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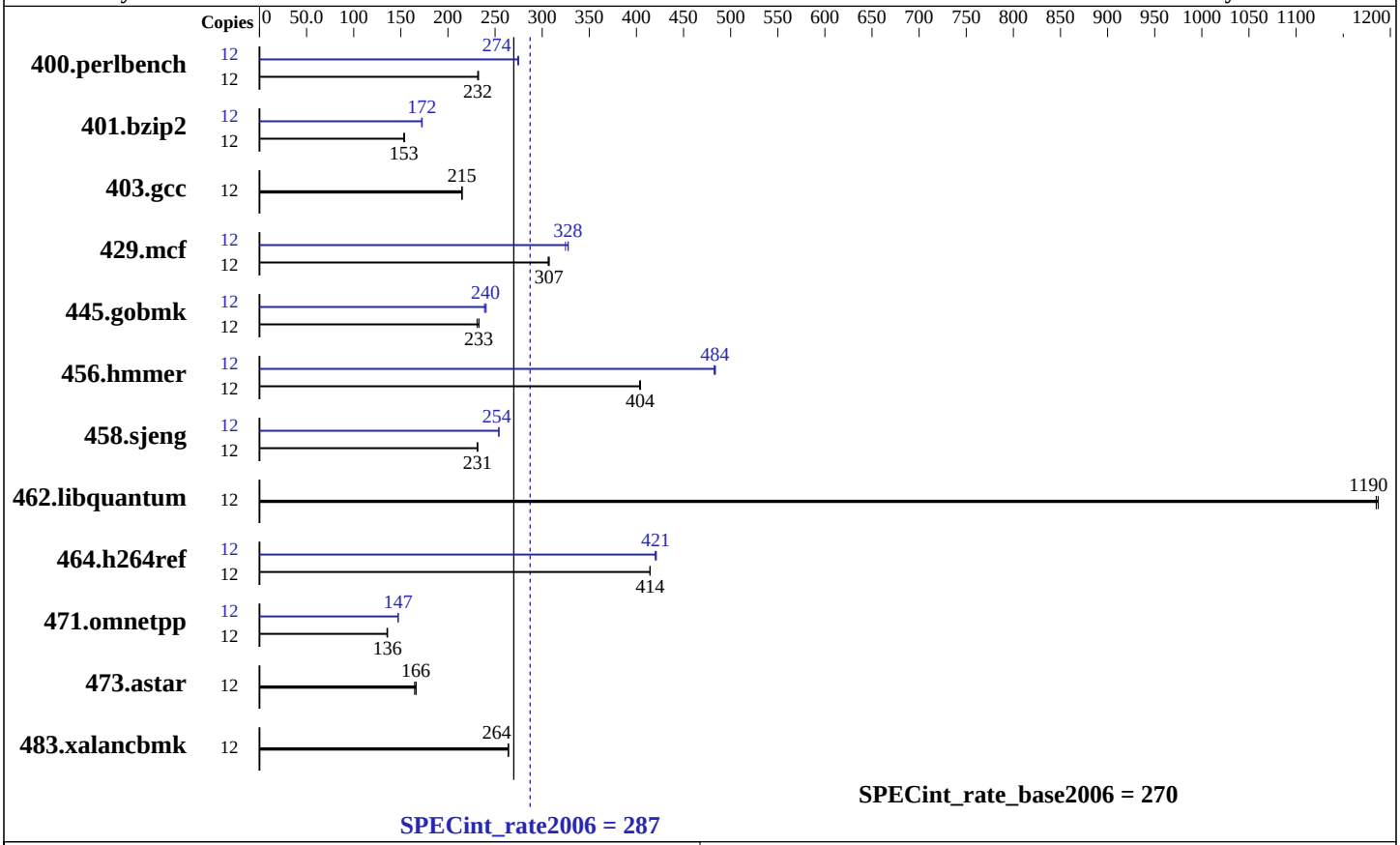

