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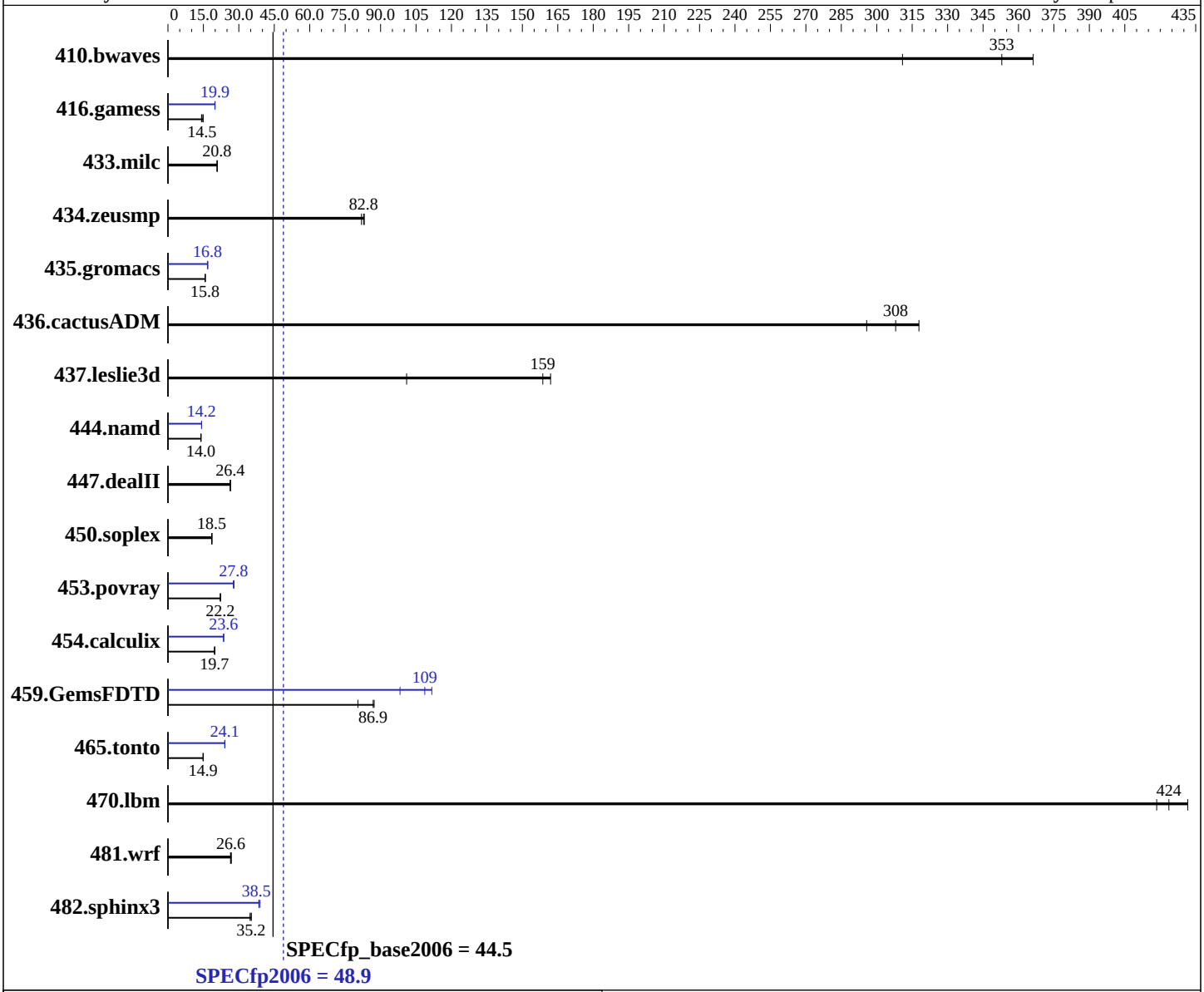

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E7-4850
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.40 GHz
CPU MHz:	2000
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	40 cores, 4 chips, 10 cores/chip
CPU(s) orderable:	2,4 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: 24 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 512 GB (64 x 8 GB 4Rx8 PC3-8500R-7, ECC)
Disk Subsystem: 1 x 500 GB 7200 RPM SAS 6Gb
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	**38.5**	**353**	37.1	366	43.7	311	**38.5**	**353**	37.1	366	43.7	311
416.gamess	1311	14.9	**1353**	**14.5**	1379	14.2	986	19.8	**983**	**19.9**	982	19.9
433.milc	**441**	**20.8**	442	20.8	438	20.9	**441**	**20.8**	442	20.8	438	20.9
434.zeusmp	111	81.9	109	83.1	**110**	**82.8**	111	81.9	109	83.1	**110**	**82.8**
435.gromacs	451	15.8	454	15.7	**453**	**15.8**	424	16.8	**424**	**16.8**	428	16.7
436.cactusADM	37.6	318	**38.8**	**308**	40.4	296	37.6	318	**38.8**	**308**	40.4	296
437.leslie3d	58.0	162	93.1	101	**59.2**	**159**	58.0	162	93.1	101	**59.2**	**159**
444.namd	**574**	**14.0**	574	14.0	574	14.0	**563**	**14.2**	563	14.2	564	14.2
447.dealII	**433**	**26.4**	434	26.4	433	26.4	**433**	**26.4**	434	26.4	433	26.4
450.soplex	447	18.7	**451**	**18.5**	451	18.5	447	18.7	**451**	**18.5**	451	18.5
453.povray	239	22.2	**239**	**22.2**	240	22.2	190	28.0	**191**	**27.8**	192	27.7
454.calculix	415	19.9	419	19.7	**418**	**19.7**	350	23.5	350	23.6	**350**	**23.6**
459.GemsFDTD	132	80.4	122	87.3	**122**	**86.9**	**97.6**	**109**	108	98.2	95.0	112
465.tonto	656	15.0	**659**	**14.9**	664	14.8	409	24.1	409	24.1	**409**	**24.1**
470.lbm	31.8	432	32.8	418	**32.4**	**424**	31.8	432	32.8	418	**32.4**	**424**
481.wrf	417	26.8	**419**	**26.6**	422	26.5	417	26.8	**419**	**26.6**	422	26.5
482.sphinx3	561	34.7	**553**	**35.2**	553	35.2	500	39.0	506	38.5	**506**	**38.5**

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

Operating System Notes

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'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

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BIOS Settings:
Power Management = Maximum Performance (Default = Active Power Controller)
Node Interleaving = Enabled (Default = Disabled)
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General Notes

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The Dell PowerEdge R910 and
the Bull NovaScale R480 F2 models are electronically equivalent.
The results have been measured on a Dell PowerEdge R910 model.
 OMP_NUM_THREADS set to number of cores
 Binaries were compiled on RHEL5.5
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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
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Base Optimization Flags (Continued)

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

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

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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: basepeak = yes

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

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/Intel-Linux64-Platform.20110524.00.html

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