

# LS2

## Performance of Scalar Add

a) Run on Lonestar ..... model name: Intel® Xeon® CPU X5680 @ 3.33GHz

	L = 1	L = 2	L = 3	L = 4	L = 5	L = 6
K = 1	6.20064 <sub>9</sub>	6.20283 <sub>2</sub>	6.19538 <sub>7</sub>	6.18823 <sub>9</sub>	6.19497 <sub>7</sub>	2.854582
K = 2	0	1.45758 <sub>4</sub>	0	1.44076 <sub>4</sub>	0	1.443280
K = 3	0	0	0.98485 <sub>1</sub>	0	0	0.967557
K = 4	0	0	0	0.97139 <sub>9</sub>	0	0
K = 5	0	0	0	0	0.97532 <sub>5</sub>	0
K = 6	0	0	0	0	0	0.96999 <sub>7</sub>

The maximal performance was obtained for the values of K = 3 and L = 6 i.e., 0.967557.

Actually , when k=1 , l = 6 , latency = 3 , and cycles/issue = 1 the value should be greater than 3 but it is less than three .

Row-wise i.e., K constant and L increasing there is no improvement.

Column-wise i.e., k increasing and L constant there is improvement.

Even for any k and L values the peak value should never go below 1 but here the peak value is 0.967557.

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b) Run on Lonestar. For  $K = 3$  and  $L = 6$

The CPU frequency is 3.33GHz and so the initially when the vector size is smaller the performance should have been somewhere around 3 but here It is not happening so. Why it should be like that is initially the vectors are filled in L1 cache thereby improving the access time but in when I ran the graph is completely contradicting.