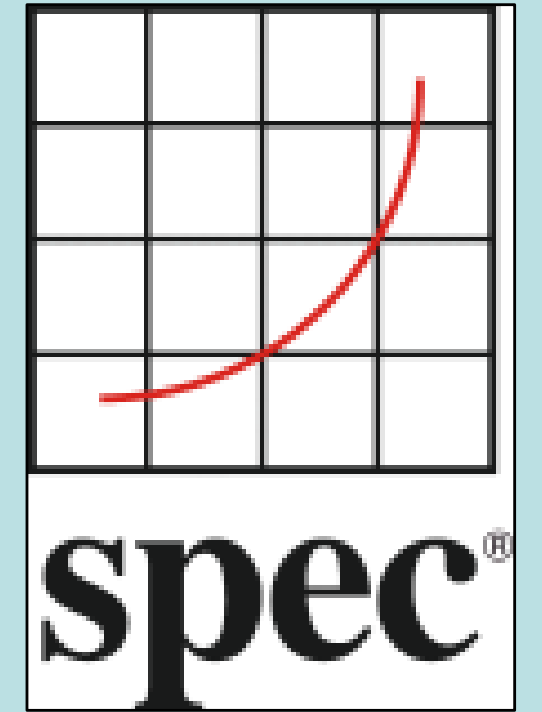


# Driving Energy Efficiency

## SPECpower\_ssj2008

Developed by the Power Subcommittee

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### Driving Server Energy Efficiency

- 3x energy efficiency gain since release (Q4-07)
- 698 -> 2098 overall ssj\_ops/watt

### Game Changing

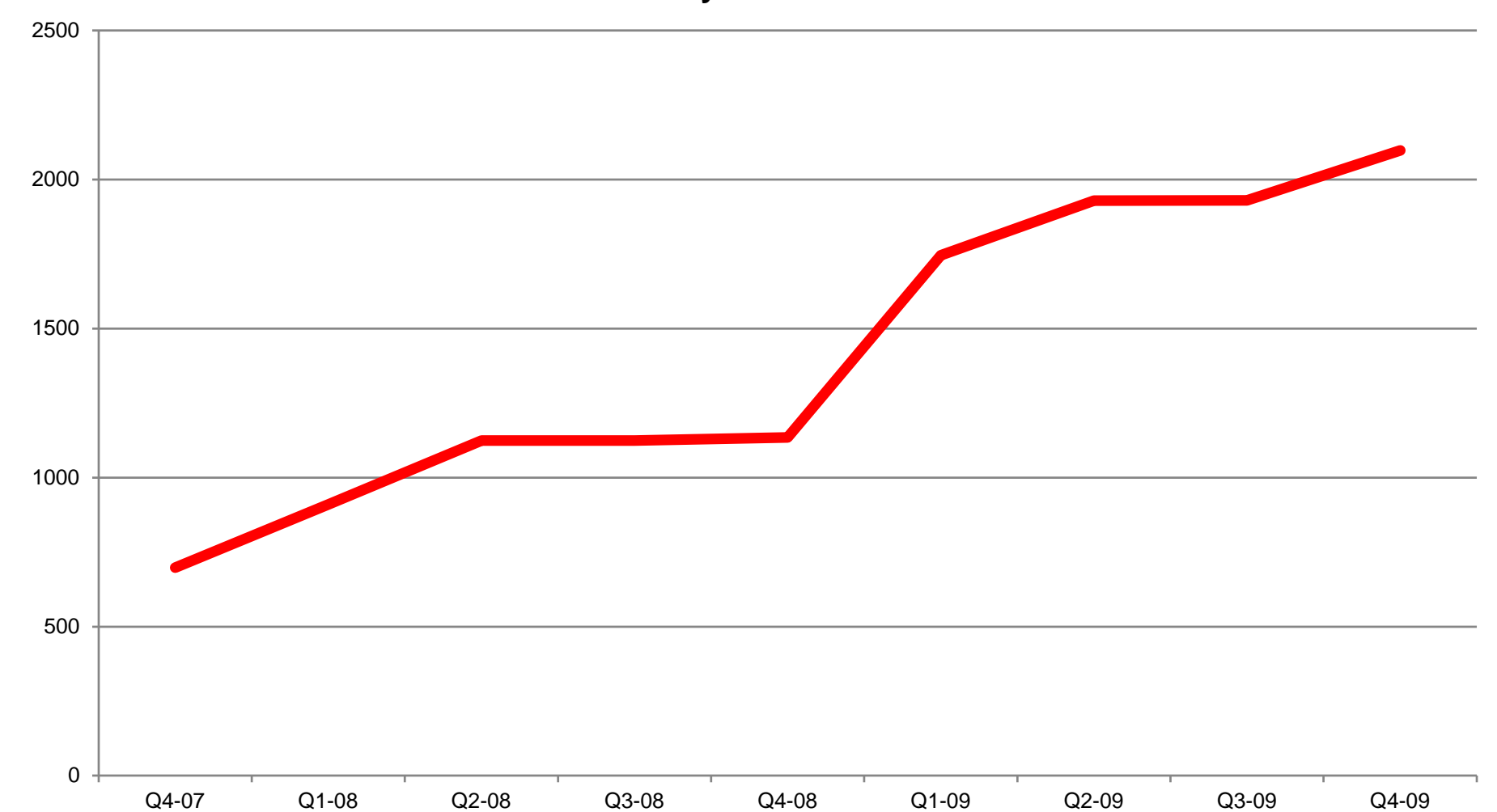
- 1<sup>st</sup> industry standard benchmark to measure the power and performance characteristics of volume server-class compute-equipment

