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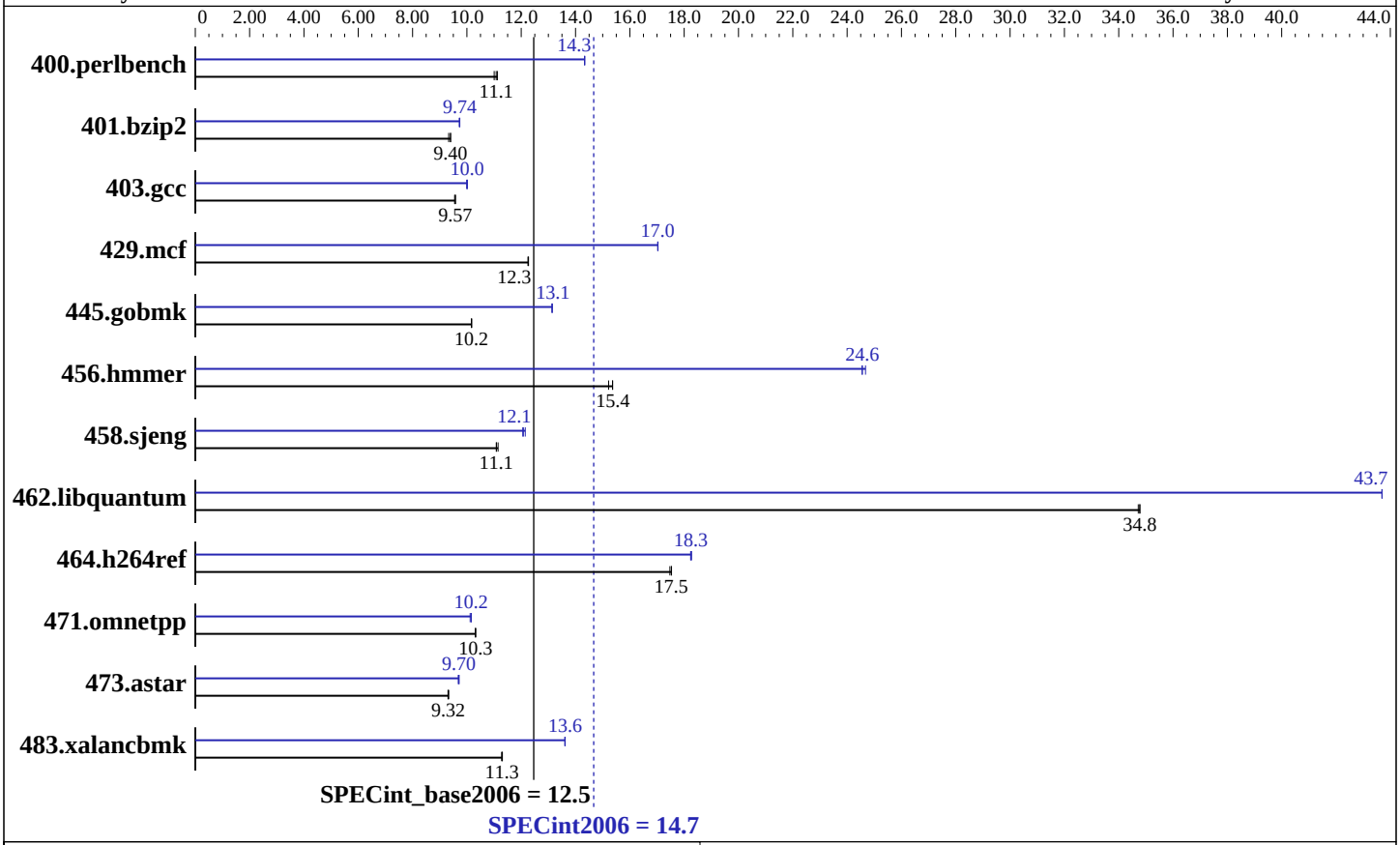

Hardware

CPU Name:	AMD Opteron 2356
CPU Characteristics:	
CPU MHz:	2300
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	8 cores, 2 chips, 4 cores/chip
CPU(s) orderable:	1,2 chips
Primary Cache:	64 KB I + 64 KB D on chip per core
Secondary Cache:	512 KB I+D on chip per core
L3 Cache:	2 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache:	None
Memory:	16 GB (8 x 2 GB, DDR2-667 CL5 Reg Dual Rank)
Disk Subsystem:	1 x 160 GB SATA, 7200 RPM
Other Hardware:	None

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:	32/64-bit
Peak Pointers:	32/64-bit
Other Software:	SmartHeap 8.0 32-bit Library for Linux

