



# SPEC® CFP2006 Result

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IBM Power 550 (5.0 GHz, 8 core)

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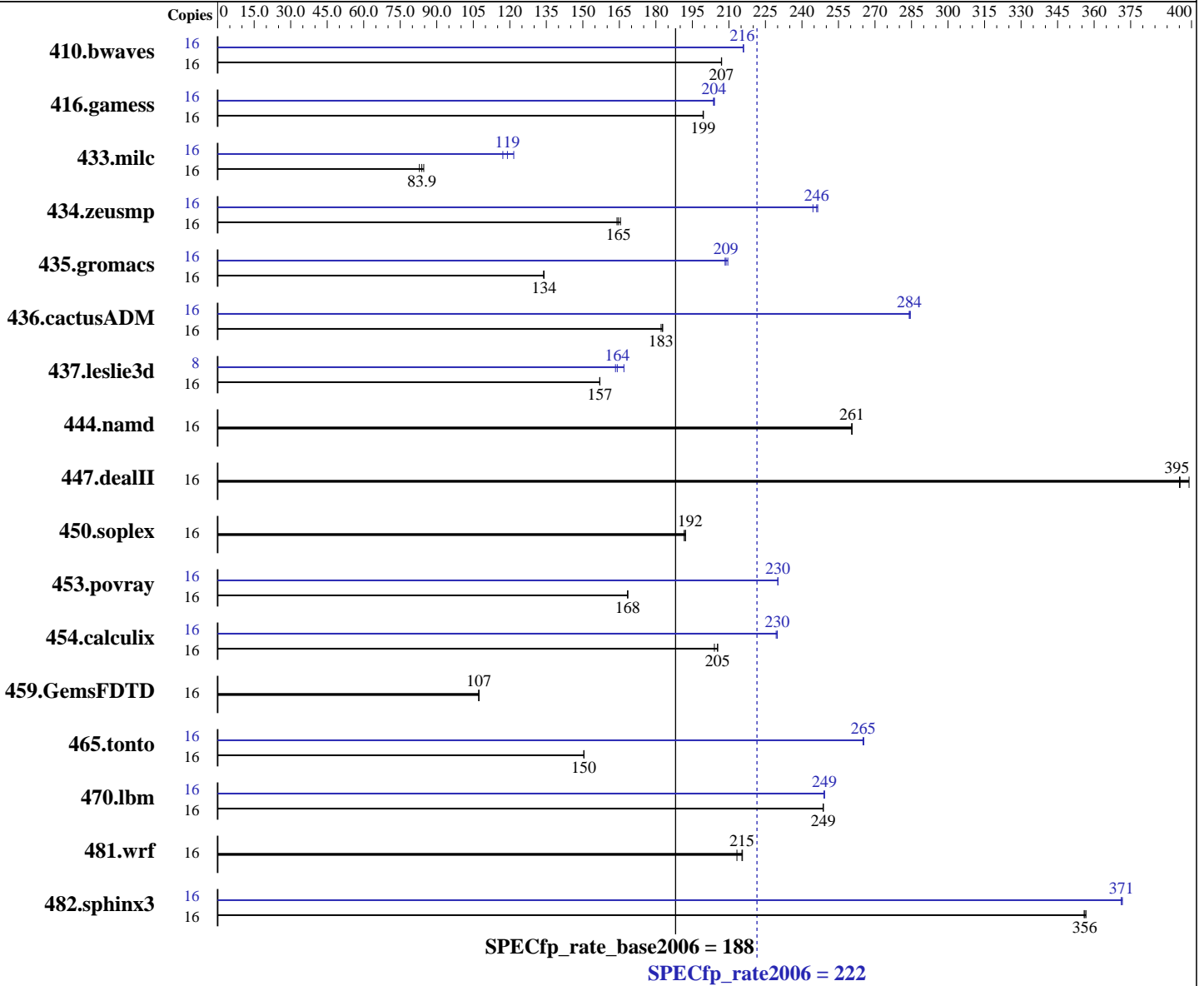
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### Hardware

CPU Name: POWER6+  
 CPU Characteristics:  
 CPU MHz: 5000  
 FPU: Integrated  
 CPU(s) enabled: 8 cores, 4 chips, 2 cores/chip, 2 threads/core  
 CPU(s) orderable: 2,4,6,8 cores  
 Primary Cache: 64 KB I + 64 KB D on chip per core  
 Secondary Cache: 4 MB I+D on chip per core

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### Software

Operating System: IBM AIX V6.1  
 with the 6100-03 Technology Level  
 Compiler: XL C/C++ Enterprise Edition V10.1.0.2 for AIX  
 XL Fortran Enterprise Edition V12.1.0.3 for AIX  
 Auto Parallel: No  
 File System: AIX/JFS2  
 System State: Multi-user  
 Base Pointers: 32-bit  
 Peak Pointers: 32/64-bit

