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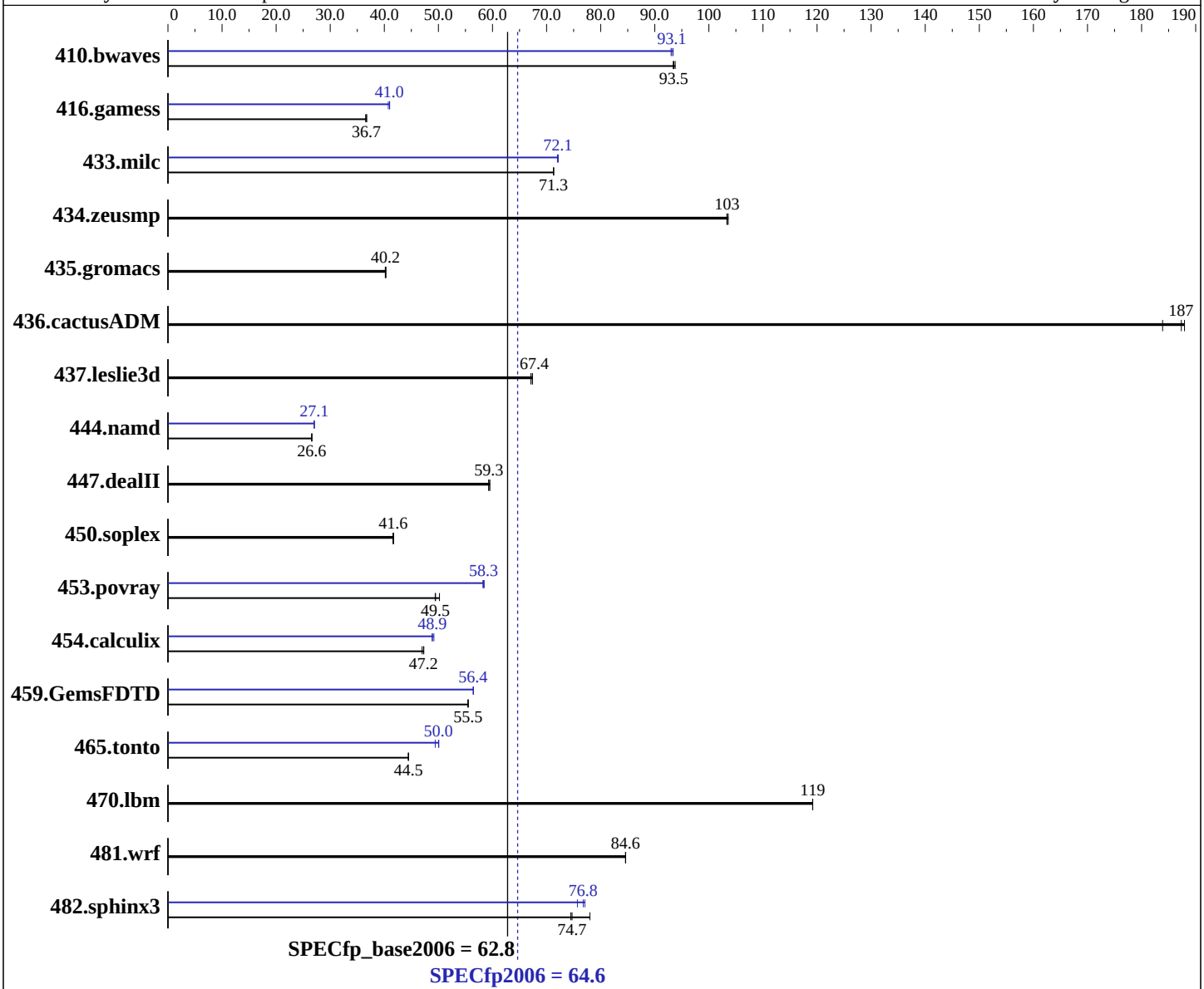

Hardware

CPU Name:	Intel Xeon E3-1280
CPU Characteristics:	Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 3.90 GHz
CPU MHz:	3500
FPU:	Integrated
CPU(s) enabled:	4 cores, 1 chip, 4 cores/chip, 2 threads/core
CPU(s) orderable:	1 chip
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:	Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server Release 6.1, Kernel 2.6.32-131.0.15.el6.x86_64
Compiler:	Intel C++ and Fortran Intel 64 Compiler XE for applications running on IA32 and Intel 64 12.1.0.225 Build 20110803
Auto Parallel:	Yes
File System:	ext4
System State:	Run level 3 (multi-user)
Base Pointers:	64-bit