### Flexible

- Supports single node and multi-node servers

### Increasing Server Efficiency

Max Overall Ratio (ssj\_ops/watt) for Single Node Servers by Quarter

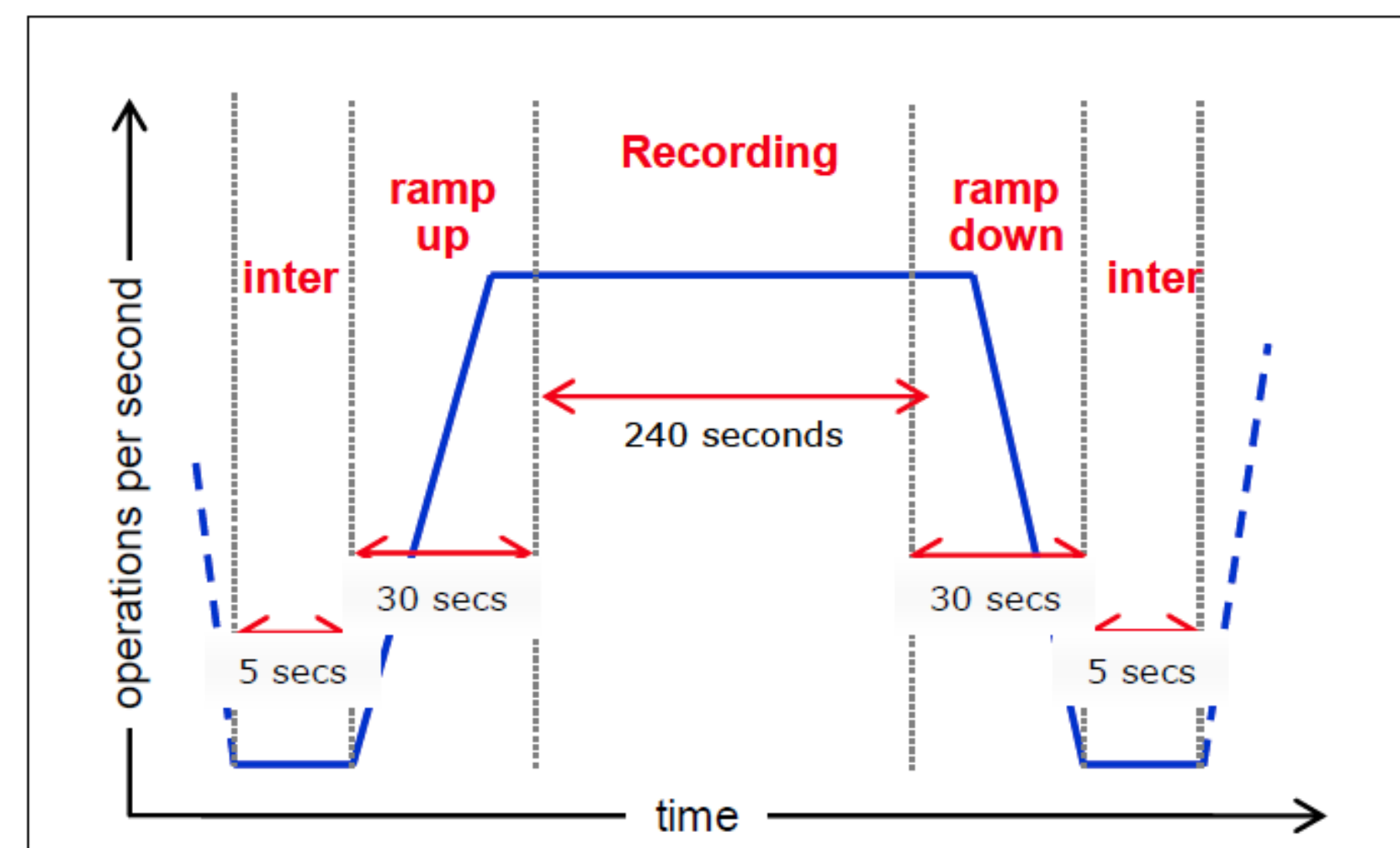
