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Preface

This document is an update to the specifications contained in the [Affected Documents](#) table below. This document is a compilation of device and documentation errata, specification clarifications and changes. It is intended for hardware system manufacturers and software developers of applications, operating systems, or tools.

Affected Documents

Document Title	Document Number/ Location
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1: Basic Architecture</i>	253665
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2A: Instruction Set Reference, A-L</i>	253666
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2B: Instruction Set Reference, M-U</i>	253667
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2C: Instruction Set Reference, V</i>	326018
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2D: Instruction Set Reference, W-Z</i>	334569
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3A: System Programming Guide, Part 1</i>	253668
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3B: System Programming Guide, Part 2</i>	253669
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3C: System Programming Guide, Part 3</i>	326019
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3D: System Programming Guide, Part 4</i>	332831
<i>Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 4: Model Specific Registers</i>	335592

Nomenclature

Documentation Changes include typos, errors, or omissions from the current published specifications. These will be incorporated in any new release of the specification.

Summary Tables of Changes

The following table indicates documentation changes which apply to the Intel® 64 and IA-32 architectures. This table uses the following notations:

Codes Used in Summary Tables

A violet change bar to left of table row indicates this erratum is either new or modified from the previous version of the document.

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No.	DOCUMENTATION CHANGES
1	Updates to Chapter 1, Volume 1
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6	Updates to Chapter 2, Volume 2A
7	Updates to Chapter 3, Volume 2A
8	Updates to Chapter 4, Volume 2B
9	Updates to Chapter 16, Volume 3B
10	Updates to Chapter 18, Volume 3B
11	Updates to Chapter 25, Volume 3C
12	Updates to Chapter 26, Volume 3C
13	Updates to Chapter 28, Volume 3C
14	Updates to Chapter 29, Volume 3C
15	Updates to Chapter 32, Volume 3C
16	Updates to Chapter 35, Volume 3D
17	Updates to Chapter 38, Volume 3D
18	Updates to Appendix B, Volume 3D
19	Updates to Chapter 2, Volume 4

Documentation Changes

Changes to the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual volumes follow, and are listed by chapter. Only chapters with changes are included in this document.

1. Updates to Chapter 1, Volume 1

Change bars and violet text show changes to Chapter 2 of the *Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1: Basic Architecture*.

Changes to this chapter:

- Updated Figure 1-1, "Bit and Byte Order," to correct the highest address bit value.

The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1: Basic Architecture (order number 253665) is part of a set that describes the architecture and programming environment of Intel® 64 and IA-32 architecture processors. Other volumes in this set are:

- The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volumes 2A, 2B, 2C & 2D: Instruction Set Reference (order numbers 253666, 253667, 326018, and 334569).
- The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volumes 3A, 3B, 3C & 3D: System Programming Guide (order numbers 253668, 253669, 326019, and 332831).
- The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 4: Model-Specific Registers (order number 335592).

The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1, describes the basic architecture and programming environment of Intel 64 and IA-32 processors. The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volumes 2A, 2B, 2C, & 2D, describe the instruction set of the processor and the opcode structure. These volumes apply to application programmers and to programmers who write operating systems or executives. The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volumes 3A, 3B, 3C, & 3D, describe the operating-system support environment of Intel 64 and IA-32 processors. These volumes target operating-system and BIOS designers. In addition, the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3B, addresses the programming environment for classes of software that host operating systems. The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 4, describes the model-specific registers of Intel 64 and IA-32 processors.

1.1 INTEL® 64 AND IA-32 PROCESSORS COVERED IN THIS MANUAL

This manual set includes information pertaining primarily to the most recent Intel 64 and IA-32 processors, which include:

- Pentium® processors
- P6 family processors
- Pentium® 4 processors
- Pentium® M processors
- Intel® Xeon® processors
- Pentium® D processors
- Pentium® processor Extreme Editions
- 64-bit Intel® Xeon® processors
- Intel® Core™ Duo processor
- Intel® Core™ Solo processor
- Dual-Core Intel® Xeon® processor LV
- Intel® Core™2 Duo processor
- Intel® Core™2 Quad processor Q6000 series
- Intel® Xeon® processor 3000, 3200 series
- Intel® Xeon® processor 5000 series
- Intel® Xeon® processor 5100, 5300 series
- Intel® Core™2 Extreme processor X7000 and X6800 series
- Intel® Core™2 Extreme processor QX6000 series
- Intel® Xeon® processor 7100 series

ABOUT THIS MANUAL

- Intel® Pentium® Dual-Core processor
- Intel® Xeon® processor 7200, 7300 series
- Intel® Xeon® processor 5200, 5400, 7400 series
- Intel® Core™2 Extreme processor QX9000 and X9000 series
- Intel® Core™2 Quad processor Q9000 series
- Intel® Core™2 Duo processor E8000, T9000 series
- Intel Atom® processor family
- Intel Atom® processors 200, 300, D400, D500, D2000, N200, N400, N2000, E2000, Z500, Z600, Z2000, C1000 series are built from 45 nm and 32 nm processes
- Intel® Core™ i7 processor
- Intel® Core™ i5 processor
- Intel® Xeon® processor E7-8800/4800/2800 product families
- Intel® Core™ i7-3930K processor
- 2nd generation Intel® Core™ i7-2xxx, Intel® Core™ i5-2xxx, Intel® Core™ i3-2xxx processor series
- Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200 product family
- Intel® Xeon® processor E5-2400/1400 product family
- Intel® Xeon® processor E5-4600/2600/1600 product family
- 3rd generation Intel® Core™ processors
- Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200 v2 product family
- Intel® Xeon® processor E5-2400/1400 v2 product families
- Intel® Xeon® processor E5-4600/2600/1600 v2 product families
- Intel® Xeon® processor E7-8800/4800/2800 v2 product families
- 4th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- The Intel® Core™ M processor family
- Intel® Core™ i7-59xx Processor Extreme Edition
- Intel® Core™ i7-49xx Processor Extreme Edition
- Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200 v3 product family
- Intel® Xeon® processor E5-2600/1600 v3 product families
- 5th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- Intel® Xeon® processor D-1500 product family
- Intel® Xeon® processor E5 v4 family
- Intel Atom® processor X7-Z8000 and X5-Z8000 series
- Intel Atom® processor Z3400 series
- Intel Atom® processor Z3500 series
- 6th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1500m v5 product family
- 7th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 3200, 5200, 7200 Series
- Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family
- 8th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 7215, 7285, 7295 Series
- Intel® Xeon® E processors
- 9th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- 2nd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family

- 10th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- 11th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- 3rd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family
- 12th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- 13th generation Intel® Core™ processors
- 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family

P6 family processors are IA-32 processors based on the P6 family microarchitecture. This includes the Pentium® Pro, Pentium® II, Pentium® III, and Pentium® III Xeon® processors.

The Pentium® 4, Pentium® D, and Pentium® processor Extreme Editions are based on the Intel NetBurst® microarchitecture. Most early Intel® Xeon® processors are based on the Intel NetBurst® microarchitecture. Intel Xeon processor 5000, 7100 series are based on the Intel NetBurst® microarchitecture.

The Intel® Core™ Duo, Intel® Core™ Solo and dual-core Intel® Xeon® processor LV are based on an improved Pentium® M processor microarchitecture.

The Intel® Xeon® processor 3000, 3200, 5100, 5300, 7200, and 7300 series, Intel® Pentium® dual-core, Intel® Core™2 Duo, Intel® Core™2 Quad, and Intel® Core™2 Extreme processors are based on Intel® Core™ microarchitecture.

The Intel® Xeon® processor 5200, 5400, 7400 series, Intel® Core™2 Quad processor Q9000 series, and Intel® Core™2 Extreme processors QX9000, X9000 series, Intel® Core™2 processor E8000 series are based on Enhanced Intel® Core™ microarchitecture.

The Intel Atom® processors 200, 300, D400, D500, D2000, N200, N400, N2000, E2000, Z500, Z600, Z2000, C1000 series are based on the Intel Atom® microarchitecture and supports Intel 64 architecture.

P6 family, Pentium® M, Intel® Core™ Solo, Intel® Core™ Duo processors, dual-core Intel® Xeon® processor LV, and early generations of Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processors support IA-32 architecture. The Intel® Atom™ processor Z5xx series support IA-32 architecture.

The Intel® Xeon® processor 3000, 3200, 5000, 5100, 5200, 5300, 5400, 7100, 7200, 7300, 7400 series, Intel® Core™2 Duo, Intel® Core™2 Extreme, Intel® Core™2 Quad processors, Pentium® D processors, Pentium® Dual-Core processor, newer generations of Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processor family support Intel® 64 architecture.

The Intel® Core™ i7 processor and Intel® Xeon® processor 3400, 5500, 7500 series are based on 45 nm Nehalem microarchitecture. Westmere microarchitecture is a 32 nm version of the Nehalem microarchitecture. Intel® Xeon® processor 5600 series, Intel Xeon processor E7 and various Intel Core i7, i5, i3 processors are based on the Westmere microarchitecture. These processors support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel® Xeon® processor E5 family, Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200 family, Intel® Xeon® processor E7-8800/4800/2800 product families, Intel® Core™ i7-3930K processor, and 2nd generation Intel® Core™ i7-2xxx, Intel® Core™ i5-2xxx, Intel® Core™ i3-2xxx processor series are based on the Sandy Bridge microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel® Xeon® processor E7-8800/4800/2800 v2 product families, Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200 v2 product family and 3rd generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Ivy Bridge microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel® Xeon® processor E5-4600/2600/1600 v2 product families, Intel® Xeon® processor E5-2400/1400 v2 product families and Intel® Core™ i7-49xx Processor Extreme Edition are based on the Ivy Bridge-E microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200 v3 product family and 4th Generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Haswell microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel® Xeon® processor E5-2600/1600 v3 product families and the Intel® Core™ i7-59xx Processor Extreme Edition are based on the Haswell-E microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel Atom® processor Z8000 series is based on the Airmont microarchitecture.

The Intel Atom® processor Z3400 series and the Intel Atom® processor Z3500 series are based on the Silvermont microarchitecture.

The Intel® Core™ M processor family, 5th generation Intel® Core™ processors, Intel® Xeon® processor D-1500 product family and the Intel® Xeon® processor E5 v4 family are based on the Broadwell microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family, Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1500m v5 product family and 6th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Skylake microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The 7th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Kaby Lake microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel Atom® processor C series, the Intel Atom® processor X series, the Intel® Pentium® processor J series, the Intel® Celeron® processor J series, and the Intel® Celeron® processor N series are based on the Goldmont microarchitecture.

The Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 3200, 5200, 7200 Series is based on the Knights Landing microarchitecture and supports Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel® Pentium® Silver processor series, the Intel® Celeron® processor J series, and the Intel® Celeron® processor N series are based on the Goldmont Plus microarchitecture.

The 8th generation Intel® Core™ processors, 9th generation Intel® Core™ processors, and Intel® Xeon® E processors are based on the Coffee Lake microarchitecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 7215, 7285, 7295 Series is based on the Knights Mill microarchitecture and supports Intel 64 architecture.

The 2nd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family is based on the Cascade Lake product and supports Intel 64 architecture.

Some 10th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Ice Lake microarchitecture, and some are based on the Comet Lake microarchitecture; both support Intel 64 architecture.

Some 11th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Tiger Lake microarchitecture, and some are based on the Rocket Lake microarchitecture; both support Intel 64 architecture.

Some 3rd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family processors are based on the Cooper Lake product, and some are based on the Ice Lake microarchitecture; both support Intel 64 architecture.

The 12th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The 13th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Raptor Lake performance hybrid architecture and support Intel 64 architecture.

The 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family is based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture and supports Intel 64 architecture.

IA-32 architecture is the instruction set architecture and programming environment for Intel's 32-bit microprocessors. Intel® 64 architecture is the instruction set architecture and programming environment which is the superset of Intel's 32-bit and 64-bit architectures. It is compatible with the IA-32 architecture.

1.2 OVERVIEW OF VOLUME 1: BASIC ARCHITECTURE

A description of this manual's content follows:

Chapter 1 — About This Manual. Gives an overview of all volumes of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual. It also describes the notational conventions in these manuals and lists related Intel manuals and documentation of interest to programmers and hardware designers.

Chapter 2 — Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures. Introduces the Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures along with the families of Intel processors that are based on these architectures. It also gives an overview of the common features found in these processors and brief history of the Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures.

Chapter 3 — Basic Execution Environment. Introduces the models of memory organization and describes the register set used by applications.

Chapter 4 — Data Types. Describes the data types and addressing modes recognized by the processor; provides an overview of real numbers and floating-point formats and of floating-point exceptions.

Chapter 5 — Instruction Set Summary. Lists all Intel 64 and IA-32 instructions, divided into technology groups.

Chapter 6 — Procedure Calls, Interrupts, and Exceptions. Describes the procedure stack and mechanisms provided for making procedure calls and for servicing interrupts and exceptions.

Chapter 7 — Programming with General-Purpose Instructions. Describes basic load and store, program control, arithmetic, and string instructions that operate on basic data types, general-purpose and segment registers; also describes system instructions that are executed in protected mode.

Chapter 8 — Programming with the x87 FPU. Describes the x87 floating-point unit (FPU), including floating-point registers and data types; gives an overview of the floating-point instruction set and describes the processor's floating-point exception conditions.

Chapter 9 — Programming with Intel[®] MMX™ Technology. Describes Intel MMX technology, including MMX registers and data types; also provides an overview of the MMX instruction set.

Chapter 10 — Programming with Intel[®] Streaming SIMD Extensions (Intel[®] SSE). Describes SSE extensions, including XMM registers, the MXCSR register, and packed single precision floating-point data types; provides an overview of the SSE instruction set and gives guidelines for writing code that accesses the SSE extensions.

Chapter 11 — Programming with Intel[®] Streaming SIMD Extensions 2 (Intel[®] SSE2). Describes SSE2 extensions, including XMM registers and packed double precision floating-point data types; provides an overview of the SSE2 instruction set and gives guidelines for writing code that accesses SSE2 extensions. This chapter also describes SIMD floating-point exceptions that can be generated with SSE and SSE2 instructions. It also provides general guidelines for incorporating support for SSE and SSE2 extensions into operating system and applications code.

Chapter 12 — Programming with Intel[®] Streaming SIMD Extensions 3 (Intel[®] SSE3), Supplemental Streaming SIMD Extensions 3 (SSSE3), Intel[®] Streaming SIMD Extensions 4 (Intel[®] SSE4) and Intel[®] AES New Instructions (Intel[®] AES-NI). Provides an overview of the SSE3 instruction set, Supplemental SSE3, SSE4, AESNI instructions, and guidelines for writing code that access these extensions.

Chapter 13 — Managing State Using the XSAVE Feature Set. Describes the XSAVE feature set instructions and explains how software can enable the XSAVE feature set and XSAVE-enabled features.

Chapter 14 — Programming with Intel[®] AVX, FMA, and Intel[®] AVX2. Provides an overview of the Intel[®] AVX instruction set, FMA, and Intel[®] AVX2 extensions and gives guidelines for writing code that access these extensions.

Chapter 15 — Programming with Intel[®] AVX-512. Provides an overview of the Intel[®] AVX-512 instruction set extensions and gives guidelines for writing code that access these extensions.

Chapter 16 — Programming with Intel Transactional Synchronization Extensions. Describes the instruction extensions that support lock elision techniques to improve the performance of multi-threaded software with contended locks.

Chapter 17 — Control-flow Enforcement Technology. Provides an overview of the Control-flow Enforcement Technology (CET) and gives guidelines for writing code that access these extensions.

Chapter 18 — Programming with Intel[®] Advanced Matrix Extensions. Provides an overview of the Intel[®] Advanced Matrix Extensions and gives guidelines for writing code that access these extensions.

Chapter 19 — Input/Output. Describes the processor's I/O mechanism, including I/O port addressing, I/O instructions, and I/O protection mechanisms.

Chapter 20 — Processor Identification and Feature Determination. Describes how to determine the CPU type and features available in the processor.

Appendix A — EFLAGS Cross-Reference. Summarizes how the IA-32 instructions affect the flags in the EFLAGS register.

Appendix B — EFLAGS Condition Codes. Summarizes how conditional jump, move, and 'byte set on condition code' instructions use condition code flags (OF, CF, ZF, SF, and PF) in the EFLAGS register.

Appendix C — Floating-Point Exceptions Summary. Summarizes exceptions raised by the x87 FPU floating-point and SSE/SSE2/SSE3 floating-point instructions.

Appendix D — Guidelines for Writing SIMD Floating-Point Exception Handlers. Gives guidelines for writing exception handlers for exceptions generated by SSE/SSE2/SSE3 floating-point instructions.

Appendix E – Intel® Memory Protection Extensions. Provides an overview of the Intel® Memory Protection Extensions, a feature that has been deprecated and will not be available on future processors.

1.3 NOTATIONAL CONVENTIONS

This manual uses specific notation for data-structure formats, for symbolic representation of instructions, and for hexadecimal and binary numbers. This notation is described below.

1.3.1 Bit and Byte Order

In illustrations of data structures in memory, smaller addresses appear toward the bottom of the figure; addresses increase toward the top. Bit positions are numbered from right to left. The numerical value of a set bit is equal to two raised to the power of the bit position. Intel 64 and IA-32 processors are “little endian” machines; this means the bytes of a word are numbered starting from the least significant byte. See Figure 1-1.

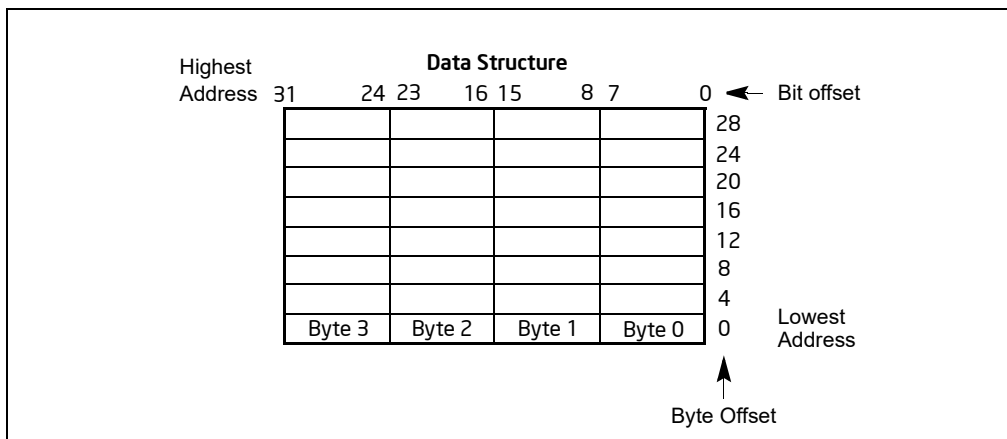


Figure 1-1. Bit and Byte Order

1.3.2 Reserved Bits and Software Compatibility

In many register and memory layout descriptions, certain bits are marked as **reserved**. When bits are marked as reserved, it is essential for compatibility with future processors that software treat these bits as having a future, though unknown, effect. The behavior of reserved bits should be regarded as not only undefined, but unpredictable.

Software should follow these guidelines in dealing with reserved bits:

- Do not depend on the states of any reserved bits when testing the values of registers that contain such bits. Mask out the reserved bits before testing.
- Do not depend on the states of any reserved bits when storing to memory or to a register.
- Do not depend on the ability to retain information written into any reserved bits.
- When loading a register, always load the reserved bits with the values indicated in the documentation, if any, or reload them with values previously read from the same register.

NOTE

Avoid any software dependence upon the state of reserved bits in Intel 64 and IA-32 registers. Depending upon the values of reserved register bits will make software dependent upon the unspecified manner in which the processor handles these bits. Programs that depend upon reserved values risk incompatibility with future processors.

1.3.2.1 Instruction Operands

When instructions are represented symbolically, a subset of the IA-32 assembly language is used. In this subset, an instruction has the following format:

```
label: mnemonic argument1, argument2, argument3
```

where:

- A **label** is an identifier which is followed by a colon.
- A **mnemonic** is a reserved name for a class of instruction opcodes which have the same function.
- The operands **argument1**, **argument2**, and **argument3** are optional. There may be from zero to three operands, depending on the opcode. When present, they take the form of either literals or identifiers for data items. Operand identifiers are either reserved names of registers or are assumed to be assigned to data items declared in another part of the program (which may not be shown in the example).

When two operands are present in an arithmetic or logical instruction, the right operand is the source and the left operand is the destination.

For example:

```
LOADREG: MOV EAX, SUBTOTAL
```

In this example, LOADREG is a label, MOV is the mnemonic identifier of an opcode, EAX is the destination operand, and SUBTOTAL is the source operand. Some assembly languages put the source and destination in reverse order.

1.3.3 Hexadecimal and Binary Numbers

Base 16 (hexadecimal) numbers are represented by a string of hexadecimal digits followed by the character H (for example, 0F82EH). A hexadecimal digit is a character from the following set: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, A, B, C, D, E, and F.

Base 2 (binary) numbers are represented by a string of 1s and 0s, sometimes followed by the character B (for example, 1010B). The "B" designation is only used in situations where confusion as to the type of number might arise.

1.3.4 Segmented Addressing

The processor uses byte addressing. This means memory is organized and accessed as a sequence of bytes. Whether one or more bytes are being accessed, a byte address is used to locate the byte or bytes memory. The range of memory that can be addressed is called an **address space**.

The processor also supports segmented addressing. This is a form of addressing where a program may have many independent address spaces, called **segments**. For example, a program can keep its code (instructions) and stack in separate segments. Code addresses would always refer to the code space, and stack addresses would always refer to the stack space. The following notation is used to specify a byte address within a segment:

```
Segment-register:Byte-address
```

For example, the following segment address identifies the byte at address FF79H in the segment pointed by the DS register:

```
DS:FF79H
```

The following segment address identifies an instruction address in the code segment. The CS register points to the code segment and the EIP register contains the address of the instruction.

CS:EIP

1.3.5 A New Syntax for CPUID, CR, and MSR Values

Obtain feature flags, status, and system information by using the CPUID instruction, by checking control register bits, and by reading model-specific registers. We are moving toward a new syntax to represent this information. See Figure 1-2.

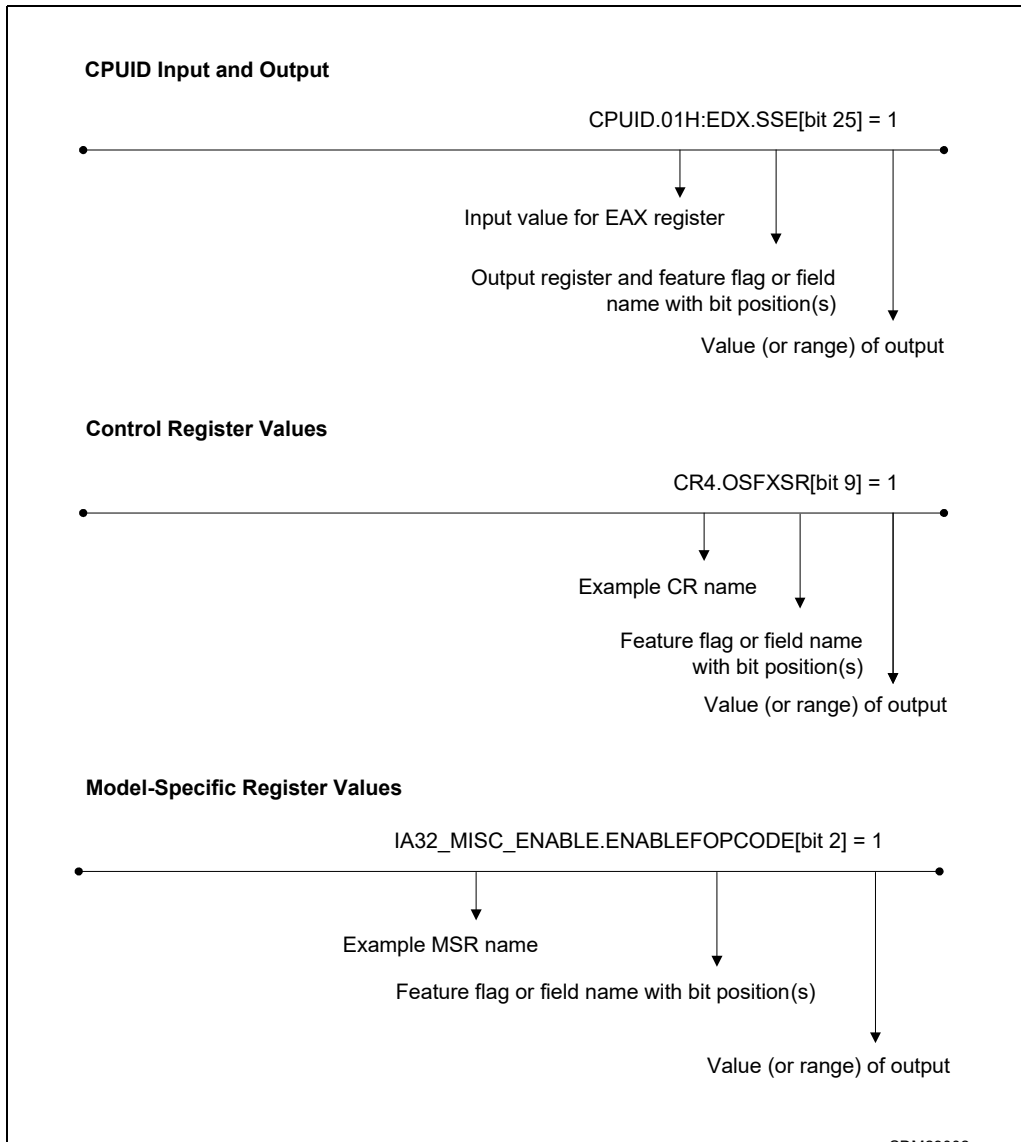


Figure 1-2. Syntax for CPUID, CR, and MSR Data Presentation

1.3.6 Exceptions

An exception is an event that typically occurs when an instruction causes an error. For example, an attempt to divide by zero generates an exception. However, some exceptions, such as breakpoints, occur under other condi-

tions. Some types of exceptions may provide error codes. An error code reports additional information about the error. An example of the notation used to show an exception and error code is shown below:

```
#PF(fault code)
```

This example refers to a page-fault exception under conditions where an error code naming a type of fault is reported. Under some conditions, exceptions that produce error codes may not be able to report an accurate code. In this case, the error code is zero, as shown below for a general-protection exception:

```
#GP(0)
```

1.4 RELATED LITERATURE

Literature related to Intel 64 and IA-32 processors is listed and viewable on-line at:

<https://software.intel.com/en-us/articles/intel-sdm>

See also:

- The latest security information on Intel® products:
<https://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/security-center/default.html>
- Software developer resources, guidance, and insights for security advisories:
<https://software.intel.com/security-software-guidance/>
- The data sheet for a particular Intel 64 or IA-32 processor
- The specification update for a particular Intel 64 or IA-32 processor
- Intel® C++ Compiler documentation and online help:
<http://software.intel.com/en-us/articles/intel-compilers/>
- Intel® Fortran Compiler documentation and online help:
<http://software.intel.com/en-us/articles/intel-compilers/>
- Intel® Software Development Tools:
<https://software.intel.com/en-us/intel-sdp-home>
- Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual (in one, four or ten volumes):
<https://software.intel.com/en-us/articles/intel-sdm>
- Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Optimization Reference Manual:
<https://software.intel.com/en-us/articles/intel-sdm#optimization>
- Intel® Trusted Execution Technology Measured Launched Environment Programming Guide:
<http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/software-developers/intel-txt-software-development-guide.html>
- Intel® Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX) Information
<https://software.intel.com/en-us/isa-extensions/intel-sgx>
- Developing Multi-threaded Applications: A Platform Consistent Approach:
<https://software.intel.com/sites/default/files/article/147714/51534-developing-multithreaded-applications.pdf>
- Using Spin-Loops on Intel® Pentium® 4 Processor and Intel® Xeon® Processor:
<https://software.intel.com/sites/default/files/22/30/25602>
- Performance Monitoring Unit Sharing Guide
<http://software.intel.com/file/30388>

Literature related to select features in future Intel processors are available at:

- Intel® Architecture Instruction Set Extensions Programming Reference
<https://software.intel.com/en-us/isa-extensions>

More relevant links are:

- Intel® Developer Zone:
<https://software.intel.com/en-us>

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- Processor support general link:
<http://www.intel.com/support/processors/>
- Intel® Hyper-Threading Technology (Intel® HT Technology):
<http://www.intel.com/technology/platform-technology/hyper-threading/index.htm>

2. Updates to Chapter 5, Volume 1

Change bars and violet text show changes to Chapter 5 of the *Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1: Basic Architecture*.

Changes to this chapter:

- Updated Table 5-2, "Instruction Set Extensions Introduction in Intel® 64 and IA-32 Processors," to indicate that ENCLV is available on future processors, and update the "MKTME" name to its updated name of "TME-MK."

This chapter provides an abridged overview of Intel 64 and IA-32 instructions. Instructions are divided into the following groups:

- Section 5.1, "General-Purpose Instructions."
- Section 5.2, "x87 FPU Instructions."
- Section 5.3, "x87 FPU AND SIMD State Management Instructions."
- Section 5.4, "MMX Instructions."
- Section 5.5, "Intel® SSE Instructions."
- Section 5.6, "Intel® SSE2 Instructions."
- Section 5.7, "Intel® SSE3 Instructions."
- Section 5.8, "Supplemental Streaming SIMD Extensions 3 (SSSE3) Instructions."
- Section 5.9, "Intel® SSE4 Instructions."
- Section 5.10, "Intel® SSE4.1 Instructions."
- Section 5.11, "Intel® SSE4.2 Instruction Set."
- Section 5.12, "Intel® AES-NI and PCLMULQDQ."
- Section 5.13, "Intel® Advanced Vector Extensions (Intel® AVX)."
- Section 5.14, "16-bit Floating-Point Conversion."
- Section 5.15, "Fused-Multiply-ADD (FMA)."
- Section 5.16, "Intel® Advanced Vector Extensions 2 (Intel® AVX2)."
- Section 5.17, "Intel® Transactional Synchronization Extensions (Intel® TSX)."
- Section 5.18, "Intel® SHA Extensions."
- Section 5.19, "Intel® Advanced Vector Extensions 512 (Intel® AVX-512)."
- Section 5.20, "System Instructions."
- Section 5.21, "64-Bit Mode Instructions."
- Section 5.22, "Virtual-Machine Extensions."
- Section 5.23, "Safer Mode Extensions."
- Section 5.24, "Intel® Memory Protection Extensions."
- Section 5.25, "Intel® Software Guard Extensions."
- Section 5.26, "Shadow Stack Management Instructions."
- Section 5.27, "Control Transfer Terminating Instructions."
- Section 5.28, "Intel® AMX Instructions."
- Section 5.29, "User Interrupt Instructions."
- Section 5.30, "Enqueue Store Instructions."

Table 5-1 lists the groups and IA-32 processors that support each group. More recent instruction set extensions are listed in Table 5-2. Within these groups, most instructions are collected into functional subgroups.

Table 5-1. Instruction Groups in Intel® 64 and IA-32 Processors

Instruction Set Architecture	Intel 64 and IA-32 Processor Support
General Purpose	All Intel 64 and IA-32 processors.
x87 FPU	Intel486, Pentium, Pentium with MMX Technology, Celeron, Pentium Pro, Pentium II, Pentium II Xeon, Pentium III, Pentium III Xeon, Pentium 4, Intel Xeon processors, Pentium M, Intel Core Solo, Intel Core Duo, Intel Core 2 Duo processors, Intel Atom processors.
x87 FPU and SIMD State Management	Pentium II, Pentium II Xeon, Pentium III, Pentium III Xeon, Pentium 4, Intel Xeon processors, Pentium M, Intel Core Solo, Intel Core Duo, Intel Core 2 Duo processors, Intel Atom processors.
MMX Technology	Pentium with MMX Technology, Celeron, Pentium II, Pentium II Xeon, Pentium III, Pentium III Xeon, Pentium 4, Intel Xeon processors, Pentium M, Intel Core Solo, Intel Core Duo, Intel Core 2 Duo processors, Intel Atom processors.
SSE Extensions	Pentium III, Pentium III Xeon, Pentium 4, Intel Xeon processors, Pentium M, Intel Core Solo, Intel Core Duo, Intel Core 2 Duo processors, Intel Atom processors.
SSE2 Extensions	Pentium 4, Intel Xeon processors, Pentium M, Intel Core Solo, Intel Core Duo, Intel Core 2 Duo processors, Intel Atom processors.
SSE3 Extensions	Pentium 4 supporting HT Technology (built on 90nm process technology), Intel Core Solo, Intel Core Duo, Intel Core 2 Duo processors, Intel Xeon processor 3xxx, 5xxx, 7xxx Series, Intel Atom processors.
SSSE3 Extensions	Intel Xeon processor 3xxx, 5100, 5200, 5300, 5400, 5500, 5600, 7300, 7400, 7500 series, Intel Core 2 Extreme processors QX6000 series, Intel Core 2 Duo, Intel Core 2 Quad processors, Intel Pentium Dual-Core processors, Intel Atom processors.
IA-32e mode: 64-bit mode instructions	Intel 64 processors.
System Instructions	Intel 64 and IA-32 processors.
VMX Instructions	Intel 64 and IA-32 processors supporting Intel Virtualization Technology.
SMX Instructions	Intel Core 2 Duo processor E6x50, E8xxx; Intel Core 2 Quad processor Q9xxx.

Table 5-2. Instruction Set Extensions Introduction in Intel® 64 and IA-32 Processors

Instruction Set Architecture	Processor Generation Introduction
SSE4.1 Extensions	Intel® Xeon® processor 3100, 3300, 5200, 5400, 7400, 7500 series, Intel® Core™ 2 Extreme processors QX9000 series, Intel® Core™ 2 Quad processor Q9000 series, Intel® Core™ 2 Duo processors 8000 series and T9000 series, Intel Atom® processor based on Silvermont microarchitecture.
SSE4.2 Extensions, CRC32, POPCNT	Intel® Core™ i7 965 processor, Intel® Xeon® processors X3400, X3500, X5500, X6500, X7500 series, Intel Atom processor based on Silvermont microarchitecture.
Intel® AES-NI, PCLMULQDQ	Intel® Xeon® processor E7 series, Intel® Xeon® processors X3600 and X5600, Intel® Core™ i7 980X processor, Intel Atom processor based on Silvermont microarchitecture. Use CPUID to verify presence of Intel AES-NI and PCLMULQDQ across Intel® Core™ processor families.
Intel® AVX	Intel® Xeon® processor E3 and E5 families, 2nd Generation Intel® Core™ i7, i5, i3 processor 2xxx families.
F16C	3rd Generation Intel® Core™ processors, Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200 v2 product family, Intel® Xeon® processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 families.
RDRAND	3rd Generation Intel Core processors, Intel Xeon processor E3-1200 v2 product family, Intel Xeon processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 families, Intel Atom processor based on Silvermont microarchitecture.
FS/GS base access	3rd Generation Intel Core processors, Intel Xeon processor E3-1200 v2 product family, Intel Xeon processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 families, Intel Atom® processor based on Goldmont microarchitecture.

Table 5-2. Instruction Set Extensions Introduction in Intel® 64 and IA-32 Processors (Contd.)

Instruction Set Architecture	Processor Generation Introduction
FMA, AVX2, BMI1, BMI2, INVPCID, LZCNT, Intel® TSX	Intel® Xeon® processor E3/E5/E7 v3 product families, 4th Generation Intel® Core™ processor family.
MOVBE	Intel Xeon processor E3/E5/E7 v3 product families, 4th Generation Intel Core processor family, Intel Atom processors.
PREFETCHW	Intel® Core™ M processor family; 5th Generation Intel® Core™ processor family, Intel Atom processor based on Silvermont microarchitecture.
ADX	Intel Core M processor family, 5th Generation Intel Core processor family.
RDSEED, CLAC, STAC	Intel Core M processor family, 5th Generation Intel Core processor family, Intel Atom processor based on Goldmont microarchitecture.
AVX512ER, AVX512PF, PREFETCHWT1	Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 3200, 5200, 7200 Series.
AVX512F, AVX512CD	Intel Xeon Phi Processor 3200, 5200, 7200 Series, Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family, Intel® Core™ i3-8121U processor.
CLFLUSHOPT, XSAVEC, XSAVES, Intel® MPX	Intel Xeon Scalable Processor Family, 6th Generation Intel® Core™ processor family, Intel Atom processor based on Goldmont microarchitecture.
SGX1	6th Generation Intel Core processor family, Intel Atom® processor based on Goldmont Plus microarchitecture.
AVX512DQ, AVX512BW, AVX512VL	Intel Xeon Scalable Processor Family, Intel Core i3-8121U processor based on Cannon Lake microarchitecture.
CLWB	Intel Xeon Scalable Processor Family, Intel Atom® processor based on Tremont microarchitecture, 11th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Tiger Lake microarchitecture.
PKU	Intel Xeon Scalable Processor Family, 10th generation Intel® Core™ processors based on Comet Lake microarchitecture.
AVX512_IFMA, AVX512_VBMI	Intel Core i3-8121U processor based on Cannon Lake microarchitecture.
Intel® SHA Extensions	Intel Core i3-8121U processor based on Cannon Lake microarchitecture, Intel Atom processor based on Goldmont microarchitecture, 3rd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture.
UMIP	Intel Core i3-8121U processor based on Cannon Lake microarchitecture, Intel Atom processor based on Goldmont Plus microarchitecture.
PTWRITE	Intel Atom processor based on Goldmont Plus microarchitecture, 12th generation Intel® Core™ processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
RDPID	10th Generation Intel® Core™ processor family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture, Intel Atom processor based on Goldmont Plus microarchitecture.
AVX512_4FMAPS, AVX512_4VNNIW	Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 7215, 7285, 7295 Series.
AVX512_VNNI	2nd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family, 10th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture.
AVX512_VPOPCNTDQ	Intel Xeon Phi Processor 7215, 7285, 7295 Series, 10th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture.
Fast Short REP MOV	10th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture.
GFNI (SSE)	10th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture, Intel Atom processor based on Tremont microarchitecture.

Table 5-2. Instruction Set Extensions Introduction in Intel® 64 and IA-32 Processors (Contd.)

Instruction Set Architecture	Processor Generation Introduction
VAES, GFNI (AVX/AVX512), AVX512_VBMI2, VPCLMULQDQ, AVX512_BITALG	10th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture.
ENCLV	Future processors.
Split Lock Detection	10th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture, Intel Atom processor based on Tremont microarchitecture.
CLDEMOTe	Intel Atom processor based on Tremont microarchitecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
Direct stores: MOVDIRI, MOVDIR64B	Intel Atom processor based on Tremont microarchitecture, 11th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Tiger Lake microarchitecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
User wait: TPAUSE, UMONITOR, UMWAIT	Intel Atom processor based on Tremont microarchitecture, 12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
AVX512_BF16	3rd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Cooper Lake product, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
AVX512_VP2INTERSECT	11th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Tiger Lake microarchitecture.
Key Locker ¹	11th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Tiger Lake microarchitecture, 12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture.
Control-flow Enforcement Technology (CET)	11th Generation Intel Core processor family based on Tiger Lake microarchitecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
TME-MK ² , PCONFIG	3rd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture.
WBNOINVD	3rd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture.
LBRs (architectural)	12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
Intel® Virtualization Technology - Redirect Protection (Intel® VT-rp) and HLAT	12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
AVX-VNNI	12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture ³ , 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
SERIALIZE	12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
Intel® Thread Director and HRESET	12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture.
Fast zero-length REP MOVSB, fast short REP STOSB	12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
Fast Short REP CMPSB, fast short REP SCASB	4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
Supervisor Memory Protection Keys (PKS)	12th generation Intel Core processor based on Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture, 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
Attestation Services for Intel® SGX	3rd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture.
Enqueue Stores: ENQCMD and ENQCMDs	4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.

Table 5-2. Instruction Set Extensions Introduction in Intel® 64 and IA-32 Processors (Contd.)

Instruction Set Architecture	Processor Generation Introduction
Intel® TSX Suspend Load Address Tracking (TSXLDTRK)	4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
Intel® Advanced Matrix Extensions (Intel® AMX) Includes CPUID Leaf 1EH, “TMUL Information Main Leaf”, and CPUID bits AMX-BF16, AMX-TILE, and AMX-INT8.	4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
User Interrupts (UINTR)	4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
IPI Virtualization	4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.
AVX512-FP16, for the FP16 Data Type	4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture.

NOTES:

1. Details on Key Locker can be found in the Intel Key Locker Specification here:
<https://software.intel.com/content/www/us/en/develop/download/intel-key-locker-specification.html>.
2. Further details on TME-MK usage can be found here:
<https://software.intel.com/sites/default/files/managed/a5/16/Multi-Key-Total-Memory-Encryption-Spec.pdf>.
3. Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture does not support Intel® AVX-512. ISA features such as Intel® AVX, AVX-VNNI, Intel® AVX2, and UMONITOR/UMWAIT/TPAUSE are supported.

The following sections list instructions in each major group and subgroup. Given for each instruction is its mnemonic and descriptive names. When two or more mnemonics are given (for example, CMOVA/CMOVNBE), they represent different mnemonics for the same instruction opcode. Assemblers support redundant mnemonics for some instructions to make it easier to read code listings. For instance, CMOVA (Conditional move if above) and CMOVNBE (Conditional move if not below or equal) represent the same condition. For detailed information about specific instructions, see the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volumes 2A, 2B, 2C, & 2D.

5.1 GENERAL-PURPOSE INSTRUCTIONS

The general-purpose instructions perform basic data movement, arithmetic, logic, program flow, and string operations that programmers commonly use to write application and system software to run on Intel 64 and IA-32 processors. They operate on data contained in memory, in the general-purpose registers (EAX, EBX, ECX, EDX, EDI, ESI, EBP, and ESP) and in the EFLAGS register. They also operate on address information contained in memory, the general-purpose registers, and the segment registers (CS, DS, SS, ES, FS, and GS).

This group of instructions includes the data transfer, binary integer arithmetic, decimal arithmetic, logic operations, shift and rotate, bit and byte operations, program control, string, flag control, segment register operations, and miscellaneous subgroups. The sections that follow introduce each subgroup.

For more detailed information on general purpose-instructions, see Chapter 7, “Programming With General-Purpose Instructions.”

5.1.1 Data Transfer Instructions

The data transfer instructions move data between memory and the general-purpose and segment registers. They also perform specific operations such as conditional moves, stack access, and data conversion.

MOV	Move data between general-purpose registers; move data between memory and general-purpose or segment registers; move immediates to general-purpose registers.
CMOVE/CMOVZ	Conditional move if equal/Conditional move if zero.
CMOVNE/CMOVNZ	Conditional move if not equal/Conditional move if not zero.
CMOVA/CMOVNBE	Conditional move if above/Conditional move if not below or equal.
CMOVAE/CMOVNB	Conditional move if above or equal/Conditional move if not below.
CMOVBE/CMOVNAE	Conditional move if below/Conditional move if not above or equal.
CMOVBE/CMOVNA	Conditional move if below or equal/Conditional move if not above.
CMOVG/CMOVNLE	Conditional move if greater/Conditional move if not less or equal.
CMOVGE/CMOVNL	Conditional move if greater or equal/Conditional move if not less.
CMOVL/CMOVNGE	Conditional move if less/Conditional move if not greater or equal.
CMOVLE/CMOVNG	Conditional move if less or equal/Conditional move if not greater.
CMOVC	Conditional move if carry.
CMOVNC	Conditional move if not carry.
CMOVO	Conditional move if overflow.
CMOVNO	Conditional move if not overflow.
CMOVS	Conditional move if sign (negative).
CMOVNS	Conditional move if not sign (non-negative).
CMOVP/CMOVPE	Conditional move if parity/Conditional move if parity even.
CMOVNP/CMOVPO	Conditional move if not parity/Conditional move if parity odd.
XCHG	Exchange.
BSWAP	Byte swap.
XADD	Exchange and add.
CMPXCHG	Compare and exchange.
CMPXCHG8B	Compare and exchange 8 bytes.
PUSH	Push onto stack.
POP	Pop off of stack.
PUSHA/PUSHAD	Push general-purpose registers onto stack.
POPA/POPAD	Pop general-purpose registers from stack.
CWD/CDQ	Convert word to doubleword/Convert doubleword to quadword.
CBW/CWDE	Convert byte to word/Convert word to doubleword in EAX register.
MOVSX	Move and sign extend.
MOVZX	Move and zero extend.

5.1.2 Binary Arithmetic Instructions

The binary arithmetic instructions perform basic binary integer computations on byte, word, and doubleword integers located in memory and/or the general purpose registers.

ADCX	Unsigned integer add with carry.
ADOX	Unsigned integer add with overflow.
ADD	Integer add.
ADC	Add with carry.
SUB	Subtract.
SBB	Subtract with borrow.
IMUL	Signed multiply.
MUL	Unsigned multiply.
IDIV	Signed divide.

DIV	Unsigned divide.
INC	Increment.
DEC	Decrement.
NEG	Negate.
CMP	Compare.

5.1.3 Decimal Arithmetic Instructions

The decimal arithmetic instructions perform decimal arithmetic on binary coded decimal (BCD) data.

DAA	Decimal adjust after addition.
DAS	Decimal adjust after subtraction.
AAA	ASCII adjust after addition.
AAS	ASCII adjust after subtraction.
AAM	ASCII adjust after multiplication.
AAD	ASCII adjust before division.

5.1.4 Logical Instructions

The logical instructions perform basic AND, OR, XOR, and NOT logical operations on byte, word, and doubleword values.

AND	Perform bitwise logical AND.
OR	Perform bitwise logical OR.
XOR	Perform bitwise logical exclusive OR.
NOT	Perform bitwise logical NOT.

5.1.5 Shift and Rotate Instructions

The shift and rotate instructions shift and rotate the bits in word and doubleword operands.

SAR	Shift arithmetic right.
SHR	Shift logical right.
SAL/SHL	Shift arithmetic left/Shift logical left.
SHRD	Shift right double.
SHLD	Shift left double.
ROR	Rotate right.
ROL	Rotate left.
RCR	Rotate through carry right.
RCL	Rotate through carry left.

5.1.6 Bit and Byte Instructions

Bit instructions test and modify individual bits in word and doubleword operands. Byte instructions set the value of a byte operand to indicate the status of flags in the EFLAGS register.

BT	Bit test.
BTS	Bit test and set.
BTR	Bit test and reset.
BTC	Bit test and complement.
BSF	Bit scan forward.

BSR	Bit scan reverse.
SETE/SETZ	Set byte if equal/Set byte if zero.
SETNE/SETNZ	Set byte if not equal/Set byte if not zero.
SETA/SETNBE	Set byte if above/Set byte if not below or equal.
SETAE/SETNB/SETNC	Set byte if above or equal/Set byte if not below/Set byte if not carry.
SETB/SETNAE/SETC	Set byte if below/Set byte if not above or equal/Set byte if carry.
SETBE/SETNA	Set byte if below or equal/Set byte if not above.
SETG/SETNLE	Set byte if greater/Set byte if not less or equal.
SETGE/SETNL	Set byte if greater or equal/Set byte if not less.
SETL/SETNGE	Set byte if less/Set byte if not greater or equal.
SETLE/SETNG	Set byte if less or equal/Set byte if not greater.
SETS	Set byte if sign (negative).
SETNS	Set byte if not sign (non-negative).
SETO	Set byte if overflow.
SETNO	Set byte if not overflow.
SETPE/SETP	Set byte if parity even/Set byte if parity.
SETPO/SETNP	Set byte if parity odd/Set byte if not parity.
TEST	Logical compare.
CRC32 ¹	Provides hardware acceleration to calculate cyclic redundancy checks for fast and efficient implementation of data integrity protocols.
POPCNT ²	This instruction calculates of number of bits set to 1 in the second operand (source) and returns the count in the first operand (a destination register).

5.1.7 Control Transfer Instructions

The control transfer instructions provide jump, conditional jump, loop, and call and return operations to control program flow.

JMP	Jump.
JE/JZ	Jump if equal/Jump if zero.
JNE/JNZ	Jump if not equal/Jump if not zero.
JA/JNBE	Jump if above/Jump if not below or equal.
JAE/JNB	Jump if above or equal/Jump if not below.
JB/JNAE	Jump if below/Jump if not above or equal.
JBE/JNA	Jump if below or equal/Jump if not above.
JG/JNLE	Jump if greater/Jump if not less or equal.
JGE/JNL	Jump if greater or equal/Jump if not less.
JL/JNGE	Jump if less/Jump if not greater or equal.
JLE/JNG	Jump if less or equal/Jump if not greater.
JC	Jump if carry.
JNC	Jump if not carry.
JO	Jump if overflow.
JNO	Jump if not overflow.
JS	Jump if sign (negative).
JNS	Jump if not sign (non-negative).

1. Processor support of CRC32 is enumerated by CPUID.01:ECX[SSE4.2] = 1

2. Processor support of POPCNT is enumerated by CPUID.01:ECX[POPCNT] = 1

JPO/JNP	Jump if parity odd/Jump if not parity.
JPE/JP	Jump if parity even/Jump if parity.
JCXZ/JECXZ	Jump register CX zero/Jump register ECX zero.
LOOP	Loop with ECX counter.
LOOPZ/LOOPE	Loop with ECX and zero/Loop with ECX and equal.
LOOPNZ/LOOPNE	Loop with ECX and not zero/Loop with ECX and not equal.
CALL	Call procedure.
RET	Return.
IRET	Return from interrupt.
INT	Software interrupt.
INTO	Interrupt on overflow.
BOUND	Detect value out of range.
ENTER	High-level procedure entry.
LEAVE	High-level procedure exit.

5.1.8 String Instructions

The string instructions operate on strings of bytes, allowing them to be moved to and from memory.

MOVS/MOVS	Move string/Move byte string.
MOVS/MOVSW	Move string/Move word string.
MOVS/MOVSD	Move string/Move doubleword string.
CMPS/CMPSB	Compare string/Compare byte string.
CMPS/CMPSW	Compare string/Compare word string.
CMPS/CMPSD	Compare string/Compare doubleword string.
SCAS/SCASB	Scan string/Scan byte string.
SCAS/SCASW	Scan string/Scan word string.
SCAS/SCASD	Scan string/Scan doubleword string.
LODS/LODSB	Load string/Load byte string.
LODS/LODSW	Load string/Load word string.
LODS/LODSD	Load string/Load doubleword string.
STOS/STOSB	Store string/Store byte string.
STOS/STOSW	Store string/Store word string.
STOS/STOSD	Store string/Store doubleword string.
REP	Repeat while ECX not zero.
REPE/REPZ	Repeat while equal/Repeat while zero.
REPNE/REPNZ	Repeat while not equal/Repeat while not zero.

5.1.9 I/O Instructions

These instructions move data between the processor's I/O ports and a register or memory.

IN	Read from a port.
OUT	Write to a port.
INS/INSB	Input string from port/Input byte string from port.
INS/INSW	Input string from port/Input word string from port.
INS/INSD	Input string from port/Input doubleword string from port.
OUTS/OUTSB	Output string to port/Output byte string to port.
OUTS/OUTSW	Output string to port/Output word string to port.

OUTS/OUTSD Output string to port/Output doubleword string to port.

5.1.10 Enter and Leave Instructions

These instructions provide machine-language support for procedure calls in block-structured languages.

ENTER High-level procedure entry.
LEAVE High-level procedure exit.

5.1.11 Flag Control (EFLAG) Instructions

The flag control instructions operate on the flags in the EFLAGS register.

STC Set carry flag.
CLC Clear the carry flag.
CMC Complement the carry flag.
CLD Clear the direction flag.
STD Set direction flag.
LAHF Load flags into AH register.
SAHF Store AH register into flags.
PUSHF/PUSHFD Push EFLAGS onto stack.
POPF/POPF Pop EFLAGS from stack.
STI Set interrupt flag.
CLI Clear the interrupt flag.

5.1.12 Segment Register Instructions

The segment register instructions allow far pointers (segment addresses) to be loaded into the segment registers.

LDS Load far pointer using DS.
LES Load far pointer using ES.
LFS Load far pointer using FS.
LGS Load far pointer using GS.
LSS Load far pointer using SS.

5.1.13 Miscellaneous Instructions

The miscellaneous instructions provide such functions as loading an effective address, executing a “no-operation,” and retrieving processor identification information.

LEA Load effective address.
NOP No operation.
UD Undefined instruction.
XLAT/XLATB Table lookup translation.
CPUID Processor identification.
MOVBE¹ Move data after swapping data bytes.
PREFETCHW Prefetch data into cache in anticipation of write.
PREFETCHWT1 Prefetch hint T1 with intent to write.

1. Processor support of MOVBE is enumerated by CPUID.01:ECX.MOVBE[bit 22] = 1.

CLFLUSH	Flushes and invalidates a memory operand and its associated cache line from all levels of the processor's cache hierarchy.
CLFLUSHOPT	Flushes and invalidates a memory operand and its associated cache line from all levels of the processor's cache hierarchy with optimized memory system throughput.

5.1.14 User Mode Extended State Save/Restore Instructions

XSAVE	Save processor extended states to memory.
XSAVEC	Save processor extended states with compaction to memory.
XSAVEOPT	Save processor extended states to memory, optimized.
XRSTOR	Restore processor extended states from memory.
XGETBV	Reads the state of an extended control register.

5.1.15 Random Number Generator Instructions

RDRAND	Retrieves a random number generated from hardware.
RDSEED	Retrieves a random number generated from hardware.

5.1.16 BMI1 and BMI2 Instructions

ANDN	Bitwise AND of first source with inverted 2nd source operands.
BEXTR	Contiguous bitwise extract.
BLSI	Extract lowest set bit.
BLSMSK	Set all lower bits below first set bit to 1.
BLSR	Reset lowest set bit.
BZHI	Zero high bits starting from specified bit position.
LZCNT	Count the number leading zero bits.
MULX	Unsigned multiply without affecting arithmetic flags.
PDEP	Parallel deposit of bits using a mask.
PEXT	Parallel extraction of bits using a mask.
RORX	Rotate right without affecting arithmetic flags.
SARX	Shift arithmetic right.
SHLX	Shift logic left.
SHRX	Shift logic right.
TZCNT	Count the number trailing zero bits.

5.1.16.1 Detection of VEX-Encoded GPR Instructions, LZCNT, TZCNT, and PREFETCHW

VEX-encoded general-purpose instructions do not operate on any vector registers.

There are separate feature flags for the following subsets of instructions that operate on general purpose registers, and the detection requirements for hardware support are:

CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX.BMI1[bit 3]: if 1 indicates the processor supports the first group of advanced bit manipulation extensions (ANDN, BEXTR, BLSI, BLSMSK, BLSR, TZCNT);

CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX.BMI2[bit 8]: if 1 indicates the processor supports the second group of advanced bit manipulation extensions (BZHI, MULX, PDEP, PEXT, RORX, SARX, SHLX, SHRX);

CPUID.EAX=8000001H:ECX.LZCNT[bit 5]: if 1 indicates the processor supports the LZCNT instruction.

CPUID.EAX=8000001H:ECX.PREFETCHW[bit 8]: if 1 indicates the processor supports the PREFETCHW instruction. CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX.PREFETCHWT1[bit 0]: if 1 indicates the processor supports the PREFETCHWT1 instruction.

5.2 X87 FPU INSTRUCTIONS

The x87 FPU instructions are executed by the processor's x87 FPU. These instructions operate on floating-point, integer, and binary-coded decimal (BCD) operands. For more detail on x87 FPU instructions, see Chapter 8, "Programming with the x87 FPU."

These instructions are divided into the following subgroups: data transfer, load constants, and FPU control instructions. The sections that follow introduce each subgroup.

5.2.1 x87 FPU Data Transfer Instructions

The data transfer instructions move floating-point, integer, and BCD values between memory and the x87 FPU registers. They also perform conditional move operations on floating-point operands.

FLD	Load floating-point value.
FST	Store floating-point value.
FSTP	Store floating-point value and pop.
FILD	Load integer.
FIST	Store integer.
FISTP ¹	Store integer and pop.
FBLD	Load BCD.
FBSTP	Store BCD and pop.
FXCH	Exchange registers.
FCMOVE	Floating-point conditional move if equal.
FCMOVNE	Floating-point conditional move if not equal.
FCMOVB	Floating-point conditional move if below.
FCMOVBE	Floating-point conditional move if below or equal.
FCMOVNB	Floating-point conditional move if not below.
FCMOVNBE	Floating-point conditional move if not below or equal.
FCMOVU	Floating-point conditional move if unordered.
FCMOVNU	Floating-point conditional move if not unordered.

5.2.2 x87 FPU Basic Arithmetic Instructions

The basic arithmetic instructions perform basic arithmetic operations on floating-point and integer operands.

FADD	Add floating-point
FADDP	Add floating-point and pop
FIADD	Add integer
FSUB	Subtract floating-point
FSUBP	Subtract floating-point and pop
FISUB	Subtract integer
FSUBR	Subtract floating-point reverse
FSUBRP	Subtract floating-point reverse and pop
FISUBR	Subtract integer reverse
FMUL	Multiply floating-point
FMULP	Multiply floating-point and pop
FIMUL	Multiply integer
FDIV	Divide floating-point

1. SSE3 provides an instruction FISTTP for integer conversion.

FDIVP	Divide floating-point and pop
FIDIV	Divide integer
FDIVR	Divide floating-point reverse
FDIVRP	Divide floating-point reverse and pop
FIDIVR	Divide integer reverse
FPREM	Partial remainder
FPREM1	IEEE Partial remainder
FABS	Absolute value
FCHS	Change sign
FRNDINT	Round to integer
FSCALE	Scale by power of two
FSQRT	Square root
FXTRACT	Extract exponent and significand

5.2.3 x87 FPU Comparison Instructions

The compare instructions examine or compare floating-point or integer operands.

FCOM	Compare floating-point.
FCOMP	Compare floating-point and pop.
FCOMPP	Compare floating-point and pop twice.
FUCOM	Unordered compare floating-point.
FUCOMP	Unordered compare floating-point and pop.
FUCOMPP	Unordered compare floating-point and pop twice.
FICOM	Compare integer.
FICOMP	Compare integer and pop.
FCOMI	Compare floating-point and set EFLAGS.
FUCOMI	Unordered compare floating-point and set EFLAGS.
FCOMIP	Compare floating-point, set EFLAGS, and pop.
FUCOMIP	Unordered compare floating-point, set EFLAGS, and pop.
FTST	Test floating-point (compare with 0.0).
FXAM	Examine floating-point.

5.2.4 x87 FPU Transcendental Instructions

The transcendental instructions perform basic trigonometric and logarithmic operations on floating-point operands.

FSIN	Sine
FCOS	Cosine
FSINCOS	Sine and cosine
FPTAN	Partial tangent
FPATAN	Partial arctangent
F2XM1	$2^x - 1$
FYL2X	$y * \log_2 x$
FYL2XP1	$y * \log_2(x+1)$

5.2.5 x87 FPU Load Constants Instructions

The load constants instructions load common constants, such as π , into the x87 floating-point registers.

FLD1	Load +1.0
FLDZ	Load +0.0
FLDPI	Load π
FLDL2E	Load $\log_2 e$
FLDLN2	Load $\log_e 2$
FLDL2T	Load $\log_2 10$
FLDLG2	Load $\log_{10} 2$

5.2.6 x87 FPU Control Instructions

The x87 FPU control instructions operate on the x87 FPU register stack and save and restore the x87 FPU state.

FINCSTP	Increment FPU register stack pointer.
FDECSTP	Decrement FPU register stack pointer.
FFREE	Free floating-point register.
FINIT	Initialize FPU after checking error conditions.
FNINIT	Initialize FPU without checking error conditions.
FCLEX	Clear floating-point exception flags after checking for error conditions.
FNCLEX	Clear floating-point exception flags without checking for error conditions.
FSTCW	Store FPU control word after checking error conditions.
FNSTCW	Store FPU control word without checking error conditions.
FLDCW	Load FPU control word.
FSTENV	Store FPU environment after checking error conditions.
FNSTENV	Store FPU environment without checking error conditions.
FLDENV	Load FPU environment.
FSAVE	Save FPU state after checking error conditions.
FNSAVE	Save FPU state without checking error conditions.
FRSTOR	Restore FPU state.
FSTSW	Store FPU status word after checking error conditions.
FNSTSW	Store FPU status word without checking error conditions.
WAIT/FWAIT	Wait for FPU.
FNOP	FPU no operation.

5.3 X87 FPU AND SIMD STATE MANAGEMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Two state management instructions were introduced into the IA-32 architecture with the Pentium II processor family:

FXSAVE	Save x87 FPU and SIMD state.
FXRSTOR	Restore x87 FPU and SIMD state.

Initially, these instructions operated only on the x87 FPU (and MMX) registers to perform a fast save and restore, respectively, of the x87 FPU and MMX state. With the introduction of SSE extensions in the Pentium III processor family, these instructions were expanded to also save and restore the state of the XMM and MXCSR registers. Intel 64 architecture also supports these instructions.

See Section 10.5, "FXSAVE and FXRSTOR Instructions," for more detail.

5.4 MMX INSTRUCTIONS

Four extensions have been introduced into the IA-32 architecture to permit IA-32 processors to perform single-instruction multiple-data (SIMD) operations. These extensions include the MMX technology, SSE extensions, SSE2 extensions, and SSE3 extensions. For a discussion that puts SIMD instructions in their historical context, see Section 2.2.7, “SIMD Instructions.”

MMX instructions operate on packed byte, word, doubleword, or quadword integer operands contained in memory, in MMX registers, and/or in general-purpose registers. For more detail on these instructions, see Chapter 9, “Programming with Intel® MMX™ Technology.”

MMX instructions can only be executed on Intel 64 and IA-32 processors that support the MMX technology. Support for these instructions can be detected with the CPUID instruction. See the description of the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A.

MMX instructions are divided into the following subgroups: data transfer, conversion, packed arithmetic, comparison, logical, shift and rotate, and state management instructions. The sections that follow introduce each subgroup.

5.4.1 MMX Data Transfer Instructions

The data transfer instructions move doubleword and quadword operands between MMX registers and between MMX registers and memory.

MOVD	Move doubleword.
MOVQ	Move quadword.

5.4.2 MMX Conversion Instructions

The conversion instructions pack and unpack bytes, words, and doublewords

PACKSSWB	Pack words into bytes with signed saturation.
PACKSSDW	Pack doublewords into words with signed saturation.
PACKUSWB	Pack words into bytes with unsigned saturation.
PUNPCKHBW	Unpack high-order bytes.
PUNPCKHWD	Unpack high-order words.
PUNPCKHDQ	Unpack high-order doublewords.
PUNPCKLBW	Unpack low-order bytes.
PUNPCKLWD	Unpack low-order words.
PUNPCKLDQ	Unpack low-order doublewords.

5.4.3 MMX Packed Arithmetic Instructions

The packed arithmetic instructions perform packed integer arithmetic on packed byte, word, and doubleword integers.

PADDB	Add packed byte integers.
PADDW	Add packed word integers.
PADDD	Add packed doubleword integers.
PADDSB	Add packed signed byte integers with signed saturation.
PADDSW	Add packed signed word integers with signed saturation.
PADDUSB	Add packed unsigned byte integers with unsigned saturation.
PADDUSW	Add packed unsigned word integers with unsigned saturation.
PSUBB	Subtract packed byte integers.
PSUBW	Subtract packed word integers.

PSUBD	Subtract packed doubleword integers.
PSUBSB	Subtract packed signed byte integers with signed saturation.
PSUBSW	Subtract packed signed word integers with signed saturation.
PSUBUSB	Subtract packed unsigned byte integers with unsigned saturation.
PSUBUSW	Subtract packed unsigned word integers with unsigned saturation.
PMULHW	Multiply packed signed word integers and store high result.
PMULLW	Multiply packed signed word integers and store low result.
PMADDWD	Multiply and add packed word integers.

