## IBM posts SPEC CPU2006 scores for quad-core BladeCenter HS21 XM blade

November 20, 2007 ... IBM $®$ BladeCenter $®$ HS21 XM blade servers, coupled with the BladeCenter chassis, deliver advanced application serving with performance, power efficiency, and scalability, all of which makes them ideal for enterprise environments.

The HS21 XM blade server, using Intel's latest quad-core technology, has demonstrated competitive performance on the SPEC CPU2006 benchmark suite.

The scores in the following tables are the first SPEC CPU2006 results published for the HS21 XM blade model using the Quad-Core Intel® Xeon®® Processor E5450 (3.00GHz, 12MB L2 cache, 1333 MHz FSB). (1) These results were achieved using SUSE Linux® Enterprise Server $10 \times 64$.

| SPEC CPU2006 <br> Benchmark | HS21 XM - Quad-Core Intel Xeon Processor E5450 <br> $\mathbf{( 3 . 0 0 G H z , ~ 1 2 M B ~ L 2 ~ C a c h e , ~ 1 3 3 3 ~ M H z ~ F S B ) ~}$ |
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| SPECint2006 | 26.5 |
| SPECint_rate2006 | 129 |
| SPECint_rate_base2006 | 108 |
| SPECfp2006 | 23 |
| SPECfp_rate2006 | 74.9 |
| SPECfp_rate_base2006 | 68 |

Results are current as of November 20, 2007. The scores have been submitted to SPEC for review and will be posted on their Web site upon successful completion of the review. View all published results at www.spec.org.
(1) Planned availability in the United States for the HS21 XM model using the Quad-Core Intel Xeon Processor E5450 is December 14, 2007.

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