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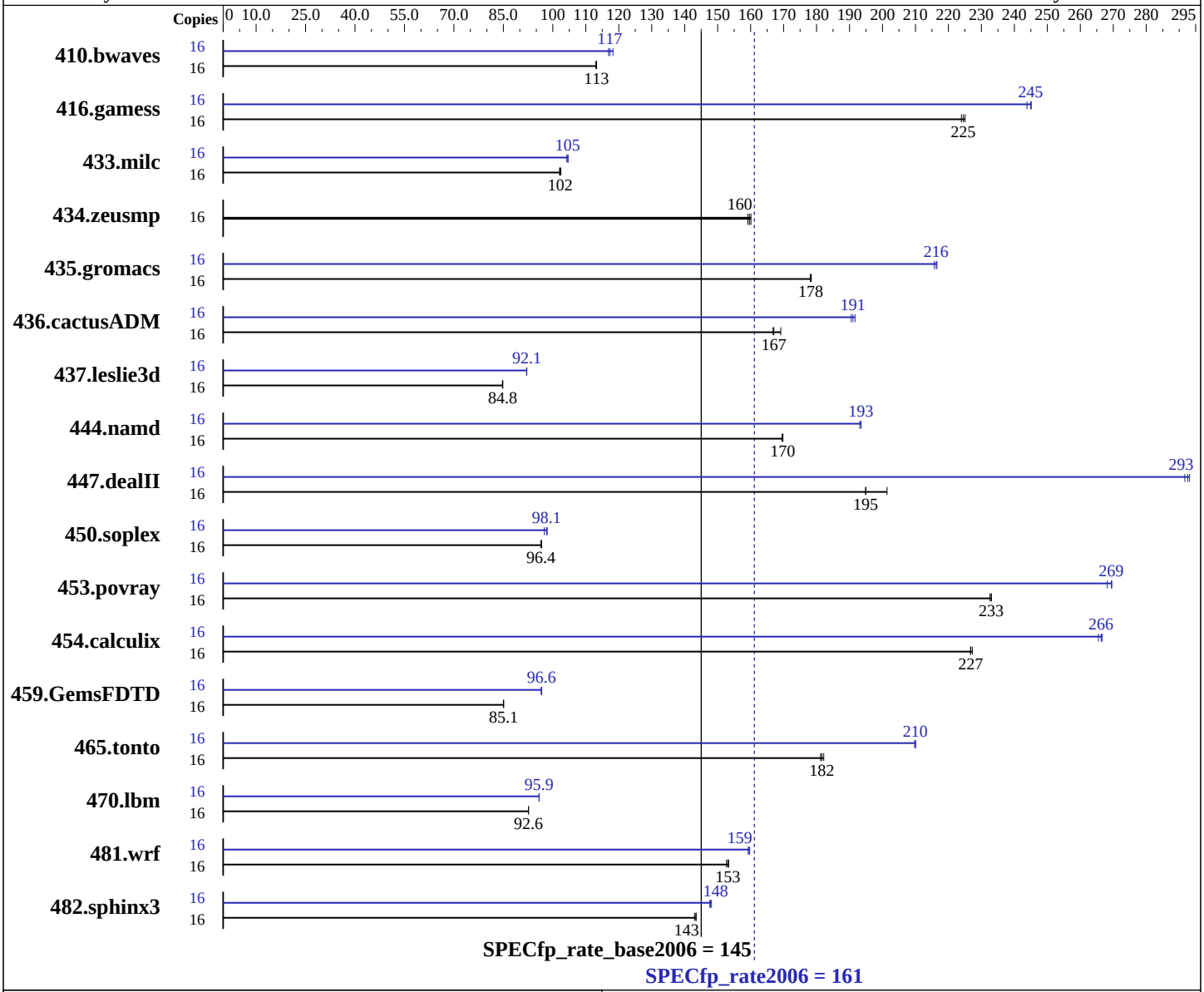

Hardware

CPU Name:	AMD Opteron 8356
CPU Characteristics:	
CPU MHz:	2300
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	16 cores, 4 chips, 4 cores/chip
CPU(s) orderable:	1,2,3,4 chips
Primary Cache:	64 KB I + 64 KB D on chip per core
Secondary Cache:	512 KB I+D on chip per core