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Results Table

Benchmark	Base						Peak					
	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
400.perlbench	888	11.0	**882**	**11.1**	878	11.1	**682**	**14.3**	681	14.3	682	14.3
401.bzip2	**1027**	**9.40**	1027	9.40	1034	9.33	**991**	**9.74**	991	9.74	993	9.72
403.gcc	843	9.55	841	9.58	**841**	**9.57**	804	10.0	**804**	**10.0**	806	9.99
429.mcf	**744**	**12.3**	744	12.3	743	12.3	535	17.0	**536**	**17.0**	536	17.0
445.gobmk	1031	10.2	**1031**	**10.2**	1032	10.2	798	13.1	**798**	**13.1**	799	13.1
456.hmmer	613	15.2	**607**	**15.4**	607	15.4	**380**	**24.6**	380	24.5	378	24.7
458.sjeng	1092	11.1	**1091**	**11.1**	1085	11.1	996	12.1	**1002**	**12.1**	1004	12.1
462.libquantum	597	34.7	**596**	**34.8**	596	34.8	474	43.7	**474**	**43.7**	474	43.7
464.h264ref	1262	17.5	1266	17.5	**1263**	**17.5**	1213	18.2	1211	18.3	**1213**	**18.3**
471.omnetpp	**606**	**10.3**	606	10.3	606	10.3	615	10.2	**615**	**10.2**	618	10.1
473.astar	752	9.33	754	9.30	**754**	**9.32**	**723**	**9.70**	725	9.68	723	9.71
483.xalancbmk	612	11.3	610	11.3	**611**	**11.3**	**507**	**13.6**	507	13.6	507	13.6

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 896
Set vm/nr_hugepages=1792 in /etc/sysctl.conf
mount -t hugetlbfs nodev /mnt/hugepages
powersave -f was used to set the CPU frequency to its maximum.
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Base Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:
pgcc

C++ benchmarks:
pgcpp

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

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Base Portability Flags (Continued)

456.hmmer: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
458.sjeng: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
462.libquantum: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX
464.h264ref: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
483.xalancbmk: -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX

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 -Bstatic_pgi

Base Other Flags

C benchmarks:
-Mipa=jobs:4

C++ benchmarks:
-Mipa=jobs:4

Peak Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks (except as noted below):
pgcc

400.perlbench: pathcc

403.gcc: pathcc

445.gobmk: pathcc

464.h264ref: pathcc

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

473.astar: pgcpp

Peak Portability Flags

400.perlbench: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX_X64
401.bzip2: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
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464.h264ref: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
483.xalancbmk: -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX

Peak Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

400.perlbench: -march=barcelona -fb_create fbdata(pass 1)
-fb_opt fbdata(pass 2) -Ofast -IPA:plimit=20000 -LNO:opt=0
-WOPT:if_conv=0 -CG:local_sched_alg=1

401.bzip2: -Mpfi=indirect(pass 1) -Mpfo=indirect(pass 2) -fastsse -O4
-Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mprefetch=t0 -Mnounroll
-tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

403.gcc: -march=barcelona -fb_create fbdata(pass 1)
-fb_opt fbdata(pass 2) -O3 -OPT:Ofast -m32

429.mcf: -fastsse -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mipa=fast -Mipa=inline:1
-tp barcelona -Bstatic_pgi

445.gobmk: -march=barcelona -fb_create fbdata(pass 1)
-fb_opt fbdata(pass 2) -O3 -OPT:alias=restrict
-LNO:prefetch=1 -LNO:ignore_feedback=off -CG:p2align=on

456.hmmer: -fastsse -Mvect=partial -Munroll=n:8 -Msmartalloc=huge:150
-Msafeptr -Mprefetch=t0 -Mfprelaxed -Mipa=const -Mipa=ptr
-Mipa=arg -Mipa=inline -tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

458.sjeng: -Mpfi(pass 1) -Mpfo(pass 2) -Mipa=fast(pass 2)
-Mipa=inline:1(pass 2) -Mipa=noarg(pass 2) -fastsse
-Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Mfprelaxed -tp barcelona-64
-Bstatic_pgi

462.libquantum: -fastsse -Munroll=m:8 -Msmartalloc=huge:150
-Mprefetch=distance:4 -Mfprelaxed -Mipa=fast -Mipa=inline
-Mipa=noarg -tp barcelona-64 -Bstatic_pgi

464.h264ref: -march=barcelona -fb_create fbdata(pass 1)
-fb_opt fbdata(pass 2) -O3 -IPA:plimit=20000
-OPT:alias=disjoint -LNO:prefetch=0 -CG:ptr_load_use=0
-CG:push_pop_int_saved_regs=off

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

C++ benchmarks:

471.omnetpp: `-march=barcelona -Ofast -CG:gcm=off -INLINE:aggressive=on -OPT:alias=disjoint -WOPT:if_conv=0 -m32 -lsmartheap`

473.astar: `-Mpfi`(pass 1) `-Mpfo`(pass 2) `-Mipa=fast`(pass 2) `-Mipa=inline:6`(pass 2) `-fastsse -O4 -Msmartalloc=huge:150 -Msafeptr=global -Mfprelaxed --zc_eh -tp barcelona -Bstatic_pgi`

483.xalancbmk: `-march=barcelona -Ofast -OPT:unroll_times_max=8 -CG:push_pop_int_saved_regs=off -CG:ptr_load_use=0 -m32 -lsmartheap`

Peak Other Flags

C benchmarks:

429.mcf: `-Mipa=jobs:4`

456.hmmer: `-Mipa=jobs:4`

458.sjeng: `-Mipa=jobs:4`(pass 2)

462.libquantum: `-Mipa=jobs:4`

C++ benchmarks (except as noted below):
`-L/root/work/cpu2006-amd421gh/amd421gh.libs/32`

473.astar: `-Mipa=jobs:4`(pass 2)

The flags file that was used to format this result can be browsed at
`http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/amd421GH-flags.html`

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