5.4.4 MMX Comparison Instructions

The compare instructions compare packed bytes, words, or doublewords.

PCMPEQB	Compare packed bytes for equal.
PCMPEQW	Compare packed words for equal.
PCMPEQD	Compare packed doublewords for equal.
PCMPGTB	Compare packed signed byte integers for greater than.
PCMPGTW	Compare packed signed word integers for greater than.
PCMPGTD	Compare packed signed doubleword integers for greater than.

5.4.5 MMX Logical Instructions

The logical instructions perform AND, AND NOT, OR, and XOR operations on quadword operands.

PAND	Bitwise logical AND.
PANDN	Bitwise logical AND NOT.
POR	Bitwise logical OR.
PXOR	Bitwise logical exclusive OR.

5.4.6 MMX Shift and Rotate Instructions

The shift and rotate instructions shift and rotate packed bytes, words, or doublewords, or quadwords in 64-bit operands.

PSLLW	Shift packed words left logical.
PSLLD	Shift packed doublewords left logical.
PSLLQ	Shift packed quadword left logical.
PSRLW	Shift packed words right logical.
PSRLD	Shift packed doublewords right logical.
PSRLQ	Shift packed quadword right logical.
PSRAW	Shift packed words right arithmetic.
PSRAD	Shift packed doublewords right arithmetic.

5.4.7 MMX State Management Instructions

The EMMS instruction clears the MMX state from the MMX registers.

EMMS	Empty MMX state.
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5.5 INTEL® SSE INSTRUCTIONS

Intel SSE instructions represent an extension of the SIMD execution model introduced with the MMX technology. For more detail on these instructions, see Chapter 10, “Programming with Intel® Streaming SIMD Extensions (Intel® SSE).”

Intel SSE instructions can only be executed on Intel 64 and IA-32 processors that support Intel SSE extensions. Support for these instructions can be detected with the CPUID instruction. See the description of the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A.

Intel SSE instructions are divided into four subgroups (note that the first subgroup has subordinate subgroups of its own):

- SIMD single precision floating-point instructions that operate on the XMM registers.
- MXCSR state management instructions.
- 64-bit SIMD integer instructions that operate on the MMX registers.
- Cacheability control, prefetch, and instruction ordering instructions.

The following sections provide an overview of these groups.

5.5.1 Intel® SSE SIMD Single Precision Floating-Point Instructions

These instructions operate on packed and scalar single precision floating-point values located in XMM registers and/or memory. This subgroup is further divided into the following subordinate subgroups: data transfer, packed arithmetic, comparison, logical, shuffle and unpack, and conversion instructions.

5.5.1.1 Intel® SSE Data Transfer Instructions

Intel SSE data transfer instructions move packed and scalar single precision floating-point operands between XMM registers and between XMM registers and memory.

MOVAPS	Move four aligned packed single precision floating-point values between XMM registers or between and XMM register and memory.
MOVUPS	Move four unaligned packed single precision floating-point values between XMM registers or between and XMM register and memory.
MOVHPS	Move two packed single precision floating-point values to an from the high quadword of an XMM register and memory.
MOVHLPS	Move two packed single precision floating-point values from the high quadword of an XMM register to the low quadword of another XMM register.
MOVLPS	Move two packed single precision floating-point values to an from the low quadword of an XMM register and memory.
MOVLHPS	Move two packed single precision floating-point values from the low quadword of an XMM register to the high quadword of another XMM register.
MOVMSKPS	Extract sign mask from four packed single precision floating-point values.
MOVSS	Move scalar single precision floating-point value between XMM registers or between an XMM register and memory.

5.5.1.2 Intel® SSE Packed Arithmetic Instructions

Intel SSE packed arithmetic instructions perform packed and scalar arithmetic operations on packed and scalar single precision floating-point operands.

ADDPS	Add packed single precision floating-point values.
ADDSS	Add scalar single precision floating-point values.
SUBPS	Subtract packed single precision floating-point values.
SUBSS	Subtract scalar single precision floating-point values.

MULPS	Multiply packed single precision floating-point values.
MULSS	Multiply scalar single precision floating-point values.
DIVPS	Divide packed single precision floating-point values.
DIVSS	Divide scalar single precision floating-point values.
RCPPS	Compute reciprocals of packed single precision floating-point values.
RCPSS	Compute reciprocal of scalar single precision floating-point values.
SQRTPS	Compute square roots of packed single precision floating-point values.
SQRTSS	Compute square root of scalar single precision floating-point values.
RSQRTPS	Compute reciprocals of square roots of packed single precision floating-point values.
RSQRTSS	Compute reciprocal of square root of scalar single precision floating-point values.
MAXPS	Return maximum packed single precision floating-point values.
MAXSS	Return maximum scalar single precision floating-point values.
MINPS	Return minimum packed single precision floating-point values.
MINSS	Return minimum scalar single precision floating-point values.

5.5.1.3 Intel® SSE Comparison Instructions

Intel SSE compare instructions compare packed and scalar single precision floating-point operands.

CMPPS	Compare packed single precision floating-point values.
CMPSS	Compare scalar single precision floating-point values.
COMISS	Perform ordered comparison of scalar single precision floating-point values and set flags in EFLAGS register.
UCOMISS	Perform unordered comparison of scalar single precision floating-point values and set flags in EFLAGS register.

5.5.1.4 Intel® SSE Logical Instructions

Intel SSE logical instructions perform bitwise AND, AND NOT, OR, and XOR operations on packed single precision floating-point operands.

ANDPS	Perform bitwise logical AND of packed single precision floating-point values.
ANDNPS	Perform bitwise logical AND NOT of packed single precision floating-point values.
ORPS	Perform bitwise logical OR of packed single precision floating-point values.
XORPS	Perform bitwise logical XOR of packed single precision floating-point values.

5.5.1.5 Intel® SSE Shuffle and Unpack Instructions

Intel SSE shuffle and unpack instructions shuffle or interleave single precision floating-point values in packed single precision floating-point operands.

SHUFPS	Shuffles values in packed single precision floating-point operands.
UNPCKHPS	Unpacks and interleaves the two high-order values from two single precision floating-point operands.
UNPCKLPS	Unpacks and interleaves the two low-order values from two single precision floating-point operands.

5.5.1.6 Intel® SSE Conversion Instructions

Intel SSE conversion instructions convert packed and individual doubleword integers into packed and scalar single precision floating-point values and vice versa.

CVTPI2PS	Convert packed doubleword integers to packed single precision floating-point values.
CVTSI2SS	Convert doubleword integer to scalar single precision floating-point value.

CVTSP2PI	Convert packed single precision floating-point values to packed doubleword integers.
CVTTPS2PI	Convert with truncation packed single precision floating-point values to packed doubleword integers.
CVTSS2SI	Convert a scalar single precision floating-point value to a doubleword integer.
CVTTSS2SI	Convert with truncation a scalar single precision floating-point value to a scalar doubleword integer.

5.5.2 Intel® SSE MXCSR State Management Instructions

MXCSR state management instructions allow saving and restoring the state of the MXCSR control and status register.

LDMXCSR	Load MXCSR register.
STMXCSR	Save MXCSR register state.

5.5.3 Intel® SSE 64-Bit SIMD Integer Instructions

These Intel SSE 64-bit SIMD integer instructions perform additional operations on packed bytes, words, or doublewords contained in MMX registers. They represent enhancements to the MMX instruction set described in Section 5.4, "MMX Instructions."

PAVGB	Compute average of packed unsigned byte integers.
PAVGW	Compute average of packed unsigned word integers.
PEXTRW	Extract word.
PINSRW	Insert word.
PMAXUB	Maximum of packed unsigned byte integers.
PMAXSW	Maximum of packed signed word integers.
PMINUB	Minimum of packed unsigned byte integers.
PMINSW	Minimum of packed signed word integers.
PMOVMASKB	Move byte mask.
PMULHUW	Multiply packed unsigned integers and store high result.
PSADBW	Compute sum of absolute differences.
PSHUFW	Shuffle packed integer word in MMX register.

5.5.4 Intel® SSE Cacheability Control, Prefetch, and Instruction Ordering Instructions

The cacheability control instructions provide control over the caching of non-temporal data when storing data from the MMX and XMM registers to memory. The `PREFETCHh` allows data to be prefetched to a selected cache level. The `SFENCE` instruction controls instruction ordering on store operations.

MASKMOVQ	Non-temporal store of selected bytes from an MMX register into memory.
MOVNTQ	Non-temporal store of quadword from an MMX register into memory.
MOVNTPS	Non-temporal store of four packed single precision floating-point values from an XMM register into memory.
PREFETCHh	Load 32 or more of bytes from memory to a selected level of the processor's cache hierarchy
SFENCE	Serializes store operations.

5.6 INTEL® SSE2 INSTRUCTIONS

Intel SSE2 extensions represent an extension of the SIMD execution model introduced with MMX technology and the Intel SSE extensions. Intel SSE2 instructions operate on packed double precision floating-point operands and

on packed byte, word, doubleword, and quadword operands located in the XMM registers. For more detail on these instructions, see Chapter 11, “Programming with Intel® Streaming SIMD Extensions 2 (Intel® SSE2).”

Intel SSE2 instructions can only be executed on Intel 64 and IA-32 processors that support the Intel SSE2 extensions. Support for these instructions can be detected with the CPUID instruction. See the description of the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A.

These instructions are divided into four subgroups (note that the first subgroup is further divided into subordinate subgroups):

- Packed and scalar double precision floating-point instructions.
- Packed single precision floating-point conversion instructions.
- 128-bit SIMD integer instructions.
- Cacheability-control and instruction ordering instructions.

The following sections give an overview of each subgroup.

5.6.1 Intel® SSE2 Packed and Scalar Double Precision Floating-Point Instructions

Intel SSE2 packed and scalar double precision floating-point instructions are divided into the following subordinate subgroups: data movement, arithmetic, comparison, conversion, logical, and shuffle operations on double precision floating-point operands. These are introduced in the sections that follow.

5.6.1.1 Intel® SSE2 Data Movement Instructions

Intel SSE2 data movement instructions move double precision floating-point data between XMM registers and between XMM registers and memory.

MOVAPD	Move two aligned packed double precision floating-point values between XMM registers or between and XMM register and memory.
MOVUPD	Move two unaligned packed double precision floating-point values between XMM registers or between and XMM register and memory.
MOVHPD	Move high packed double precision floating-point value to an from the high quadword of an XMM register and memory.
MOVLPD	Move low packed single precision floating-point value to an from the low quadword of an XMM register and memory.
MOVMSKPD	Extract sign mask from two packed double precision floating-point values.
MOVSD	Move scalar double precision floating-point value between XMM registers or between an XMM register and memory.

5.6.1.2 Intel® SSE2 Packed Arithmetic Instructions

The arithmetic instructions perform addition, subtraction, multiply, divide, square root, and maximum/minimum operations on packed and scalar double precision floating-point operands.

ADDPD	Add packed double precision floating-point values.
ADDSD	Add scalar double precision floating-point values.
SUBPD	Subtract packed double precision floating-point values.
SUBSD	Subtract scalar double precision floating-point values.
MULPD	Multiply packed double precision floating-point values.
MULSD	Multiply scalar double precision floating-point values.
DIVPD	Divide packed double precision floating-point values.
DIVSD	Divide scalar double precision floating-point values.
SQRTPD	Compute packed square roots of packed double precision floating-point values.
SQRTSD	Compute scalar square root of scalar double precision floating-point values.

MAXPD	Return maximum packed double precision floating-point values.
MAXSD	Return maximum scalar double precision floating-point values.
MINPD	Return minimum packed double precision floating-point values.
MINSD	Return minimum scalar double precision floating-point values.

5.6.1.3 Intel® SSE2 Logical Instructions

Intel SSE2 logical instructions perform AND, AND NOT, OR, and XOR operations on packed double precision floating-point values.

ANDPD	Perform bitwise logical AND of packed double precision floating-point values.
ANDNPD	Perform bitwise logical AND NOT of packed double precision floating-point values.
ORPD	Perform bitwise logical OR of packed double precision floating-point values.
XORPD	Perform bitwise logical XOR of packed double precision floating-point values.

5.6.1.4 Intel® SSE2 Compare Instructions

Intel SSE2 compare instructions compare packed and scalar double precision floating-point values and return the results of the comparison either to the destination operand or to the EFLAGS register.

CMPPD	Compare packed double precision floating-point values.
CMPSD	Compare scalar double precision floating-point values.
COMISD	Perform ordered comparison of scalar double precision floating-point values and set flags in EFLAGS register.
UCOMISD	Perform unordered comparison of scalar double precision floating-point values and set flags in EFLAGS register.

5.6.1.5 Intel® SSE2 Shuffle and Unpack Instructions

Intel SSE2 shuffle and unpack instructions shuffle or interleave double precision floating-point values in packed double precision floating-point operands.

SHUFPD	Shuffles values in packed double precision floating-point operands.
UNPCKHPD	Unpacks and interleaves the high values from two packed double precision floating-point operands.
UNPCKLPD	Unpacks and interleaves the low values from two packed double precision floating-point operands.

5.6.1.6 Intel® SSE2 Conversion Instructions

Intel SSE2 conversion instructions convert packed and individual doubleword integers into packed and scalar double precision floating-point values and vice versa. They also convert between packed and scalar single precision and double precision floating-point values.

CVTPD2PI	Convert packed double precision floating-point values to packed doubleword integers.
CVTTPD2PI	Convert with truncation packed double precision floating-point values to packed doubleword integers.
CVTPI2PD	Convert packed doubleword integers to packed double precision floating-point values.
CVTPD2DQ	Convert packed double precision floating-point values to packed doubleword integers.
CVTTPD2DQ	Convert with truncation packed double precision floating-point values to packed doubleword integers.
CVTDQ2PD	Convert packed doubleword integers to packed double precision floating-point values.
CVTPS2PD	Convert packed single precision floating-point values to packed double precision floating-point values.

CVTPD2PS	Convert packed double precision floating-point values to packed single precision floating-point values.
CVTSS2SD	Convert scalar single precision floating-point values to scalar double precision floating-point values.
CVTSD2SS	Convert scalar double precision floating-point values to scalar single precision floating-point values.
CVTSD2SI	Convert scalar double precision floating-point values to a doubleword integer.
CVTTSD2SI	Convert with truncation scalar double precision floating-point values to scalar doubleword integers.
CVTSI2SD	Convert doubleword integer to scalar double precision floating-point value.

5.6.2 Intel® SSE2 Packed Single Precision Floating-Point Instructions

Intel SSE2 packed single precision floating-point instructions perform conversion operations on single precision floating-point and integer operands. These instructions represent enhancements to the Intel SSE single precision floating-point instructions.

CVTDQ2PS	Convert packed doubleword integers to packed single precision floating-point values.
CVTPS2DQ	Convert packed single precision floating-point values to packed doubleword integers.
CVTTPS2DQ	Convert with truncation packed single precision floating-point values to packed doubleword integers.

5.6.3 Intel® SSE2 128-Bit SIMD Integer Instructions

Intel SSE2 SIMD integer instructions perform additional operations on packed words, doublewords, and quadwords contained in XMM and MMX registers.

MOVDQA	Move aligned double quadword.
MOVDQU	Move unaligned double quadword.
MOVQ2DQ	Move quadword integer from MMX to XMM registers.
MOVDQ2Q	Move quadword integer from XMM to MMX registers.
PMULUDQ	Multiply packed unsigned doubleword integers.
PADDQ	Add packed quadword integers.
PSUBQ	Subtract packed quadword integers.
PSHUFLW	Shuffle packed low words.
PSHUFHW	Shuffle packed high words.
PSHUFDB	Shuffle packed doublewords.
PSLLDQ	Shift double quadword left logical.
PSRLDQ	Shift double quadword right logical.
PUNPCKHQDQ	Unpack high quadwords.
PUNPCKLQDQ	Unpack low quadwords.

5.6.4 Intel® SSE2 Cacheability Control and Ordering Instructions

Intel SSE2 cacheability control instructions provide additional operations for caching of non-temporal data when storing data from XMM registers to memory. LFENCE and MFENCE provide additional control of instruction ordering on store operations.

CLFLUSH	See Section 5.1.13.
LFENCE	Serializes load operations.
MFENCE	Serializes load and store operations.
PAUSE	Improves the performance of “spin-wait loops”.

MASKMOVDQU	Non-temporal store of selected bytes from an XMM register into memory.
MOVNTPD	Non-temporal store of two packed double precision floating-point values from an XMM register into memory.
MOVNTDQ	Non-temporal store of double quadword from an XMM register into memory.
MOVNTI	Non-temporal store of a doubleword from a general-purpose register into memory.

5.7 INTEL® SSE3 INSTRUCTIONS

The Intel SSE3 extensions offers 13 instructions that accelerate performance of Streaming SIMD Extensions technology, Streaming SIMD Extensions 2 technology, and x87-FP math capabilities. These instructions can be grouped into the following categories:

- One x87FPU instruction used in integer conversion.
- One SIMD integer instruction that addresses unaligned data loads.
- Two SIMD floating-point packed ADD/SUB instructions.
- Four SIMD floating-point horizontal ADD/SUB instructions.
- Three SIMD floating-point LOAD/MOVE/DUPLICATE instructions.
- Two thread synchronization instructions.

Intel SSE3 instructions can only be executed on Intel 64 and IA-32 processors that support Intel SSE3 extensions. Support for these instructions can be detected with the CPUID instruction. See the description of the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A.

The sections that follow describe each subgroup.

5.7.1 Intel® SSE3 x87-FP Integer Conversion Instruction

FISTTP	Behaves like the FISTP instruction but uses truncation, irrespective of the rounding mode specified in the floating-point control word (FCW).
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5.7.2 Intel® SSE3 Specialized 128-bit Unaligned Data Load Instruction

LDDQU	Special 128-bit unaligned load designed to avoid cache line splits.
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5.7.3 Intel® SSE3 SIMD Floating-Point Packed ADD/SUB Instructions

ADDSUBPS	Performs single precision addition on the second and fourth pairs of 32-bit data elements within the operands; single precision subtraction on the first and third pairs.
ADDSUBPD	Performs double precision addition on the second pair of quadwords, and double precision subtraction on the first pair.

5.7.4 Intel® SSE3 SIMD Floating-Point Horizontal ADD/SUB Instructions

HADDPS	Performs a single precision addition on contiguous data elements. The first data element of the result is obtained by adding the first and second elements of the first operand; the second element by adding the third and fourth elements of the first operand; the third by adding the first and second elements of the second operand; and the fourth by adding the third and fourth elements of the second operand.
HSUBPS	Performs a single precision subtraction on contiguous data elements. The first data element of the result is obtained by subtracting the second element of the first operand from the first element of the first operand; the second element by subtracting the fourth element of the first operand from the third element of the first operand; the third by

subtracting the second element of the second operand from the first element of the second operand; and the fourth by subtracting the fourth element of the second operand from the third element of the second operand.

HADDPD	Performs a double precision addition on contiguous data elements. The first data element of the result is obtained by adding the first and second elements of the first operand; the second element by adding the first and second elements of the second operand.
HSUBPD	Performs a double precision subtraction on contiguous data elements. The first data element of the result is obtained by subtracting the second element of the first operand from the first element of the first operand; the second element by subtracting the second element of the second operand from the first element of the second operand.

5.7.5 Intel® SSE3 SIMD Floating-Point LOAD/MOVE/DUPLICATE Instructions

MOVSHDUP	Loads/moves 128 bits; duplicating the second and fourth 32-bit data elements.
MOVSLDUP	Loads/moves 128 bits; duplicating the first and third 32-bit data elements.
MOVDDUP	Loads/moves 64 bits (bits[63:0] if the source is a register) and returns the same 64 bits in both the lower and upper halves of the 128-bit result register; duplicates the 64 bits from the source.

5.7.6 Intel® SSE3 Agent Synchronization Instructions

MONITOR	Sets up an address range used to monitor write-back stores.
MWAIT	Enables a logical processor to enter into an optimized state while waiting for a write-back store to the address range set up by the MONITOR instruction.

5.8 SUPPLEMENTAL STREAMING SIMD EXTENSIONS 3 (SSSE3) INSTRUCTIONS

SSSE3 provide 32 instructions (represented by 14 mnemonics) to accelerate computations on packed integers. These include:

- Twelve instructions that perform horizontal addition or subtraction operations.
- Six instructions that evaluate absolute values.
- Two instructions that perform multiply and add operations and speed up the evaluation of dot products.
- Two instructions that accelerate packed-integer multiply operations and produce integer values with scaling.
- Two instructions that perform a byte-wise, in-place shuffle according to the second shuffle control operand.
- Six instructions that negate packed integers in the destination operand if the signs of the corresponding element in the source operand is less than zero.
- Two instructions that align data from the composite of two operands.

SSSE3 instructions can only be executed on Intel 64 and IA-32 processors that support SSSE3 extensions. Support for these instructions can be detected with the CPUID instruction. See the description of the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A.

The sections that follow describe each subgroup.

5.8.1 Horizontal Addition/Subtraction

PHADDW	Adds two adjacent, signed 16-bit integers horizontally from the source and destination operands and packs the signed 16-bit results to the destination operand.
PHADDSW	Adds two adjacent, signed 16-bit integers horizontally from the source and destination operands and packs the signed, saturated 16-bit results to the destination operand.

PHADD	Adds two adjacent, signed 32-bit integers horizontally from the source and destination operands and packs the signed 32-bit results to the destination operand.
PHSUBW	Performs horizontal subtraction on each adjacent pair of 16-bit signed integers by subtracting the most significant word from the least significant word of each pair in the source and destination operands. The signed 16-bit results are packed and written to the destination operand.
PHSUBSW	Performs horizontal subtraction on each adjacent pair of 16-bit signed integers by subtracting the most significant word from the least significant word of each pair in the source and destination operands. The signed, saturated 16-bit results are packed and written to the destination operand.
PHSUBD	Performs horizontal subtraction on each adjacent pair of 32-bit signed integers by subtracting the most significant doubleword from the least significant double word of each pair in the source and destination operands. The signed 32-bit results are packed and written to the destination operand.

5.8.2 Packed Absolute Values

PABSB	Computes the absolute value of each signed byte data element.
PABSW	Computes the absolute value of each signed 16-bit data element.
PABSD	Computes the absolute value of each signed 32-bit data element.

5.8.3 Multiply and Add Packed Signed and Unsigned Bytes

PMADDUBSW	Multiplies each unsigned byte value with the corresponding signed byte value to produce an intermediate, 16-bit signed integer. Each adjacent pair of 16-bit signed values are added horizontally. The signed, saturated 16-bit results are packed to the destination operand.
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5.8.4 Packed Multiply High with Round and Scale

PMULHRSW	Multiplies vertically each signed 16-bit integer from the destination operand with the corresponding signed 16-bit integer of the source operand, producing intermediate, signed 32-bit integers. Each intermediate 32-bit integer is truncated to the 18 most significant bits. Rounding is always performed by adding 1 to the least significant bit of the 18-bit intermediate result. The final result is obtained by selecting the 16 bits immediately to the right of the most significant bit of each 18-bit intermediate result and packed to the destination operand.
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5.8.5 Packed Shuffle Bytes

PSHUFB	Permutates each byte in place, according to a shuffle control mask. The least significant three or four bits of each shuffle control byte of the control mask form the shuffle index. The shuffle mask is unaffected. If the most significant bit (bit 7) of a shuffle control byte is set, the constant zero is written in the result byte.
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5.8.6 Packed Sign

PSIGNB/W/D	Negates each signed integer element of the destination operand if the sign of the corresponding data element in the source operand is less than zero.
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5.8.7 Packed Align Right

PALIGNR

Source operand is appended after the destination operand forming an intermediate value of twice the width of an operand. The result is extracted from the intermediate value into the destination operand by selecting the 128 bit or 64 bit value that are right-aligned to the byte offset specified by the immediate value.

5.9 INTEL® SSE4 INSTRUCTIONS

Intel Streaming SIMD Extensions 4 (Intel SSE4) introduces 54 new instructions. 47 of the Intel SSE4 instructions are referred to as Intel SSE4.1 in this document, and 7 new Intel SSE4 instructions are referred to as Intel SSE4.2.

Intel SSE4.1 is targeted to improve the performance of media, imaging, and 3D workloads. Intel SSE4.1 adds instructions that improve compiler vectorization and significantly increase support for packed dword computation. The technology also provides a hint that can improve memory throughput when reading from uncacheable WC memory type.

The 47 Intel SSE4.1 instructions include:

- Two instructions perform packed dword multiplies.
- Two instructions perform floating-point dot products with input/output selects.
- One instruction performs a load with a streaming hint.
- Six instructions simplify packed blending.
- Eight instructions expand support for packed integer MIN/MAX.
- Four instructions support floating-point round with selectable rounding mode and precision exception override.
- Seven instructions improve data insertion and extractions from XMM registers
- Twelve instructions improve packed integer format conversions (sign and zero extensions).
- One instruction improves SAD (sum absolute difference) generation for small block sizes.
- One instruction aids horizontal searching operations.
- One instruction improves masked comparisons.
- One instruction adds qword packed equality comparisons.
- One instruction adds dword packing with unsigned saturation.

The Intel SSE4.2 instructions operating on XMM registers include:

- String and text processing that can take advantage of single-instruction multiple-data programming techniques.
- A SIMD integer instruction that enhances the capability of the 128-bit integer SIMD capability in SSE4.1.

5.10 INTEL® SSE4.1 INSTRUCTIONS

Intel SSE4.1 instructions can use an XMM register as a source or destination. Programming Intel SSE4.1 is similar to programming 128-bit Integer SIMD and floating-point SIMD instructions in Intel SSE/SSE2/SSE3/SSSE3. Intel SSE4.1 does not provide any 64-bit integer SIMD instructions operating on MMX registers. The sections that follow describe each subgroup.

5.10.1 Dword Multiply Instructions

PMULLD

Returns four lower 32-bits of the 64-bit results of signed 32-bit integer multiplies.

PMULDQ

Returns two 64-bit signed result of signed 32-bit integer multiplies.

5.10.2 Floating-Point Dot Product Instructions

DPPD	Perform double precision dot product for up to 2 elements and broadcast.
DPPS	Perform single precision dot products for up to 4 elements and broadcast.

5.10.3 Streaming Load Hint Instruction

MOVNTDQA	Provides a non-temporal hint that can cause adjacent 16-byte items within an aligned 64-byte region (a streaming line) to be fetched and held in a small set of temporary buffers ("streaming load buffers"). Subsequent streaming loads to other aligned 16-byte items in the same streaming line may be supplied from the streaming load buffer and can improve throughput.
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5.10.4 Packed Blending Instructions

BLENDPD	Conditionally copies specified double precision floating-point data elements in the source operand to the corresponding data elements in the destination, using an immediate byte control.
BLENDPS	Conditionally copies specified single precision floating-point data elements in the source operand to the corresponding data elements in the destination, using an immediate byte control.
BLENDVDP	Conditionally copies specified double precision floating-point data elements in the source operand to the corresponding data elements in the destination, using an implied mask.
BLENDVPS	Conditionally copies specified single precision floating-point data elements in the source operand to the corresponding data elements in the destination, using an implied mask.
PBLENDVB	Conditionally copies specified byte elements in the source operand to the corresponding elements in the destination, using an implied mask.
PBLENDW	Conditionally copies specified word elements in the source operand to the corresponding elements in the destination, using an immediate byte control.

5.10.5 Packed Integer MIN/MAX Instructions

PMINUW	Compare packed unsigned word integers.
PMINUD	Compare packed unsigned dword integers.
PMINSB	Compare packed signed byte integers.
PMINSD	Compare packed signed dword integers.
PMAXUW	Compare packed unsigned word integers.
PMAXUD	Compare packed unsigned dword integers.
PMAXSB	Compare packed signed byte integers.
PMAXSD	Compare packed signed dword integers.

5.10.6 Floating-Point Round Instructions with Selectable Rounding Mode

ROUNDPS	Round packed single precision floating-point values into integer values and return rounded floating-point values.
ROUNDPD	Round packed double precision floating-point values into integer values and return rounded floating-point values.
ROUNDSS	Round the low packed single precision floating-point value into an integer value and return a rounded floating-point value.
ROUNDSD	Round the low packed double precision floating-point value into an integer value and return a rounded floating-point value.

5.10.7 Insertion and Extractions from XMM Registers

EXTRACTPS	Extracts a single precision floating-point value from a specified offset in an XMM register and stores the result to memory or a general-purpose register.
INSERTPS	Inserts a single precision floating-point value from either a 32-bit memory location or selected from a specified offset in an XMM register to a specified offset in the destination XMM register. In addition, INSERTPS allows zeroing out selected data elements in the destination, using a mask.
PINSRB	Insert a byte value from a register or memory into an XMM register.
PINSRD	Insert a dword value from 32-bit register or memory into an XMM register.
PINSRQ	Insert a qword value from 64-bit register or memory into an XMM register.
PEXTRB	Extract a byte from an XMM register and insert the value into a general-purpose register or memory.
PEXTRW	Extract a word from an XMM register and insert the value into a general-purpose register or memory.
PEXTRD	Extract a dword from an XMM register and insert the value into a general-purpose register or memory.
PEXTRQ	Extract a qword from an XMM register and insert the value into a general-purpose register or memory.

5.10.8 Packed Integer Format Conversions

PMOVSXBW	Sign extend the lower 8-bit integer of each packed word element into packed signed word integers.
PMOVZXBW	Zero extend the lower 8-bit integer of each packed word element into packed signed word integers.
PMOVSXBD	Sign extend the lower 8-bit integer of each packed dword element into packed signed dword integers.
PMOVZXBBD	Zero extend the lower 8-bit integer of each packed dword element into packed signed dword integers.
PMOVSXWD	Sign extend the lower 16-bit integer of each packed dword element into packed signed dword integers.
PMOVZXWD	Zero extend the lower 16-bit integer of each packed dword element into packed signed dword integers.
PMOVSXBQ	Sign extend the lower 8-bit integer of each packed qword element into packed signed qword integers.
PMOVZXBQ	Zero extend the lower 8-bit integer of each packed qword element into packed signed qword integers.
PMOVSXWQ	Sign extend the lower 16-bit integer of each packed qword element into packed signed qword integers.
PMOVZXWQ	Zero extend the lower 16-bit integer of each packed qword element into packed signed qword integers.
PMOVSXDQ	Sign extend the lower 32-bit integer of each packed qword element into packed signed qword integers.
PMOVZXDQ	Zero extend the lower 32-bit integer of each packed qword element into packed signed qword integers.

5.10.9 Improved Sums of Absolute Differences (SAD) for 4-Byte Blocks

MPSADBW	Performs eight 4-byte wide Sum of Absolute Differences operations to produce eight word integers.
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5.10.10 Horizontal Search

PHMINPOSUW Finds the value and location of the minimum unsigned word from one of 8 horizontally packed unsigned words. The resulting value and location (offset within the source) are packed into the low dword of the destination XMM register.

5.10.11 Packed Test

PTEST Performs a logical AND between the destination with this mask and sets the ZF flag if the result is zero. The CF flag (zero for TEST) is set if the inverted mask AND'd with the destination is all zeroes.

5.10.12 Packed Qword Equality Comparisons

PCMPEQQ 128-bit packed qword equality test.

5.10.13 Dword Packing With Unsigned Saturation

PACKUSDW **PACKUSDW** packs dword to word with unsigned saturation.

5.11 INTEL® SSE4.2 INSTRUCTION SET

Five of the Intel SSE4.2 instructions operate on XMM register as a source or destination. These include four text/string processing instructions and one packed quadword compare SIMD instruction. Programming these five Intel SSE4.2 instructions is similar to programming 128-bit Integer SIMD in Intel SSE2/SSSE3. Intel SSE4.2 does not provide any 64-bit integer SIMD instructions.

CRC32 operates on general-purpose registers and is summarized in Section 5.1.6. The sections that follow summarize each subgroup.

5.11.1 String and Text Processing Instructions

PCMPESTRI Packed compare explicit-length strings, return index in ECX/RCX.
PCMPESTRM Packed compare explicit-length strings, return mask in XMM0.
PCMPISTRI Packed compare implicit-length strings, return index in ECX/RCX.
PCMPISTRM Packed compare implicit-length strings, return mask in XMM0.

5.11.2 Packed Comparison SIMD integer Instruction

PCMPGTQ Performs logical compare of greater-than on packed integer quadwords.

5.12 INTEL® AES-NI AND PCLMULQDQ

Six Intel® AES-NI instructions operate on XMM registers to provide accelerated primitives for block encryption/decryption using Advanced Encryption Standard (FIPS-197). The PCLMULQDQ instruction performs carry-less multiplication for two binary numbers up to 64-bit wide.

AESDEC Perform an AES decryption round using an 128-bit state and a round key.
AESDECLAST Perform the last AES decryption round using an 128-bit state and a round key.
AESENC Perform an AES encryption round using an 128-bit state and a round key.
AESENCLAST Perform the last AES encryption round using an 128-bit state and a round key.
AESIMC Perform an inverse mix column transformation primitive.

AESKEYGENASSIST	Assist the creation of round keys with a key expansion schedule.
PCLMULQDQ	Perform carryless multiplication of two 64-bit numbers.

5.13 INTEL® ADVANCED VECTOR EXTENSIONS (INTEL® AVX)

Intel® Advanced Vector Extensions (AVX) promote legacy 128-bit SIMD instruction sets that operate on the XMM register set to use a “vector extension” (VEX) prefix and operates on 256-bit vector registers (YMM). Almost all prior generations of 128-bit SIMD instructions that operate on XMM (but not on MMX registers) are promoted to support three-operand syntax with VEX-128 encoding.

VEX-prefix encoded Intel AVX instructions support 256-bit and 128-bit floating-point operations by extending the legacy 128-bit SIMD floating-point instructions to support three-operand syntax.

Additional functional enhancements are also provided with VEX-encoded Intel AVX instructions.

The list of Intel AVX instructions is included in the following tables:

- Table 14-2 lists 256-bit and 128-bit floating-point arithmetic instructions promoted from legacy 128-bit SIMD instruction sets.
- Table 14-3 lists 256-bit and 128-bit data movement and processing instructions promoted from legacy 128-bit SIMD instruction sets.
- Table 14-4 lists functional enhancements of 256-bit Intel AVX instructions not available from legacy 128-bit SIMD instruction sets.
- Table 14-5 lists 128-bit integer and floating-point instructions promoted from legacy 128-bit SIMD instruction sets.
- Table 14-6 lists functional enhancements of 128-bit Intel AVX instructions not available from legacy 128-bit SIMD instruction sets.
- Table 14-7 lists 128-bit data movement and processing instructions promoted from legacy instruction sets.

5.14 16-BIT FLOATING-POINT CONVERSION

Conversions between single precision floating-point (32-bit) and half precision floating-point (16-bit) data are provided by the VCVTPH2PS and VCVTPS2PH instructions, introduced beginning with the third generation of Intel Core processors based on Ivy Bridge microarchitecture:

VCVTPH2PS	Convert eight/four data elements containing 16-bit floating-point data into eight/four single precision floating-point data.
VCVTPS2PH	Convert eight/four data elements containing single precision floating-point data into eight/four 16-bit floating-point data.

Starting with the 4th generation Intel Xeon Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture, Intel® AVX-512 instruction set architecture for FP16 was added, supporting a wide range of general-purpose numeric operations for 16-bit half precision floating-point values (binary16 in IEEE Standard 754-2019 for Floating-Point Arithmetic, aka half precision or FP16). Section 5.19 includes a list of these instructions.

5.15 FUSED-MULTIPLY-ADD (FMA)

FMA extensions enhances Intel AVX with high-throughput, arithmetic capabilities covering fused multiply-add, fused multiply-subtract, fused multiply add/subtract interleave, signed-reversed multiply on fused multiply-add and multiply-subtract. FMA extensions provide 36 256-bit floating-point instructions to perform computation on 256-bit vectors and additional 128-bit and scalar FMA instructions.

- Table 14-15 lists FMA instruction sets.

5.16 INTEL® ADVANCED VECTOR EXTENSIONS 2 (INTEL® AVX2)

Intel® AVX2 extends Intel AVX by promoting most of the 128-bit SIMD integer instructions with 256-bit numeric processing capabilities. Intel AVX2 instructions follow the same programming model as AVX instructions.

In addition, AVX2 provide enhanced functionalities for broadcast/permute operations on data elements, vector shift instructions with variable-shift count per data element, and instructions to fetch non-contiguous data elements from memory.

- Table 14-18 lists promoted vector integer instructions in AVX2.
- Table 14-19 lists new instructions in AVX2 that complements AVX.

5.17 INTEL® TRANSACTIONAL SYNCHRONIZATION EXTENSIONS (INTEL® TSX)

XABORT	Abort an RTM transaction execution.
XACQUIRE	Prefix hint to the beginning of an HLE transaction region.
XRELEASE	Prefix hint to the end of an HLE transaction region.
XBEGIN	Transaction begin of an RTM transaction region.
XEND	Transaction end of an RTM transaction region.
XTEST	Test if executing in a transactional region.
XRESLDTRK	Resume tracking load addresses.
XSUSLDTRK	Suspend tracking load addresses.

5.18 INTEL® SHA EXTENSIONS

Intel® SHA extensions provide a set of instructions that target the acceleration of the Secure Hash Algorithm (SHA), specifically the SHA-1 and SHA-256 variants.

SHA1MSG1	Perform an intermediate calculation for the next four SHA1 message dwords from the previous message dwords.
SHA1MSG2	Perform the final calculation for the next four SHA1 message dwords from the intermediate message dwords.
SHA1NEXTE	Calculate SHA1 state E after four rounds.
SHA1RND54	Perform four rounds of SHA1 operations.
SHA256MSG1	Perform an intermediate calculation for the next four SHA256 message dwords.
SHA256MSG2	Perform the final calculation for the next four SHA256 message dwords.
SHA256RND52	Perform two rounds of SHA256 operations.

5.19 INTEL® ADVANCED VECTOR EXTENSIONS 512 (INTEL® AVX-512)

The Intel® AVX-512 family comprises a collection of 512-bit SIMD instruction sets to accelerate a diverse range of applications. Intel AVX-512 instructions provide a wide range of functionality that support programming in 512-bit, 256 and 128-bit vector register, plus support for opmask registers and instructions operating on opmask registers.

The collection of 512-bit SIMD instruction sets in Intel AVX-512 include new functionality not available in Intel AVX and Intel AVX2, and promoted instructions similar to equivalent ones in Intel AVX/Intel AVX2 but with enhancement provided by opmask registers not available to VEX-encoded Intel AVX/Intel AVX2. Some instruction mnemonics in Intel AVX/Intel AVX2 that are promoted into Intel AVX-512 can be replaced by new instruction mnemonics that are available only with EVEX encoding, e.g., VBROADCASTF128 into VBROADCASTF32X4. Details of EVEX instruction encoding are discussed in Section 2.7, “Intel® AVX-512 Encoding,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A. Starting with the 4th generation Intel Xeon Scalable Processor Family, an Intel AVX-512 instruction set architecture for FP16 was added, supporting a wide range of

general-purpose numeric operations for 16-bit half precision floating-point values, which complements the existing 32-bit and 64-bit floating-point instructions already available in the Intel Xeon processor-based products.

512-bit instruction mnemonics in AVX-512F instructions that are not Intel AVX or AVX2 promotions include:

VALIGND/Q	Perform dword/qword alignment of two concatenated source vectors.
VBLENDMPD/PS	Replace the VBLENDVPD/PS instructions (using opmask as select control).
VCOMPRESSPD/PS	Compress packed DP or SP elements of a vector.
VCVT(T)PD2UDQ	Convert packed DP FP elements of a vector to packed unsigned 32-bit integers.
VCVT(T)PS2UDQ	Convert packed SP FP elements of a vector to packed unsigned 32-bit integers.
VCVTQQ2PD/PS	Convert packed signed 64-bit integers to packed DP/SP FP elements.
VCVT(T)SD2USI	Convert the low DP FP element of a vector to an unsigned integer.
VCVT(T)SS2USI	Convert the low SP FP element of a vector to an unsigned integer.
VCVTUDQ2PD/PS	Convert packed unsigned 32-bit integers to packed DP/SP FP elements.
VCVTUSI2USD/S	Convert an unsigned integer to the low DP/SP FP element and merge to a vector.
VEXPANDPD/PS	Expand packed DP or SP elements of a vector.
VEXTRACTF32X4/64X4	Extract a vector from a full-length vector with 32/64-bit granular update.
VEXTRACTI32X4/64X4	Extract a vector from a full-length vector with 32/64-bit granular update.
VFIXUPIIMPD/PS	Perform fix-up to special values in DP/SP FP vectors.
VFIXUPIIMSD/SS	Perform fix-up to special values of the low DP/SP FP element.
VGETEXPPD/PS	Convert the exponent of DP/SP FP elements of a vector into FP values.
VGETEXPSD/SS	Convert the exponent of the low DP/SP FP element in a vector into FP value.
VGETMANTPD/PS	Convert the mantissa of DP/SP FP elements of a vector into FP values.
VGETMANTSD/SS	Convert the mantissa of the low DP/SP FP element of a vector into FP value.
VINSERTF32X4/64X4	Insert a 128/256-bit vector into a full-length vector with 32/64-bit granular update.
VMOVDQA32/64	VMOVDQA with 32/64-bit granular conditional update.
VMOVDQU32/64	VMOVDQU with 32/64-bit granular conditional update.
VPBLENDMD/Q	Blend dword/qword elements using opmask as select control.
VPBROADCASTD/Q	Broadcast from general-purpose register to vector register.
VPCMPD/UD	Compare packed signed/unsigned dwords using specified primitive.
VPCMPQ/UQ	Compare packed signed/unsigned quadwords using specified primitive.
VPCOMPRESSQ/D	Compress packed 64/32-bit elements of a vector.
VPERMI2D/Q	Full permute of two tables of dword/qword elements overwriting the index vector.
VPERMI2PD/PS	Full permute of two tables of DP/SP elements overwriting the index vector.
VPERMT2D/Q	Full permute of two tables of dword/qword elements overwriting one source table.
VPERMT2PD/PS	Full permute of two tables of DP/SP elements overwriting one source table.
VPEXPANDD/Q	Expand packed dword/qword elements of a vector.
VPMAXSQ	Compute maximum of packed signed 64-bit integer elements.
VPMAXUD/UQ	Compute maximum of packed unsigned 32/64-bit integer elements.
VPMINSQ	Compute minimum of packed signed 64-bit integer elements.
VPMINUD/UQ	Compute minimum of packed unsigned 32/64-bit integer elements.
VPMOV(S US)QB	Down convert qword elements in a vector to byte elements using truncation (saturation unsigned saturation).
VPMOV(S US)QW	Down convert qword elements in a vector to word elements using truncation (saturation unsigned saturation).
VPMOV(S US)QD	Down convert qword elements in a vector to dword elements using truncation (saturation unsigned saturation).
VPMOV(S US)DB	Down convert dword elements in a vector to byte elements using truncation (saturation unsigned saturation).

VPMOV(S US)DW	Down convert dword elements in a vector to word elements using truncation (saturation unsigned saturation).
VPROLD/Q	Rotate dword/qword element left by a constant shift count with conditional update.
VPROLVD/Q	Rotate dword/qword element left by shift counts specified in a vector with conditional update.
VPRORD/Q	Rotate dword/qword element right by a constant shift count with conditional update.
VPRORRD/Q	Rotate dword/qword element right by shift counts specified in a vector with conditional update.
VPSCATTERDD/DQ	Scatter dword/qword elements in a vector to memory using dword indices.
VPSCATTERQD/QQ	Scatter dword/qword elements in a vector to memory using qword indices.
VPSRAQ	Shift qwords right by a constant shift count and shifting in sign bits.
VPSRAVQ	Shift qwords right by shift counts in a vector and shifting in sign bits.
VPTSTNMD/Q	Perform bitwise NAND of dword/qword elements of two vectors and write results to opmask.
VPTERLOGD/Q	Perform bitwise ternary logic operation of three vectors with 32/64 bit granular conditional update.
VPTSTMD/Q	Perform bitwise AND of dword/qword elements of two vectors and write results to opmask.
VRCP14PD/PS	Compute approximate reciprocals of packed DP/SP FP elements of a vector.
VRCP14SD/SS	Compute the approximate reciprocal of the low DP/SP FP element of a vector.
VRNDSCALEPD/PS	Round packed DP/SP FP elements of a vector to specified number of fraction bits.
VRNDSCALESD/SS	Round the low DP/SP FP element of a vector to specified number of fraction bits.
VRSQRT14PD/PS	Compute approximate reciprocals of square roots of packed DP/SP FP elements of a vector.
VRSQRT14SD/SS	Compute the approximate reciprocal of square root of the low DP/SP FP element of a vector.
VSCALEPD/PS	Multiply packed DP/SP FP elements of a vector by powers of two with exponents specified in a second vector.
VSCALESD/SS	Multiply the low DP/SP FP element of a vector by powers of two with exponent specified in the corresponding element of a second vector.
VSCATTERDD/DQ	Scatter SP/DP FP elements in a vector to memory using dword indices.
VSCATTERQD/QQ	Scatter SP/DP FP elements in a vector to memory using qword indices.
VSHUFF32X4/64X2	Shuffle 128-bit lanes of a vector with 32/64 bit granular conditional update.
VSHUFI32X4/64X2	Shuffle 128-bit lanes of a vector with 32/64 bit granular conditional update.

512-bit instruction mnemonics in AVX-512DQ that are not Intel AVX or AVX2 promotions include:

VCVT(T)PD2QQ	Convert packed DP FP elements of a vector to packed signed 64-bit integers.
VCVT(T)PD2UQQ	Convert packed DP FP elements of a vector to packed unsigned 64-bit integers.
VCVT(T)PS2QQ	Convert packed SP FP elements of a vector to packed signed 64-bit integers.
VCVT(T)PS2UQQ	Convert packed SP FP elements of a vector to packed unsigned 64-bit integers.
VCVTUQQ2PD/PS	Convert packed unsigned 64-bit integers to packed DP/SP FP elements.
VEXTRACTF64X2	Extract a vector from a full-length vector with 64-bit granular update.
VEXTRACTI64X2	Extract a vector from a full-length vector with 64-bit granular update.
VFPCLASSPD/PS	Test packed DP/SP FP elements in a vector by numeric/special-value category.
VFPCLASSSD/SS	Test the low DP/SP FP element by numeric/special-value category.
VINSERTF64X2	Insert a 128-bit vector into a full-length vector with 64-bit granular update.
VINSERTI64X2	Insert a 128-bit vector into a full-length vector with 64-bit granular update.
VPMOVM2D/Q	Convert opmask register to vector register in 32/64-bit granularity.
VPMOVB2D/Q2M	Convert a vector register in 32/64-bit granularity to an opmask register.

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VPMULLQ	Multiply packed signed 64-bit integer elements of two vectors and store low 64-bit signed result.
VRANGEPD/PS	Perform RANGE operation on each pair of DP/SP FP elements of two vectors using specified range primitive in imm8.
VRANGESD/SS	Perform RANGE operation on the pair of low DP/SP FP element of two vectors using specified range primitive in imm8.
VREDUCEPD/PS	Perform Reduction operation on packed DP/SP FP elements of a vector using specified reduction primitive in imm8.
VREDUCESD/SS	Perform Reduction operation on the low DP/SP FP element of a vector using specified reduction primitive in imm8.

512-bit instruction mnemonics in AVX-512BW that are not Intel AVX or AVX2 promotions include:

VDBPSADBW	Double block packed Sum-Absolute-Differences on unsigned bytes.
VMOVDQU8/16	VMOVDQU with 8/16-bit granular conditional update.
VPBLENDMB	Replaces the VPBLENDVB instruction (using opmask as select control).
VPBLENDMW	Blend word elements using opmask as select control.
VPBROADCASTB/W	Broadcast from general-purpose register to vector register.
VPCMPB/UB	Compare packed signed/unsigned bytes using specified primitive.
VPCMPW/UW	Compare packed signed/unsigned words using specified primitive.
VPERMW	Permute packed word elements.
VPERMI2B/W	Full permute from two tables of byte/word elements overwriting the index vector.
VPMOVM2B/W	Convert opmask register to vector register in 8/16-bit granularity.
VPMOVB2M/W2M	Convert a vector register in 8/16-bit granularity to an opmask register.
VPMOV(S US)WB	Down convert word elements in a vector to byte elements using truncation (saturation unsigned saturation).
VPSLLVW	Shift word elements in a vector left by shift counts in a vector.
VPSRAVW	Shift words right by shift counts in a vector and shifting in sign bits.
VPSRLVW	Shift word elements in a vector right by shift counts in a vector.
VPTESTNMB/W	Perform bitwise NAND of byte/word elements of two vectors and write results to opmask.
VPTESTMB/W	Perform bitwise AND of byte/word elements of two vectors and write results to opmask.

512-bit instruction mnemonics in AVX-512CD that are not Intel AVX or AVX2 promotions include:

VPBROADCASTM	Broadcast from opmask register to vector register.
VPCONFLICTD/Q	Detect conflicts within a vector of packed 32/64-bit integers.
VPLZCNTD/Q	Count the number of leading zero bits of packed dword/qword elements.

Opmask instructions include:

KADDB/W/D/Q	Add two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.
KANDB/W/D/Q	Logical AND two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.
KANDNB/W/D/Q	Logical AND NOT two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.
KMOVB/W/D/Q	Move from or move to opmask register of 8/16/32/64-bit data.
KNOTB/W/D/Q	Bitwise NOT of two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.
KORB/W/D/Q	Logical OR two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.
KORTESTB/W/D/Q	Update EFLAGS according to the result of bitwise OR of two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.
KSHIFTLB/W/D/Q	Shift left 8/16/32/64-bit opmask by specified count.
KSHIFTRB/W/D/Q	Shift right 8/16/32/64-bit opmask by specified count.
KTESTB/W/D/Q	Update EFLAGS according to the result of bitwise TEST of two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.

KUNPCKBW/WD/DQ	Unpack and interleave two 8/16/32-bit opmasks into 16/32/64-bit mask.
KXNORB/W/D/Q	Bitwise logical XNOR of two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.
KXORB/W/D/Q	Logical XOR of two 8/16/32/64-bit opmasks.

512-bit instruction mnemonics in AVX-512ER include:

VEXP2PD/PS	Compute approximate base-2 exponential of packed DP/SP FP elements of a vector.
VEXP2SD/SS	Compute approximate base-2 exponential of the low DP/SP FP element of a vector.
VRCP28PD/PS	Compute approximate reciprocals to 28 bits of packed DP/SP FP elements of a vector.
VRCP28SD/SS	Compute the approximate reciprocal to 28 bits of the low DP/SP FP element of a vector.
VRSQRT28PD/PS	Compute approximate reciprocals of square roots to 28 bits of packed DP/SP FP elements of a vector.
VRSQRT28SD/SS	Compute the approximate reciprocal of square root to 28 bits of the low DP/SP FP element of a vector.

512-bit instruction mnemonics in AVX-512PF include:

VGATHERPF0DPD/PS	Sparse prefetch of packed DP/SP FP vector with T0 hint using dword indices.
VGATHERPF0QPD/PS	Sparse prefetch of packed DP/SP FP vector with T0 hint using qword indices.
VGATHERPF1DPD/PS	Sparse prefetch of packed DP/SP FP vector with T1 hint using dword indices.
VGATHERPF1QPD/PS	Sparse prefetch of packed DP/SP FP vector with T1 hint using qword indices.
VSCATTERPF0DPD/PS	Sparse prefetch of packed DP/SP FP vector with T0 hint to write using dword indices.
VSCATTERPF0QPD/PS	Sparse prefetch of packed DP/SP FP vector with T0 hint to write using qword indices.
VSCATTERPF1DPD/PS	Sparse prefetch of packed DP/SP FP vector with T1 hint to write using dword indices.
VSCATTERPF1QPD/PS	Sparse prefetch of packed DP/SP FP vector with T1 hint to write using qword indices.

512-bit instruction mnemonics in AVX512-FP16 include:

VADDPH/SH	Add packed/scalar FP16 values.
VCMPH/SH	Compare packed/scalar FP16 values.
VCOMISH	Compare scalar ordered FP16 values and set EFLAGS.
VCVTDQ2PH	Convert packed signed doubleword integers to packed FP16 values.
VCVTPD2PH	Convert packed double precision FP values to packed FP16 values.
VCVTPH2DQ/QQ	Convert packed FP16 values to signed doubleword/quadword integers.
VCVTPH2PD	Convert packed FP16 values to FP64 values.
VCVTPH2PS[X]	Convert packed FP16 values to single precision floating-point values.
VCVTPH2QQ	Convert packed FP16 values to signed quadword integer values.
VCVTPH2UDQ/QQ	Convert packed FP16 values to unsigned doubleword/quadword integers.
VCVTPH2UW/W	Convert packed FP16 values to unsigned/signed word integers.
VCVTPS2PH[X]	Convert packed single precision floating-point values to packed FP16 values.
VCVTQ2PH	Convert packed signed quadword integers to packed FP16 values.
VCVTSD2SH	Convert low FP64 value to an FP16 value.
VCVTSH2SD/SS	Convert low FP16 value to an FP64/FP32 value.
VCVTSH2SI/USI	Convert low FP16 value to signed/unsigned integer.
VCVTSI2SH	Convert a signed doubleword/quadword integer to an FP16 value.
VCVTSS2SH	Convert low FP32 value to an FP16 value.
VCVTPH2DQ/QQ	Convert with truncation packed FP16 values to signed doubleword/quadword integers.
VCVTPH2UDQ/QQ	Convert with truncation packed FP16 values to unsigned doubleword/quadword integers.
VCVTPH2UW/W	Convert packed FP16 values to unsigned/signed word integers.

VCVTTSH2SI/USI	Convert with truncation low FP16 value to a signed/unsigned integer.
VCVTUDQ2PH	Convert packed unsigned doubleword integers to packed FP16 values.
VCVTUQQ2PH	Convert packed unsigned quadword integers to packed FP16 values.
VCVTUSI2SH	Convert unsigned doubleword integer to an FP16 value.
VCVTUW2PH	Convert packed unsigned word integers to FP16 values.
VCVTW2PH	Convert packed signed word integers to FP16 values.
VDIVPH/SH	Divide packed/scalar FP16 values.
VF[C]MADDCPH	Complex multiply and accumulate FP16 values.
VF[C]MADDCSH	Complex multiply and accumulate scalar FP16 values.
VF[C]MULCPH	Complex multiply FP16 values.
VF[C]MULCSH	Complex multiply scalar FP16 values.
VF[,N]MADD[132,213,231]PH	Fused multiply-add of packed FP16 values.
VF[,N]MADD[132,213,231]SH	Fused multiply-add of scalar FP16 values.
VFMADDSUB[132,213,231]PH	Fused multiply-alternating add/subtract of packed FP16 values.
VFMSUBADD[132,213,231]PH	Fused multiply-alternating subtract/add of packed FP16 values.
VF[,N]MSUB[132,213,231]PH	Fused multiply-subtract of packed FP16 values.
VF[,N]MSUB[132,213,231]SH	Fused multiply-subtract of scalar FP16 values.
VFPCLASSPH/SH	Test types of packed/scalar FP16 values.
VGETEXPPH/SH	Convert exponents of packed/scalar FP16 values to FP16 values.
VGETMANTPH/SH	Extract FP16 vector of normalized mantissas from FP16 vector/scalar.
VMAXPH/PS	Return maximum of packed/scalar FP16 values.
VMINPH/PS	Return minimum of packed/scalar FP16 values.
VMOVSH	Move scalar FP16 value.
VMOVW	Move word.
VMULPH/SH	Multiply packed/scalar FP16 values.
VRCPPH/SH	Compute reciprocals of packed/scalar FP16 values.
VREDUCEPH/SH	Perform reduction transformation on packed/scalar FP16 values.
VRNDSCALEPH/SH	Round packed/scalar FP16 values to include a given number of fraction bits.
VRSQRTPH/SH	Compute reciprocals of square roots of packed/scalar FP16 values.
VSCALEPH/SH	Scale packed/scalar FP16 values with FP16 values.
VSQRTPH/SH	Compute square root of packed/scalar FP16 values.
VSUBPH/SH	Subtract packed/scalar FP16 values.
VUCOMISH	Unordered compare scalar FP16 values and set EFLAGS.

5.20 SYSTEM INSTRUCTIONS

The following system instructions are used to control those functions of the processor that are provided to support for operating systems and executives.

CLAC	Clear AC Flag in EFLAGS register.
STAC	Set AC Flag in EFLAGS register.
LGDT	Load global descriptor table (GDT) register.
SGDT	Store global descriptor table (GDT) register.
LLDT	Load local descriptor table (LDT) register.
SLDT	Store local descriptor table (LDT) register.
LTR	Load task register.
STR	Store task register.

LIDT	Load interrupt descriptor table (IDT) register.
SIDT	Store interrupt descriptor table (IDT) register.
MOV	Load and store control registers.
LMSW	Load machine status word.
SMSW	Store machine status word.
CLTS	Clear the task-switched flag.
ARPL	Adjust requested privilege level.
LAR	Load access rights.
LSL	Load segment limit.
VERR	Verify segment for reading.
VERW	Verify segment for writing.
MOV	Load and store debug registers.
INVD	Invalidate cache, no writeback.
WBINVD	Invalidate cache, with writeback.
INVLPG	Invalidate TLB Entry.
INVPCID	Invalidate Process-Context Identifier.
LOCK (prefix)	Perform atomic access to memory (can be applied to a number of general purpose instructions that provide memory source/destination access).
HLT	Halt processor.
RSM	Return from system management mode (SMM).
RDMSR	Read model-specific register.
WRMSR	Write model-specific register.
RDPMC	Read performance monitoring counters.
RDTSC	Read time stamp counter.
RDTSCP	Read time stamp counter and processor ID.
SYSENTER	Fast System Call, transfers to a flat protected mode kernel at CPL = 0.
SYSEXIT	Fast System Call, transfers to a flat protected mode kernel at CPL = 3.
XSAVE	Save processor extended states to memory.
XSAVEC	Save processor extended states with compaction to memory.
XSAVEOPT	Save processor extended states to memory, optimized.
XSAVES	Save processor supervisor-mode extended states to memory.
XRSTOR	Restore processor extended states from memory.
XRSTORS	Restore processor supervisor-mode extended states from memory.
XGETBV	Reads the state of an extended control register.
XSETBV	Writes the state of an extended control register.
RDFSBASE	Reads from FS base address at any privilege level.
RDGSBASE	Reads from GS base address at any privilege level.
WRFSBASE	Writes to FS base address at any privilege level.
WRGSBASE	Writes to GS base address at any privilege level.

5.21 64-BIT MODE INSTRUCTIONS

The following instructions are introduced in 64-bit mode. This mode is a sub-mode of IA-32e mode.

CDQE	Convert doubleword to quadword.
CMPSQ	Compare string operands.
CMPXCHG16B	Compare RDX:RAX with m128.

LODSQ	Load qword at address (R)SI into RAX.
MOVSQ	Move qword from address (R)SI to (R)DI.
MOVZX (64-bits)	Move bytes/words to doublewords/quadwords, zero-extension.
STOSQ	Store RAX at address RDI.
SWAPGS	Exchanges current GS base register value with value in MSR address C0000102H.
SYSCALL	Fast call to privilege level 0 system procedures.
SYSRET	Return from fast systemcall.

5.22 VIRTUAL-MACHINE EXTENSIONS

The behavior of the VMCS-maintenance instructions is summarized below:

VMPTRLD	Takes a single 64-bit source operand in memory. It makes the referenced VMCS active and current.
VMPTRST	Takes a single 64-bit destination operand that is in memory. Current-VMCS pointer is stored into the destination operand.
VMCLEAR	Takes a single 64-bit operand in memory. The instruction sets the launch state of the VMCS referenced by the operand to “clear”, renders that VMCS inactive, and ensures that data for the VMCS have been written to the VMCS-data area in the referenced VMCS region.
VMREAD	Reads a component from the VMCS (the encoding of that field is given in a register operand) and stores it into a destination operand.
VMWRITE	Writes a component to the VMCS (the encoding of that field is given in a register operand) from a source operand.

The behavior of the VMX management instructions is summarized below:

VMLAUNCH	Launches a virtual machine managed by the VMCS. A VM entry occurs, transferring control to the VM.
VMRESUME	Resumes a virtual machine managed by the VMCS. A VM entry occurs, transferring control to the VM.
VMXOFF	Causes the processor to leave VMX operation.
VMXON	Takes a single 64-bit source operand in memory. It causes a logical processor to enter VMX root operation and to use the memory referenced by the operand to support VMX operation.

The behavior of the VMX-specific TLB-management instructions is summarized below:

INVEPT	Invalidate cached Extended Page Table (EPT) mappings in the processor to synchronize address translation in virtual machines with memory-resident EPT pages.
INVVPID	Invalidate cached mappings of address translation based on the Virtual Processor ID (VPID).

None of the instructions above can be executed in compatibility mode; they generate invalid-opcode exceptions if executed in compatibility mode.

The behavior of the guest-available instructions is summarized below:

VMCALL	Allows a guest in VMX non-root operation to call the VMM for service. A VM exit occurs, transferring control to the VMM.
VMFUNC	This instruction allows software in VMX non-root operation to invoke a VM function, which is processor functionality enabled and configured by software in VMX root operation. No VM exit occurs.

5.23 SAFER MODE EXTENSIONS

The behavior of the GETSEC instruction leaves of the Safer Mode Extensions (SMX) are summarized below:

GETSEC[CAPABILITIES]	Returns the available leaf functions of the GETSEC instruction.
GETSEC[ENTERACCS]	Loads an authenticated code chipset module and enters authenticated code execution mode.
GETSEC[EXITAC]	Exits authenticated code execution mode.
GETSEC[SENDER]	Establishes a Measured Launched Environment (MLE) which has its dynamic root of trust anchored to a chipset supporting Intel Trusted Execution Technology.
GETSEC[SEXIT]	Exits the MLE.
GETSEC[PARAMETERS]	Returns SMX related parameter information.
GETSEC[SMCTRL]	SMX mode control.
GETSEC[WAKEUP]	Wakes up sleeping logical processors inside an MLE.

5.24 INTEL® MEMORY PROTECTION EXTENSIONS

Intel Memory Protection Extensions (Intel MPX) provides a set of instructions to enable software to add robust bounds checking capability to memory references. Details of Intel MPX are described in Appendix E, “Intel® Memory Protection Extensions.”

BNDMK	Create a LowerBound and a UpperBound in a register.
BNDCL	Check the address of a memory reference against a LowerBound.
BNDCU	Check the address of a memory reference against an UpperBound in 1’s compliment form.
BNDCN	Check the address of a memory reference against an UpperBound not in 1’s compliment form.
BNDMOV	Copy or load from memory of the LowerBound and UpperBound to a register.
BNDMOV	Store to memory of the LowerBound and UpperBound from a register.
BNDLDX	Load bounds using address translation.
BNDSTX	Store bounds using address translation.

5.25 INTEL® SOFTWARE GUARD EXTENSIONS

Intel Software Guard Extensions (Intel SGX) provide two sets of instruction leaf functions to enable application software to instantiate a protected container, referred to as an enclave. The enclave instructions are organized as leaf functions under two instruction mnemonics: ENCLS (ring 0) and ENCLU (ring 3). Details of Intel SGX are described in Chapter 34 through Chapter 40 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3D.

The first implementation of Intel SGX is also referred to as SGX1, it is introduced with the 6th Generation Intel Core Processors. The leaf functions supported in SGX1 are shown in Table 5-3.

