



## Linpack HPL performance on Intel- and AMD-processor-based servers running Red Hat Enterprise Linux v.4.4

### Executive summary

Intel Corporation (Intel) commissioned Principled Technologies (PT) to measure the LINPACK HPL performance of dual-processor servers using the following systems running Red Hat Enterprise Linux v.4.4:

- Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SE
- Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355

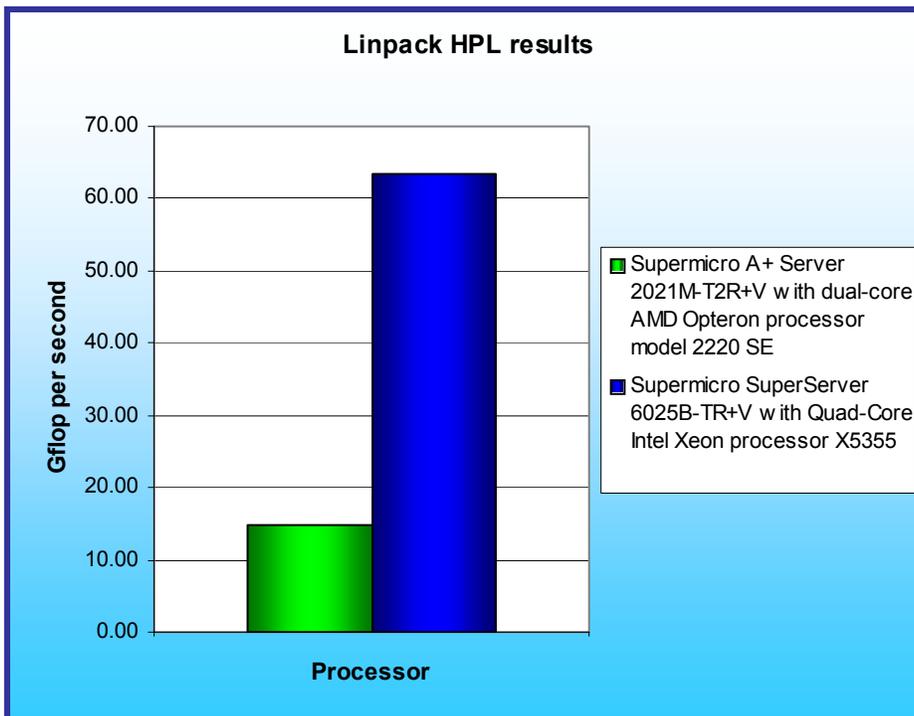
### KEY FINDINGS

- The Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s delivered 227 percent higher peak performance on the Linpack WR00C2C4 test than the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs (see Figure 1).

In this section, we discuss the best results for each server. For complete details of the performance of each benchmark for each server, see the Test results section.

Linpack HPL produces performance results as the number of billions of floating point operations per second (Gigaflops per second, or Gflops per second, or Gflops/s).

Figure 1 shows the Linpack Benchmark results, in Gflops/s, of a sample test WR00C2C4 (one of the 18 Linpack benchmarks we ran) for the test servers. To obtain the median results, we performed three runs with each server and selected the benchmark on which the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs produced its highest score. That benchmark was WR00C2C4. We then took the median result from the three runs of that benchmark for both servers. A higher Linpack score is better, because it indicates that the server is faster at floating point operations.



The Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s produced the higher results, 63.47 Gflops/s, while the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs achieved 19.41 Gflops/s. The Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s thus delivered a 227 percent performance increase over the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs.

Figure 1: Linpack HPL results, in Gflops per second of a sample test WR00C2C4 for the test servers. Higher numbers of Gflops per second are better.

