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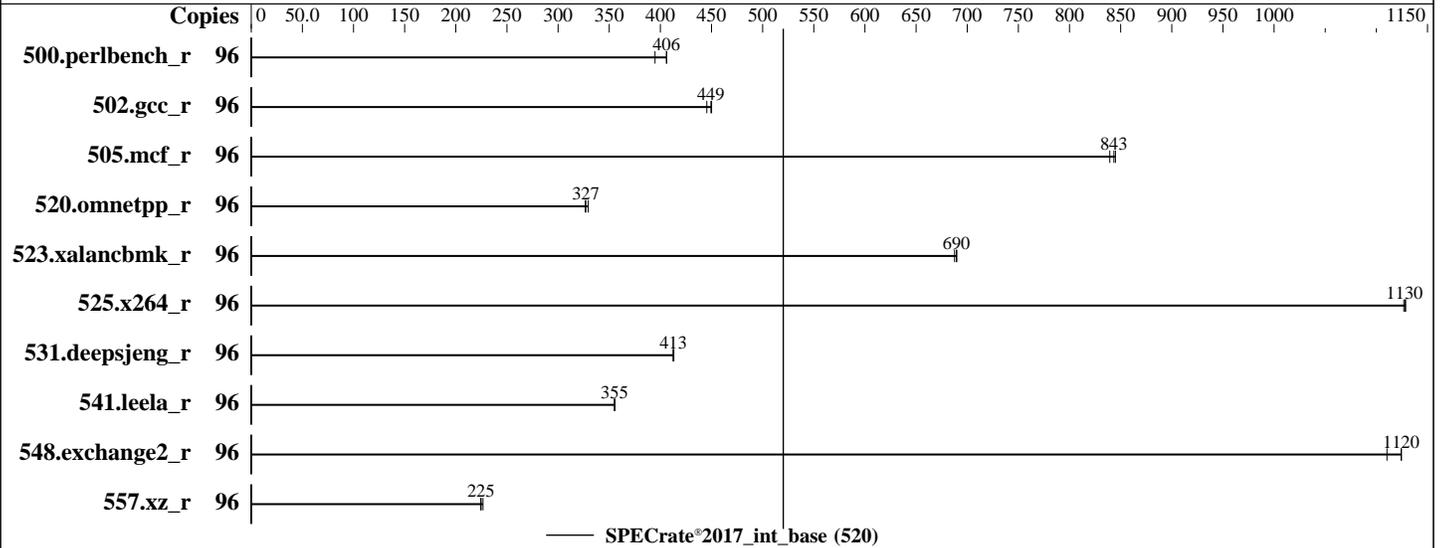
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### Hardware

CPU Name: Intel Xeon 6520P  
 Max MHz: 4000  
 Nominal: 2400  
 Enabled: 48 cores, 2 chips, 2 threads/core  
 Orderable: 1, 2 chips  
 Cache L1: 64 KB I + 48 KB D on chip per core  
 L2: 2 MB I+D on chip per core  
 L3: 144 MB I+D on chip per chip  
 Other: None  
 Memory: 1 TB (16 x 64 GB 2Rx4 PC5-6400B-R)  
 Storage: 1 x 222G GB SATA SSD  
 Other: CPU Cooling: Air

### Software

OS: SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP6  
 6.4.0-150600.21-default  
 Compiler: C/C++: Version 2024.1 of Intel oneAPI DPC++/C++ Compiler for Linux;  
 Fortran: Version 2024.1 of Intel Fortran Compiler for Linux;  
 Parallel: No  
 Firmware: Version 4.3.6b released Apr-2025  
 File System: btrfs  
 System State: Run level 3 (multi-user)  
 Base Pointers: 64-bit  
 Peak Pointers: Not Applicable  
 Other: None  
 Power Management: BIOS and OS set to prefer performance at the cost of additional power usage