Table 5-3. Supervisor and User Mode Enclave Instruction Leaf Functions in Long-Form of SGX1

Supervisor Instruction	Description	User Instruction	Description
ENCLS[EADD]	Add a page	ENCLU[EENTER]	Enter an Enclave
ENCLS[EBLOCK]	Block an EPC page	ENCLU[EEXIT]	Exit an Enclave
ENCLS[ECREATE]	Create an enclave	ENCLU[EGETKEY]	Create a cryptographic key
ENCLS[EDBGGRD]	Read data by debugger	ENCLU[EREPORT]	Create a cryptographic report
ENCLS[EDBGWR]	Write data by debugger	ENCLU[ERESUME]	Re-enter an Enclave
ENCLS[EEXTEND]	Extend EPC page measurement		
ENCLS[EINIT]	Initialize an enclave		
ENCLS[ELDB]	Load an EPC page as blocked		
ENCLS[ELDU]	Load an EPC page as unblocked		

Table 5-3. Supervisor and User Mode Enclave Instruction Leaf Functions in Long-Form of SGX1

Supervisor Instruction	Description	User Instruction	Description
ENCLS[EPA]	Add version array		
ENCLS[EREMOVE]	Remove a page from EPC		
ENCLS[ETRACK]	Activate EBLOCK checks		
ENCLS[EWB]	Write back/invalidate an EPC page		

5.26 SHADOW STACK MANAGEMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Shadow stack management instructions allow the program and run-time to perform operations like recovering from control protection faults, shadow stack switching, etc. The following instructions are provided.

CLRSSBSY	Clear busy bit in a supervisor shadow stack token.
INCSSP	Increment the shadow stack pointer (SSP).
RDSSP	Read shadow stack point (SSP).
RSTORSSP	Restore a shadow stack pointer (SSP).
SAVEPREVSSP	Save previous shadow stack pointer (SSP).
SETSSBSY	Set busy bit in a supervisor shadow stack token.
WRSS	Write to a shadow stack.
WRUSS	Write to a user mode shadow stack.

5.27 CONTROL TRANSFER TERMINATING INSTRUCTIONS

ENDBR32	Terminate an Indirect Branch in 32-bit and Compatibility Mode.
ENDBR64	Terminate an Indirect Branch in 64-bit Mode.

5.28 INTEL® AMX INSTRUCTIONS

LDTILECFG	Load tile configuration.
STTILECFG	Store tile configuration.
TDPBF16PS	Dot product of BF16 tiles accumulated into packed single precision tile.
TDPBSSD	Dot product of signed bytes with dword accumulation.
TDPBSUD	Dot product of signed/unsigned bytes with dword accumulation.
TDPBUSD	Dot product of unsigned/signed bytes with dword accumulation.
TDPBUUD	Dot product of unsigned bytes with dword accumulation.
TILELOADD	Load data into tile.
TILELOADDT1	Load data into tile with hint to optimize data caching.
TILERELEASE	Release tile.
TILESTORED	Store tile.
TILEZERO	Zero tile.

5.29 USER INTERRUPT INSTRUCTIONS

CLUI	Clear user interrupt flag.
SENDUIPI	Send user interprocessor interrupt.
STUI	Set user interrupt flag.

TESTUI	Determine user interrupt flag.
UIRET	User-interrupt return.

5.30 ENQUEUE STORE INSTRUCTIONS

ENQCMD	Enqueue command.
ENQCMDS	Enqueue command supervisor.

3. Updates to Chapter 12, Volume 1

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Changes to this chapter:

- Corrected a typo in Section 12.8.1, "Device Not Available (DNA) Exceptions," to report the correct CPUID enumeration bit for SSE4.2.

This chapter describes the Intel SSE3, SSSE3, and Intel SSE4 instructions, and provides information to assist in writing application programs that use these extensions.

Intel AES-NI and PCLMLQDQ are instruction extensions targeted to accelerate high-speed block encryption and cryptographic processing. Section 12.13 covers these instructions and their relationship to the Advanced Encryption Standard (AES).

12.1 PROGRAMMING ENVIRONMENT AND DATA TYPES

The programming environment for using Intel SSE3, SSSE3, and Intel SSE4 is unchanged from those shown in Figure 3-1 and Figure 3-2. These extensions do not introduce new data types. XMM registers are used to operate on packed integer data, single precision floating-point data, or double precision floating-point data.

One Intel SSE3 instruction uses the x87 FPU for x87-style programming. There are two Intel SSE3 instructions that use the general registers for thread synchronization. The MXCSR register governs SIMD floating-point operations. Note, however, that the x87FPU control word does not affect the Intel SSE3 instruction that is executed by the x87 FPU (FISTTP), other than by unmasking an invalid operand or inexact result exception.

Intel SSE4 instructions do not use MMX registers. The majority of Intel SSE4.2¹ and SSE4.1 instructions operate on XMM registers.

12.1.1 Intel® SSE3, SSSE3, and Intel® SSE4 in 64-Bit Mode and Compatibility Mode

In compatibility mode, Intel SSE3, SSSE3, and Intel SSE4 function like they do in protected mode. In 64-bit mode, eight additional XMM registers are accessible. Registers XMM8-XMM15 are accessed by using REX prefixes.

Memory operands are specified using the ModR/M, SIB encoding described in Section 3.7.5.

Some Intel SSE3, SSSE3, and Intel SSE4 instructions may be used to operate on general-purpose registers. Use the REX.W prefix to access 64-bit general-purpose registers. Note that if a REX prefix is used when it has no meaning, the prefix is ignored.

12.1.2 Compatibility of Intel® SSE3 and SSSE3 with MMX Technology, the x87 FPU Environment, and Intel® SSE and SSE2

Intel SSE3, SSSE3, and Intel SSE4 do not introduce any new state to the Intel 64 and IA-32 execution environments.

For SIMD and x87 programming, the FXSAVE and FXRSTOR instructions save and restore the architectural states of XMM, MXCSR, x87 FPU, and MMX registers. The MONITOR and MWAIT instructions use general purpose registers on input, they do not modify the content of those registers.

12.1.3 Horizontal and Asymmetric Processing

Many of the Intel SSE/SSE2/SSE3 and SSSE3 instructions accelerate SIMD data processing using a model referred to as vertical computation. Using this model, data flow is vertical between the data elements of the inputs and the output.

1. Although the presence of CRC32 support is enumerated by `CPUID.01:ECX[SSE4.2] = 1`, CRC32 operates on general purpose registers.

Figure 12-1 illustrates the asymmetric processing of the Intel SSE3 instruction ADDSUBPD. Figure 12-2 illustrates the horizontal data movement of the Intel SSE3 instruction HADDPD.

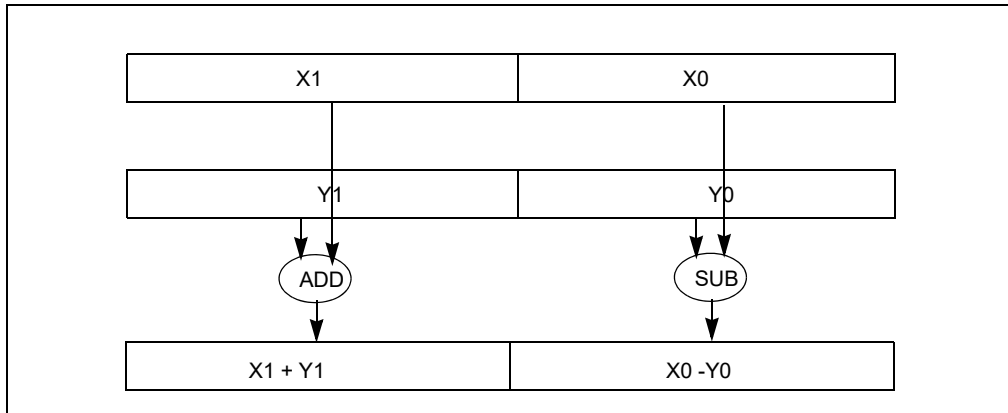


Figure 12-1. Asymmetric Processing in ADDSUBPD

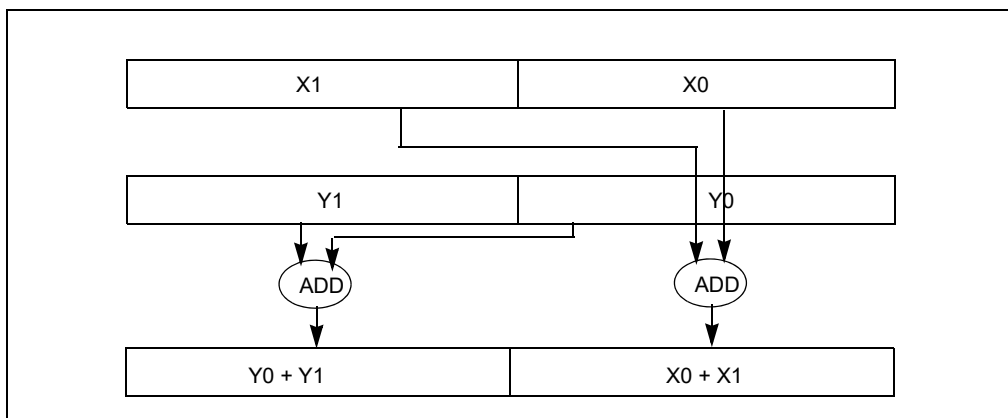


Figure 12-2. Horizontal Data Movement in HADDPD

12.2 OVERVIEW OF INTEL® SSE3 INSTRUCTIONS

Intel SSE3 extensions include 13 instructions. See:

- Section 12.3, “Intel® SSE3 Instructions,” provides an introduction to individual Intel SSE3 instructions.
- The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volumes 2A, 2B, 2C, & 2D, provides detailed information on individual instructions.
- Chapter 14, “System Programming for Instruction Set Extensions and Processor Extended States,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A, gives guidelines for integrating Intel SSE/SSE2/SSE3 extensions into an operating-system environment.

12.3 INTEL® SSE3 INSTRUCTIONS

Intel SSE3 instructions are grouped as follows:

- x87 FPU instruction:
 - One instruction that improves x87 FPU floating-point to integer conversion.

- SIMD integer instruction:
 - One instruction that provides a specialized 128-bit unaligned data load.
- SIMD floating-point instructions:
 - Three instructions that enhance LOAD/MOVE/DUPLICATE performance.
 - Two instructions that provide packed addition/subtraction.
 - Four instructions that provide horizontal addition/subtraction.
- Thread synchronization instructions:
 - Two instructions that improve synchronization between multi-threaded agents.

The instructions are discussed in more detail in the following paragraphs.

12.3.1 x87 FPU Instruction for Integer Conversion

The FISTTP instruction (x87 FPU Store Integer and Pop with Truncation) behaves like FISTP, but uses truncation regardless of what rounding mode is specified in the x87 FPU control word. The instruction converts the top of stack (ST0) to integer with rounding to and pops the stack.

The FISTTP instruction is available in three precisions: short integer (word or 16-bit), integer (double word or 32-bit), and long integer (64-bit). With FISTTP, applications no longer need to change the FCW when truncation is required.

12.3.2 SIMD Integer Instruction for Specialized 128-bit Unaligned Data Load

The LDDQU instruction is a special 128-bit unaligned load designed to avoid cache line splits. If the address of a 16-byte load is on a 16-byte boundary, LDQQU loads the bytes requested. If the address of the load is not aligned on a 16-byte boundary, LDDQU loads a 32-byte block starting at the 16-byte aligned address immediately below the load request. It then extracts the requested 16 bytes.

The instruction provides significant performance improvement on 128-bit unaligned memory accesses at the cost of some usage model restrictions.

12.3.3 SIMD Floating-Point Instructions That Enhance LOAD/MOVE/DUPLICATE Performance

The MOVSHDUP instruction loads/moves 128-bits, duplicating the second and fourth 32-bit data elements.

- MOVSHDUP OperandA, OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, four data elements): $3_a, 2_a, 1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (128 bits, four data elements): $3_b, 2_b, 1_b, 0_b$
 - Result (stored in OperandA): $3_b, 3_b, 1_b, 1_b$

The MOVSLDUP instruction loads/moves 128-bits, duplicating the first and third 32-bit data elements.

- MOVSLDUP OperandA, OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, four data elements): $3_a, 2_a, 1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (128 bits, four data elements): $3_b, 2_b, 1_b, 0_b$
 - Result (stored in OperandA): $2_b, 2_b, 0_b, 0_b$

The MOVDDUP instruction loads/moves 64-bits; duplicating the 64 bits from the source.

- MOVDDUP OperandA, OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, two data elements): $1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (64 bits, one data element): 0_b
 - Result (stored in OperandA): $0_b, 0_b$

12.3.4 SIMD Floating-Point Instructions Provide Packed Addition/Subtraction

The ADDSUBPS instruction has two 128-bit operands. The instruction performs single precision addition on the second and fourth pairs of 32-bit data elements within the operands; and single precision subtraction on the first and third pairs.

- ADDSUBPS OperandA, OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, four data elements): $3_a, 2_a, 1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (128 bits, four data elements): $3_b, 2_b, 1_b, 0_b$
 - Result (stored in OperandA): $3_a+3_b, 2_a-2_b, 1_a+1_b, 0_a-0_b$

The ADDSUBPD instruction has two 128-bit operands. The instruction performs double precision addition on the second pair of quadwords, and double precision subtraction on the first pair.

- ADDSUBPD OperandA, OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, two data elements): $1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (128 bits, two data elements): $1_b, 0_b$
 - Result (stored in OperandA): $1_a+1_b, 0_a-0_b$

12.3.5 SIMD Floating-Point Instructions Provide Horizontal Addition/Subtraction

Most SIMD instructions operate vertically. This means that the result in position i is a function of the elements in position i of both operands. Horizontal addition/subtraction operates horizontally. This means that contiguous data elements in the same source operand are used to produce a result.

The HADDPS instruction performs a single precision addition on contiguous data elements. The first data element of the result is obtained by adding the first and second elements of the first operand; the second element by adding the third and fourth elements of the first operand; the third by adding the first and second elements of the second operand; and the fourth by adding the third and fourth elements of the second operand.

- HADDPS OperandA, OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, four data elements): $3_a, 2_a, 1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (128 bits, four data elements): $3_b, 2_b, 1_b, 0_b$
 - Result (Stored in OperandA): $3_b+2_b, 1_b+0_b, 3_a+2_a, 1_a+0_a$

The HSUBPS instruction performs a single precision subtraction on contiguous data elements. The first data element of the result is obtained by subtracting the second element of the first operand from the first element of the first operand; the second element by subtracting the fourth element of the first operand from the third element of the first operand; the third by subtracting the second element of the second operand from the first element of the second operand; and the fourth by subtracting the fourth element of the second operand from the third element of the second operand.

- HSUBPS OperandA, OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, four data elements): $3_a, 2_a, 1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (128 bits, four data elements): $3_b, 2_b, 1_b, 0_b$
 - Result (Stored in OperandA): $2_b-3_b, 0_b-1_b, 2_a-3_a, 0_a-1_a$

The HADDPD instruction performs a double precision addition on contiguous data elements. The first data element of the result is obtained by adding the first and second elements of the first operand; the second element by adding the first and second elements of the second operand.

- HADDPD OperandA, OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, two data elements): $1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (128 bits, two data elements): $1_b, 0_b$
 - Result (Stored in OperandA): $1_b+0_b, 1_a+0_a$

The HSUBPD instruction performs a double precision subtraction on contiguous data elements. The first data element of the result is obtained by subtracting the second element of the first operand from the first element of the first operand; the second element by subtracting the second element of the second operand from the first element of the second operand.

- HSUBPD OperandA OperandB
 - OperandA (128 bits, two data elements): $1_a, 0_a$
 - OperandB (128 bits, two data elements): $1_b, 0_b$
 - Result (Stored in OperandA): $0_b-1_b, 0_a-1_a$

12.3.6 Two Thread Synchronization Instructions

The MONITOR instruction sets up an address range that is used to monitor write-back-stores.

MWAIT enables a logical processor to enter into an optimized state while waiting for a write-back-store to the address range set up by MONITOR. MONITOR and MWAIT require the use of general purpose registers for its input. The registers used by MONITOR and MWAIT must be initialized properly; register content is not modified by these instructions.

12.4 WRITING APPLICATIONS WITH INTEL® SSE3

The following sections give guidelines for writing application programs and operating-system code that use Intel SSE3 instructions.

12.4.1 Guidelines for Using Intel® SSE3

The following guidelines describe how to maximize the benefits of using Intel SSE3:

- Check that the processor supports Intel SSE3.
 - Applications may need to ensure that the target operating system supports Intel SSE3. (Operating system support for the Intel SSE implies sufficient support for Intel SSE2 and SSE3.)
- Ensure your operating system supports MONITOR and MWAIT.
- Employ the optimization and scheduling techniques described in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Optimization Reference Manual (see Section 1.4, “Related Literature”).

12.4.2 Checking for Intel® SSE3 Support

Before an application attempts to use the SIMD subset of Intel SSE3 instructions, the application should follow the steps illustrated in Section 11.6.2, “Checking for Intel® SSE and SSE2 Support.” Next, use the additional step provided below:

- Check that the processor supports the SIMD and x87 Intel SSE3 extensions (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE3[bit 0] = 1).

An operating system that provides application support for Intel SSE and SSE2 also provides sufficient application support for Intel SSE3. To use FISTTP, software only needs to check support for Intel SSE3.

In the initial implementation of MONITOR and MWAIT, these two instructions are available to ring 0 and conditionally available at ring level greater than 0. Before an application attempts to use the MONITOR and MWAIT instructions, the application should use the following steps:

1. Check that the processor supports MONITOR and MWAIT. If CPUID.01H:ECX.MONITOR[bit 3] = 1, MONITOR and MWAIT are available at ring 0.
2. Query the smallest and largest line size that MONITOR uses. Use CPUID.05H:EAX.smallest[bits 15:0];EBX.largest[bits15:0]. Values are returned in bytes in EAX and EBX.

3. Ensure the memory address range(s) that will be supplied to MONITOR meets memory type requirements. MONITOR and MWAIT are targeted for system software that supports efficient thread synchronization, see Chapter 14 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A for details.

12.4.3 Enable FTZ and DAZ for SIMD Floating-Point Computation

Enabling the FTZ and DAZ flags in the MXCSR register is likely to accelerate SIMD floating-point computation where strict compliance to the IEEE standard 754-1985 is not required. The FTZ flag is available to Intel 64 and IA-32 processors that support Intel SSE; DAZ is available to Intel 64 processors and to most IA-32 processors that support Intel SSE, SSE2, and SSE3.

Software can detect the presence of DAZ, modify the MXCSR register, and save and restore state information by following the techniques discussed in Section 11.6.3 through Section 11.6.6.

12.4.4 Programming Intel® SSE3 with Intel® SSE and SSE2

SIMD instructions in Intel SSE3 are intended to complement the use of Intel SSE and SSE2 in programming SIMD applications. Application software that intends to use Intel SSE3 instructions should also check for the availability of Intel SSE and SSE2 instructions.

The FISTTP instruction in Intel SSE3 is intended to accelerate x87 style programming where performance is limited by frequent floating-point conversion to integers; this happens when the x87 FPU control word is modified frequently. Use of the FISTTP instruction can eliminate the need to access the x87 FPU control word.

12.5 OVERVIEW OF SSSE3 INSTRUCTIONS

SSSE3 provides 32 instructions to accelerate a variety of multimedia and signal processing applications employing SIMD integer data. See:

- Section 12.6, “SSSE3 Instructions,” provides an introduction to individual SSSE3 instructions.
- The Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volumes 2A, 2B, 2C, & 2D, provides detailed information on individual instructions.
- Chapter 14, “System Programming for Instruction Set Extensions and Processor Extended States,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A, gives guidelines for integrating SSSE3 and Intel SSE, SSE2, and SSE3 into an operating-system environment.

12.6 SSSE3 INSTRUCTIONS

SSSE3 instructions include:

- Twelve instructions that perform horizontal addition or subtraction operations.
- Six instructions that evaluate the absolute values.
- Two instructions that perform multiply and add operations and speed up the evaluation of dot products.
- Two instructions that accelerate packed-integer multiply operations and produce integer values with scaling.
- Two instructions that perform a byte-wise, in-place shuffle according to the second shuffle control operand.
- Six instructions that negate packed integers in the destination operand if the signs of the corresponding element in the source operand is less than zero.
- Two instructions that align data from the composite of two operands.

The operands of these instructions are packed integers of byte, word, or double word sizes. The operands are stored as 64 or 128 bit data in MMX registers, XMM registers, or memory.

The instructions are discussed in more detail in the following paragraphs.

12.6.1 Horizontal Addition/Subtraction

In analogy to the packed, floating-point horizontal add and subtract instructions in Intel SSE3, SSSE3 offers similar capabilities on packed integer data. Data elements of signed words, doublewords are supported. Saturated version for horizontal add and subtract on signed words are also supported. The horizontal data movement of PHADD is shown in Figure 12-3.

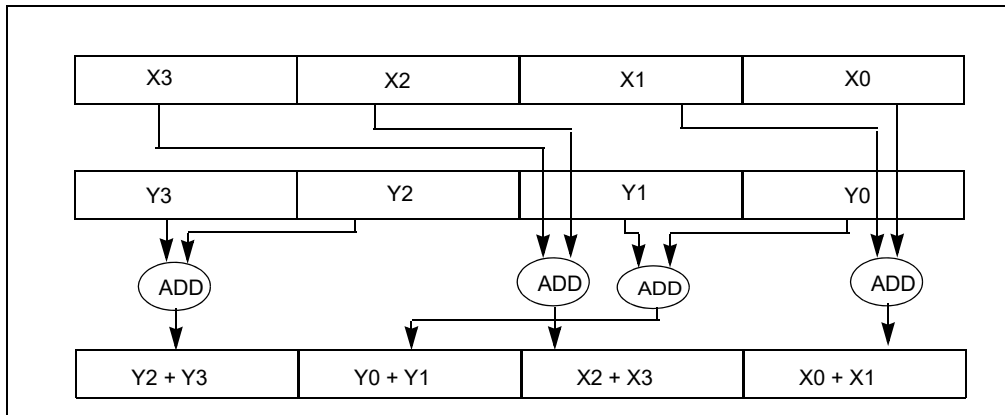


Figure 12-3. Horizontal Data Movement in PHADD

There are six horizontal add instructions (represented by three mnemonics); three operate on 128-bit operands and three operate on 64-bit operands. The width of each data element is either 16 bits or 32 bits. The mnemonics are listed below.

- PHADDW adds two adjacent, signed 16-bit integers horizontally from the source and destination operands and packs the signed 16-bit results to the destination operand.
- PHADDSW adds two adjacent, signed 16-bit integers horizontally from the source and destination operands and packs the signed, saturated 16-bit results to the destination operand.
- PHADD adds two adjacent, signed 32-bit integers horizontally from the source and destination operands and packs the signed 32-bit results to the destination operand.

There are six horizontal subtract instructions (represented by three mnemonics); three operate on 128-bit operands and three operate on 64-bit operands. The width of each data element is either 16 bits or 32 bits. These are listed below.

- PHSUBW performs horizontal subtraction on each adjacent pair of 16-bit signed integers by subtracting the most significant word from the least significant word of each pair in the source and destination operands. The signed 16-bit results are packed and written to the destination operand.
- PHSUBSW performs horizontal subtraction on each adjacent pair of 16-bit signed integers by subtracting the most significant word from the least significant word of each pair in the source and destination operands. The signed, saturated 16-bit results are packed and written to the destination operand.
- PHSUBD performs horizontal subtraction on each adjacent pair of 32-bit signed integers by subtracting the most significant doubleword from the least significant double word of each pair in the source and destination operands. The signed 32-bit results are packed and written to the destination operand.

12.6.2 Packed Absolute Values

There are six packed-absolute-value instructions (represented by three mnemonics). Three operate on 128-bit operands and three operate on 64-bit operands. The widths of data elements are 8 bits, 16 bits or 32 bits. The absolute value of each data element of the source operand is stored as an UNSIGNED result in the destination operand.

- PABSB computes the absolute value of each signed byte data element.

- PABSW computes the absolute value of each signed 16-bit data element.
- PABSD computes the absolute value of each signed 32-bit data element.

12.6.3 Multiply and Add Packed Signed and Unsigned Bytes

There are two multiply-and-add-packed-signed-unsigned-byte instructions (represented by one mnemonic). One operates on 128-bit operands and the other operates on 64-bit operands. Multiplications are performed on each vertical pair of data elements. The data elements in the source operand are signed byte values, the input data elements of the destination operand are unsigned byte values.

- PMADDUBSW multiplies each unsigned byte value with the corresponding signed byte value to produce an intermediate, 16-bit signed integer. Each adjacent pair of 16-bit signed values are added horizontally. The signed, saturated 16-bit results are packed to the destination operand.

12.6.4 Packed Multiply High with Round and Scale

There are two packed-multiply-high-with-round-and-scale instructions (represented by one mnemonic). One operates on 128-bit operands and the other operates on 64-bit operands.

- PMULHRWS multiplies vertically each signed 16-bit integer from the destination operand with the corresponding signed 16-bit integer of the source operand, producing intermediate, signed 32-bit integers. Each intermediate 32-bit integer is truncated to the 18 most significant bits. Rounding is always performed by adding 1 to the least significant bit of the 18-bit intermediate result. The final result is obtained by selecting the 16 bits immediately to the right of the most significant bit of each 18-bit intermediate result and packed to the destination operand.

12.6.5 Packed Shuffle Bytes

There are two packed-shuffle-bytes instructions (represented by one mnemonic). One operates on 128-bit operands and the other operates on 64-bit operands. The shuffle operations are performed bitwise on the destination operand using the source operand as a control mask.

- PSHUFB permutes each byte in place, according to a shuffle control mask. The least significant three or four bits of each shuffle control byte of the control mask form the shuffle index. The shuffle mask is unaffected. If the most significant bit (bit 7) of a shuffle control byte is set, the constant zero is written in the result byte.

12.6.6 Packed Sign

There are six packed-sign instructions (represented by three mnemonics). Three operate on 128-bit operands and three operate on 64-bit operands. The widths of each data element for these instructions are 8 bit, 16 bit or 32 bit signed integers.

- PSIGNB/W/D negates each signed integer element of the destination operand if the sign of the corresponding data element in the source operand is less than zero.

12.6.7 Packed Align Right

There are two packed-align-right instructions (represented by one mnemonic). One operates on 128-bit operands and the other operates on 64-bit operands. These instructions concatenate the destination and source operand into a composite, and extract the result from the composite according to an immediate constant.

- PALIGNR's source operand is appended after the destination operand forming an intermediate value of twice the width of an operand. The result is extracted from the intermediate value into the destination operand by selecting the 128-bit or 64-bit value that are right-aligned to the byte offset specified by the immediate value.

12.7 WRITING APPLICATIONS WITH SSSE3 EXTENSIONS

The following sections give guidelines for writing application programs and operating-system code that use SSSE3 instructions.

12.7.1 Guidelines for Using SSSE3

The following guidelines describe how to maximize the benefits of using SSSE3:

- Check that the processor supports SSSE3.
- Ensure that your operating system supports SSSE3 and Intel SSE, SSE2, and SSE3. (Operating system support for Intel SSE implies sufficient support for SSSE3 and Intel SSE2 and SSE3.)
- Employ the optimization and scheduling techniques described in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Optimization Reference Manual (see Section 1.4, “Related Literature”).

12.7.2 Checking for SSSE3 Support

Before an application attempts to use SSSE3, the application should follow the steps illustrated in Section 11.6.2, “Checking for Intel® SSE and SSE2 Support.” Next, use the additional step provided below:

- Check that the processor supports SSSE3 (if `CPUID.01H:ECX.SSSE3[bit 9] = 1`).

12.8 INTEL® SSE3, SSSE3, AND INTEL® SSE4 EXCEPTIONS

Intel SSE3, SSSE3, and Intel SSE4 instructions can generate the same type of memory-access and non-numeric exceptions as other Intel 64 or IA-32 instructions. Existing exception handlers generally handle these exceptions without code modification.

FISTTP can generate floating-point exceptions. Some Intel SSE3 instructions can also generate SIMD floating-point exceptions.

Intel SSE3 additions and changes are noted in the following sections. See also: Section 11.5, “Intel® SSE, SSE2, and SSE3 Exceptions”.

12.8.1 Device Not Available (DNA) Exceptions

Intel SSE3, SSSE3, and Intel SSE4 will cause a DNA Exception (`#NM`) if the processor attempts to execute an Intel SSE3 instruction while `CR0.TS[bit 3] = 1`. If `CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE3[bit 0] = 0`, execution of an Intel SSE3 instruction will cause an invalid opcode fault regardless of the state of `CR0.TS[bit 3]`.

Similarly, an attempt to execute an SSSE3 instruction on a processor that reports `CPUID.01H:ECX.SSSE3[bit 9] = 0` will cause an invalid opcode fault regardless of the state of `CR0.TS[bit 3]`. An attempt to execute an Intel SSE4.1 instruction on a processor that reports `CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE4_1[bit 19] = 0` will cause an invalid opcode fault regardless of the state of `CR0.TS[bit 3]`.

An attempt to execute PCMPGTQ or any one of the four string processing instructions in Intel SSE4.2 on a processor that reports `CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE4_2[bit 20] = 0` will cause an invalid opcode fault regardless of the state of `CR0.TS[bit 3]`. CRC32 and POPCNT do not cause `#NM`.

12.8.2 Numeric Error flag and IGNNE#

Most Intel SSE3 instructions ignore `CR0.NE[bit 5]` (treats it as if it were always set) and the `IGNNE#` pin. With one exception, all use the exception 19 (`#XM`) software exception for error reporting. The exception is FISTTP; it behaves like other x87-FP instructions.

SSSE3 instructions ignore `CR0.NE[bit 5]` (treats it as if it were always set) and the `IGNNE#` pin.

SSSE3 instructions do not cause floating-point errors. Floating-point numeric errors for Intel SSE4.1 are described in Section 12.8.4. Intel SSE4.2 instructions do not cause floating-point errors.

12.8.3 Emulation

CR0.EM is used by some software to emulate x87 floating-point instructions. CR0.EM[bit 2] cannot be used for emulation of SSSE3 and Intel SSE, SSE2, SSE3, and SSE4. If an Intel SSE3, SSSE3, or Intel SSE4 instruction execute with CR0.EM[bit 2] set, an invalid opcode exception (INT 6) is generated instead of a device not available exception (INT 7).

12.8.4 IEEE 754 Compliance of Intel® SSE4.1 Floating-Point Instructions

The six Intel SSE4.1 instructions that perform floating-point arithmetic are:

- DPPS
- DPPD
- ROUNDPS
- ROUNDPD
- ROUNDSS
- ROUNDSD

Dot Product operations are not specified in IEEE-754. When neither FTZ nor DAZ are enabled, the dot product instructions resemble sequences of IEEE-754 multiplies and adds (with rounding at each stage), except that the treatment of input NaN's is implementation specific (there will be at least one NaN in the output). The input select fields (bits imm8[4:7]) force input elements to +0.0f prior to the first multiply and will suppress input exceptions that would otherwise have been generated.

As a convenience to the exception handler, any exceptions signaled from DPPS or DPPD leave the destination unmodified.

Round operations signal invalid and precision only.

Table 12-1. SIMD numeric exceptions signaled by SSE4.1

	DPPS	DPPD	ROUNDPS ROUNDSS	ROUNDPD ROUNDSD
Overflow	X	X		
Underflow	X	X		
Invalid	X	X	X ⁽¹⁾	X ⁽¹⁾
Inexact Precision	X	X	X ⁽²⁾	X ⁽²⁾
Denormal	X	X		

NOTE:

1. Invalid is signaled only if Src = SNaN.
2. Precision is ignored (regardless of the MXCSR precision mask) if imm8[3] = '1'.

The other Intel SSE4.1 instructions with floating-point arguments (BLENDPS, BLENDPD, BLENDVPS, BLENDVDP, INSERTPS, EXTRACTPS) do not signal any SIMD numeric exceptions.

12.9 INTEL® SSE4 OVERVIEW

Intel SSE4 comprises two sets of extensions: Intel SSE4.1 and SSE4.2. Intel SSE4.1 is targeted to improve the performance of media, imaging, and 3D workloads. Intel SSE4.1 adds instructions that improve compiler vectoriza-

tion and significantly increase support for packed dword computation. The technology also provides a hint that can improve memory throughput when reading from uncacheable WC memory type.

The 47 Intel SSE4.1 instructions include:

- Two instructions perform packed dword multiplies.
- Two instructions perform floating-point dot products with input/output selects.
- One instruction performs a load with a streaming hint.
- Six instructions simplify packed blending.
- Eight instructions expand support for packed integer MIN/MAX.
- Four instructions support floating-point round with selectable rounding mode and precision exception override.
- Seven instructions improve data insertion and extractions from XMM registers
- Twelve instructions improve packed integer format conversions (sign and zero extensions).
- One instruction improves SAD (sum absolute difference) generation for small block sizes.
- One instruction aids horizontal searching operations.
- One instruction improves masked comparisons.
- One instruction adds qword packed equality comparisons.
- One instruction adds dword packing with unsigned saturation.

The Intel SSE4.2 instructions operating on XMM registers improve performance in the following areas:

- String and text processing that can take advantage of single-instruction multiple-data programming techniques.
- A SIMD integer instruction that enhances the capability of the 128-bit integer SIMD capability in Intel SSE4.1.

12.10 INTEL® SSE4.1 INSTRUCTION SET

12.10.1 Dword Multiply Instructions

Intel SSE4.1 adds two dword multiply instructions that aid vectorization. They allow four simultaneous 32 bit by 32 bit multiplies. PMULLD returns a low 32-bits of the result and PMULDQ returns a 64-bit signed result. These represent the most common integer multiply operation. See Table 12-2.

Table 12-2. Enhanced 32-bit SIMD Multiply Supported by Intel® SSE4.1

		32 bit Integer Operation	
		unsigned x unsigned	signed x signed
Result	Low 32-bit	(not available)	PMULLD
	High 32-bit	(not available)	(not available)
	64-bit	PMULUDQ*	PMULDQ

NOTE:

* Available prior to SSE4.1.

12.10.2 Floating-Point Dot Product Instructions

Intel SSE4.1 adds two instructions for double precision (for up to 2 elements; DPPD) and single precision dot products (for up to 4 elements; DPPS).

These dot-product instructions include source select and destination broadcast which generally improves the flexibility. For example, a single DPPS instruction can be used for a 2, 3, or 4 element dot product.

12.10.3 Streaming Load Hint Instruction

Historically, CPU read accesses of WC memory type regions have significantly lower throughput than accesses to cacheable memory.

The streaming load instruction in SSE4.1, MOVNTDQA, provides a non-temporal hint that can cause adjacent 16-byte items within an aligned 64-byte region of WC memory type (a streaming line) to be fetched and held in a small set of temporary buffers ("streaming load buffers"). Subsequent streaming loads to other aligned 16-byte items in the same streaming line may be satisfied from the streaming load buffer and can improve throughput.

Programmers are advised to use the following practices to improve the efficiency of MOVNTDQA streaming loads from WC memory:

- Streaming loads must be 16-byte aligned.
- Temporally group streaming loads of the same streaming cache line for effective use of the small number of streaming load buffers. If loads to the same streaming line are excessively spaced apart, it may cause the streaming line to be re-fetched from memory.
- Temporally group streaming loads from at most a few streaming lines together. The number of streaming load buffers is small; grouping a modest number of streams will avoid running out of streaming load buffers and the resultant re-fetching of streaming lines from memory.
- Avoid writing to a streaming line until all 16-byte-aligned reads from the streaming line have occurred. Reading a 16-byte item from a streaming line that has been written, may cause the streaming line to be re-fetched.
- Avoid reading a given 16-byte item within a streaming line more than once; repeated loads of a particular 16-byte item are likely to cause the streaming line to be re-fetched.
- The streaming load buffers, reflecting the WC memory type characteristics, are not required to be snooped by operations from other agents. Software should not rely upon such coherency actions to provide any data coherency with respect to other logical processors or bus agents. Rather, software must ensure the consistency of WC memory accesses between producers and consumers.
- Streaming loads may be weakly ordered and may appear to software to execute out of order with respect to other memory operations. Software must explicitly use MFENCE if it needs to preserve order among streaming loads or between streaming loads and other memory operations.
- Streaming loads must not be used to reference memory addresses that are mapped to I/O devices having side effects or when reads to these devices are destructive. This is because MOVNTDQA is speculative in nature.

Example 12-1 provides a sketch of the basic assembly sequences that illustrate the principles of using MOVNTDQA in a situation with a producer-consumer accessing a WC memory region.

Example 12-1. Sketch of MOVNTDQA Usage of a Consumer and a PCI Producer

```

// P0: producer is a PCI device writing into the WC space
# the PCI device updates status through a UC flag, "u_dev_status" .
# the protocol for "u_dev_status" : 0: produce; 1: consume; 2: all done

    mov eax, $0
    mov [u_dev_status], eax
producerStart:
    mov eax, [u_dev_status] # poll status flag to see if consumer is requestion data
    cmp eax, $0             #
    jne done                # I no longer need to produce
    commence PCI writes to WC region..

    mov eax, $1 # producer ready to notify the consumer via status flag
    mov [u_dev_status], eax
# now wait for consumer to signal its status
spinloop:
    cmp [u_dev_status], $1 # did I get a signal from the consumer ?
    jne producerStart      # yes I did
    jmp spinloop           # check again
done:
// producer is finished at this point

// P1: consumer check PCI status flag to consume WC data
    mov eax, $0 # request to the producer
    mov [u_dev_status], eax
consumerStart:
    mov; eax, [u_dev_status] # reads the value of the PCI status
    cmp eax, $1             # has producer written
    jne consumerStart      # tight loop; make it more efficient with pause, etc.
    mfence # producer finished device writes to WC, ensure WC region is coherent
ntread:
    movntdqa xmm0, [addr]
    movntdqa xmm1, [addr + 16]
    movntdqa xmm2, [addr + 32]
    movntdqa xmm3, [addr + 48]
    ... # do any more NT reads as needed
    mfence # ensure PCI device reads the correct value of [u_dev_status]
# now decide whether we are done or we need the producer to produce more data
# if we are done write a 2 into the variable, otherwise write a 0 into the variable
    mov eax, $0/$2 # end or continue producing
    mov [u_dev_status], eax
# if I want to consume again I will jump back to consumerStart after storing a 0 into eax
# otherwise I am done

```


12.10.4 Packed Blending Instructions

Intel SSE4.1 adds 6 instructions used for blending (BLENDPS, BLENDPD, BLENDVPS, BLENDVPD, PBLENDVB, PBLENDW).

Blending conditionally copies a data element in a source operand to the same element in the destination. Intel SSE4.1 instructions improve blending operations for most field sizes. A single new Intel SSE4.1 instruction can generally replace a sequence of 2 to 4 operations using previous architectures.

The variable blend instructions (BLENDVPS, BLENDVPD, PBLENDW) introduce the use of control bits stored in an implicit XMM register (XMM0). The most significant bit in each field (the sign bit, for 2's complement integer or floating-point) is used as a selector. See Table 12-3.

Table 12-3. Blend Field Size and Control Modes Supported by Intel® SSE4.1

Instructions	Packed Double FP	Packed Single FP	Packed QWord	Packed DWord	Packed Word	Packed Byte	Blend Control
BLENDPS		X					Imm8
BLENDPD	X						Imm8
BLENDVPS		X		X ⁽¹⁾			XMM0
BLENDVPD	X		X ⁽¹⁾				XMM0
PBLENDVB			⁽²⁾	⁽²⁾	⁽²⁾	X	XMM0
PBLENDW			X	X	X		Imm8

NOTE:

1. Use of floating-point SIMD instructions on integer data types may incur performance penalties.
2. Byte variable blend can be used for larger sized fields by reformatting (or shuffling) the blend control.

12.10.5 Packed Integer MIN/MAX Instructions

Intel SSE4.1 adds 8 packed integer MIN and MAX instructions: PMINUW, PMINUD, PMINSB, PMINSD; PMAXUW, PMAXUD, PMAXSB, and PMAXSD.

Four 32-bit integer packed MIN and MAX instructions operate on unsigned and signed dwords. Two instructions operate on signed bytes. Two instructions operate on unsigned words. See Table 12-4.

Table 12-4. Enhanced SIMD Integer MIN/MAX Instructions Supported by Intel® SSE4.1

		Integer Width		
		Byte	Word	DWord
Integer Format	Unsigned	PMINUB* PMAXUB*	PMINUW PMAXUW	PMINUD PMAXUD
	Signed	PMINSB PMAXSB	PMINSW* PMAXSW*	PMINSD PMAXSD

NOTE:

* Available prior to Intel SSE4.1.

12.10.6 Floating-Point Round Instructions with Selectable Rounding Mode

High level languages and libraries often expose rounding operations having a variety of numeric rounding and exception behaviors. Using Intel SSE, SSE2, and SSE3 instructions to mitigate the rounding-mode-related problem is sometimes not straight forward.

Intel SSE4.1 introduces four rounding instructions (ROUNDPS, ROUNDPD, ROUNDSS, and ROUNDDSD) that cover scalar and packed single- and double precision floating-point operands. The rounding mode can be selected using an immediate from one of the IEEE-754 modes (Nearest, -Inf, +Inf, and Truncate) without changing the current

rounding mode; or the instruction can be forced to use the current rounding mode. Another bit in the immediate is used to suppress inexact precision exceptions.

Rounding instructions in Intel SSE4.1 generally permit single-instruction solutions to C99 functions `ceil()`, `floor()`, `trunc()`, `rint()`, `nearbyint()`. These instructions simplify the implementations of half-way-away-from-zero rounding modes as used by C99 `round()` and F90's `nint()`.

12.10.7 Insertion and Extractions from XMM Registers

Intel SSE4.1 adds 7 instructions (corresponding to 9 assembly instruction mnemonics) that simplify data insertion and extraction between general-purpose register (GPR) and XMM registers: `EXTRACTPS`, `INSERTPS`, `PINSRB`, `PINSRD`, `PINSRQ`, `PEXTRB`, `PEXTRW`, `PEXTRD`, and `PEXTRQ`. When accessing memory, no alignment is required for any of these instructions (unless alignment checking is enabled).

`EXTRACTPS` extracts a single precision floating-point value from any dword offset in an XMM register and stores the result to memory or a general-purpose register. `INSERTPS` inserts a single floating-point value from either a 32-bit memory location or from specified element in an XMM register to a selected element in the destination XMM register. In addition, `INSERTPS` allows the insertion of `+0.0f` into any destination elements using a mask.

`PINSRB`, `PINSRD`, and `PINSRQ` insert byte, dword, or qword integer values from a register or memory into an XMM register. Insertion of integer word values were already supported by Intel SSE2 (`PINSRW`).

`PEXTRB`, `PEXTRW`, `PEXTRD`, and `PEXTRQ` extract byte, word, dword, and qword from an XMM register and insert the values into a general-purpose register or memory.

12.10.8 Packed Integer Format Conversions

A common type of operation on packed integers is the conversion by zero- or sign-extension of packed integers into wider data types. Intel SSE4.1 adds 12 instructions that convert from a smaller packed integer type to a larger integer type: `PMOVSXBW`, `PMOVZXBW`, `PMOVXBD`, `PMOVZBD`, `PMOVXWD`, `PMOVZWD`, `PMOVXBQ`, `PMOVXWQ`, `PMOVZWQ`, `PMOVXDQ`, and `PMOVZXDQ`.

The source operand is from either an XMM register or memory; the destination is an XMM register. See Table 12-5.

When accessing memory, no alignment is required for any of the instructions unless alignment checking is enabled. In which case, all conversions must be aligned to the width of the memory reference. The number of elements converted (and width of memory reference) is illustrated in Table 12-6. The alignment requirement is shown in parenthesis.

Table 12-5. New SIMD Integer conversions supported by Intel® SSE4.1

		Source Type		
		Byte	Word	Dword
Destination Type	Signed Word	<code>PMOVSXBW</code>		
	Unsigned Word	<code>PMOVZXBW</code>		
	Signed Dword	<code>PMOVXBD</code>	<code>PMOVXWD</code>	
	Unsigned Dword	<code>PMOVZBD</code>	<code>PMOVZWD</code>	
	Signed Qword	<code>PMOVXBQ</code>	<code>PMOVXWQ</code>	<code>PMOVXDQ</code>
	Unsigned Qword	<code>PMOVZBQ</code>	<code>PMOVZWQ</code>	<code>PMOVZXDQ</code>

Table 12-6. New SIMD Integer Conversions Supported by Intel® SSE4.1

		Source Type		
		Byte	Word	Dword
Destination Type	Word	8 (64 bits)		
	Dword	4 (32 bits)	4 (64 bits)	
	Qword	2 (16 bits)	2 (32 bits)	2 (64 bits)

12.10.9 Improved Sums of Absolute Differences (SAD) for 4-Byte Blocks

Intel SSE4.1 adds an instruction (MPSADBW) that performs eight 4-byte wide SAD operations per instruction to produce eight results. Compared to PSADBW, MPSADBW operates on smaller chunks (4-byte instead of 8-byte chunks); this makes the instruction better suited to video coding standards such as VC.1 and H.264. MPSADBW performs four times the number of absolute difference operations than that of PSADBW (per instruction). This can improve performance for dense motion searches.

MPSADBW uses a 4-byte wide field from a source operand; the offset of the 4-byte field within the 128-bit source operand is specified by two immediate control bits. MPSADBW produces eight 16-bit SAD results. Each 16-bit SAD result is formed from overlapping pairs of 4 bytes in the destination with the 4-byte field from the source operand. MPSADBW uses eleven consecutive bytes in the destination operand, its offset is specified by a control bit in the immediate byte (i.e., the offset can be from byte 0 or from byte 4). Figure 12-4 illustrates the operation of MPSADBW. MPSADBW can simplify coding of dense motion estimation by providing source and destination offset control, higher throughput of SAD operations, and the smaller chunk size.

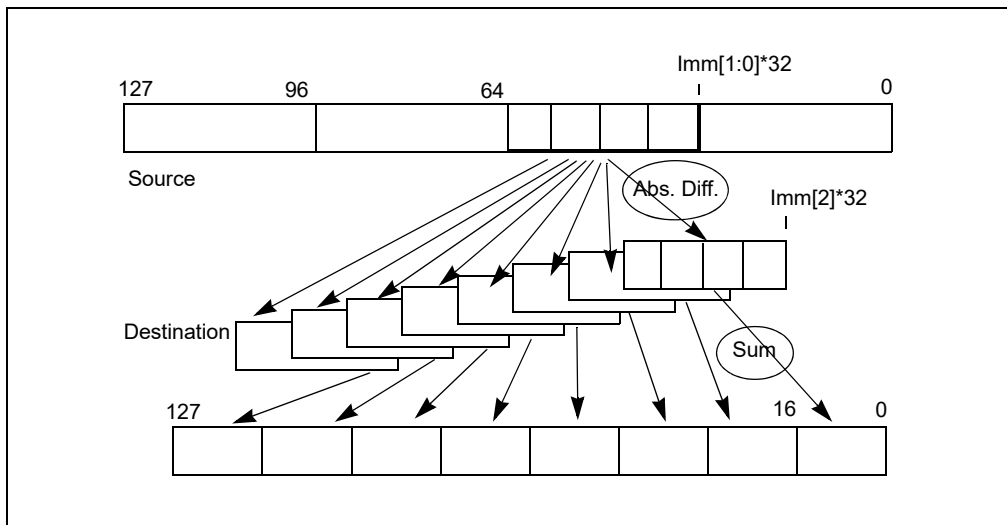


Figure 12-4. MPSADBW Operation

12.10.10 Horizontal Search

Intel SSE4.1 adds a search instruction (PHMINPOSUW) that finds the value and location of the minimum unsigned word from one of 8 horizontally packed unsigned words. The resulting value and location (offset within the source) are packed into the low dword of the destination XMM register.

Rapid search is often a significant component of motion estimation. MPSADBW and PHMINPOSUW can be used together to improve video encode.

12.10.11 Packed Test

The packed test instruction PTEST is similar to a 128-bit equivalent to the legacy instruction TEST. With PTEST, the source argument is typically used like a bit mask.

PTEST performs a logical AND between the destination with this mask and sets the ZF flag if the result is zero. The CF flag (zero for TEST) is set if the inverted mask AND'd with the destination is all zero. Because the destination is not modified, PTEST simplifies branching operations (such as branching on signs of packed floating-point numbers, or branching on zero fields).

12.10.12 Packed Qword Equality Comparisons

Intel SSE4.1 adds a 128-bit packed qword equality test. The new instruction (PCMPEQQ) is identical to PCMPEQD, but has qword granularity.

12.10.13 Dword Packing With Unsigned Saturation

Intel SSE4.1 adds a new instruction PACKUSDW to complete the set of small integer pack instructions in the family of SIMD instruction extensions. PACKUSDW packs dword to word with unsigned saturation. See Table 12-7 for the complete set of packing instructions for small integers.

Table 12-7. Enhanced SIMD Pack support by Intel® SSE4.1

		Pack Type	
		DWord -> word	Word -> Byte
Saturation Type	Unsigned	PACKUSDW (new!)	PACKUSWB
	Signed	PACKSSDW	PACKSSWB

12.11 INTEL® SSE4.2 INSTRUCTION SET

Five of the seven Intel SSE4.2 instructions can use an XMM register as a source or destination. These include four text/string processing instructions and one packed quadword compare SIMD instruction. Programming these five Intel SSE4.2 instructions is similar to programming 128-bit Integer SIMD in Intel SSE2 or SSSE3. Intel SSE4.2 does not provide any 64-bit integer SIMD instructions.

12.11.1 String and Text Processing Instructions

String and text processing instructions in Intel SSE4.2 allocates four opcodes to provide a rich set of string and text processing capabilities that traditionally required many more opcodes. These four instructions use XMM registers to process string or text elements of up to 128-bits (16 bytes or 8 words). Each instruction uses an immediate byte to support a rich set of programmable controls. A string-processing Intel SSE4.2 instruction returns the result of processing each pair of string elements using either an index or a mask.

The capabilities of the string/text processing instructions include:

- Handling string/text fragments consisting of bytes or words, either signed or unsigned.
- Support for partial string or fragments less than 16 bytes in length, using either explicit length or implicit null-termination.
- Four types of string compare operations on word/byte elements.
- Up to 256 compare operations performed in a single instruction on all string/text element pairs.
- Built-in aggregation of intermediate results from comparisons.

- Programmable control of processing on intermediate results.
- Programmable control of output formats in terms of an index or mask.
- Bi-directional support for the index format.
- Support for two mask formats: bit or natural element width.
- Not requiring 16-byte alignment for memory operand.

The four Intel SSE4.2 instructions that process text/string fragments are:

- PCMPSTR — Packed compare explicit-length strings, return index in ECX/RCX.
- PCMPSTRM — Packed compare explicit-length strings, return mask in XMM0.
- PCMPSTR — Packed compare implicit-length strings, return index in ECX/RCX.
- PCMPSTRM — Packed compare implicit-length strings, return mask in XMM0.

All four of these instructions require the use of an immediate byte to control operation. The two source operands can be XMM registers or a combination of XMM register and memory address. The immediate byte provides programmable control with the following attributes:

- Input data format.
- Compare operation mode.
- Intermediate result processing.
- Output selection.

Depending on the output format associated with the instruction, the text/string processing instructions implicitly uses either a general-purpose register (ECX/RCX) or an XMM register (XMM0) to return the final result.

Two of the four text-string processing instructions specify string length explicitly. They use two general-purpose registers (EDX, EAX) to specify the number of valid data elements (either word or byte) in the source operands. The other two instructions specify valid string elements using null termination. A data element is considered valid only if it has a lower index than the least significant null data element.

12.11.1.1 Memory Operand Alignment

The text and string processing instructions in Intel SSE4.2 do not perform alignment checking on memory operands. This is different from most other 128-bit SIMD instructions accessing the XMM registers. The absence of an alignment check for these four instructions does not imply any modification to the existing definitions of other instructions.

12.11.2 Packed Comparison SIMD Integer Instruction

Intel SSE4.2 also provides a 128-bit integer SIMD instruction PCMPGTQ that performs logical compare of greater-than on packed integer quadwords.

12.12 WRITING APPLICATIONS WITH INTEL® SSE4 EXTENSIONS

12.12.1 Guidelines for Using Intel® SSE4 Extensions

The following guidelines describe how to maximize the benefits of using Intel SSE4 extensions:

- Check that the processor supports Intel SSE4 extensions.
- Ensure that the operating system supports SSSE3 and Intel SSE, SSE2, and SSE3. (Operating system support for Intel SSE implies sufficient support for SSSE3 and Intel SSE2, SSE3, and SSE4.)
- Employ the optimization and scheduling techniques described in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Optimization Reference Manual (see Section 1.4, "Related Literature").

12.12.2 Checking for Intel® SSE4.1 Support

Before an application attempts to use Intel SSE4.1 instructions, the application should follow the steps illustrated in Section 11.6.2, “Checking for Intel® SSE and SSE2 Support.” Next, use the additional step provided below:

Check that the processor supports Intel SSE4.1 (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE4_1[bit 19] = 1), Intel SSE3 (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE3[bit 0] = 1), and SSSE3 (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSSE3[bit 9] = 1).

12.12.3 Checking for Intel® SSE4.2 Support

Before an application attempts to use the following Intel SSE4.2 instructions: PCMPSTRI/PCMPSTRM/PCMP-ISTRI/PCMPISTRM, PCMPGTQ; the application should follow the steps illustrated in Section 11.6.2, “Checking for Intel® SSE and SSE2 Support.” Next, use the additional steps provided below:

- Check that the processor supports Intel SSE4.2 (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE4_2[bit 20] = 1), Intel SSE4.1 (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE4_1[bit 19] = 1), and SSSE3 (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSSE3[bit 9] = 1).
- Before an application attempts to use the CRC32 instruction, it must check that the processor supports Intel SSE4.2 (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE4_2[bit 20] = 1).
- Before an application attempts to use the POPCNT instruction, it must check that the processor supports Intel SSE4.2 (if CPUID.01H:ECX.SSE4_2[bit 20] = 1) and POPCNT (if CPUID.01H:ECX.POPCNT[bit 23] = 1).

12.13 INTEL® AES-NI OVERVIEW

Intel AES-NI provides six instructions to accelerate symmetric block encryption/decryption of 128-bit data blocks using the Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) specified by the NIST publication FIPS 197. Specifically, two instructions (AESENC and AESENCCLAST) target the AES encryption rounds; and two instructions (AESDEC and AESDECLAST) target AES decryption rounds using the Equivalent Inverse Cipher. One instruction (AESIMC) targets the Inverse MixColumn transformation primitive, and one instruction (AESKEYGEN) targets generation of round keys from the cipher key for the AES encryption/decryption rounds.

AES supports encryption/decryption using cipher key lengths of 128, 192, and 256 bits by processing the data block in 10, 12, and 14 rounds of predefined transformations. Figure 12-5 depicts the cryptographic processing of a block of 128-bit plain text into cipher text.

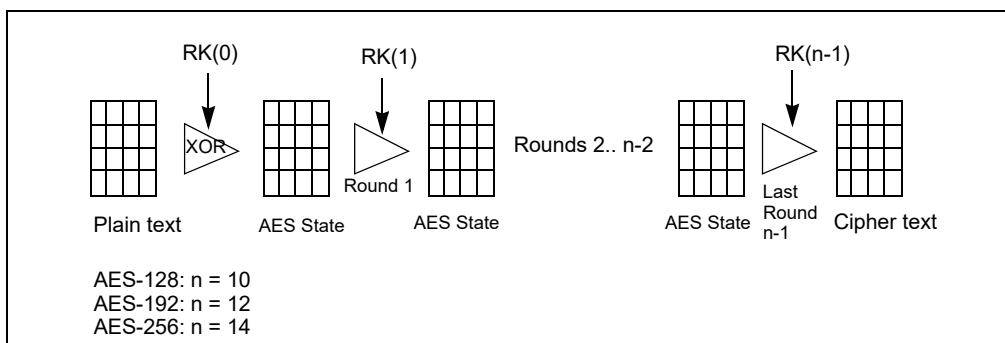


Figure 12-5. AES State Flow

The predefined AES transformation primitives are described in the next few sections, they are also referenced in the operation flow of instruction reference page of these instructions.

12.13.1 Little-Endian Architecture and Big-Endian Specification (FIPS 197)

FIPS 197 document defines the Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) and includes a set of test vectors for testing all of the steps in the algorithm, and can be used for testing and debugging.

The following observation is important for using the AES instructions offered in Intel 64 Architecture: FIPS 197 text convention is to write hex strings with the low-memory byte on the left and the high-memory byte on the right. Intel’s convention is the reverse. It is similar to the difference between Big Endian and Little Endian notations.

In other words, a 128 bits vector in the FIPS document, when read from left to right, is encoded as [7:0, 15:8, 23:16, 31:24, ...127:120]. Note that inside the byte, the encoding is [7:0], so the first bit from the left is the most significant bit. In practice, the test vectors are written in hexadecimal notation, where pairs of hexadecimal digits define the different bytes. To translate the FIPS 197 notation to an Intel 64 architecture compatible (“Little Endian”) format, each test vector needs to be byte-reflected to [127:120,... 31:24, 23:16, 15:8, 7:0].

Example A:

FIPS Test vector: 000102030405060708090a0b0c0d0e0fH

Intel AES Hardware: 0f0e0d0c0b0a09080706050403020100H

It should be pointed out that the only thing at issue is a textual convention, and programmers do not need to perform byte-reversal in their code, when using the AES instructions.

12.13.1.1 AES Data Structure in Intel® 64 Architecture

The AES instructions that are defined in this document operate on one or on two 128 bits source operands: State and Round Key. From the architectural point of view, the state is input in an xmm register and the Round key is input either in an xmm register or a 128-bit memory location.

In AES algorithm, the state (128 bits) can be viewed as four 32-bit doublewords (“Words” in AES terminology): X3, X2, X1, and X0.

The state may also be viewed as a set of 16 bytes. The 16 bytes can also be viewed as a 4x4 matrix of bytes where S(i, j) with i, j = 0, 1, 2, 3 compose the 32-bit “words” as follows:

$$X0 = S(3, 0) S(2, 0) S(1, 0) S(0, 0)$$

$$X1 = S(3, 1) S(2, 1) S(1, 1) S(0, 1)$$

$$X2 = S(3, 2) S(2, 2) S(1, 2) S(0, 2)$$

$$X3 = S(3, 3) S(2, 3) S(1, 3) S(0, 3)$$

The following tables, Table 12-8 through Table 12-11, illustrate various representations of a 128-bit state.

Table 12-8. Byte and 32-bit Word Representation of a 128-bit State

Byte #	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Bit Position	127-120	119-112	111-103	103-96	95-88	87-80	79-72	71-64	63-56	55-48	47-40	39-32	31-24	23-16	15-8	7-0
	127 - 96				95 - 64				64 - 32				31 - 0			
State Word	X3				X2				X1				X0			
State Byte	P	O	N	M	L	K	J	I	H	G	F	E	D	C	B	A

Table 12-9. Matrix Representation of a 128-bit State

A	E	I	M	S(0, 0)	S(0, 1)	S(0, 2)	S(0, 3)
B	F	J	N	S(1, 0)	S(1, 1)	S(1, 2)	S(1, 3)
C	G	K	O	S(2, 0)	S(2, 1)	S(2, 2)	S(2, 3)
D	H	L	P	S(3, 0)	S(3, 1)	S(3, 2)	S(3, 3)

Example:

FIPS vector: d4 bf 5d 30 e0 b4 52 ae b8 41 11 f1 1e 27 98 e5

This vector has the “least significant” byte d4 and the significant byte e5 (written in Big Endian format in the FIPS document). When it is translated to IA notations, the encoding is:

Table 12-10. Little Endian Representation of a 128-bit State

Byte #	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
State Byte	P	O	N	M	L	K	J	I	H	G	F	E	D	C	B	A
State Value	e5	98	27	1e	f1	11	41	b8	ae	52	b4	e0	30	5d	bf	d4

Table 12-11. Little Endian Representation of a 4x4 Byte Matrix

A	E	I	M		d4	e0	b8	1e
B	F	J	N		bf	b4	41	27
C	G	K	O		5d	52	11	98
D	H	L	P		30	ae	f1	e5

12.13.2 AES Transformations and Functions

The following functions and transformations are used in the algorithmic descriptions of AES instruction extensions AESDEC, AESDECLAST, AESENC, AESENCCLAST, AESIMC, and AESKEYGENASSIST.

Note that these transformations are expressed here in a Little Endian format (and not as in the FIPS 197 document).

- **MixColumns():** A byte-oriented 4x4 matrix transformation on the matrix representation of a 128-bit AES state. A FIPS-197 defined 4x4 matrix is multiplied to each 4x1 column vector of the AES state. The columns are considered polynomials with coefficients in the Finite Field that is used in the definition of FIPS 197, the operations (“multiplication” and “addition”) are in that Finite Field, and the polynomials are reduced modulo x^4+1 .

The MixColumns() transformation defines the relationship between each byte of the result state, represented as $S'(i, j)$ of a 4x4 matrix (see Section 12.13.1), as a function of input state bytes, $S(i, j)$, as follows

$$S'(0, j) := \text{FF_MUL}(02\text{H}, S(0, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(03\text{H}, S(1, j)) \text{ XOR } S(2, j) \text{ XOR } S(3, j)$$

$$S'(1, j) := S(0, j) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(02\text{H}, S(1, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(03\text{H}, S(2, j)) \text{ XOR } S(3, j)$$

$$S'(2, j) := S(0, j) \text{ XOR } S(1, j) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(02\text{H}, S(2, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(03\text{H}, S(3, j))$$

$$S'(3, j) := \text{FF_MUL}(03\text{H}, S(0, j)) \text{ XOR } S(1, j) \text{ XOR } S(2, j) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(02\text{H}, S(3, j))$$

where $j = 0, 1, 2, 3$. $\text{FF_MUL}(\text{Byte1}, \text{Byte2})$ denotes the result of multiplying two elements (represented by Byte1 and byte2) in the Finite Field representation that defines AES. The result of produced by $\text{FF_MUL}(\text{Byte1}, \text{Byte2})$ is an element in the Finite Field (represented as a byte). A Finite Field is a field with a finite number of elements, and when this number can be represented as a power of 2 (2^n), its elements can be represented as the set of 2^n binary strings of length n . AES uses a finite field with $n=8$ (having 256 elements). With this representation, “addition” of two elements in that field is a bit-wise XOR of their binary-string representation, producing another element in the field. Multiplication of two elements in that field is defined using an irreducible polynomial (for AES, this polynomial is $m(x) = x^8 + x^4 + x^3 + x + 1$). In this Finite Field representation, the bit value of bit position k of a byte represents the coefficient of a polynomial of order k , e.g., 1010_1101B (ADH) is represented by the polynomial $(x^7 + x^5 + x^3 + x^2 + 1)$. The byte value result of multiplication of two elements is obtained by a carry-less multiplication of the two corresponding polynomials, followed by reduction modulo the polynomial, where the remainder is calculated using operations defined in the field. For example, $\text{FF_MUL}(57\text{H}, 83\text{H}) = \text{C1H}$, because the carry-less polynomial multiplication of the polynomials represented by 57H and 83H produces $(x^{13} + x^{11} + x^9 + x^8 + x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + 1)$, and the remainder modulo $m(x)$ is $(x^7 + x^6 + 1)$.

- **RotWord():** performs a byte-wise cyclic permutation (rotate right in little-endian byte order) on a 32-bit AES word.