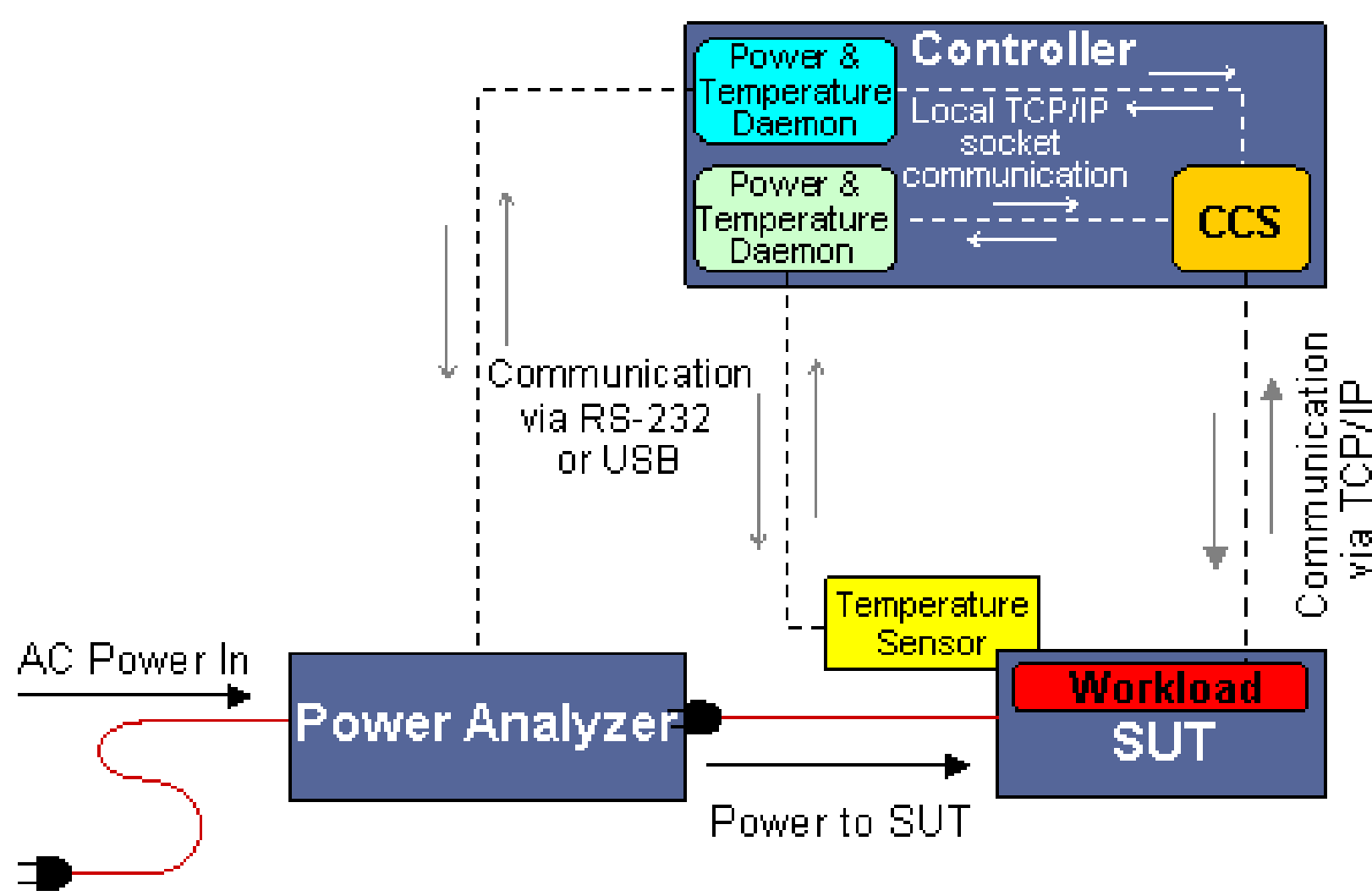
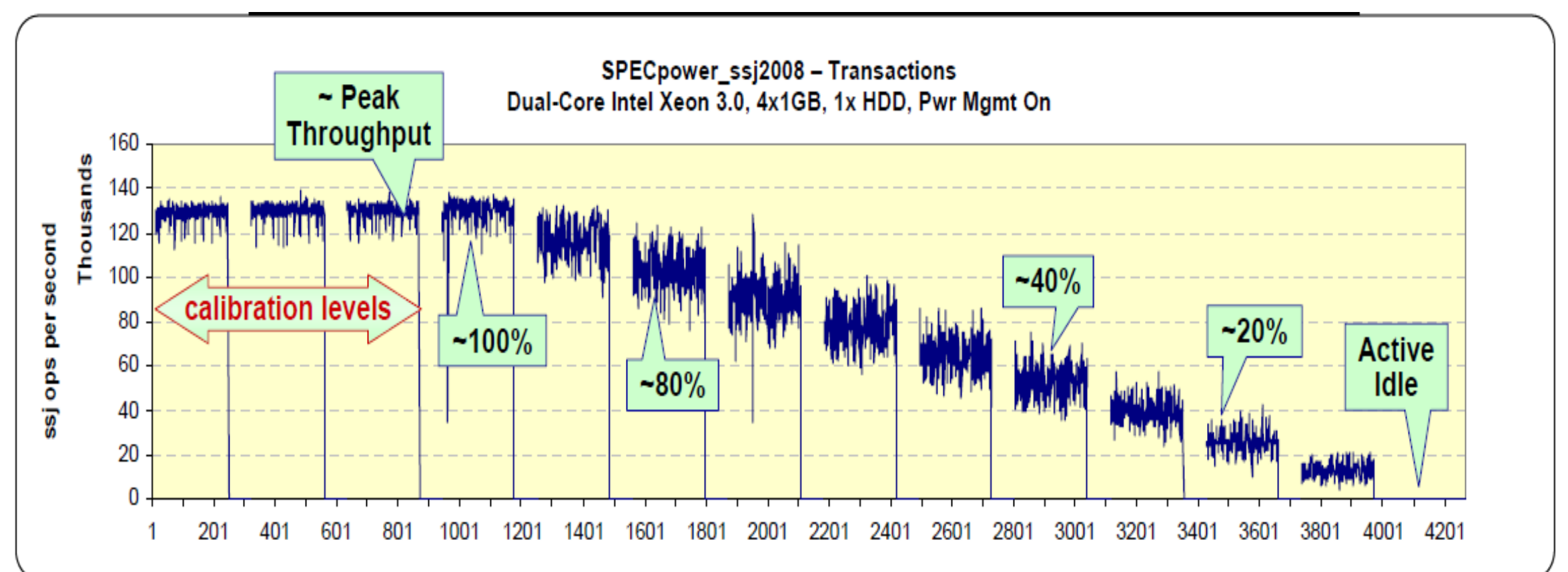