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon X7542
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.80 GHz
CPU MHz:	2666
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	12 cores, 2 chips, 6 cores/chip
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
L3 Cache:	18 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache:	None
Memory:	256 GB (32 x 8 GB 4Rx8 PC3-8500R-7, ECC, running at 978 MHz)
Disk Subsystem:	1 x 500 GB 7200 RPM SAS 6Gb
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++ Compiler XE for applications running on IA-32 Version 12.0.1.116 Build 20101116
Auto Parallel:	No
File System:	ext3
System State:	Run level 3 (multi-user)
Base Pointers:	32-bit
Peak Pointers:	32/64-bit
Other Software:	Microquill SmartHeap V9.01

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Results Table

Benchmark	Base							Peak						
	Copies	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Copies	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
400.perlbench	12	504	232	506	232	**506**	**232**	12	428	274	**427**	**274**	426	275
401.bzip2	12	753	154	**755**	**153**	755	153	12	**671**	**172**	673	172	671	173
403.gcc	12	450	215	449	215	**450**	**215**	12	450	215	449	215	**450**	**215**
429.mcf	12	357	306	356	307	**356**	**307**	12	337	325	334	328	**334**	**328**
445.gobmk	12	**541**	**233**	545	231	540	233	12	**525**	**240**	527	239	523	241
456.hmmer	12	278	403	277	404	**277**	**404**	12	231	484	232	482	**232**	**484**
458.sjeng	12	**628**	**231**	627	232	628	231	12	572	254	572	254	**572**	**254**
462.libquantum	12	209	1190	210	1180	**210**	**1190**	12	209	1190	210	1180	**210**	**1190**
464.h264ref	12	641	415	641	414	**641**	**414**	12	632	420	631	421	**631**	**421**
471.omnetpp	12	**552**	**136**	554	135	552	136	12	510	147	**510**	**147**	509	147
473.astar	12	**508**	**166**	512	165	506	166	12	**508**	**166**	512	165	506	166
483.xalancbmk	12	314	264	**313**	**264**	313	264	12	314	264	**313**	**264**	313	264

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 10800 > /proc/sys/vm/nr_hugepages
export HUGETLB_MORECORE=yes
export LD_PRELOAD=/usr/lib64/libhugetlbfs.so
```

Platform Notes

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

General Notes

```
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  -m32
```

C++ benchmarks:
```
icpc -m32
```

Base Portability Flags

400.perlbench: `-DSPEC_CPU_LINUX_IA32`
462.libquantum: `-DSPEC_CPU_LINUX`
483.xalancbmk: `-DSPEC_CPU_LINUX`

Base Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:
```
-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -opt-prefetch
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT
```

C++ benchmarks:
```
-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -opt-prefetch -Wl,-z,muldefs
-L/smartheap -lsmartheap
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT
```

Base Other Flags

C benchmarks:

403.gcc: `-Dalloca=_alloca`

Peak Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks (except as noted below):
```
icc  -m32
```

400.perlbench: `icc -m64`

401.bzip2: `icc -m64`

456.hmmer: `icc -m64`

458.sjeng: `icc -m64`

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Peak Compiler Invocation (Continued)

C++ benchmarks:
icpc -m32

Peak Portability Flags

400.perlbench: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64 -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX_X64
401.bzip2: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
456.hmmer: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
458.sjeng: -DSPEC_CPU_LP64
462.libquantum: -DSPEC_CPU_LINUX
483.xalancbmk: -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)
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

401.bzip2: -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 -auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

403.gcc: basepeak = yes

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)
-ansi-alias -auto-ilp32

445.gobmk: -xSSE4.2(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -prof-use(pass 2)
-ansi-alias -auto-ilp32

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

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 -auto-ilp32
-B /usr/share/libhugetlbfs/ -Wl,-melf_x86_64 -Wl,-hugetlbfs-link=BDT

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

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

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) `-ansi-alias -opt-ra-region-strategy=block -Wl,-z,muldefs -L/smartheap -lsmartheap`

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/Intel-Linux64-Platform.20110524.00.html`

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