The output word $X'[j]$ of $\text{RotWord}(X[j])$ where $X[j]$ represent the four bytes of column j , $S(i, j)$, in descending order $X[j] = (S(3, j), S(2, j), S(1, j), S(0, j))$; $X'[j] = (S'(3, j), S'(2, j), S'(1, j), S'(0, j)) := (S(0, j), S(3, j), S(2, j), S(1, j))$

- $\text{ShiftRows}()$: A byte-oriented matrix transformation that processes the matrix representation of a 16-byte AES state by cyclically shifting the last three rows of the state by different offset to the left, see Table 12-12.

Table 12-12. The ShiftRows Transformation

Matrix Representation of Input State				Output of ShiftRows			
A	E	I	M	A	E	I	M
B	F	J	N	F	J	N	B
C	G	K	O	K	O	C	G
D	H	L	P	P	D	H	L

- $\text{SubBytes}()$: A byte-oriented transformation that processes the 128-bit AES state by applying a non-linear substitution table (S-BOX) on each byte of the state.

The $\text{SubBytes}()$ function defines the relationship between each byte of the result state $S'(i, j)$ as a function of input state byte $S(i, j)$, by

$$S'(i, j) := \text{S-Box}(S(i, j)[7:4], S(i, j)[3:0])$$

where S-BOX ($S[7:4], S[3:0]$) represents a look-up operation on a 16x16 table to return a byte value, see Table 12-13.

Table 12-13. Look-up Table Associated with S-Box Transformation

		S[3:0]															
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	a	b	c	d	e	f
S[7:4]	0	63	7c	77	7b	f2	6b	6f	c5	30	01	67	2b	fe	d7	ab	76
	1	ca	82	c9	7d	fa	59	47	f0	ad	d4	a2	af	9c	a4	72	c0
	2	b7	fd	93	26	36	3f	f7	cc	34	a5	e5	f1	71	d8	31	15
	3	04	c7	23	c3	18	96	05	9a	07	12	80	e2	eb	27	b2	75
	4	09	83	2c	1a	1b	6e	5a	a0	52	3b	d6	b3	29	e3	2f	84
	5	53	d1	00	ed	20	fc	b1	5b	6a	cb	be	39	4a	4c	58	cf
	6	d0	ef	aa	fb	43	4d	33	85	45	f9	02	7f	50	3c	9f	a8
	7	51	a3	40	8f	92	9d	38	f5	bc	b6	da	21	10	ff	f3	d2
	8	cd	0c	13	ec	5f	97	44	17	c4	a7	7e	3d	64	5d	19	73
	9	60	81	4f	dc	22	2a	90	88	46	ee	b8	14	de	5e	0b	db
	a	e0	32	3a	0a	49	06	24	5c	c2	d3	ac	62	91	95	e4	79
	b	e7	c8	37	6d	8d	d5	4e	a9	6c	56	f4	ea	65	7a	ae	08
	c	ba	78	25	2e	1c	a6	b4	c6	e8	dd	74	1f	4b	bd	8b	8a
	d	70	3e	b5	66	48	03	f6	0e	61	35	57	b9	86	c1	1d	9e
	e	e1	f8	98	11	69	d9	8e	94	9b	1e	87	e9	ce	55	28	df
	f	8c	a1	89	0d	bf	e6	42	68	41	99	2d	0f	b0	54	bb	16

- $\text{SubWord}()$: produces an output AES word (four bytes) from the four bytes of an input word using a non-linear substitution table (S-BOX).

$$X'[j] = (S'(3, j), S'(2, j), S'(1, j), S'(0, j)) := (\text{S-Box}(S(3, j)), \text{S-Box}(S(2, j)), \text{S-Box}(S(1, j)), \text{S-Box}(S(0, j)))$$

- **InvMixColumns():** The inverse transformation of MixColumns().

The InvMixColumns() transformation defines the relationship between each byte of the result state $S'(i, j)$ as a function of input state bytes, $S(i, j)$, by

$$S'(0, j) := \text{FF_MUL}(0eH, S(0, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0bH, S(1, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0dH, S(2, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(09H, S(3, j))$$

$$S'(1, j) := \text{FF_MUL}(09H, S(0, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0eH, S(1, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0bH, S(2, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0dH, S(3, j))$$

$$S'(2, j) := \text{FF_MUL}(0dH, S(0, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(09H, S(1, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0eH, S(2, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0bH, S(3, j))$$

$$S'(3, j) := \text{FF_MUL}(0bH, S(0, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0dH, S(1, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(09H, S(2, j)) \text{ XOR } \text{FF_MUL}(0eH, S(3, j)), \text{ where } j = 0, 1, 2, 3.$$

- **InvShiftRows():** The inverse transformation of InvShiftRows(). The InvShiftRows() transforms the matrix representation of a 16-byte AES state by cyclically shifting the last three rows of the state by different offset to the right, see Table 12-14.

Table 12-14. The InvShiftRows Transformation

Matrix Representation of Input State				Output of ShiftRows			
A	E	I	M	A	E	I	M
B	F	J	N	N	B	F	J
C	G	K	O	K	O	C	G
D	H	L	P	H	L	P	D

- **InvSubBytes():** The inverse transformation of SubBytes().

The InvSubBytes() transformation defines the relationship between each byte of the result state $S'(i, j)$ as a function of input state byte $S(i, j)$, by

$$S'(i, j) := \text{InvS-Box}(S(i, j)[7:4], S(i, j)[3:0])$$

where InvS-BOX ($S[7:4], S[3:0]$) represents a look-up operation on a 16x16 table to return a byte value, see Table 12-15.

Table 12-15. Look-up Table Associated with InvS-Box Transformation

		S[3:0]															
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	a	b	c	d	e	f
S[7:4]	0	52	09	6a	d5	30	36	a5	38	bf	40	a3	9e	81	f3	d7	fb
	1	7c	e3	39	82	9b	2f	ff	87	34	8e	43	44	c4	de	e9	cb
	2	54	7b	94	32	a6	c2	23	3d	ee	4c	95	0b	42	fa	c3	4e
	3	08	2e	a1	66	28	d9	24	b2	76	5b	a2	49	6d	8b	d1	25
	4	72	f8	f6	64	86	68	98	16	d4	a4	5c	cc	5d	65	b6	92
	5	6c	70	48	50	fd	ed	b9	da	5e	15	46	57	a7	8d	9d	84
	6	90	d8	ab	00	8c	bc	d3	0a	f7	e4	58	05	b8	b3	45	06
	7	d0	2c	1e	8f	ca	3f	0f	02	c1	af	bd	03	01	13	8a	6b
	8	3a	91	11	41	4f	67	dc	ea	97	f2	cf	ce	f0	b4	e6	73
	9	96	ac	74	22	e7	ad	35	85	e2	f9	37	e8	1c	75	df	6e
	a	47	f1	1a	71	1d	29	c5	89	6f	b7	62	0e	aa	18	be	1b
	b	fc	56	3e	4b	c6	d2	79	20	9a	db	c0	fe	78	cd	5a	f4
	c	1f	dd	a8	33	88	07	c7	31	b1	12	10	59	27	80	ec	5f
	d	60	51	7f	a9	19	b5	4a	0d	2d	e5	7a	9f	93	c9	9c	ef
	e	a0	e0	3b	4d	ae	2a	f5	b0	c8	eb	bb	3c	83	53	99	61
	f	17	2b	04	7e	ba	77	d6	26	e1	69	14	63	55	21	0c	7d

12.13.3 PCLMULQDQ

The PCLMULQDQ instruction performs carry-less multiplication of two 64-bit data into a 128-bit result. Carry-less multiplication of two 128-bit data into a 256-bit result can use PCLMULQDQ as building blocks.

Carry-less multiplication is a component of many cryptographic systems. It is an important piece of implementing Galois Counter Mode (GCM) operation of block ciphers. GCM operation can be used in conjunction with AES algorithms to add authentication capability. GCM usage models also include IPsec, storage standard, and security protocols over fiber channel. Additionally, PCLMULQDQ can be used in calculations of hash functions and CRC using arbitrary polynomials.

12.13.4 Checking for Intel® AES-NI Support

Before an application attempts to use AESNI instructions or PCLMULQDQ, the application should follow the steps illustrated in Section 11.6.2, "Checking for Intel® SSE and SSE2 Support." Next, use the additional step provided below:

Check that the processor supports Intel AES-NI (if CPUID.01H:ECX.AESNI[bit 25] = 1); check that the processor supports PCLMULQDQ (if CPUID.01H:ECX.PCLMULQDQ[bit 1] = 1).

4. Updates to Chapter 17, Volume 1

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Changes to this chapter:

- Minor updates in Section 17.2.2, "Terminology."
- Minor term updates in Section 17.2.3, "Supervisor Shadow Stack Token," introduction of the "prematurely busy" term, and updates for clarity.

17.1 INTRODUCTION

Return-oriented programming (ROP), and similarly CALL/JMP-oriented programming (COP/JOP), have been the prevalent attack methodologies for stealth exploit writers targeting vulnerabilities in programs. These attack methodologies have the common elements:

- A code module with execution privilege and contain small snippets of code sequence with the characteristic: at least one instruction in the sequence being a control transfer instruction that depends on data either in the return stack or in a register for the target address.
- Diverting the control flow instruction (e.g., RET, CALL, JMP) from its original target address to a new target (via modification in the data stack or in the register).

Control-Flow Enforcement Technology (CET) provides the following capabilities to defend against ROP/COP/JOP style control-flow subversion attacks:

- Shadow stack: Return address protection to defend against ROP.
- Indirect branch tracking: Free branch protection to defend against COP/JOP.

Both capabilities introduce new instruction set extensions, and are described in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volumes 2A, 2B, 2C, & 2D.

Control-Flow Enforcement Technology introduces a new exception (#CP) with interrupt vector 21.

17.1.1 Shadow Stack

A shadow stack is a second stack for the program that is used exclusively for control transfer operations. This stack is separate from the data stack and can be enabled for operation individually in user mode or supervisor mode. When shadow stacks are enabled, the CALL instruction pushes the return address on both the data and shadow stack. The RET instruction pops the return address from both stacks and compares them. If the return addresses from the two stacks do not match, the processor signals a control protection exception (#CP). Note that the shadow stack only holds the return addresses and not parameters passed to the call instruction.

The shadow stack is protected from tamper through the page table protections such that regular store instructions cannot modify the contents of the shadow stack. To provide this protection the page table protections are extended to support an additional attribute for pages to mark them as "Shadow Stack" pages. When shadow stacks are enabled, control transfer instructions/flows like near call, far call, call to interrupt/exception handlers, etc. store return addresses to the shadow stack and the access will fault if the underlying page is not marked as a "Shadow Stack" page. However stores from instructions like MOV, XSAVE, etc. will not be allowed. Likewise control transfer instructions like near RET, far RET, IRET, etc. when they attempt to read from the shadow stack the access will fault if the underlying page is not marked as a "Shadow Stack" page. This paging protection detects and prevents conditions that cause an overflow or underflow of the shadow stack when the shadow stack is delimited by non-shadow stack guard pages, or any malicious attempts to redirect the processor to consume data from addresses that are not shadow stack addresses.

17.1.2 Indirect Branch Tracking

The ENDBRANCH instruction is a new instruction that is used to mark valid jump target addresses of indirect calls and jumps in the program. This instruction opcode is selected to be one that is a NOP on legacy machines such that programs compiled with ENDBRANCH new instruction continue to function on old machines without the CET enforcement. On processors that support CET the ENDBRANCH is still a NOP and is primarily used as a marker instruction by the processor pipeline to detect control flow violations. The CPU implements a state machine that tracks indirect JMP and CALL instructions. When one of these instructions is executed, the state machine moves from IDLE to WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH state. In WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH state the next instruction in the program

stream must be an ENDBRANCH. If the next instruction is not an ENDBRANCH, the processor causes a control protection exception (#CP); otherwise, the state machine moves back to IDLE state.

17.1.3 Speculative Behavior when CET is Enabled

Speculative execution of near indirect JMP/CALL/RET indirect branches may be able to create an active side channel vulnerability that reveals the contents of data.

There are two basic methods that an attacker may be able to use to control indirect branch speculation in order to speculatively execute code that causes a side channel:

1. Attacker controlled prediction.
2. Attacker controlled jump redirection.

With attacker controlled prediction, the attacker trains indirect branch predictors such that the desired victim indirect branch goes to the attacker desired location. Examples include Branch Target Injection (also called "Variant 2" and "Spectre") and RSB wrap on underflow (also called "ret2spec").

With attacker controlled jump redirection, the attacker controls a speculative-only value used as input to the indirect branch so that the branch mispredicts to the attacker desired location. Examples of this include Bound Check Bypass Store (where a speculative store containing an attacker controlled value may overwrite the indirect branch target before the load of the target) and Speculative Store Bypass (where a load of the indirect branch target may bypass the most recent store of the target value and thus speculatively read an older attacker controlled value at the same memory location).

In addition to the existing mitigation features like IBRS, STIBP, and IBPB, processors supporting CET will have a variety of additional features to constrain control flow speculation in order to mitigate such attacks. For details on these features, see Section 17.2.6, "Constraining Execution at Targets of RET," and Section 17.3.8, "Constraining Speculation after Missing ENDBRANCH."

17.2 SHADOW STACKS

A shadow stack is a second expand down stack used exclusively for control transfer operations. This stack is separate from the data stack. The shadow stack is not used to store data and hence is not explicitly writeable by software. Writes to the shadow stack are restricted to control transfer instructions and shadow stack management instructions. The shadow stack feature can be enabled separately in user mode (CPL == 3) or supervisor mode (CPL < 3).

Shadow stacks operate only in protected mode. Shadow stacks cannot be enabled in virtual 8086 mode.

It is recommended to not configure the shadow stack in the linear address range 0 to 64 KB or adjacent to the canonical address boundary.

17.2.1 Shadow Stack Pointer and its Operand and Address Size Attributes

When CET is enabled the processor supports a new architectural register, shadow stack pointer (SSP), when the processor supports the shadow stack feature. The SSP cannot be directly encoded as a source, destination or memory operand in instructions. The SSP points to the current top of the shadow stack.

The width of the shadow stack is 32-bit in 32-bit/compatibility mode and is 64-bit in 64-bit mode. The address-size attribute of the shadow stack is likewise 32-bit in 32-bit/compatibility mode and 64-bit in 64-bit mode.

17.2.2 Terminology

When shadow stacks are enabled, certain control transfer instructions/flows and shadow stack management instructions do loads and stores from and to the shadow stack. Such loads and stores from control transfer instructions and shadow stack management instructions are termed as **shadow-stack loads** and **shadow-stack stores** to distinguish them from a loads and stores performed by other instructions like MOV, XSAVES, etc.

The pseudocode for the instruction operations use the notation `ShadowStackEnabled(CPL)` as a test of whether shadow stacks are enabled at the CPL. This term returns a TRUE or FALSE indication as follows.

```
ShadowStackEnabled(CPL):
  IF CR4.CET = 1 AND CRO.PE = 1 AND EFLAGS.VM = 0
    IF CPL = 3
      THEN
        (* Obtain the shadow stack enable from IA32_U_CET MSR (MSR address 6A0H) used to enable
           feature for CPL = 3 *)
        SHADOW_STACK_ENABLED = IA32_U_CET.SH_STK_EN;
      ELSE
        (* Obtain the shadow stack enable from IA32_S_CET MSR (MSR address 6A2H) used to enable
           feature for CPL < 3 *)
        SHADOW_STACK_ENABLED = IA32_S_CET.SH_STK_EN;
    FI;
    IF SHADOW_STACK_ENABLED = 1
      THEN
        return TRUE;
      ELSE
        return FALSE;
    FI;
  ELSE
    (* Shadow stacks not enabled in real mode and virtual-8086 mode or if the master CET feature
       enable in CR4 is disabled *)
    return FALSE;
  ENDIF
```

Additionally, the following terms are used.

- `ShadowStackPush4B`: Decrements the shadow stack pointer (SSP) by 4 bytes and copies the 4 byte source operand to the top of the shadow stack.
- `ShadowStackPush8B`: Decrements the shadow stack pointer (SSP) by 8 bytes and copies the 8 byte source operand to the top of the shadow stack.
- `ShadowStackPop4B`: Copies 4 bytes at the current top of stack (indicated by the SSP register) to the location specified with the destination operand. It then increments the SSP register by 4 bytes to point to the new top of stack.
- `ShadowStackPop8B`: Copies 8 bytes at the current top of stack (indicated by the SSP register) to the location specified with the destination operand. It then increments the SSP register by 8 bytes to point to the new top of stack.
- `shadow_stack_lock_cmpxchg8B(address, new_value, expected_value)`: this function executes atomically and compares the `expected_value` to the 8 byte read from memory specified by the `address` operand using a locked shadow-stack load. If the two values are equal, the `new_value` is written to the address using an [unlocking shadow-stack store](#). If the two values are not equal, then the value read by the shadow-stack load is written back, [also using an unlocking shadow-stack store](#). The function returns the value read from the memory specified by the `address` operand.

17.2.3 Supervisor Shadow Stack Token

On an inter-privilege far CALL or when calling an interrupt/exception handler at a higher privilege level, a stack switch occurs; if shadow stacks are enabled at the new privilege level, then a shadow stack switch occurs. Shadow stacks that can be switched to by hardware as part of a privilege change are required to have a supervisor shadow stack token set up by the supervisor to provide the address of the new SSP register. The supervisor shadow stack tokens also serve the purpose of enforcing that a shadow stack can be made active on only one logical processor when switched to by the processor. The supervisor shadow stack token must be set up only on shadow stacks intended to be used on these transfers. The address of the supervisor shadow stack token is programmed into the

IA32_PLx_SSP MSR (where $0 \leq x \leq 2$). The WRMSR and XRSTORS instructions require the address specified in the IA32_PLx_SSP MSR (where $0 \leq x \leq 2$) to be 4 byte aligned; otherwise, the instruction causes a general protection exception (#GP(0)).

The supervisor shadow stack token is a 64-bit value formulated as follows.

- Bit 63:3: Bits 63:3 of the linear address of the supervisor shadow stack token.
- Bit 2: Reserved. Must be zero.
- Bit 1: Reserved. Must be zero.
- Bit 0: Busy bit. If 0, indicates this shadow stack is not active on any logical processor. If 1, indicates this shadow stack is currently active on one of the logical processors.

The following figure illustrates a supervisor shadow stack with a supervisor shadow stack token located at its base.

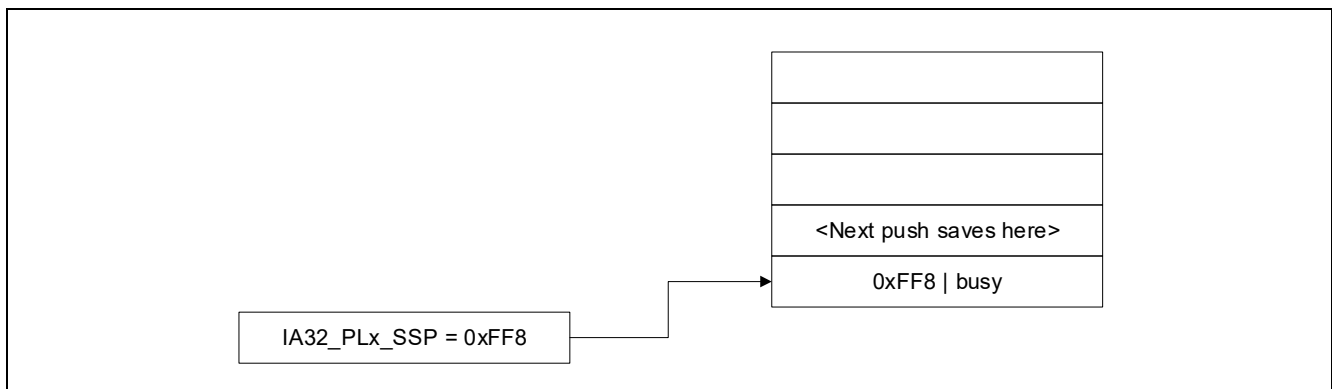


Figure 17-1. Supervisor Shadow Stack with a Supervisor Shadow Stack Token

If the far CALL or event delivery will push a 24-byte stack frame after the token is acquired, the 8-byte supervisor shadow stack token and the stack frame must be fully contained within a 32-byte region that is aligned to 32-bytes on the shadow stack. If they are not, a general-protection exception (#GP(0)) occurs.

The processor does the following checks prior to switching to a supervisor shadow stack programmed into the IA32_PLx_SSP MSR. These steps are performed atomically.

1. Load the supervisor shadow stack token from the address specified in the IA32_PLx_SSP MSR using a **locked shadow-stack store**.
2. Check if the busy bit in the token is 0; reserved bits must be 0.
3. Check if the address programmed in the MSR matches the address in the supervisor shadow stack token; reserved bits must be 0.
4. If checks 2 and 3 are successful, then set the busy bit in the token using an **unlocking shadow-stack store** and switching the SSP to the value specified in the IA32_PLx_SSP MSR.
5. If checks 2 or 3 fail, **write back the value read at step 1 using an unlocking shadow-stack store** (the busy bit is not set) and **raise a #GP(0) exception**.

If the far CALL or event delivery pushes a stack frame after the token is acquired and any of the pushes causes a fault or VM exit, the processor will revert to the old shadow stack and the busy bit in the new shadow stack's token remains set. **The new shadow stack is said to be prematurely busy**. Software should enable supervisor shadow stacks only if it is certain that this situation cannot occur. If CPUID.(EAX=07H,ECX=1H):EDX[bit 18] is enumerated as 1, it is sufficient for an operating system to ensure that none of the pushes can cause a page fault.

On a far RET to a lesser privilege level or on an IRET that switches shadow stack, the instruction clears the busy bit in the shadow stack token as follows. These steps are also performed atomically.

1. Load the supervisor shadow stack token from the SSP using a **locked shadow-stack load**.
2. Check if the busy bit in the token is 1; reserved bits must be 0.

3. Check if the address programmed in supervisor shadow stack token matches SSP; reserved bits must be 0.
4. If checks 2 and 3 are successful, then **write back the token with an unlocking shadow-stack store, clearing the busy bit; otherwise, write back the value read at step 1 using an unlocking shadow-stack store and continue** without modifying the contents of the shadow stack pointed to by SSP.

17.2.4 Shadow Stack Usage on Task Switch

A task switch (see Chapter 8, “Task Management,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A) may be invoked by:

- JMP or CALL instruction to a TSS descriptor in the GDT.
- JMP or CALL instruction to a task-gate descriptor in the GDT or the current LDT.
- An interrupt or exception vector points to a task-gate descriptor in the IDT.

With shadow stack enabled, the new task must be associated with a 32-bit TSS and must not be in virtual-8086 mode. The 32-bit SSP for the new task is located at offset 104 in the 32-bit TSS. Thus the TSS of the new task must be at least 108 bytes. This SSP is required to be 8 byte aligned, and required to point to a “supervisor shadow stack” token (though the task may be at CPL3).

On a task switch initiated by a CALL instruction, an interrupt, or exception, the SSP of the old task is pushed onto the shadow stack of the new task along with the CS and LIP of the old task. This is true even for a nested task switch initiated by a CALL instruction. Likewise, on a task switch initiated by IRET, the SSP of the new task is restored from the shadow stack of old task. The CS and LIP on the shadow stack of the old task are matched against the return address determined by the CS and EIP of the new task. If the match fails, a #CP(FAR-RET/IRET) exception is reported.

17.2.5 Switching Shadow Stacks

The architecture provides a mechanism to switch shadow stacks using a pair of instructions; RSTORSSP and SAVEPREVSSP. The RSTORSSP instruction verifies a shadow-stack-restore token located at the top of the new shadow stack and referenced by the memory operand of this instruction. After RSTORSSP determines the validity of the restore point on the new shadow stack, it switches the SSP to point to the token. The shadow-stack-restore token is a 64-bit value formatted as follows.

- Bit 63:2: Value of shadow stack pointer when this restore point was created.
- Bit 1: Reserved. Must be zero.
- Bit 0: Mode bit. If 0, the token is a compatibility/legacy mode shadow-stack-restore token. If 1, then this shadow stack restore token can be used with a RSTORSSP instruction in 64-bit mode.

The shadow-stack-restore token is created by the SAVEPREVSSP instruction. The operating system may also create a restore point on a shadow stack by creating a shadow-stack-restore token.

Once the shadow stack has been switched to a new shadow stack by the RSTORSSP instruction, software can create a restore point on the old shadow stack by executing the SAVEPREVSSP instruction. In order to allow the SAVEPREVSSP instruction to determine the address where to save the shadow-stack-restore token, the RSTORSSP instruction replaces the shadow-stack-restore token with a previous-ssp token that holds the value of the SSP at the time the RSTORSSP instruction was invoked. The previous-ssp token is formatted as follows.

- Bit 63:2: Shadow stack pointer when the RSTORSSP instruction was invoked, i.e., the SSP of the old shadow stack.
- Bit 1: Set to 1.
- Bit 0: Mode bit. If 0, then this previous-ssp token can be used with a SAVEPREVSSP instruction in compatibility/legacy mode. If 1, then this previous-ssp token can be used with a SAVEPREVSSP instruction in 64-bit mode.

The following figure illustrates the RSTORSSP instruction operation during a shadow stack switching sequence.

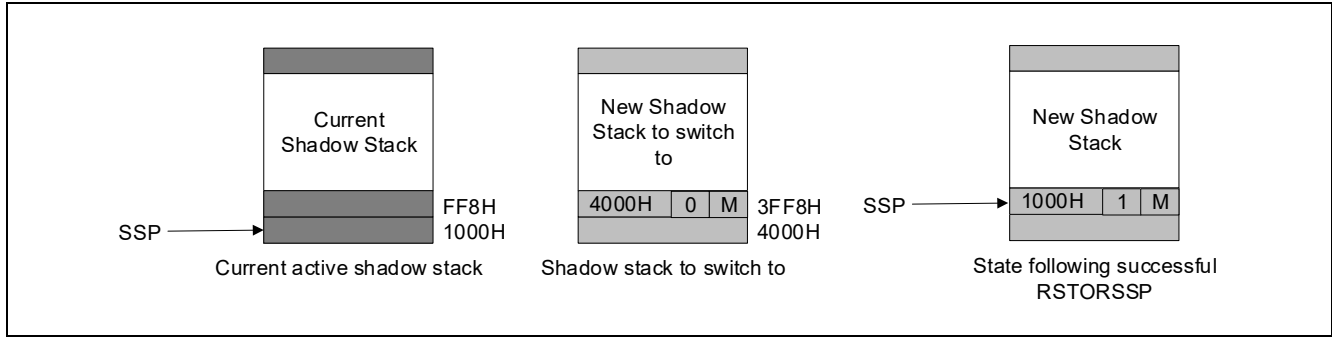


Figure 17-2. RSTORSSP to Switch to New Shadow Stack

In this example, the initial SSP is 1000H and the shadow-stack-restore token is on a new shadow stack at address 3FF8H. The token at address 3FF8H holds the SSP when this restore point was created; in this example it is 4000H.

In order to switch to the new shadow stack, the RSTORSSP instruction is invoked with the memory operand pointing set to 3FF8H. When the RSTORSSP instruction completes, the SSP is set to 3FF8H and the shadow-stack-restore token at 3FF8H is replaced by a previous-ssp token that holds the address 1000H, i.e., the old SSP.

The following figure illustrates the SAVEPREVSSP instruction operation during a shadow stack switching sequence.

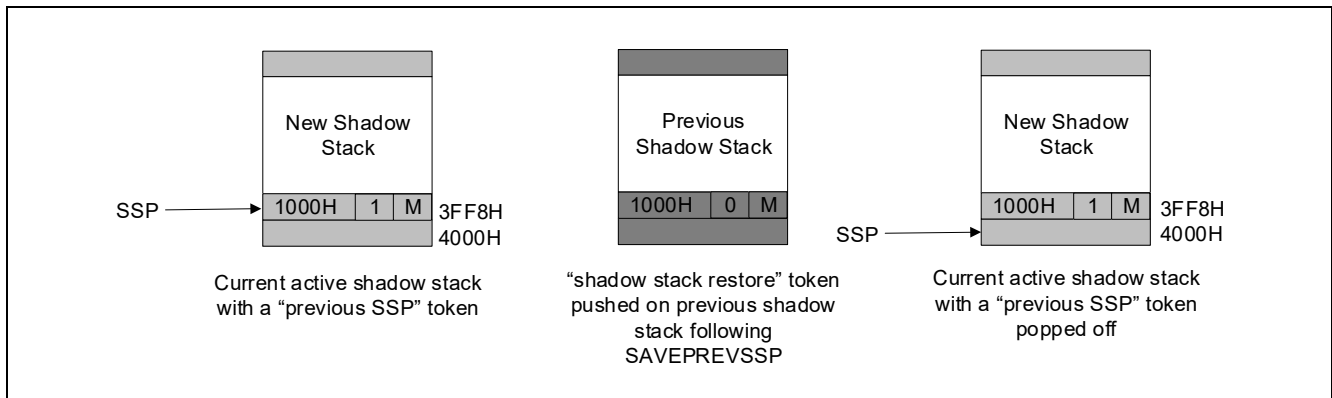


Figure 17-3. SAVEPREVSSP to Save a Restore Point

To allow switching back to this old shadow stack, a SAVEPREVSSP instruction is now invoked. The SAVEPREVSSP instruction does not take any memory operand and expects to find a previous-ssp token at the top of the shadow stack, i.e., at address 3FF8H. The SAVEPREVSSP instruction then saves a shadow-stack-restore token on the old shadow stack at address FF8H, and the token itself holds the address 1000H which is the address recorded in the previous-ssp token. The SAVEPREVSSP instruction also pops the previous-ssp token off the current shadow stack and thus the SSP following SAVEPREVSSP is 4000H.

Subsequently to switch back to the old shadow stack, a RSTORSSP instruction may be invoked with memory operand set to FF8H.

If, following a switch to a new shadow stack, it is not required to create a restore point on the old shadow stack, then the previous-ssp token created by the RSTORSSP instruction can be popped off the shadow stack by using the INCSSP instruction.

See the SAVEPREVSSP and RSTORSSP instruction operations for the detailed algorithm.

17.2.6 Constraining Execution at Targets of RET

Instructions at the target of a RET instruction will not execute, even speculatively, if the RET addresses (either from normal stack or shadow stack) are speculative-only or do not match, unless the target of the RET is also predicted (e.g., by a Return Stack Buffer prediction), when CET shadow stack is enabled. A RET address would be speculative-only if it was modified by an older speculative-only store, or was an older value than the most recent value stored to that address on the logical processor.

17.3 INDIRECT BRANCH TRACKING

When the indirect branch tracking feature is active, the indirect JMP/CALL instruction behavior changes as follows.

- **JMP:** If the next instruction retired after an indirect JMP is not an ENDBR32 instruction in legacy and compatibility mode, or ENDBR64 instruction in 64-bit mode, then a #CP fault is generated. Below JMP instructions are tracked to enforce an ENDBRANCH. Note that Jcc, RIP relative, and far direct JMP are not included as these have an offset encoded into the instruction and are not exploitable to create unintended control transfers.
 - JMP r/m16, JMP r/m32, JMP r/m64
 - JMP m16:16, JMP m16:32, JMP m16:64
- **CALL:** If the next instruction retired after an indirect CALL is not an ENDBR32 instruction in legacy and compatibility mode, or ENDBR64 in 64-bit mode, then a #CP fault is generated. Below CALL instructions are tracked to enforce an ENDBRANCH. Note that relative and zero displacement forms of CALL instructions are not included as these have an offset encoded into the instruction and are not exploitable to create unintended control transfers.
 - CALL r/m16, CALL r/m32, CALL r/m64
 - CALL m16:16, CALL m16:32, CALL m16:64

The ENDBR32 and ENDBR64 instructions will have the same effect as the NOP instruction on Intel 64 processors that do not support CET. On processors supporting CET, these instructions do not change register or flag state. This allows CET instrumented programs to execute on processors that do not support CET. Even when CET is supported and enabled, these NOP-like instructions do not affect the execution state of the program, do not cause any additional register pressure, and are minimally intrusive from power and performance perspectives.

The processor implements two dual-state machines to track indirect CALL/JMP for terminations. One state machine is maintained for user mode and one for supervisor mode. At reset the user and supervisor mode state machines are in IDLE state.

On instructions other than indirect CALL/JMP, the state machine stays in the IDLE state.

On an indirect CALL or JMP instruction, the state machine transitions to the WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH state.

In the WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH state, the indirect branch tracking state machine verifies the next instruction is an ENDBR32 instruction in legacy and compatibility mode, or ENDBR64 instruction in 64-bit mode, and either:

- Causes a #CP fault, or
- Allows the next instruction if legacy compatibility configuration allows (see Section 17.3.6).

The priority of the #CP(ENDBRANCH) exception relative to other events is as follows.

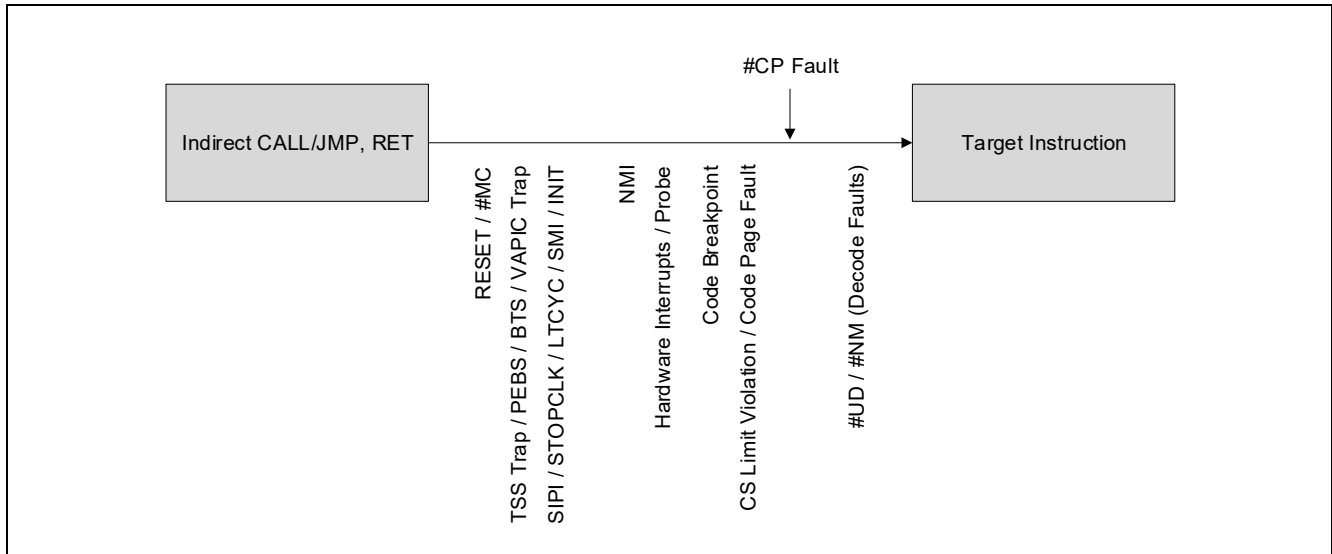


Figure 17-4. Priority of Control Protection Exception on Missing ENDBRANCH

Higher priority faults/traps/events that occur at the end of an indirect CALL/JMP are delivered ahead of any #CP(ENDBRANCH) fault. The CET state machine at the privilege level where the higher priority fault/trap/event occurred retains its state when the control transfers to the fault/trap/event handler. The instruction pointer pushed on the stack for a #CP(ENDBRANCH) fault is the address of the instruction at the target of the indirect CALL/JMP that caused the fault.

17.3.1 No-track Prefix for Near Indirect CALL/JMP

CET allows software to designate certain indirect CALL and JMP instructions as “non-tracked indirect control transfer instructions”. Software (e.g., compiler generated code for switch statements, jump tables, etc.) should use the no-track prefix only if they have generated code to validate the possible targets of this CALL/JMP to be legal targets. Software (e.g., compilers), when using the no-track prefix with CALL/JMP where an absolute offset is specified indirectly in a memory location, should ensure that such memory locations cannot be tampered. When enabled by setting the NO_TRACK_EN control in the IA32_U_CET/IA32_S_CET MSR, near indirect CALL and JMP instructions when prefixed with 3EH do not modify the CET indirect branch tracker. Far CALL and JMP instructions are always tracked and ignore the 3EH prefix. When this control is 0, near indirect CALL and JMP instructions are always tracked irrespective of the presence of the 3EH prefix.

In 64-bit mode, the 3EH prefix on an indirect CALL or JMP is recognized as a no-track prefix if there isn’t a 64H/65H prefix on the instruction.

In legacy/compatibility mode, the 3EH prefix on an indirect CALL or JMP is recognized as a no-track prefix when it is the last group 2 prefix on the instruction.

17.3.2 Terminology

The pseudocode for the instruction operations use a notation `EndbranchEnabled(CPL)` as a test of whether indirect branch tracking is enabled at the CPL. This term returns a TRUE or FALSE indication as follows.

`EndbranchEnabled(CPL):`

```

IF CR4.CET = 1 AND CRO.PE = 1 AND EFLAGS.VM = 0
  IF CPL = 3
    THEN
      (* Obtain the ENDBRANCH enable from MSR used to enable feature for CPL = 3 *)
      ENDBR_ENABLED = IA32_U_CET.ENDBR_EN;
    ELSE
      (* Obtain the ENDBRANCH enable from MSR used to enable feature for CPL < 3 *)
      ENDBR_ENABLED = IA32_S_CET.ENDBR_EN;
  FI;
  IF ENDBR_ENABLED = 1
    THEN
      return TRUE;
    ELSE
      return FALSE;
  FI;
ELSE
  (* Indirect branch tracking is not enabled in real mode and virtual-8086 mode or if the master CET feature
  enable in CR4 is disabled *)
  return FALSE;
ENDIF

```

Likewise the notation `EndbranchEnabledAndNotSuppressed` is defined as follows:

`EndbranchEnabledAndNotSuppressed(CPL):`

```

IF CR4.CET = 1 AND CRO.PE = 1 AND EFLAGS.VM = 0
  IF CPL = 3
    THEN
      (* Obtain the ENDBRANCH enable from MSR used to enable feature for CPL = 3 *)
      ENDBR_ENABLED = IA32_U_CET.ENDBR_EN;
      SUPPRESSED = IA32_U_CET.SUPPRESS;
    ELSE
      (* Obtain the ENDBRANCH enable from MSR used to enable feature for CPL < 3 *)
      ENDBR_ENABLED = IA32_S_CET.ENDBR_EN;
      SUPPRESSED = IA32_S_CET.SUPPRESS;
  FI;
  IF ENDBR_ENABLED = 1 AND SUPPRESSED = 0
    THEN
      return TRUE;
    ELSE
      return FALSE;
  FI;
ELSE
  (* Indirect branch tracking is not enabled in real mode and virtual-8086 mode or if the master CET feature
  enable in CR4 is disabled *)
  return FALSE;
ENDIF

```

17.3.3 Indirect Branch Tracking

The hardware implements two CET indirect branch tracker state machines, one for user mode (CPL == 3) and one for supervisor mode (CPL < 3). At any time, which of the CET indirect branch trackers is in the active state depends on the CPL of the machine. When a user space program is executing, the CPL 3 CET indirect branch tracker is active. When supervisor mode software is executing, the CPL < 3 tracker is active. This section describes the various control transfer conditions and the tracker state on those transfers.

17.3.3.1 Control Transfers between CPL 3 and CPL < 3

Some events and instructions can cause control transfer to occur from CPL 3 to CPL < 3, and vice versa. As part of the CPL change the hardware also switches the active CET indirect branch tracker. For example, when an interrupt occurs during execution of a user mode (CPL == 3) program and it causes the CPL to switch to supervisor mode (CPL < 3) then, as part of the CPL change, the user mode CET indirect branch tracker becomes inactive and the supervisor mode CET indirect branch tracker becomes active. A subsequent IRET is used by the interrupt handler to return to the interrupted user mode program. This IRET causes the processor to switch the CPL to user mode (CPL == 3) and, as part of the CPL change, the supervisor mode CET indirect branch tracker becomes inactive and the user mode CET indirect branch tracker becomes active.

The CPL where the event or instruction that caused the control transfer occurs is termed the source CPL, and the CET indirect branch tracker state at that CPL is referred here as the source CET indirect branch tracker state. The CPL reached at the end of the control transfer is termed the destination CPL, and the CET indirect branch tracker state at that CPL is referred to as the destination CET indirect branch tracker state.

This section describes various cases of control transfers that occur between user mode (CPL 3) and supervisor mode (CPL < 3).

In all these cases the source CET indirect branch tracker state becomes not active and retains its state (IDLE, WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH), and the target CET indirect branch tracker state becomes active if there was no fault during the transfer.

- Case 1: Far CALL/JMP, SYSCALL/SYSENTER
 - If indirect branch tracking is enabled, the target indirect branch tracker state becomes active and is unsuppressed and goes to WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH. This enforces that the subroutine invoked by a far CALL/JMP must begin with an ENDBRANCH.
- Case 2: Hardware interrupt/trap/exception/NMI/Software interrupt/Machine Checks
 - If indirect branch tracking is enabled, the target indirect branch tracker state becomes active and is unsuppressed and goes to WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH.
- Case 3: IRET/Far RET
 - If indirect branch tracking enabled, the target indirect branch tracker becomes active and keeps its state. If the user mode was interrupted by a higher priority event, like an interrupt at the end of the indirect CALL/JMP, then when an IRET or Far RET is used to return to the interrupted user mode program, the user mode indirect branch tracker retains its state and a #CP fault will occur if the next instruction decoded is not an ENDBR32/64 according to mode of machine.

17.3.3.2 Control Transfers within CPL 3 or CPL < 3

Some events and instructions can cause control transfer to occur within CPL 3 or CPL < 3. For such transfers since the CPL class does not change, the same indirect branch tracker is used at the beginning and end of the control transfer.

- Case 1: Far CALL/JMP, Near indirect CALL/JMPCALL/JMP
 - Far CALL/JMP: If indirect branch tracking is enabled, active indirect branch tracker is unsuppressed and goes to WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH.
 - Near indirect CALL/JMPCALL/JMP: If indirect branch tracking is enabled and not suppressed, active indirect branch tracker goes to WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH.
- Case 2: Hardware interrupt/trap/exception/NMI/Software interrupt/Machine Checks

- If indirect branch tracking is enabled, the active indirect branch tracker is unsuppressed and goes to WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH.
- Case 3: IRET
 - If indirect branch tracking is enabled, the active indirect branch tracker keeps its state.

17.3.4 Indirect Branch Tracking State Machine

The state machine is described by Table 17-1.

Table 17-1. Indirect Branch Tracking State Machine

Current State	Trigger	Next State
TRACKER=IDLE, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1	Instructions other than indirect CALL/JMP or 3EH prefixed near indirect CALL/JMP and NO_TRACK_EN=1	TRACKER=IDLE, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1
	Indirect CALL/JMP without 3EH prefix Indirect CALL/JMP with 3EH prefix and NO_TRACK_EN=0 Far CALL/JMP	TRACKER=WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1
TRACKER= WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1	INT3/INT1	TRACKER= WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1
	ENDBRANCH instruction	TRACKER=IDLE, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1
	Successful ENCLU[ERESUME]	TRACKER=IDLE, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1
	Instructions other than ENDBRANCH, successful ENCLU[ERESUME] or INT3 or INT1	If legacy compatibility treatment is not enabled or if not allowed by legacy code page bitmap: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ No state change and deliver #CP (ENDBRANCH) If legacy compatibility treatment is enabled and transfer allowed by legacy code page bitmap: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ TRACKER=IDLE, SUPPRESS=ISUPPRESS_DIS, ENDBR_EN=1
TRACKER=x, SUPPRESS=x, ENDBR_EN=0	All instructions	TRACKER=x, SUPPRESS=x, ENDBR_EN=0
TRACKER=IDLE, SUPPRESS=1, ENDBR_EN=1	Far CALL/JMP, INTn/INT3/INTO	TRACKER=WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1
	ENDBRANCH instruction Successful ENCLU[ERESUME]	TRACKER=IDLE, SUPPRESS=0, ENDBR_EN=1
	All other instructions including indirect CALL/JMP	TRACKER=IDLE, SUPPRESS=1, ENDBR_EN=1
TRACKER=1, SUPPRESS=1, ENDBR_EN=1 (This state cannot be reached by hardware and is disallowed as a valid state by WRMSR/XRSTORS/VM entry/VM exit)	NA	NA

17.3.5 INT3 Treatment

INT3 are treated special in the WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH state. Occurrence of INT3 do not move the tracker to IDLE but instead the #BP trap from the INT3 instructions respectively is delivered as a higher priority event than the #CP exception due to missing ENDBRANCH.

Inside an enclave, INT3 delivers a fault-class exception and thus does not require the CPL to be less than DPL in the IDT gate 3. Following opt-out entry, the instruction delivers #UD. Following opt-in entry, INT3 delivers #BP. The special treatment of INT3 in WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH state does not apply in enclave mode following opt-out entry.

17.3.6 Legacy Compatibility Treatment

ENDBRANCH legacy compatibility treatment allows a CET enabled program to be used with legacy software that was not compiled / instrumented with ENDBRANCH. A CET enabled program enters legacy compatibility treatment when all of the below conditions are met.

1. Legacy compatibility configuration is enabled in this CPL class by setting the LEG_IW_EN bit in IA32_U_CET/IA32_S_CET.
2. Control transfer is performed using an indirect CALL/JMP without no-track prefix to an instruction other than ENDBRANCH.
3. The legacy code page bitmap is setup to indicate that the target of the control transfer is a legacy code page.

The legacy code page bitmap is a data structure in program memory that is used by the hardware to determine if the code page to which a legacy transfer is being performed is allowed. The access rights for accessing the legacy code page bitmap is determined by the current privilege level (CPL). The legacy code page bitmap is expected to be setup as a read-only data structure.

When a matching ENDBRANCH instruction is not decoded at the target of an indirect CALL/JMP when required, the processor performs the below actions.

CET indirect branch tracking state machine violation event handler:

If LEG_IW_EN == 1

 LA = LIP;

 IF ENCLAVE_MODE == 1

 LA = LA - SECS.BASEADDR;

 ENDIF

(* Load byte from bitmap. Address-size attribute for this load is 64 bits if IA32_EFER.LMA is 1 and is 32 bits when IA32_EFER.LMA is 0 *)

 IF (IA32_EFER.LMA & CS.L) == 0

 BITMAP_BYTE = load 1 byte from address (BITMAP_BASE + LA[31:15])

 ELSE IF (CR4.LA57 == 0)

 BITMAP_BYTE = load 1 byte from address (BITMAP_BASE + LA[47:15])

 ELSE

 BITMAP_BYTE = load 1 byte from address (BITMAP_BASE + LA[56:15])

 FI;

 IF BITMAP_BYTE & (1 << LA[14:12]) == 0 then Deliver #CP(ENDBRANCH) fault

 IF CPL = 3

 IA32_U_CET.TRACKER = IDLE

 IA32_U_CET.SUPPRESS = IA32_U_CET.SUPPRESS_DIS == 0 ? 1 : 0

 ELSE

 IA32_S_CET.TRACKER = IDLE

 IA32_S_CET.SUPPRESS = IA32_S_CET.SUPPRESS_DIS == 0 ? 1 : 0

 ENDIF

 Restart the instruction (handle all arch. consistency around MOV SS state machines, STI etc.) without opening up interrupt/trap window.

ELSE

 Deliver #CP(ENDBRANCH) Fault

ENDIF

Faults/traps in pseudocode are delivered normally (e.g., #PF, EPT violation). On a fault, the active tracker holds the last value (WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH) and the address saved on the stack is the current IP (instruction that wasn't the ENDBRANCH).

The CET indirect branch tracking state machine is suppressed in legacy compatibility mode if the SUPPRESS_DIS control bit is 0.

Once the CET indirect branch tracking state machine has been suppressed, subsequent indirect CALL/JMP are not tracked for termination instruction.

Once CET indirect branch tracking has been suppressed, subsequent execution of ENDBRANCH instructions will do the following (see the ENDBR32 and ENDBR64 instructions in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2A for details).

```
IF EndbranchEnabled(CPL) == 0
    NOP
ELSE
    SUPPRESS = 0
    TRACKER = IDLE
ENDIF
```

17.3.6.1 Legacy Code Page Bitmap Format

The legacy code page bitmap is a flat bitmap whose linear address is pointed to by the EB_LEG_BITMAP_BASE. Each bit in the bitmap represents a 4K page in linear memory. If the bit is 1 it indicates that the corresponding code page is a legacy code page; else it is a CET-enabled code page.

The processor uses the linear address of the instruction to which legacy transfer was attempted to lookup the bitmap. Bits of the linear address used as index in the bitmap are as follows.

- In legacy and compatibility mode: Bits 31:12.
- In 64-bit mode (EFER.LMA=1 and CS.L=1): Bits 47:12.

17.3.7 Other Considerations

17.3.7.1 Intel® Transactional Synchronization Extensions (Intel® TSX) Interactions

The XBEGIN instruction encodes the relative offset to the abort handler and hence the fallback to the abort handler can be considered as a "direct" branch and the abort handler does not need to have an ENDBRANCH.

CET continues to enforce indirect CALL/JMP tracking within a transaction. Legacy compatibility treatment inside a transaction functions normally. If a transaction abort occurs then the processor sets the state of the indirect branch tracker to IDLE and not-suppressed.

17.3.7.2 #CP(ENDBRANCH) Priority w.r.t #NM and #UD

#NM, #UD and #CP(ENDBRANCH) are opcode based faults. However, #CP(ENDBRANCH) is in a higher priority class than #NM and #UD as CET architecturally requires an ENDBRANCH at target of indirect CALL/JMP.

17.3.7.3 #CP(ENDBRANCH) Priority w.r.t #BP and #DB

Debug Exceptions priority is as follows.

- Traps delivered before any #CP(ENDBRANCH) fault: Data breakpoint trap, IO breakpoint trap single step trap, task switch trap.
- Code Breakpoint fault detected before instruction decode and delivered before #CP(ENDBRANCH).
- General-detect (GD) exception condition fault: Lower priority than #CP(ENDBRANCH).

- On IRET back from #DB/#BP, the source indirect branch tracker becomes active if enabled and not suppressed. INT3 does not cause #CP(ENDBRANCH) to support debugger usage of replacing bytes of ENDBRANCH with INT3 to set breakpoints. INT3 at target of a CALL-JMP(indirect) cause #BP(INT3) instead of #CP(ENDBRANCH), #CP(ENDBRANCH) fault is delayed. #BP caused by INT3 treated like other events that are higher priority than CET fault. On IRET back from #BP the source indirect tracker becomes active if enabled and not suppressed.

17.3.8 Constraining Speculation after Missing ENDBRANCH

When the CET tracker is in the WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH state, instruction execution will be limited or blocked, even speculatively, if the next instruction is not an ENDBRANCH.

This means that when indirect branch tracking is enabled and not suppressed, the instructions at the target of a near indirect JMP/CALL without the no-track prefix will only speculatively execute if there is an ENDBRANCH at the target. This can constrain both attacker controlled prediction as well as attacker controlled jump redirection attacks on near indirect JMPs/CALLs by reducing the gadgets available to an attacker using these techniques. Early implementations of CET may limit the speculative execution to a small number of instructions (less than 8, with no more than 5 loads) past a missing ENDBRANCH, while later implementations will completely block the speculative execution of instructions after a missing ENDBRANCH.

This mechanism also limits or blocks speculation of the next sequential instructions after an indirect JMP or CALL, presuming the JMP/CALL puts the CET tracker into the WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH state and the next sequential instruction is not an ENDBRANCH.

17.4 INTEL® TRUSTED EXECUTION TECHNOLOGY (INTEL® TXT) INTERACTIONS

GETSEC[ENTERACCS] and GETSEC[SENDER] clear CR4.CET, and it is not restored when these instructions complete.

GETSEC[EXITAC] will cause #GP(0) fault if CR4.CET is set.

5. Updates to Appendix B, Volume 1

Change bars and violet text show changes to Appendix B of the *Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1: Basic Architecture*.

Changes to this chapter:

- Added the "C" (Carry) and "NC" (Not carry) terms to Table B-1, "EFLAGS Condition Codes."

B.1 CONDITION CODES

Table B-1 lists condition codes that can be queried using *CMOVcc*, *FCMOVcc*, *Jcc*, and *SETcc*. Condition codes refer to the setting of one or more status flags (CF, OF, SF, ZF, and PF) in the EFLAGS register. In the table below:

- The “Mnemonic” column provides the suffix (*cc*) added to the instruction to specify a test condition.
- “Condition Tested For” describes the targeted condition.
- “Instruction Subcode” provides the opcode suffix added to the main opcode to specify the test condition.
- “Status Flags Setting” describes the flag setting.

Table B-1. EFLAGS Condition Codes

Mnemonic (<i>cc</i>)	Condition Tested For	Instruction Subcode	Status Flags Setting
O	Overflow	0000	OF = 1
NO	No overflow	0001	OF = 0
B C NAE	Below Carry Neither above nor equal	0010	CF = 1
NB NC AE	Not below Not carry Above or equal	0011	CF = 0
E Z	Equal Zero	0100	ZF = 1
NE NZ	Not equal Not zero	0101	ZF = 0
BE NA	Below or equal Not above	0110	(CF OR ZF) = 1
NBE A	Neither below nor equal Above	0111	(CF OR ZF) = 0
S	Sign	1000	SF = 1
NS	No sign	1001	SF = 0
P PE	Parity Parity even	1010	PF = 1
NP PO	No parity Parity odd	1011	PF = 0
L NGE	Less Neither greater nor equal	1100	(SF XOR OF) = 1
NL GE	Not less Greater or equal	1101	(SF XOR OF) = 0
LE NG	Less or equal Not greater	1110	((SF XOR OF) OR ZF) = 1
NLE G	Neither less nor equal Greater	1111	((SF XOR OF) OR ZF) = 0

EFLAGS CONDITION CODES

Many of the test conditions are described in two different ways. For example, LE (less or equal) and NG (not greater) describe the same test condition. Alternate mnemonics are provided to make code more intelligible.

The terms "above" and "below" are associated with the CF flag and refer to the relation between two unsigned integer values. The terms "greater" and "less" are associated with the SF and OF flags and refer to the relation between two signed integer values.

6. Updates to Chapter 2, Volume 2A

Change bars and violet text show changes to Chapter 2 of the *Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2A: Instruction Set Reference, A-L*.

Changes to this chapter:

- Figure 2-11, "Bit Field Layout of the EVEX Prefix," modified to include EVEX payload updates.
- Update to Table 2-30, "EVEX Prefix Bit Field Functional Grouping," and the text that follows this table to add EVEX payload updates.
- Update to Table 2-30, "EVEX Prefix Bit Field Functional Grouping," to change the term "osize" to "operand size."
- Update to Table 2-38, "Opcode Independent, State Dependent EVEX Bit Fields," to add EVEX.mmm notation.
- Update to Section 2.9 heading to add the names of the exception types. The new heading is "Exception Classifications of Opmask instructions, Type K20 and Type K21."
- Typo corrections.

This chapter describes the instruction format for all Intel 64 and IA-32 processors. The instruction format for protected mode, real-address mode and virtual-8086 mode is described in Section 2.1. Increments provided for IA-32e mode and its sub-modes are described in Section 2.2.

2.1 INSTRUCTION FORMAT FOR PROTECTED MODE, REAL-ADDRESS MODE, AND VIRTUAL-8086 MODE

The Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures instruction encodings are subsets of the format shown in Figure 2-1. Instructions consist of optional instruction prefixes (in any order), primary opcode bytes (up to three bytes), an addressing-form specifier (if required) consisting of the ModR/M byte and sometimes the SIB (Scale-Index-Base) byte, a displacement (if required), and an immediate data field (if required).

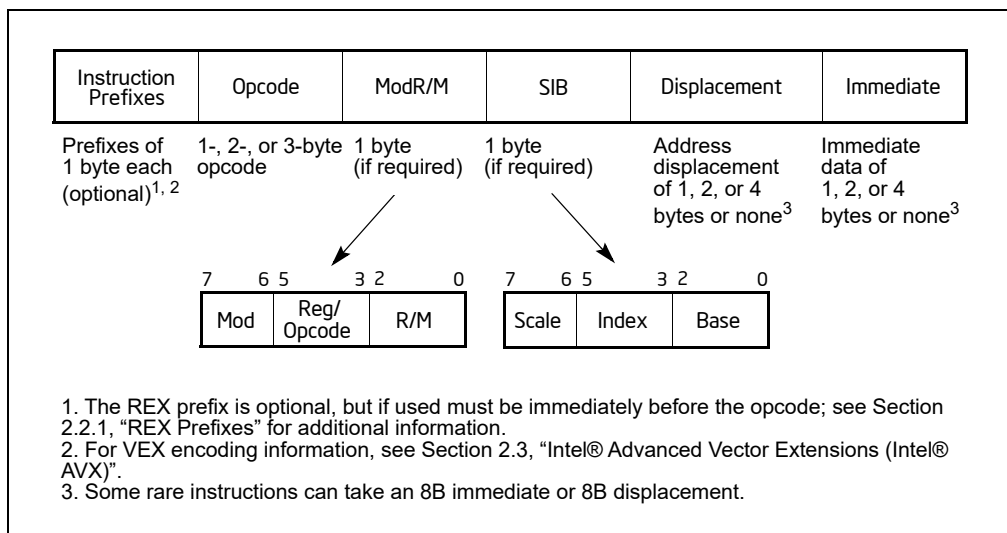


Figure 2-1. Intel 64 and IA-32 Architectures Instruction Format

2.1.1 Instruction Prefixes

Instruction prefixes are divided into four groups, each with a set of allowable prefix codes. For each instruction, it is only useful to include up to one prefix code from each of the four groups (Groups 1, 2, 3, 4). Groups 1 through 4 may be placed in any order relative to each other.

- Group 1
 - Lock and repeat prefixes:
 - LOCK prefix is encoded using F0H.
 - REPNE/REPZ prefix is encoded using F2H. Repeat-Not-Zero prefix applies only to string and input/output instructions. (F2H is also used as a mandatory prefix for some instructions.)
 - REP or REPE/REPZ is encoded using F3H. The repeat prefix applies only to string and input/output instructions. (F3H is also used as a mandatory prefix for some instructions.)

- BND prefix is encoded using F2H if the following conditions are true:
 - CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.MPX[bit 14] is set.
 - BNDCFGU.EN and/or IA32_BNDCFGS.EN is set.
 - When the F2 prefix precedes a near CALL, a near RET, a near JMP, a short Jcc, or a near Jcc instruction (see Appendix E, “Intel® Memory Protection Extensions,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1).
- Group 2
 - Segment override prefixes:
 - 2EH—CS segment override (use with any branch instruction is reserved).
 - 36H—SS segment override prefix (use with any branch instruction is reserved).
 - 3EH—DS segment override prefix (use with any branch instruction is reserved).
 - 26H—ES segment override prefix (use with any branch instruction is reserved).
 - 64H—FS segment override prefix (use with any branch instruction is reserved).
 - 65H—GS segment override prefix (use with any branch instruction is reserved).
 - Branch hints¹:
 - 2EH—Branch not taken (used only with Jcc instructions).
 - 3EH—Branch taken (used only with Jcc instructions).
- Group 3
 - Operand-size override prefix is encoded using 66H (66H is also used as a mandatory prefix for some instructions).
- Group 4
 - 67H—Address-size override prefix.

The LOCK prefix (F0H) forces an operation that ensures exclusive use of shared memory in a multiprocessor environment. See “LOCK—Assert LOCK# Signal Prefix” in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” for a description of this prefix.

Repeat prefixes (F2H, F3H) cause an instruction to be repeated for each element of a string. Use these prefixes only with string and I/O instructions (MOVS, CMPS, SCAS, LODS, STOS, INS, and OUTS). Use of repeat prefixes and/or undefined opcodes with other Intel 64 or IA-32 instructions is reserved; such use may cause unpredictable behavior.

Some instructions may use F2H,F3H as a mandatory prefix to express distinct functionality.

Branch hint prefixes (2EH, 3EH) allow a program to give a hint to the processor about the most likely code path for a branch. Use these prefixes only with conditional branch instructions (Jcc). Other use of branch hint prefixes and/or other undefined opcodes with Intel 64 or IA-32 instructions is reserved; such use may cause unpredictable behavior.

The operand-size override prefix allows a program to switch between 16- and 32-bit operand sizes. Either size can be the default; use of the prefix selects the non-default size.

Some SSE2/SSE3/SSSE3/SSE4 instructions and instructions using a three-byte sequence of primary opcode bytes may use 66H as a mandatory prefix to express distinct functionality.

Other use of the 66H prefix is reserved; such use may cause unpredictable behavior.

The address-size override prefix (67H) allows programs to switch between 16- and 32-bit addressing. Either size can be the default; the prefix selects the non-default size. Using this prefix and/or other undefined opcodes when operands for the instruction do not reside in memory is reserved; such use may cause unpredictable behavior.

1. Some earlier microarchitectures used these as branch hints, but recent generations have not and they are reserved for future hint usage.

2.1.2 Opcodes

A primary opcode can be 1, 2, or 3 bytes in length. An additional 3-bit opcode field is sometimes encoded in the ModR/M byte. Smaller fields can be defined within the primary opcode. Such fields define the direction of operation, size of displacements, register encoding, condition codes, or sign extension. Encoding fields used by an opcode vary depending on the class of operation.

Two-byte opcode formats for general-purpose and SIMD instructions consist of one of the following:

- An escape opcode byte 0FH as the primary opcode and a second opcode byte.
- A mandatory prefix (66H, F2H, or F3H), an escape opcode byte, and a second opcode byte (same as previous bullet).

For example, CVTQ2PD consists of the following sequence: F3 0F E6. The first byte is a mandatory prefix (it is not considered as a repeat prefix).

Three-byte opcode formats for general-purpose and SIMD instructions consist of one of the following:

- An escape opcode byte 0FH as the primary opcode, plus two additional opcode bytes.
- A mandatory prefix (66H, F2H, or F3H), an escape opcode byte, plus two additional opcode bytes (same as previous bullet).

For example, PHADDW for XMM registers consists of the following sequence: 66 0F 38 01. The first byte is the mandatory prefix.

Valid opcode expressions are defined in Appendix A and Appendix B.

2.1.3 ModR/M and SIB Bytes

Many instructions that refer to an operand in memory have an addressing-form specifier byte (called the ModR/M byte) following the primary opcode. The ModR/M byte contains three fields of information:

- The *mod* field combines with the *r/m* field to form 32 possible values: eight registers and 24 addressing modes.
- The *reg/opcode* field specifies either a register number or three more bits of opcode information. The purpose of the *reg/opcode* field is specified in the primary opcode.
- The *r/m* field can specify a register as an operand or it can be combined with the *mod* field to encode an addressing mode. Sometimes, certain combinations of the *mod* field and the *r/m* field are used to express opcode information for some instructions.

Certain encodings of the ModR/M byte require a second addressing byte (the SIB byte). The base-plus-index and scale-plus-index forms of 32-bit addressing require the SIB byte. The SIB byte includes the following fields:

- The *scale* field specifies the scale factor.
- The *index* field specifies the register number of the index register.
- The *base* field specifies the register number of the base register.

See Section 2.1.5 for the encodings of the ModR/M and SIB bytes.

2.1.4 Displacement and Immediate Bytes

Some addressing forms include a displacement immediately following the ModR/M byte (or the SIB byte if one is present). If a displacement is required, it can be 1, 2, or 4 bytes.

If an instruction specifies an immediate operand, the operand always follows any displacement bytes. An immediate operand can be 1, 2 or 4 bytes.