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## Results Table

Benchmark	Base							Peak						
	Copies	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Copies	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio	Seconds	Ratio
500.perlbench_r	96	387	395	<b><u>376</u></b>	<b><u>406</u></b>	376	406							
502.gcc_r	96	302	450	<b><u>302</u></b>	<b><u>449</u></b>	305	445							
505.mcf_r	96	184	845	<b><u>184</u></b>	<b><u>843</u></b>	185	839							
520.omnetpp_r	96	<b><u>385</u></b>	<b><u>327</u></b>	386	327	382	329							
523.xalancbmk_r	96	147	688	<b><u>147</u></b>	<b><u>690</u></b>	147	690							
525.x264_r	96	<b><u>149</u></b>	<b><u>1130</u></b>	149	1130	149	1130							
531.deepsjeng_r	96	<b><u>267</u></b>	<b><u>413</u></b>	267	412	266	413							
541.leela_r	96	447	356	<b><u>448</u></b>	<b><u>355</u></b>	448	355							
548.exchange2_r	96	224	1120	<b><u>224</u></b>	<b><u>1120</u></b>	227	1110							
557.xz_r	96	<b><u>461</u></b>	<b><u>225</u></b>	458	227	462	224							

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

## Submit Notes

The numactl mechanism was used to bind copies to processors. The config file option 'submit' was used to generate numactl commands to bind each copy to a specific processor. For details, please see the config file.

## Operating System Notes

Stack size set to unlimited using "ulimit -s unlimited"

## Environment Variables Notes

Environment variables set by runcpu before the start of the run:  
LD\_LIBRARY\_PATH = "/home/cpu2017/lib/intel64:/home/cpu2017/lib/ia32:/home/cpu2017/je5.0.1-32"  
MALLOC\_CONF = "retain:true"

## General Notes

Binaries compiled on a system with 2x Intel Xeon Platinum 8280M CPU + 384GB RAM memory using Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8.4  
Transparent Huge Pages enabled by default  
Prior to runcpu invocation  
Filesystem page cache synced and cleared with:  
sync; echo 3> /proc/sys/vm/drop\_caches  
runcpu command invoked through numactl i.e.:  
numactl --interleave=all runcpu <etc>

NA: The test sponsor attests, as of date of publication, that CVE-2017-5754 (Meltdown) is mitigated in the system as tested and documented.  
Yes: The test sponsor attests, as of date of publication, that CVE-2017-5753 (Spectre variant 1) is mitigated in the system as tested and documented.  
Yes: The test sponsor attests, as of date of publication, that CVE-2017-5715 (Spectre variant 2)

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## Platform Notes

BIOS settings:

Hardware prefetcher set to Enabled  
Adjacent cache line prefetcher set to Disabled  
Patrol scrub set to Disabled  
XPT prefetch set to Disabled  
LLC prefetch set to Enabled  
Enhanced CPU performance set to Auto  
Intel SST-Performance Profile set to Profile0

Sysinfo program /home/cpu2017/bin/sysinfo  
Rev: r6732 of 2022-11-07 fe91c89b7ed5c36ae2c92cc097bec197  
running on localhost Tue Aug 5 20:56:43 2025

SUT (System Under Test) info as seen by some common utilities.

-----  
Table of contents  
-----

1. uname -a
2. w
3. Username
4. ulimit -a
5. sysinfo process ancestry
6. /proc/cpuinfo
7. lscpu
8. numactl --hardware
9. /proc/meminfo
10. who -r
11. Systemd service manager version: systemd 254 (254.10+suse.84.ge8d77af424)
12. Failed units, from systemctl list-units --state=failed
13. Services, from systemctl list-unit-files
14. Linux kernel boot-time arguments, from /proc/cmdline
15. cpupower frequency-info
16. tuned-adm active
17. sysctl
18. /sys/kernel/mm/transparent\_hugepage
19. /sys/kernel/mm/transparent\_hugepage/khugepaged
20. OS release
21. Disk information
22. /sys/devices/virtual/dmi/id
23. dmidecode
24. BIOS

