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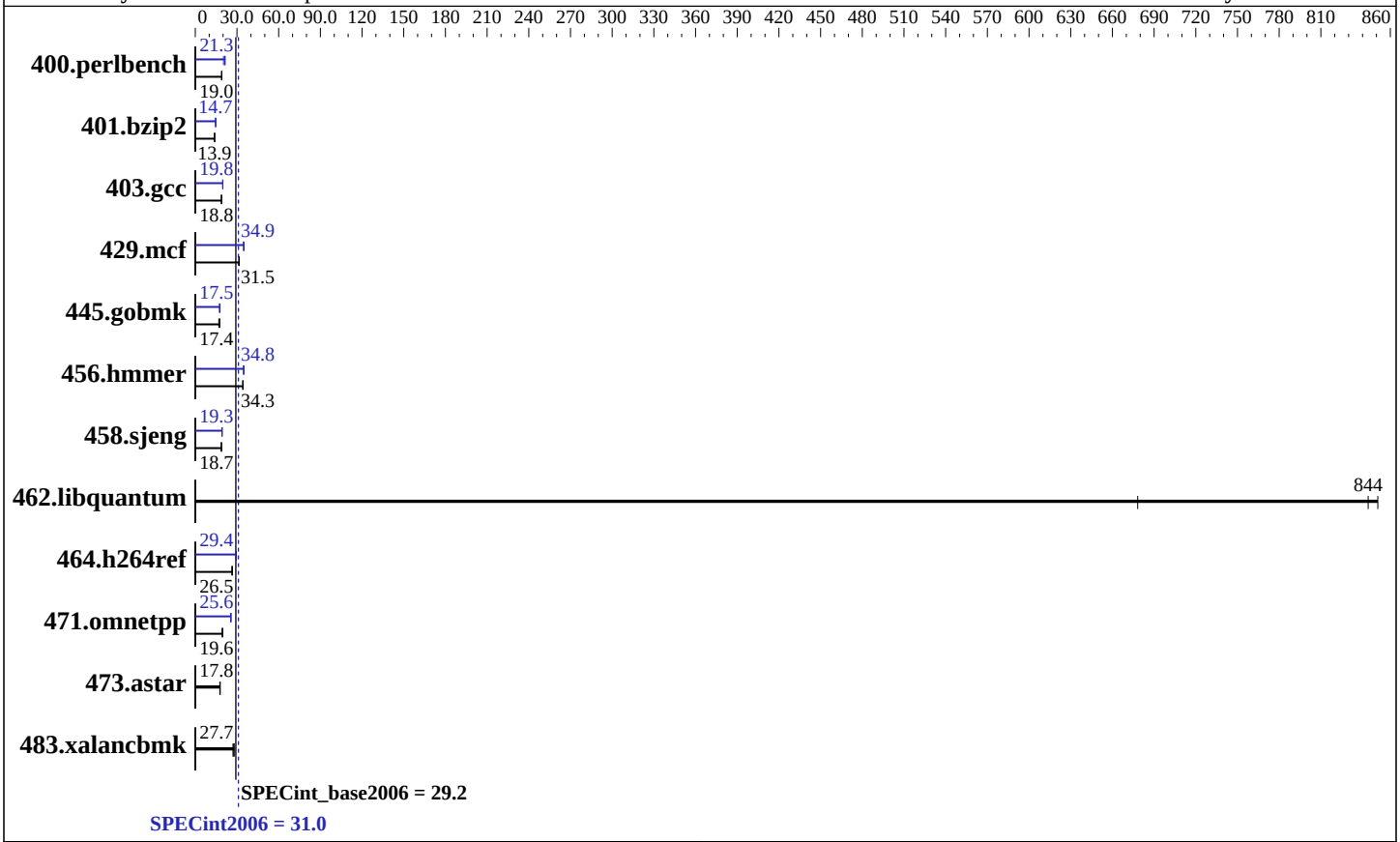

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E7-2830
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.4 GHz
CPU MHz:	2133
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	16 cores, 2 chips, 8 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
L3 Cache:	24 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

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	512	19.1	**513**	**19.0**	517	18.9	481	20.3	**459**	**21.3**	455	21.5
401.bzip2	691	14.0	700	13.8	**694**	**13.9**	**659**	**14.7**	658	14.7	661	14.6
403.gcc	427	18.8	428	18.8	**427**	**18.8**	**407**	**19.8**	407	19.8	408	19.7
429.mcf	290	31.5	290	31.5	**290**	**31.5**	263	34.7	**262**	**34.9**	261	35.0
445.gobmk	620	16.9	596	17.6	**602**	**17.4**	602	17.4	**599**	**17.5**	589	17.8
456.hmmer	272	34.3	273	34.1	**272**	**34.3**	267	34.9	268	34.8	**268**	**34.8**
458.sjeng	646	18.7	**646**	**18.7**	642	18.9	628	19.3	629	19.2	**628**	**19.3**
462.libquantum	**24.5**	**844**	24.3	851	30.6	678	**24.5**	**844**	24.3	851	30.6	678
464.h264ref	**835**	**26.5**	828	26.7	838	26.4	748	29.6	760	29.1	**752**	**29.4**
471.omnetpp	**319**	**19.6**	323	19.4	319	19.6	245	25.5	243	25.7	**244**	**25.6**
473.astar	398	17.6	**393**	**17.8**	393	17.9	398	17.6	**393**	**17.8**	393	17.9
483.xalancbmk	**249**	**27.7**	255	27.1	246	28.0	**249**	**27.7**	255	27.1	246	28.0

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
'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

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BIOS Settings:
Turbo Boost Power Optimization set to Traditional
```

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
```

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.html`

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