Figure 2 shows the complete median Linpack HPL run results, in Gflops/s, for each of the 18 benchmarks we ran on both servers.

| Test name | Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SE | Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355 |
|-----------|---|---|
| WR00L2L2  | 19.35   | 63.47   |
| WR00L2L4  | 19.50   | 63.53   |
| WR00L2C2  | 19.45   | 63.42   |
| WR00L2C4  | 19.42   | 63.52   |
| WR00L2R2  | 19.43   | 63.45   |
| WR00L2R4  | 19.28   | 63.55   |
| WR00C2L2  | 19.35   | 63.30   |
| WR00C2L4  | 19.49   | 63.49   |
| WR00C2C2  | 19.44   | 63.33   |
| WR00C2C4  | 19.41   | 63.47   |
| WR00C2R2  | 19.50   | 63.55   |
| WR00C2R4  | 19.49   | 63.59   |
| WR00R2L2  | 19.43   | 63.43   |
| WR00R2L4  | 19.42   | 63.45   |
| WR00R2C2  | 19.41   | 63.39   |
| WR00R2C4  | 19.39   | 63.57   |
| WR00R2R2  | 19.48   | 63.53   |
| WR00R2R4  | 19.51   | 63.57   |

Figure 2: Median Linpack HPL run results of all 18 benchmarks, in Gflops per second, for each server. Higher numbers are better.

## Workload

The Linpack benchmark is an industry-standard benchmark created in 1979 by Jack Dongarra. The Linpack benchmark solves linear equations and uses the speed of the system under test at that task as a measure of the system's floating-point performance. Linpack reports its results in billions of floating point operations per second, or Gflops/s.

We used the HPL version of the Linpack Benchmark. HPL is a portable implementation of the High Performance Computing Linpack benchmark that generates, solves, checks, and times the solution process of a random dense linear system of equations. The HPL software package uses 64-bit floating point arithmetic and portable routines for linear algebra operations and message passing. The HPL code offers the advantage of allowing testers to select from among multiple factorization algorithms.

## Test results

Figure 3 shows the Linpack HPL results for the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs for all three runs. Run 2 produced the median results.

| Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SE |       |       |       |
|---|-------|-------|-------|
| Test name   | Run 1 | Run 2 | Run 3 |
| WR00L2L2  | 19.24 | 19.35 | 19.29 |
| WR00L2L4  | 19.37 | 19.50 | 19.46 |
| WR00L2C2  | 19.53 | 19.45 | 19.37 |
| WR00L2C4  | 19.49 | 19.42 | 19.40 |
| WR00L2R2  | 19.44 | 19.43 | 19.44 |
| WR00L2R4  | 19.48 | 19.28 | 19.40 |
| WR00C2L2  | 19.42 | 19.35 | 19.36 |
| WR00C2L4  | 19.49 | 19.49 | 19.51 |
| WR00C2C2  | 19.44 | 19.44 | 19.45 |
| WR00C2C4  | 19.53 | 19.41 | 19.38 |
| WR00C2R2  | 19.41 | 19.50 | 19.41 |
| WR00C2R4  | 19.49 | 19.49 | 19.30 |
| WR00R2L2  | 19.47 | 19.43 | 19.38 |
| WR00R2L4  | 19.39 | 19.42 | 19.35 |
| WR00R2C2  | 19.39 | 19.41 | 19.44 |
| WR00R2C4  | 19.47 | 19.39 | 19.48 |
| WR00R2R2  | 19.37 | 19.48 | 19.38 |
| WR00R2R4  | 19.45 | 19.51 | 19.41 |

Figure 3: Linpack HPL benchmark results, in Gflops per second, for the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs. Higher numbers are better.

Figure 4 shows the Linpack HPL results for the Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s for all three runs. Run 3 produced the median results.