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1. uname -a  
Linux localhost 6.4.0-150600.21-default #1 SMP PREEMPT\_DYNAMIC Thu May 16 11:09:22 UTC 2024 (36c1e09)  
x86\_64 x86\_64 x86\_64 GNU/Linux  
-----

2. w  
20:56:43 up 2 min, 2 users, load average: 0.11, 0.06, 0.02  
USER TTY FROM LOGIN@ IDLE JCPU PCPU WHAT  
root tty1 - 20:54 2:02 0.01s 0.01s -bash

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```
root pts/0 10.29.148.129 20:54 5.00s 0.91s 0.01s -bash
```

-----  
3. Username

From environment variable \$USER: root

-----  
4. ulimit -a

```
core file size          (blocks, -c) unlimited
data seg size           (kbytes, -d) unlimited
scheduling priority     (-e) 0
file size               (blocks, -f) unlimited
pending signals         (-i) 4123307
max locked memory       (kbytes, -l) 8192
max memory size         (kbytes, -m) unlimited
open files              (-n) 1024
pipe size               (512 bytes, -p) 8
POSIX message queues    (bytes, -q) 819200
real-time priority      (-r) 0
stack size              (kbytes, -s) unlimited
cpu time                (seconds, -t) unlimited
max user processes      (-u) 4123307
virtual memory          (kbytes, -v) unlimited
file locks              (-x) unlimited
```

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5. sysinfo process ancestry

```
/usr/lib/systemd/systemd --switched-root --system --deserialize=31
sshd: /usr/sbin/sshd -D [listener] 0 of 10-100 startups
sshd: root [priv]
sshd: root@pts/0
-bash
-bash
runcpu --nobuild --action validate --define default-platform-flags --define numcopies=96 -c
ic2024.1-lin-sapphirerapids-rate-20240308.cfg --define smt-on --define cores=48 --define physicalfirst
--define invoke_with_interleave --define drop_caches --tune base -n 3 -o all intrate
runcpu --nobuild --action validate --define default-platform-flags --define numcopies=96 --configfile
ic2024.1-lin-sapphirerapids-rate-20240308.cfg --define smt-on --define cores=48 --define physicalfirst
--define invoke_with_interleave --define drop_caches --tune base --iterations 3 --output_format all
--nopower --runmode rate --tune base --size refrate intrate --nopreenv --note-preenv --logfile
$SPEC/tmp/CPU2017.033/templogs/preenv.intrate.033.0.log --lognum 033.0 --from_runcpu 2
specperl $SPEC/bin/sysinfo
$SPEC = /home/cpu2017
```

-----  
6. /proc/cpuinfo

```
model name      : Intel(R) Xeon(R) 6520P
vendor_id       : GenuineIntel
cpu family      : 6
model           : 173
stepping        : 1
microcode       : 0x1000380
bugs            : spectre_v1 spectre_v2 spec_store_bypass swapgs bhi
cpu cores       : 24
siblings        : 48
2 physical ids (chips)
96 processors (hardware threads)
physical id 0: core ids 0-23
physical id 1: core ids 0-23
physical id 0: apicids 0-47
```

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physical id 1: apicids 128-175

Caution: /proc/cpuinfo data regarding chips, cores, and threads is not necessarily reliable, especially for virtualized systems. Use the above data carefully.

### 7. lscpu

From lscpu from util-linux 2.39.3:

```

Architecture:                x86_64
CPU op-mode(s):              32-bit, 64-bit
Address sizes:                46 bits physical, 57 bits virtual
Byte Order:                   Little Endian
CPU(s):                       96
On-line CPU(s) list:         0-95
Vendor ID:                    GenuineIntel
BIOS Vendor ID:              Intel(R) Corporation
Model name:                   Intel(R) Xeon(R) 6520P
BIOS Model name:             Intel(R) Xeon(R) 6520P  CPU @ 2.8GHz
BIOS CPU family:             179
CPU family:                   6
Model:                        173
Thread(s) per core:          2
Core(s) per socket:          24
Socket(s):                    2
Stepping:                     1
CPU(s) scaling MHz:          25%
CPU max MHz:                  4000.0000
CPU min MHz:                  800.0000
BogoMIPS:                     5600.00
Flags:                         fpu vme de pse tsc msr pae mce cx8 apic sep mtrr pge mca cmov pat
                                pse36 clflush dts acpi mmx fxsr sse sse2 ss ht tm pbe syscall nx
                                pdpe1gb rdtscp lm constant_tsc art arch_perfmon pebs bts rep_good
                                nopl xtopology nonstop_tsc cpuid aperfmperf tsc_known_freq pni
                                pclmulqdq dtes64 ds_cpl smx est tm2 ssse3 sdbg fma cx16 xtpr pdcm
                                pcid dca sse4_1 sse4_2 x2apic movbe popcnt tsc_deadline_timer aes
                                xsave avx f16c rdrand lahf_lm abm 3dnowprefetch cpuid_fault epb
                                cat_l3 cat_l2 cdp_l3 intel_ppin cdp_l2 ssbd mba ibrs ibpb stibp
                                ibrs_enhanced fsgsbase tsc_adjust bmi1 hle avx2 smep bmi2 erms
                                invpcid rtm cqm rdt_a avx512f avx512dq rdseed adx smap avx512ifma
                                clflushopt clwb intel_pt avx512cd sha_ni avx512bw avx512vl xsaveopt
                                xsaves xgetbv1 xsaves cqm_llc cqm_occup_llc cqm_mbm_total
                                cqm_mbm_local split_lock_detect user_shstk avx_vnni avx512_bf16
                                wbnoinvd dtherm ida arat pln pts hwp hwp_act_window hwp_epp
                                hwp_pkg_req hfi avx512vbmi umip pku ospke waitpkg avx512_vbmi2 gfni
                                vaes vpclmulqdq avx512_vnni avx512_bitalg tme avx512_vpopcntdq la57
                                rdpid bus_lock_detect cldemote movdiri movdir64b enqcmd fsrm md_clear
                                serialize tsxldtrk pconfig arch_lbr ibt amx_bf16 avx512_fp16 amx_tile
                                amx_int8 flush_lli arch_capabilities
L1d cache:                    2.3 MiB (48 instances)
L1i cache:                    3 MiB (48 instances)
L2 cache:                     96 MiB (48 instances)
L3 cache:                     288 MiB (2 instances)
NUMA node(s):                 2
NUMA node0 CPU(s):           0-23,48-71
NUMA node1 CPU(s):           24-47,72-95
Vulnerability Gather data sampling: Not affected
Vulnerability Itlb multihit:  Not affected
Vulnerability L1tf:          Not affected
Vulnerability Mds:           Not affected
Vulnerability Meltdown:     Not affected

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Vulnerability Mmio stale data: Not affected  
 Vulnerability Reg file data sampling: Not affected  
 Vulnerability Retbleed: Not affected  
 Vulnerability Spec rstack overflow: Not affected  
 Vulnerability Spec store bypass: Mitigation; Speculative Store Bypass disabled via prctl  
 Vulnerability Spectre v1: Mitigation; usercopy/swaps barriers and \_\_user pointer sanitization  
 Vulnerability Spectre v2: Mitigation; Enhanced / Automatic IBRS; IBPB conditional; RSB filling; PBRSE-eIBRS Not affected; BHI BHI\_DIS\_S  
 Vulnerability Srbds: Not affected  
 Vulnerability Tsx async abort: Not affected

From lscpu --cache:

NAME	ONE-SIZE	ALL-SIZE	WAYS	TYPE	LEVEL	SETS	PHY-LINE	COHERENCY-SIZE
L1d	48K	2.3M	12	Data	1	64	1	64
L1i	64K	3M	16	Instruction	1	64	1	64
L2	2M	96M	16	Unified	2	2048	1	64
L3	144M	288M	16	Unified	3	147456	1	64

8. numactl --hardware

NOTE: a numactl 'node' might or might not correspond to a physical chip.

```
available: 2 nodes (0-1)
node 0 cpus: 0-23,48-71
node 0 size: 515192 MB
node 0 free: 513829 MB
node 1 cpus: 24-47,72-95
node 1 size: 515659 MB
node 1 free: 514635 MB
node distances:
node  0  1
  0: 10  21
  1: 21  10
```

9. /proc/meminfo

MemTotal: 1055592248 kB

10. who -r

run-level 3 Aug 5 20:54

11. Systemd service manager version: systemd 254 (254.10+suse.84.ge8d77af424)

```
Default Target Status
multi-user      degraded
```

12. Failed units, from systemctl list-units --state=failed

```
UNIT          LOAD    ACTIVE SUB    DESCRIPTION
* postfix.service loaded failed failed Postfix Mail Transport Agent
```

13. Services, from systemctl list-unit-files

```
STATE          UNIT FILES
enabled        apparmor auditd cron getty@ irqbalance issue-generator kbdsettings kdump kdump-early
                kdump-notify postfix purge-kernels rollback sshd systemd-pstore wicked wickedd-auto4
                wickedd-dhcp4 wickedd-dhcp6 wickedd-nanny
enabled-runtime systemd-remount-fs
disabled       boot-sysctl ca-certificates chrony-wait chronyd console-getty debug-shell ebttables
                firewallld fsidd grub2-once haveged issue-add-ssh-keys kexec-load lunmask nfs nfs-blkmap
```

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```
indirect
rpcbind rpmconfigcheck serial-getty@ systemd-boot-check-no-failures systemd-confext
systemd-network-generator systemd-sysexit systemd-time-wait-sync systemd-timesyncd tuned
systemd-userdbd wickedd
```

-----  
14. Linux kernel boot-time arguments, from /proc/cmdline

```
BOOT_IMAGE=/boot/vmlinuz-6.4.0-150600.21-default
root=UUID=d4e057bf-4e4b-4e72-b0d4-5cbb8854b3eb
splash=silent
mitigations=auto
quiet
security=apparmor
crashkernel=364M,high
crashkernel=72M,low
```

-----  
15. cpupower frequency-info

```
analyzing CPU 3:
  current policy: frequency should be within 800 MHz and 4.00 GHz.
                  The governor "performance" may decide which speed to use
                  within this range.

boost state support:
  Supported: yes
  Active: yes
```

-----  
16. tuned-adm active

```
Current active profile: latency-performance
```

-----  
17. sysctl

```
kernel.numa_balancing          1
kernel.randomize_va_space      2
vm.compaction_proactiveness    20
vm.dirty_background_bytes      0
vm.dirty_background_ratio      3
vm.dirty_bytes                  0
vm.dirty_expire_centisecs     3000
vm.dirty_ratio                  20
vm.dirty_writeback_centisecs   500
vm.dirtytime_expire_seconds    43200
vm.extfrag_threshold           500
vm.min_unmapped_ratio          1
vm.nr_hugepages                 0
vm.nr_hugepages_mempolicy      0
vm.nr_overcommit_hugepages     0
vm.swappiness                    10
vm.watermark_boost_factor      15000
vm.watermark_scale_factor      10
vm.zone_reclaim_mode           0
```

-----  
18. /sys/kernel/mm/transparent\_hugepage

```
defrag          always defer defer+madvice [madvice] never
enabled         [always] madvice never
hpage_pmd_size  2097152
shmem_enabled   always within_size advise [never] deny force
```

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19. /sys/kernel/mm/transparent\_hugepage/khugepaged

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```

alloc_sleep_millisecs  60000
defrag                  1
max_ptes_none          511
max_ptes_shared        256
max_ptes_swap          64
pages_to_scan          4096
scan_sleep_millisecs   10000