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Software

Operating System:	SuSE Linux Enterprise Server 10 (x86_64) SP1, Kernel 2.6.16.46-0.12-smp
Compiler:	PGI Server Complete Version 7.2 PathScale Compiler Suite Version 3.2
Auto Parallel:	No
File System:	ReiserFS
System State:	Run level 3 (Full multiuser with network)
Base Pointers:	64-bit
Peak Pointers:	32/64-bit

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L3 Cache: 2 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 32 GB (16 x 2 GB, DDR2-667 CL5 Reg Dual Rank)
Disk Subsystem: 1 x 73.4 GB SAS, 15000 RPM
Other Hardware: None

Other Software: None

Results Table

Benchmark	Base							Peak						
	Copies	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Copies	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
410.bwaves	16	1920	113	**1920**	**113**	1923	113	16	1860	117	**1854**	**117**	1839	118
416.gamess	16	1392	225	1399	224	**1395**	**225**	16	**1279**	**245**	1285	244	1278	245
433.milc	16	1434	102	**1436**	**102**	1440	102	16	1409	104	1404	105	**1405**	**105**
434.zeusmp	16	909	160	915	159	**912**	**160**	16	909	160	915	159	**912**	**160**
435.gromacs	16	641	178	**641**	**178**	640	178	16	528	217	**528**	**216**	530	216
436.cactusADM	16	1130	169	**1145**	**167**	1146	167	16	**1001**	**191**	1004	190	998	192
437.leslie3d	16	1773	84.8	1776	84.7	**1774**	**84.8**	16	**1633**	**92.1**	1634	92.0	1633	92.1
444.namd	16	756	170	757	170	**756**	**170**	16	663	194	665	193	**663**	**193**
447.dealII	16	909	201	939	195	**939**	**195**	16	**626**	**293**	624	293	628	292
450.soplex	16	**1384**	**96.4**	1381	96.6	1384	96.4	16	1370	97.4	**1360**	**98.1**	1357	98.3
453.povray	16	**365**	**233**	366	233	365	233	16	316	270	317	268	**316**	**269**
454.calculix	16	581	227	582	227	**582**	**227**	16	**496**	**266**	495	267	497	266
459.GemsFDTD	16	1995	85.1	1997	85.0	**1995**	**85.1**	16	1760	96.5	**1758**	**96.6**	1757	96.6
465.tonto	16	864	182	869	181	**867**	**182**	16	750	210	**750**	**210**	751	210
470.lbm	16	2374	92.6	**2374**	**92.6**	2373	92.7	16	**2294**	**95.9**	2293	95.9	2294	95.8
481.wrf	16	1166	153	1171	153	**1167**	**153**	16	1122	159	**1122**	**159**	1119	160
482.sphinx3	16	2173	143	2181	143	**2175**	**143**	16	2113	148	**2110**	**148**	2105	148

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

Operating System Notes

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'numactl' was used to bind copies to the cores
'ulimit -s unlimited' was used to set environment stack size
'ulimit -l 2097152'  was used to set environment locked pages in memory limit
Environment variable PGI_HUGE_PAGES set to 150
Set vm/nr_hugepages=2400 in /etc/sysctl.conf
mount -t hugetlbfs nodev /mnt/hugepages
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Base Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:
pgcc

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Base Compiler Invocation (Continued)

C++ benchmarks:
pgcpp

Fortran benchmarks:
pgf95

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
pgcc pgf95

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 -Mnomain
436.cactusADM: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -Mnomain
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 -Mnomain
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:
-fastsse -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mfprelaxed -Mipa=fast -Mipa=inline
-tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

C++ benchmarks:
-fastsse -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mfprelaxed --zc_eh -Mipa=fast
-Mipa=inline -tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

Fortran benchmarks:
-fastsse -Mfprelaxed -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mipa=fast -Mipa=inline
-tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
-fastsse -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mfprelaxed -Mipa=fast -Mipa=inline
-tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

Base Other Flags

C benchmarks:
`-Mipa=jobs:4`

C++ benchmarks:
`-Mipa=jobs:4`

Fortran benchmarks:
`-Mipa=jobs:4`

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
`-Mipa=jobs:4`

Peak Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks (except as noted below):
`pgcc`

470.lbm: `pathcc`

C++ benchmarks (except as noted below):
`pathCC`

444.namd: `pgcpp`

Fortran benchmarks (except as noted below):
`pgf95`

416.gamess: `pathf95`

459.GemsFDTD: `pathf95`

465.tonto: `pathf95`

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C (except as noted below):
`pgcc pgf95`

