xSeries servers set the pace for ECperf performance

May 1, 2002 ... IBM's xSeries 360 server has achieved an ECperf performance score of 25,658.13 BBops[1]/min@Std, a measurement of workload, and $12/BBops/min@Std, the measurement of total cost of ownership (TCO) of the system under test. This performance result is second only to the xSeries 440 server's score of 32,581.47 BBops/min@Std. Both scores handily beat HP's performance result achieved using BEA WebLogic Server 7.0 and Oracle 8.1.7 (16,696.17 BBops/min@Std).

The system under test used the xSeries 360 as the database server running DB2 Workgroup Unlimited Edition 7.2 and Microsoft Windows 2000 Server. Seven xSeries 330s were used as the application servers, which ran WebSphere Application Server Advanced Edition, Version 4.0.3[2] and Red Hat Linux 7.2.

The HP posted result used the HP LT6000r U3 in a clustered configuration.

For a comprehensive list of ECperf results, visit: ecperf.theserverside.com.

About ECperf

ECperf is an Enterprise JavaBeans (EJB) benchmark meant to measure the scalability and performance of J2EE servers and containers.

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1) BBops is the measurement of business operations per minute.
2) WebSphere 4.0.3, along with all other components, is currently available.

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