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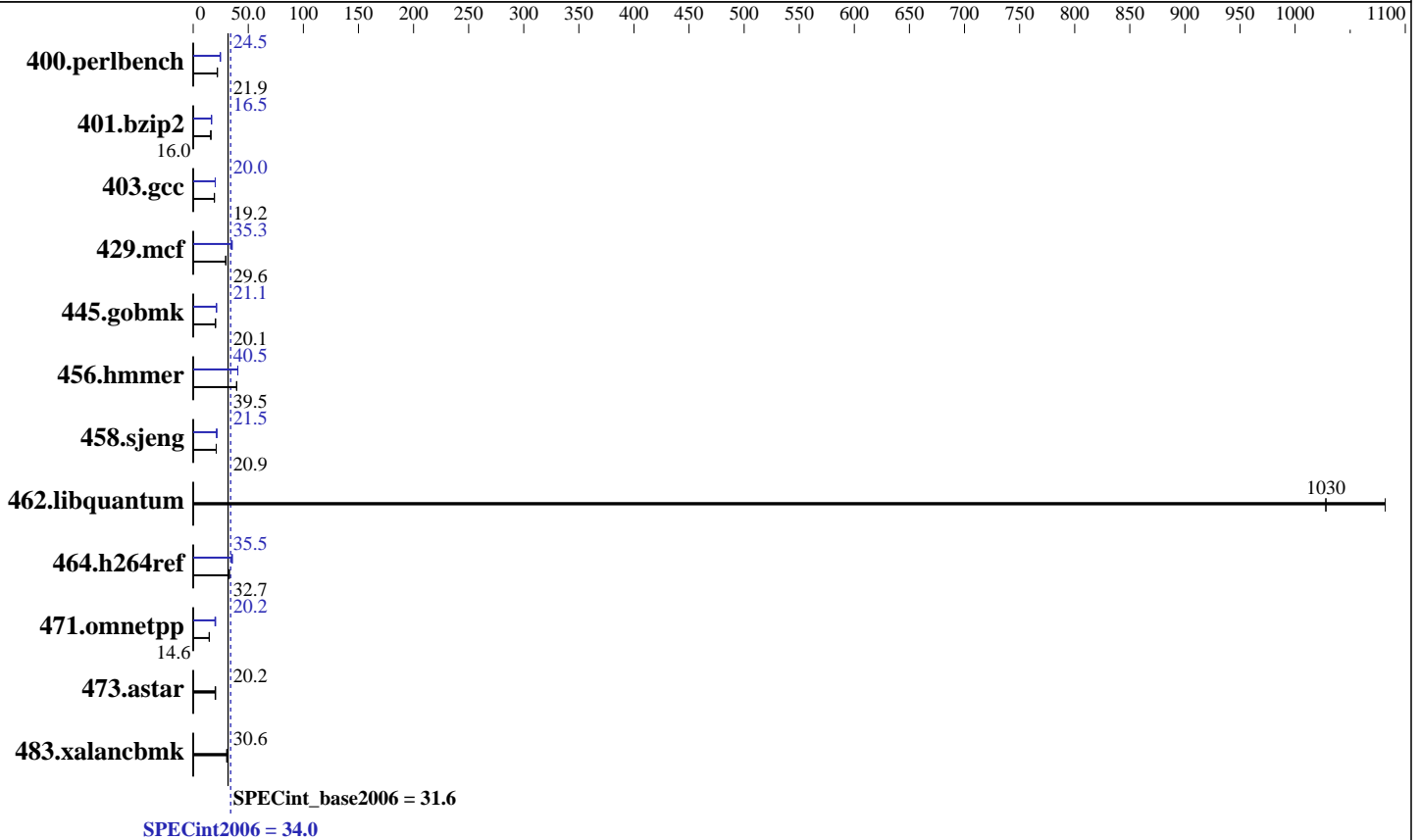
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### Hardware

CPU Name: Intel Xeon X7542  
 CPU Characteristics: Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.80 GHz  
 CPU MHz: 2666  
 FPU: Integrated  
 CPU(s) enabled: 24 cores, 4 chips, 6 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  
 L3 Cache: 18 MB I+D on chip per chip  
 Other Cache: None  
 Memory: 512 GB (64 x 8 GB 4Rx8 PC3-8500R-7, ECC, running at 978 MHz)  
 Disk Subsystem: 1 x 500 GB 7200 RPM SAS 6Gb  
 Other Hardware: None

### Software

Operating System: SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 SP1 (x86\_64), Kernel 2.6.32.12-0.7-default  
 Compiler: Intel C++ Intel 64 Compiler XE for applications running on Intel 64 Version 12.0.1.116 Build 20101116  
 Auto Parallel: Yes  
 File System: ext3  
 System State: Run level 3 (multi-user)  
 Base Pointers: 32/64-bit  
 Peak Pointers: 32/64-bit  
 Other Software: Microquill SmartHeap V9.01



