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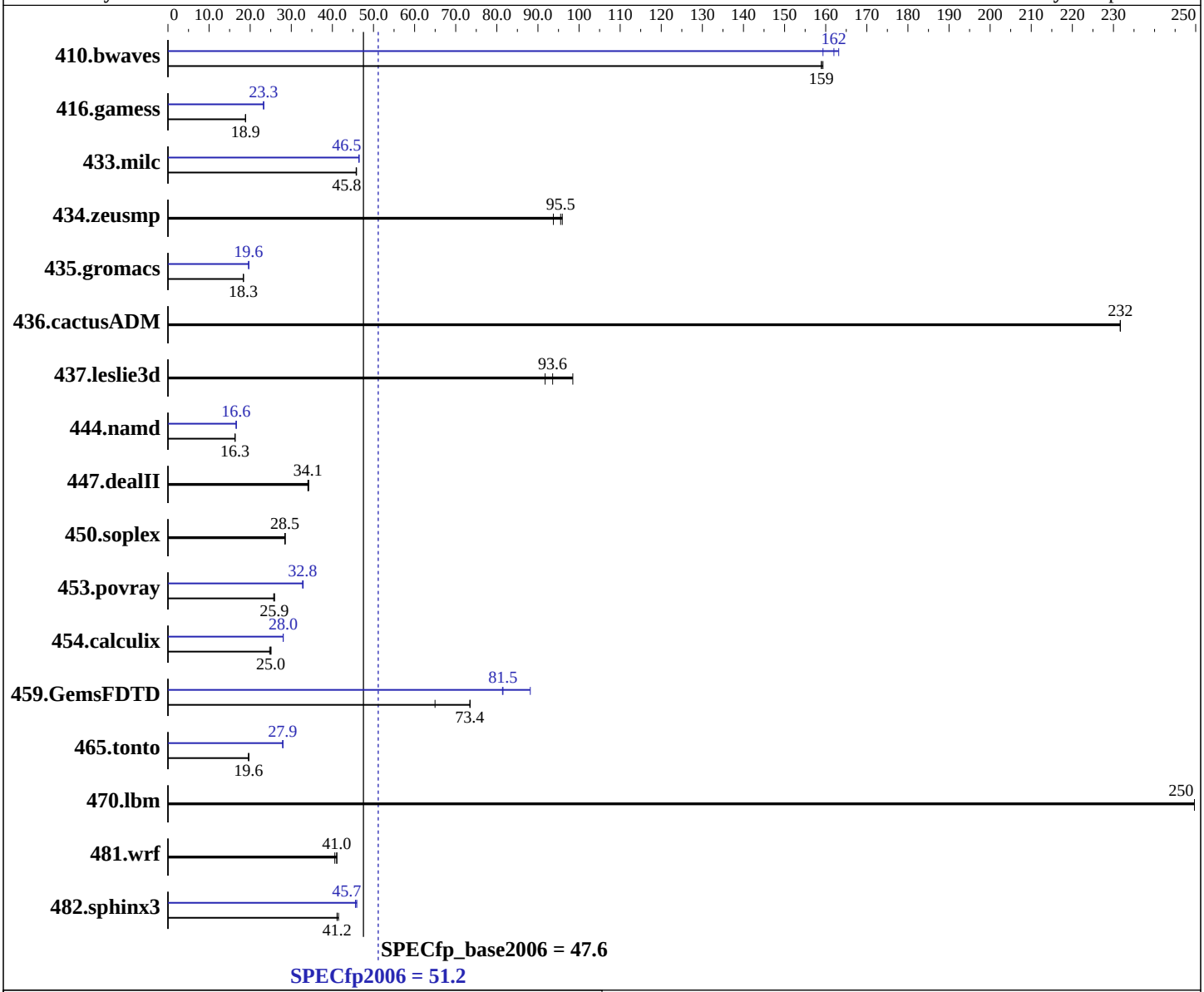

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon L5640
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 2.80 GHz
CPU MHz:	2267
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	12 cores, 2 chips, 6 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

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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: 12 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 48 GB (12 x 4 GB 2Rx4 PC3-10600R-9, ECC)
Disk Subsystem: 1 x 146 GB 15000 RPM SAS
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	**85.5**	**159**	85.3	159	85.5	159	83.3	163	85.3	159	**83.9**	**162**
416.gamess	1040	18.8	1035	18.9	**1036**	**18.9**	**842**	**23.3**	840	23.3	842	23.3
433.milc	**200**	**45.8**	200	45.9	201	45.8	**198**	**46.5**	197	46.5	198	46.5
434.zeusmp	94.9	95.9	97.1	93.8	**95.3**	**95.5**	94.9	95.9	97.1	93.8	**95.3**	**95.5**
435.gromacs	**389**	**18.3**	388	18.4	390	18.3	363	19.6	**364**	**19.6**	364	19.6
436.cactusADM	51.6	232	51.6	232	**51.6**	**232**	51.6	232	51.6	232	**51.6**	**232**
437.leslie3d	95.4	98.5	102	91.8	**100**	**93.6**	95.4	98.5	102	91.8	**100**	**93.6**
444.namd	**491**	**16.3**	492	16.3	491	16.3	**483**	**16.6**	483	16.6	482	16.6
447.dealII	334	34.3	336	34.1	**336**	**34.1**	334	34.3	336	34.1	**336**	**34.1**
450.soplex	292	28.5	**293**	**28.5**	293	28.4	292	28.5	**293**	**28.5**	293	28.4
453.povray	205	25.9	**206**	**25.9**	207	25.7	**162**	**32.8**	162	32.8	162	32.9
454.calculix	**330**	**25.0**	333	24.7	329	25.1	294	28.0	294	28.0	**294**	**28.0**
459.GemsFDTD	163	65.0	**145**	**73.4**	144	73.5	**130**	**81.5**	120	88.1	130	81.4
465.tonto	**501**	**19.6**	503	19.6	500	19.7	353	27.9	**352**	**27.9**	351	28.0
470.lbm	55.0	250	**55.0**	**250**	55.0	250	55.0	250	**55.0**	**250**	55.0	250
481.wrf	**272**	**41.0**	272	41.1	275	40.6	**272**	**41.0**	272	41.1	275	40.6
482.sphinx3	470	41.5	474	41.1	**474**	**41.2**	424	45.9	427	45.6	**426**	**45.7**

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

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BIOS Settings:
Power Management = Maximum Performance (Default = Active Power Controller)
Logical Processor = Disabled (Default = Enabled)
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General Notes

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OMP_NUM_THREADS set to number of cores
The Dell PowerEdge R710 and
the Bull NovaScale R460 F2 models are electronically equivalent.
The results have been measured on a Dell PowerEdge R710 model
Binaries were compiled on RHEL5.5
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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
```

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Base Optimization Flags (Continued)

C++ benchmarks:
-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -opt-prefetch -ansi-alias

Fortran benchmarks:
-xSSE4.2 -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -parallel -opt-prefetch

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: -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

470.lbm: basepeak = yes

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

C++ benchmarks:

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

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.dealII: basepeak = yes

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

The flags files that were used to format this result can be browsed at
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http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/Intel-Linux64-Platform.20110524.00.html

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