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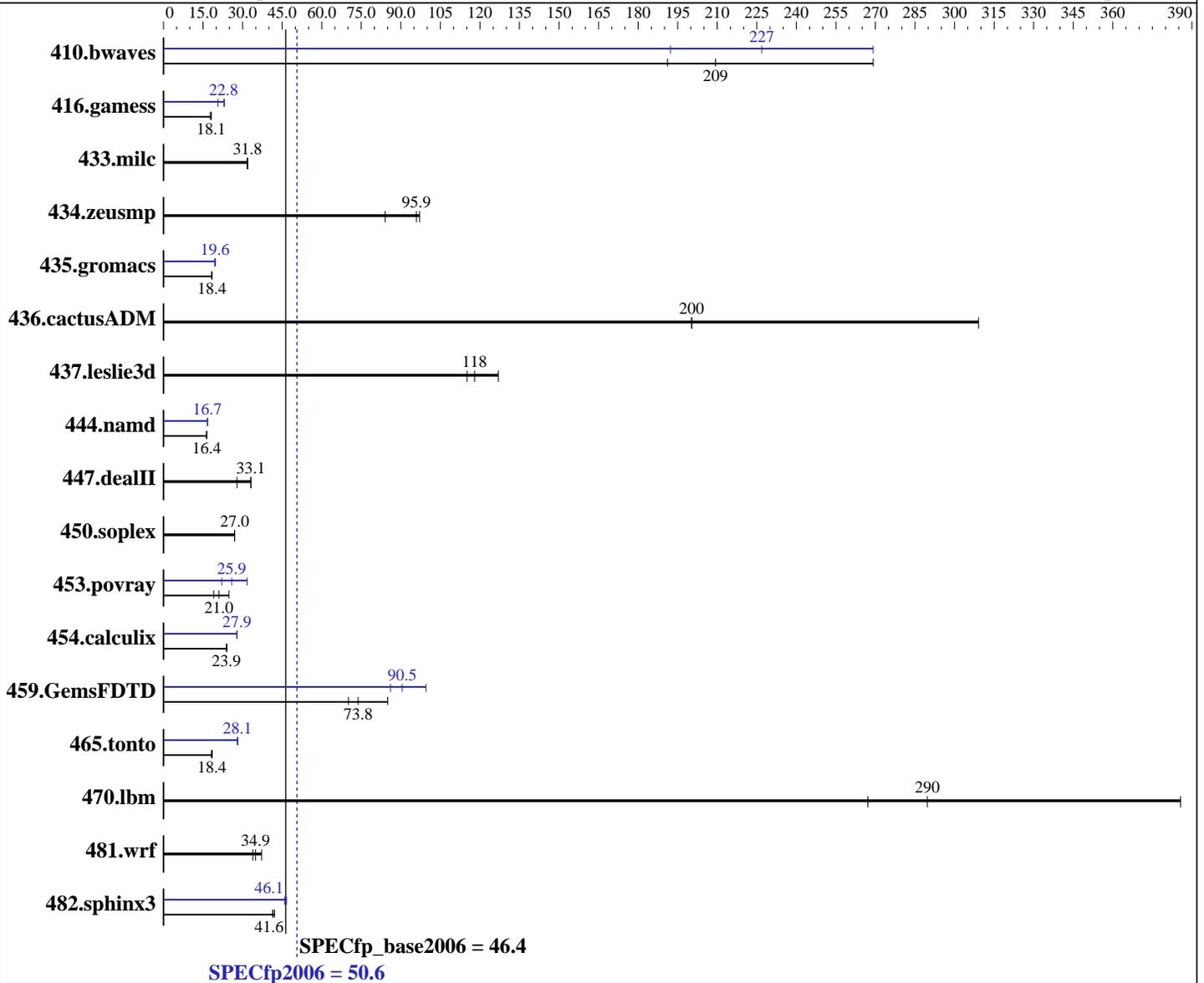
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### Hardware

CPU Name: Intel Xeon E7-2870  
 CPU Characteristics: Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.80 GHz  
 CPU MHz: 2400  
 FPU: Integrated  
 CPU(s) enabled: 20 cores, 2 chips, 10 cores/chip, 2 threads/core  
 CPU(s) orderable: 1,2 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 Update 3  
 Auto Parallel: Yes  
 File System: ext3  
 System State: Run level 3 (multi-user)  
 Base Pointers: 64-bit