436.cactusADM: `pathcc pathf95`

Peak 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 -Mnomain`

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Peak Portability Flags (Continued)

436.cactusADM: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -fno-second-underscore
437.leslie3d: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
444.namd: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
453.povray: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
454.calculix: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -Mnomain
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

Peak Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

433.milc: -fastsse -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Msafeptr -Mfprelaxed
-Mipa=inline -Mipa=arg -Mipa=const -Mipa=ptr -Mipa=shape
-tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

470.lbm: -march=barcelona -Ofast -CG:sse_cse_regs=0
-CG:locs_shallow_depth=1 -m3dnow

482.sphinx3: -Mpfi=indirect(pass 1) -Mpfo=indirect(pass 2)
-Mipa=fast(pass 2) -Mipa=inline(pass 2) -fastsse
-Mfprelaxed -Msmartalloc -tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

C++ benchmarks:

444.namd: -Mpfi(pass 1) -Mpfo(pass 2) -Mipa=fast(pass 2)
-Mipa=inline(pass 2) -fastsse -Munroll=n:4 -Munroll=m:8
-Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mnodepchk -Mfprelaxed --zc_eh
-tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

447.dealII: -march=barcelona -Ofast -static -INLINE:aggressive=on
-fno-exceptions -m32

450.soplex: -march=barcelona -fb_create fbdata(pass 1)
-fb_opt fbdata(pass 2) -O3 -TENV:frame_pointer=off
-LNO:prefetch=1 -OPT:malloc_alg=1 -CG:load_exe=0 -m32

453.povray: -march=barcelona -fb_create fbdata(pass 1)
-fb_opt fbdata(pass 2) -Ofast

Fortran benchmarks:

410.bwaves: -Mpfi(pass 1) -Mpfo(pass 2) -Mipa=fast(pass 2)
-Mipa=inline(pass 2) -fastsse -Msmartalloc
-Mprefetch=distance:12 -Mprefetch=nta -Mpre -Mfprelaxed
-tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

416.gamess: -march=barcelona -fb_create fbdata(pass 1)
-fb_opt fbdata(pass 2) -O2 -OPT:Ofast -OPT:ro=3
-OPT:unroll_size=256

434.zeusmp: basepeak = yes

437.leslie3d: -Mpfi=indirect(pass 1) -Mpfo=indirect(pass 2)
-Mipa=fast(pass 2) -Mipa=inline(pass 2) -fastsse
-Mvect=fuse -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mprefetch=distance:8
-Mprefetch=t0 -Mfprelaxed -tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

459.GemsFDTD: -march=barcelona -Ofast -LNO:fission=2 -LNO:simd=2
-LNO:prefetch_ahead=1 -CG:load_exe=0

465.tonto: -march=barcelona -Ofast -OPT:alias=no_f90_pointer_alias
-LNO:blocking=off -CG:load_exe=1 -IPA:plimit=525

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

435.gromacs: -fastsse -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mfprelaxed -Mfpapprox=rsqrt
-Mipa=fast -Mipa=inline -tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

436.cactusADM: -march=barcelona -fb_create fbdata(pass 1)
-fb_opt fbdata(pass 2) -Ofast -LNO:blocking=off

454.calculix: -Mpfi=indirect(pass 1) -Mpfo=indirect(pass 2)
-Mipa=fast(pass 2) -Mipa=inline(pass 2) -fastsse
-Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mprefetch=t0 -Mpre -Mfprelaxed
-tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

481.wrf: -fastsse -Mvect=noaltcode -Msmartalloc
-Mprefetch=distance:8 -Mfprelaxed -tp barcelona-64
-Bstatic_pgi

Peak Other Flags

C benchmarks (except as noted below):
-Mipa=jobs:4(pass 2)

470.lbm: No flags used

C++ benchmarks:

444.namd: -Mipa=jobs:4(pass 2)

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Peak Other Flags (Continued)

Fortran benchmarks (except as noted below):
`-Mipa=jobs:4`(pass 2)

416.gamess: `No flags used`

459.GemsFDTD: `No flags used`

465.tonto: `No flags used`

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C (except as noted below):
`-Mipa=jobs:4`(pass 2)

436.cactusADM: `No flags used`

481.wrf: `No flags used`

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