| <b>Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355</b> |              |              |              |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Test name</b>   | <b>Run 1</b> | <b>Run 2</b> | <b>Run 3</b> |
| WR00L2L2   | 63.52        | 62.92        | 63.47        |
| WR00L2L4   | 63.81        | 63.37        | 63.53        |
| WR00L2C2   | 63.47        | 63.14        | 63.42        |
| WR00L2C4   | 63.90        | 63.45        | 63.52        |
| WR00L2R2   | 63.76        | 63.17        | 63.45        |
| WR00L2R4   | 63.83        | 63.40        | 63.55        |
| WR00C2L2   | 63.67        | 63.16        | 63.30        |
| WR00C2L4   | 63.69        | 63.29        | 63.49        |
| WR00C2C2   | 63.66        | 63.01        | 63.33        |
| WR00C2C4   | 63.69        | 63.07        | 63.47        |
| WR00C2R2   | 63.93        | 63.28        | 63.55        |
| WR00C2R4   | 63.83        | 63.32        | 63.59        |
| WR00R2L2   | 63.65        | 62.98        | 63.43        |
| WR00R2L4   | 63.70        | 63.14        | 63.45        |
| WR00R2C2   | 63.61        | 63.07        | 63.39        |
| WR00R2C4   | 63.86        | 63.21        | 63.57        |
| WR00R2R2   | 63.63        | 62.93        | 63.53        |
| WR00R2R4   | 63.74        | 63.31        | 63.57        |

Figure 4: Linpack HPL benchmark results, in Gflops per second, for the Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s. Higher numbers are better.

## Test methodology

Figure 5 summarizes some key aspects of the configurations of the server systems; Appendix A provides detailed configuration information.

| <b>Server</b>                         | <b>Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs</b> | <b>Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s</b> |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| Processor frequency (GHz)             | 2.8 GHz   | 2.66 GHz  |
| System bus                            | 2000 MHz HyperTransport   | 1333 MHz  |
| Number of processor packages          | 2   | 2   |
| Number of cores per processor package | 2   | 4   |
| Number of hardware threads per core   | 1   | 1   |
| Motherboard                           | Super H8DME-2   | Supermicro X7DBE+   |
| Chipset                               | NVIDIA MCP55 Pro  | Intel 5000P Chipset   |
| RAM (8GB in each)                     | PC2-5300  | PC2-5300 FBDIMM   |
| Hard Drive                            | Western Digital WD740ADFD<br>74 GB 10,000 RPM   | Western Digital WD740ADFD<br>74 GB 10,000 RPM   |
| NICs                                  | NVIDIA MCP55 Pro Chipset<br>Dual-Port Ethernet Controller                                       | Intel PRO/1000 EB Network<br>Dual Port Network Connection                               |

Figure 5: Summary of some key aspects of the server configurations.

Intel configured and provided both servers.

With the following exceptions, we used the default BIOS settings on each server: on the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs, we changed the OS installation option to Linux.

We began by installing a fresh copy of Red Hat Enterprise Linux v.4.4 on both servers. We installed each system with the default operating system (OS) installation options.

## Linpack configuration

We used the following three software components for this test:

- MVAPICH2-0.9.8 (source: <http://nowlab.cse.ohio-state.edu/projects/mpi-iba/>)
- GotoBLAS (source: <http://www.tacc.utexas.edu/resources/software/>)
- HPL (source: <http://www.netlib.org/benchmark/hpl/>)

For both servers and all software components, we compiled the components from source. We accepted the default file system layout for both the Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s and the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs. We then created our work directory under the root directory on each server. To simplify the description below, we will refer to the working directory as \$HPL\_HOME.

To build MVAPICH2, we did the following:

1. Unpack the MVAPICH2-0.9.8.tar.gz archive in \$HPL\_HOME. This step creates the mvaich2-0.9.8 directory.
2. Type "cd to \$HPL\_HOME/mvapich2-0.9.8".
3. Type "./make.mvapich2.tcp". (Note that the two test systems did not have host channel adaptors, which is why we built the program on TCP.)
4. Create the ".mpd.password" and ".mod.conf" files as the MVAPICH documentation specifies.
5. Put a single entry in the mpd.hosts file, "localhost".
6. Create a setup.sh script to set the PATH environment variable to include "\$HPL\_HOME/mvapich2-0.9.8/bin".
7. Verify MVAPICH2-0.9.8 is working by typing the following commands:
  - ./setup.sh (Note the necessary space after the first dot.)
  - mpd & (launches the mp daemon)
  - mpdtrace (will show you the systems it's running on)
  - mpdallexit (kills the daemon)

