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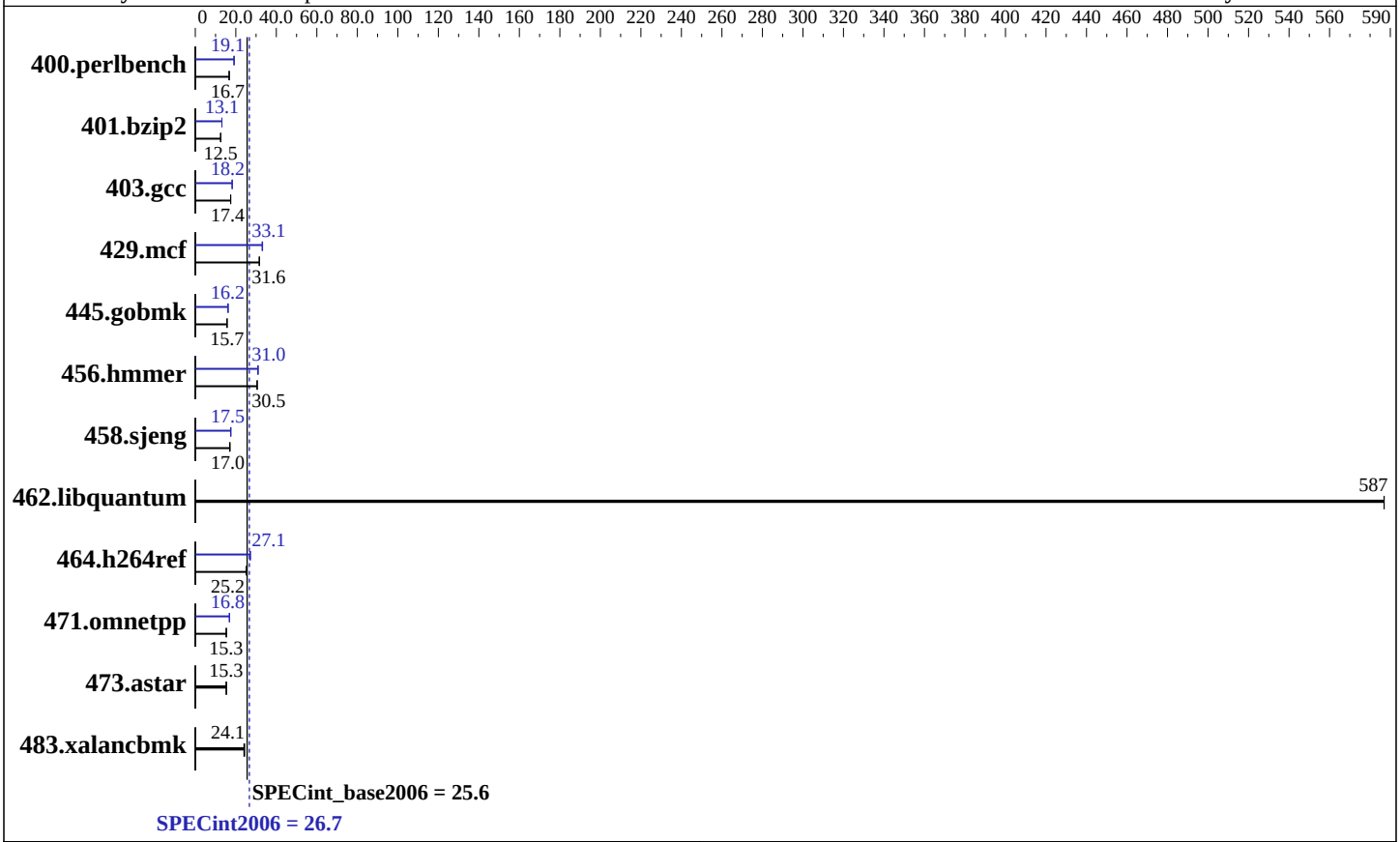

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E5606
CPU Characteristics:	
CPU MHz:	2133
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	8 cores, 2 chips, 4 cores/chip
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
L3 Cache:	8 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache:	None
Memory:	96 GB (12 x 8 GB 2Rx4 PC3-10600R-9, ECC, running at 1067 MHz)
Disk Subsystem:	1 x 146 GB SAS, 15000 RPM
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	585	16.7	**584**	**16.7**	584	16.7	510	19.2	511	19.1	**511**	**19.1**
401.bzip2	770	12.5	770	12.5	**770**	**12.5**	735	13.1	734	13.1	**735**	**13.1**
403.gcc	**461**	**17.4**	460	17.5	462	17.4	**442**	**18.2**	442	18.2	442	18.2
429.mcf	**288**	**31.6**	288	31.6	289	31.6	276	33.0	274	33.2	**276**	**33.1**
445.gobmk	669	15.7	**669**	**15.7**	670	15.7	649	16.2	**649**	**16.2**	650	16.1
456.hmmer	**306**	**30.5**	306	30.5	306	30.5	**301**	**31.0**	301	31.0	302	30.9
458.sjeng	706	17.1	712	17.0	**711**	**17.0**	**691**	**17.5**	691	17.5	690	17.5
462.libquantum	35.3	587	**35.3**	**587**	35.3	587	35.3	587	**35.3**	**587**	35.3	587
464.h264ref	**877**	**25.2**	882	25.1	870	25.4	**815**	**27.1**	817	27.1	815	27.1
471.omnetpp	408	15.3	408	15.3	**408**	**15.3**	371	16.9	371	16.8	**371**	**16.8**
473.astar	458	15.3	**458**	**15.3**	459	15.3	458	15.3	**458**	**15.3**	459	15.3
483.xalancbmk	287	24.0	283	24.4	**286**	**24.1**	287	24.0	283	24.4	**286**	**24.1**

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

```
Power C-State enabled in BIOS
Data Reuse disabled in BIOS
Demand Scrub disabled in BIOS
```

General Notes

```
OMP_NUM_THREADS set to number of cores
Binaries compiled on RHEL5.5
```

Base Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:

```
icc  -m64
```

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

429.mcf: icc -m32

445.gobmk: icc -m32

464.h264ref: icc -m32

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Peak Compiler Invocation (Continued)

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.hmmer: -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

456.hmmer: -xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -unroll2 -auto-ilp32
-ansi-alias
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

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`
`http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/IBM-platform-linux64-revA.20110420.html`

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