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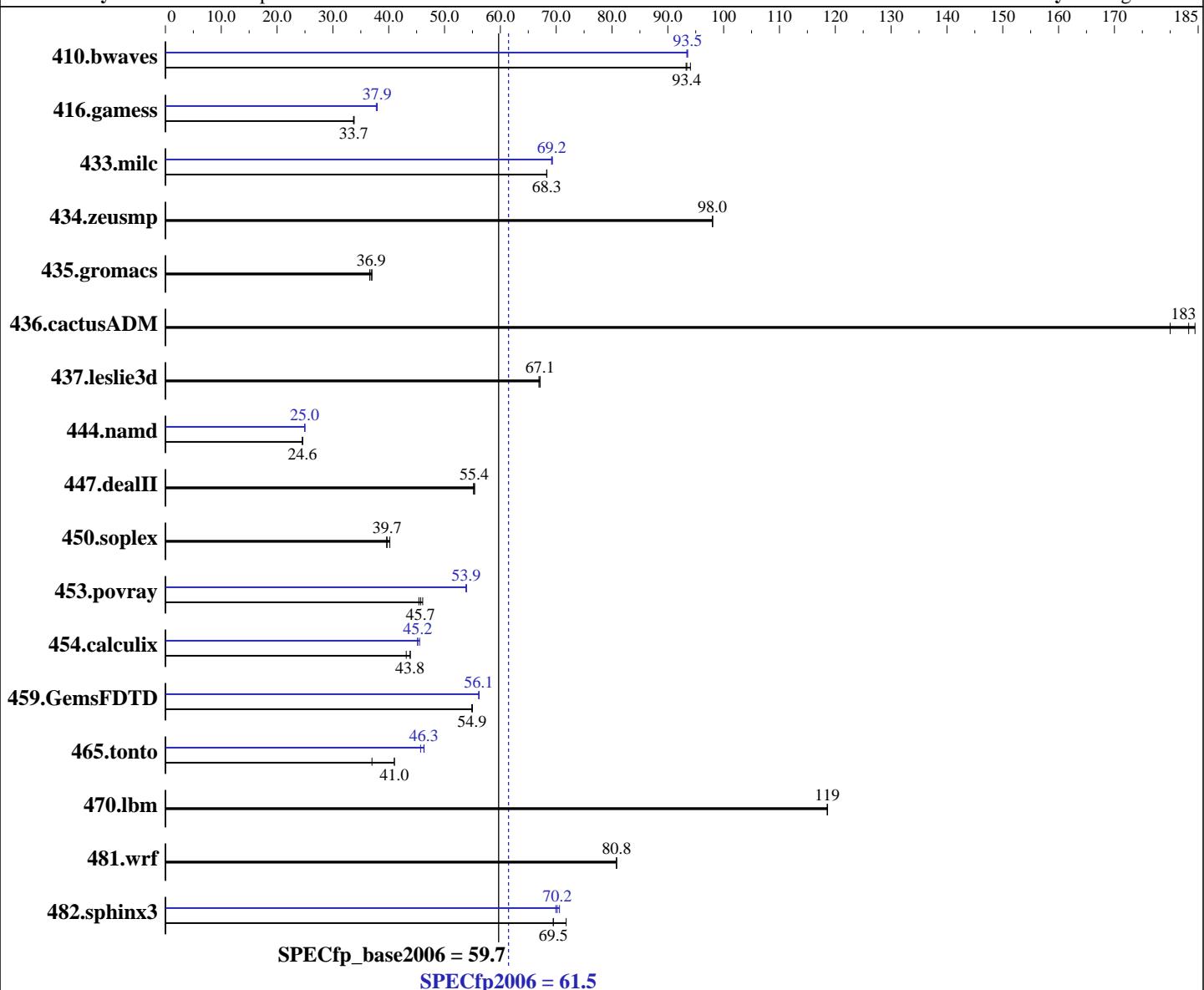
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## Hardware

CPU Name: Intel Xeon E3-1230  
CPU Characteristics: Intel Turbo Boost Technology up to 3.60 GHz  
CPU MHz: 3200  
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

## Software

Operating System: Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server Release 6.1, Kernel 2.6.32-131.0.15.el6.x86\_64  
Compiler: C/C++/Fortran: Version 12.1.0.225 of Intel Compiler XE Build 20110803  
Auto Parallel:  
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	94.0	146	93.3	<b>146</b>	<b>93.4</b>	146	93.4	<b>145</b>	<b>93.5</b>	145	93.5
416.gamess	581	33.7	579	33.8	<b>580</b>	<b>33.7</b>	<b>516</b>	<b>37.9</b>	516	38.0	518	37.8
433.milc	134	68.3	<b>134</b>	<b>68.3</b>	134	68.3	<b>133</b>	69.2	<b>133</b>	<b>69.2</b>	132	69.3
434.zeusmp	92.8	98.0	92.8	98.0	<b>92.8</b>	<b>98.0</b>	92.8	98.0	92.8	98.0	<b>92.8</b>	<b>98.0</b>
435.gromacs	<b>194</b>	<b>36.9</b>	195	36.6	193	37.0	<b>194</b>	<b>36.9</b>	195	36.6	193	37.0
436.cactusADM	64.8	184	66.4	180	<b>65.2</b>	<b>183</b>	64.8	184	66.4	180	<b>65.2</b>	<b>183</b>
437.leslie3d	140	67.1	<b>140</b>	<b>67.1</b>	141	66.9	<b>140</b>	67.1	<b>140</b>	<b>67.1</b>	141	66.9
444.namd	327	24.6	327	24.6	<b>327</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>25.0</b>	321	25.0	321	25.0
447.dealII	207	55.4	<b>207</b>	<b>55.4</b>	207	55.2	<b>207</b>	55.4	<b>207</b>	<b>55.4</b>	207	55.2
450.soplex	207	40.2	<b>210</b>	<b>39.7</b>	210	39.6	<b>207</b>	40.2	<b>210</b>	<b>39.7</b>	210	39.6
453.povray	117	45.4	<b>116</b>	<b>45.7</b>	115	46.1	<b>98.8</b>	53.8	<b>98.7</b>	<b>53.9</b>	98.6	53.9
454.calculix	188	43.9	<b>188</b>	<b>43.8</b>	191	43.1	<b>183</b>	<b>45.2</b>	183	45.2	181	45.5
459.GemsFDTD	<b>193</b>	<b>54.9</b>	193	55.0	193	54.9	<b>189</b>	56.1	189	56.2	<b>189</b>	<b>56.1</b>
465.tonto	266	37.0	<b>240</b>	<b>41.0</b>	240	41.0	<b>215</b>	45.7	<b>212</b>	46.3	<b>213</b>	<b>46.3</b>
470.lbm	116	119	<b>116</b>	<b>119</b>	116	119	<b>116</b>	119	<b>116</b>	<b>119</b>	116	119
481.wrf	138	80.8	<b>138</b>	<b>80.8</b>	138	80.8	<b>138</b>	80.8	<b>138</b>	<b>80.8</b>	138	80.8
482.sphinx3	280	69.5	271	71.8	<b>280</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>279</b>	69.9	<b>278</b>	<b>70.2</b>	276	70.6

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

## Platform Notes

### BIOS Settings:

Turbo Mode enabled in BIOS  
C-State enabled in BIOS

## General Notes

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)

Transparent Huge Pages enabled with:

```
echo always > /sys/kernel/mm/redhat_transparent_hugepage/enable
```

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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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) -unroll14 -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) -unroll12  
-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) -unroll12  
-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 -unroll14

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

The flags files that were used to format this result can be browsed at

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

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

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