9	160	**89.5**	**152**	95.1	143	**85.3**	**159**	83.5	163	86.1	158
416.gamess	**1028**	**19.0**	1105	17.7	1021	19.2	840	23.3	843	23.2	**841**	**23.3**
433.milc	206	44.6	206	44.6	**206**	**44.6**	201	45.7	**201**	**45.7**	200	45.8
434.zeusmp	95.3	95.5	99.5	91.5	**97.5**	**93.3**	95.3	95.5	99.5	91.5	**97.5**	**93.3**
435.gromacs	**387**	**18.4**	386	18.5	387	18.4	**364**	**19.6**	364	19.6	365	19.6
436.cactusADM	**50.6**	**236**	53.8	222	50.6	236	**50.6**	**236**	53.8	222	50.6	236
437.leslie3d	92.7	101	**96.5**	**97.4**	98.1	95.9	92.7	101	**96.5**	**97.4**	98.1	95.9
444.namd	491	16.3	490	16.4	**490**	**16.4**	482	16.7	481	16.7	**481**	**16.7**
447.dealII	337	34.0	337	33.9	**337**	**34.0**	337	34.0	337	33.9	**337**	**34.0**
450.soplex	297	28.1	297	28.1	**297**	**28.1**	297	28.1	297	28.1	**297**	**28.1**
453.povray	**206**	**25.9**	206	25.8	205	26.0	163	32.7	**162**	**32.8**	162	32.9
454.calculix	329	25.1	**330**	**25.0**	330	25.0	294	28.0	**294**	**28.1**	294	28.1
459.GemsFDTD	**175**	**60.6**	144	73.7	179	59.4	129	82.0	132	80.6	**131**	**81.1**
465.tonto	489	20.1	**488**	**20.2**	486	20.3	351	28.0	352	27.9	**352**	**28.0**
470.lbm	58.8	234	55.4	248	**56.8**	**242**	58.8	234	55.4	248	**56.8**	**242**
481.wrf	**270**	**41.4**	267	41.9	274	40.8	**270**	**41.4**	267	41.9	274	40.8
482.sphinx3	457	42.7	461	42.2	**460**	**42.4**	**415**	**47.0**	413	47.1	422	46.2

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

```
Turbo Mode enabled in BIOS
Turbo Boost set to Traditional in BIOS
Power C-State enabled in BIOS
Data Reuse disabled in BIOS
Demand Scrub disabled in BIOS
```

General Notes

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

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/IBM-platform-linux64-revA.20110420.html

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