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L3 Cache: 30 MB I+D on chip per chip  
Other Cache: None  
Memory: 128 GB (16 x 8 GB 4Rx8 PC3-8500R-7, ECC)  
Disk Subsystem: 2 x 50 GB SSD, RAID 0  
Other Hardware: None

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

## Results Table

Benchmark	Base						Peak					
	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
410.bwaves	50.5	269	<b>64.9</b>	<b>209</b>	71.1	191	70.7	192	50.5	269	<b>59.9</b>	<b>227</b>
416.gamess	<b>1084</b>	<b>18.1</b>	1104	17.7	1079	18.1	948	20.6	<b>857</b>	<b>22.8</b>	847	23.1
433.milc	289	31.8	288	31.9	<b>289</b>	<b>31.8</b>	289	31.8	288	31.9	<b>289</b>	<b>31.8</b>
434.zeusmp	93.7	97.1	108	84.0	<b>94.9</b>	<b>95.9</b>	93.7	97.1	108	84.0	<b>94.9</b>	<b>95.9</b>
435.gromacs	<b>389</b>	<b>18.4</b>	388	18.4	390	18.3	366	19.5	364	19.6	<b>364</b>	<b>19.6</b>
436.cactusADM	38.7	309	<b>59.7</b>	<b>200</b>	59.7	200	38.7	309	<b>59.7</b>	<b>200</b>	59.7	200
437.leslie3d	81.7	115	<b>79.7</b>	<b>118</b>	74.1	127	81.7	115	<b>79.7</b>	<b>118</b>	74.1	127
444.namd	490	16.4	492	16.3	<b>490</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>16.7</b>	482	16.7	482	16.7
447.dealII	410	27.9	<b>345</b>	<b>33.1</b>	345	33.2	410	27.9	<b>345</b>	<b>33.1</b>	345	33.2
450.soplex	309	27.0	<b>309</b>	<b>27.0</b>	309	27.0	309	27.0	<b>309</b>	<b>27.0</b>	309	27.0
453.povray	280	19.0	214	24.9	<b>253</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>25.9</b>	241	22.1	168	31.7
454.calculix	343	24.0	346	23.8	<b>345</b>	<b>23.9</b>	296	27.8	296	27.9	<b>296</b>	<b>27.9</b>
459.GemsFDTD	125	85.1	151	70.1	<b>144</b>	<b>73.8</b>	107	99.5	<b>117</b>	<b>90.5</b>	123	86.1
465.tonto	541	18.2	<b>536</b>	<b>18.4</b>	531	18.5	<b>350</b>	<b>28.1</b>	351	28.1	350	28.1
470.lbm	35.6	386	51.4	267	<b>47.4</b>	<b>290</b>	35.6	386	51.4	267	<b>47.4</b>	<b>290</b>
481.wrf	<b>320</b>	<b>34.9</b>	300	37.2	330	33.9	<b>320</b>	<b>34.9</b>	300	37.2	330	33.9
482.sphinx3	462	42.1	<b>469</b>	<b>41.6</b>	471	41.4	418	46.7	424	46.0	<b>423</b>	<b>46.1</b>

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

## Operating System Notes

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'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 900 > /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



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## General Notes

OMP\_NUM\_THREADS set to number of cores  
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 -parallel -opt-prefetch  
-ansi-alias

C++ benchmarks:

-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -opt-prefetch -ansi-alias

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## Base Optimization Flags (Continued)

Fortran benchmarks:

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Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -parallel -opt-prefetch  
-ansi-alias

## Peak Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:

icc -m64

C++ benchmarks:

icpc -m64

Fortran benchmarks:

ifort -m64

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

icc -m64 ifort -m64

## Peak Portability Flags

Same as Base Portability Flags

## Peak Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

433.milc: basepeak = yes

470.lbm: basepeak = yes

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

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.dealIII: basepeak = yes

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## Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

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 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -opt-prefetch -parallel  
-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: -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 -opt-prefetch -parallel  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf\_x86\_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

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) -inline-calloc  
-opt-malloc-options=3 -auto -unroll4  
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf\_x86\_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

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) -static -auto-ilp32  
-ansi-alias

436.cactusADM: basepeak = yes

454.calculix: -xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias

481.wrf: basepeak = yes

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<http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/IBM-platform-linux64-revA.html>  
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