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L3 Cache: 32 MB I+D off chip per chip  
Other Cache: None  
Memory: 128 GB (32x4 GB) DDR2 667 MHz  
Disk Subsystem: 2x146 GB SAS 15K RPM  
Other Hardware: None

Other Software: None

## Results Table

Benchmark	Base							Peak						
	Copies	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Copies	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
410.bwaves	16	1051	207	1050	207	<u>1051</u>	<u>207</u>	16	1007	216	1007	216	<u>1007</u>	<u>216</u>
416.gamess	16	<u>1571</u>	<u>199</u>	1570	200	1571	199	16	1535	204	1538	204	<u>1537</u>	<u>204</u>
433.milc	16	<u>1752</u>	<u>83.9</u>	1772	82.9	1735	84.7	16	1208	122	1254	117	<u>1234</u>	<u>119</u>
434.zeusmp	16	888	164	<u>884</u>	<u>165</u>	880	165	16	<u>592</u>	<u>246</u>	591	246	595	245
435.gromacs	16	<u>852</u>	<u>134</u>	853	134	852	134	16	545	210	<u>547</u>	<u>209</u>	548	208
436.cactusADM	16	1046	183	<u>1046</u>	<u>183</u>	1050	182	16	672	285	673	284	<u>673</u>	<u>284</u>
437.leslie3d	16	958	157	<u>958</u>	<u>157</u>	958	157	8	<u>458</u>	<u>164</u>	460	163	451	167
444.namd	16	<u>493</u>	<u>261</u>	492	261	493	260	16	<u>493</u>	<u>261</u>	492	261	493	260
447.dealII	16	463	395	459	399	<u>463</u>	<u>395</u>	16	463	395	459	399	<u>463</u>	<u>395</u>
450.soplex	16	696	192	<u>695</u>	<u>192</u>	694	192	16	696	192	<u>695</u>	<u>192</u>	694	192
453.povray	16	<u>505</u>	<u>168</u>	505	168	506	168	16	370	230	370	230	<u>370</u>	<u>230</u>
454.calculix	16	647	204	643	205	<u>643</u>	<u>205</u>	16	574	230	<u>574</u>	<u>230</u>	575	229
459.GemsFDTD	16	<u>1583</u>	<u>107</u>	1583	107	1582	107	16	<u>1583</u>	<u>107</u>	1583	107	1582	107
465.tonto	16	1047	150	<u>1046</u>	<u>150</u>	1046	150	16	593	265	594	265	<u>594</u>	<u>265</u>
470.lbm	16	<u>884</u>	<u>249</u>	884	249	884	249	16	883	249	882	249	<u>882</u>	<u>249</u>
481.wrf	16	838	213	829	216	<u>830</u>	<u>215</u>	16	838	213	829	216	<u>830</u>	<u>215</u>
482.sphinx3	16	<u>875</u>	<u>356</u>	876	356	874	357	16	839	372	840	371	<u>840</u>	<u>371</u>

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

## Peak Tuning Notes

fdpr binary optimization tool used for 410.bwaves  
with options -bf -bp -ece -lap -las -nop -nopr -pto  
-RC -RD -rmte -so -tlo -A 64 -lu 6 -rt 0.10 -ihf 60  
-sdpla 32 -sdpms 32 -shci 10 -si -siht 15 -lun 32

fdpr binary optimization tool used for 433.milc  
435.gromacs 437.leslie3d 453.povray  
454.calculix 481.wrf 482.sphinx3  
with options -O4 -vrox -pbsi

fdpr binary optimization tool used for 434.zeusmp 470.lbm  
with options -O3 -vrox -sdp 9



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## Submit Notes

The config file option 'submit' was used to assign benchmark copy to specific kernel thread using the "bindprocessor" command (see flags file for details).

## Operating System Notes

all ulimits set to unlimited.  
2000 16M large pages defined with vmo command

## Platform Notes

System set to "Enhanced" mode when defining partition on HMC.

## General Notes

Environment variables set by runspec before the start of the run:

MALLOCOPTIONS = "pool"  
MEMORY\_AFFINITY = "MCM"  
XLFRTEOPTS = "intrinthds=1"

See the flags file for details on settings.

