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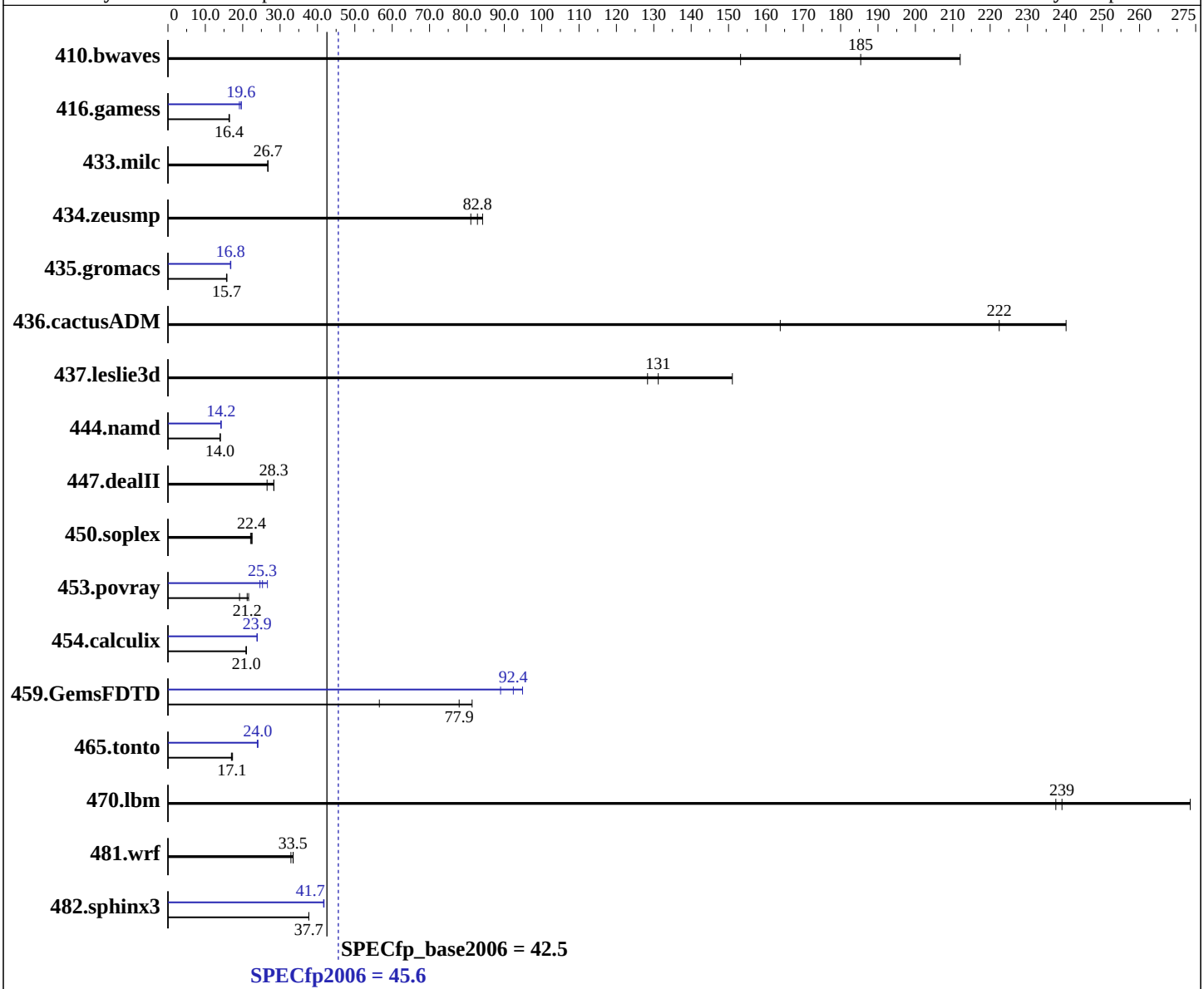

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E7-2830
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.40 GHz
CPU MHz:	2133
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	16 cores, 2 chips, 8 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: 24 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 256 GB (32 x 8 GB 4Rx8 PC3-8500R-7, ECC)
Disk Subsystem: 1 x 300 GB SAS, 10000 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	88.7	153	64.1	212	**73.3**	**185**	88.7	153	64.1	212	**73.3**	**185**
416.gamess	**1197**	**16.4**	1188	16.5	1199	16.3	1025	19.1	**999**	**19.6**	998	19.6
433.milc	343	26.7	**343**	**26.7**	343	26.8	343	26.7	**343**	**26.7**	343	26.8
434.zeusmp	112	81.0	**110**	**82.8**	108	84.2	112	81.0	**110**	**82.8**	108	84.2
435.gromacs	**454**	**15.7**	456	15.7	453	15.8	424	16.8	427	16.7	**426**	**16.8**
436.cactusADM	49.7	240	72.9	164	**53.7**	**222**	49.7	240	72.9	164	**53.7**	**222**
437.leslie3d	62.2	151	73.3	128	**71.6**	**131**	62.2	151	73.3	128	**71.6**	**131**
444.namd	574	14.0	**574**	**14.0**	574	14.0	**564**	**14.2**	564	14.2	565	14.2
447.dealII	431	26.5	404	28.3	**404**	**28.3**	431	26.5	404	28.3	**404**	**28.3**
450.soplex	377	22.1	370	22.5	**372**	**22.4**	377	22.1	370	22.5	**372**	**22.4**
453.povray	278	19.2	**251**	**21.2**	246	21.6	216	24.6	200	26.6	**210**	**25.3**
454.calculix	393	21.0	395	20.9	**393**	**21.0**	346	23.8	**346**	**23.9**	345	23.9
459.GemsFDTD	130	81.4	188	56.6	**136**	**77.9**	112	94.9	119	89.0	**115**	**92.4**
465.tonto	579	17.0	**575**	**17.1**	569	17.3	409	24.1	412	23.9	**410**	**24.0**
470.lbm	57.8	238	50.2	274	**57.4**	**239**	57.8	238	50.2	274	**57.4**	**239**
481.wrf	**334**	**33.5**	333	33.5	339	32.9	**334**	**33.5**	333	33.5	339	32.9
482.sphinx3	517	37.7	**517**	**37.7**	517	37.7	467	41.8	**467**	**41.7**	468	41.7

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
'nodev   /mnt/hugepages   hugetlbfs   defaults   0 0' added to /etc/fstab
echo 900 > /proc/sys/vm/nr_hugepages
export HUGETLB_MORECORE=yes
export LD_PRELOAD=/usr/lib64/libhugetlbfs.so
```

Platform Notes

```
Load Default BIOS Settings and then change the following
  Turbo Boost Power Optimization set to Traditional
```

General Notes

```
OMP_NUM_THREADS set to number of cores
Binaries compiled on RHEL 5.5
```

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: 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

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http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/IBM-platform-linux64-revA.html

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