# SPEC® CFP2006 Result

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## IBM System x3850 X5 (Intel Xeon E7-8837)

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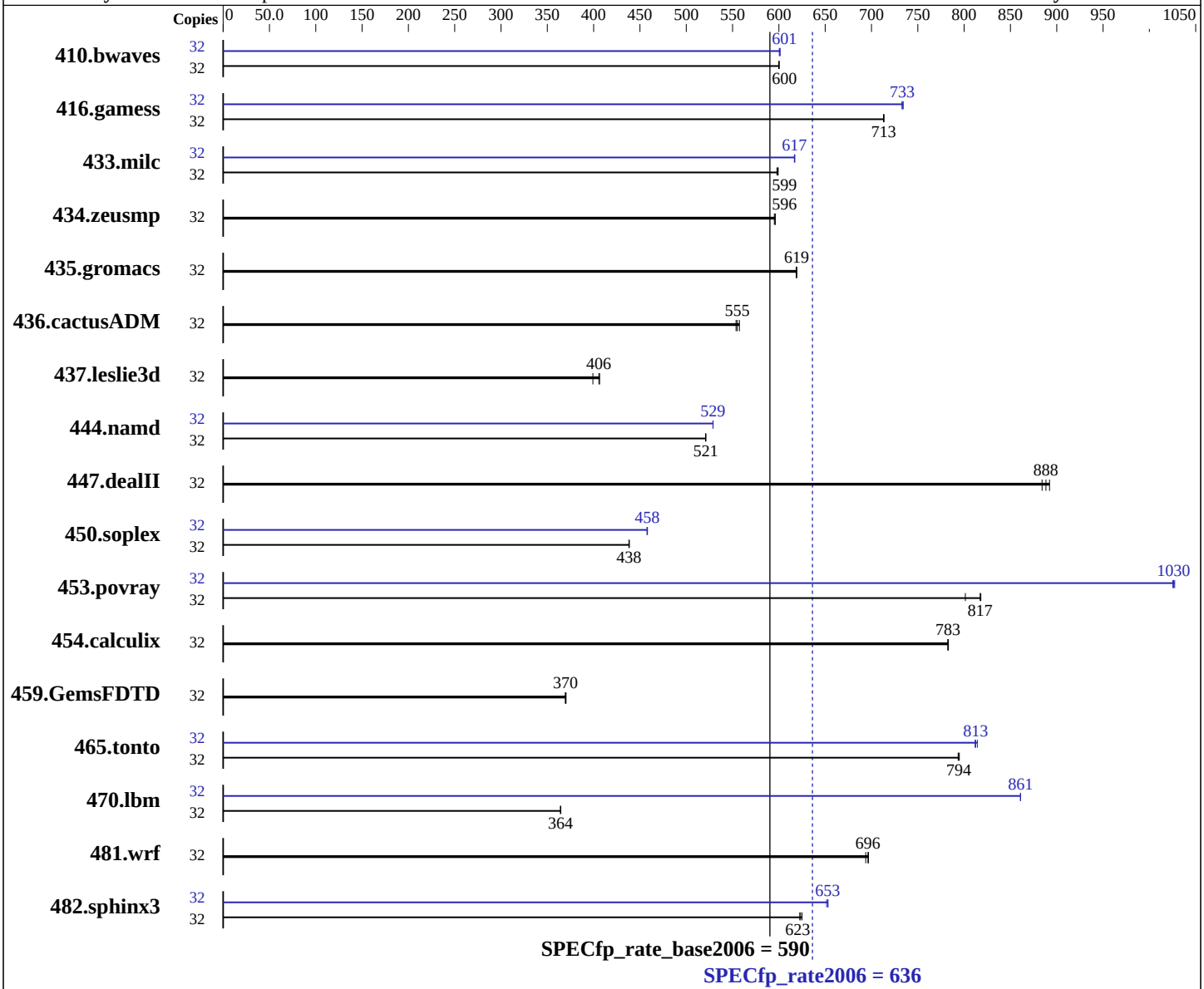


### Hardware

| | |
|---|---|
| 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: | 32 cores, 4 chips, 8 cores/chip |
| CPU(s) orderable: | 1,2,3,4 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 12.0.1.116 Build 20101116 |
| Auto Parallel: | No |
| 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: 2 x 147 GB 15k RPM SAS, RAID 0
Other Hardware: None