### Benchmark design

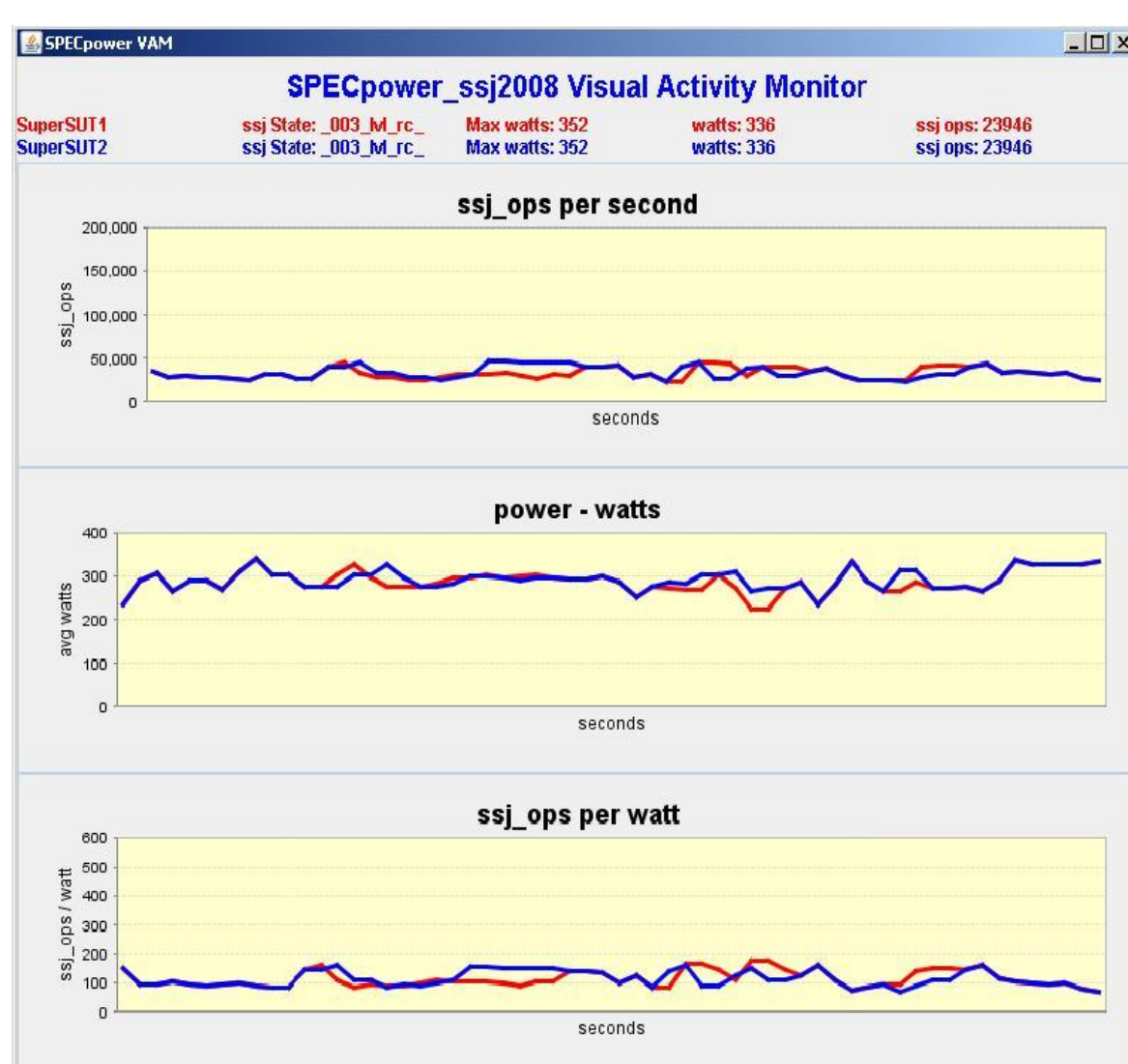
- Java based transactions
- Multiple load levels / measurement intervals
- Idle plus 10% increments (10% -100%)

### Implementation

- Measures AC power for entire server
- Automated power measurement harness
- Standardized reporting and publication process