To build GotoBLAS, we did the following:

1. Unpack the GotoBLAS-1.10.tar.gz archive in \$HPL\_HOME. This creates the GotoBLAS directory.
2. Type "cd to \$HPL\_HOME /GotoBLAS".
3. Edit the Makefile.rule file and make the following changes:
  - BINARY64=1
  - SMP=1
  - MAX\_THREADS=# of cores – 8 for the Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s server and 4 for the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs. (The maximum number of threads reflects the number of available execution units on each system.)
4. Run "./quickbuild.64bit".
5. Copy the "libgoto\_<arch>-r1-.10.a" file to \$HPL\_HOME. On the Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V Red Hat system, this file's name will be "libgoto\_core2p-r1-.10.a". On the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V system, the file name will be "libgoto\_opteronp-r1-.10.a".

To build HPL, we did following:

1. Unpack the hpl.gz archive in \$HPL\_HOME/mvapich2-0.9.8. This step creates the hpl directory.
2. Type "cd to \$HPL\_HOME/mvapich2-0.9.8/hpl".

3. Edit the Makefile and set arch to "em64t" (for the Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s server) or "opt64" (for the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs).
4. Create the Make.em64t or Make.opt64 file, as appropriate for the system (see Appendix B).
5. Type "make".
6. After you install the benchmark, use the HPL.dat file in Appendix B.

To run HPL, we did the following:

1. Type "cd to /\$HPL\_HOME/mvapich2-0.9.8".
2. Type ". ./setup.sh ". (Note the necessary space after the first dot.)
3. Type "mpd &" to start the mpi daemon.
4. Type "cd hpl/bin/em64t" (for the Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s server) or "cd hpl/bin/opt64" (for the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs).
5. Type "mpirun -n 2 ./xhpl".
6. By default, the output goes to the screen. Either redirect the output to a file to save it or copy it from the console window after the test.

## Appendix A – Test server configuration information

This appendix provides detailed configuration information about each of the test server systems, which we list in alphabetical order.

| Systems                                       | Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs | Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s |
|---|--|--|
| <b>General processor setup</b>                |  |  |
| Number of processor packages                  | 2  | 2  |
| Number of cores per processor package         | 2  | 4  |
| Number of hardware threads per core           | 1  | 1  |
| <b>CPU</b>                                    |  |  |
| Vendor  | AMD  | Intel  |
| Name  | dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SE  | Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355   |
| Stepping                                      | 2  | 7  |
| Socket type                                   | F  | LGA 771  |
| Core frequency (GHz)                          | 2.8 GHz  | 2.66 GHz   |
| Front-side bus frequency (MHz)                | 2000 MHz HyperTransport  | 1333 MHz   |
| L1 Cache                                      | 64 KB + 64 KB (per core)   | 32 KB + 32 KB (per core)   |
| L2 Cache                                      | 2 x 1 MB   | 2 x 4MB (each 4MB shared by 2 cores)   |
| <b>Platform</b>                               |  |  |
| Vendor and model number                       | dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SE-based server                               | Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355-based server                                |
| Motherboard model number                      | Super H8DME-2  | Supermicro X7DBE+  |
| Motherboard chipset                           | NVIDIA MCP55 Pro   | Intel 5000P Chipset  |
| Motherboard revision number                   | A2   | 92   |
| Motherboard serial number                     | Q5785G16010104   | TM66S06520   |
| BIOS name and version                         | American Megatrends Inc. AMIBIOS 08.00.14 11/28/06                                       | Phoenix BIOS DB8A026 Rev 1.1c  |
| BIOS settings                                 | OS installation Linux  | Default  |
| <b>Memory module(s)</b>                       |  |  |
| Vendor and model number                       | Hynix HYMP525P72BP4-Y5   | Kingston KVR667D2D4F5/2G   |
| Type  | PC-5300  | PC2-5300 FBDIMM  |
| Speed (MHz)                                   | 667 MHz  | 667 MHz  |
| Speed in the system currently running @ (MHz) | 667 MHz  | 667 MHz  |
| Timing/Latency (tCL-tRCD-iRP-tRASmin)         | 5-5-5-15   | 5-5-5-15   |
| Size  | 8186 MB  | 8196 MB  |
| Number of RAM modules                         | 4  | 4  |
| Chip organization                             | Double-Sided   | Double-Sided   |
| <b>Hard disk</b>                              |  |  |
| Vendor and model number                       | Western Digital Raptor WD740ADFD   | Western Digital Raptor WD740ADFD   |
| Number of disks in system                     | 1  | 1  |
| Size  | 74 GB  | 74 GB  |