2.1.5 Addressing-Mode Encoding of ModR/M and SIB Bytes

The values and corresponding addressing forms of the ModR/M and SIB bytes are shown in Table 2-1 through Table 2-3: 16-bit addressing forms specified by the ModR/M byte are in Table 2-1 and 32-bit addressing forms are in Table 2-2. Table 2-3 shows 32-bit addressing forms specified by the SIB byte. In cases where the reg/opcode field in the ModR/M byte represents an extended opcode, valid encodings are shown in Appendix B.

In Table 2-1 and Table 2-2, the Effective Address column lists 32 effective addresses that can be assigned to the first operand of an instruction by using the Mod and R/M fields of the ModR/M byte. The first 24 options provide ways of specifying a memory location; the last eight (Mod = 11B) provide ways of specifying general-purpose, MMX technology and XMM registers.

The Mod and R/M columns in Table 2-1 and Table 2-2 give the binary encodings of the Mod and R/M fields required to obtain the effective address listed in the first column. For example: see the row indicated by Mod = 11B, R/M = 000B. The row identifies the general-purpose registers EAX, AX or AL; MMX technology register MM0; or XMM register XMM0. The register used is determined by the opcode byte and the operand-size attribute.

Now look at the seventh row in either table (labeled "REG ="). This row specifies the use of the 3-bit Reg/Opcode field when the field is used to give the location of a second operand. The second operand must be a general-purpose, MMX technology, or XMM register. Rows one through five list the registers that may correspond to the value in the table. Again, the register used is determined by the opcode byte along with the operand-size attribute. If the instruction does not require a second operand, then the Reg/Opcode field may be used as an opcode extension. This use is represented by the sixth row in the tables (labeled "/digit (Opcode)"). Note that values in row six are represented in decimal form.

The body of Table 2-1 and Table 2-2 (under the label "Value of ModR/M Byte (in Hexadecimal)") contains a 32 by 8 array that presents all of 256 values of the ModR/M byte (in hexadecimal). Bits 3, 4, and 5 are specified by the column of the table in which a byte resides. The row specifies bits 0, 1, and 2; and bits 6 and 7. The figure below demonstrates interpretation of one table value.

	Mod	11	
	RM		000
/digit (Opcode);	REG =	001	
	C8H	11	001000

Figure 2-2. Table Interpretation of ModR/M Byte (C8H)

Table 2-1. 16-Bit Addressing Forms with the ModR/M Byte

			AL AX EAX MM0 XMM0 0 000	CL CX ECX MM1 XMM1 1 001	DL DX EDX MM2 XMM2 2 010	BL BX EBX MM3 XMM3 3 011	AH SP ESP MM4 XMM4 4 100	CH BP ¹ EBP MM5 XMM5 5 101	DH SI ESI MM6 XMM6 6 110	BH DI EDI MM7 XMM7 7 111
Effective Address	Mod	R/M	Value of ModR/M Byte (in Hexadecimal)							
[BX+SI] [BX+DI] [BP+SI] [BP+DI] [SI] [DI] disp16 ² [BX]	00	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07	08 09 0A 0B 0C 0D 0E 0F	10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17	18 19 1A 1B 1C 1D 1E 1F	20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27	28 29 2A 2B 2C 2D 2E 2F	30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37	38 39 3A 3B 3C 3D 3E 3F
[BX+SI]+disp8 ³ [BX+DI]+disp8 [BP+SI]+disp8 [BP+DI]+disp8 [SI]+disp8 [DI]+disp8 [BP]+disp8 [BX]+disp8	01	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47	48 49 4A 4B 4C 4D 4E 4F	50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57	58 59 5A 5B 5C 5D 5E 5F	60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67	68 69 6A 6B 6C 6D 6E 6F	70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77	78 79 7A 7B 7C 7D 7E 7F
[BX+SI]+disp16 [BX+DI]+disp16 [BP+SI]+disp16 [BP+DI]+disp16 [SI]+disp16 [DI]+disp16 [BP]+disp16 [BX]+disp16	10	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87	88 89 8A 8B 8C 8D 8E 8F	90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97	98 99 9A 9B 9C 9D 9E 9F	A0 A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6 A7	A8 A9 AA AB AC AD AE AF	B0 B1 B2 B3 B4 B5 B6 B7	B8 B9 BA BB BC BD BE BF
EAX/AX/AL/MM0/XMM0 ECX/CX/CL/MM1/XMM1 EDX/DX/DL/MM2/XMM2 EBX/BX/BL/MM3/XMM3 ESP/SP/AHMM4/XMM4 EBP/BP/CH/MM5/XMM5 ESI/SI/DH/MM6/XMM6 EDI/DI/BH/MM7/XMM7	11	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	C0 C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 C6 C7	C8 C9 CA CB CC CD CE CF	D0 D1 D2 D3 D4 D5 D6 D7	D8 D9 DA DB DC DD DE DF	E0 E1 E2 E3 E4 E5 E6 E7	E8 E9 EA EB EC ED EE EF	F0 F1 F2 F3 F4 F5 F6 F7	F8 F9 FA FB FC FD FE FF

NOTES:

1. The default segment register is SS for the effective addresses containing a BP index, DS for other effective addresses.
2. The disp16 nomenclature denotes a 16-bit displacement that follows the ModR/M byte and that is added to the index.
3. The disp8 nomenclature denotes an 8-bit displacement that follows the ModR/M byte and that is sign-extended and added to the index.

Table 2-2. 32-Bit Addressing Forms with the ModR/M Byte

			AL	CL	DL	BL	AH	CH	DH	BH
			AX	CX	DX	BX	SP	BP	SI	DI
			EAX	ECX	EDX	EBX	ESP	EBP	ESI	EDI
			MM0	MM1	MM2	MM3	MM4	MM5	MM6	MM7
			XMM0	XMM1	XMM2	XMM3	XMM4	XMM5	XMM6	XMM7
			0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			000	001	010	011	100	101	110	111
Effective Address	Mod	R/M	Value of ModR/M Byte (in Hexadecimal)							
[EAX]	00	000	00	08	10	18	20	28	30	38
[ECX]		001	01	09	11	19	21	29	31	39
[EDX]		010	02	0A	12	1A	22	2A	32	3A
[EBX]		011	03	0B	13	1B	23	2B	33	3B
[--][--] ¹		100	04	0C	14	1C	24	2C	34	3C
disp32 ²		101	05	0D	15	1D	25	2D	35	3D
[ESI]		110	06	0E	16	1E	26	2E	36	3E
[EDI]		111	07	0F	17	1F	27	2F	37	3F
[EAX]+disp8 ³	01	000	40	48	50	58	60	68	70	78
[ECX]+disp8		001	41	49	51	59	61	69	71	79
[EDX]+disp8		010	42	4A	52	5A	62	6A	72	7A
[EBX]+disp8		011	43	4B	53	5B	63	6B	73	7B
[--][--]+disp8		100	44	4C	54	5C	64	6C	74	7C
[EBP]+disp8		101	45	4D	55	5D	65	6D	75	7D
[ESI]+disp8		110	46	4E	56	5E	66	6E	76	7E
[EDI]+disp8		111	47	4F	57	5F	67	6F	77	7F
[EAX]+disp32	10	000	80	88	90	98	A0	A8	B0	B8
[ECX]+disp32		001	81	89	91	99	A1	A9	B1	B9
[EDX]+disp32		010	82	8A	92	9A	A2	AA	B2	BA
[EBX]+disp32		011	83	8B	93	9B	A3	AB	B3	BB
[--][--]+disp32		100	84	8C	94	9C	A4	AC	B4	BC
[EBP]+disp32		101	85	8D	95	9D	A5	AD	B5	BD
[ESI]+disp32		110	86	8E	96	9E	A6	AE	B6	BE
[EDI]+disp32		111	87	8F	97	9F	A7	AF	B7	BF
EAX/AX/AL/MM0/XMM0	11	000	C0	C8	D0	D8	E0	E8	F0	F8
ECX/CX/CL/MM/XMM1		001	C1	C9	D1	D9	E1	E9	F1	F9
EDX/DX/DL/MM2/XMM2		010	C2	CA	D2	DA	E2	EA	F2	FA
EBX/BX/BL/MM3/XMM3		011	C3	CB	D3	DB	E3	EB	F3	FB
ESP/SP/AH/MM4/XMM4		100	C4	CC	D4	DC	E4	EC	F4	FC
EBP/BP/CH/MM5/XMM5		101	C5	CD	D5	DD	E5	ED	F5	FD
ESI/SI/DH/MM6/XMM6		110	C6	CE	D6	DE	E6	EE	F6	FE
EDI/DI/BH/MM7/XMM7		111	C7	CF	D7	DF	E7	EF	F7	FF

NOTES:

1. The [--][--] nomenclature means a SIB follows the ModR/M byte.
2. The disp32 nomenclature denotes a 32-bit displacement that follows the ModR/M byte (or the SIB byte if one is present) and that is added to the index.
3. The disp8 nomenclature denotes an 8-bit displacement that follows the ModR/M byte (or the SIB byte if one is present) and that is sign-extended and added to the index.

Table 2-3 is organized to give 256 possible values of the SIB byte (in hexadecimal). General purpose registers used as a base are indicated across the top of the table, along with corresponding values for the SIB byte’s base field. Table rows in the body of the table indicate the register used as the index (SIB byte bits 3, 4, and 5) and the scaling factor (determined by SIB byte bits 6 and 7).

Table 2-3. 32-Bit Addressing Forms with the SIB Byte

r32 (In decimal) Base = (In binary) Base =	EAX 0 000	ECX 1 001	EDX 2 010	EBX 3 011	ESP 4 100	[*] 5 101	ESI 6 110	EDI 7 111		
Scaled Index	SS	Index	Value of SIB Byte (in Hexadecimal)							
[EAX] [ECX] [EDX] [EBX] none [EBP] [ESI] [EDI]	00	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	00 08 10 18 20 28 30 38	01 09 11 19 21 29 31 39	02 0A 12 1A 22 2A 32 3A	03 0B 13 1B 23 2B 33 3B	04 0C 14 1C 24 2C 34 3C	05 0D 15 1D 25 2D 35 3D	06 0E 16 1E 26 2E 36 3E	07 0F 17 1F 27 2F 37 3F
[EAX*2] [ECX*2] [EDX*2] [EBX*2] none [EBP*2] [ESI*2] [EDI*2]	01	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	40 48 50 58 60 68 70 78	41 49 51 59 61 69 71 79	42 4A 52 5A 62 6A 72 7A	43 4B 53 5B 63 6B 73 7B	44 4C 54 5C 64 6C 74 7C	45 4D 55 5D 65 6D 75 7D	46 4E 56 5E 66 6E 76 7E	47 4F 57 5F 67 6F 77 7F
[EAX*4] [ECX*4] [EDX*4] [EBX*4] none [EBP*4] [ESI*4] [EDI*4]	10	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	80 88 90 98 A0 A8 B0 B8	81 89 91 99 A1 A9 B1 B9	82 8A 92 9A A2 AA B2 BA	83 8B 93 9B A3 AB B3 BB	84 8C 94 9C A4 AC B4 BC	85 8D 95 9D A5 AD B5 BD	86 8E 96 9E A6 AE B6 BE	87 8F 97 9F A7 AF B7 BF
[EAX*8] [ECX*8] [EDX*8] [EBX*8] none [EBP*8] [ESI*8] [EDI*8]	11	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	C0 C8 D0 D8 E0 E8 F0 F8	C1 C9 D1 D9 E1 E9 F1 F9	C2 CA D2 DA E2 EA F2 FA	C3 CB D3 DB E3 EB F3 FB	C4 CC D4 DC E4 EC F4 FC	C5 CD D5 DD E5 ED F5 FD	C6 CE D6 DE E6 EE F6 FE	C7 CF D7 DF E7 EF F7 FF

NOTES:

- The [*] nomenclature means a disp32 with no base if the MOD is 00B. Otherwise, [*] means disp8 or disp32 + [EBP]. This provides the following address modes:

MOD bits Effective Address

- | | |
|----|---------------------------------|
| 00 | [scaled index] + disp32 |
| 01 | [scaled index] + disp8 + [EBP] |
| 10 | [scaled index] + disp32 + [EBP] |

2.2 IA-32E MODE

IA-32e mode has two sub-modes. These are:

- Compatibility Mode.** Enables a 64-bit operating system to run most legacy protected mode software unmodified.
- 64-Bit Mode.** Enables a 64-bit operating system to run applications written to access 64-bit address space.

2.2.1 REX Prefixes

REX prefixes are instruction-prefix bytes used in 64-bit mode. They do the following:

- Specify GPRs and SSE registers.

- Specify 64-bit operand size.
- Specify extended control registers.

Not all instructions require a REX prefix in 64-bit mode. A prefix is necessary only if an instruction references one of the extended registers or uses a 64-bit operand. If a REX prefix is used when it has no meaning, it is ignored.

Only one REX prefix is allowed per instruction. If used, the REX prefix byte must immediately precede the opcode byte or the escape opcode byte (0FH). When a REX prefix is used in conjunction with an instruction containing a mandatory prefix, the mandatory prefix must come before the REX so the REX prefix can be immediately preceding the opcode or the escape byte. For example, CVTDDQ2PD with a REX prefix should have REX placed between F3 and 0F E6. Other placements are ignored. The instruction-size limit of 15 bytes still applies to instructions with a REX prefix. See Figure 2-3.

Legacy Prefixes	REX Prefix	Opcode	ModR/M	SIB	Displacement	Immediate
Grp 1, Grp 2, Grp 3, Grp 4 (optional)	(optional)	1-, 2-, or 3-byte opcode	1 byte (if required)	1 byte (if required)	Address displacement of 1, 2, or 4 bytes	Immediate data of 1, 2, or 4 bytes or none

Figure 2-3. Prefix Ordering in 64-bit Mode

2.2.1.1 Encoding

Intel 64 and IA-32 instruction formats specify up to three registers by using 3-bit fields in the encoding, depending on the format:

- ModR/M: the reg and r/m fields of the ModR/M byte.
- ModR/M with SIB: the reg field of the ModR/M byte, the base and index fields of the SIB (scale, index, base) byte.
- Instructions without ModR/M: the reg field of the opcode.

In 64-bit mode, these formats do not change. Bits needed to define fields in the 64-bit context are provided by the addition of REX prefixes.

2.2.1.2 More on REX Prefix Fields

REX prefixes are a set of 16 opcodes that span one row of the opcode map and occupy entries 40H to 4FH. These opcodes represent valid instructions (INC or DEC) in IA-32 operating modes and in compatibility mode. In 64-bit mode, the same opcodes represent the instruction prefix REX and are not treated as individual instructions.

The single-byte-opcode forms of the INC/DEC instructions are not available in 64-bit mode. INC/DEC functionality is still available using ModR/M forms of the same instructions (opcodes FF/0 and FF/1).

See Table 2-4 for a summary of the REX prefix format. Figure 2-4 through Figure 2-7 show examples of REX prefix fields in use. Some combinations of REX prefix fields are invalid. In such cases, the prefix is ignored. Some additional information follows:

- Setting REX.W can be used to determine the operand size but does not solely determine operand width. Like the 66H size prefix, 64-bit operand size override has no effect on byte-specific operations.
- For non-byte operations: if a 66H prefix is used with prefix (REX.W = 1), 66H is ignored.
- If a 66H override is used with REX and REX.W = 0, the operand size is 16 bits.
- REX.R modifies the ModR/M reg field when that field encodes a GPR, SSE, control or debug register. REX.R is ignored when ModR/M specifies other registers or defines an extended opcode.
- REX.X bit modifies the SIB index field.

- REX.B either modifies the base in the ModR/M r/m field or SIB base field; or it modifies the opcode reg field used for accessing GPRs.

Table 2-4. REX Prefix Fields [BITS: 0100WRXB]

Field Name	Bit Position	Definition
-	7:4	0100
W	3	0 = Operand size determined by CS.D
		1 = 64 Bit Operand Size
R	2	Extension of the ModR/M reg field
X	1	Extension of the SIB index field
B	0	Extension of the ModR/M r/m field, SIB base field, or Opcode reg field

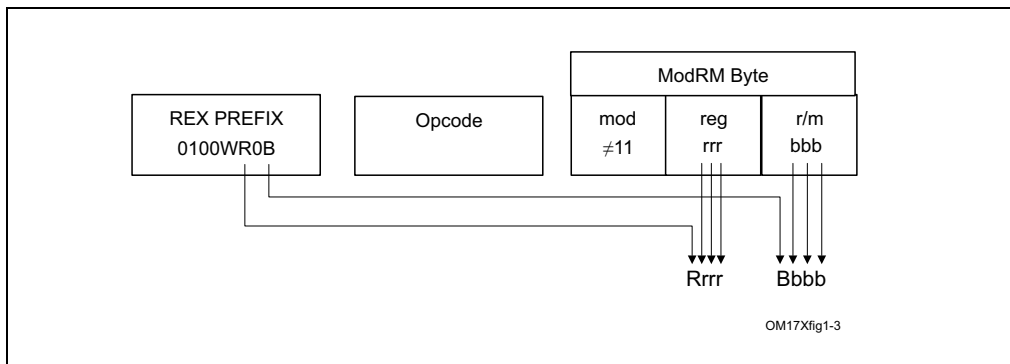


Figure 2-4. Memory Addressing Without a SIB Byte; REX.X Not Used

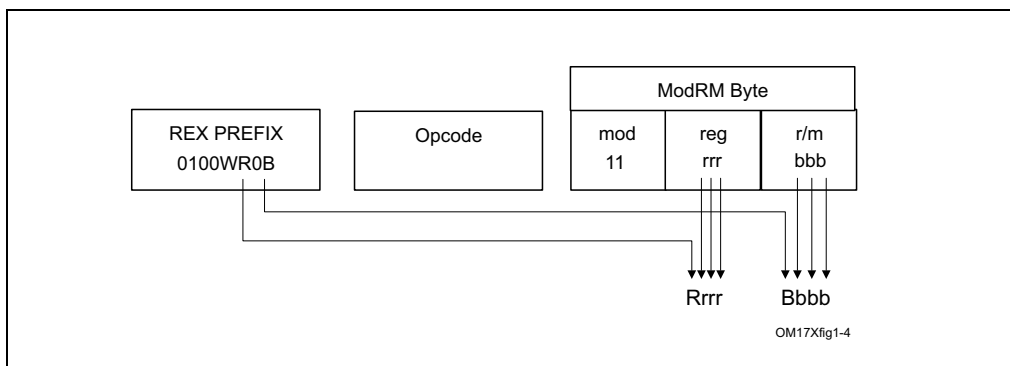


Figure 2-5. Register-Register Addressing (No Memory Operand); REX.X Not Used

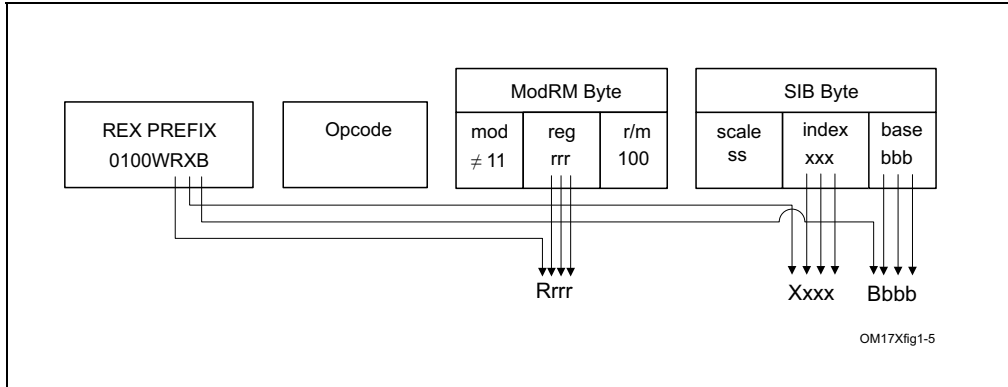


Figure 2-6. Memory Addressing With a SIB Byte

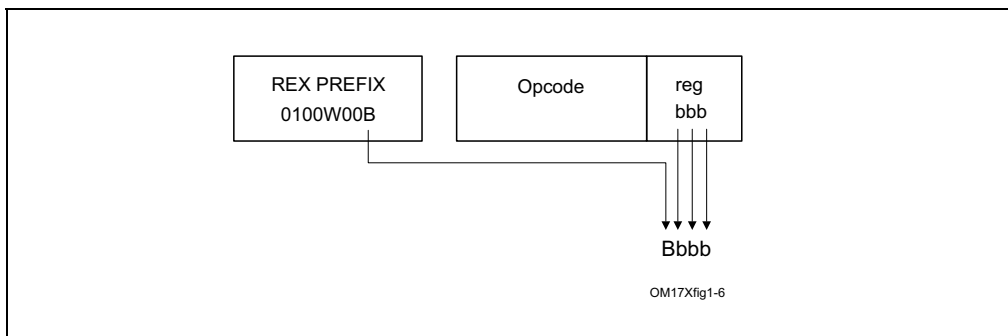


Figure 2-7. Register Operand Coded in Opcode Byte; REX.X & REX.R Not Used

In the IA-32 architecture, byte registers (AH, AL, BH, BL, CH, CL, DH, and DL) are encoded in the ModR/M byte’s reg field, the r/m field or the opcode reg field as registers 0 through 7. REX prefixes provide an additional addressing capability for byte-registers that makes the least-significant byte of GPRs available for byte operations. Certain combinations of the fields of the ModR/M byte and the SIB byte have special meaning for register encodings. For some combinations, fields expanded by the REX prefix are not decoded. Table 2-5 describes how each case behaves.

Table 2-5. Special Cases of REX Encodings

ModR/M or SIB	Sub-field Encodings	Compatibility Mode Operation	Compatibility Mode Implications	Additional Implications
ModR/M Byte	mod ? 11 r/m = b*100(ESP)	SIB byte present.	SIB byte required for ESP-based addressing.	REX prefix adds a fourth bit (b) which is not decoded (don't care). SIB byte also required for R12-based addressing.
ModR/M Byte	mod = 0 r/m = b*101(EBP)	Base register not used.	EBP without a displacement must be done using mod = 01 with displacement of 0.	REX prefix adds a fourth bit (b) which is not decoded (don't care). Using RBP or R13 without displacement must be done using mod = 01 with a displacement of 0.
SIB Byte	index = 0100(ESP)	Index register not used.	ESP cannot be used as an index register.	REX prefix adds a fourth bit (b) which is decoded. There are no additional implications. The expanded index field allows distinguishing RSP from R12, therefore R12 can be used as an index.
SIB Byte	base = 0101(EBP)	Base register is unused if mod = 0.	Base register depends on mod encoding.	REX prefix adds a fourth bit (b) which is not decoded. This requires explicit displacement to be used with EBP/RBP or R13.

NOTES:

* Don't care about value of REX.B

2.2.1.3 Displacement

Addressing in 64-bit mode uses existing 32-bit ModR/M and SIB encodings. The ModR/M and SIB displacement sizes do not change. They remain 8 bits or 32 bits and are sign-extended to 64 bits.

2.2.1.4 Direct Memory-Offset MOVs

In 64-bit mode, direct memory-offset forms of the MOV instruction are extended to specify a 64-bit immediate absolute address. This address is called a moffset. No prefix is needed to specify this 64-bit memory offset. For these MOV instructions, the size of the memory offset follows the address-size default (64 bits in 64-bit mode). See Table 2-6.

Table 2-6. Direct Memory Offset Form of MOV

Opcode	Instruction
A0	MOV AL, moffset
A1	MOV EAX, moffset
A2	MOV moffset, AL
A3	MOV moffset, EAX

2.2.1.5 immediates

In 64-bit mode, the typical size of immediate operands remains 32 bits. When the operand size is 64 bits, the processor sign-extends all immediates to 64 bits prior to their use.

Support for 64-bit immediate operands is accomplished by expanding the semantics of the existing move (MOV reg, imm16/32) instructions. These instructions (opcodes B8H – BFH) move 16-bits or 32-bits of immediate data (depending on the effective operand size) into a GPR. When the effective operand size is 64 bits, these instructions can be used to load an immediate into a GPR. A REX prefix is needed to override the 32-bit default operand size to a 64-bit operand size.

For example:

```
48 B8 8877665544332211 MOV RAX,1122334455667788H
```

2.2.1.6 RIP-Relative Addressing

A new addressing form, RIP-relative (relative instruction-pointer) addressing, is implemented in 64-bit mode. An effective address is formed by adding displacement to the 64-bit RIP of the next instruction.

In IA-32 architecture and compatibility mode, addressing relative to the instruction pointer is available only with control-transfer instructions. In 64-bit mode, instructions that use ModR/M addressing can use RIP-relative addressing. Without RIP-relative addressing, all ModR/M modes address memory relative to zero.

RIP-relative addressing allows specific ModR/M modes to address memory relative to the 64-bit RIP using a signed 32-bit displacement. This provides an offset range of $\pm 2\text{GB}$ from the RIP. Table 2-7 shows the ModR/M and SIB encodings for RIP-relative addressing. Redundant forms of 32-bit displacement-addressing exist in the current ModR/M and SIB encodings. There is one ModR/M encoding and there are several SIB encodings. RIP-relative addressing is encoded using a redundant form.

In 64-bit mode, the ModR/M Disp32 (32-bit displacement) encoding is re-defined to be RIP+Disp32 rather than displacement-only. See Table 2-7.

Table 2-7. RIP-Relative Addressing

ModR/M and SIB Sub-field Encodings		Compatibility Mode Operation	64-bit Mode Operation	Additional Implications in 64-bit mode
ModR/M Byte	mod = 00	Disp32	RIP + Disp32	In 64-bit mode, if one wants to use a Disp32 without specifying a base register, one can use a SIB byte encoding (indicated by ModR/M.r/m=100) as described in the next row.
	r/m = 101 (none)			
SIB Byte	base = 101 (none)	If mod = 00, Disp32	Same as legacy	None
	index = 100 (none)			
	scale = 0, 1, 2, 4			

The ModR/M encoding for RIP-relative addressing does not depend on using a prefix. Specifically, the r/m bit field encoding of 101B (used to select RIP-relative addressing) is not affected by the REX prefix. For example, selecting R13 (REX.B = 1, r/m = 101B) with mod = 00B still results in RIP-relative addressing. The 4-bit r/m field of REX.B combined with ModR/M is not fully decoded. In order to address R13 with no displacement, software must encode R13 + 0 using a 1-byte displacement of zero.

RIP-relative addressing is enabled by 64-bit mode, not by a 64-bit address-size. The use of the address-size prefix does not disable RIP-relative addressing. The effect of the address-size prefix is to truncate and zero-extend the computed effective address to 32 bits.

2.2.1.7 Default 64-Bit Operand Size

In 64-bit mode, two groups of instructions have a default operand size of 64 bits (do not need a REX prefix for this operand size). These are:

- Near branches.
- All instructions, except far branches, that implicitly reference the RSP.

2.2.2 Additional Encodings for Control and Debug Registers

In 64-bit mode, more encodings for control and debug registers are available. The REX.R bit is used to modify the ModR/M reg field when that field encodes a control or debug register (see Table 2-4). These encodings enable the processor to address CR8-CR15 and DR8-DR15. An additional control register (CR8) is defined in 64-bit mode. CR8 becomes the Task Priority Register (TPR).

In the first implementation of IA-32e mode, CR9-CR15 and DR8-DR15 are not implemented. Any attempt to access unimplemented registers results in an invalid-opcode exception (#UD).

2.3 INTEL® ADVANCED VECTOR EXTENSIONS (INTEL® AVX)

Intel AVX instructions are encoded using an encoding scheme that combines prefix bytes, opcode extension field, operand encoding fields, and vector length encoding capability into a new prefix, referred to as VEX. In the VEX encoding scheme, the VEX prefix may be two or three bytes long, depending on the instruction semantics. Despite the two-byte or three-byte length of the VEX prefix, the VEX encoding format provides a more compact representation/packing of the components of encoding an instruction in Intel 64 architecture. The VEX encoding scheme also allows more headroom for future growth of Intel 64 architecture.

2.3.1 Instruction Format

Instruction encoding using VEX prefix provides several advantages:

- Instruction syntax support for three operands and up-to four operands when necessary. For example, the third source register used by VBLENDVPD is encoded using bits 7:4 of the immediate byte.
- Encoding support for vector length of 128 bits (using XMM registers) and 256 bits (using YMM registers).
- Encoding support for instruction syntax of non-destructive source operands.
- Elimination of escape opcode byte (0FH), SIMD prefix byte (66H, F2H, F3H) via a compact bit field representation within the VEX prefix.
- Elimination of the need to use REX prefix to encode the extended half of general-purpose register sets (R8-R15) for direct register access, memory addressing, or accessing XMM8-XMM15 (including YMM8-YMM15).
- Flexible and more compact bit fields are provided in the VEX prefix to retain the full functionality provided by REX prefix. REX.W, REX.X, REX.B functionalities are provided in the three-byte VEX prefix only because only a subset of SIMD instructions need them.
- Extensibility for future instruction extensions without significant instruction length increase.

Figure 2-8 shows the Intel 64 instruction encoding format with VEX prefix support. Legacy instruction without a VEX prefix is fully supported and unchanged. The use of VEX prefix in an Intel 64 instruction is optional, but a VEX prefix is required for Intel 64 instructions that operate on YMM registers or support three and four operand syntax. VEX prefix is not a constant-valued, “single-purpose” byte like 0FH, 66H, F2H, F3H in legacy SSE instructions. VEX prefix provides substantially richer capability than the REX prefix.



Figure 2-8. Instruction Encoding Format with VEX Prefix

2.3.2 VEX and the LOCK prefix

Any VEX-encoded instruction with a LOCK prefix preceding VEX will #UD.

2.3.3 VEX and the 66H, F2H, and F3H prefixes

Any VEX-encoded instruction with a 66H, F2H, or F3H prefix preceding VEX will #UD.

2.3.4 VEX and the REX prefix

Any VEX-encoded instruction with a REX prefix preceding VEX will #UD.

2.3.5 The VEX Prefix

The VEX prefix is encoded in either the two-byte form (the first byte must be C5H) or in the three-byte form (the first byte must be C4H). The two-byte VEX is used mainly for 128-bit, scalar, and the most common 256-bit AVX instructions; while the three-byte VEX provides a compact replacement of REX and 3-byte opcode instructions (including AVX and FMA instructions). Beyond the first byte of the VEX prefix, it consists of a number of bit fields providing specific capability, they are shown in Figure 2-9.

The bit fields of the VEX prefix can be summarized by its functional purposes:

- Non-destructive source register encoding (applicable to three and four operand syntax): This is the first source operand in the instruction syntax. It is represented by the notation, VEX.vvvv. This field is encoded using 1's complement form (inverted form), i.e., XMM0/YMM0/R0 is encoded as 1111B, XMM15/YMM15/R15 is encoded as 0000B.
- Vector length encoding: This 1-bit field represented by the notation VEX.L. L= 0 means vector length is 128 bits wide, L=1 means 256 bit vector. The value of this field is written as VEX.128 or VEX.256 in this document to distinguish encoded values of other VEX bit fields.
- REX prefix functionality: Full REX prefix functionality is provided in the three-byte form of VEX prefix. However the VEX bit fields providing REX functionality are encoded using 1's complement form, i.e., XMM0/YMM0/R0 is encoded as 1111B, XMM15/YMM15/R15 is encoded as 0000B.
 - Two-byte form of the VEX prefix only provides the equivalent functionality of REX.R, using 1's complement encoding. This is represented as VEX.R.
 - Three-byte form of the VEX prefix provides REX.R, REX.X, REX.B functionality using 1's complement encoding and three dedicated bit fields represented as VEX.R, VEX.X, VEX.B.
 - Three-byte form of the VEX prefix provides the functionality of REX.W only to specific instructions that need to override default 32-bit operand size for a general purpose register to 64-bit size in 64-bit mode. For those applicable instructions, VEX.W field provides the same functionality as REX.W. VEX.W field can provide completely different functionality for other instructions.

Consequently, the use of REX prefix with VEX encoded instructions is not allowed. However, the intent of the REX prefix for expanding register set is reserved for future instruction set extensions using VEX prefix encoding format.

- Compaction of SIMD prefix: Legacy SSE instructions effectively use SIMD prefixes (66H, F2H, F3H) as an opcode extension field. VEX prefix encoding allows the functional capability of such legacy SSE instructions (operating on XMM registers, bits 255:128 of corresponding YMM unmodified) to be encoded using the VEX.pp field without the presence of any SIMD prefix. The VEX-encoded 128-bit instruction will zero-out bits 255:128 of the destination register. VEX-encoded instruction may have 128 bit vector length or 256 bits length.
- Compaction of two-byte and three-byte opcode: More recently introduced legacy SSE instructions employ two and three-byte opcode. The one or two leading bytes are: 0FH, and 0FH 3AH/0FH 38H. The one-byte escape (0FH) and two-byte escape (0FH 3AH, 0FH 38H) can also be interpreted as an opcode extension field. The VEX.mmmmm field provides compaction to allow many legacy instruction to be encoded without the constant byte sequence, 0FH, 0FH 3AH, 0FH 38H. These VEX-encoded instruction may have 128 bit vector length or 256 bits length.

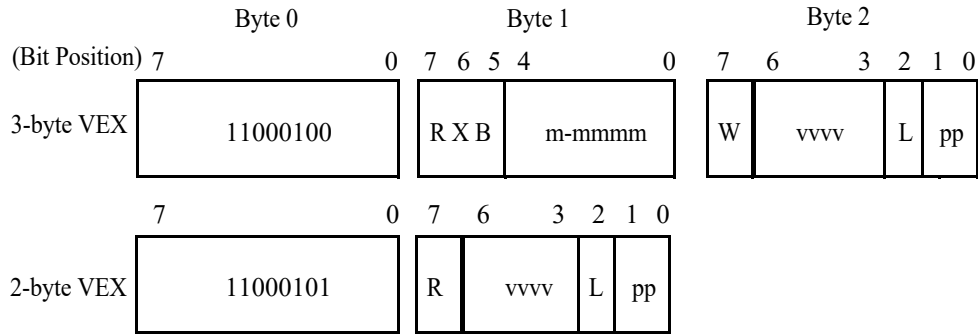
The VEX prefix is required to be the last prefix and immediately precedes the opcode bytes. It must follow any other prefixes. If VEX prefix is present a REX prefix is not supported.

The 3-byte VEX leaves room for future expansion with 3 reserved bits. REX and the 66h/F2h/F3h prefixes are reclaimed for future use.

VEX prefix has a two-byte form and a three byte form. If an instruction syntax can be encoded using the two-byte form, it can also be encoded using the three byte form of VEX. The latter increases the length of the instruction by one byte. This may be helpful in some situations for code alignment.

The VEX prefix supports 256-bit versions of floating-point SSE, SSE2, SSE3, and SSE4 instructions. Note, certain new instruction functionality can only be encoded with the VEX prefix.

The VEX prefix will #UD on any instruction containing MMX register sources or destinations.



R: REX.R in 1's complement (inverted) form
 1: Same as REX.R=0 (must be 1 in 32-bit mode)
 0: Same as REX.R=1 (64-bit mode only)

X: REX.X in 1's complement (inverted) form
 1: Same as REX.X=0 (must be 1 in 32-bit mode)
 0: Same as REX.X=1 (64-bit mode only)

B: REX.B in 1's complement (inverted) form
 1: Same as REX.B=0 (Ignored in 32-bit mode).
 0: Same as REX.B=1 (64-bit mode only)

W: opcode specific (use like REX.W, or used for opcode extension, or ignored, depending on the opcode byte)

m-mmmm:
 00000: Reserved for future use (will #UD)
 00001: implied 0F leading opcode byte
 00010: implied 0F 38 leading opcode bytes
 00011: implied 0F 3A leading opcode bytes
 00100-11111: Reserved for future use (will #UD)

vvvv: a register specifier (in 1's complement form) or 1111 if unused.

L: Vector Length
 0: scalar or 128-bit vector
 1: 256-bit vector

pp: opcode extension providing equivalent functionality of a SIMD prefix
 00: None
 01: 66
 10: F3
 11: F2

Figure 2-9. VEX bit fields

The following subsections describe the various fields in two or three-byte VEX prefix.

2.3.5.1 VEX Byte 0, bits[7:0]

VEX Byte 0, bits [7:0] must contain the value 11000101b (C5h) or 11000100b (C4h). The 3-byte VEX uses the C4h first byte, while the 2-byte VEX uses the C5h first byte.

2.3.5.2 VEX Byte 1, bit [7] - 'R'

VEX Byte 1, bit [7] contains a bit analogous to a bit inverted REX.R. In protected and compatibility modes the bit must be set to '1' otherwise the instruction is LES or LDS.

This bit is present in both 2- and 3-byte VEX prefixes.

The usage of WRXB bits for legacy instructions is explained in detail section 2.2.1.2 of Intel 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software developer's manual, Volume 2A.

This bit is stored in bit inverted format.

2.3.5.3 3-byte VEX byte 1, bit[6] - 'X'

Bit[6] of the 3-byte VEX byte 1 encodes a bit analogous to a bit inverted REX.X. It is an extension of the SIB Index field in 64-bit modes. In 32-bit modes, this bit must be set to '1' otherwise the instruction is LES or LDS.

This bit is available only in the 3-byte VEX prefix.

This bit is stored in bit inverted format.

2.3.5.4 3-byte VEX byte 1, bit[5] - 'B'

Bit[5] of the 3-byte VEX byte 1 encodes a bit analogous to a bit inverted REX.B. In 64-bit modes, it is an extension of the ModR/M r/m field, or the SIB base field. In 32-bit modes, this bit is ignored.

This bit is available only in the 3-byte VEX prefix.

This bit is stored in bit inverted format.

2.3.5.5 3-byte VEX byte 2, bit[7] - 'W'

Bit[7] of the 3-byte VEX byte 2 is represented by the notation VEX.W. It can provide following functions, depending on the specific opcode.

- For AVX instructions that have equivalent legacy SSE instructions (typically these SSE instructions have a general-purpose register operand with its operand size attribute promotable by REX.W), if REX.W promotes the operand size attribute of the general-purpose register operand in legacy SSE instruction, VEX.W has same meaning in the corresponding AVX equivalent form. In 32-bit modes for these instructions, VEX.W is silently ignored.
- For AVX instructions that have equivalent legacy SSE instructions (typically these SSE instructions have operands with their operand size attribute fixed and not promotable by REX.W), if REX.W is don't care in legacy SSE instruction, VEX.W is ignored in the corresponding AVX equivalent form irrespective of mode.
- For new AVX instructions where VEX.W has no defined function (typically these meant the combination of the opcode byte and VEX.mmmmm did not have any equivalent SSE functions), VEX.W is reserved as zero and setting to other than zero will cause instruction to #UD.

2.3.5.6 2-byte VEX Byte 1, bits[6:3] and 3-byte VEX Byte 2, bits [6:3]- 'vvvv' the Source or Dest Register Specifier

In 32-bit mode the VEX first byte C4 and C5 alias onto the LES and LDS instructions. To maintain compatibility with existing programs the VEX 2nd byte, bits [7:6] must be 11b. To achieve this, the VEX payload bits are selected to place only inverted, 64-bit valid fields (extended register selectors) in these upper bits.

The 2-byte VEX Byte 1, bits [6:3] and the 3-byte VEX, Byte 2, bits [6:3] encode a field (shorthand VEX.vvvv) that for instructions with 2 or more source registers and an XMM or YMM or memory destination encodes the first source register specifier stored in inverted (1's complement) form.

VEX.vvvv is not used by the instructions with one source (except certain shifts, see below) or on instructions with no XMM or YMM or memory destination. If an instruction does not use VEX.vvvv then it should be set to 1111b otherwise instruction will #UD.

In 64-bit mode all 4 bits may be used. See Table 2-8 for the encoding of the XMM or YMM registers. In 32-bit and 16-bit modes bit 6 must be 1 (if bit 6 is not 1, the 2-byte VEX version will generate LDS instruction and the 3-byte VEX version will ignore this bit).

Table 2-8. VEX.vvvv to register name mapping

VEX.vvvv	Dest Register	General-Purpose Register (If Applicable) ¹	Valid in Legacy/Compatibility 32-bit modes? ²
1111B	XMM0/YMM0	RAX/EAX	Valid
1110B	XMM1/YMM1	RCX/ECX	Valid
1101B	XMM2/YMM2	RDX/EDX	Valid
1100B	XMM3/YMM3	RBX/EBX	Valid
1011B	XMM4/YMM4	RSP/ESP	Valid
1010B	XMM5/YMM5	RBP/EBP	Valid
1001B	XMM6/YMM6	RSI/ESI	Valid
1000B	XMM7/YMM7	RDI/EDI	Valid
0111B	XMM8/YMM8	R8/R8D	Invalid
0110B	XMM9/YMM9	R9/R9D	Invalid
0101B	XMM10/YMM10	R10/R10D	Invalid
0100B	XMM11/YMM11	R11/R11D	Invalid
0011B	XMM12/YMM12	R12/R12D	Invalid
0010B	XMM13/YMM13	R13/R13D	Invalid
0001B	XMM14/YMM14	R14/R14D	Invalid
0000B	XMM15/YMM15	R15/R15D	Invalid

NOTES:

1. See Section 2.6, “VEX Encoding Support for GPR Instructions” for additional details.
2. Only the first eight General-Purpose Registers are accessible/encodable in 16/32b modes.

The VEX.vvvv field is encoded in bit inverted format for accessing a register operand.

2.3.6 Instruction Operand Encoding and VEX.vvvv, ModR/M

VEX-encoded instructions support three-operand and four-operand instruction syntax. Some VEX-encoded instructions have syntax with less than three operands, e.g., VEX-encoded pack shift instructions support one source operand and one destination operand).

The roles of VEX.vvvv, reg field of ModR/M byte (ModR/M.reg), r/m field of ModR/M byte (ModR/M.r/m) with respect to encoding destination and source operands vary with different type of instruction syntax.

The role of VEX.vvvv can be summarized to three situations:

- VEX.vvvv encodes the first source register operand, specified in inverted (1’s complement) form and is valid for instructions with 2 or more source operands.
- VEX.vvvv encodes the destination register operand, specified in 1’s complement form for certain vector shifts. The instructions where VEX.vvvv is used as a destination are listed in Table 2-9. The notation in the “Opcode” column in Table 2-9 is described in detail in section 3.1.1.
- VEX.vvvv does not encode any operand, the field is reserved and should contain 1111b.

Table 2-9. Instructions with a VEX.vvvv destination

Opcode	Instruction mnemonic
VEX.128.66.0F 73 /7 ib	VPSLLDQ xmm1, xmm2, imm8
VEX.128.66.0F 73 /3 ib	VPSRLDQ xmm1, xmm2, imm8
VEX.128.66.0F 71 /2 ib	VPSRLW xmm1, xmm2, imm8
VEX.128.66.0F 72 /2 ib	VPSRLD xmm1, xmm2, imm8
VEX.128.66.0F 73 /2 ib	VPSRLQ xmm1, xmm2, imm8
VEX.128.66.0F 71 /4 ib	VPSRAW xmm1, xmm2, imm8

Opcode	Instruction mnemonic
VEX.128.66.0F 72 /4 ib	VPSRAD xmm1, xmm2, imm8
VEX.128.66.0F 71 /6 ib	VPSLLW xmm1, xmm2, imm8
VEX.128.66.0F 72 /6 ib	VPSLLD xmm1, xmm2, imm8
VEX.128.66.0F 73 /6 ib	VPSLLQ xmm1, xmm2, imm8

The role of ModR/M.r/m field can be summarized to two situations:

- ModR/M.r/m encodes the instruction operand that references a memory address.
- For some instructions that do not support memory addressing semantics, ModR/M.r/m encodes either the destination register operand or a source register operand.

The role of ModR/M.reg field can be summarized to two situations:

- ModR/M.reg encodes either the destination register operand or a source register operand.
- For some instructions, ModR/M.reg is treated as an opcode extension and not used to encode any instruction operand.

For instruction syntax that support four operands, VEX.vvvv, ModR/M.r/m, ModR/M.reg encodes three of the four operands. The role of bits 7:4 of the immediate byte serves the following situation:

- Imm8[7:4] encodes the third source register operand.

2.3.6.1 3-byte VEX byte 1, bits[4:0] - “m-mmmm”

Bits[4:0] of the 3-byte VEX byte 1 encode an implied leading opcode byte (0F, 0F 38, or 0F 3A). Several bits are reserved for future use and will #UD unless 0.

Table 2-10. VEX.m-mmmm interpretation

VEX.m-mmmm	Implied Leading Opcode Bytes
00000B	Reserved
00001B	0F
00010B	0F 38
00011B	0F 3A
00100-11111B	Reserved
(2-byte VEX)	0F

VEX.m-mmmm is only available on the 3-byte VEX. The 2-byte VEX implies a leading 0Fh opcode byte.

2.3.6.2 2-byte VEX byte 1, bit[2], and 3-byte VEX byte 2, bit [2]- “L”

The vector length field, VEX.L, is encoded in bit[2] of either the second byte of 2-byte VEX, or the third byte of 3-byte VEX. If “VEX.L = 1”, it indicates 256-bit vector operation. “VEX.L = 0” indicates scalar and 128-bit vector operations.

The instruction VZEROUPPER is a special case that is encoded with VEX.L = 0, although its operation zero’s bits 255:128 of all YMM registers accessible in the current operating mode.

See the following table.

Table 2-11. VEX.L interpretation

VEX.L	Vector Length
0	128-bit (or 32/64-bit scalar)
1	256-bit

2.3.6.3 2-byte VEX byte 1, bits[1:0], and 3-byte VEX byte 2, bits [1:0]- “pp”

Up to one implied prefix is encoded by bits[1:0] of either the 2-byte VEX byte 1 or the 3-byte VEX byte 2. The prefix behaves as if it was encoded prior to VEX, but after all other encoded prefixes.

See the following table.

Table 2-12. VEX.pp interpretation

pp	Implies this prefix after other prefixes but before VEX
00B	None
01B	66
10B	F3
11B	F2

2.3.7 The Opcode Byte

One (and only one) opcode byte follows the 2 or 3 byte VEX. Legal opcodes are specified in Appendix B, in color. Any instruction that uses illegal opcode will #UD.

2.3.8 The ModR/M, SIB, and Displacement Bytes

The encodings are unchanged but the interpretation of reg_field or rm_field differs (see above).

2.3.9 The Third Source Operand (Immediate Byte)

VEX-encoded instructions can support instruction with a four operand syntax. VBLENDVPD, VBLENDVPS, and PBLENDVB use imm8[7:4] to encode one of the source registers.

2.3.10 Intel® AVX Instructions and the Upper 128-bits of YMM registers

If an instruction with a destination XMM register is encoded with a VEX prefix, the processor zeroes the upper bits (above bit 128) of the equivalent YMM register. Legacy SSE instructions without VEX preserve the upper bits.

2.3.10.1 Vector Length Transition and Programming Considerations

An instruction encoded with a VEX.128 prefix that loads a YMM register operand operates as follows:

- Data is loaded into bits 127:0 of the register
- Bits above bit 127 in the register are cleared.

Thus, such an instruction clears bits 255:128 of a destination YMM register on processors with a maximum vector-register width of 256 bits. In the event that future processors extend the vector registers to greater widths, an instruction encoded with a VEX.128 or VEX.256 prefix will also clear any bits beyond bit 255. (This is in contrast with legacy SSE instructions, which have no VEX prefix; these modify only bits 127:0 of any destination register operand.)

Programmers should bear in mind that instructions encoded with VEX.128 and VEX.256 prefixes will clear any future extensions to the vector registers. A calling function that uses such extensions should save their state before calling legacy functions. This is not possible for involuntary calls (e.g., into an interrupt-service routine). It is recommended that software handling involuntary calls accommodate this by not executing instructions encoded

with VEX.128 and VEX.256 prefixes. In the event that it is not possible or desirable to restrict these instructions, then software must take special care to avoid actions that would, on future processors, zero the upper bits of vector registers.

Processors that support further vector-register extensions (defining bits beyond bit 255) will also extend the XSAVE and XRSTOR instructions to save and restore these extensions. To ensure forward compatibility, software that handles involuntary calls and that uses instructions encoded with VEX.128 and VEX.256 prefixes should first save and then restore the vector registers (with any extensions) using the XSAVE and XRSTOR instructions with save/restore masks that set bits that correspond to all vector-register extensions. Ideally, software should rely on a mechanism that is cognizant of which bits to set. (E.g., an OS mechanism that sets the save/restore mask bits for all vector-register extensions that are enabled in XCR0.) Saving and restoring state with instructions other than XSAVE and XRSTOR will, on future processors with wider vector registers, corrupt the extended state of the vector registers - even if doing so functions correctly on processors supporting 256-bit vector registers. (The same is true if XSAVE and XRSTOR are used with a save/restore mask that does not set bits corresponding to all supported extensions to the vector registers.)

2.3.11 Intel® AVX Instruction Length

The Intel AVX instructions described in this document (including VEX and ignoring other prefixes) do not exceed 11 bytes in length, but may increase in the future. The maximum length of an Intel 64 and IA-32 instruction remains 15 bytes.

2.3.12 Vector SIB (VSIB) Memory Addressing

In Intel® Advanced Vector Extensions 2 (Intel® AVX2), an SIB byte that follows the ModR/M byte can support VSIB memory addressing to an array of linear addresses. VSIB addressing is only supported in a subset of Intel AVX2 instructions. VSIB memory addressing requires 32-bit or 64-bit effective address. In 32-bit mode, VSIB addressing is not supported when address size attribute is overridden to 16 bits. In 16-bit protected mode, VSIB memory addressing is permitted if address size attribute is overridden to 32 bits. Additionally, VSIB memory addressing is supported only with VEX prefix.

In VSIB memory addressing, the SIB byte consists of:

- The scale field (bit 7:6) specifies the scale factor.
- The index field (bits 5:3) specifies the register number of the vector index register, each element in the vector register specifies an index.
- The base field (bits 2:0) specifies the register number of the base register.

Table 2-3 shows the 32-bit VSIB addressing form. It is organized to give 256 possible values of the SIB byte (in hexadecimal). General purpose registers used as a base are indicated across the top of the table, along with corresponding values for the SIB byte's base field. The register names also include R8D-R15D applicable only in 64-bit mode (when address size override prefix is used, but the value of VEX.B is not shown in Table 2-3). In 32-bit mode, R8D-R15D does not apply.

Table rows in the body of the table indicate the vector index register used as the index field and each supported scaling factor shown separately. Vector registers used in the index field can be XMM or YMM registers. The left-most column includes vector registers VR8-VR15 (i.e., XMM8/YMM8-XMM15/YMM15), which are only available in 64-bit mode and does not apply if encoding in 32-bit mode.

Table 2-13. 32-Bit VSIB Addressing Forms of the SIB Byte

r32 (In decimal) Base = (In binary) Base =				EAX/ R8D 0 000	ECX/ R9D 1 001	EDX/ R10D 2 010	EBX/ R11D 3 011	ESP/ R12D 4 100	EBP/ R13D ¹ 5 101	ESI/ R14D 6 110	EDI/ R15D 7 111
Scaled Index		SS	Index	Value of SIB Byte (in Hexadecimal)							
VR0/VR8 VR1/VR9 VR2/VR10 VR3/VR11 VR4/VR12 VR5/VR13 VR6/VR14 VR7/VR15	*1	00	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	00 08 10 18 20 28 30 38	01 09 11 19 21 29 31 39	02 0A 12 1A 22 2A 32 3A	03 0B 13 1B 23 2B 33 3B	04 0C 14 1C 24 2C 34 3C	05 0D 15 1D 25 2D 35 3D	06 0E 16 1E 26 2E 36 3E	07 0F 17 1F 27 2F 37 3F
VR0/VR8 VR1/VR9 VR2/VR10 VR3/VR11 VR4/VR12 VR5/VR13 VR6/VR14 VR7/VR15	*2	01	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	40 48 50 58 60 68 70 78	41 49 51 59 61 69 71 79	42 4A 52 5A 62 6A 72 7A	43 4B 53 5B 63 6B 73 7B	44 4C 54 5C 64 6C 74 7C	45 4D 55 5D 65 6D 75 7D	46 4E 56 5E 66 6E 76 7E	47 4F 57 5F 67 6F 77 7F
VR0/VR8 VR1/VR9 VR2/VR10 VR3/VR11 VR4/VR12 VR5/VR13 VR6/VR14 VR7/VR15	*4	10	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	80 88 90 98 A0 A8 B0 B8	81 89 91 99 A1 A9 B1 B9	82 8A 92 9A A2 AA B2 BA	83 8B 93 9B A3 AB B3 BB	84 8C 94 9C A4 AC B4 BC	85 8D 95 9D A5 AD B5 BD	86 8E 96 9E A6 AE B6 BE	87 8F 97 9F A7 AF B7 BF
VR0/VR8 VR1/VR9 VR2/VR10 VR3/VR11 VR4/VR12 VR5/VR13 VR6/VR14 VR7/VR15	*8	11	000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111	C0 C8 D0 D8 E0 E8 F0 F8	C1 C9 D1 D9 E1 E9 F1 F9	C2 CA D2 DA E2 EA F2 FA	C3 CB D3 DB E3 EB F3 FB	C4 CC D4 DC E4 EC F4 FC	C5 CD D5 DD E5 ED F5 FD	C6 CE D6 DE E6 EE F6 FE	C7 CF D7 DF E7 EF F7 FF

NOTES:

1. If ModR/M.mod = 00b, the base address is zero, then effective address is computed as [scaled vector index] + disp32. Otherwise the base address is computed as [EBP/R13]+ disp, the displacement is either 8 bit or 32 bit depending on the value of ModR/M.mod:

MOD	Effective Address
00b	[Scaled Vector Register] + Disp32
01b	[Scaled Vector Register] + Disp8 + [EBP/R13]
10b	[Scaled Vector Register] + Disp32 + [EBP/R13]

2.3.12.1 64-bit Mode VSIB Memory Addressing

In 64-bit mode VSIB memory addressing uses the VEX.B field and the base field of the SIB byte to encode one of the 16 general-purpose register as the base register. The VEX.X field and the index field of the SIB byte encode one of the 16 vector registers as the vector index register.

In 64-bit mode the top row of Table 2-13 base register should be interpreted as the full 64-bit of each register.

2.4 INTEL® ADVANCED MATRIX EXTENSIONS (INTEL® AMX)

Intel® AMX instructions follow the general documentation convention established in previous sections. Additionally, Intel® Advanced Matrix Extensions use notation conventions as described below.

In the instruction encoding boxes, **sibmem** is used to denote an encoding where a ModR/M byte and SIB byte are used to indicate a memory operation where the base and displacement are used to point to memory, and the index

register (if present) is used to denote a stride between memory rows. The index register is scaled by the sib.scale field as usual. The base register is added to the displacement, if present.

In the instruction encoding, the ModR/M byte is represented several ways depending on the role it plays. The ModR/M byte has 3 fields: 2-bit ModR/M.mod field, a 3-bit ModR/M.reg field and a 3-bit ModR/M.r/m field. When all bits of the ModR/M byte have fixed values for an instruction, the 2-hex nibble value of that byte is presented after the opcode in the encoding boxes on the instruction description pages. When only some fields of the ModR/M byte must contain fixed values, those values are specified as follows:

- If only the ModR/M.mod must be 0b11, and ModR/M.reg and ModR/M.r/m fields are unrestricted, this is denoted as **11:rrr:bbb**. The **rrr** correspond to the 3-bits of the ModR/M.reg field and the **bbb** correspond to the 3-bits of the ModR/M.r/m field.
- If the ModR/M.mod field is constrained to be a value other than 0b11, i.e., it must be one of 0b00, 0b01, or 0b10, then the notation !(11) is used.
- If the ModR/M.reg field had a specific required value, e.g., 0b101, that would be denoted as mm:101:bbb.

NOTE

Historically this document only specified the ModR/M.reg field restrictions with the notation /0 ... /7 and did not specify restrictions on the ModR/M.mod and ModR/M.r/m fields in the encoding boxes.

2.5 INTEL® AVX AND INTEL® SSE INSTRUCTION EXCEPTION CLASSIFICATION

To look up the exceptions of legacy 128-bit SIMD instruction, 128-bit VEX-encoded instructions, and 256-bit VEX-encoded instruction, Table 2-14 summarizes the exception behavior into separate classes, with detailed exception conditions defined in sub-sections 2.5.1 through 2.6.1. For example, ADDPS contains the entry:

“See Exceptions Type 2”

In this entry, “Type2” can be looked up in Table 2-14.

The instruction’s corresponding CPUID feature flag can be identified in the fourth column of the Instruction summary table.

Note: #UD on CPUID feature flags=0 is not guaranteed in a virtualized environment if the hardware supports the feature flag.

NOTE

Instructions that operate only with MMX, X87, or general-purpose registers are not covered by the exception classes defined in this section. For instructions that operate on MMX registers, see Section 23.25.3, “Exception Conditions of Legacy SIMD Instructions Operating on MMX Registers” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3B.

Table 2-14. Exception Class Description

Exception Class	Instruction set	Mem arg	Floating-Point Exceptions (#XM)
Type 1	AVX, Legacy SSE	16/32 byte explicitly aligned	None
Type 2	AVX, Legacy SSE	16/32 byte not explicitly aligned	Yes
Type 3	AVX, Legacy SSE	< 16 byte	Yes
Type 4	AVX, Legacy SSE	16/32 byte not explicitly aligned	No
Type 5	AVX, Legacy SSE	< 16 byte	No
Type 6	AVX (no Legacy SSE)	Varies	(At present, none do)
Type 7	AVX, Legacy SSE	None	None
Type 8	AVX	None	None
Type 11	F16C	8 or 16 byte, Not explicitly aligned, no AC#	Yes
Type 12	AVX2 Gathers	Not explicitly aligned, no AC#	No

See Table 2-15 for lists of instructions in each exception class.

(**) - Instruction behavior on alignment check reporting with mask bits of less than all 1s are the same as with mask bits of all 1s, i.e., no alignment checks are performed.

(***) - PCMPSTRM, PCMPSTRM, PCMPSTRM, PCMPSTRM, and LDDQU instructions do not cause #GP if the memory operand is not aligned to 16-Byte boundary.

Table 2-15 classifies exception behaviors for AVX instructions. Within each class of exception conditions that are listed in Table 2-18 through Table 2-27, certain subsets of AVX instructions may be subject to #UD exception depending on the encoded value of the VEX.L field. Table 2-17 provides supplemental information of AVX instructions that may be subject to #UD exception if encoded with incorrect values in the VEX.W or VEX.L field.

Table 2-16. #UD Exception and VEX.W=1 Encoding

Exception Class	#UD If VEX.W = 1 in all modes	#UD If VEX.W = 1 in non-64-bit modes
Type 1		
Type 2		
Type 3		
Type 4	VBLENDVPD, VBLENDVPS, VPBLENDVB, VTESTPD, VTESTPS, VPBLEND, VPERMD, VPERMPS, VPERM21128, VPSRAVD, VPERMILPD, VPERMILPS, VPERM2F128	
Type 5		
Type 6	VEXTRACTF128, VBROADCASTSS, VBROADCASTSD, VBROADCASTF128, VINSERTF128, VMASKMOVPS, VMASKMOVPD, VBROADCASTI128, VPBROADCASTB/W/D, VEXTRACTI128, VINSERTI128	
Type 7		
Type 8		
Type 11	VCVTPH2PS, VCVTPS2PH	
Type 12		

Table 2-17. #UD Exception and VEX.L Field Encoding

Exception Class	#UD If VEX.L = 0	#UD If (VEX.L = 1 && AVX2 not present && AVX present)	#UD If (VEX.L = 1 && AVX2 present)
Type 1		VMOVNTDQA	
Type 2		VDPPD	VDPPD
Type 3			
Type 4		VMASKMOVDQU, VMPSADBW, VPABSB/W/D, VPACKSSWB/DW, VPACKUSWB/DW, VPADDB/W/D, VPADDQ, VPADDSB/W, VPADDUSB/W, VPALIGNR, VPAND, VPANDN, VPAVGB/W, VPBLENDVB, VPBLENDW, VPCMP(E/I)STRI/M, VPCMPEQB/W/D/Q, VPCMPGTB/W/D/Q, VPHADDW/D, VPHADDSW, VPHMINPOSUW, VPHSUBD/W, VPHSUBSW, VPMADDWD, VPMADDUBSW, VPMAXSB/W/D, VPMAXUB/W/D, VPMINSB/W/D, VPMINUB/W/D, VPMULHUW, VPMULHRSW, VPMULHW/LW, VPMULLD, VPMULLDQ, VPMULDQ, VPOR, VPSADBW, VPSHUF/D, VPSHUFHW/LW, VPSIGNB/W/D, VPSLLW/D/Q, VPSRAW/D, VPSRLW/D/Q, VPSUBB/W/D/Q, VPSUBSB/W, VPUNPCKHBW/WD/DQ, VPUNPCKHQDQ, VPUNPCKLBW/WD/DQ, VPUNPCKLQDQ, VPXOR	VPCMP(E/I)STRI/M, PHMINPOSUW
Type 5		VEXTRACTPS, VINSERTPS, VMOVD, VMOVQ, VMOVLPD, VMOVLPS, VMOVHPD, VMOVHPS, VPEXTRB, VPEXTRD, VPEXTRW, VPEXTRQ, VPINSRB, VPINSRD, VPINSRW, VPINSRQ, VPMOVSX/ZX, VLDMXCSR, VSTMXCSR	Same as column 3
Type 6	VEXTRACTF128, VPERM2F128, VBROADCASTSD, VBROADCASTF128, VINSERTF128,		
Type 7		VMOVLHPS, VMOVHLPS, VPMOVMASKB, VPSLLDQ, VPSRLDQ, VPSLLW, VPSLLD, VPSLLQ, VPSRAW, VPSRAD, VPSRLW, VPSRLD, VPSRLQ	VMOVLHPS, VMOVHLPS
Type 8			
Type 11			
Type 12			

2.5.1 Exceptions Type 1 (Aligned Memory Reference)

Table 2-18. Type 1 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
			X	X	VEX prefix: If XCR0[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE instruction: If CR0.EM[bit 2] = 1. If CR4.OSFXSR[bit 9] = 0.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X	X	VEX.256: Memory operand is not 32-byte aligned. VEX.128: Memory operand is not 16-byte aligned.
	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE: Memory operand is not 16-byte aligned.
			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.

2.5.2 Exceptions Type 2 (>=16 Byte Memory Reference, Unaligned)

Table 2-19. Type 2 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 0.
			X	X	VEX prefix: If XCRO[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE instruction: If CRO.EM[bit 2] = 1. If CR4.OSFXSR[bit 9] = 0.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CRO.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE: Memory operand is not 16-byte aligned.
			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
SIMD Floating-point Exception, #XM	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 1.

2.5.3 Exceptions Type 3 (<16 Byte Memory Argument)

Table 2-20. Type 3 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 0.
			X	X	VEX prefix: If XCRO[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE instruction: If CRO.EM[bit 2] = 1. If CR4.OSFXSR[bit 9] = 0.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CRO.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.
SIMD Floating-point Exception, #XM	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 1.

2.5.4 Exceptions Type 4 (>=16 Byte Mem Arg, No Alignment, No Floating-point Exceptions)

Table 2-21. Type 4 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
			X	X	VEX prefix: If XCR0[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE instruction: If CR0.EM[bit 2] = 1. If CR4.OSFXSR[bit 9] = 0.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE: Memory operand is not 16-byte aligned. ¹
			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.

NOTES:

1. LDDQU, MOVUPD, MOVUPS, PCMPSTRI, PCMPSTRM, PCMPISTRI, and PCMPISTRM instructions do not cause #GP if the memory operand is not aligned to 16-Byte boundary.