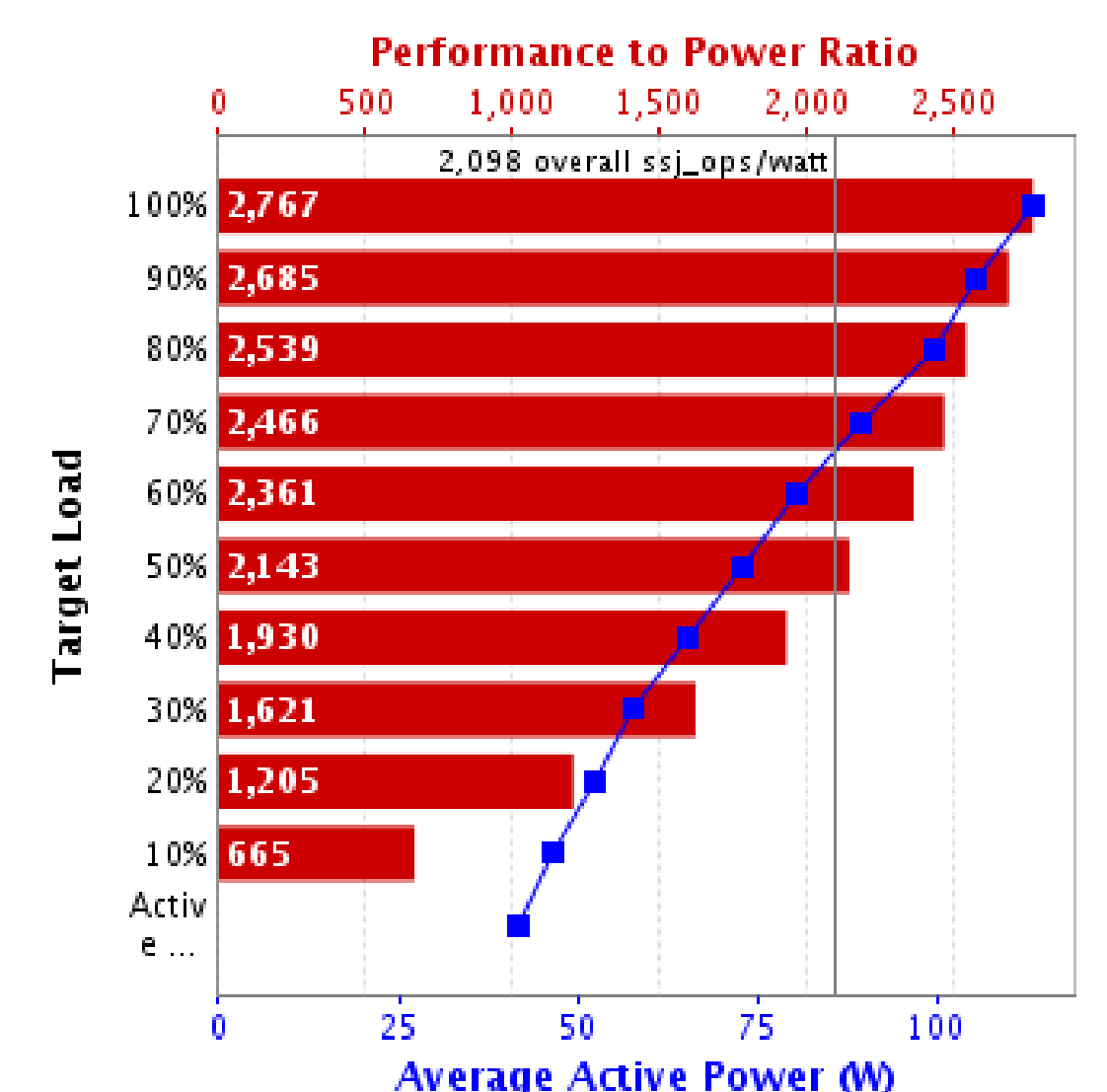
### Usage & Reporting Examples



Visual Activity Monitor

Target Load	Actual Load	ssj_ops	Average Active Power (W)	Performance to Power Ratio	
100%	99.6%	313,804	113	2,767	
90%	89.9%	283,126	105	2,685	
80%	80.3%	252,911	99.6	2,539	
70%	70.1%	220,822	89.5	2,466	
60%	60.5%	190,454	80.7	2,361	
50%	49.7%	156,517	73.0	2,143	
40%	40.0%	126,143	65.4	1,930	
30%	29.8%	93,818	57.9	1,621	
20%	20.0%	62,958	52.3	1,205	
10%	9.8%	31,024	46.7	665	
Active Idle		0	41.6	0	
				$\Sigma \text{ssj\_ops} / \Sigma \text{power} =$	2,098

Performance / Power Results Table



Results Graph