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L3 Cache: 8 MB I+D on chip per chip
Other Cache: None
Memory: 8 GB (2 x 4 GB 2Rx8 PC3-10600E-9, ECC)
Disk Subsystem: 1 x 146 GB SAS, 15000 RPM
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	**145**	**93.5**	145	93.4	145	93.8	**146**	**93.1**	146	93.4	146	93.0
416.gamess	533	36.7	536	36.5	**533**	**36.7**	481	40.7	**478**	**41.0**	478	41.0
433.milc	129	71.3	129	71.3	**129**	**71.3**	127	72.1	127	72.0	**127**	**72.1**
434.zeusmp	**88.0**	**103**	87.8	104	88.0	103	**88.0**	**103**	87.8	104	88.0	103
435.gromacs	**178**	**40.2**	177	40.3	178	40.2	**178**	**40.2**	177	40.3	178	40.2
436.cactusADM	**63.8**	**187**	63.6	188	65.0	184	**63.8**	**187**	63.6	188	65.0	184
437.leslie3d	**140**	**67.4**	140	67.4	140	67.1	**140**	**67.4**	140	67.4	140	67.1
444.namd	301	26.6	**302**	**26.6**	302	26.6	296	27.1	297	27.0	**296**	**27.1**
447.dealII	**193**	**59.3**	193	59.3	192	59.5	**193**	**59.3**	193	59.3	192	59.5
450.soplex	200	41.7	**200**	**41.6**	200	41.6	200	41.7	**200**	**41.6**	200	41.6
453.povray	108	49.4	106	50.2	**108**	**49.5**	91.4	58.2	91.0	58.5	**91.2**	**58.3**
454.calculix	**175**	**47.2**	176	47.0	174	47.3	**169**	**48.9**	168	49.2	169	48.8
459.GemsFDTD	191	55.5	191	55.5	**191**	**55.5**	188	56.4	**188**	**56.4**	188	56.5
465.tonto	221	44.5	**221**	**44.5**	221	44.5	**197**	**50.0**	196	50.1	199	49.4
470.lbm	115	119	**115**	**119**	115	119	115	119	**115**	**119**	115	119
481.wrf	**132**	**84.6**	132	84.6	132	84.6	**132**	**84.6**	132	84.6	132	84.6
482.sphinx3	250	78.0	**261**	**74.7**	262	74.5	253	77.1	**254**	**76.8**	257	75.7

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

Platform Notes

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BIOS Settings:
Turbo Mode enabled in BIOS
C-State enabled in BIOS
```

General Notes

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Environment variables set by runspec before the start of the run:
KMP_AFFINITY = "granularity=fine,scatter"
LD_LIBRARY_PATH = "/root/SPECcpu12.1/smartheap:/root/SPECcpu12.1/ic12.1-libs/ia32/:/root/SPECcpu12.1/ic12.1-libs/intel64"
OMP_NUM_THREADS = "4"

 Binaries compiled on a system with 1x Core i7-860 CPU + 8GB memory
 using RHEL5.5 with binutils-2.17.50.0.6-14.el5
 Stack size set to unlimited using "ulimit -s unlimited"
```

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General Notes (Continued)

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Transparent Huge Pages enabled with:
echo always > /sys/kernel/mm/redhat_transparent_hugepage/enabled
Filesystem page cache cleared with:
echo 1>       /proc/sys/vm/drop_caches
```

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:
```
-xAVX -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -parallel -opt-prefetch
-ansi-alias
```

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Base Optimization Flags (Continued)

C++ benchmarks:
`-xAVX -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -opt-prefetch -ansi-alias`

Fortran benchmarks:
`-xAVX -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -static -parallel -opt-prefetch`

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:
`-xAVX -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: `-xAVX`(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: `-xAVX -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -unroll2 -ansi-alias -parallel`

C++ benchmarks:

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Peak Optimization Flags (Continued)

444.namd: -xAVX(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: -xAVX(pass 2) -prof-gen(pass 1) -ipo(pass 2) -O3(pass 2) -no-prec-div(pass 2) -prof-use(pass 2) -unroll4 -ansi-alias

Fortran benchmarks:

410.bwaves: -xAVX -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -opt-prefetch -parallel -static

416.gamess: -xAVX(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: -xAVX(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

465.tonto: -xAVX(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

Benchmarks using both Fortran and C:

435.gromacs: basepeak = yes

436.cactusADM: basepeak = yes

454.calculix: -xAVX -ipo -O3 -no-prec-div -auto-ilp32 -ansi-alias

481.wrf: basepeak = yes

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http://www.spec.org/cpu2006/flags/Intel-ic12.1-linux64.html
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