2.5.5 Exceptions Type 5 (<16 Byte Mem Arg and No FP Exceptions)

Table 2-22. Type 5 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
			X	X	VEX prefix: If XCRO[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE instruction: If CRO.EM[bit 2] = 1. If CR4.OSFXSR[bit 9] = 0.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CRO.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

2.5.6 Exceptions Type 6 (VEX-Encoded Instructions without Legacy SSE Analogues)

Note: At present, the AVX instructions in this category do not generate floating-point exceptions.

Table 2-23. Type 6 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
			X	X	If XCRO[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
			X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
			X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM			X	X	If CRO.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)			X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)			X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

2.5.7 Exceptions Type 7 (No FP Exceptions, No Memory Arg)

Table 2-24. Type 7 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
			X	X	VEX prefix: If XCRO[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
	X	X	X	X	Legacy SSE instruction: If CRO.EM[bit 2] = 1. If CR4.OSFXSR[bit 9] = 0.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM			X	X	If CRO.TS[bit 3]=1.

2.5.8 Exceptions Type 8 (AVX and No Memory Argument)

Table 2-25. Type 8 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			Always in Real or Virtual-8086 mode.
			X	X	If XCRO[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If CPUID.01H.ECX.AVX[bit 28]=0. If VEX.vvvv ? 1111B.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
Device Not Available, #NM			X	X	If CRO.TS[bit 3]=1.

2.5.9 Exceptions Type 11 (VEX-only, Mem Arg, No AC, Floating-point Exceptions)

Table 2-26. Type 11 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
			X	X	VEX prefix: If XCRO[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CRO.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF (fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
SIMD Floating-Point Exception, #XM	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 1.

2.5.10 Exceptions Type 12 (VEX-only, VSIB Mem Arg, No AC, No Floating-point Exceptions)

Table 2-27. Type 12 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			VEX prefix.
			X	X	VEX prefix: If XCRO[2:1] ? '11b'. If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	NA	If address size attribute is 16 bit.
	X	X	X	X	If ModR/M.mod = '11b'.
	X	X	X	X	If ModR/M.rm ? '100b'.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
Stack, #SS(0)				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
General Protection, #GP(0)				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF (fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.

2.6 VEX ENCODING SUPPORT FOR GPR INSTRUCTIONS

VEX prefix may be used to encode instructions that operate on neither YMM nor XMM registers. VEX-encoded general-purpose-register instructions have the following properties:

- Instruction syntax support for three encodable operands.
- Encoding support for instruction syntax of non-destructive source operand, destination operand encoded via VEX.vvvv, and destructive three-operand syntax.
- Elimination of escape opcode byte (0FH), two-byte escape via a compact bit field representation within the VEX prefix.
- Elimination of the need to use REX prefix to encode the extended half of general-purpose register sets (R8-R15) for direct register access or memory addressing.
- Flexible and more compact bit fields are provided in the VEX prefix to retain the full functionality provided by REX prefix. REX.W, REX.X, REX.B functionalities are provided in the three-byte VEX prefix only.
- VEX-encoded GPR instructions are encoded with VEX.L=0.

Any VEX-encoded GPR instruction with a 66H, F2H, or F3H prefix preceding VEX will #UD.
 Any VEX-encoded GPR instruction with a REX prefix proceeding VEX will #UD.
 VEX-encoded GPR instructions are not supported in real and virtual 8086 modes.

2.6.1 Exceptions Type 13 (VEX-Encoded GPR Instructions)

The exception conditions applicable to VEX-encoded GPR instruction differs from those of legacy GPR instructions. Table 2-28 lists VEX-encoded GPR instructions. The exception conditions for VEX-encoded GPR instructions are found in Table 2-29 for those instructions which have a default operand size of 32 bits and 16-bit operand size is not encodable.

Table 2-28. VEX-Encoded GPR Instructions

Exception Class	Instruction
Type 13	ANDN, BEXTR, BLSI, BLSMSK, BLSR, BZHI, MULX, PDEP, PEXT, RORX, SARX, SHLX, SHRX

(*) - Additional exception restrictions are present - see the Instruction description for details.

Table 2-29. Type 13 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual-8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X	X	X	If BMI1/BMI2 CPUID feature flag is '0'.
	X	X			If a VEX prefix is present.
	X	X	X	X	If VEX.L = 1.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
Stack, #SS(0)	X	X	X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments. If the DS, ES, FS, or GS register is used to access memory and it contains a null segment selector.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

2.7 INTEL® AVX-512 ENCODING

The majority of the Intel AVX-512 family of instructions (operating on 512/256/128-bit vector register operands) are encoded using a new prefix (called EVEX). Opmask instructions (operating on opmask register operands) are encoded using the VEX prefix. The EVEX prefix has some parts resembling the instruction encoding scheme using the VEX prefix, and many other capabilities not available with the VEX prefix.

The significant feature differences between EVEX and VEX are summarized below.

- EVEX is a 4-Byte prefix (the first byte must be 62H); VEX is either a 2-Byte (C5H is the first byte) or 3-Byte (C4H is the first byte) prefix.
- EVEX prefix can encode 32 vector registers (XMM/YMM/ZMM) in 64-bit mode.
- EVEX prefix can encode an opmask register for conditional processing or selection control in EVEX-encoded vector instructions. Opmask instructions, whose source/destination operands are opmask registers and treat the content of an opmask register as a single value, are encoded using the VEX prefix.
- EVEX memory addressing with disp8 form uses a compressed disp8 encoding scheme to improve the encoding density of the instruction byte stream.
- EVEX prefix can encode functionality that are specific to instruction classes (e.g., packed instruction with “load+op” semantic can support embedded broadcast functionality, floating-point instruction with rounding semantic can support static rounding functionality, floating-point instruction with non-rounding arithmetic semantic can support “suppress all exceptions” functionality).

2.7.1 Instruction Format and EVEX

The placement of the EVEX prefix in an IA instruction is represented in Figure 2-10. Note that the values contained within brackets are optional.

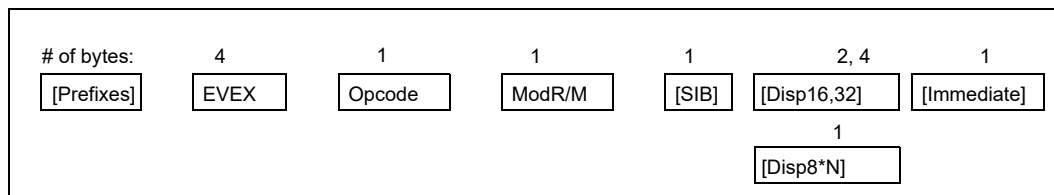


Figure 2-10. Intel® AVX-512 Instruction Format and the EVEX Prefix

The EVEX prefix is a 4-byte prefix, with the first two bytes derived from unused encoding form of the 32-bit-mode-only BOUND instruction. The layout of the EVEX prefix is shown in Figure 2-11. The first byte must be 62H, followed by three payload bytes, denoted as P0, P1, and P2 individually or collectively as P[23:0] (see Figure 2-11).

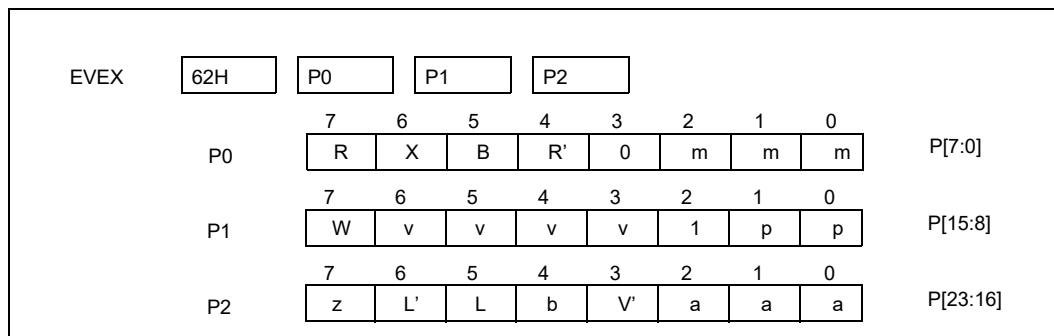


Figure 2-11. Bit Field Layout of the EVEX Prefix¹

NOTES:

1. See Table 2-30 for additional details on bit fields.

Table 2-30. EVEX Prefix Bit Field Functional Grouping

Notation	Bit field Group	Position	Comment
EVEX.mmm	Access to up to eight decoding maps	P[2:0]	Currently, only the following decoding maps are supported: 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6.
--	Reserved	P[3]	Must be 0.
EVEX.R'	High-16 register specifier modifier	P[4]	Combine with EVEX.R and ModR/M.reg. This bit is stored in inverted format.
EVEX.RXB	Next-8 register specifier modifier	P[7:5]	Combine with ModR/M.reg, ModR/M.rm (base, index/vidx). This field is encoded in bit inverted format.
EVEX.X	High-16 register specifier modifier	P[6]	Combine with EVEX.B and ModR/M.rm, when SIB/VSIB absent.
EVEX.pp	Compressed legacy prefix	P[9:8]	Identical to VEX.pp.
--	Fixed Value	P[10]	Must be 1.
EVEX.vvvv	VVVV register specifier	P[14:11]	Same as VEX.vvvv. This field is encoded in bit inverted format.
EVEX.W	Operand size promotion/Opcode extension	P[15]	
EVEX.aaa	Embedded opmask register specifier	P[18:16]	
EVEX.V'	High-16 VVVV/VIDX register specifier	P[19]	Combine with EVEX.vvvv or when VSIB present. This bit is stored in inverted format.
EVEX.b	Broadcast/RC/SAE Context	P[20]	
EVEX.L'L	Vector length/RC	P[22:21]	
EVEX.z	Zeroing/Merging	P[23]	

The bit fields in P[23:0] are divided into the following functional groups (Table 2-30 provides a tabular summary):

- Reserved bits: P[3] must be 0, otherwise #UD.
- Fixed-value bit: P[10] must be 1, otherwise #UD.
- Compressed legacy prefix/escape bytes: P[1:0] is identical to the lowest 2 bits of VEX.mmmmm; P[9:8] is identical to VEX.pp.
- EVEX.mmm: P[2:0] provides access to up to eight decoding maps. Currently, only the following decoding maps are supported: 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6. Map ids 1, 2, and 3 are denoted by 0F, 0F38, and 0F3A, respectively, in the instruction encoding descriptions.
- Operand specifier modifier bits for vector register, general purpose register, memory addressing: P[7:5] allows access to the next set of 8 registers beyond the low 8 registers when combined with ModR/M register specifiers.
- Operand specifier modifier bit for vector register: P[4] (or EVEX.R') allows access to the high 16 vector register set when combined with P[7] and ModR/M.reg specifier; P[6] can also provide access to a high 16 vector register when SIB or VSIB addressing are not needed.
- Non-destructive source /vector index operand specifier: P[19] and P[14:11] encode the second source vector register operand in a non-destructive source syntax, vector index register operand can access an upper 16 vector register using P[19].
- Op-mask register specifiers: P[18:16] encodes op-mask register set k0-k7 in instructions operating on vector registers.
- EVEX.W: P[15] is similar to VEX.W which serves either as opcode extension bit or operand size promotion to 64-bit in 64-bit mode.
- Vector destination merging/zeroing: P[23] encodes the destination result behavior which either zeroes the masked elements or leave masked element unchanged.
- Broadcast/Static-rounding/SAE context bit: P[20] encodes multiple functionality, which differs across different classes of instructions and can affect the meaning of the remaining field (EVEX.L'L). The functionality for the following instruction classes are:

- Broadcasting a single element across the destination vector register: this applies to the instruction class with Load+Op semantic where one of the source operand is from memory.
- Redirect L'L field (P[22:21]) as static rounding control for floating-point instructions with rounding semantic. Static rounding control overrides MXCSR.RC field and implies "Suppress all exceptions" (SAE).
- Enable SAE for floating -point instructions with arithmetic semantic that is not rounding.
- For instruction classes outside of the afore-mentioned three classes, setting EVEX.b will cause #UD.
- Vector length/rounding control specifier: P[22:21] can serve one of three options.
 - Vector length information for packed vector instructions.
 - Ignored for instructions operating on vector register content as a single data element.
 - Rounding control for floating-point instructions that have a rounding semantic and whose source and destination operands are all vector registers.

2.7.2 Register Specifier Encoding and EVEX

EVEX-encoded instruction can access 8 opmask registers, 16 general-purpose registers and 32 vector registers in 64-bit mode (8 general-purpose registers and 8 vector registers in non-64-bit modes). EVEX-encoding can support instruction syntax that access up to 4 instruction operands. Normal memory addressing modes and VSIB memory addressing are supported with EVEX prefix encoding. The mapping of register operands used by various instruction syntax and memory addressing in 64-bit mode are shown in Table 2-31. Opmask register encoding is described in Section 2.7.3.

Table 2-31. 32-Register Support in 64-bit Mode Using EVEX with Embedded REX Bits

	4 ¹	3	[2:0]	Reg. Type	Common Usages
REG	EVEX.R'	REX.R	modrm.reg	GPR, Vector	Destination or Source
VVVV	EVEX.V'	EVEX.vvvv		GPR, Vector	2nd Source or Destination
RM	EVEX.X	EVEX.B	modrm.r/m	GPR, Vector	1st Source or Destination
BASE	0	EVEX.B	modrm.r/m	GPR	memory addressing
INDEX	0	EVEX.X	sib.index	GPR	memory addressing
VIDX	EVEX.V'	EVEX.X	sib.index	Vector	VSIB memory addressing

NOTES:

1. Not applicable for accessing general purpose registers.

The mapping of register operands used by various instruction syntax and memory addressing in 32-bit modes are shown in Table 2-32.

Table 2-32. EVEX Encoding Register Specifiers in 32-bit Mode

	[2:0]	Reg. Type	Common Usages
REG	modrm.reg	GPR, Vector	Destination or Source
VVVV	EVEX.vvv	GPR, Vector	2nd Source or Destination
RM	modrm.r/m	GPR, Vector	1st Source or Destination
BASE	modrm.r/m	GPR	Memory Addressing
INDEX	sib.index	GPR	Memory Addressing
VIDX	sib.index	Vector	VSIB Memory Addressing

2.7.3 Opmask Register Encoding

There are eight opmask registers, k0-k7. Opmask register encoding falls into two categories:

- Opmask registers that are the source or destination operands of an instruction treating the content of opmask register as a scalar value, are encoded using the VEX prefix scheme. It can support up to three operands using standard modR/M byte's reg field and rm field and VEX.vvvv. Such a scalar opmask instruction does not support conditional update of the destination operand.
- An opmask register providing conditional processing and/or conditional update of the destination register of a vector instruction is encoded using EVEX.aaa field (see Section 2.7.4).
- An opmask register serving as the destination or source operand of a vector instruction is encoded using standard modR/M byte's reg field and rm fields.

Table 2-33. Opmask Register Specifier Encoding

	[2:0]	Register Access	Common Usages
REG	modrm.reg	k0-k7	Source
VVVV	VEX.vvvv	k0-k7	2nd Source
RM	modrm.r/m	k0-7	1st Source
{k1}	EVEX.aaa	k0 ¹ -k7	Opmask

NOTES:

1. Instructions that overwrite the conditional mask in opmask do not permit using k0 as the embedded mask.

2.7.4 Masking Support in EVEX

EVEX can encode an opmask register to conditionally control per-element computational operation and updating of result of an instruction to the destination operand. The predicate operand is known as the opmask register. The EVEX.aaa field, P[18:16] of the EVEX prefix, is used to encode one out of a set of eight 64-bit architectural registers. Note that from this set of 8 architectural registers, only k1 through k7 can be addressed as predicate operands. k0 can be used as a regular source or destination but cannot be encoded as a predicate operand.

AVX-512 instructions support two types of masking with EVEX.z bit (P[23]) controlling the type of masking:

- Merging-masking, which is the default type of masking for EVEX-encoded vector instructions, preserves the old value of each element of the destination where the corresponding mask bit has a 0. It corresponds to the case of EVEX.z = 0.
- Zeroing-masking, is enabled by having the EVEX.z bit set to 1. In this case, an element of the destination is set to 0 when the corresponding mask bit has a 0 value.

AVX-512 Foundation instructions can be divided into the following groups:

- Instructions which support "zeroing-masking".
 - Also allow merging-masking.
- Instructions which require aaa = 000.
 - Do not allow any form of masking.
- Instructions which allow merging-masking but do not allow zeroing-masking.
 - Require EVEX.z to be set to 0.
 - This group is mostly composed of instructions that write to memory.
- Instructions which require aaa <> 000 do not allow EVEX.z to be set to 1.
 - Allow merging-masking and do not allow zeroing-masking, e.g., gather instructions.

2.7.5 Compressed Displacement (disp8*N) Support in EVEX

For memory addressing using disp8 form, EVEX-encoded instructions always use a compressed displacement scheme by multiplying disp8 in conjunction with a scaling factor N that is determined based on the vector length, the value of EVEX.b bit (embedded broadcast) and the input element size of the instruction. In general, the factor N corresponds to the number of bytes characterizing the internal memory operation of the input operand (e.g., 64 when the accessing a full 512-bit memory vector). The scale factor N is listed in Table 2-34 and Table 2-35 below, where EVEX encoded instructions are classified using the **tupletype** attribute. The scale factor N of each tupletype is listed based on the vector length (VL) and other factors affecting it.

Table 2-34 covers EVEX-encoded instructions which has a load semantic in conjunction with additional computational or data element movement operation, operating either on the full vector or half vector (due to conversion of numerical precision from a wider format to narrower format). EVEX.b is supported for such instructions for data element sizes which are either dword or qword (see Section 2.7.11).

EVEX-encoded instruction that are pure load/store, and "Load+op" instruction semantic that operate on data element size less than dword do not support broadcasting using EVEX.b. These are listed in Table 2-35. Table 2-35 also includes many broadcast instructions which perform broadcast using a subset of data elements without using EVEX.b. These instructions and a few data element size conversion instruction are covered in Table 2-35. Instruction classified in Table 2-35 do not use EVEX.b and EVEX.b must be 0, otherwise #UD will occur.

The tupletype will be referenced in the instruction operand encoding table in the reference page of each instruction, providing the cross reference for the scaling factor N to encoding memory addressing operand.

Note that the disp8*N rules still apply when using 16b addressing.

Table 2-34. Compressed Displacement (DISP8*N) Affected by Embedded Broadcast

TupleType	EVEX.b	InputSize	EVEX.W	Broadcast	N (VL=128)	N (VL=256)	N (VL= 512)	Comment
Full	0	32bit	0	none	16	32	64	Load+Op (Full Vector Dword/Qword)
	1	32bit	0	{1tox}	4	4	4	
	0	64bit	1	none	16	32	64	
	1	64bit	1	{1tox}	8	8	8	
Half	0	32bit	0	none	8	16	32	Load+Op (Half Vector)
	1	32bit	0	{1tox}	4	4	4	

Table 2-35. EVEX DISP8*N for Instructions Not Affected by Embedded Broadcast

TupleType	InputSize	EVEX.W	N (VL= 128)	N (VL= 256)	N (VL= 512)	Comment
Full Mem	N/A	N/A	16	32	64	Load/store or subDword full vector
Tuple1 Scalar	8bit	N/A	1	1	1	1 Tuple
	16bit	N/A	2	2	2	
	32bit	0	4	4	4	
	64bit	1	8	8	8	
Tuple1 Fixed	32bit	N/A	4	4	4	1 Tuple, memsize not affected by EVEX.W
	64bit	N/A	8	8	8	
Tuple2	32bit	0	8	8	8	Broadcast (2 elements)
	64bit	1	NA	16	16	
Tuple4	32bit	0	NA	16	16	Broadcast (4 elements)
	64bit	1	NA	NA	32	
Tuple8	32bit	0	NA	NA	32	Broadcast (8 elements)
Half Mem	N/A	N/A	8	16	32	SubQword Conversion
Quarter Mem	N/A	N/A	4	8	16	SubDword Conversion

Table 2-35. EVEX DISP8*N for Instructions Not Affected by Embedded Broadcast (Contd.)

TupleType	InputSize	EVEX.W	N (VL= 128)	N (VL= 256)	N (VL= 512)	Comment
Eighth Mem	N/A	N/A	2	4	8	SubWord Conversion
Mem128	N/A	N/A	16	16	16	Shift count from memory
MOVDDUP	N/A	N/A	8	32	64	VMOVDDUP

2.7.6 EVEX Encoding of Broadcast/Rounding/SAE Support

EVEX.b can provide three types of encoding context, depending on the instruction classes:

- Embedded broadcasting of one data element from a source memory operand to the destination for vector instructions with “load+op” semantic.
- Static rounding control overriding MXCSR.RC for floating-point instructions with rounding semantic.
- “Suppress All exceptions” (SAE) overriding MXCSR mask control for floating-point arithmetic instructions that do not have rounding semantic.

2.7.7 Embedded Broadcast Support in EVEX

EVEX encodes an embedded broadcast functionality that is supported on many vector instructions with 32-bit (double word or single precision floating-point) and 64-bit data elements, and when the source operand is from memory. EVEX.b (P[20]) bit is used to enable broadcast on load-op instructions. When enabled, only one element is loaded from memory and broadcasted to all other elements instead of loading the full memory size.

The following instruction classes do not support embedded broadcasting:

- Instructions with only one scalar result is written to the vector destination.
- Instructions with explicit broadcast functionality provided by its opcode.
- Instruction semantic is a pure load or a pure store operation.

2.7.8 Static Rounding Support in EVEX

Static rounding control embedded in the EVEX encoding system applies only to register-to-register flavor of floating-point instructions with rounding semantic at two distinct vector lengths: (i) scalar, (ii) 512-bit. In both cases, the field EVEX.L'L expresses rounding mode control overriding MXCSR.RC if EVEX.b is set. When EVEX.b is set, “suppress all exceptions” is implied. The processor behaves as if all MXCSR masking controls are set.

2.7.9 SAE Support in EVEX

The EVEX encoding system allows arithmetic floating-point instructions without rounding semantic to be encoded with the SAE attribute. This capability applies to scalar and 512-bit vector lengths, register-to-register only, by setting EVEX.b. When EVEX.b is set, “suppress all exceptions” is implied. The processor behaves as if all MXCSR masking controls are set.

2.7.10 Vector Length Orthogonality

The architecture of EVEX encoding scheme can support SIMD instructions operating at multiple vector lengths. Many AVX-512 Foundation instructions operate at 512-bit vector length. The vector length of EVEX encoded vector instructions are generally determined using the L'L field in EVEX prefix, except for 512-bit floating-point, reg-reg instructions with rounding semantic. The table below shows the vector length corresponding to various values of the L'L bits. When EVEX is used to encode scalar instructions, L'L is generally ignored.

When EVEX.b bit is set for a register-register instructions with floating-point rounding semantic, the same two bits P2[6:5] specifies rounding mode for the instruction, with implied SAE behavior. The mapping of different instruction classes relative to the embedded broadcast/rounding/SAE control and the EVEX.L'L fields are summarized in Table 2-36.

Table 2-36. EVEX Embedded Broadcast/Rounding/SAE and Vector Length on Vector Instructions

Position	P2[4]	P2[6:5]	P2[6:5]
Broadcast/Rounding/SAE Context	EVEX.b	EVEX.L'L	EVEX.RC
Reg-reg, FP Instructions w/ rounding semantic or SAE	Enable static rounding control (SAE implied)	Vector length Implied (512 bit or scalar)	00b: SAE + RNE 01b: SAE + RD 10b: SAE + RU 11b: SAE + RZ
Load+op Instructions w/ memory source	Broadcast Control	00b: 128-bit 01b: 256-bit 10b: 512-bit 11b: Reserved (#UD)	NA
Other Instructions (Explicit Load/Store/Broadcast/Gather/Scatter)	Must be 0 (otherwise #UD)		NA

2.7.11 #UD Equations for EVEX

Instructions encoded using EVEX can face three types of UD conditions: state dependent, opcode independent and opcode dependent.

2.7.11.1 State Dependent #UD

In general, attempts of execute an instruction, which required OS support for incremental extended state component, will #UD if required state components were not enabled by OS. Table 2-37 lists instruction categories with respect to required processor state components. Attempts to execute a given category of instructions while enabled states were less than the required bit vector in XCR0 shown in Table 2-37 will cause #UD.

Table 2-37. OS XSAVE Enabling Requirements of Instruction Categories

Instruction Categories	Vector Register State Access	Required XCR0 Bit Vector [7:0]
Legacy SIMD prefix encoded Instructions (e.g SSE)	XMM	xxxxxx11b
VEX-encoded instructions operating on YMM	YMM	xxxxx111b
EVEX-encoded 128-bit instructions	ZMM	111xx111b
EVEX-encoded 256-bit instructions	ZMM	111xx111b
EVEX-encoded 512-bit instructions	ZMM	111xx111b
VEX-encoded instructions operating on opmask	k-reg	111xxx11b

2.7.11.2 Opcode Independent #UD

A number of bit fields in EVEX encoded instruction must obey mode-specific but opcode-independent patterns listed in Table 2-38.

Table 2-38. Opcode Independent, State Dependent EVEX Bit Fields

Position	Notation	64-bit #UD	Non-64-bit #UD
P[3]	--	if > 0	if > 0
P[10]	--	if 0	if 0
P[2:0]	EVEX.mmm	if 000b, 100b, or 111b	if 000b, 100b, or 111b
P[7 : 6]	EVEX.RX	None (valid)	None (BOUND if EVEX.RX != 11b)

2.7.11.3 Opcode Dependent #UD

This section describes legal values for the rest of the EVEX bit fields. Table 2-39 lists the #UD conditions of EVEX prefix bit fields which encodes or modifies register operands.

Table 2-39. #UD Conditions of Operand-Encoding EVEX Prefix Bit Fields

Notation	Position	Operand Encoding	64-bit #UD	Non-64-bit #UD
EVEX.R	P[7]	ModRM.reg encodes k-reg	If EVEX.R = 0	None (BOUND if EVEX.RX != 11b)
		ModRM.reg is opcode extension	None (ignored)	
		ModRM.reg encodes all other registers	None (valid)	
EVEX.X	P[6]	ModRM.r/m encodes ZMM/YMM/XMM	None (valid)	
		ModRM.r/m encodes k-reg or GPR	None (ignored)	
		ModRM.r/m without SIB/VSIB	None (ignored)	
		ModRM.r/m with SIB/VSIB	None (valid)	
EVEX.B	P[5]	ModRM.r/m encodes k-reg	None (ignored)	None (ignored)
		ModRM.r/m encodes other registers	None (valid)	
		ModRM.r/m base present	None (valid)	
		ModRM.r/m base not present	None (ignored)	
EVEX.R'	P[4]	ModRM.reg encodes k-reg or GPR	If 0	None (ignored)
		ModRM.reg is opcode extension	None (ignored)	
		ModRM.reg encodes ZMM/YMM/XMM	None (valid)	
EVEX.vvvv	P[14:11]	vvvv encodes ZMM/YMM/XMM	None (valid)	None (valid) P[14] ignored
		Otherwise	If != 1111b	If != 1111b
EVEX.V'	P[19]	Encodes ZMM/YMM/XMM	None (valid)	If 0
		Otherwise	If 0	If 0

Table 2-40 lists the #UD conditions of instruction encoding of opmask register using EVEX.aaa and EVEX.z

Table 2-40. #UD Conditions of Opmask Related Encoding Field

Notation	Position	Operand Encoding	64-bit #UD	Non-64-bit #UD
EVEX.aaa	P[18:16]	Instructions do not use opmask for conditional processing ¹ .	If aaa != 000b	If aaa != 000b
		Opmask used as conditional processing mask and updated at completion ² .	If aaa = 000b	If aaa = 000b;
		Opmask used as conditional processing.	None (valid ³)	None (valid ¹)
EVEX.z	P[23]	Vector instruction using opmask as source or destination ⁴ .	If EVEX.z != 0	If EVEX.z != 0
		Store instructions or gather/scatter instructions.	If EVEX.z != 0	If EVEX.z != 0
		Instructions with EVEX.aaa = 000b.	If EVEX.z != 0	If EVEX.z != 0
VEX.vvvv	Varies	K-regs are instruction operands not mask control.	If vvvv = 0xxx	None

NOTES:

1. E.g., VPBROADCASTMxxx, VPMOVM2x, VPMOVx2M.
2. E.g., Gather/Scatter family.
3. aaa can take any value. A value of 000 indicates that there is no masking on the instruction; in this case, all elements will be processed as if there was a mask of 'all ones' regardless of the actual value in KO.
4. E.g., VFPClassPD/PS, VCMPB/D/Q/W family, VPMOVM2x, VPMOVx2M.

Table 2-41 lists the #UD conditions of EVEX bit fields that depends on the context of EVEX.b.

Table 2-41. #UD Conditions Dependent on EVEX.b Context

Notation	Position	Operand Encoding	64-bit #UD	Non-64-bit #UD
EVEX.L'Lb	P[22 : 20]	Reg-reg, FP instructions with rounding semantic.	None (valid ¹)	None (valid ¹)
		Other reg-reg, FP instructions that can cause #XM.	None (valid ²)	None (valid ²)
		Other reg-mem instructions in Table 2-34.	None (valid ³)	None (valid ³)
		Other instruction classes ⁴ in Table 2-35.	If EVEX.b = 1	If EVEX.b = 1

NOTES:

1. L'L specifies rounding control, see Table 2-36, supports {er} syntax.
2. L'L is ignored.
3. L'L specifies vector length, see Table 2-36, supports embedded broadcast syntax
4. L'L specifies either vector length or ignored.

2.7.12 Device Not Available

EVEX-encoded instructions follow the same rules when it comes to generating #NM (Device Not Available) exception. In particular, it is generated when CR0.TS[bit 3]= 1.

2.7.13 Scalar Instructions

EVEX-encoded scalar SIMD instructions can access up to 32 registers in 64-bit mode. Scalar instructions support masking (using the least significant bit of the opmask register), but broadcasting is not supported.

2.8 EXCEPTION CLASSIFICATIONS OF EVEX-ENCODED INSTRUCTIONS

The exception behavior of EVEX-encoded instructions can be classified into the classes shown in the rest of this section. The classification of EVEX-encoded instructions follow a similar framework as those of AVX and AVX2 instructions using the VEX prefix. Exception types for EVEX-encoded instructions are named in the style of "E##" or with a suffix "E##XX". The "##" designation generally follows that of AVX/AVX2 instructions. The majority of EVEX encoded instruction with "Load+op" semantic supports memory fault suppression, which is represented by E##. The instructions with "Load+op" semantic but do not support fault suppression are named "E##NF". A summary table of exception classes by class names are shown below.

Table 2-42. EVEX-Encoded Instruction Exception Class Summary

Exception Class	Instruction set	Mem arg	(#XM)
Type E1	Vector Moves/Load/Stores	Explicitly aligned, w/ fault suppression	None
Type E1NF	Vector Non-temporal Stores	Explicitly aligned, no fault suppression	None
Type E2	FP Vector Load+op	Support fault suppression	Yes
Type E2NF	FP Vector Load+op	No fault suppression	Yes
Type E3	FP Scalar/Partial Vector, Load+Op	Support fault suppression	Yes
Type E3NF	FP Scalar/Partial Vector, Load+Op	No fault suppression	Yes
Type E4	Integer Vector Load+op	Support fault suppression	No
Type E4NF	Integer Vector Load+op	No fault suppression	No
Type E5	Legacy-like Promotion	Varies, Support fault suppression	No
Type E5NF	Legacy-like Promotion	Varies, No fault suppression	No

Table 2-42. EVEX-Encoded Instruction Exception Class Summary (Contd.)

Exception Class	Instruction set	Mem arg	(#XM)
Type E6	Post AVX Promotion	Varies, w/ fault suppression	No
Type E6NF	Post AVX Promotion	Varies, no fault suppression	No
Type E7NM	Register-to-register op	None	None
Type E9NF	Miscellaneous 128-bit	Vector-length Specific, no fault suppression	None
Type E10	Non-XF Scalar	Vector Length ignored, w/ fault suppression	None
Type E10NF	Non-XF Scalar	Vector Length ignored, no fault suppression	None
Type E11	VCVTPH2PS, VCVTPS2PH	Half Vector Length, w/ fault suppression	Yes
Type E12	Gather and Scatter Family	VSIB addressing, w/ fault suppression	None
Type E12NP	Gather and Scatter Prefetch Family	VSIB addressing, w/o page fault	None

Table 2-43 lists EVEX-encoded instruction mnemonic by exception classes.

Table 2-43. EVEX Instructions in Each Exception Class

Exception Class	Instruction
Type E1	VMOVAPD, VMOVAPS, VMOVDQA32, VMOVDQA64
Type E1NF	VMOVNTDQ, VMOVNTDQA, VMOVNTPD, VMOVNTPS
Type E2	VADDPD, VADDPH, VADDPs, VCMPPD, VCMPPH, VCMPPS, VCVTDQ2PH, VCVTDQ2PS, VCVTPD2DQ, VCVTPD2PH, VCVTPD2PS, VCVTPD2QQ, VCVTPD2UQQ, VCVTPD2UDQ, VCVTPH2DQ, VCVTPH2PD, VCVTPH2QQ, VCVTPH2UDQ, VCVTPH2UQQ, VCVTPH2UW, VCVTPH2W, VCVTPS2DQ, VCVTPS2UDQS, VCVTQQ2PD, VCVTQQ2PH, VCVTQQ2PS, VCVTTPD2DQ, VCVTTPD2QQ, VCVTTPD2UDQ, VCVTTPD2UQQ, VCVTTPH2DQ, VCVTTPH2QQ, VCVTTPH2UDQ, VCVTTPH2UQQ, VCVTTPH2UW, VCVTTPH2W, VCVTTPS2DQ, VCVTTPS2UDQ, VCVTUDQ2PH, VCVTUDQ2PS, VCVTUQQ2PD, VCVTUQQ2PH, VCVTUQQ2PS, VCVTUW2PH, VCVTW2PH, VDIVPD, VDIVPH, VDIVPS, VEXP2PD, VEXP2PS, VFIXUPIMMPD, VFIXUPIMMPS, VFMADDxxxPD, VFMADDxxxPH, VFMADDxxxPS, VFMADDSUBxxxPD, VFMADDSUBxxxPH, VFMADDSUBxxxPS, VFMSUBADDxxxPD, VFMSUBADDxxxPH, VFMSUBADDxxxPS, VFMSUBxxxPD, VFMSUBxxxPH, VFMSUBxxxPS, VFNMADDxxxPD, VFNMADDxxxPH, VFNMADDxxxPS, VFNMSUBxxxPD, VFNMSUBxxxPH, VFNMSUBxxxPS, VGETEXPPD, VGETEXPPH, VGETEXPPS, VGETMANTPD, VGETMANTPH, VGETMANTPS, VGETMANTSH, VMAXPD, VMAXPH, VMAXPS, VMINPD, VMINPH, VMINPS, VMULPD, VMULPH, VMULPS, VRANGEPD, VRANGEPH, VRANGEPS, VREDUCEPD, VREDUCEPH, VREDUCEPS, VRNDSCALEPD, VRNDSCALEPH, VRNDSCALEPS, VRCP28PD, VRCP28PH, VRCP28PS, VRSQRT28PD, VRSQRT28PH, VRSQRT28PS, VSCALEFPD, VSCALEFPH, VSCALEFPS, VSQRTPD, VSQRTPH, VSQRTPS, VSUBPD, VSUBPH, VSUBPS
Type E3	VADDSH, VADDSH, VADDSH, VCMPSH, VCMPSH, VCMPSH, VCVTPS2QQ, VCVTPS2UQQ, VCVTPS2PD, VCVTSD2SH, VCVTSD2SS, VCVTSH2SD, VCVTSH2SS, VCVTSS2SD, VCVTSS2SH, VCVTTPS2QQ, VCVTTPS2UQQ, VDIVSD, VDIVSH, VDIVSS, VFMADDxxxSD, VFMADDxxxSH, VFMADDxxxSS, VFMSUBxxxSD, VFMSUBxxxSH, VFMSUBxxxSS, VFNMADDxxxSD, VFNMADDxxxSH, VFNMADDxxxSS, VFNMSUBxxxSD, VFNMSUBxxxSH, VFNMSUBxxxSS, VFIXUPIMMSD, VFIXUPIMMSS, VGETEXPSD, VGETEXPSH, VGETEXPS, VGETMANTSD, VGETMANTSH, VGETMANTSS, VMAXSD, VMAXSH, VMAXSS, VMINSD, VMINSH, VMINSS, VMULSD, VMULSH, VMULSS, VRANGESD, VRANGESH, VRANGES, VREDUCESD, VREDUCESH, VREDUCES, VRNDSCALESD, VRNDSCALESH, VRNDSCALESS, VSCALEFSD, VSCALEFSH, VSCALEFSS, VRCP28SD, VRCP28SH, VRCP28SS, VRSQRT28SD, VRSQRT28SH, VRSQRT28SS, VSQRSD, VSQRSH, VSQRSS, VSUBSD, VSUBSH, VSUBSS
Type E3NF	VCOMISD, VCOMISH, VCOMISS, VCVTSD2SI, VCVTSD2USI, VCVTSH2SI, VCVTSH2USI, VCVTSI2SD, VCVTSI2SH, VCVTSI2SS, VCVTSS2SI, VCVTSS2USI, VCVTSS2SI, VCVTSS2USI, VCVTTSD2SI, VCVTTSD2USI, VCVTTSH2SI, VCVTTSH2USI, VCVTTSS2SI, VCVTTSS2USI, VCVTUSI2SD, VCVTUSI2SH, VCVTUSI2SS, VUCOMISD, VUCOMISH, VUCOMISS

Table 2-43. EVEX Instructions in Each Exception Class (Contd.)

Exception Class	Instruction
Type E4	VANDPD, VANDPS, VANDNPD, VANDNPS, VBLENDMPD, VBLENDMPS, VFCMADDCPH, VFCMULCPH, VFMADDCPH, VFMULCPH, VFPCLASSPD, VFPCLASSPH, VFPCLASSPS, VORPD, VORPS, VPABSD, VPABSQ, VPADDD, VPADDQ, VPANDD, VPANDQ, VPANDND, VPANDNQ, VPBLENDMB, VPBLENDMD, VPBLENDMQ, VPBLENDMW, VPCMPD, VPCMPDQ, VPCMPDQ, VPCMPGT, VPCMPGTQ, VPCMPQ, VPCMPUD, VPCMPUQ, VPLZCNTD, VPLZCNTQ, VPMADD52LUQ, VPMADD52HUQ, VPMAXSD, VPMAXSQ, VPMAXUD, VPMAXUQ, VPMINSQ, VPMINSQ, VPMINUD, VPMINUQ, VPMULLD, VPMULLQ, VPMULUDQ, VPMULDQ, VPORD, VPORQ, VPROLD, VPROLQ, VPROLVD, VPROLVQ, VPRORD, VPRORQ, VPRORVD, VPRORVQ, (VPSLLD, VPSLLQ, VPSRAD, VPSRAQ, VPSRAVW, VPSRAVD, VPSRAVW, VPSRAVQ, VPSRLD, VPSRLQ) ¹ , VPSUBD, VPSUBQ, VPSUBUSB, VPSUBUSW, VPTERNLOGD, VPTERNLOGQ, VPTESTMD, VPTESTMQ, VPTESTNMD, VPTESTNMQ, VPXORD, VPXORQ, VPSLLVD, VPSLLVQ, VRCPP14PD, VRCPP14PS, VRCPPH, VRSQRT14PD, VRSQRT14PS, VRSQRTPH, VXORPD, VXORPS
E4.nb ²	VCOMPRESSPD, VCOMPRESSPS, VEXPANDPD, VEXPANDPS, VMOVDQU8, VMOVDQU16, VMOVDQU32, VMOVDQU64, VMOVUPD, VMOVUPS, VPABSB, VPABSW, VPADDB, VPADDW, VPADDSB, VPADDSW, VPADDUSB, VPADDUSW, VPAVGB, VPAVGW, VPCMPB, VPCMPQB, VPCMPQW, VPCMPGTB, VPCMPGTW, VPCMPW, VPCMPUB, VPCMPUW, VPCOMPRESSD, VPCOMPRESSQ, VPEXPANDD, VPEXPANDQ, VPMAXSB, VPMAXSW, VPMAXUB, VPMAXUW, VPMINSB, VPMINSW, VPMINUB, VPMINUW, VPMULHRW, VPMULHUW, VPMULHW, VPMULLW, VPSLLVW, VPSLLW, VPSRAW, VPSRLVW, VPSRLW, VPSUBB, VPSUBW, VPSUBSB, VPSUBSW, VPTESTMB, VPTESTMW, VPTESTNMB, VPTESTNMW
Type E4NF	VALIGND, VALIGNQ, VPACKSSDW, VPACKUSDW, VPCONFLICTD, VPCONFLICTQ, VPERMD, VPERMI2D, VPERMI2PS, VPERMI2PD, VPERMI2Q, VPERMPD, VPERMPS, VPERMQ, VPERMT2D, VPERMT2PS, VPERMT2Q, VPERMT2PD, VPERMILPD, VPERMILPS, VPMULTISHIFTQB, VPSHUF, VPUNPCKHDQ, VPUNPCKHQDQ, VPUNPCKLDQ, VPUNPCKLQDQ, VSHUFF32X4, VSHUFF64X2, VSHUF132X4, VSHUF164X2, VSHUFPD, VSHUFPS, VUNPCKHPD, VUNPCKHPS, VUNPCKLPD, VUNPCKLPS
E4NF.nb ²	VDBPSADBW, VPACKSSWB, VPACKUSWB, VPALIGNR, VPMADDWD, VPMADDUBSW, VMOVSHDUP, VMOVSLDUP, VPSADBW, VPSHUF, VPSHUFHW, VPSHUFHW, VPSLLDQ, VPSRLDQ, VPSLLW, VPSRAW, VPSRLW, (VPSLLD, VPSLLQ, VPSRAD, VPSRAQ, VPSRLD, VPSRLQ) ³ , VPUNPCKHBW, VPUNPCKHWD, VPUNPCKLBW, VPUNPCKLWD, VPERMW, VPERMI2W, VPERMT2W
Type E5	PMOVSXBW, PMOVSXBW, PMOVSXBD, PMOVSXBQ, PMOVSXWD, PMOVSXWQ, PMOVSXDQ, PMOVZXBW, PMOVZXBQ, PMOVZXBD, PMOVZXBQ, PMOVZXWD, PMOVZXWQ, PMOVZXDQ, VCVTDQ2PD, VCVTUDQ2PD, VMOVSH, VPMOVSXxx, VPMOVZXxx,
Type E5NF	VMOVDDUP
Type E6	VBROADCASTF32X2, VBROADCASTF32X4, VBROADCASTF64X2, VBROADCASTF32X8, VBROADCASTF64X4, VBROADCASTI32X2, VBROADCASTI32X4, VBROADCASTI64X2, VBROADCASTI32X8, VBROADCASTI64X4, VBROADCASTSD, VBROADCASTSS, VFPCLASSSD, VFPCLASSSS, VPBROADCASTB, VPBROADCASTD, VPBROADCASTW, VPBROADCASTQ, VPMOVQB, VPMOVQB, VPMOVUSQB, VPMOVQW, VPMOVSQW, VPMOVUSQW, VPMOVQD, VPMOVSD, VPMOVUSD, VPMOVDB, VPMOVSD, VPMOVUSDB, VPMOVDW, VPMOVSDW, VPMOVUSDW, VPMOVWB, VPMOVSWB, VPMOVUSWB
Type E6NF	VEXTRACTF32X4, VEXTRACTF32X8, VEXTRACTF64X2, VEXTRACTF64X4, VEXTRACTI32X4, VEXTRACTI32X8, VEXTRACTI64X2, VEXTRACTI64X4, VINSERTF32X4, VINSERTF32X8, VINSERTF64X2, VINSERTF64X4, VINSERTI32X4, VINSERTI32X8, VINSERTI64X2, VINSERTI64X4, VPBROADCASTMB2Q, VPBROADCASTMW2D
Type E7NM.128 ⁴	VMOVHLP, VMOVLHPS
Type E7NM.	(VPBROADCASTD, VPBROADCASTQ, VPBROADCASTB, VPBROADCASTW) ⁵ , VPMOVB2M, VPMOVD2M, VPMOVM2B, VPMOVM2D, VPMOVM2Q, VPMOVM2W, VPMOVQ2M, VPMOVW2M
Type E9NF	VEXTRACTPS, VINSERTPS, VMOVHPD, VMOVHPS, VMOVLPD, VMOVLPS, VMOVD, VMOVQ, VMOVW, VPEXTRB, VPEXTRD, VPEXTRW, VPEXTRQ, VPINSRB, VPINSRD, VPINSRW, VPINSRQ
Type E10	VFCMADDCSH, VFMADDCSH, VFCMULCSH, VFMULCSH, VFPCLASSSH, VMOVSD, VMOVSS, VRCPP14SD, VRCPP14SS, VRCPSH, VRSQRT14SD, VRSQRT14SS, VRSQRTSH
Type E10NF	(VCVTI2SD, VCVTUSI2SD) ⁶
Type E11	VCVTPH2PS, VCVTPS2PH

Table 2-43. EVEX Instructions in Each Exception Class (Contd.)

Exception Class	Instruction
Type E12	VGATHERDPS, VGATHERDPD, VGATHERQPS, VGATHERQPD, VPGATHERDD, VPGATHERDQ, VPGATHERQD, VPGATHERQQ, VPSCATTERDD, VPSCATTERDQ, VPSCATTERQD, VPSCATTERQQ, VSCATTERDPD, VSCATTERDPS, VSCATTERQPD, VSCATTERQPS
Type E12NP	VGATHERPFODPD, VGATHERPFODPS, VGATHERPFOQPD, VGATHERPFOQPS, VGATHERPF1DPD, VGATHERPF1DPS, VGATHERPF1QPD, VGATHERPF1QPS, VSCATTERPFODPD, VSCATTERPFODPS, VSCATTERPFOQPD, VSCATTERPFOQPS, VSCATTERPF1DPD, VSCATTERPF1DPS, VSCATTERPF1QPD, VSCATTERPF1QPS

NOTES:

1. Operand encoding Full tupletype with immediate.
2. Embedded broadcast is not supported with the ".nb" suffix.
3. Operand encoding Mem128 tupletype.
4. #UD raised if EVEX.L'L !=00b (VL=128).
5. The source operand is a general purpose register.
6. W0 encoding only.

2.8.1 Exceptions Type E1 and E1NF of EVEX-Encoded Instructions

EVEX-encoded instructions with memory alignment restrictions, and supporting memory fault suppression follow exception class E1.

Table 2-44. Type E1 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X	X	EVEX.512: Memory operand is not 64-byte aligned. EVEX.256: Memory operand is not 32-byte aligned. EVEX.128: Memory operand is not 16-byte aligned.
			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.

EVEX-encoded instructions with memory alignment restrictions, but do not support memory fault suppression follow exception class E1NF.

Table 2-45. Type E1NF Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X	X	EVEX.512: Memory operand is not 64-byte aligned. EVEX.256: Memory operand is not 32-byte aligned. EVEX.128: Memory operand is not 16-byte aligned.
			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.

2.8.2 Exceptions Type E2 of EVEX-Encoded Instructions

EVEX-encoded vector instructions with arithmetic semantic follow exception class E2.

Table 2-46. Type E2 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 8086	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 0.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.
SIMD Floating-point Exception, #XM	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception, {sae} or {er} not set, and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 1.

2.8.3 Exceptions Type E3 and E3NF of EVEX-Encoded Instructions

EVEX-encoded scalar instructions with arithmetic semantic that support memory fault suppression follow exception class E3.

Table 2-47. Type E3 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 0.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
	Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.
SIMD Floating-point Exception, #XM	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception, {sae} or {er} not set, and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 1.

EVEX-encoded scalar instructions with arithmetic semantic that do not support memory fault suppression follow exception class E3NF.

Table 2-48. Type E3NF Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 0.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.
SIMD Floating-point Exception, #XM	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception, {sae} or {er} not set, and CR4.OSXMMEXCPT[bit 10] = 1.

2.8.4 Exceptions Type E4 and E4NF of EVEX-Encoded Instructions

EVEX-encoded vector instructions that cause no SIMD FP exception and support memory fault suppression follow exception class E4.

Table 2-49. Type E4 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41 and in E4.nb subclass (see E4.nb entries in Table 2-43). Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

EVEX-encoded vector instructions that do not cause SIMD FP exception nor support memory fault suppression follow exception class E4NF.

Table 2-50. Type E4NF Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41 and in E4NF.nb subclass (see E4NF.nb entries in Table 2-43). ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.

2.8.5 Exceptions Type E5 and E5NF

EVEX-encoded scalar/partial-vector instructions that cause no SIMD FP exception and support memory fault suppression follow exception class E5.

Table 2-51. Type E5 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

EVEX-encoded scalar/partial vector instructions that do not cause SIMD FP exception nor support memory fault suppression follow exception class E5NF.

Table 2-52. Type E5NF Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

2.8.6 Exceptions Type E6 and E6NF

Table 2-53. Type E6 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
			X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
			X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM			X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)			X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)			X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

EVEX-encoded instructions that do not cause SIMD FP exception nor support memory fault suppression follow exception class E6NF.

Table 2-54. Type E6NF Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
			X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
			X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM			X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)			X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)			X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

2.8.7 Exceptions Type E7NM

EVEX-encoded instructions that cause no SIMD FP exception and do not reference memory follow exception class E7NM.

Table 2-55. Type E7NM Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM			X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.

2.8.8 Exceptions Type E9 and E9NF

EVEX-encoded vector or partial-vector instructions that do not cause no SIMD FP exception and support memory fault suppression follow exception class E9.

Table 2-56. Type E9 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

EVEX-encoded vector or partial-vector instructions that must be encoded with VEX.L'L = 0, do not cause SIMD FP exception nor support memory fault suppression follow exception class E9NF.

Table 2-57. Type E9NF Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

2.8.9 Exceptions Type E10 and E10NF

EVEX-encoded scalar instructions that ignore EVEX.L'L vector length encoding, do not cause a SIMD FP exception, and support memory fault suppression follow exception class E10.

Table 2-58. Type E10 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

EVEX-encoded scalar instructions that ignore EVEX.L'L vector length encoding, do not cause a SIMD FP exception, and do not support memory fault suppression follow exception class E10NF.

Table 2-59. Type E10NF Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

2.8.10 Exceptions Type E11 (EVEX-only, Mem Arg, No AC, Floating-point Exceptions)

EVEX-encoded instructions that can cause SIMD FP exception, memory operand support fault suppression but do not cause #AC follow exception class E11.

Table 2-60. Type E11 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (FOH).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a EVEX prefix.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		If fault suppression not set, and an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If fault suppression not set, and the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If fault suppression not set, and any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF (fault-code)		X	X	X	If fault suppression not set, and a page fault.
SIMD Floating-Point Exception, #XM	X	X	X	X	If an unmasked SIMD floating-point exception, {sae} not set, and CR4.OSXMMEX-CPT[bit 10] = 1.

2.8.11 Exceptions Type E12 and E12NP (VSIB Mem Arg, No AC, No Floating-point Exceptions)

Table 2-61. Type E12 Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met. If vvvv != 1111b.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	NA	If address size attribute is 16 bit.
	X	X	X	X	If ModR/M.mod = '11b'.
	X	X	X	X	If ModR/M.rm != '100b'.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
	X	X	X	X	If k0 is used (gather or scatter operation).
X	X	X	X	If index = destination register (gather operation).	
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
Stack, #SS(0)			X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF (fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.

EVEX-encoded prefetch instructions that do not cause #PF follow exception class E12NP.

Table 2-62. Type E12NP Class Exception Conditions

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X			If EVEX prefix present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39. ▪ Opmask encoding #UD condition of Table 2-40. ▪ EVEX.b encoding #UD condition of Table 2-41. ▪ Instruction specific EVEX.L'L restriction not met.
	X	X	X	X	If preceded by a LOCK prefix (F0H).
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
	X	X	X	NA	If address size attribute is 16 bit.
	X	X	X	X	If ModR/M.mod = '11b'.
	X	X	X	X	If ModR/M.rm != '100b'.
	X	X	X	X	If any corresponding CPUID feature flag is '0'.
	X	X	X	X	If k0 is used (gather or scatter operation).
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.

2.9 EXCEPTION CLASSIFICATIONS OF OPMASK INSTRUCTIONS, TYPE K20 AND TYPE K21

The exception behavior of VEX-encoded opmask instructions are listed below.

2.9.1 Exceptions Type K20

Exception conditions of Opmask instructions that do not address memory are listed as Type K20.

Table 2-63. TYPE K20 Exception Definition (VEX-Encoded OpMask Instructions w/o Memory Arg)

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X	X	X	If relevant CPUID feature flag is '0'.
	X	X			If a VEX prefix is present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. ▪ Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. ▪ Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39.
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
			X	X	If ModRM:[7:6] != 11b.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.

2.9.2 Exceptions Type K21

Exception conditions of Opmask instructions that address memory are listed as Type K21.

Table 2-64. TYPE K21 Exception Definition (VEX-Encoded OpMask Instructions Addressing Memory)

Exception	Real	Virtual 80x86	Protected and Compatibility	64-bit	Cause of Exception
Invalid Opcode, #UD	X	X	X	X	If relevant CPUID feature flag is '0'.
	X	X			If a VEX prefix is present.
			X	X	If CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18]=0. If any one of following conditions applies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State requirement, Table 2-37 not met. Opcode independent #UD condition in Table 2-38. Operand encoding #UD conditions in Table 2-39.
Device Not Available, #NM	X	X	X	X	If CR0.TS[bit 3]=1.
			X	X	If any REX, F2, F3, or 66 prefixes precede a VEX prefix.
Stack, #SS(0)	X	X	X		For an illegal address in the SS segment.
				X	If a memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
General Protection, #GP(0)			X		For an illegal memory operand effective address in the CS, DS, ES, FS or GS segments. If the DS, ES, FS, or GS register is used to access memory and it contains a null segment selector.
				X	If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	X	X			If any part of the operand lies outside the effective address space from 0 to FFFFH.
Page Fault #PF(fault-code)		X	X	X	For a page fault.
Alignment Check #AC(0)		X	X	X	For 2, 4, or 8 byte memory access if alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory access is made while the current privilege level is 3.

2.10 INTEL® AMX INSTRUCTION EXCEPTION CLASSES

Alignment exceptions: The Intel AMX instructions that access memory will never generate #AC exceptions.

Table 2-65. Intel® AMX Exception Classes

Class	Description
AMX-E1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #UD if preceded by LOCK, 66H, F2H, F3H or REX prefixes. • #UD if CR4.OSXSAVE ≠ 1. • #UD if XCR0[18:17] ≠ 0b11. • #UD if IA32_EFER.LMA ≠ 1 OR CS.L ≠ 1. • #UD if VVVV ≠ 0b1111.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #GP based on palette and configuration checks (see pseudocode). • #GP if the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #SS(0) if the memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #PF if a page fault occurs.
AMX-E2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #UD if preceded by LOCK, 66H, F2H, F3H or REX prefixes. • #UD if CR4.OSXSAVE ≠ 1. • #UD if XCR0[18:17] ≠ 0b11. • #UD if IA32_EFER.LMA ≠ 1 OR CS.L ≠ 1. • #UD if VVVV ≠ 0b1111.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #GP if the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #SS(0) if the memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #PF if a page fault occurs.
AMX-E3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #UD if preceded by LOCK, 66H, F2H, F3H or REX prefixes. • #UD if CR4.OSXSAVE ≠ 1. • #UD if XCR0[18:17] ≠ 0b11. • #UD if IA32_EFER.LMA ≠ 1 OR CS.L ≠ 1. • #UD if VVVV ≠ 0b1111. • #UD if not using SIB addressing. • #UD if TILES_CONFIGURED == 0. • #UD if tsrc or tdest are not valid tiles. • #UD if tsrc/tdest are ≥ palette_table[tilecfg.palette_id].max_names. • #UD if tsrc.colbytes mod 4 ≠ 0 OR tdest.colbytes mod 4 ≠ 0. • #UD if tilecfg.start_row ≥ tsrc.rows OR tilecfg.start_row ≥ tdest.rows.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #GP if the memory address is in a non-canonical form.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #SS(0) if the memory address referencing the SS segment is in a non-canonical form.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #PF if any memory operand causes a page fault.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #NM if XFD[18] == 1.

Table 2-65. Intel® AMX Exception Classes (Contd.)

Class	Description
AMX-E4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #UD if preceded by LOCK, 66H, F2H, F3H or REX prefixes. • #UD if CR4.OSXSAVE ≠ 1. • #UD if XCR0[18:17] ≠ 0b11. • #UD if IA32_EFER.LMA ≠ 1 OR CS.L ≠ 1. • #UD if srcdest == src1 OR src1 == src2 OR srcdest == src2. • #UD if TILES_CONFIGURED == 0. • #UD if srcdest.colbytes mod 4 ≠ 0. • #UD if src1.colbytes mod 4 ≠ 0. • #UD if src2.colbytes mod 4 ≠ 0. • #UD if srcdest/src1/src2 are not valid tiles. • #UD if srcdest/src1/src2 are ≥ palette_table[tilecfg.palette_id].max_names. • #UD if srcdest.colbytes ≠ src2.colbytes. • #UD if srcdest.rows ≠ src1.rows. • #UD if src1.colbytes / 4 ≠ src2.rows. • #UD if srcdest.colbytes > tmul_maxn. • #UD if src2.colbytes > tmul_maxn. • #UD if src1.colbytes/4 > tmul_maxk. • #UD if src2.rows > tmul_maxk.
AMX-E5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #UD if preceded by LOCK, 66H, F2H, F3H or REX prefixes. • #UD if CR4.OSXSAVE ≠ 1. • #UD if XCR0[18:17] ≠ 0b11. • #UD if IA32_EFER.LMA ≠ 1 OR CS.L ≠ 1. • #UD if VVVV ≠ 0b1111. • #UD if TILES_CONFIGURED == 0. • #UD if tdest is not a valid tile. • #UD if tdest is ≥ palette_table[tilecfg.palette_id].max_names.
AMX-E6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #UD if preceded by LOCK, 66H, F2H, F3H or REX prefixes. • #UD if CR4.OSXSAVE ≠ 1. • #UD if XCR0[18:17] ≠ 0b11. • #UD if IA32_EFER.LMA ≠ 1 OR CS.L ≠ 1. • #UD if VVVV ≠ 0b1111.

7. Updates to Chapter 3, Volume 2A

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- Updated Section 3.1.1.2, "Opcode Column in the Instruction Summary Table (Instructions with VEX prefix)," to add VEX.L0 and VEX.L1 terms.
- Updated the CPUID instruction to include updates to wording in CPUID leaf 07H and CPUID leaf 1FH.
- Updated the CPUID instruction to add the initial EAX value to each main CPUID leaf name (if missing) in order to accommodate new bookmarks in the final PDF that will enable readers to jump to any main CPUID leaf of interest. Where there are multiple initial EAX values, those values have been tagged so they will show up underneath the main CPUID leaf name in the final PDF.

CHAPTER 3 INSTRUCTION SET REFERENCE, A-L

This chapter describes the instruction set for the Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures (A-L) in IA-32e, protected, virtual-8086, and real-address modes of operation. The set includes general-purpose, x87 FPU, MMX, SSE/SSE2/SSE3/SSSE3/SSE4, AESNI/PCLMULQDQ, AVX, and system instructions. See also Chapter 4, "Instruction Set Reference, M-U," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2B; Chapter 5, "Instruction Set Reference, V," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2C; and Chapter 6, "Instruction Set Reference, W-Z," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2D.

For each instruction, each operand combination is described. A description of the instruction and its operand, an operational description, a description of the effect of the instructions on flags in the EFLAGS register, and a summary of exceptions that can be generated are also provided.

3.1 INTERPRETING THE INSTRUCTION REFERENCE PAGES

This section describes the format of information contained in the instruction reference pages in this chapter. It explains notational conventions and abbreviations used in these sections.

3.1.1 Instruction Format

The following is an example of the format used for each instruction description in this chapter. The heading below introduces the example. The table below provides an example summary table.

CMC—Complement Carry Flag [this is an example]

Opcode	Instruction	Op/En	64/32-bit Mode	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
F5	CMC	Z0	V/V	N/A	Complement carry flag.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Operand 4
Z0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

3.1.1.1 Opcode Column in the Instruction Summary Table (Instructions without VEX Prefix)

The “Opcode” column in the table above shows the object code produced for each form of the instruction. When possible, codes are given as hexadecimal bytes in the same order in which they appear in memory. Definitions of entries other than hexadecimal bytes are as follows:

- **NP** — Indicates the use of 66/F2/F3 prefixes (beyond those already part of the instructions opcode) are not allowed with the instruction. Such use will either cause an invalid-opcode exception (#UD) or result in the encoding for a different instruction.
- **NF_x** — Indicates the use of F2/F3 prefixes (beyond those already part of the instructions opcode) are not allowed with the instruction. Such use will either cause an invalid-opcode exception (#UD) or result in the encoding for a different instruction.
- **REX.W** — Indicates the use of a REX prefix that affects operand size or instruction semantics. The ordering of the REX prefix and other optional/mandatory instruction prefixes are discussed Chapter 2. Note that REX prefixes that promote legacy instructions to 64-bit behavior are not listed explicitly in the opcode column.
- **/digit** — A digit between 0 and 7 indicates that the ModR/M byte of the instruction uses only the r/m (register or memory) operand. The reg field contains the digit that provides an extension to the instruction's opcode.
- **/r** — Indicates that the ModR/M byte of the instruction contains a register operand and an r/m operand.
- **cb, cw, cd, cp, co, ct** — A 1-byte (cb), 2-byte (cw), 4-byte (cd), 6-byte (cp), 8-byte (co) or 10-byte (ct) value following the opcode. This value is used to specify a code offset and possibly a new value for the code segment register.
- **ib, iw, id, io** — A 1-byte (ib), 2-byte (iw), 4-byte (id) or 8-byte (io) immediate operand to the instruction that follows the opcode, ModR/M bytes or scale-indexing bytes. The opcode determines if the operand is a signed value. All words, doublewords, and quadwords are given with the low-order byte first.
- **+rb, +rw, +rd, +ro** — Indicated the lower 3 bits of the opcode byte is used to encode the register operand without a modR/M byte. The instruction lists the corresponding hexadecimal value of the opcode byte with low 3 bits as 000b. In non-64-bit mode, a register code, from 0 through 7, is added to the hexadecimal value of the opcode byte. In 64-bit mode, indicates the four bit field of REX.b and opcode[2:0] field encodes the register operand of the instruction. “+ro” is applicable only in 64-bit mode. See Table 3-1 for the codes.
- **+i** — A number used in floating-point instructions when one of the operands is ST(i) from the FPU register stack. The number i (which can range from 0 to 7) is added to the hexadecimal byte given at the left of the plus sign to form a single opcode byte.

