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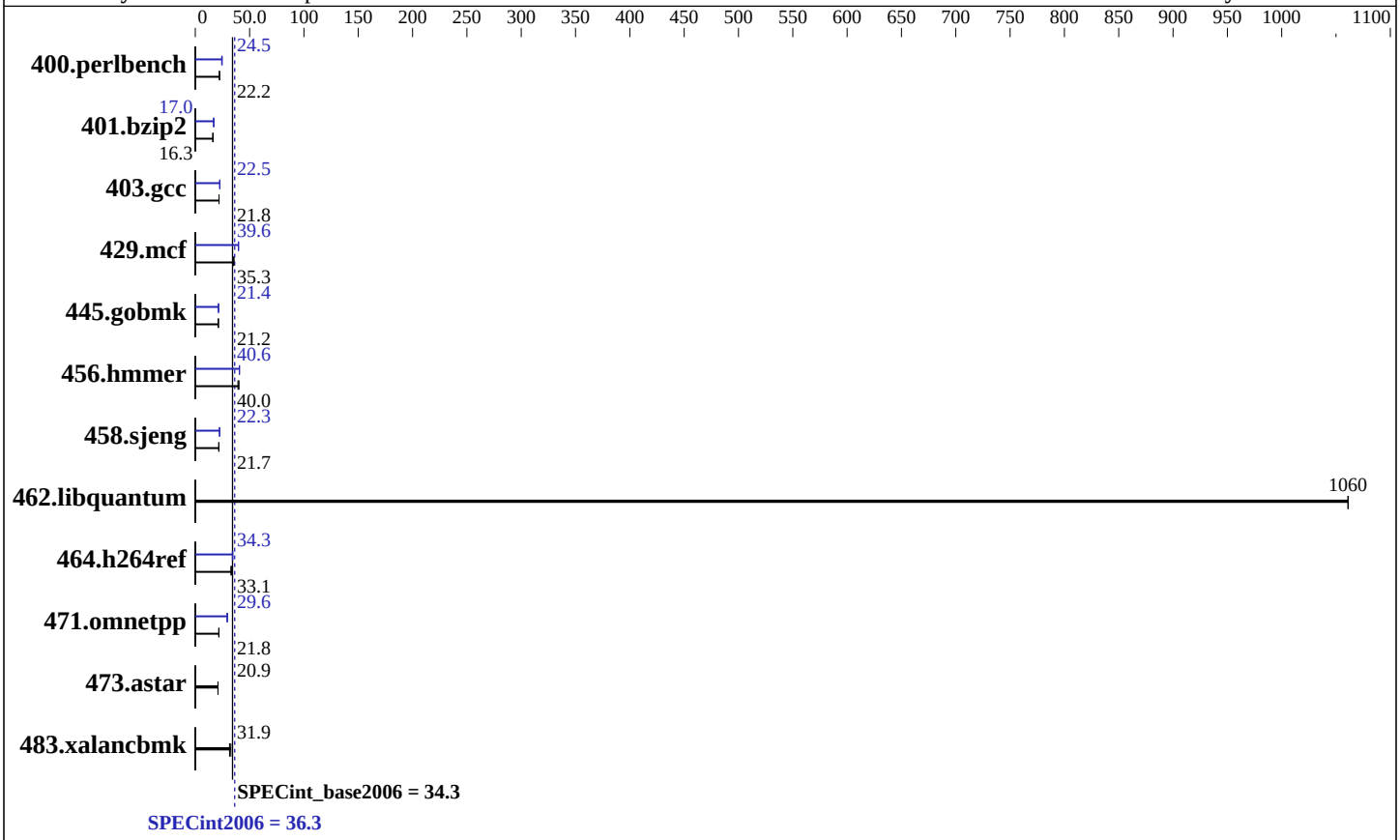

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E7-8837
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.8 GHz
CPU MHz:	2667
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	16 cores, 2 chips, 8 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
L3 Cache:	24 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

Software

Operating System:	SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 SP1 (x86_64), Kernel 2.6.32.12-0.7-default
Compiler:	Intel C++ Intel 64 Compiler XE for applications running on Intel 64 Version 12.0.1.116 Build 20101116
Auto Parallel:	Yes
File System:	ext3
System State:	Run level 3 (multi-user)
Base Pointers:	32/64-bit
Peak Pointers:	32/64-bit
Other Software:	Microquill SmartHeap V9.01

