Subject: Re: Linux Help Needed Posted by K. Bowman on Fri, 27 Jan 2006 15:27:37 GMT

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In article <drcq3b\$5rn\$1@south.jnrs.ja.net>, Nigel Wade <nmw@ion.le.ac.uk> wrote:

> http://www.macworld.com/2006/01/features/imaclabtest1/index. php

There are arguments about this going on in several places.

http://apple.slashdot.org/apple/06/01/26/2038249.shtml

- > madgunde writes "Looks like MacWorld magazine was a little premature in
- > reporting that the new Apple iMac Core Duo doesn't live up to Apple's speed
- > claims. The folks over at MacSpeedZone have done some performance testing of
- > their own that debunks MacWorld's results and shows that the new iMac Core
- > Duo DOES live up to the hype.

The benchmarks Apple showed are SPECmarks, which may or may not be what you care about. For scientific computing they are probably a reasonable starting point.

I'll withhold judgement until I get to run *my* codes. ;-)

Ken Bowman