|                               |  |  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|
| Buffer Size                   | 8 MB   | 8 MB   |
| RPM                           | 10,000   | 10,000   |
| Type                          | SATA   | SATA   |
| Controller                    | NVIDIA MCP55 Pro SATA2 Controller                      | Intel 3100 Chipset SATA Controller                     |
| Controller driver             | sata_nv  | Ata_piix   |
| <b>Operating system</b>       |  |  |
| Name                          | Red Hat Enterprise Linux 4 Advanced Server             | Red Hat Enterprise Linux 4 Advanced Server             |
| Build number                  | v.4.4  | v.4.4  |
| File system                   | Ext3   | Ext3   |
| Kernel                        | 2.6.9-42.ELsmp   | 2.6.9-42.ELsmp   |
| Language                      | English  | English  |
| <b>Graphics</b>               |  |  |
| Vendor and model number       | ATI ES1000   | ATI ES1000   |
| Chipset                       | ATI ES1000 PCI   | ATI ES1000 PCI   |
| Type                          | Integrated   | Integrated   |
| Resolution                    | 1024 x 768   | 1024 x 768   |
| Driver                        | ATI ES1000   | ATI ES1000   |
| <b>Network card/subsystem</b> |  |  |
| Vendor and model number       | NVIDIA MCP55 Pro Chipset Dual-Port Ethernet Controller | Intel PRO/1000 EB Network Dual Port Network Connection |
| Type                          | Integrated   | Integrated   |
| Driver                        | eth0   | eth0   |
| <b>Optical drive</b>          |  |  |
| Vendor and model number       | Matshita DVD-ROM SR-8178                               | Matshita DVD-ROM SR-8178                               |
| Type                          | DVD-ROM  | CD/DVD   |
| Interface                     | Internal   | Internal   |
| Dual/Single layer             | Single   | Single   |
| <b>USB ports</b>              |  |  |
| Number                        | 4  | 4  |
| Type                          | USB 2.0  | USB 2.0  |

Figure 6: Detailed system configuration information for the test servers.

## Appendix B – Linpack HPL configuration files

This appendix contains the benchmark configuration files we used to test the servers.