Table 3-1. Register Codes Associated With +rb, +rw, +rd, +ro

byte register			word register			dword register			quadword register (64-Bit Mode only)		
Register	REX.B	Reg Field	Register	REX.B	Reg Field	Register	REX.B	Reg Field	Register	REX.B	Reg Field
AL	None	0	AX	None	0	EAX	None	0	RAX	None	0
CL	None	1	CX	None	1	ECX	None	1	RCX	None	1
DL	None	2	DX	None	2	EDX	None	2	RDX	None	2
BL	None	3	BX	None	3	EBX	None	3	RBX	None	3
AH	Not encodable (N.E.)	4	SP	None	4	ESP	None	4	N/A	N/A	N/A
CH	N.E.	5	BP	None	5	EBP	None	5	N/A	N/A	N/A
DH	N.E.	6	SI	None	6	ESI	None	6	N/A	N/A	N/A
BH	N.E.	7	DI	None	7	EDI	None	7	N/A	N/A	N/A
SPL	Yes	4	SP	None	4	ESP	None	4	RSP	None	4
BPL	Yes	5	BP	None	5	EBP	None	5	RBP	None	5

Table 3-1. Register Codes Associated With +rb, +rw, +rd, +ro (Contd.)

byte register			word register			dword register			quadword register (64-Bit Mode only)		
Register	REX.B	Reg Field	Register	REX.B	Reg Field	Register	REX.B	Reg Field	Register	REX.B	Reg Field
SIL	Yes	6	SI	None	6	ESI	None	6	RSI	None	6
DIL	Yes	7	DI	None	7	EDI	None	7	RDI	None	7
Registers R8 - R15 (see below): Available in 64-Bit Mode Only											
R8B	Yes	0	R8W	Yes	0	R8D	Yes	0	R8	Yes	0
R9B	Yes	1	R9W	Yes	1	R9D	Yes	1	R9	Yes	1
R10B	Yes	2	R10W	Yes	2	R10D	Yes	2	R10	Yes	2
R11B	Yes	3	R11W	Yes	3	R11D	Yes	3	R11	Yes	3
R12B	Yes	4	R12W	Yes	4	R12D	Yes	4	R12	Yes	4
R13B	Yes	5	R13W	Yes	5	R13D	Yes	5	R13	Yes	5
R14B	Yes	6	R14W	Yes	6	R14D	Yes	6	R14	Yes	6
R15B	Yes	7	R15W	Yes	7	R15D	Yes	7	R15	Yes	7

3.1.1.2 Opcode Column in the Instruction Summary Table (Instructions with VEX prefix)

In the Instruction Summary Table, the Opcode column presents each instruction encoded using the VEX prefix in following form (including the modR/M byte if applicable, the immediate byte if applicable):

VEX.[128,256].[66,F2,F3].OF/OF3A/OF38.[W0,W1] opcode [/r] [/ib,/is4]

- **VEX** — Indicates the presence of the VEX prefix is required. The VEX prefix can be encoded using the three-byte form (the first byte is C4H), or using the two-byte form (the first byte is C5H). The two-byte form of VEX only applies to those instructions that do not require the following fields to be encoded: VEX.mmmmm, VEX.W, VEX.X, VEX.B. Refer to Section 2.3 for more detail on the VEX prefix.

The encoding of various sub-fields of the VEX prefix is described using the following notations:

- **128,256:** VEX.L field can be 0 (denoted by VEX.128, **VEX.L0**, or VEX.LZ) or 1 (denoted by VEX.256 or **VEX.L1**). The VEX.L field can be encoded using either the 2-byte or 3-byte form of the VEX prefix. The presence of the notation VEX.256 or VEX.128 in the opcode column should be interpreted as follows:
 - If VEX.256 is present in the opcode column: The semantics of the instruction must be encoded with VEX.L = 1. An attempt to encode this instruction with VEX.L = 0 can result in one of two situations: (a) if VEX.128 version is defined, the processor will behave according to the defined VEX.128 behavior; (b) an #UD occurs if there is no VEX.128 version defined.
 - If VEX.128 is present in the opcode column but there is no VEX.256 version defined for the same opcode byte: Two situations apply: (a) For VEX-encoded, 128-bit SIMD integer instructions, software must encode the instruction with VEX.L = 0. The processor will treat the opcode byte encoded with VEX.L = 1 by causing an #UD exception; (b) For VEX-encoded, 128-bit packed floating-point instructions, software must encode the instruction with VEX.L = 0. The processor will treat the opcode byte encoded with VEX.L = 1 by causing an #UD exception (e.g., VMOVLPS).
 - **If VEX.L0 or VEX.L1 is present in the opcode column: The specified VEX.L value is required for encoding this instruction but does not have the connotation of specifying vector length.**
 - If VEX.LIG is present in the opcode column: The VEX.L value is ignored. This generally applies to VEX-encoded scalar SIMD floating-point instructions. Scalar SIMD floating-point instruction can be distinguished from the mnemonic of the instruction. Generally, the last two letters of the instruction mnemonic would be either "SS", "SD", or "SI" for SIMD floating-point conversion instructions.
 - If VEX.LZ is present in the opcode column: The VEX.L must be encoded to be 0B, an #UD occurs if VEX.L is not zero.

- **66,F2,F3:** The presence or absence of these values map to the VEX.pp field encodings. If absent, this corresponds to VEX.pp=00B. If present, the corresponding VEX.pp value affects the “opcode” byte in the same way as if a SIMD prefix (66H, F2H or F3H) does to the ensuing opcode byte. Thus a non-zero encoding of VEX.pp may be considered as an implied 66H/F2H/F3H prefix. The VEX.pp field may be encoded using either the 2-byte or 3-byte form of the VEX prefix.
- **0F,0F3A,0F38:** The presence maps to a valid encoding of the VEX.mmmmm field. Only three encoded values of VEX.mmmmm are defined as valid, corresponding to the escape byte sequence of 0FH, 0F3AH, and 0F38H. The effect of a valid VEX.mmmmm encoding on the ensuing opcode byte is same as if the corresponding escape byte sequence on the ensuing opcode byte for non-VEX encoded instructions. Thus a valid encoding of VEX.mmmmm may be considered as an implied escape byte sequence of either 0FH, 0F3AH or 0F38H. The VEX.mmmmm field must be encoded using the 3-byte form of VEX prefix.
- **0F,0F3A,0F38 and 2-byte/3-byte VEX:** The presence of 0F3A and 0F38 in the opcode column implies that opcode can only be encoded by the three-byte form of VEX. The presence of 0F in the opcode column does not preclude the opcode to be encoded by the two-byte of VEX if the semantics of the opcode does not require any subfield of VEX not present in the two-byte form of the VEX prefix.
- **W0:** VEX.W=0.
- **W1:** VEX.W=1.
- The presence of W0/W1 in the opcode column applies to two situations: (a) it is treated as an extended opcode bit, (b) the instruction semantics support an operand size promotion to 64-bit of a general-purpose register operand or a 32-bit memory operand. The presence of W1 in the opcode column implies the opcode must be encoded using the 3-byte form of the VEX prefix. The presence of W0 in the opcode column does not preclude the opcode to be encoded using the C5H form of the VEX prefix, if the semantics of the opcode does not require other VEX subfields not present in the two-byte form of the VEX prefix. Please see Section 2.3 on the subfield definitions within VEX.
- **WIG:** can use C5H form (if not requiring VEX.mmmmm) or VEX.W value is ignored in the C4H form of VEX prefix.
- If WIG is present, the instruction may be encoded using either the two-byte form or the three-byte form of VEX. When encoding the instruction using the three-byte form of VEX, the value of VEX.W is ignored.
- **opcode** — Instruction opcode.
- **/is4** — An 8-bit immediate byte is present containing a source register specifier in either imm8[7:4] (for 64-bit mode) or imm8[6:4] (for 32-bit mode), and instruction-specific payload in imm8[3:0].
- In general, the encoding of VEX.R, VEX.X, VEX.B field are not shown explicitly in the opcode column. The encoding scheme of VEX.R, VEX.X, VEX.B fields must follow the rules defined in Section 2.3.

EVEX.[128,256,512,LLIG].[66,F2,F3].0F/0F3A/0F38.[W0,W1,WIG] opcode [/r] [ib]

- **EVEX** — The EVEX prefix is encoded using the four-byte form (the first byte is 62H). Refer to Section 2.7.1 for more detail on the EVEX prefix.

The encoding of various sub-fields of the EVEX prefix is described using the following notations:

- **128, 256, 512, LLIG:** This corresponds to the vector length; three values are allowed by EVEX: 512-bit, 256-bit and 128-bit. Alternatively, vector length is ignored (LIG) for certain instructions; this typically applies to scalar instructions operating on one data element of a vector register.
- **66,F2,F3:** The presence of these value maps to the EVEX.pp field encodings. The corresponding VEX.pp value affects the “opcode” byte in the same way as if a SIMD prefix (66H, F2H or F3H) does to the ensuing opcode byte. Thus a non-zero encoding of VEX.pp may be considered as an implied 66H/F2H/F3H prefix.
- **0F,0F3A,0F38:** The presence maps to a valid encoding of the EVEX.mmm field. Only three encoded values of EVEX.mmm are defined as valid, corresponding to the escape byte sequence of 0FH, 0F3AH, and 0F38H. The effect of a valid EVEX.mmm encoding on the ensuing opcode byte is the same as if the corresponding escape byte sequence on the ensuing opcode byte for non-EVEX encoded instructions. Thus a valid encoding of EVEX.mmm may be considered as an implied escape byte sequence of either 0FH, 0F3AH or 0F38H.
- **W0:** EVEX.W=0.

- **W1:** EVEX.W=1.
- **WIG:** EVEX.W bit ignored
- **opcode** — Instruction opcode.
- In general, the encoding of EVEX.R and R', EVEX.X and X', and EVEX.B and B' fields are not shown explicitly in the opcode column.

NOTE

Previously, the terms NDS, NDD, and DDS were used in instructions with an EVEX (or VEX) prefix. These terms indicated that the vvvv field was valid for encoding, and specified register usage. These terms are no longer necessary and are redundant with the instruction operand encoding tables provided with each instruction. The instruction operand encoding tables give explicit details on all operands, indicating where every operand is stored and if they are read or written. If vvvv is not listed as an operand in the instruction operand encoding table, then EVEX (or VEX) vvvv must be 0b1111.

3.1.1.3 Instruction Column in the Opcode Summary Table

The “Instruction” column gives the syntax of the instruction statement as it would appear in an ASM386 program. The following is a list of the symbols used to represent operands in the instruction statements:

- **rel8** — A relative address in the range from 128 bytes before the end of the instruction to 127 bytes after the end of the instruction.
- **rel16, rel32** — A relative address within the same code segment as the instruction assembled. The rel16 symbol applies to instructions with an operand-size attribute of 16 bits; the rel32 symbol applies to instructions with an operand-size attribute of 32 bits.
- **ptr16:16, ptr16:32** — A far pointer, typically to a code segment different from that of the instruction. The notation *16:16* indicates that the value of the pointer has two parts. The value to the left of the colon is a 16-bit selector or value destined for the code segment register. The value to the right corresponds to the offset within the destination segment. The ptr16:16 symbol is used when the instruction's operand-size attribute is 16 bits; the ptr16:32 symbol is used when the operand-size attribute is 32 bits.
- **r8** — One of the byte general-purpose registers: AL, CL, DL, BL, AH, CH, DH, BH, BPL, SPL, DIL, and SIL; or one of the byte registers (R8B - R15B) available when using REX.R and 64-bit mode.
- **r16** — One of the word general-purpose registers: AX, CX, DX, BX, SP, BP, SI, DI; or one of the word registers (R8-R15) available when using REX.R and 64-bit mode.
- **r32** — One of the doubleword general-purpose registers: EAX, ECX, EDX, EBX, ESP, EBP, ESI, EDI; or one of the doubleword registers (R8D - R15D) available when using REX.R in 64-bit mode.
- **r64** — One of the quadword general-purpose registers: RAX, RBX, RCX, RDX, RDI, RSI, RBP, RSP, R8-R15. These are available when using REX.R and 64-bit mode.
- **imm8** — An immediate byte value. The imm8 symbol is a signed number between -128 and +127 inclusive. For instructions in which imm8 is combined with a word or doubleword operand, the immediate value is sign-extended to form a word or doubleword. The upper byte of the word is filled with the topmost bit of the immediate value.
- **imm16** — An immediate word value used for instructions whose operand-size attribute is 16 bits. This is a number between -32,768 and +32,767 inclusive.
- **imm32** — An immediate doubleword value used for instructions whose operand-size attribute is 32 bits. It allows the use of a number between +2,147,483,647 and -2,147,483,648 inclusive.
- **imm64** — An immediate quadword value used for instructions whose operand-size attribute is 64 bits. The value allows the use of a number between +9,223,372,036,854,775,807 and -9,223,372,036,854,775,808 inclusive.
- **r/m8** — A byte operand that is either the contents of a byte general-purpose register (AL, CL, DL, BL, AH, CH, DH, BH, BPL, SPL, DIL, and SIL) or a byte from memory. Byte registers R8B - R15B are available using REX.R in 64-bit mode.

- **r/m16** — A word general-purpose register or memory operand used for instructions whose operand-size attribute is 16 bits. The word general-purpose registers are: AX, CX, DX, BX, SP, BP, SI, DI. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation. Word registers R8W - R15W are available using REX.R in 64-bit mode.
- **r/m32** — A doubleword general-purpose register or memory operand used for instructions whose operand-size attribute is 32 bits. The doubleword general-purpose registers are: EAX, ECX, EDX, EBX, ESP, EBP, ESI, EDI. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation. Doubleword registers R8D - R15D are available when using REX.R in 64-bit mode.
- **r/m64** — A quadword general-purpose register or memory operand used for instructions whose operand-size attribute is 64 bits when using REX.W. Quadword general-purpose registers are: RAX, RBX, RCX, RDX, RDI, RSI, RBP, RSP, R8-R15; these are available only in 64-bit mode. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation.
- **reg** — A general-purpose register used for instructions when the width of the register does not matter to the semantics of the operation of the instruction. The register can be r16, r32, or r64.
- **m** — A 16-, 32- or 64-bit operand in memory.
- **m8** — A byte operand in memory, usually expressed as a variable or array name, but pointed to by the DS:(E)SI or ES:(E)DI registers. In 64-bit mode, it is pointed to by the RSI or RDI registers.
- **m16** — A word operand in memory, usually expressed as a variable or array name, but pointed to by the DS:(E)SI or ES:(E)DI registers. This nomenclature is used only with the string instructions.
- **m32** — A doubleword operand in memory. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation.
- **m64** — A memory quadword operand in memory.
- **m128** — A memory double quadword operand in memory.
- **m16:16, m16:32 & m16:64** — A memory operand containing a far pointer composed of two numbers. The number to the left of the colon corresponds to the pointer's segment selector. The number to the right corresponds to its offset.
- **m16&32, m16&16, m32&32, m16&64** — A memory operand consisting of data item pairs whose sizes are indicated on the left and the right side of the ampersand. All memory addressing modes are allowed. The m16&16 and m32&32 operands are used by the BOUND instruction to provide an operand containing an upper and lower bounds for array indices. The m16&32 operand is used by LIDT and LGDT to provide a word with which to load the limit field, and a doubleword with which to load the base field of the corresponding GDTR and IDTR registers. The m16&64 operand is used by LIDT and LGDT in 64-bit mode to provide a word with which to load the limit field, and a quadword with which to load the base field of the corresponding GDTR and IDTR registers.
- **m80bcd** — A Binary Coded Decimal (BCD) operand in memory, 80 bits.
- **moffs8, moffs16, moffs32, moffs64** — A simple memory variable (memory offset) of type byte, word, or doubleword used by some variants of the MOV instruction. The actual address is given by a simple offset relative to the segment base. No ModR/M byte is used in the instruction. The number shown with moffs indicates its size, which is determined by the address-size attribute of the instruction.
- **Sreg** — A segment register. The segment register bit assignments are ES = 0, CS = 1, SS = 2, DS = 3, FS = 4, and GS = 5.
- **m32fp, m64fp, m80fp** — A single precision, double precision, and double extended-precision (respectively) floating-point operand in memory. These symbols designate floating-point values that are used as operands for x87 FPU floating-point instructions.
- **m16int, m32int, m64int** — A word, doubleword, and quadword integer (respectively) operand in memory. These symbols designate integers that are used as operands for x87 FPU integer instructions.
- **ST or ST(0)** — The top element of the FPU register stack.
- **ST(i)** — The i^{th} element from the top of the FPU register stack ($i := 0$ through 7).
- **mm** — An MMX register. The 64-bit MMX registers are: MM0 through MM7.
- **mm/m32** — The low order 32 bits of an MMX register or a 32-bit memory operand. The 64-bit MMX registers are: MM0 through MM7. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation.

- **mm/m64** — An MMX register or a 64-bit memory operand. The 64-bit MMX registers are: MM0 through MM7. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation.
- **xmm** — An XMM register. The 128-bit XMM registers are: XMM0 through XMM7; XMM8 through XMM15 are available using REX.R in 64-bit mode.
- **xmm/m32** — An XMM register or a 32-bit memory operand. The 128-bit XMM registers are XMM0 through XMM7; XMM8 through XMM15 are available using REX.R in 64-bit mode. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation.
- **xmm/m64** — An XMM register or a 64-bit memory operand. The 128-bit SIMD floating-point registers are XMM0 through XMM7; XMM8 through XMM15 are available using REX.R in 64-bit mode. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation.
- **xmm/m128** — An XMM register or a 128-bit memory operand. The 128-bit XMM registers are XMM0 through XMM7; XMM8 through XMM15 are available using REX.R in 64-bit mode. The contents of memory are found at the address provided by the effective address computation.
- **<XMM0>** — Indicates implied use of the XMM0 register.

When there is ambiguity, `xmm1` indicates the first source operand using an XMM register and `xmm2` the second source operand using an XMM register.

Some instructions use the XMM0 register as the third source operand, indicated by `<XMM0>`. The use of the third XMM register operand is implicit in the instruction encoding and does not affect the ModR/M encoding.

- **ymm** — A YMM register. The 256-bit YMM registers are: YMM0 through YMM7; YMM8 through YMM15 are available in 64-bit mode.
- **m256** — A 32-byte operand in memory. This nomenclature is used only with AVX instructions.
- **ymm/m256** — A YMM register or 256-bit memory operand.
- **<YMM0>** — Indicates use of the YMM0 register as an implicit argument.
- **bnd** — A 128-bit bounds register. BND0 through BND3.
- **mib** — A memory operand using SIB addressing form, where the index register is not used in address calculation, Scale is ignored. Only the base and displacement are used in effective address calculation.
- **m512** — A 64-byte operand in memory.
- **zmm/m512** — A ZMM register or 512-bit memory operand.
- **{k1}{z}** — A mask register used as instruction writemask. The 64-bit k registers are: k1 through k7. Writemask specification is available exclusively via EVEX prefix. The masking can either be done as a merging-masking, where the old values are preserved for masked out elements or as a zeroing masking. The type of masking is determined by using the EVEX.z bit.
- **{k1}** — Without {z}: a mask register used as instruction writemask for instructions that do not allow zeroing-masking but support merging-masking. This corresponds to instructions that require the value of the `aaa` field to be different than 0 (e.g., `gather`) and store-type instructions which allow only merging-masking.
- **k1** — A mask register used as a regular operand (either destination or source). The 64-bit k registers are: k0 through k7.
- **mV** — A vector memory operand; the operand size is dependent on the instruction.
- **vm32{x,y,z}** — A vector array of memory operands specified using VSIB memory addressing. The array of memory addresses are specified using a common base register, a constant scale factor, and a vector index register with individual elements of 32-bit index value in an XMM register (`vm32x`), a YMM register (`vm32y`) or a ZMM register (`vm32z`).
- **vm64{x,y,z}** — A vector array of memory operands specified using VSIB memory addressing. The array of memory addresses are specified using a common base register, a constant scale factor, and a vector index register with individual elements of 64-bit index value in an XMM register (`vm64x`), a YMM register (`vm64y`) or a ZMM register (`vm64z`).
- **zmm/m512/m32bcst** — An operand that can be a ZMM register, a 512-bit memory location or a 512-bit vector loaded from a 32-bit memory location.
- **zmm/m512/m64bcst** — An operand that can be a ZMM register, a 512-bit memory location or a 512-bit vector loaded from a 64-bit memory location.

- **<ZMM0>** — Indicates use of the ZMM0 register as an implicit argument.
- **{er}** — Indicates support for embedded rounding control, which is only applicable to the register-register form of the instruction. This also implies support for SAE (Suppress All Exceptions).
- **{sae}** — Indicates support for SAE (Suppress All Exceptions). This is used for instructions that support SAE, but do not support embedded rounding control.
- **SRC1** — Denotes the first source operand in the instruction syntax of an instruction encoded with the VEX/EVEX prefix and having two or more source operands.
- **SRC2** — Denotes the second source operand in the instruction syntax of an instruction encoded with the VEX/EVEX prefix and having two or more source operands.
- **SRC3** — Denotes the third source operand in the instruction syntax of an instruction encoded with the VEX/EVEX prefix and having three source operands.
- **SRC** — The source in a single-source instruction.
- **DST** — The destination in an instruction. This field is encoded by reg_field.

In the instruction encoding, the MODRM byte is represented several ways depending on the role it plays. The MODRM byte has 3 fields: 2-bit MODRM.MOD field, a 3-bit MODRM.REG field and a 3-bit MODRM.RM field. When all bits of the MODRM byte have fixed values for an instruction, the 2-hex nibble value of that byte is presented after the opcode in the encoding boxes on the instruction description pages. When only some fields of the MODRM byte must contain fixed values, those values are specified as follows:

- If only the MODRM.MOD must be 0b11, and MODRM.REG and MODRM.RM fields are unrestricted, this is denoted as **11:rrr:bbb**. The **rrr** correspond to the 3-bits of the MODRM.REG field and the **bbb** correspond to the 3-bits of the MODRM.RM field.
- If the MODRM.MOD field is constrained to be a value other than 0b11, i.e., it must be one of 0b00, 0b01, or 0b10, then we use the notation **!(11)**.
- If the MODRM.REG field had a specific required value, e.g., 0b101, that would be denoted as **mm:101:bbb**.

3.1.1.4 Operand Encoding Column in the Instruction Summary Table

The “operand encoding” column is abbreviated as Op/En in the Instruction Summary table heading. Instruction operand encoding information is provided for each assembly instruction syntax using a letter to cross reference to a row entry in the operand encoding definition table that follows the instruction summary table. The operand encoding table in each instruction reference page lists each instruction operand (according to each instruction syntax and operand ordering shown in the instruction column) relative to the ModRM byte, VEX.vvvv field or additional operand encoding placement.

EVEX encoded instructions employ compressed disp8*N encoding of the displacement bytes, where N is defined in Table 2-34 and Table 2-35, according to tuple types. The tuple type for an instruction is listed in the operand encoding definition table where applicable.

NOTES

- The letters in the Op/En column of an instruction apply ONLY to the encoding definition table immediately following the instruction summary table.
- In the encoding definition table, the letter ‘r’ within a pair of parenthesis denotes the content of the operand will be read by the processor. The letter ‘w’ within a pair of parenthesis denotes the content of the operand will be updated by the processor.

3.1.1.5 64/32-bit Mode Column in the Instruction Summary Table

The “64/32-bit Mode” column indicates whether the opcode sequence is supported in (a) 64-bit mode or (b) the Compatibility mode and other IA-32 modes that apply in conjunction with the CPUID feature flag associated specific instruction extensions.

The 64-bit mode support is to the left of the ‘slash’ and has the following notation:

- **V** — Supported.
- **I** — Not supported.

- **N.E.** — Indicates an instruction syntax is not encodable in 64-bit mode (it may represent part of a sequence of valid instructions in other modes).
- **N.P.** — Indicates the REX prefix does not affect the legacy instruction in 64-bit mode.
- **N.I.** — Indicates the opcode is treated as a new instruction in 64-bit mode.
- **N.S.** — Indicates an instruction syntax that requires an address override prefix in 64-bit mode and is not supported. Using an address override prefix in 64-bit mode may result in model-specific execution behavior.

The Compatibility/Legacy Mode support is to the right of the 'slash' and has the following notation:

- **V** — Supported.
- **I** — Not supported.
- **N.E.** — Indicates an Intel 64 instruction mnemonics/syntax that is not encodable; the opcode sequence is not applicable as an individual instruction in compatibility mode or IA-32 mode. The opcode may represent a valid sequence of legacy IA-32 instructions.

3.1.1.6 CPUID Support Column in the Instruction Summary Table

The fourth column holds abbreviated CPUID feature flags (e.g., appropriate bit in CPUID.1.ECX, CPUID.1.EDX for SSE/SSE2/SSE3/SSSE3/SSE4.1/SSE4.2/AESNI/PCLMULQDQ/AVX/RDRAND support) that indicate processor support for the instruction. If the corresponding flag is '0', the instruction will #UD.

3.1.1.7 Description Column in the Instruction Summary Table

The "Description" column briefly explains forms of the instruction.

3.1.1.8 Description Section

Each instruction is then described by number of information sections. The "Description" section describes the purpose of the instructions and required operands in more detail.

Summary of terms that may be used in the description section:

- **Legacy SSE** — Refers to SSE, SSE2, SSE3, SSSE3, SSE4, AESNI, PCLMULQDQ, and any future instruction sets referencing XMM registers and encoded without a VEX prefix.
- **VEX.vvvv** — The VEX bit field specifying a source or destination register (in 1's complement form).
- **rm_field** — shorthand for the ModR/M *r/m* field and any REX.B
- **reg_field** — shorthand for the ModR/M *reg* field and any REX.R

3.1.1.9 Operation Section

The "Operation" section contains an algorithm description (frequently written in pseudo-code) for the instruction. Algorithms are composed of the following elements:

- Comments are enclosed within the symbol pairs "(" and ")".
- Compound statements are enclosed in keywords, such as: IF, THEN, ELSE, and FI for an if statement; DO and OD for a do statement; or CASE... OF for a case statement.
- A register name implies the contents of the register. A register name enclosed in brackets implies the contents of the location whose address is contained in that register. For example, ES:[DI] indicates the contents of the location whose ES segment relative address is in register DI. [SI] indicates the contents of the address contained in register SI relative to the SI register's default segment (DS) or the overridden segment.
- Parentheses around the "E" in a general-purpose register name, such as (E)SI, indicates that the offset is read from the SI register if the address-size attribute is 16, from the ESI register if the address-size attribute is 32. Parentheses around the "R" in a general-purpose register name, (R)SI, in the presence of a 64-bit register definition such as (R)SI, indicates that the offset is read from the 64-bit RSI register if the address-size attribute is 64.

- Brackets are used for memory operands where they mean that the contents of the memory location is a segment-relative offset. For example, [SRC] indicates that the content of the source operand is a segment-relative offset.
- A := B indicates that the value of B is assigned to A.
- The symbols =, ≠, >, <, ≥, and ≤ are relational operators used to compare two values: meaning equal, not equal, greater or equal, less or equal, respectively. A relational expression such as A = B is TRUE if the value of A is equal to B; otherwise it is FALSE.
- The expression “« COUNT” and “» COUNT” indicates that the destination operand should be shifted left or right by the number of bits indicated by the count operand.

The following identifiers are used in the algorithmic descriptions:

- **OperandSize and AddressSize** — The OperandSize identifier represents the operand-size attribute of the instruction, which is 16, 32 or 64-bits. The AddressSize identifier represents the address-size attribute, which is 16, 32 or 64-bits. For example, the following pseudo-code indicates that the operand-size attribute depends on the form of the MOV instruction used.

```

IF Instruction = MOVW
    THEN OperandSize := 16;
ELSE
    IF Instruction = MOVD
        THEN OperandSize := 32;
    ELSE
        IF Instruction = MOVQ
            THEN OperandSize := 64;
        FI;
    FI;
FI;

```

See “Operand-Size and Address-Size Attributes” in Chapter 3 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1, for guidelines on how these attributes are determined.

- **StackAddrSize** — Represents the stack address-size attribute associated with the instruction, which has a value of 16, 32 or 64-bits. See “Address-Size Attribute for Stack” in Chapter 6, “Procedure Calls, Interrupts, and Exceptions,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1.
- **SRC** — Represents the source operand.
- **DEST** — Represents the destination operand.
- **MAXVL** — The maximum vector register width pertaining to the instruction. This is not the vector-length encoding in the instruction's encoding but is instead determined by the current value of XCR0. For details, refer to the table below. Note that the value of MAXVL is the largest of the features enabled. Future processors may define new bits in XCR0 whose setting may imply other values for MAXVL.

MAXVL Definition

XCR0 Component	MAXVL
XCR0.SSE	128
XCR0.AVX	256
XCR0.{ZMM_Hi256, Hi16_ZMM, OPMASK}	512

The following functions are used in the algorithmic descriptions:

- **ZeroExtend(value)** — Returns a value zero-extended to the operand-size attribute of the instruction. For example, if the operand-size attribute is 32, zero extending a byte value of –10 converts the byte from F6H to a doubleword value of 000000F6H. If the value passed to the ZeroExtend function and the operand-size attribute are the same size, ZeroExtend returns the value unaltered.
- **SignExtend(value)** — Returns a value sign-extended to the operand-size attribute of the instruction. For example, if the operand-size attribute is 32, sign extending a byte containing the value –10 converts the byte

from F6H to a doubleword value of FFFFFFF6H. If the value passed to the SignExtend function and the operand-size attribute are the same size, SignExtend returns the value unaltered.

- **SaturateSignedWordToSignedByte** — Converts a signed 16-bit value to a signed 8-bit value. If the signed 16-bit value is less than -128, it is represented by the saturated value -128 (80H); if it is greater than 127, it is represented by the saturated value 127 (7FH).
- **SaturateSignedDwordToSignedWord** — Converts a signed 32-bit value to a signed 16-bit value. If the signed 32-bit value is less than -32768, it is represented by the saturated value -32768 (8000H); if it is greater than 32767, it is represented by the saturated value 32767 (7FFFH).
- **SaturateSignedWordToUnsignedByte** — Converts a signed 16-bit value to an unsigned 8-bit value. If the signed 16-bit value is less than zero, it is represented by the saturated value zero (00H); if it is greater than 255, it is represented by the saturated value 255 (FFH).
- **SaturateToSignedByte** — Represents the result of an operation as a signed 8-bit value. If the result is less than -128, it is represented by the saturated value -128 (80H); if it is greater than 127, it is represented by the saturated value 127 (7FH).
- **SaturateToSignedWord** — Represents the result of an operation as a signed 16-bit value. If the result is less than -32768, it is represented by the saturated value -32768 (8000H); if it is greater than 32767, it is represented by the saturated value 32767 (7FFFH).
- **SaturateToUnsignedByte** — Represents the result of an operation as a signed 8-bit value. If the result is less than zero it is represented by the saturated value zero (00H); if it is greater than 255, it is represented by the saturated value 255 (FFH).
- **SaturateToUnsignedWord** — Represents the result of an operation as a signed 16-bit value. If the result is less than zero it is represented by the saturated value zero (00H); if it is greater than 65535, it is represented by the saturated value 65535 (FFFFH).
- **LowOrderWord(DEST * SRC)** — Multiplies a word operand by a word operand and stores the least significant word of the doubleword result in the destination operand.
- **HighOrderWord(DEST * SRC)** — Multiplies a word operand by a word operand and stores the most significant word of the doubleword result in the destination operand.
- **Push(value)** — Pushes a value onto the stack. The number of bytes pushed is determined by the operand-size attribute of the instruction. See the “Operation” subsection of the “PUSH—Push Word, Doubleword, or Quadword Onto the Stack” section in Chapter 4 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2B.
- **Pop()** — removes the value from the top of the stack and returns it. The statement `EAX := Pop();` assigns to EAX the 32-bit value from the top of the stack. Pop will return either a word, a doubleword or a quadword depending on the operand-size attribute. See the “Operation” subsection in the “POP—Pop a Value From the Stack” section of Chapter 4 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2B.
- **PopRegisterStack** — Marks the FPU ST(0) register as empty and increments the FPU register stack pointer (TOP) by 1.
- **Switch-Tasks** — Performs a task switch.
- **Bit(BitBase, BitOffset)** — Returns the value of a bit within a bit string. The bit string is a sequence of bits in memory or a register. Bits are numbered from low-order to high-order within registers and within memory bytes. If the BitBase is a register, the BitOffset can be in the range 0 to [15, 31, 63] depending on the mode and register size. See Figure 3-1: the function `Bit[RAX, 21]` is illustrated.

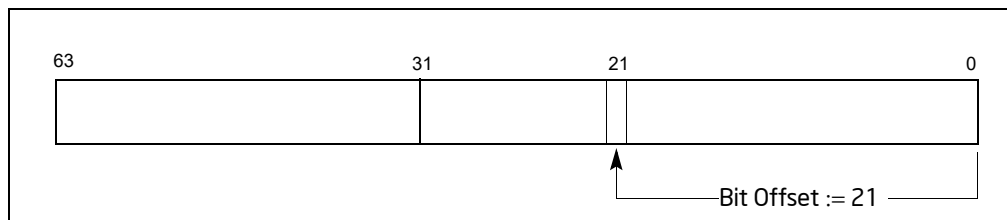


Figure 3-1. Bit Offset for `BIT[RAX, 21]`

If BitBase is a memory address, the BitOffset has different ranges depending on the operand size (see Table 3-2).

Table 3-2. Range of Bit Positions Specified by Bit Offset Operands

Operand Size	Immediate BitOffset	Register BitOffset
16	0 to 15	-2^{15} to $2^{15} - 1$
32	0 to 31	-2^{31} to $2^{31} - 1$
64	0 to 63	-2^{63} to $2^{63} - 1$

The addressed bit is numbered (Offset MOD 8) within the byte at address (BitBase + (BitOffset DIV 8)) where DIV is signed division with rounding towards negative infinity and MOD returns a positive number (see Figure 3-2).

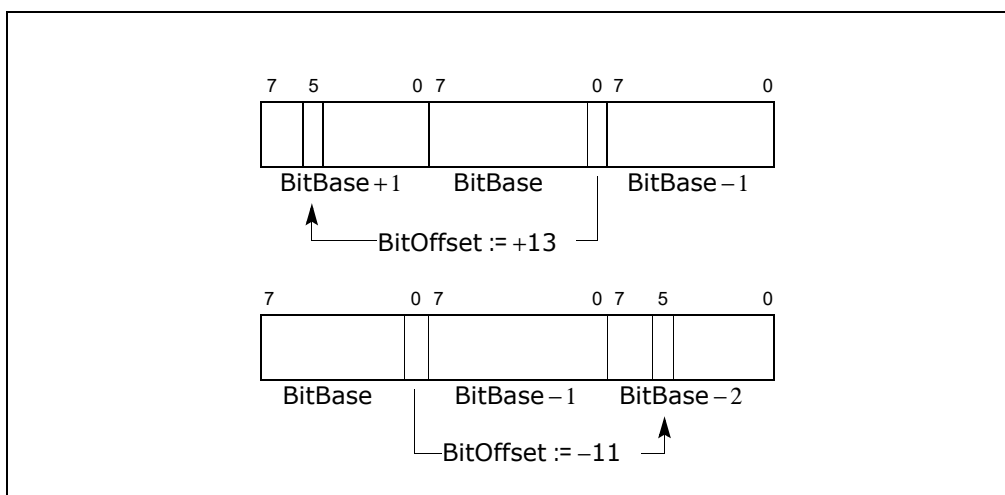


Figure 3-2. Memory Bit Indexing

3.1.1.10 Intel® C/C++ Compiler Intrinsics Equivalents Section

The Intel C/C++ compiler intrinsic functions give access to the full power of the Intel Architecture Instruction Set, while allowing the compiler to optimize register allocation and instruction scheduling for faster execution. Most of these functions are associated with a single IA instruction, although some may generate multiple instructions or different instructions depending upon how they are used. In particular, these functions are used to invoke instructions that perform operations on vector registers that can hold multiple data elements. These SIMD instructions use the following data types.

- `__m128`, `__m256`, and `__m512` can represent 4, 8, or 16 packed single precision floating-point values, and are used with the vector registers and SSE, AVX, or AVX-512 instruction set extension families. The `__m128` data type is also used with various single precision floating-point scalar instructions that perform calculations using only the lowest 32 bits of a vector register; the remaining bits of the result come from one of the sources or are set to zero depending upon the instruction.
- `__m128d`, `__m256d`, and `__m512d` can represent 2, 4, or 8 packed double precision floating-point values, and are used with the vector registers and SSE, AVX, or AVX-512 instruction set extension families. The `__m128d` data type is also used with various double precision floating-point scalar instructions that perform calculations using only the lowest 64 bits of a vector register; the remaining bits of the result come from one of the sources or are set to zero depending upon the instruction.
- `__m128i`, `__m256i`, and `__m512i` can represent integer data in bytes, words, doublewords, quadwords, and occasionally larger data types.

Each of these data types incorporates in its name the number of bits it can hold. For example, the `__m128` type holds 128 bits, and because each single precision floating-point value is 32 bits long the `__m128` type holds (128/32) or four values. Normally the compiler will allocate memory for these data types on an even multiple of the size of the type. Such aligned memory locations may be faster to read and write than locations at other addresses.

These SIMD data types are not basic Standard C data types or C++ objects, so they may be used only with the assignment operator, passed as function arguments, and returned from a function call. If you access the internal members of these types directly, or indirectly by using them in a union, there may be side effects affecting optimization, so it is recommended to use them only with the SIMD instruction intrinsic functions described in this manual or the Intel C/C++ compiler documentation.

Many intrinsic functions names are prefixed with an indicator of the vector length and suffixed by an indicator of the vector element data type, although some functions do not follow the rules below. The prefixes are:

- `_mm_` indicates that the function operates on 128-bit (or sometimes 64-bit) vectors.
- `_mm256_` indicates the function operates on 256-bit vectors.
- `_mm512_` indicates that the function operates on 512-bit vectors.

The suffixes include:

- `_ps`, which indicates a function that operates on packed single precision floating-point data. Packed single precision floating-point data corresponds to arrays of the C/C++ type `float` with either 4, 8 or 16 elements. Values of this type can be loaded from an array using the `_mm_loadu_ps`, `_mm256_loadu_ps`, or `_mm512_loadu_ps` functions, or created from individual values using `_mm_set_ps`, `_mm256_set_ps`, or `_mm512_set_ps` functions, and they can be stored in an array using `_mm_storeu_ps`, `_mm256_storeu_ps`, or `_mm512_storeu_ps`.
- `_ss`, which indicates a function that operates on scalar single precision floating-point data. Single precision floating-point data corresponds to the C/C++ type `float`, and values of type `float` can be converted to type `__m128` for use with these functions using the `_mm_set_ss` function, and converted back using the `_mm_cvtss_f32` function. When used with functions that operate on packed single precision floating-point data the scalar element corresponds with the first packed value.
- `_pd`, which indicates a function that operates on packed double precision floating-point data. Packed double precision floating-point data corresponds to arrays of the C/C++ type `double` with either 2, 4, or 8 elements. Values of this type can be loaded from an array using the `_mm_loadu_pd`, `_mm256_loadu_pd`, or `_mm512_loadu_pd` functions, or created from individual values using `_mm_set_pd`, `_mm256_set_pd`, or `_mm512_set_pd` functions, and they can be stored in an array using `_mm_storeu_pd`, `_mm256_storeu_pd`, or `_mm512_storeu_pd`.
- `_sd`, which indicates a function that operates on scalar double precision floating-point data. Double-precision floating-point data corresponds to the C/C++ type `double`, and values of type `double` can be converted to type `__m128d` for use with these functions using the `_mm_set_sd` function, and converted back using the `_mm_cvtsd_f64` function. When used with functions that operate on packed double precision floating-point data the scalar element corresponds with the first packed value.
- `_epi8`, which indicates a function that operates on packed 8-bit signed integer values. Packed 8-bit signed integers correspond to an array of `signed char` with 16, 32 or 64 elements. Values of this type can be created from individual elements using `_mm_set_epi8`, `_mm256_set_epi8`, or `_mm512_set_epi8` functions.
- `_epi16`, which indicates a function that operates on packed 16-bit signed integer values. Packed 16-bit signed integers correspond to an array of `short` with 8, 16 or 32 elements. Values of this type can be created from individual elements using `_mm_set_epi16`, `_mm256_set_epi16`, or `_mm512_set_epi16` functions.
- `_epi32`, which indicates a function that operates on packed 32-bit signed integer values. Packed 32-bit signed integers correspond to an array of `int` with 4, 8 or 16 elements. Values of this type can be created from individual elements using `_mm_set_epi32`, `_mm256_set_epi32`, or `_mm512_set_epi32` functions.
- `_epi64`, which indicates a function that operates on packed 64-bit signed integer values. Packed 64-bit signed integers correspond to an array of `long long` (or `long` if it is a 64-bit data type) with 2, 4 or 8 elements. Values of this type can be created from individual elements using `_mm_set_epi32`, `_mm256_set_epi32`, or `_mm512_set_epi32` functions.
- `_epu8`, which indicates a function that operates on packed 8-bit unsigned integer values. Packed 8-bit unsigned integers correspond to an array of `unsigned char` with 16, 32 or 64 elements.

- `_epu16`, which indicates a function that operates on packed 16-bit unsigned integer values. Packed 16-bit unsigned integers correspond to an array of *unsigned short* with 8, 16 or 32 elements.
- `_epu32`, which indicates a function that operates on packed 32-bit unsigned integer values. Packed 32-bit unsigned integers correspond to an array of *unsigned* with 4, 8 or 16 elements.
- `_epu64`, which indicates a function that operates on packed 64-bit unsigned integer values. Packed 64-bit unsigned integers correspond to an array of *unsigned long long* (or *unsigned long* if it is a 64-bit data type) with 2, 4 or 8 elements.
- `_si128`, which indicates a function that operates on a single 128-bit value of type `__m128i`.
- `_si256`, which indicates a function that operates on a single a 256-bit value of type `__m256i`.
- `_si512`, which indicates a function that operates on a single a 512-bit value of type `__m512i`.

Values of any packed integer type can be loaded from an array using the `_mm_loadu_si128`, `_mm256_loadu_si256`, or `_mm512_loadu_si512` functions, and they can be stored in an array using `_mm_storeu_si128`, `_mm256_storeu_si256`, or `_mm512_storeu_si512`.

These functions and data types are used with the SSE, AVX, and AVX-512 instruction set extension families. In addition there are similar functions that correspond to MMX instructions. These are less frequently used because they require additional state management, and only operate on 64-bit packed integer values.

The declarations of Intel C/C++ compiler intrinsic functions may reference some non-standard data types, such as `__int64`. The C Standard header `stdint.h` defines similar platform-independent types, and the documentation for that header gives characteristics that apply to corresponding non-standard types according to the following table.

Table 3-3. Standard and Non-Standard Data Types

Non-standard Type	Standard Type (from <code>stdint.h</code>)
<code>__int64</code>	<code>int64_t</code>
<code>unsigned __int64</code>	<code>uint64_t</code>
<code>__int32</code>	<code>int32_t</code>
<code>unsigned __int32</code>	<code>uint32_t</code>
<code>__int16</code>	<code>int16_t</code>
<code>unsigned __int16</code>	<code>uint16_t</code>

For a more detailed description of each intrinsic function and additional information related to its usage, refer to the online Intel Intrinsics Guide, <https://software.intel.com/sites/landingpage/IntrinsicsGuide>.

3.1.1.11 Flags Affected Section

The “Flags Affected” section lists the flags in the EFLAGS register that are affected by the instruction. When a flag is cleared, it is equal to 0; when it is set, it is equal to 1. The arithmetic and logical instructions usually assign values to the status flags in a uniform manner (see Appendix A, “EFLAGS Cross-Reference,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1). Non-conventional assignments are described in the “Operation” section. The values of flags listed as **undefined** may be changed by the instruction in an indeterminate manner. Flags that are not listed are unchanged by the instruction.

3.1.1.12 FPU Flags Affected Section

The floating-point instructions have an “FPU Flags Affected” section that describes how each instruction can affect the four condition code flags of the FPU status word.

3.1.1.13 Protected Mode Exceptions Section

The “Protected Mode Exceptions” section lists the exceptions that can occur when the instruction is executed in protected mode and the reasons for the exceptions. Each exception is given a mnemonic that consists of a pound

sign (#) followed by two letters and an optional error code in parentheses. For example, #GP(0) denotes a general protection exception with an error code of 0. Table 3-4 associates each two-letter mnemonic with the corresponding exception vector and name. See Chapter 6, “Procedure Calls, Interrupts, and Exceptions,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A, for a detailed description of the exceptions.

Application programmers should consult the documentation provided with their operating systems to determine the actions taken when exceptions occur.

Table 3-4. Intel 64 and IA-32 General Exceptions

Vector	Name	Source	Protected Mode ¹	Real Address Mode	Virtual 8086 Mode
0	#DE—Divide Error	DIV and IDIV instructions.	Yes	Yes	Yes
1	#DB—Debug	Any code or data reference.	Yes	Yes	Yes
3	#BP—Breakpoint	INT3 instruction.	Yes	Yes	Yes
4	#OF—Overflow	INTO instruction.	Yes	Yes	Yes
5	#BR—BOUND Range Exceeded	BOUND instruction.	Yes	Yes	Yes
6	#UD—Invalid Opcode (Undefined Opcode)	UD instruction or reserved opcode.	Yes	Yes	Yes
7	#NM—Device Not Available (No Math Coprocessor)	Floating-point or WAIT/FWAIT instruction.	Yes	Yes	Yes
8	#DF—Double Fault	Any instruction that can generate an exception, an NMI, or an INTR.	Yes	Yes	Yes
10	#TS—Invalid TSS	Task switch or TSS access.	Yes	Reserved	Yes
11	#NP—Segment Not Present	Loading segment registers or accessing system segments.	Yes	Reserved	Yes
12	#SS—Stack Segment Fault	Stack operations and SS register loads.	Yes	Yes	Yes
13	#GP—General Protection ²	Any memory reference and other protection checks.	Yes	Yes	Yes
14	#PF—Page Fault	Any memory reference.	Yes	Reserved	Yes
16	#MF—Floating-Point Error (Math Fault)	Floating-point or WAIT/FWAIT instruction.	Yes	Yes	Yes
17	#AC—Alignment Check	Any data reference in memory.	Yes	Reserved	Yes
18	#MC—Machine Check	Model dependent machine check errors.	Yes	Yes	Yes
19	#XM—SIMD Floating-Point Numeric Error	SSE/SSE2/SSE3 floating-point instructions.	Yes	Yes	Yes

NOTES:

1. Apply to protected mode, compatibility mode, and 64-bit mode.
2. In the real-address mode, vector 13 is the segment overrun exception.

3.1.1.14 Real-Address Mode Exceptions Section

The “Real-Address Mode Exceptions” section lists the exceptions that can occur when the instruction is executed in real-address mode (see Table 3-4).

3.1.1.15 Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions Section

The “Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions” section lists the exceptions that can occur when the instruction is executed in virtual-8086 mode (see Table 3-4).

3.1.1.16 Floating-Point Exceptions Section

The “Floating-Point Exceptions” section lists exceptions that can occur when an x87 FPU floating-point instruction is executed. All of these exception conditions result in a floating-point error exception (#MF, exception 16) being generated. Table 3-5 associates a one- or two-letter mnemonic with the corresponding exception name. See “Floating-Point Exception Conditions” in Chapter 8 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1, for a detailed description of these exceptions.

Table 3-5. x87 FPU Floating-Point Exceptions

Mnemonic	Name	Source
#IS #IA	Floating-point invalid operation: - Stack overflow or underflow - Invalid arithmetic operation	- x87 FPU stack overflow or underflow - Invalid FPU arithmetic operation
#Z	Floating-point divide-by-zero	Divide-by-zero
#D	Floating-point denormal operand	Source operand that is a denormal number
#O	Floating-point numeric overflow	Overflow in result
#U	Floating-point numeric underflow	Underflow in result
#P	Floating-point inexact result (precision)	Inexact result (precision)

3.1.1.17 SIMD Floating-Point Exceptions Section

The “SIMD Floating-Point Exceptions” section lists exceptions that can occur when an SSE/SSE2/SSE3 floating-point instruction is executed. All of these exception conditions result in a SIMD floating-point error exception (#XM, exception 19) being generated. Table 3-6 associates a one-letter mnemonic with the corresponding exception name. For a detailed description of these exceptions, refer to “SSE and SSE2 Exceptions”, in Chapter 11 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1.

Table 3-6. SIMD Floating-Point Exceptions

Mnemonic	Name	Source
#I	Floating-point invalid operation	Invalid arithmetic operation or source operand
#Z	Floating-point divide-by-zero	Divide-by-zero
#D	Floating-point denormal operand	Source operand that is a denormal number
#O	Floating-point numeric overflow	Overflow in result
#U	Floating-point numeric underflow	Underflow in result
#P	Floating-point inexact result	Inexact result (precision)

3.1.1.18 Compatibility Mode Exceptions Section

This section lists exceptions that occur within compatibility mode.

3.1.1.19 64-Bit Mode Exceptions Section

This section lists exceptions that occur within 64-bit mode.

3.2 INTEL® AMX CONSIDERATIONS

The following implementation parameters and helper functions are applicable to the Intel® AMX instructions.

3.2.1 Implementation Parameters

The parameters are reported via CPUID leaf 1DH. Index 0 reports all zeros for all fields.

```
define palette_table[id]:
    uint16_t total_tile_bytes
    uint16_t bytes_per_tile
    uint16_t bytes_per_row
    uint16_t max_names
    uint16_t max_rows
```

The tile parameters are set by LDTILECFG or XRSTOR* of TILECFG:

```
define tile[tid]:
    byte rows
    word colsb // bytes_per_row
    bool valid
```

3.2.2 Helper Functions

The helper functions used in Intel AMX instructions are defined below.

```
define write_row_and_zero(treg, r, data, nbytes):
    for j in 0 ...nbytes-1:
        treg.row[r].byte[j] := data.byte[j]

    // zero the rest of the row
    for j in nbytes ... palette_table[tilecfg.palette_id].bytes_per_row-1:
        treg.row[r].byte[j] := 0

define zero_upper_rows(treg, r):
    for i in r ... palette_table[tilecfg.palette_id].max_rows-1:
        for j in 0 ... palette_table[tilecfg.palette_id].bytes_per_row-1:
            treg.row[i].byte[j] := 0

define zero_tilecfg_start():
    tilecfg.start_row :=0

define zero_all_tile_data():
    if XCR0[TILEDATA]:
        b := CPUID(0xD, TILEDATA).EAX // size of feature
        for j in 0 ... b:
            TILEDATA.byte[j] := 0
```



```
define xcr0_supports_palette(palette_id):  
    if palette_id == 0:  
        return 1  
    elif palette_id == 1:  
        if XCR0[TILECFG] and XCR0[TILEDATA]:  
            return 1  
    return 0
```

3.3 INSTRUCTIONS (A-L)

The remainder of this chapter provides descriptions of Intel 64 and IA-32 instructions (A-L). See also: Chapter 4, “Instruction Set Reference, M-U,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2B; Chapter 5, “Instruction Set Reference, V,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2C; and Chapter 6, “Instruction Set Reference, W-Z,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2D.

CPUID—CPU Identification

Opcode	Instruction	Op/En	64-Bit Mode	Compat/Leg Mode	Description
0F A2	CPUID	Z0	Valid	Valid	Returns processor identification and feature information to the EAX, EBX, ECX, and EDX registers, as determined by input entered in EAX (in some cases, ECX as well).

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Operand 4
Z0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Description

The ID flag (bit 21) in the EFLAGS register indicates support for the CPUID instruction. If a software procedure can set and clear this flag, the processor executing the procedure supports the CPUID instruction. This instruction operates the same in non-64-bit modes and 64-bit mode.

CPUID returns processor identification and feature information in the EAX, EBX, ECX, and EDX registers.¹ The instruction's output is dependent on the contents of the EAX register upon execution (in some cases, ECX as well). For example, the following pseudocode loads EAX with 00H and causes CPUID to return a Maximum Return Value and the Vendor Identification String in the appropriate registers:

```
MOV EAX, 00H
CPUID
```

Table 3-8 shows information returned, depending on the initial value loaded into the EAX register.

Two types of information are returned: basic and extended function information. If a value entered for CPUID.EAX is higher than the maximum input value for basic or extended function for that processor then the data for the highest basic information leaf is returned. For example, using some Intel processors, the following is true:

```
CPUID.EAX = 05H (* Returns MONITOR/MWAIT leaf. *)
CPUID.EAX = 0AH (* Returns Architectural Performance Monitoring leaf. *)
CPUID.EAX = 0BH (* Returns Extended Topology Enumeration leaf. *)2
CPUID.EAX = 1FH (* Returns V2 Extended Topology Enumeration leaf. *)2
CPUID.EAX = 80000008H (* Returns linear/physical address size data. *)
CPUID.EAX = 8000000AH (* INVALID: Returns same information as CPUID.EAX = 0BH. *)
```

If a value entered for CPUID.EAX is less than or equal to the maximum input value and the leaf is not supported on that processor then 0 is returned in all the registers.

When CPUID returns the highest basic leaf information as a result of an invalid input EAX value, any dependence on input ECX value in the basic leaf is honored.

CPUID can be executed at any privilege level to serialize instruction execution. Serializing instruction execution guarantees that any modifications to flags, registers, and memory for previous instructions are completed before the next instruction is fetched and executed.

See also:

"Serializing Instructions" in Chapter 9, "Multiple-Processor Management," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3A.

"Caching Translation Information" in Chapter 4, "Paging," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3A.

1. On Intel 64 processors, CPUID clears the high 32 bits of the RAX/RBX/RCX/RDX registers in all modes.
2. CPUID leaf 1FH is a preferred superset to leaf 0BH. Intel recommends first checking for the existence of CPUID leaf 1FH before using leaf 0BH.

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
<i>Basic CPUID Information</i>		
0H	EAX	Maximum Input Value for Basic CPUID Information.
	EBX	"Genu"
	ECX	"ntel"
	EDX	"inel"
01H	EAX	Version Information: Type, Family, Model, and Stepping ID (see Figure 3-6).
	EBX	Bits 07-00: Brand Index. Bits 15-08: CLFLUSH line size (Value * 8 = cache line size in bytes; used also by CLFLUSHOPT). Bits 23-16: Maximum number of addressable IDs for logical processors in this physical package*. Bits 31-24: Initial APIC ID**.
	ECX	Feature Information (see Figure 3-7 and Table 3-10).
	EDX	Feature Information (see Figure 3-8 and Table 3-11).
		NOTES: * The nearest power-of-2 integer that is not smaller than EBX[23:16] is the number of unique initial APIC IDs reserved for addressing different logical processors in a physical package. This field is only valid if CPUID.1.EDX.HTT[bit 28]= 1. ** The 8-bit initial APIC ID in EBX[31:24] is replaced by the 32-bit x2APIC ID, available in Leaf 0BH and Leaf 1FH.
02H	EAX	Cache and TLB Information (see Table 3-12).
	EBX	Cache and TLB Information.
	ECX	Cache and TLB Information.
	EDX	Cache and TLB Information.
03H	EAX	Reserved.
	EBX	Reserved.
	ECX	Bits 00-31 of 96-bit processor serial number. (Available in Pentium III processor only; otherwise, the value in this register is reserved.)
	EDX	Bits 32-63 of 96-bit processor serial number. (Available in Pentium III processor only; otherwise, the value in this register is reserved.)
		NOTES: Processor serial number (PSN) is not supported in the Pentium 4 processor or later. On all models, use the PSN flag (returned using CPUID) to check for PSN support before accessing the feature.
CPUID leaves above 2 and below 80000000H are visible only when IA32_MISC_ENABLE[bit 22] has its default value of 0.		
<i>Deterministic Cache Parameters Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 04H)</i>		
04H		NOTES: Leaf 04H output depends on the initial value in ECX.* See also: "INPUT EAX = 04H: Returns Deterministic Cache Parameters for Each Level" on page 250.
	EAX	Bits 04-00: Cache Type Field. 0 = Null - No more caches. 1 = Data Cache. 2 = Instruction Cache. 3 = Unified Cache. 4-31 = Reserved.