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## Results Table

Benchmark	Base						Peak					
	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
400.perlbench	446	21.9	<b>446</b>	<b>21.9</b>	444	22.0	392	24.9	<b>399</b>	<b>24.5</b>	400	24.5
401.bzip2	603	16.0	<b>602</b>	<b>16.0</b>	602	16.0	575	16.8	<b>584</b>	<b>16.5</b>	584	16.5
403.gcc	<b>419</b>	<b>19.2</b>	419	19.2	419	19.2	<b>402</b>	<b>20.0</b>	402	20.0	402	20.0
429.mcf	307	29.7	<b>309</b>	<b>29.6</b>	309	29.6	<b>258</b>	<b>35.3</b>	258	35.4	264	34.6
445.gobmk	522	20.1	<b>522</b>	<b>20.1</b>	514	20.4	497	21.1	497	21.1	<b>497</b>	<b>21.1</b>
456.hammer	<b>236</b>	<b>39.5</b>	236	39.5	236	39.5	230	40.5	231	40.5	<b>230</b>	<b>40.5</b>
458.sjeng	579	20.9	<b>579</b>	<b>20.9</b>	578	20.9	563	21.5	573	21.1	<b>564</b>	<b>21.5</b>
462.libquantum	<b>20.2</b>	<b>1030</b>	20.2	1030	19.2	1080	<b>20.2</b>	<b>1030</b>	20.2	1030	19.2	1080
464.h264ref	675	32.8	679	32.6	<b>676</b>	<b>32.7</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>35.5</b>	635	34.9	624	35.5
471.omnetpp	430	14.5	<b>428</b>	<b>14.6</b>	427	14.6	<b>309</b>	<b>20.2</b>	309	20.2	316	19.8
473.astar	<b>347</b>	<b>20.2</b>	352	19.9	346	20.3	<b>347</b>	<b>20.2</b>	352	19.9	346	20.3
483.xalancbmk	222	31.1	<b>225</b>	<b>30.6</b>	227	30.4	222	31.1	<b>225</b>	<b>30.6</b>	227	30.4

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 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

BIOS Settings:  
Power Management = Maximum Performance (Default = Active Power Controller)

## General Notes

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

## Base Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:  
icc -m64

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## Base Compiler Invocation (Continued)

C++ benchmarks:  
icpc -m64

## 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  
456.hmmer: -DSPEC\_CPU\_LP64  
458.sjeng: -DSPEC\_CPU\_LP64  
462.libquantum: -DSPEC\_CPU\_LP64 -DSPEC\_CPU\_LINUX  
464.h264ref: -DSPEC\_CPU\_LP64  
471.omnetpp: -DSPEC\_CPU\_LP64  
473.astar: -DSPEC\_CPU\_LP64  
483.xalancbmk: -DSPEC\_CPU\_LP64 -DSPEC\_CPU\_LINUX

## Base Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:  
-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -parallel -opt-prefetch -auto-p32  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf\_x86\_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

C++ benchmarks:  
-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -opt-prefetch -Wl,-z,muldefs  
-L/smartheap -lsmartheap64  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf\_x86\_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

## Base Other Flags

C benchmarks:  
403.gcc: -Dalloca=\_alloca

## Peak Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks (except as noted below):  
icc -m64  
400.perlbench: icc -m32

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## Peak Compiler Invocation (Continued)

429.mcf: `icc -m32`

445.gobmk: `icc -m32`

464.h264ref: `icc -m32`

C++ benchmarks (except as noted below):

`icpc -m64`

471.omnetpp: `icpc -m32`

## Peak Portability Flags

400.perlbench: `-DSPEC_CPU_LINUX_IA32`

401.bzip2: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`

403.gcc: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`

456.hammer: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`

458.sjeng: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`

462.libquantum: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX`

473.astar: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64`

483.xalancbmk: `-DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX`

## Peak Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

400.perlbench: `-xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)  
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2)  
-opt-prefetch -ansi-alias  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT`

401.bzip2: `-xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)  
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div -prof-use(pass 2) -auto-ilp32  
-opt-prefetch -ansi-alias`

403.gcc: `-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -inline-calloc  
-opt-malloc-options=3 -auto-ilp32  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT`

429.mcf: `-xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)  
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2)  
-auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT`

445.gobmk: `-xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -prof-use(pass 2)  
-auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT`

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456.hmmcr: -xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -unroll2 -auto-ilp32  
-ansi-alias  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf\_x86\_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

458.sjeng: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)  
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2)  
-unroll4

462.libquantum: basepeak = yes

464.h264ref: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)  
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2)  
-unroll2 -ansi-alias  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

C++ benchmarks:

471.omnetpp: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2)  
-O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2)  
-opt-ra-region-strategy=block -ansi-alias -Wl,-z,muldefs  
-L/smartheap -lsmartheap  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

473.astar: basepeak = yes

483.xalancbmk: basepeak = yes

## Peak Other Flags

C benchmarks:

403.gcc: -Dalloca=\_alloca

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>

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