**Makefile.em64t:** Configuration file for the Supermicro SuperServer 6025B-TR+V with two Quad-Core Intel Xeon processor X5355s

```
#
# -- High Performance Computing Linpack Benchmark (HPL)
# HPL - 1.0a - January 20, 2004
# Antoine P. Petitet
# University of Tennessee, Knoxville
# Innovative Computing Laboratories
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# OF THIS SOFTWARE, EVEN IF ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGE.
#####
#
# -----
# - shell -----
# -----
#
SHELL      = /bin/sh
#
CD         = cd
CP         = cp
LN_S      = ln -s
MKDIR     = mkdir
RM        = /bin/rm -f
TOUCH     = touch
#
# -----
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# - Platform identifier -----
#
#
ARCH      = em64t
#
# -----
# - HPL Directory Structure / HPL library -----
#
#
#TOPdir   = $(HOME)/mvapich/hpl
TOPdir    = /hpl_stuff/mvapich2-0.9.8/hpl
INCdir    = $(TOPdir)/include
BINDir    = $(TOPdir)/bin/$(ARCH)
LIBdir    = $(TOPdir)/lib/$(ARCH)
#
HPLlib    = $(LIBdir)/libhpl.a
#
# -----
# - Message Passing library (MPI) -----
#
# MPinc tells the C compiler where to find the Message Passing library
# header files, MPlib is defined to be the name of the library to be
# used. The variable MPdir is only used for defining MPinc and MPlib.
#
#MPdir    = /opt/mvapich-0.9.7-1/gnu
MPdir     = /hpl_stuff/mvapich2-0.9.8
MPinc     = -I$(MPdir)/include
MPlib     = -L$(MPdir)/lib $(MPdir)/lib/libmpich.a
#
# -----
# - Linear Algebra library (BLAS or VSIBL) -----
#
# LAinc tells the C compiler where to find the Linear Algebra library
# header files, LAlib is defined to be the name of the library to be
# used. The variable LAdir is only used for defining LAinc and LAlib.
#
LAdir     = /hpl_stuff/mvapich2-0.9.8/hpl
LAinc     =
#LAlib    = $(LAdir)/libgoto_core2p-r1.03.a
#LAlib    = $(LAdir)/libgoto_opt64-r0.94-2.so
LAlib     = $(LAdir)/libgoto_core2p-r1.10.a
###
#
# -----
# - F77 / C interface -----
#
# You can skip this section if and only if you are not planning to use
# a BLAS library featuring a Fortran 77 interface. Otherwise, it is
# necessary to fill out the F2CDEFS variable with the appropriate
# options. **One and only one** option should be chosen in **each** of
# the 3 following categories:
#
# 1) name space (How C calls a Fortran 77 routine)
#
# -DAdd_      : all lower case and a suffixed underscore (Suns,
#               Intel, ...), [default]
# -DNoChange  : all lower case (IBM RS6000),
# -DUpCase    : all upper case (Cray),
# -DAdd__     : the FORTRAN compiler in use is f2c.
#
# 2) C and Fortran 77 integer mapping
#
# -DF77_INTEGER=int : Fortran 77 INTEGER is a C int, [default]
# -DF77_INTEGER=long : Fortran 77 INTEGER is a C long,
# -DF77_INTEGER=short : Fortran 77 INTEGER is a C short.
#
# 3) Fortran 77 string handling
#
# -DStringSunStyle : The string address is passed at the string loca-
#                   tion on the stack, and the string length is then

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#           passed as an F77_INTEGER after all explicit
#           stack arguments,           [default]
# -DStringStructPtr : The address of a structure is passed by a
#           Fortran 77 string, and the structure is of the
#           form: struct {char *cp; F77_INTEGER len;},
# -DStringStructVal : A structure is passed by value for each Fortran
#           77 string, and the structure is of the form:
#           struct {char *cp; F77_INTEGER len;},
# -DStringCrayStyle : Special option for Cray machines, which uses
#           Cray fcd (fortran character descriptor) for
#           interoperation.
#
F2CDEFS    = -DF77_INTEGER=int
#
# -----
# - HPL includes / libraries / specifics -----
# -----
#
HPL_INCLUDES = -I$(INCdir) -I$(INCdir)/$(ARCH) $(LAinc) $(MPinc)
HPL_LIBS     = $(HPLlib) $(LAlib) $(MPLib) /hpl_stuff/mvapich2-0.9.8/hpl/src/xerbla.o