## Base Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:

/usr/vac/bin/xlc -qlanglvl=extc99

C++ benchmarks:

/usr/vacpp/bin/xlC

Fortran benchmarks:

/usr/bin/xlf95

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

/usr/vac/bin/xlc -qlanglvl=extc99 /usr/bin/xlf95

## Base Portability Flags

410.bwaves: -qfixed  
416.gamess: -qfixed  
434.zeusmp: -qfixed  
435.gromacs: -qfixed -qextname  
436.cactusADM: -qfixed -qextname  
437.leslie3d: -qfixed  
454.calculix: -qfixed -qextname

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## Base Portability Flags (Continued)

481.wrf: -DSPEC\_CPU\_AIX -DNOUNDERSCORE  
482.sphinx3: -qchars=signed

## Base Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

-bmaxdata:0x40000000 -O5 -qlargepage -D\_ILS\_MACROS -blpdata

C++ benchmarks:

-bmaxdata:0x50000000 -O5 -qlargepage -D\_ILS\_MACROS -qrtti=all  
-D\_\_IBM\_FAST\_VECTOR -D\_\_IBM\_FAST\_SET\_MAP\_ITERATOR -blpdata

Fortran benchmarks:

-bmaxdata:0x60000000 -O5 -qlargepage -qsmallstack=dynlenonheap  
-qalias=nostd -blpdata

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

-bmaxdata:0x60000000 -O5 -qlargepage -D\_ILS\_MACROS  
-qsmallstack=dynlenonheap -qalias=nostd -blpdata

## Base Other Flags

C benchmarks:

-qipa=threads -qipa=noobject -qsuppress=1500-036

C++ benchmarks:

-qipa=threads -qipa=noobject -qsuppress=1500-036

Fortran benchmarks:

-qipa=threads -qipa=noobject -qsuppress=1500-010 -qsuppress=cmpmsg  
-qsuppress=1500-036

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

-qipa=threads -qipa=noobject -qsuppress=1500-010 -qsuppress=cmpmsg  
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 436.cactusADM: -qfixed -qextname  
 437.leslie3d: -qfixed  
 454.calculix: -qfixed -qextname  
 481.wrf: -DSPEC\_CPU\_AIX -DNOUNDERSCORE  
 482.sphinx3: -qchars=signed

## Peak Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

433.milc: -bmaxdata:0x40000000 -O5 -qlargepage -D\_ILS\_MACROS  
-qalign=natural -qfdpr -blpdata

470.lbm: -qpdf1(pass 1) -qpdf2(pass 2) -O3 -qarch=auto -qtune=auto  
-qlargepage -q64 -D\_ILS\_MACROS -qfdpr -blpdata

482.sphinx3: -qpdf1(pass 1) -qpdf2(pass 2) -O4 -qlargepage  
-D\_ILS\_MACROS -qfdpr -blpdata

C++ benchmarks:

444.namd: basepeak = yes

447.dealII: basepeak = yes

450.soplex: basepeak = yes

453.povray: -qpdf1(pass 1) -qpdf2(pass 2) -O5 -D\_ILS\_MACROS  
-qalign=natural -qfdpr -btextpsize:64K

Fortran benchmarks:

410.bwaves: -bmaxdata:0x50000000 -O5 -qlargepage -qenablevmx -qvecnvoll  
-qfdpr -qsmallstack=dynlenonheap -blpdata

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416.gamess: -bmaxdata:0x40000000 -qpdf1(pass 1) -qpdf2(pass 2) -O5  
-qlargepage -qalias=nostd -blpdata

434.zeusmp: -bmaxdata:0x40000000 -qpdf1(pass 1) -qpdf2(pass 2) -O3  
-qarch=auto -qtune=auto -qlargepage -qenablevmx -qvecnvml  
-qxlf90=nosignedzero -qfdpr -blpdata

437.leslie3d: -O5 -qlargepage -qenablevmx -qvecnvml -qfdpr -blpdata

459.GemsFDTD: basepeak = yes

465.tonto: -bmaxdata:0x50000000 -qpdf1(pass 1) -qpdf2(pass 2) -O5  
-bdatapsize:64K -bstacksize:64K -btextsize:64K

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

435.gromacs: -qpdf1(pass 1) -qpdf2(pass 2) -O5 -D\_ILS\_MACROS -qfdpr

436.cactusADM: -bmaxdata:0x60000000 -qpdf1(pass 1) -qpdf2(pass 2) -O2  
-qarch=auto -qtune=auto -qenablevmx -qvecnvml  
-D\_ILS\_MACROS -qfdpr -qnostrict -bdatapsize:64K  
-bstacksize:64K -btextsize:64K

454.calculix: -O4 -qlargepage -q64 -D\_ILS\_MACROS -qfdpr -blpdata

481.wrf: basepeak = yes

## Peak Other Flags

C benchmarks:

-qipa=threads -qipa=noobject -qsuppress=1500-036

C++ benchmarks:

-qipa=threads -qipa=noobject -qsuppress=1500-036

Fortran benchmarks:

-qipa=threads -qipa=noobject -qsuppress=1500-010 -qsuppress=cmpmsg  
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-qsuppress=1500-036

The flags files that were used to format this result can be browsed at

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