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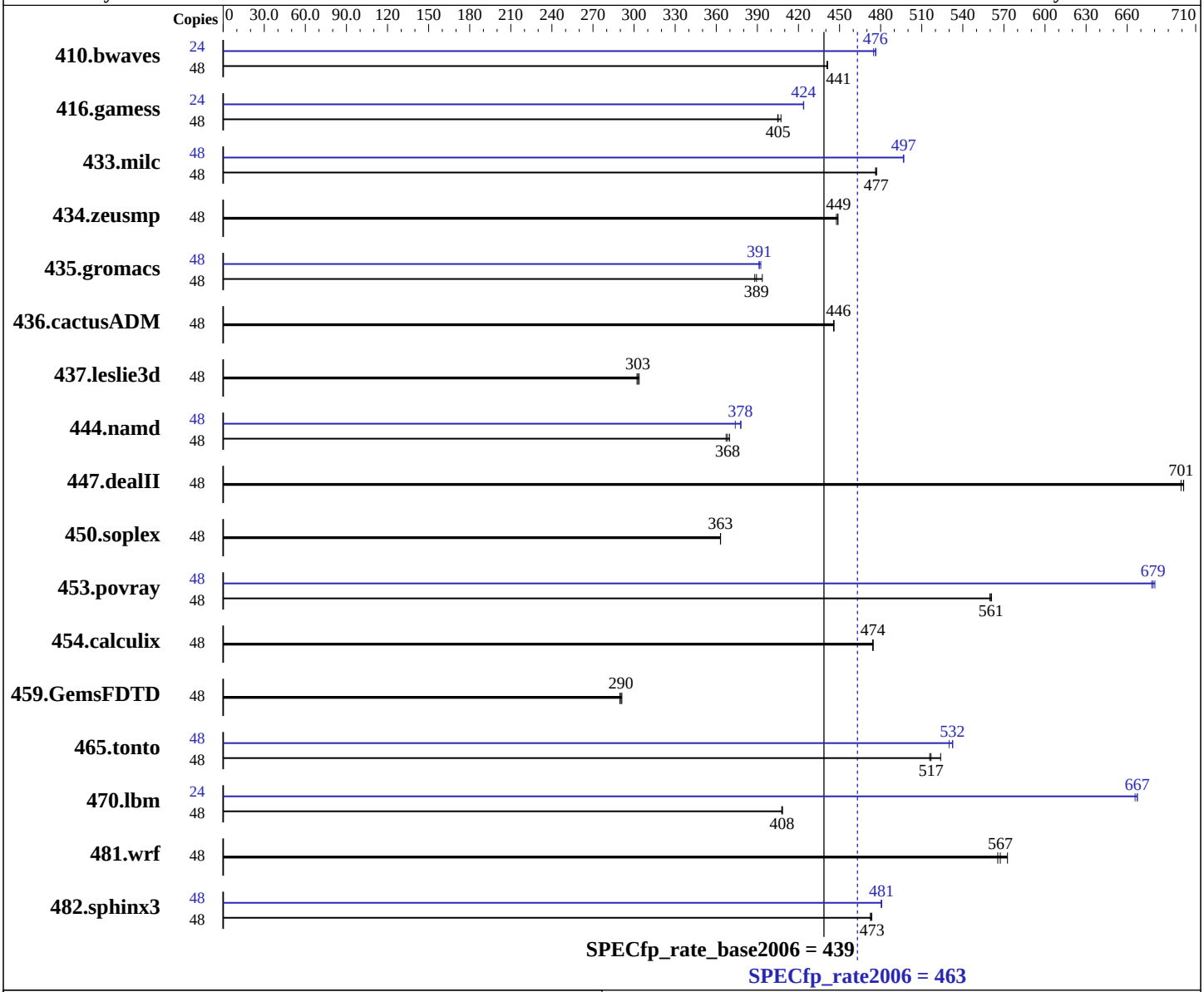

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E7540
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.27 GHz
CPU MHz:	2000
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	24 cores, 4 chips, 6 cores/chip, 2 threads/core
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

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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: 18 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 512 GB (64 x 8 GB 4Rx8 PC3-8500R-7, ECC)
Disk Subsystem: 1 x 500 GB 7200 RPM SAS 6Gb
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	48	**1479**	**441**	1478	441	1480	441	24	684	477	**685**	**476**	687	475
416.gamess	48	2308	407	2321	405	**2320**	**405**	24	**1109**	**424**	1109	424	1109	424
433.milc	48	925	476	**924**	**477**	924	477	48	887	497	**887**	**497**	887	497
434.zeusmp	48	**973**	**449**	973	449	976	448	48	**973**	**449**	973	449	976	448
435.gromacs	48	871	394	883	388	**880**	**389**	48	873	393	**876**	**391**	876	391
436.cactusADM	48	1287	446	**1287**	**446**	1286	446	48	1287	446	**1287**	**446**	1286	446
437.leslie3d	48	1486	304	1493	302	**1490**	**303**	48	1486	304	1493	302	**1490**	**303**
444.namd	48	**1045**	**368**	1048	367	1041	370	48	1018	378	**1019**	**378**	1030	374
447.dealII	48	**783**	**701**	785	699	783	701	48	**783**	**701**	785	699	783	701
450.soplex	48	1103	363	**1103**	**363**	1102	363	48	1103	363	**1103**	**363**	1102	363
453.povray	48	**456**	**561**	456	560	455	561	48	375	680	377	678	**376**	**679**
454.calculix	48	835	474	834	475	**835**	**474**	48	835	474	834	475	**835**	**474**
459.GemsFDTD	48	1758	290	1750	291	**1753**	**290**	48	1758	290	1750	291	**1753**	**290**
465.tonto	48	**914**	**517**	916	516	902	524	48	891	530	887	533	**887**	**532**
470.lbm	48	1615	408	1617	408	**1616**	**408**	24	494	667	**494**	**667**	495	666
481.wrf	48	936	573	**945**	**567**	948	566	48	936	573	**945**	**567**	948	566
482.sphinx3	48	1976	474	1980	473	**1979**	**473**	48	1947	480	**1946**	**481**	1946	481

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
'mount -t hugetlbfs nodev /mnt/hugepages' was used to enable large pages
echo 43200 > /proc/sys/vm/nr_hugepages
export HUGETLB_MORECORE=yes
export LD_PRELOAD=/usr/lib64/libhugetlbfs.so
```

Platform Notes

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

General Notes

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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.
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`

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:
`icpc -m64`

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`
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`

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Peak Portability Flags (Continued)

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: 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: -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

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

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) `-opt-prefetch` `-static -auto-ilp32`

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/Intel-Linux64-Platform.20110524.00.html`

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