#
# - Compile time options -----
#
# -DHPL_COPY_L      force the copy of the panel L before bcast;
# -DHPL_CALL_CBLAS  call the cblas interface;
# -DHPL_CALL_VSIPL  call the vsipl library;
# -DHPL_DETAILED_TIMING enable detailed timers;
#
# By default HPL will:
# *) not copy L before broadcast,
# *) call the BLAS Fortran 77 interface,
# *) not display detailed timing information.
#
#HPL_OPTS    = -DHPL_CALL_CBLAS
#
# -----
#
HPL_DEFS     = $(F2CDEFS) $(HPL_OPTS) $(HPL_INCLUDES)
#
# -----
# - Compilers / linkers - Optimization flags -----
# -----
#
#CC          = /usr/bin/gcc
CC           = $(MPdir)/bin/mpicc
CCNOOPT     = $(HPL_DEFS)
CCFLAGS     = $(HPL_DEFS) -fomit-frame-pointer -O3 -funroll-loops -Bstatic
#CCFLAGS    = $(HPL_DEFS) -g *** For debugging
#
# On some platforms, it is necessary to use the Fortran linker to find
# the Fortran internals used in the BLAS library.
#
#LINKER      = /usr/bin/g77
LINKER      = $(MPdir)/bin/mpicc
#LINKFLAGS   = $(CCFLAGS) -Bstatic
LINKFLAGS   = $(CCFLAGS) -lm -B static
#LINKFLAGS   = $(CCNOOPT) -lm ***For debugging
#
ARCHIVER     = ar
ARFLAGS     = r
RANLIB      = echo
#
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**Makefile.opt64:** Configuration file for the Supermicro A+ Server 2021M-T2R+V with two dual-core AMD Opteron processor model 2220 SEs

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# -- High Performance Computing Linpack Benchmark (HPL)
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# -----
# - shell -----
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#
SHELL      = /bin/sh
#
CD         = cd
CP         = cp
LN_S      = ln -s
MKDIR     = mkdir
RM        = /bin/rm -f
TOUCH     = touch
#
# -----
# - Platform identifier -----
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#
ARCH       = opt64
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# - HPL Directory Structure / HPL library -----
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#
#TOPdir   = $(HOME)/mvapich/hpl
TOPdir    = /export/home/hpl_stuff/mvapich2-0.9.8/hpl
INCdir    = $(TOPdir)/include
BINdir    = $(TOPdir)/bin/$(ARCH)
LIBdir    = $(TOPdir)/lib/$(ARCH)
#
HPLlib    = $(LIBdir)/libhpl.a
#
# -----
# - Message Passing library (MPI) -----
# -----
# MPinc tells the C compiler where to find the Message Passing library
# header files, MPlib is defined to be the name of the library to be
# used. The variable MPdir is only used for defining MPinc and MPlib.
#
#MPdir    = /opt/mvapich-0.9.7-1/gnu
MPdir     = /export/home/hpl_stuff/mvapich2-0.9.8
MPinc     = -I$(MPdir)/include
MPlib     = -L$(MPdir)/lib $(MPdir)/lib/libmpich.a
#
# -----
# - Linear Algebra library (BLAS or VSIBL) -----
# -----
# LAinc tells the C compiler where to find the Linear Algebra library
# header files, LAlib is defined to be the name of the library to be
# used. The variable LAdir is only used for defining LAinc and LAlib.
#
LAdir     = /export/home/hpl_stuff/mvapich2-0.9.8/hpl
LAinc     =
#LAlib    = $(LAdir)/libgoto_core2p-r1.03.a
#LAlib    = $(LAdir)/libgoto_opt64-r0.94-2.so
#LAlib    = $(LAdir)/libgoto_core2p-r1.10.a
LAlib     = $(LAdir)/libgoto_ptonr1.10.a
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# - F77 / C interface -----