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Results Table

Benchmark	Base						Peak					
	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
400.perlbench	**439**	**22.2**	441	22.2	438	22.3	403	24.3	**399**	**24.5**	394	24.8
401.bzip2	602	16.0	**591**	**16.3**	591	16.3	563	17.1	575	16.8	**568**	**17.0**
403.gcc	368	21.9	**369**	**21.8**	369	21.8	**358**	**22.5**	355	22.7	358	22.5
429.mcf	**259**	**35.3**	259	35.2	256	35.6	**230**	**39.6**	228	40.0	230	39.6
445.gobmk	494	21.2	494	21.2	**494**	**21.2**	489	21.5	495	21.2	**489**	**21.4**
456.hmmer	**233**	**40.0**	238	39.2	233	40.0	229	40.7	**230**	**40.6**	230	40.5
458.sjeng	558	21.7	558	21.7	**558**	**21.7**	543	22.3	542	22.3	**542**	**22.3**
462.libquantum	19.5	1060	**19.5**	**1060**	19.5	1060	19.5	1060	**19.5**	**1060**	19.5	1060
464.h264ref	668	33.1	**669**	**33.1**	671	33.0	640	34.6	648	34.1	**645**	**34.3**
471.omnetpp	290	21.6	286	21.8	**287**	**21.8**	**211**	**29.6**	211	29.6	215	29.1
473.astar	337	20.8	335	20.9	**336**	**20.9**	337	20.8	335	20.9	**336**	**20.9**
483.xalancbmk	219	31.5	**217**	**31.9**	211	32.8	219	31.5	**217**	**31.9**	211	32.8

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

```
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
```

Base Portability Flags

400.perlbench: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX_X64`
401.bzip2: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
403.gcc: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
429.mcf: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
445.gobmk: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
456.hmmer: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
458.sjeng: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
462.libquantum: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX`
464.h264ref: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
471.omnetpp: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
473.astar: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
483.xalancbmk: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX`

Base Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:
`-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -parallel -opt-prefetch -auto-p32`
`-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT`

C++ benchmarks:
`-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -opt-prefetch -Wl,-z,muldefs`
`-L/smartheap -lsmartheap64`
`-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT`

Base Other Flags

C benchmarks:

403.gcc: `-Dalloca=_alloca`

Peak Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks (except as noted below):
`icc -m64`

400.perlbench: `icc -m32`

429.mcf: `icc -m32`

445.gobmk: `icc -m32`

464.h264ref: `icc -m32`

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Peak Compiler Invocation (Continued)

C++ benchmarks (except as noted below):
icpc -m64

471.omnetpp: icpc -m32

Peak Portability Flags

400.perlbench: -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX_IA32
401.bzip2: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
403.gcc: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
456.hmmer: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
458.sjeng: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
462.libquantum: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX
473.astar: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
483.xalancbmk: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX

Peak Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

400.perlbench: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2)
-opt-prefetch -ansi-alias
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

401.bzip2: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div -prof-use(pass 2) -auto-ilp32
-opt-prefetch -ansi-alias

403.gcc: -xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -inline-calloc
-opt-malloc-options=3 -auto-ilp32
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

429.mcf: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2)
-auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

445.gobmk: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -prof-use(pass 2)
-auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

456.hmmer: -xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -unroll2 -auto-ilp32
-ansi-alias
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

458.sjeng: `-xSSE4.2`(pass 2) `-prof-gen`(pass 1) `-ipo`(pass 2) `-O3`(pass 2) `-no-prec-div`(pass 2) `-prof-use`(pass 2) `-unroll4`

462.libquantum: `basepeak = yes`

464.h264ref: `-xSSE4.2`(pass 2) `-prof-gen`(pass 1) `-ipo`(pass 2) `-O3`(pass 2) `-no-prec-div`(pass 2) `-prof-use`(pass 2) `-unroll2 -ansi-alias -B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT`

C++ benchmarks:

471.omnetpp: `-xSSE4.2`(pass 2) `-prof-gen`(pass 1) `-ipo`(pass 2) `-O3`(pass 2) `-no-prec-div`(pass 2) `-prof-use`(pass 2) `-opt-ra-region-strategy=block -ansi-alias -Wl,-z,muldefs -L/smartheap -lsmartheap -B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT`

473.astar: `basepeak = yes`

483.xalancbmk: `basepeak = yes`

Peak Other Flags

C benchmarks:

403.gcc: `-Dalloca=_alloca`

The flags files that were used to format this result can be browsed at
`http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/Intel-ic12.0-linux64-revB.html`
`http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/IBM-platform-linux64-revA.html`

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