```

```

-----
20. OS release
From /etc/*-release /etc/*-version
os-release SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP6

```

```

-----
21. Disk information
SPEC is set to: /home/cpu2017
Filesystem      Type  Size  Used Avail Use% Mounted on
/dev/sda2       btrfs 222G  15G  203G   7% /home

```

```

-----
22. /sys/devices/virtual/dmi/id
Vendor:         Cisco Systems Inc
Product:        UCSC-C220-M8S
Serial:         WZP28479TTU

```

```

-----
23. dmidecode
Additional information from dmidecode 3.4 follows.  WARNING: Use caution when you interpret this section.
The 'dmidecode' program reads system data which is "intended to allow hardware to be accurately
determined", but the intent may not be met, as there are frequent changes to hardware, firmware, and the
"DMTF SMBIOS" standard.
Memory:
 12x 0xCE00 M321R8GA0PB2-CCPEC 64 GB 2 rank 6400
  4x 0xCE00 M321R8GA0PB2-CCPKC 64 GB 2 rank 6400

```

```

-----
24. BIOS
(This section combines info from /sys/devices and dmidecode.)
BIOS Vendor:      Cisco Systems, Inc.
BIOS Version:     C220M8.4.3.6b.0.0430251037
BIOS Date:        04/30/2025
BIOS Revision:    5.35

```

### Compiler Version Notes

```

=====
C      | 500.perlbench_r(base) 502.gcc_r(base) 505.mcf_r(base) 525.x264_r(base) 557.xz_r(base)

```

```

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Intel(R) oneAPI DPC++/C++ Compiler for applications running on Intel(R) 64, Version 2024.1.0 Build 20240308
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```

```

=====
C++    | 520.omnetpp_r(base) 523.xalancbmk_r(base) 531.deepsjeng_r(base) 541.leela_r(base)

```

```

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=====  
Fortran | 548.exchange2\_r(base)  
=====

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## Base Compiler Invocation

C benchmarks:

icx

C++ benchmarks:

icpx

Fortran benchmarks:

ifx

## Base Portability Flags

500.perlbench\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64 -DSPEC\_LINUX\_X64  
502.gcc\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64  
505.mcf\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64  
520.omnetpp\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64  
523.xalancbmk\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64 -DSPEC\_LINUX  
525.x264\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64  
531.deepsjeng\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64  
541.leela\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64  
548.exchange2\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64  
557.xz\_r: -DSPEC\_LP64

## Base Optimization Flags

C benchmarks:

-w -std=c11 -m64 -Wl,-z,muldefs -xsaphirerapids -O3 -ffast-math  
-flto -mfpmath=sse -funroll-loops -qopt-mem-layout-trans=4  
-L/opt/intel/oneapi/compiler/2024.1/lib -lqkmalloc

C++ benchmarks:

-w -std=c++14 -m64 -Wl,-z,muldefs -xsaphirerapids -O3 -ffast-math  
-flto -mfpmath=sse -funroll-loops -qopt-mem-layout-trans=4  
-L/opt/intel/oneapi/compiler/2024.1/lib -lqkmalloc

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Fortran benchmarks:

```
-w -m64 -Wl,-z,muldefs -xsaphirerapids -O3 -ffast-math -flto
-mfpmath=sse -funroll-loops -qopt-mem-layout-trans=4
-nostandard-realloc-lhs -align array32byte -auto
-L/opt/intel/oneapi/compiler/2024.1/lib -lqkmalloc
```

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<http://www.spec.org/cpu2017/flags/Intel-ic2024-official-linux64.2025-06-17.html>

<http://www.spec.org/cpu2017/flags/Cisco-Platform-Settings-V1.2-GNR-revE.2025-10-07.html>

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

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