Peak Pointers: 32/64-bit
Other Software: None

## Results Table

| Benchmark | Base | | | | | | | Peak | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Copies | Seconds | Ratio | Seconds | Ratio | Seconds | Ratio | Copies | Seconds | Ratio | Seconds | Ratio | Seconds | Ratio |
| 410.bwaves | 32 | **725** | **600** | 725 | 600 | 724 | 600 | 32 | 724 | 600 | 723 | 601 | **724** | **601** |
| 416.gamess | 32 | 878 | 714 | **879** | **713** | 879 | 713 | 32 | 855 | 733 | 853 | 734 | **854** | **733** |
| 433.milc | 32 | **490** | **599** | 491 | 598 | 490 | 599 | 32 | 476 | 617 | **476** | **617** | 476 | 617 |
| 434.zeusmp | 32 | 489 | 595 | **489** | **596** | 488 | 596 | 32 | 489 | 595 | **489** | **596** | 488 | 596 |
| 435.gromacs | 32 | 369 | 619 | **369** | **619** | 369 | 619 | 32 | 369 | 619 | **369** | **619** | 369 | 619 |
| 436.cactusADM | 32 | 691 | 554 | 686 | 557 | **689** | **555** | 32 | 691 | 554 | 686 | 557 | **689** | **555** |
| 437.leslie3d | 32 | 753 | 399 | 740 | 406 | **742** | **406** | 32 | 753 | 399 | 740 | 406 | **742** | **406** |
| 444.namd | 32 | **493** | **521** | 493 | 521 | 492 | 521 | 32 | 485 | 529 | 485 | 529 | **485** | **529** |
| 447.dealII | 32 | 410 | 892 | **412** | **888** | 414 | 884 | 32 | 410 | 892 | **412** | **888** | 414 | 884 |
| 450.soplex | 32 | 609 | 438 | 609 | 439 | **609** | **438** | 32 | **583** | **458** | 583 | 458 | 583 | 458 |
| 453.povray | 32 | 212 | 801 | 208 | 818 | **208** | **817** | 32 | 166 | 1030 | **166** | **1030** | 166 | 1030 |
| 454.calculix | 32 | **337** | **783** | 337 | 783 | 337 | 782 | 32 | **337** | **783** | 337 | 783 | 337 | 782 |
| 459.GemsFDTD | 32 | 917 | 370 | **918** | **370** | 919 | 369 | 32 | 917 | 370 | **918** | **370** | 919 | 369 |
| 465.tonto | 32 | 397 | 794 | 396 | 795 | **396** | **794** | 32 | 387 | 814 | **388** | **813** | 388 | 812 |
| 470.lbm | 32 | **1207** | **364** | 1207 | 364 | 1207 | 364 | 32 | 511 | 861 | **511** | **861** | 511 | 861 |
| 481.wrf | 32 | **513** | **696** | 513 | 697 | 515 | 694 | 32 | **513** | **696** | 513 | 697 | 515 | 694 |
| 482.sphinx3 | 32 | **1000** | **623** | 998 | 625 | 1002 | 623 | 32 | 957 | 652 | 955 | 653 | **955** | **653** |

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

## Submit Notes

```
The config file option 'submit' was used.
 numactl was used to bind copies to the cores
```

## Operating System Notes

```
'ulimit -s unlimited' was used to set the stacksize to unlimited prior to run
echo 1 > /proc/sys/vm/zone_reclaim_mode
'mount -t hugetlbfs nodev /mnt/hugepages' was used to enable large pages
echo 14400 > /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

```
Binaries were compiled on RHEL5.5
```

# 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 -ansi-alias
```

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## Base Optimization Flags (Continued)

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

Fortran benchmarks:
`-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static`

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
`-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -ansi-alias`

## Peak Compiler Invocation

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

482.sphinx3: `icc -m32`

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

450.soplex: `icpc -m32`

Fortran benchmarks:
`ifort -m64`

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
`icc -m64 ifort -m64`

## 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 -nofor_main`
436.cactusADM: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -nofor_main`
437.leslie3d: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
444.namd: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`
447.dealII: `-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`

# Peak Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

433.milc: -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

470.lbm: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -opt-malloc-options=3 -ansi-alias -opt-prefetch -static -auto-ilp32

482.sphinx3: -xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -unroll2

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

450.soplex: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -opt-malloc-options=3 -B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

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: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -static

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: basepeak = yes

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) -unroll4 -auto -inline-calloc -opt-malloc-options=3 -B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

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# Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

435.gromacs: basepeak = yes

436.cactusADM: basepeak = yes

454.calculix: basepeak = yes

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/IBM-platform-linux64-revA.html

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