# -----
# You can skip this section if and only if you are not planning to use
# a BLAS library featuring a Fortran 77 interface. Otherwise, it is
# necessary to fill out the F2CDEFS variable with the appropriate
# options. **One and only one** option should be chosen in **each** of
# the 3 following categories:
#
# 1) name space (How C calls a Fortran 77 routine)
#
# -DAdd_      : all lower case and a suffixed underscore (Suns,
#               Intel, ...), [default]
# -DNoChange  : all lower case (IBM RS6000),
# -DUpCase    : all upper case (Cray),
# -DAdd_      : the FORTRAN compiler in use is f2c.
#
# 2) C and Fortran 77 integer mapping
#
# -DF77_INTEGER=int : Fortran 77 INTEGER is a C int, [default]
# -DF77_INTEGER=long : Fortran 77 INTEGER is a C long,
# -DF77_INTEGER=short : Fortran 77 INTEGER is a C short.
#
# 3) Fortran 77 string handling
#
# -DStringSunStyle : The string address is passed at the string loca-
#                   tion on the stack, and the string length is then
#                   passed as an F77_INTEGER after all explicit
#                   stack arguments, [default]
# -DStringStructPtr : The address of a structure is passed by a
#                   Fortran 77 string, and the structure is of the

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#          form: struct {char *cp; F77_INTEGER len;},
# -DStringStructVal : A structure is passed by value for each Fortran
#          77 string, and the structure is of the form:
#          struct {char *cp; F77_INTEGER len;},
# -DStringCrayStyle : Special option for Cray machines, which uses
#          Cray fcd (fortran character descriptor) for
#          interoperation.
#
F2CDEFS   = -DF77_INTEGER=int
#
# -----
# - HPL includes / libraries / specifics -----
# -----
#
HPL_INCLUDES = -$(INCdir) -I$(INCdir)/$(ARCH) $(LAinc) $(MPinc)
#HPL_LIBS   = $(HPLlib) $(LAlib) $(MPLib) /export/home/hpl_stuff/mvapich2-0.9.8/hpl/src/xerbla.o
HPL_LIBS   = $(HPLlib) $(LAlib) $(MPLib)
#
# - Compile time options -----
#
# -DHPL_COPY_L      force the copy of the panel L before bcast;
# -DHPL_CALL_CBLAS  call the cblas interface;
# -DHPL_CALL_VSIPL  call the vsipl library;
# -DHPL_DETAILED_TIMING enable detailed timers;
#
# By default HPL will:
# *) not copy L before broadcast,
# *) call the BLAS Fortran 77 interface,
# *) not display detailed timing information.
#
#HPL_OPTS   = -DHPL_CALL_CBLAS
#
# -----
#
HPL_DEFS   = $(F2CDEFS) $(HPL_OPTS) $(HPL_INCLUDES)
#
# -----
# - Compilers / linkers - Optimization flags -----
# -----
#
#CC         = /usr/bin/gcc
CC          = $(MPdir)/bin/mpicc
CCNOOPT    = $(HPL_DEFS)
CCFLAGS    = $(HPL_DEFS) -fomit-frame-pointer -O3 -funroll-loops -Bstatic
#CCFLAGS    = $(HPL_DEFS) -g *** For debugging
#
# On some platforms, it is necessary to use the Fortran linker to find
# the Fortran internals used in the BLAS library.
#
#LINKER     = /usr/bin/g77
LINKER     = $(MPdir)/bin/mpicc
#LINKFLAGS  = $(CCFLAGS) -Bstatic
LINKFLAGS  = $(CCFLAGS) -lm -B static
#LINKFLAGS  = $(CCNOOPT) -lm ***For debugging
#
ARCHIVER    = ar
ARFLAGS    = r
RANLIB     = echo
#
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## HPL.dat file (same on both systems)

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HPLinpack benchmark input file
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HPL.out      output file name (if any)
6           device out (6=stdout,7=stderr,file)
1           # of problems sizes (N)
30000      Ns
1           # of NBs
256        NBs
0          PMAP process mapping (0=Row-,1=Column-major)
1          # of process grids (P x Q)
1          Ps
2          Qs
16.0       threshold
3          # of panel fact
0          PFACTs (0=left, 1=Crout, 2=Right)
2          # of recursive stopping criterium
2 4        NBMINs (>= 1)
1          # of panels in recursion
2          NDIVs
3          # of recursive panel fact.
0 1 2      RFACTs (0=left, 1=Crout, 2=Right)
1          # of broadcast
0          BCASTs (0=1rg,1=1rM,2=2rg,3=2rM,4=Lng,5=LnM)
1          # of lookahead depth
0          DEPTHS (>=0)
2          SWAP (0=bin-exch,1=long,2=mix)
64         swapping threshold
0          L1 in (0=transposed,1=no-transposed) form
0          U in (0=transposed,1=no-transposed) form
1          Equilibration (0=no,1=yes)
8          memory alignment in double (> 0)
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