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
		<p>Bits 07-05: Cache Level (starts at 1). Bit 08: Self Initializing cache level (does not need SW initialization). Bit 09: Fully Associative cache.</p> <p>Bits 13-10: Reserved. Bits 25-14: Maximum number of addressable IDs for logical processors sharing this cache**, ***. Bits 31-26: Maximum number of addressable IDs for processor cores in the physical package**, ****, *****.</p> <p>EBX Bits 11-00: L = System Coherency Line Size**. Bits 21-12: P = Physical Line partitions**. Bits 31-22: W = Ways of associativity**.</p> <p>ECX Bits 31-00: S = Number of Sets**.</p> <p>EDX Bit 00: Write-Back Invalidate/Invalidate. 0 = WBINVD/INVD from threads sharing this cache acts upon lower level caches for threads sharing this cache. 1 = WBINVD/INVD is not guaranteed to act upon lower level caches of non-originating threads sharing this cache. Bit 01: Cache Inclusiveness. 0 = Cache is not inclusive of lower cache levels. 1 = Cache is inclusive of lower cache levels. Bit 02: Complex Cache Indexing. 0 = Direct mapped cache. 1 = A complex function is used to index the cache, potentially using all address bits. Bits 31-03: Reserved = 0.</p> <p>NOTES:</p> <p>* If ECX contains an invalid sub leaf index, EAX/EBX/ECX/EDX return 0. Sub-leaf index n+1 is invalid if sub-leaf n returns EAX[4:0] as 0.</p> <p>** Add one to the return value to get the result.</p> <p>***The nearest power-of-2 integer that is not smaller than (1 + EAX[25:14]) is the number of unique initial APIC IDs reserved for addressing different logical processors sharing this cache.</p> <p>**** The nearest power-of-2 integer that is not smaller than (1 + EAX[31:26]) is the number of unique Core_IDs reserved for addressing different processor cores in a physical package. Core ID is a subset of bits of the initial APIC ID.</p> <p>***** The returned value is constant for valid initial values in ECX. Valid ECX values start from 0.</p>
	<i>MONITOR/MWAIT Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 05H)</i>	
05H	EAX	<p>Bits 15-00: Smallest monitor-line size in bytes (default is processor's monitor granularity). Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0.</p> <p>EBX Bits 15-00: Largest monitor-line size in bytes (default is processor's monitor granularity). Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0.</p> <p>ECX Bit 00: Enumeration of Monitor-Mwait extensions (beyond EAX and EBX registers) supported. Bit 01: Supports treating interrupts as break-event for MWAIT, even when interrupts disabled. Bits 31-02: Reserved.</p> <p>EDX Bits 03-00: Number of C0* sub C-states supported using MWAIT. Bits 07-04: Number of C1* sub C-states supported using MWAIT. Bits 11-08: Number of C2* sub C-states supported using MWAIT. Bits 15-12: Number of C3* sub C-states supported using MWAIT. Bits 19-16: Number of C4* sub C-states supported using MWAIT. Bits 23-20: Number of C5* sub C-states supported using MWAIT. Bits 27-24: Number of C6* sub C-states supported using MWAIT. Bits 31-28: Number of C7* sub C-states supported using MWAIT.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
	<p>NOTE: * The definition of C0 through C7 states for MWAIT extension are processor-specific C-states, not ACPI C-states.</p>	
<i>Thermal and Power Management Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 06H)</i>		
06H	EAX	<p>Bit 00: Digital temperature sensor is supported if set. Bit 01: Intel Turbo Boost Technology available (see description of IA32_MISC_ENABLE[38]). Bit 02: ARAT. APIC-Timer-always-running feature is supported if set. Bit 03: Reserved. Bit 04: PLN. Power limit notification controls are supported if set. Bit 05: ECMD. Clock modulation duty cycle extension is supported if set. Bit 06: PTM. Package thermal management is supported if set. Bit 07: HWP. HWP base registers (IA32_PM_ENABLE[bit 0], IA32_HWP_CAPABILITIES, IA32_HWP_REQUEST, IA32_HWP_STATUS) are supported if set. Bit 08: HWP_Notification. IA32_HWP_INTERRUPT MSR is supported if set. Bit 09: HWP_Activity_Window. IA32_HWP_REQUEST[bits 41:32] is supported if set. Bit 10: HWP_Energy_Performance_Preference. IA32_HWP_REQUEST[bits 31:24] is supported if set. Bit 11: HWP_Package_Level_Request. IA32_HWP_REQUEST_PKG MSR is supported if set. Bit 12: Reserved. Bit 13: HDC. HDC base registers IA32_PKG_HDC_CTL, IA32_PM_CTL1, IA32_THREAD_STALL MSRs are supported if set. Bit 14: Intel® Turbo Boost Max Technology 3.0 available. Bit 15: HWP Capabilities. Highest Performance change is supported if set. Bit 16: HWP PECL override is supported if set. Bit 17: Flexible HWP is supported if set. Bit 18: Fast access mode for the IA32_HWP_REQUEST MSR is supported if set. Bit 19: HW_FEEDBACK. IA32_HW_FEEDBACK_PTR MSR, IA32_HW_FEEDBACK_CONFIG MSR, IA32_PACKAGE_THERM_STATUS MSR bit 26, and IA32_PACKAGE_THERM_INTERRUPT MSR bit 25 are supported if set. Bit 20: Ignoring Idle Logical Processor HWP request is supported if set. Bits 22-21: Reserved. Bit 23: Intel® Thread Director supported if set. IA32_HW_FEEDBACK_CHAR and IA32_HW_FEEDBACK_THREAD_CONFIG MSRs are supported if set. Bit 24: IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT MSR bit 25 is supported if set. Bits 31-25: Reserved.</p>
	EBX	<p>Bits 03-00: Number of Interrupt Thresholds in Digital Thermal Sensor. Bits 31-04: Reserved.</p>
	ECX	<p>Bit 00: Hardware Coordination Feedback Capability (Presence of IA32_MPERF and IA32_APERF). The capability to provide a measure of delivered processor performance (since last reset of the counters), as a percentage of the expected processor performance when running at the TSC frequency. Bits 02-01: Reserved = 0. Bit 03: The processor supports performance-energy bias preference if CPUID.06H:ECX.SETBH[bit 3] is set and it also implies the presence of a new architectural MSR called IA32_ENERGY_PERF_BIAS (1BOH). Bits 07-04: Reserved = 0. Bits 15-08: Number of Intel® Thread Director classes supported by the processor. Information for that many classes is written into the Intel Thread Director Table by the hardware. Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
	EDX	<p>Bits 07-00: Bitmap of supported hardware feedback interface capabilities. 0 = When set to 1, indicates support for performance capability reporting. 1 = When set to 1, indicates support for energy efficiency capability reporting. 2-7 = Reserved</p> <p>Bits 11-08: Enumerates the size of the hardware feedback interface structure in number of 4 KB pages; add one to the return value to get the result.</p> <p>Bits 31-16: Index (starting at 0) of this logical processor's row in the hardware feedback interface structure. Note that on some parts the index may be same for multiple logical processors. On some parts the indices may not be contiguous, i.e., there may be unused rows in the hardware feedback interface structure.</p> <p>NOTE: Bits 0 and 1 will always be set together.</p>
<i>Structured Extended Feature Flags Enumeration Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 07H, ECX = 0)</i>		
07H	EAX EBX	<p>Bits 31-00: Reports the maximum input value for supported leaf 7 sub-leaves.</p> <p>Bit 00: FSGSBASE. Supports RDFSBASE/RDGSBASE/WRFSBASE/WRGSBASE if 1. Bit 01: IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR is supported if 1. Bit 02: SGX. Supports Intel® Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX Extensions) if 1. Bit 03: BMI1. Bit 04: HLE. Bit 05: AVX2. Supports Intel® Advanced Vector Extensions 2 (Intel® AVX2) if 1. Bit 06: FDP_EXCPTN_ONLY. x87 FPU Data Pointer updated only on x87 exceptions if 1. Bit 07: SMEP. Supports Supervisor-Mode Execution Prevention if 1. Bit 08: BMI2. Bit 09: Supports Enhanced REP MOVSB/STOSB if 1. Bit 10: INVPCID. If 1, supports INVPCID instruction for system software that manages process-context identifiers. Bit 11: RTM. Bit 12: RDT-M. Supports Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Monitoring capability if 1. Bit 13: Deprecates FPU CS and FPU DS values if 1. Bit 14: MPX. Supports Intel® Memory Protection Extensions if 1. Bit 15: RDT-A. Supports Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Allocation capability if 1. Bit 16: AVX512F. Bit 17: AVX512DQ. Bit 18: RDSEED. Bit 19: ADX. Bit 20: SMAP. Supports Supervisor-Mode Access Prevention (and the CLAC/STAC instructions) if 1. Bit 21: AVX512_IFMA. Bit 22: Reserved. Bit 23: CLFLUSHOPT. Bit 24: CLWB. Bit 25: Intel Processor Trace. Bit 26: AVX512PF. (Intel® Xeon Phi™ only.) Bit 27: AVX512ER. (Intel® Xeon Phi™ only.) Bit 28: AVX512CD. Bit 29: SHA. supports Intel® Secure Hash Algorithm Extensions (Intel® SHA Extensions) if 1. Bit 30: AVX512BW. Bit 31: AVX512VL.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor
ECX	<p>Bit 00: PREFETCHWT1. (Intel® Xeon Phi™ only.)</p> <p>Bit 01: AVX512_VBMI.</p> <p>Bit 02: UMIP. Supports user-mode instruction prevention if 1.</p> <p>Bit 03: PKU. Supports protection keys for user-mode pages if 1.</p> <p>Bit 04: OSPKE. If 1, OS has set CR4.PKE to enable protection keys (and the RDPKRU/WRPKRU instructions).</p> <p>Bit 05: WAITPKG.</p> <p>Bit 06: AVX512_VBMI2.</p> <p>Bit 07: CET_SS. Supports CET shadow stack features if 1. Processors that set this bit define bits 1:0 of the IA32_U_CET and IA32_S_CET MSRs. Enumerates support for the following MSRs: IA32_INTERRUPT_SPP_TABLE_ADDR, IA32_PL3_SSP, IA32_PL2_SSP, IA32_PL1_SSP, and IA32_PL0_SSP.</p> <p>Bit 08: GFNI.</p> <p>Bit 09: VAES.</p> <p>Bit 10: VPCLMULQDQ.</p> <p>Bit 11: AVX512_VNNI.</p> <p>Bit 12: AVX512_BITALG.</p> <p>Bits 13: TME_EN. If 1, the following MSRs are supported: IA32_TME_CAPABILITY, IA32_TME_ACTIVATE, IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_MASK, and IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_BASE.</p> <p>Bit 14: AVX512_VPOPCNTDQ.</p> <p>Bit 15: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 16: LA57. Supports 57-bit linear addresses and five-level paging if 1.</p> <p>Bits 21-17: The value of MAWAU used by the BNDLDX and BNDSTX instructions in 64-bit mode.</p> <p>Bit 22: RDPID and IA32_TSC_AUX are available if 1.</p> <p>Bit 23: KL. Supports Key Locker if 1.</p> <p>Bit 24: BUS_LOCK_DETECT. If 1, indicates support for OS bus-lock detection.</p> <p>Bit 25: CLDEMOTE. Supports cache line demote if 1.</p> <p>Bit 26: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 27: MOVDIRI. Supports MOVDIRI if 1.</p> <p>Bit 28: MOVDIR64B. Supports MOVDIR64B if 1.</p> <p>Bit 29: ENQCMD. Supports Enqueue Stores if 1.</p> <p>Bit 30: SGX_LC. Supports SGX Launch Configuration if 1.</p> <p>Bit 31: PKS. Supports protection keys for supervisor-mode pages if 1.</p>
EDX	<p>Bit 00: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 01: SGX-KEYS. If 1, Attestation Services for Intel® SGX is supported.</p> <p>Bit 02: AVX512_4VNNIW. (Intel® Xeon Phi™ only.)</p> <p>Bit 03: AVX512_4FMAPS. (Intel® Xeon Phi™ only.)</p> <p>Bit 04: Fast Short REP MOV.</p> <p>Bit 05: UINTR. If 1, the processor supports user interrupts.</p> <p>Bits 07-06: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 08: AVX512_VP2INTERSECT.</p> <p>Bit 09: SRBDS_CTRL. If 1, enumerates support for the IA32_MCU_OPT_CTRL MSR and indicates its bit 0 (RNGDS_MITG_DIS) is also supported.</p> <p>Bit 10: MD_CLEAR supported.</p> <p>Bit 11: RTM_ALWAYS_ABORT. If set, any execution of XBEGIN immediately aborts and transitions to the specified fallback address.</p> <p>Bit 12: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 13: If 1, RTM_FORCE_ABORT supported. Processors that set this bit support the IA32_TSX_FORCE_ABORT MSR. They allow software to set IA32_TSX_FORCE_ABORT[0] (RTM_FORCE_ABORT).</p> <p>Bit 14: SERIALIZE.</p> <p>Bit 15: Hybrid. If 1, the processor is identified as a hybrid part. If CPUID.0.MAXLEAF ≥ 1AH and CPUID.1A.EAX ≠ 0, then the Native Model ID Enumeration Leaf 1AH exists.</p> <p>Bit 16: TSXLDTRK. If 1, the processor supports Intel TSX suspend/resume of load address tracking.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor
	<p>Bit 17: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 18: PCONFIG. Supports PCONFIG if 1.</p> <p>Bit 19: Architectural LBRs. If 1, indicates support for architectural LBRs.</p> <p>Bit 20: CET_IBT. Supports CET indirect branch tracking features if 1. Processors that set this bit define bits 5:2 and bits 63:10 of the IA32_U_CET and IA32_S_CET MSRs.</p> <p>Bit 21: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 22: AMX-BF16. If 1, the processor supports tile computational operations on bfloat16 numbers.</p> <p>Bit 23: AVX512_FP16.</p> <p>Bit 24: AMX-TILE. If 1, the processor supports tile architecture.</p> <p>Bits 25: AMX-INT8. If 1, the processor supports tile computational operations on 8-bit integers.</p> <p>Bit 26: Enumerates support for indirect branch restricted speculation (IBRS) and the indirect branch predictor barrier (IBPB). Processors that set this bit support the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR and the IA32_PRED_CMD MSR. They allow software to set IA32_SPEC_CTRL[0] (IBRS) and IA32_PRED_CMD[0] (IBPB).</p> <p>Bit 27: Enumerates support for single thread indirect branch predictors (STIBP). Processors that set this bit support the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR. They allow software to set IA32_SPEC_CTRL[1] (STIBP).</p> <p>Bit 28: Enumerates support for L1D_FLUSH. Processors that set this bit support the IA32_FLUSH_CMD MSR. They allow software to set IA32_FLUSH_CMD[0] (L1D_FLUSH).</p> <p>Bit 29: Enumerates support for the IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES MSR.</p> <p>Bit 30: Enumerates support for the IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES MSR.</p> <p>IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES is an architectural MSR that enumerates model-specific features. A bit being set in this MSR indicates that a model specific feature is supported; software must still consult CPUID family/model/stepping to determine the behavior of the enumerated feature as features enumerated in IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES may have different behavior on different processor models. Some of these features may have behavior that is consistent across processor models (and for which consultation of CPUID family/model/stepping is not necessary); such features are identified explicitly where they are documented in this manual.</p> <p>Bit 31: Enumerates support for Speculative Store Bypass Disable (SSBD). Processors that set this bit support the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR. They allow software to set IA32_SPEC_CTRL[2] (SSBD).</p> <p>NOTE:</p> <p>* If ECX contains an invalid sub-leaf index, EAX/EBX/ECX/EDX return 0. Sub-leaf index n is invalid if n exceeds the value that sub-leaf 0 returns in EAX.</p>
<i>Structured Extended Feature Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 07H, ECX = 1)</i>	
07H	<p>NOTES:</p> <p>Leaf 07H output depends on the initial value in ECX.</p> <p>If ECX contains an invalid sub leaf index, EAX/EBX/ECX/EDX return 0.</p> <p>EAX</p> <p>This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, 1, is invalid.</p> <p>Bits 03-00: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 04: AVX-VNNI. AVX (VEX-encoded) versions of the Vector Neural Network Instructions.</p> <p>Bit 05: AVX512_BF16. Vector Neural Network Instructions supporting BFLOAT16 inputs and conversion instructions from IEEE single precision.</p> <p>Bits 09-06: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 10: If 1, supports fast zero-length REP MOVSB.</p> <p>Bit 11: If 1, supports fast short REP STOSB.</p> <p>Bit 12: If 1, supports fast short REP CMPSB, REP SCASB.</p> <p>Bits 21-13: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 22: HRESET. If 1, supports history reset via the HRESET instruction and the IA32_HRESET_ENABLE MSR. When set, indicates that the Processor History Reset Leaf (EAX = 20H) is valid.</p> <p>Bits 31-23: Reserved.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
	EBX	This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, 1, is invalid. Bit 00: Enumerates the presence of the IA32_PPIN and IA32_PPIN_CTL MSRs. If 1, these MSRs are supported. Bits 31-01: Reserved.
	ECX	This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, 1, is invalid; otherwise it is reserved.
	EDX	This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, 1, is invalid. Bits 17-00: Reserved. Bit 18: CET_SSS. If 1, indicates that an operating system can enable supervisor shadow stacks as long as it ensures that a supervisor shadow stack cannot become prematurely busy due to page faults (see Section 17.2.3 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1). When emulating the CPUID instruction, a virtual-machine monitor (VMM) should return this bit as 1 only if it ensures that VM exits cannot cause a guest supervisor shadow stack to appear to be prematurely busy. Such a VMM could set the “prematurely busy shadow stack” VM-exit control and use the additional information that it provides. Bits 31-19: Reserved.
<i>Structured Extended Feature Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 07H, ECX = 2)</i>		
07H		NOTES: Leaf 07H output depends on the initial value in ECX. If ECX contains an invalid sub leaf index, EAX/EBX/ECX/EDX return 0.
	EAX	This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, 2, is invalid; otherwise it is reserved.
	EBX	This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, 2, is invalid; otherwise it is reserved.
	ECX	This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, 2, is invalid; otherwise it is reserved.
	EDX	This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, 2, is invalid. Bit 00: PSFD. If 1, indicates bit 7 of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR is supported. Bit 7 of this MSR disables Fast Store Forwarding Predictor without disabling Speculative Store Bypass. Bit 01: IPRED_CTRL. If 1, indicates bits 3 and 4 of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR are supported. Bit 3 of this MSR enables IPRED_DIS control for CPL3. Bit 4 of this MSR enables IPRED_DIS control for CPL0/1/2. Bit 02: RRSBA_CTRL. If 1, indicates bits 5 and 6 of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR are supported. Bit 5 of this MSR disables RRSBA behavior for CPL3. Bit 6 of this MSR disables RRSBA behavior for CPL0/1/2. Bit 03: DDPD_U. If 1, indicates bit 8 of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR is supported. Bit 8 of this MSR disables Data Dependent Prefetcher. Bit 04: BHI_CTRL. If 1, indicates bit 10 of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR is supported. Bit 10 of this MSR enables BHI_DIS_S behavior. Bit 05: MCDT_NO. Processors that enumerate this bit as 1 do not exhibit MXCSR Configuration Dependent Timing (MCDT) behavior and do not need to be mitigated to avoid data-dependent behavior for certain instructions. Bits 31-06: Reserved.
<i>Direct Cache Access Information Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 09H)</i>		
09H	EAX	Value of bits [31:0] of IA32_PLATFORM_DCA_CAP MSR (address 1F8H).
	EBX	Reserved.
	ECX	Reserved.
	EDX	Reserved.

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
<i>Architectural Performance Monitoring Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 0AH)</i>		
0AH	EAX	<p>Bits 07-00: Version ID of architectural performance monitoring.</p> <p>Bits 15-08: Number of general-purpose performance monitoring counter per logical processor.</p> <p>Bits 23-16: Bit width of general-purpose, performance monitoring counter.</p> <p>Bits 31-24: Length of EBX bit vector to enumerate architectural performance monitoring events. Architectural event x is supported if $EBX[x]=0 \ \&\& \ EAX[31:24]>x$.</p>
	EBX	<p>Bit 00: Core cycle event not available if 1 or if $EAX[31:24]<1$.</p> <p>Bit 01: Instruction retired event not available if 1 or if $EAX[31:24]<2$.</p> <p>Bit 02: Reference cycles event not available if 1 or if $EAX[31:24]<3$.</p> <p>Bit 03: Last-level cache reference event not available if 1 or if $EAX[31:24]<4$.</p> <p>Bit 04: Last-level cache misses event not available if 1 or if $EAX[31:24]<5$.</p> <p>Bit 05: Branch instruction retired event not available if 1 or if $EAX[31:24]<6$.</p> <p>Bit 06: Branch mispredict retired event not available if 1 or if $EAX[31:24]<7$.</p> <p>Bit 07: Top-down slots event not available if 1 or if $EAX[31:24]<8$.</p> <p>Bits 31-08: Reserved = 0.</p>
	ECX	<p>Bits 31-00: Supported fixed counters bit mask. Fixed-function performance counter 'i' is supported if bit 'i' is 1 (first counter index starts at zero). It is recommended to use the following logic to determine if a Fixed Counter is supported: $FxCtr[i]_{is_supported} := ECX[i] \ \ (EDX[4:0] > i)$;</p>
	EDX	<p>Bits 04-00: Number of contiguous fixed-function performance counters starting from 0 (if Version ID > 1).</p> <p>Bits 12-05: Bit width of fixed-function performance counters (if Version ID > 1).</p> <p>Bits 14-13: Reserved = 0.</p> <p>Bit 15: AnyThread deprecation.</p> <p>Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0.</p>
<i>Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 0BH)</i>		
0BH		<p>NOTES:</p> <p><i>CPUID leaf 1FH is a preferred superset to leaf 0BH. Intel recommends first checking for the existence of Leaf 1FH before using leaf 0BH.</i></p> <p>The sub-leaves of CPUID leaf 0BH describe an ordered hierarchy of logical processors starting from the smallest-scoped domain of a Logical Processor (sub-leaf index 0) to the Core domain (sub-leaf index 1) to the largest-scoped domain (the last valid sub-leaf index) that is implicitly subordinate to the unenumerated highest-scoped domain of the processor package (socket).</p> <p>The details of each valid domain is enumerated by a corresponding sub-leaf. Details for a domain include its type and how all instances of that domain determine the number of logical processors and x2 APIC ID partitioning at the next higher-scoped domain. The ordering of domains within the hierarchy is fixed architecturally as shown below. For a given processor, not all domains may be relevant or enumerated; however, the logical processor and core domains are always enumerated.</p> <p>For two valid sub-leaves N and N+1, sub-leaf N+1 represents the next immediate higher-scoped domain with respect to the domain of sub-leaf N for the given processor.</p> <p>If sub-leaf index "N" returns an invalid domain type in ECX[15:08] (00H), then all sub-leaves with an index greater than "N" shall also return an invalid domain type. A sub-leaf returning an invalid domain always returns 0 in EAX and EBX.</p>
	EAX	<p>Bits 04-00: The number of bits that the x2APIC ID must be shifted to the right to address instances of the next higher-scoped domain. When logical processor is not supported by the processor, the value of this field at the Logical Processor domain sub-leaf may be returned as either 0 (no allocated bits in the x2APIC ID) or 1 (one allocated bit in the x2APIC ID); software should plan accordingly.</p> <p>Bits 31-05: Reserved.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor										
	EBX	Bits 15-00: The number of logical processors across all instances of this domain within the next higher-scoped domain. (For example, in a processor socket/package comprising “M” dies of “N” cores each, where each core has “L” logical processors, the “die” domain sub-leaf value of this field would be M*N*L.) This number reflects configuration as shipped by Intel. Note, software must not use this field to enumerate processor topology*. Bits 31-16: Reserved.									
	ECX	Bits 07-00: The input ECX sub-leaf index. Bits 15-08: Domain Type. This field provides an identification value which indicates the domain as shown below. Although domains are ordered, their assigned identification values are not and software should not depend on it. <table border="1" data-bbox="440 625 1386 716" style="margin-left: 40px;"> <thead> <tr> <th><u>Hierarchy</u></th> <th><u>Domain</u></th> <th><u>Domain Type Identification Value</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Lowest</td> <td>Logical Processor</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Highest</td> <td>Core</td> <td>2</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> (Note that enumeration values of 0 and 3-255 are reserved.)	<u>Hierarchy</u>	<u>Domain</u>	<u>Domain Type Identification Value</u>	Lowest	Logical Processor	1	Highest	Core	2
<u>Hierarchy</u>	<u>Domain</u>	<u>Domain Type Identification Value</u>									
Lowest	Logical Processor	1									
Highest	Core	2									
	EDX	Bits 31-16: Reserved. Bits 31-00: x2APIC ID of the current logical processor. NOTES: * Software must not use the value of EBX[15:0] to enumerate processor topology of the system. The value is only intended for display and diagnostic purposes. The actual number of logical processors available to BIOS/OS/Applications may be different from the value of EBX[15:0], depending on software and platform hardware configurations.									
<i>Processor Extended State Enumeration Main Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 0DH, ECX = 0)</i>											
0DH		NOTES: Leaf 0DH main leaf (ECX = 0).									
	EAX	Bits 31-00: Reports the supported bits of the lower 32 bits of XCR0. XCR0[n] can be set to 1 only if EAX[n] is 1. Bit 00: x87 state. Bit 01: SSE state. Bit 02: AVX state. Bits 04-03: MPX state. Bits 07-05: AVX-512 state. Bit 08: Used for IA32_XSS. Bit 09: PKRU state. Bits 16-10: Used for IA32_XSS. Bit 17: TILECFG state. Bit 18: TILEDATA state. Bits 31-19: Reserved.									
	EBX	Bits 31-00: Maximum size (bytes, from the beginning of the XSAVE/XRSTOR save area) required by enabled features in XCR0. May be different than ECX if some features at the end of the XSAVE save area are not enabled.									
	ECX	Bit 31-00: Maximum size (bytes, from the beginning of the XSAVE/XRSTOR save area) of the XSAVE/XRSTOR save area required by all supported features in the processor, i.e., all the valid bit fields in XCR0.									
	EDX	Bit 31-00: Reports the supported bits of the upper 32 bits of XCR0. XCR0[n+32] can be set to 1 only if EDX[n] is 1. Bits 31-00: Reserved.									

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
<i>Processor Extended State Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 0DH, ECX = 1)</i>		
0DH	EAX	<p>Bit 00: XSAVEOPT is available.</p> <p>Bit 01: Supports XSAVEC and the compacted form of XRSTOR if set.</p> <p>Bit 02: Supports XGETBV with ECX = 1 if set.</p> <p>Bit 03: Supports XSAVES/XRSTORS and IA32_XSS if set.</p> <p>Bit 04: Supports extended feature disable (XFD) if set.</p> <p>Bits 31-05: Reserved.</p>
	EBX	<p>Bits 31-00: The size in bytes of the XSAVE area containing all states enabled by XCRO IA32_XSS.</p> <p>NOTES: If EAX[3] is enumerated as 0 and EAX[1] is enumerated as 1, EBX enumerates the size of the XSAVE area containing all states enabled by XCRO. If EAX[1] and EAX[3] are both enumerated as 0, EBX enumerates zero.</p>
	ECX	<p>Bits 31-00: Reports the supported bits of the lower 32 bits of the IA32_XSS MSR. IA32_XSS[n] can be set to 1 only if ECX[n] is 1.</p> <p>Bits 07-00: Used for XCRO.</p> <p>Bit 08: PT state.</p> <p>Bit 09: Used for XCRO.</p> <p>Bit 10: PASID state.</p> <p>Bit 11: CET user state.</p> <p>Bit 12: CET supervisor state.</p> <p>Bit 13: HDC state.</p> <p>Bit 14: UINTR state.</p> <p>Bit 15: LBR state (only for the architectural LBR feature).</p> <p>Bit 16: HWP state.</p> <p>Bits 18-17: Used for XCRO.</p> <p>Bits 31-19: Reserved.</p>
	EDX	<p>Bits 31-00: Reports the supported bits of the upper 32 bits of the IA32_XSS MSR. IA32_XSS[n+32] can be set to 1 only if EDX[n] is 1.</p> <p>Bits 31-00: Reserved.</p>
<i>Processor Extended State Enumeration Sub-leaves (Initial EAX Value = 0DH, ECX = n, n > 1)</i>		
0DH		<p>NOTES:</p> <p>Leaf 0DH output depends on the initial value in ECX.</p> <p>Each sub-leaf index (starting at position 2) is supported if it corresponds to a supported bit in either the XCRO register or the IA32_XSS MSR.</p> <p>* If ECX contains an invalid sub-leaf index, EAX/EBX/ECX/EDX return 0. Sub-leaf n ($0 \leq n \leq 31$) is invalid if sub-leaf 0 returns 0 in EAX[n] and sub-leaf 1 returns 0 in ECX[n]. Sub-leaf n ($32 \leq n \leq 63$) is invalid if sub-leaf 0 returns 0 in EDX[n-32] and sub-leaf 1 returns 0 in EDX[n-32].</p>
	EAX	<p>Bits 31-00: The size in bytes (from the offset specified in EBX) of the save area for an extended state feature associated with a valid sub-leaf index, n.</p>
	EBX	<p>Bits 31-00: The offset in bytes of this extended state component's save area from the beginning of the XSAVE/XRSTOR area.</p> <p>This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, n, does not map to a valid bit in the XCRO register*.</p>
	ECX	<p>Bit 00 is set if the bit n (corresponding to the sub-leaf index) is supported in the IA32_XSS MSR; it is clear if bit n is instead supported in XCRO.</p> <p>Bit 01 is set if, when the compacted format of an XSAVE area is used, this extended state component located on the next 64-byte boundary following the preceding state component (otherwise, it is located immediately following the preceding state component).</p> <p>Bits 31-02 are reserved.</p> <p>This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, n, is invalid*.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor
	EDX This field reports 0 if the sub-leaf index, <i>n</i> , is invalid*; otherwise it is reserved.
<i>Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Monitoring Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 0FH, ECX = 0)</i>	
0FH	<p>NOTES: Leaf 0FH output depends on the initial value in ECX. Sub-leaf index 0 reports valid resource type starting at bit position 1 of EDX.</p> <p>EAX Reserved. EBX Bits 31-00: Maximum range (zero-based) of RMID within this physical processor of all types. ECX Reserved. EDX Bit 00: Reserved. Bit 01: Supports L3 Cache Intel RDT Monitoring if 1. Bits 31-02: Reserved.</p>
<i>L3 Cache Intel® RDT Monitoring Capability Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 0FH, ECX = 1)</i>	
0FH	<p>NOTES: Leaf 0FH output depends on the initial value in ECX.</p> <p>EAX Reserved. EBX Bits 31-00: Conversion factor from reported IA32_QM_CTR value to occupancy metric (bytes) and Memory Bandwidth Monitoring (MBM) metrics. ECX Maximum range (zero-based) of RMID of this resource type. EDX Bit 00: Supports L3 occupancy monitoring if 1. Bit 01: Supports L3 Total Bandwidth monitoring if 1. Bit 02: Supports L3 Local Bandwidth monitoring if 1. Bits 31-03: Reserved.</p>
<i>Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Allocation Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 10H, ECX = 0)</i>	
10H	<p>NOTES: Leaf 10H output depends on the initial value in ECX. Sub-leaf index 0 reports valid resource identification (ResID) starting at bit position 1 of EBX.</p> <p>EAX Reserved. EBX Bit 00: Reserved. Bit 01: Supports L3 Cache Allocation Technology if 1. Bit 02: Supports L2 Cache Allocation Technology if 1. Bit 03: Supports Memory Bandwidth Allocation if 1. Bits 31-04: Reserved. ECX Reserved. EDX Reserved.</p>
<i>L3 Cache Allocation Technology Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 10H, ECX = ResID = 1)</i>	
10H	<p>NOTES: Leaf 10H output depends on the initial value in ECX.</p> <p>EAX Bits 04-00: Length of the capacity bit mask for the corresponding ResID. Add one to the return value to get the result. Bits 31-05: Reserved. EBX Bits 31-00: Bit-granular map of isolation/contention of allocation units.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor
	<p>ECX Bits 01-00: Reserved. Bit 02: Code and Data Prioritization Technology supported if 1. Bits 31-03: Reserved.</p> <p>EDX Bits 15-00: Highest COS number supported for this ResID. Bits 31-16: Reserved.</p>
<i>L2 Cache Allocation Technology Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 10H, ECX = ResID =2)</i>	
10H	<p>NOTES: Leaf 10H output depends on the initial value in ECX.</p> <p>EAX Bits 04-00: Length of the capacity bit mask for the corresponding ResID. Add one to the return value to get the result. Bits 31-05: Reserved.</p> <p>EBX Bits 31-00: Bit-granular map of isolation/contention of allocation units.</p> <p>ECX Bits 31-00: Reserved.</p> <p>EDX Bits 15-00: Highest COS number supported for this ResID. Bits 31-16: Reserved.</p>
<i>Memory Bandwidth Allocation Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 10H, ECX = ResID =3)</i>	
10H	<p>NOTES: Leaf 10H output depends on the initial value in ECX.</p> <p>EAX Bits 11-00: Reports the maximum MBA throttling value supported for the corresponding ResID. Add one to the return value to get the result. Bits 31-12: Reserved.</p> <p>EBX Bits 31-00: Reserved.</p> <p>ECX Bits 01-00: Reserved. Bit 02: Reports whether the response of the delay values is linear. Bits 31-03: Reserved.</p> <p>EDX Bits 15-00: Highest COS number supported for this ResID. Bits 31-16: Reserved.</p>
<i>Intel® SGX Capability Enumeration Leaf, Sub-leaf 0 (Initial EAX Value = 12H, ECX = 0)</i>	
12H	<p>NOTES: Leaf 12H sub-leaf 0 (ECX = 0) is supported if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX[SGX] = 1.</p> <p>EAX Bit 00: SGX1. If 1, Indicates Intel SGX supports the collection of SGX1 leaf functions. Bit 01: SGX2. If 1, Indicates Intel SGX supports the collection of SGX2 leaf functions. Bits 04-02: Reserved. Bit 05: If 1, indicates Intel SGX supports ENCLV instruction leaves EINCVIRTUALCHILD, EDECVIRTUALCHILD, and ESETCONTEXT. Bit 06: If 1, indicates Intel SGX supports ENCLS instruction leaves ETRACKC, ERDINFO, ELDBC, and ELDUC. Bit 07: If 1, indicates Intel SGX supports ENCLU instruction leaf EVERIFYREPORT2. Bits 09-08: Reserved. Bit 10: If 1, indicates Intel SGX supports ENCLS instruction leaf EUPDATESVN. Bit 11: If 1, indicates Intel SGX supports ENCLU instruction leaf EDECCSSA. Bits 31-12: Reserved.</p> <p>EBX Bits 31-00: MISCSELECT. Bit vector of supported extended SGX features.</p> <p>ECX Bits 31-00: Reserved.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor
	EDX Bits 07-00: MaxEnclaveSize_Not64. The maximum supported enclave size in non-64-bit mode is $2^{(EDX[7:0])}$. Bits 15-08: MaxEnclaveSize_64. The maximum supported enclave size in 64-bit mode is $2^{(EDX[15:8])}$. Bits 31-16: Reserved.
<i>Intel SGX Attributes Enumeration Leaf, Sub-leaf 1 (Initial EAX Value = 12H, ECX = 1)</i>	
12H	NOTES: Leaf 12H sub-leaf 1 (ECX = 1) is supported if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX[SGX] = 1.
EAX	Bit 31-00: Reports the valid bits of SECS.ATTRIBUTES[31:0] that software can set with ECREATE.
EBX	Bit 31-00: Reports the valid bits of SECS.ATTRIBUTES[63:32] that software can set with ECREATE.
ECX	Bit 31-00: Reports the valid bits of SECS.ATTRIBUTES[95:64] that software can set with ECREATE.
EDX	Bit 31-00: Reports the valid bits of SECS.ATTRIBUTES[127:96] that software can set with ECREATE.
<i>Intel® SGX EPC Enumeration Leaf, Sub-leaves (Initial EAX Value = 12H, ECX = 2 or higher)</i>	
12H	NOTES: Leaf 12H sub-leaf 2 or higher (ECX >= 2) is supported if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX[SGX] = 1. For sub-leaves (ECX = 2 or higher), definition of EDX,ECX,EBX,EAX[31:4] depends on the sub-leaf type listed below.
EAX	Bit 03-00: Sub-leaf Type 0000b: Indicates this sub-leaf is invalid. 0001b: This sub-leaf enumerates an EPC section. EBX:EAX and EDX:ECX provide information on the Enclave Page Cache (EPC) section. All other type encodings are reserved.
Type	0000b. This sub-leaf is invalid. EDX:ECX:EBX:EAX return 0.
Type	0001b. This sub-leaf enumerates an EPC sections with EDX:ECX, EBX:EAX defined as follows. EAX[11:04]: Reserved (enumerate 0). EAX[31:12]: Bits 31:12 of the physical address of the base of the EPC section. EBX[19:00]: Bits 51:32 of the physical address of the base of the EPC section. EBX[31:20]: Reserved. ECX[03:00]: EPC section property encoding defined as follows: If ECX[3:0] = 0000b, then all bits of the EDX:ECX pair are enumerated as 0. If ECX[3:0] = 0001b, then this section has confidentiality and integrity protection. If ECX[3:0] = 0010b, then this section has confidentiality protection only. All other encodings are reserved. ECX[11:04]: Reserved (enumerate 0). ECX[31:12]: Bits 31:12 of the size of the corresponding EPC section within the Processor Reserved Memory. EDX[19:00]: Bits 51:32 of the size of the corresponding EPC section within the Processor Reserved Memory. EDX[31:20]: Reserved.
<i>Intel® Processor Trace Enumeration Main Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 14H, ECX = 0)</i>	
14H	NOTES: Leaf 14H main leaf (ECX = 0).
EAX	Bits 31-00: Reports the maximum sub-leaf supported in leaf 14H.

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
	EBX	<p>Bit 00: If 1, indicates that IA32_RTIT_CTL.CR3Filter can be set to 1, and that IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH MSR can be accessed.</p> <p>Bit 01: If 1, indicates support of Configurable PSB and Cycle-Accurate Mode.</p> <p>Bit 02: If 1, indicates support of IP Filtering, TraceStop filtering, and preservation of Intel PT MSRs across warm reset.</p> <p>Bit 03: If 1, indicates support of MTC timing packet and suppression of COFI-based packets.</p> <p>Bit 04: If 1, indicates support of PTWRITE. Writes can set IA32_RTIT_CTL[12] (PTWEn) and IA32_RTIT_CTL[5] (FUPonPTW), and PTWRITE can generate packets.</p> <p>Bit 05: If 1, indicates support of Power Event Trace. Writes can set IA32_RTIT_CTL[4] (PwrEvtEn), enabling Power Event Trace packet generation.</p> <p>Bit 06: If 1, indicates support for PSB and PMI preservation. Writes can set IA32_RTIT_CTL[56] (InjectPsbPmiOnEnable), enabling the processor to set IA32_RTIT_STATUS[7] (PendTopaPMI) and/or IA32_RTIT_STATUS[6] (PendPSB) in order to preserve ToPA PMIs and/or PSBs otherwise lost due to Intel PT disable. Writes can also set PendToPAPMI and PendPSB.</p> <p>Bit 07: If 1, writes can set IA32_RTIT_CTL[31] (EventEn), enabling Event Trace packet generation.</p> <p>Bit 08: If 1, writes can set IA32_RTIT_CTL[55] (DistNT), disabling TNT packet generation.</p> <p>Bit 31-09: Reserved.</p>
	ECX	<p>Bit 00: If 1, Tracing can be enabled with IA32_RTIT_CTL.ToPA = 1, hence utilizing the ToPA output scheme; IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_BASE and IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_MASK_PTRS MSRs can be accessed.</p> <p>Bit 01: If 1, ToPA tables can hold any number of output entries, up to the maximum allowed by the MaskOffsetTableOffset field of IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_MASK_PTRS.</p> <p>Bit 02: If 1, indicates support of Single-Range Output scheme.</p> <p>Bit 03: If 1, indicates support of output to Trace Transport subsystem.</p> <p>Bit 30-04: Reserved.</p> <p>Bit 31: If 1, generated packets which contain IP payloads have LIP values, which include the CS base component.</p>
	EDX	Bits 31-00: Reserved.
<i>Intel® Processor Trace Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 14H, ECX = 1)</i>		
14H	EAX	<p>Bits 02-00: Number of configurable Address Ranges for filtering.</p> <p>Bits 15-03: Reserved.</p> <p>Bits 31-16: Bitmap of supported MTC period encodings.</p>
	EBX	<p>Bits 15-00: Bitmap of supported Cycle Threshold value encodings.</p> <p>Bit 31-16: Bitmap of supported Configurable PSB frequency encodings.</p>
	ECX	Bits 31-00: Reserved.
	EDX	Bits 31-00: Reserved.
<i>Time Stamp Counter and Nominal Core Crystal Clock Information Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 15H)</i>		
15H		<p>NOTES:</p> <p>If EBX[31:0] is 0, the TSC/"core crystal clock" ratio is not enumerated.</p> <p>EBX[31:0]/EAX[31:0] indicates the ratio of the TSC frequency and the core crystal clock frequency.</p> <p>If ECX is 0, the nominal core crystal clock frequency is not enumerated.</p> <p>"TSC frequency" = "core crystal clock frequency" * EBX/EAX.</p> <p>The core crystal clock may differ from the reference clock, bus clock, or core clock frequencies.</p>
	EAX	Bits 31-00: An unsigned integer which is the denominator of the TSC/"core crystal clock" ratio.
	EBX	Bits 31-00: An unsigned integer which is the numerator of the TSC/"core crystal clock" ratio.
	ECX	Bits 31-00: An unsigned integer which is the nominal frequency of the core crystal clock in Hz.
	EDX	Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
<i>Processor Frequency Information Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 16H)</i>		
16H	EAX	Bits 15-00: Processor Base Frequency (in MHz). Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0.
	EBX	Bits 15-00: Maximum Frequency (in MHz). Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0.
	ECX	Bits 15-00: Bus (Reference) Frequency (in MHz). Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0.
	EDX	Reserved.
		<p>NOTES:</p> <p>* Data is returned from this interface in accordance with the processor's specification and does not reflect actual values. Suitable use of this data includes the display of processor information in like manner to the processor brand string and for determining the appropriate range to use when displaying processor information e.g. frequency history graphs. The returned information should not be used for any other purpose as the returned information does not accurately correlate to information / counters returned by other processor interfaces.</p> <p>While a processor may support the Processor Frequency Information leaf, fields that return a value of zero are not supported.</p>
<i>System-On-Chip Vendor Attribute Enumeration Main Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 17H, ECX = 0)</i>		
17H		<p>NOTES:</p> <p>Leaf 17H main leaf (ECX = 0). Leaf 17H output depends on the initial value in ECX. Leaf 17H sub-leaves 1 through 3 reports SOC Vendor Brand String. Leaf 17H is valid if MaxSOCID_Index >= 3. Leaf 17H sub-leaves 4 and above are reserved.</p>
	EAX	Bits 31-00: MaxSOCID_Index. Reports the maximum input value of supported sub-leaf in leaf 17H.
	EBX	Bits 15-00: SOC Vendor ID. Bit 16: IsVendorScheme. If 1, the SOC Vendor ID field is assigned via an industry standard enumeration scheme. Otherwise, the SOC Vendor ID field is assigned by Intel. Bits 31-17: Reserved = 0.
	ECX	Bits 31-00: Project ID. A unique number an SOC vendor assigns to its SOC projects.
	EDX	Bits 31-00: Stepping ID. A unique number within an SOC project that an SOC vendor assigns.
<i>System-On-Chip Vendor Attribute Enumeration Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 17H, ECX = 1..3)</i>		
17H	EAX	Bit 31-00: SOC Vendor Brand String. UTF-8 encoded string.
	EBX	Bit 31-00: SOC Vendor Brand String. UTF-8 encoded string.
	ECX	Bit 31-00: SOC Vendor Brand String. UTF-8 encoded string.
	EDX	Bit 31-00: SOC Vendor Brand String. UTF-8 encoded string.
		<p>NOTES:</p> <p>Leaf 17H output depends on the initial value in ECX. SOC Vendor Brand String is a UTF-8 encoded string padded with trailing bytes of 00H. The complete SOC Vendor Brand String is constructed by concatenating in ascending order of EAX:EBX:ECX:EDX and from the sub-leaf 1 fragment towards sub-leaf 3.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor
<i>System-On-Chip Vendor Attribute Enumeration Sub-leaves (Initial EAX Value = 17H, ECX > MaxSOCID_Index)</i>	
17H	<p>NOTES: Leaf 17H output depends on the initial value in ECX.</p> <p>EAX Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0. EBX Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0. ECX Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0. EDX Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.</p>
<i>Deterministic Address Translation Parameters Main Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 18H, ECX = 0)</i>	
18H	<p>NOTES: Each sub-leaf enumerates a different address translation structure. If ECX contains an invalid sub-leaf index, EAX/EBX/ECX/EDX return 0. Sub-leaf index n is invalid if n exceeds the value that sub-leaf 0 returns in EAX. A sub-leaf index is also invalid if EDX[4:0] returns 0. Valid sub-leaves do not need to be contiguous or in any particular order. A valid sub-leaf may be in a higher input ECX value than an invalid sub-leaf or than a valid sub-leaf of a higher or lower-level structure. * Some unified TLBs will allow a single TLB entry to satisfy data read/write and instruction fetches. Others will require separate entries (e.g., one loaded on data read/write and another loaded on an instruction fetch). See the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Optimization Reference Manual for details of a particular product. ** Add one to the return value to get the result.</p> <p>EAX Bits 31-00: Reports the maximum input value of supported sub-leaf in leaf 18H. EBX Bit 00: 4K page size entries supported by this structure. Bit 01: 2MB page size entries supported by this structure. Bit 02: 4MB page size entries supported by this structure. Bit 03: 1 GB page size entries supported by this structure. Bits 07-04: Reserved. Bits 10-08: Partitioning (0: Soft partitioning between the logical processors sharing this structure). Bits 15-11: Reserved. Bits 31-16: W = Ways of associativity. ECX Bits 31-00: S = Number of Sets. EDX Bits 04-00: Translation cache type field. 00000b: Null (indicates this sub-leaf is not valid). 00001b: Data TLB. 00010b: Instruction TLB. 00011b: Unified TLB*. 00100b: Load Only TLB. Hit on loads; fills on both loads and stores. 00101b: Store Only TLB. Hit on stores; fill on stores. All other encodings are reserved. Bits 07-05: Translation cache level (starts at 1). Bit 08: Fully associative structure. Bits 13-09: Reserved. Bits 25-14: Maximum number of addressable IDs for logical processors sharing this translation cache.** Bits 31-26: Reserved.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
<i>Deterministic Address Translation Parameters Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 18H, ECX ≥ 1)</i>		
18H		<p>NOTES:</p> <p>Each sub-leaf enumerates a different address translation structure. If ECX contains an invalid sub-leaf index, EAX/EBX/ECX/EDX return 0. Sub-leaf index n is invalid if n exceeds the value that sub-leaf 0 returns in EAX. A sub-leaf index is also invalid if EDX[4:0] returns 0. Valid sub-leaves do not need to be contiguous or in any particular order. A valid sub-leaf may be in a higher input ECX value than an invalid sub-leaf or than a valid sub-leaf of a higher or lower-level structure.</p> <p>* Some unified TLBs will allow a single TLB entry to satisfy data read/write and instruction fetches. Others will require separate entries (e.g., one loaded on data read/write and another loaded on an instruction fetch. See the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Optimization Reference Manual for details of a particular product.</p> <p>** Add one to the return value to get the result.</p> <p>EAX Bits 31-00: Reserved.</p> <p>EBX Bit 00: 4K page size entries supported by this structure. Bit 01: 2MB page size entries supported by this structure. Bit 02: 4MB page size entries supported by this structure. Bit 03: 1 GB page size entries supported by this structure. Bits 07-04: Reserved. Bits 10-08: Partitioning (0: Soft partitioning between the logical processors sharing this structure). Bits 15-11: Reserved. Bits 31-16: W = Ways of associativity.</p> <p>ECX Bits 31-00: S = Number of Sets.</p> <p>EDX Bits 04-00: Translation cache type field. 0000b: Null (indicates this sub-leaf is not valid). 0001b: Data TLB. 0010b: Instruction TLB. 0011b: Unified TLB*. All other encodings are reserved. Bits 07-05: Translation cache level (starts at 1). Bit 08: Fully associative structure. Bits 13-09: Reserved. Bits 25-14: Maximum number of addressable IDs for logical processors sharing this translation cache** Bits 31-26: Reserved.</p>
<i>Key Locker Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 19H)</i>		
19H		<p>EAX Bit 00: Key Locker restriction of CPL0-only supported. Bit 01: Key Locker restriction of no-encrypt supported. Bit 02: Key Locker restriction of no-decrypt supported. Bits 31-03: Reserved.</p> <p>EBX Bit 00: AESKLE. If 1, the AES Key Locker instructions are fully enabled. Bit 01: Reserved. Bit 02: If 1, the AES wide Key Locker instructions are supported. Bit 03: Reserved. Bit 04: If 1, the platform supports the Key Locker MSRs (IA32_COPY_LOCAL_TO_PLATFORM, IA23_COPY_PLATFORM_TO_LOCAL, IA32_COPY_STATUS, and IA32_IWKEYBACKUP_STATUS) and backing up the internal wrapping key. Bits 31-05: Reserved.</p> <p>ECX Bit 00: If 1, the NoBackup parameter to LOADIWKEY is supported. Bit 01: If 1, KeySource encoding of 1 (randomization of the internal wrapping key) is supported. Bits 31-02: Reserved.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor
EDX	Reserved.
<i>Native Model ID Enumeration Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 1AH, ECX = 0)</i>	
1AH	<p>NOTES:</p> <p>This leaf exists on all hybrid parts, however this leaf is not only available on hybrid parts. The following algorithm is used for detection of this leaf: If CPUID.0.MAXLEAF \geq 1AH and CPUID.1A.EAX \neq 0, then the leaf exists.</p> <p>EAX Enumerates the native model ID and core type. Bits 31-24: Core type* 10H: Reserved 20H: Intel Atom® 30H: Reserved 40H: Intel® Core™ Bits 23-00: Native model ID of the core. The core-type and native model ID can be used to uniquely identify the microarchitecture of the core. This native model ID is not unique across core types, and not related to the model ID reported in CPUID leaf 01H, and does not identify the SOC. * The core type may only be used as an identification of the microarchitecture for this logical processor and its numeric value has no significance, neither large nor small. This field neither implies nor expresses any other attribute to this logical processor and software should not assume any.</p> <p>EBX Reserved.</p> <p>ECX Reserved.</p> <p>EDX Reserved.</p>
<i>PCONFIG Information Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 1BH, ECX \geq 0)</i>	
1BH	<p>For details on this sub-leaf, see “INPUT EAX = 1BH: Returns PCONFIG Information” on page 3-252.</p> <p>NOTE:</p> <p>Leaf 1BH is supported if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EDX[18] = 1.</p>
<i>Last Branch Records Information Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 1CH, ECX = 0)</i>	
1CH	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>This leaf pertains to the architectural feature.</p> <p>EAX Bits 07-00: Supported LBR Depth Values. For each bit n set in this field, the IA32_LBR_DEPTH.DEPTH value $8*(n+1)$ is supported. Bits 29-08: Reserved. Bit 30: Deep C-state Reset. If set, indicates that LBRs may be cleared on an MWAIT that requests a C-state numerically greater than C1. Bit 31: IP Values Contain LIP. If set, LBR IP values contain LIP. If clear, IP values contain Effective IP.</p> <p>EBX Bit 00: CPL Filtering Supported. If set, the processor supports setting IA32_LBR_CTL[2:1] to non-zero value. Bit 01: Branch Filtering Supported. If set, the processor supports setting IA32_LBR_CTL[22:16] to non-zero value. Bit 02: Call-stack Mode Supported. If set, the processor supports setting IA32_LBR_CTL[3] to 1. Bits 31-03: Reserved.</p> <p>ECX Bit 00: Mispredict Bit Supported. IA32_LBR_x_INFO[63] holds indication of branch misprediction (MISPRED). Bit 01: Timed LBRs Supported. IA32_LBR_x_INFO[15:0] holds CPU cycles since last LBR entry (CYC_CNT), and IA32_LBR_x_INFO[60] holds an indication of whether the value held there is valid (CYC_CNT_VALID). Bit 02: Branch Type Field Supported. IA32_LBR_INFO_x[59:56] holds indication of the recorded operation's branch type (BR_TYPE). Bits 31-03: Reserved.</p>

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
	EDX	Bits 31-00: Reserved.
<i>Tile Information Main Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 1DH, ECX = 0)</i>		
1DH	<p>NOTES:</p> <p>For sub-leaves of 1DH, they are indexed by the palette id. Leaf 1DH sub-leaves 2 and above are reserved.</p>	
	EAX	Bits 31-00: max_palette. Highest numbered palette sub-leaf. Value = 1.
	EBX	Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.
	ECX	Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.
	EDX	Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.
<i>Tile Palette 1 Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 1DH, ECX = 1)</i>		
1DH	EAX	Bits 15-00: Palette 1 total_tile_bytes. Value = 8192. Bits 31-16: Palette 1 bytes_per_tile. Value = 1024.
	EBX	Bits 15-00: Palette 1 bytes_per_row. Value = 64. Bits 31-16: Palette 1 max_names (number of tile registers). Value = 8.
	ECX	Bits 15-00: Palette 1 max_rows. Value = 16. Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0.
	EDX	Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.
<i>TMUL Information Main Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 1EH, ECX = 0)</i>		
1EH	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>Leaf 1EH sub-leaves 1 and above are reserved.</p>	
	EAX	Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.
	EBX	Bits 07-00: tmul_maxk (rows or columns). Value = 16. Bits 23-08: tmul_maxn (column bytes). Value = 64. Bits 31-24: Reserved = 0.
	ECX	Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.
	EDX	Bits 31-00: Reserved = 0.
<i>V2 Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf (Initial EAX Value = 1FH)</i>		
1FH	<p>NOTES:</p> <p><i>CPUID leaf 1FH is a preferred superset to leaf 0BH. Intel recommends using leaf 1FH when available rather than leaf 0BH and ensuring that any leaf 0BH algorithms are updated to support leaf 1FH.</i></p> <p>The sub-leaves of CPUID leaf 1FH describe an ordered hierarchy of logical processors starting from the smallest-scoped domain of a Logical Processor (sub-leaf index 0) to the Core domain (sub-leaf index 1) to the largest-scoped domain (the last valid sub-leaf index) that is implicitly subordinate to the unenumerated highest-scoped domain of the processor package (socket).</p> <p>The details of each valid domain is enumerated by a corresponding sub-leaf. Details for a domain include its type and how all instances of that domain determine the number of logical processors and x2 APIC ID partitioning at the next higher-scoped domain. The ordering of domains within the hierarchy is fixed architecturally as shown below. For a given processor, not all domains may be relevant or enumerated; however, the logical processor and core domains are always enumerated. As an example, a processor may report an ordered hierarchy consisting only of "Logical Processor," "Core," and "Die."</p> <p>For two valid sub-leaves N and N+1, sub-leaf N+1 represents the next immediate higher-scoped domain with respect to the domain of sub-leaf N for the given processor.</p> <p>If sub-leaf index "N" returns an invalid domain type in ECX[15:08] (00H), then all sub-leaves with an index greater than "N" shall also return an invalid domain type. A sub-leaf returning an invalid domain always returns 0 in EAX and EBX.</p>	

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor																									
	EAX	<p>Bits 04-00: The number of bits that the x2APIC ID must be shifted to the right to address instances of the next higher-scoped domain. When logical processor is not supported by the processor, the value of this field at the Logical Processor domain sub-leaf may be returned as either 0 (no allocated bits in the x2APIC ID) or 1 (one allocated bit in the x2APIC ID); software should plan accordingly.</p> <p>Bits 31-05: Reserved.</p>																								
	EBX	<p>Bits 15-00: The number of logical processors across all instances of this domain within the next higher-scoped domain <i>relative to this current logical processor</i>. (For example, in a processor socket/package comprising “M” dies of “N” cores each, where each core has “L” logical processors, the “die” domain sub-leaf value of this field would be M*N*L. <i>In an asymmetric topology this would be the summation of the value across the lower domain level instances to create each upper domain level instance.</i>) This number reflects configuration as shipped by Intel. Note, software must not use this field to enumerate processor topology*.</p> <p>Bits 31-16: Reserved.</p>																								
	ECX	<p>Bits 07-00: The input ECX sub-leaf index.</p> <p>Bits 15-08: Domain Type. This field provides an identification value which indicates the domain as shown below. Although domains are ordered, as also shown below, their assigned identification values are not and software should not depend on it. (For example, if a new domain between core and module is specified, it will have an identification value higher than 5.)</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Hierarchy</th> <th>Domain</th> <th>Domain Type Identification Value</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Lowest</td> <td>Logical Processor</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>...</td> <td>Core</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>...</td> <td>Module</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>...</td> <td>Tile</td> <td>4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>...</td> <td>Die</td> <td>5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>...</td> <td>DieGrp</td> <td>6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Highest</td> <td>Package/Socket</td> <td>(implied)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>(Note that enumeration values of 0 and 7-255 are reserved.)</p> <p>Bits 31-16: Reserved.</p>	Hierarchy	Domain	Domain Type Identification Value	Lowest	Logical Processor	1	...	Core	2	...	Module	3	...	Tile	4	...	Die	5	...	DieGrp	6	Highest	Package/Socket	(implied)
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	EDX	<p>Bits 31-00: x2APIC ID of the current logical processor. It is always valid and does not vary with the sub-leaf index in ECX.</p> <p>NOTES:</p> <p>* Software must not use the value of EBX[15:0] to enumerate processor topology of the system. The value is only intended for display and diagnostic purposes. The actual number of logical processors available to BIOS/OS/Applications may be different from the value of EBX[15:0], depending on software and platform hardware configurations.</p>																								
<i>Processor History Reset Sub-leaf (Initial EAX Value = 20H, ECX = 0)</i>																										
20H	EAX	Reports the maximum number of sub-leaves that are supported in leaf 20H.																								
	EBX	<p>Indicates which bits may be set in the IA32_HRESET_ENABLE MSR to enable reset of different components of hardware-maintained history.</p> <p>Bit 00: Indicates support for both HRESET’s EAX[0] parameter, and IA32_HRESET_ENABLE[0] set by the OS to enable reset of Intel® Thread Director history.</p> <p>Bits 31-01: Reserved = 0.</p>																								
	ECX	Reserved.																								
	EDX	Reserved.																								

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
<i>Unimplemented CPUID Leaf Functions</i>		
21H		Invalid. No existing or future CPU will return processor identification or feature information if the initial EAX value is 21H. If the value returned by CPUID.0:EAX (the maximum input value for basic CPUID information) is at least 21H, 0 is returned in the registers EAX, EBX, ECX, and EDX. Otherwise, the data for the highest basic information leaf is returned.
40000000H – 4FFFFFFFH		Invalid. No existing or future CPU will return processor identification or feature information if the initial EAX value is in the range 40000000H to 4FFFFFFFH.
<i>Extended Function CPUID Information</i>		
80000000H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Maximum Input Value for Extended Function CPUID Information. Reserved. Reserved. Reserved.
80000001H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Extended Processor Signature and Feature Bits. Reserved. Bit 00: LAHF/SAHF available in 64-bit mode.* Bits 04-01: Reserved. Bit 05: LZCNT. Bits 07-06: Reserved. Bit 08: PREFETCHW. Bits 31-09: Reserved. Bits 10-00: Reserved. Bit 11: SYSCALL/SYSRET.** Bits 19-12: Reserved = 0. Bit 20: Execute Disable Bit available. Bits 25-21: Reserved = 0. Bit 26: 1-GByte pages are available if 1. Bit 27: RDTSCP and IA32_TSC_AUX are available if 1. Bit 28: Reserved = 0. Bit 29: Intel® 64 Architecture available if 1. Bits 31-30: Reserved = 0. NOTES: * LAHF and SAHF are always available in other modes, regardless of the enumeration of this feature flag. ** Intel processors support SYSCALL and SYSRET only in 64-bit mode. This feature flag is always enumerated as 0 outside 64-bit mode.
80000002H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Processor Brand String. Processor Brand String Continued. Processor Brand String Continued. Processor Brand String Continued.
80000003H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Processor Brand String Continued. Processor Brand String Continued. Processor Brand String Continued. Processor Brand String Continued.

Table 3-8. Information Returned by CPUID Instruction (Contd.)

Initial EAX Value	Information Provided about the Processor	
80000004H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Processor Brand String Continued. Processor Brand String Continued. Processor Brand String Continued. Processor Brand String Continued.
80000005H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Reserved = 0. Reserved = 0. Reserved = 0. Reserved = 0.
80000006H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Reserved = 0. Reserved = 0. Bits 07-00: Cache Line size in bytes. Bits 11-08: Reserved. Bits 15-12: L2 Associativity field *. Bits 31-16: Cache size in 1K units. Reserved = 0. NOTES: * L2 associativity field encodings: 00H - Disabled 01H - 1 way (direct mapped) 02H - 2 ways 03H - Reserved 04H - 4 ways 05H - Reserved 06H - 8 ways 07H - See CPUID leaf 04H, sub-leaf 2** 08H - 16 ways 09H - Reserved 0AH - 32 ways 0BH - 48 ways 0CH - 64 ways 0DH - 96 ways 0EH - 128 ways 0FH - Fully associative ** CPUID leaf 04H provides details of deterministic cache parameters, including the L2 cache in sub-leaf 2
80000007H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Reserved = 0. Reserved = 0. Reserved = 0. Bits 07-00: Reserved = 0. Bit 08: Invariant TSC available if 1. Bits 31-09: Reserved = 0.
80000008H	EAX EBX ECX EDX	Linear/Physical Address size. Bits 07-00: #Physical Address Bits*. Bits 15-08: #Linear Address Bits. Bits 31-16: Reserved = 0. Bits 08-00: Reserved = 0. Bit 09: WBNOINVD is available if 1. Bits 31-10: Reserved = 0. Reserved = 0. Reserved = 0. NOTES: * If CPUID.80000008H:EAX[7:0] is supported, the maximum physical address number supported should come from this field.

INPUT EAX = 0: Returns CPUID's Highest Value for Basic Processor Information and the Vendor Identification String

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 0, the processor returns the highest value the CPUID recognizes for returning basic processor information. The value is returned in the EAX register and is processor specific.

A vendor identification string is also returned in EBX, EDX, and ECX. For Intel processors, the string is “GenuineIntel” and is expressed:

EBX := 756e6547h (* “Genu”, with G in the low eight bits of BL *)
 EDX := 49656e69h (* “inel”, with i in the low eight bits of DL *)
 ECX := 6c65746eh (* “ntel”, with n in the low eight bits of CL *)

INPUT EAX = 80000000H: Returns CPUID’s Highest Value for Extended Processor Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 80000000H, the processor returns the highest value the processor recognizes for returning extended processor information. The value is returned in the EAX register and is processor specific.

IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID Returns Microcode Update Signature

For processors that support the microcode update facility, the IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID MSR is loaded with the update signature whenever CPUID executes. The signature is returned in the upper DWORD. For details, see Chapter 10 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

INPUT EAX = 01H: Returns Model, Family, Stepping Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 01H, version information is returned in EAX (see Figure 3-6). For example: model, family, and processor type for the Intel Xeon processor 5100 series is as follows:

- Model — 1111B
- Family — 0101B
- Processor Type — 00B

See Table 3-9 for available processor type values. Stepping IDs are provided as needed.

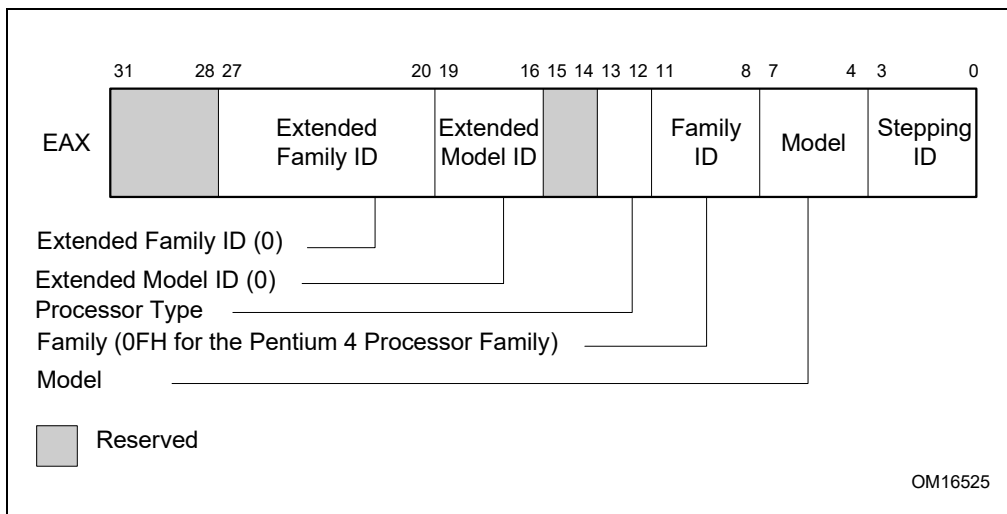


Figure 3-6. Version Information Returned by CPUID in EAX

Table 3-9. Processor Type Field

Type	Encoding
Original OEM Processor	00B
Intel OverDrive® Processor	01B

Table 3-9. Processor Type Field (Contd.)

Type	Encoding
Dual processor (not applicable to Intel486 processors)	10B
Intel reserved	11B

NOTE

See Chapter 20 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1, for information on identifying earlier IA-32 processors.

The Extended Family ID needs to be examined only when the Family ID is 0FH. Integrate the fields into a display using the following rule:

```
IF Family_ID ≠ 0FH
    THEN DisplayFamily = Family_ID;
    ELSE DisplayFamily = Extended_Family_ID + Family_ID;
FI;
(* Show DisplayFamily as HEX field. *)
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The Extended Model ID needs to be examined only when the Family ID is 06H or 0FH. Integrate the field into a display using the following rule:

```
IF (Family_ID = 06H or Family_ID = 0FH)
    THEN DisplayModel = (Extended_Model_ID « 4) + Model_ID;
    (* Right justify and zero-extend 4-bit field; display Model_ID as HEX field.*)
    ELSE DisplayModel = Model_ID;
FI;
(* Show DisplayModel as HEX field. *)
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INPUT EAX = 01H: Returns Additional Information in EBX

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 01H, additional information is returned to the EBX register:

- Brand index (low byte of EBX) — this number provides an entry into a brand string table that contains brand strings for IA-32 processors. More information about this field is provided later in this section.
- CLFLUSH instruction cache line size (second byte of EBX) — this number indicates the size of the cache line flushed by the CLFLUSH and CLFLUSHOPT instructions in 8-byte increments. This field was introduced in the Pentium 4 processor.
- Local APIC ID (high byte of EBX) — this number is the 8-bit ID that is assigned to the local APIC on the processor during power up. This field was introduced in the Pentium 4 processor.

INPUT EAX = 01H: Returns Feature Information in ECX and EDX

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 01H, feature information is returned in ECX and EDX.

- Figure 3-7 and Table 3-10 show encodings for ECX.
- Figure 3-8 and Table 3-11 show encodings for EDX.

For all feature flags, a 1 indicates that the feature is supported. Use Intel to properly interpret feature flags.

NOTE

Software must confirm that a processor feature is present using feature flags returned by CPUID prior to using the feature. Software should not depend on future offerings retaining all features.

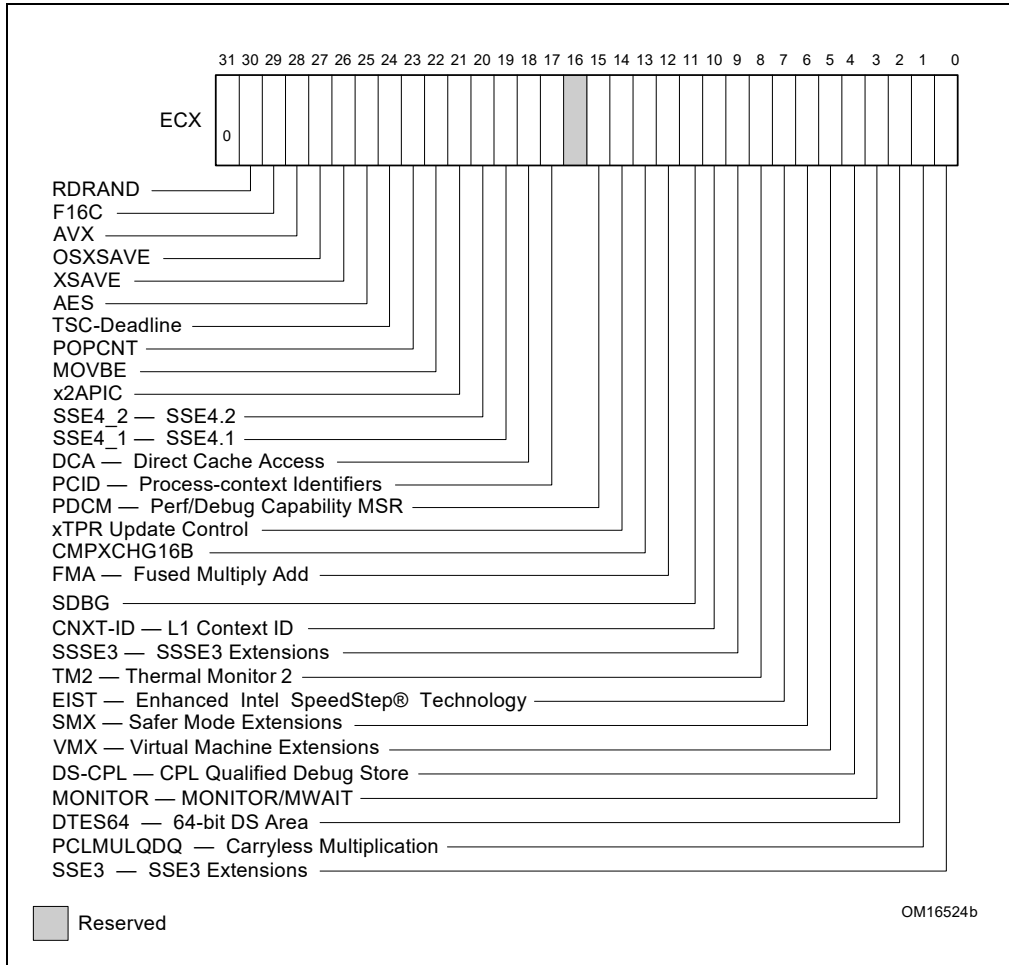


Figure 3-7. Feature Information Returned in the ECX Register

Table 3-10. Feature Information Returned in the ECX Register

Bit #	Mnemonic	Description
0	SSE3	Streaming SIMD Extensions 3 (SSE3). A value of 1 indicates the processor supports this technology.
1	PCLMULQDQ	PCLMULQDQ. A value of 1 indicates the processor supports the PCLMULQDQ instruction.
2	DTES64	64-bit DS Area. A value of 1 indicates the processor supports DS area using 64-bit layout.
3	MONITOR	MONITOR/MWAIT. A value of 1 indicates the processor supports this feature.
4	DS-CPL	CPL Qualified Debug Store. A value of 1 indicates the processor supports the extensions to the Debug Store feature to allow for branch message storage qualified by CPL.
5	VMX	Virtual Machine Extensions. A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports this technology.
6	SMX	Safer Mode Extensions. A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports this technology. See Chapter 7, "Safer Mode Extensions Reference."
7	EIST	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep® technology. A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports this technology.
8	TM2	Thermal Monitor 2. A value of 1 indicates whether the processor supports this technology.
9	SSSE3	A value of 1 indicates the presence of the Supplemental Streaming SIMD Extensions 3 (SSSE3). A value of 0 indicates the instruction extensions are not present in the processor.

Table 3-10. Feature Information Returned in the ECX Register (Contd.)

Bit #	Mnemonic	Description
10	CNXT-ID	L1 Context ID. A value of 1 indicates the L1 data cache mode can be set to either adaptive mode or shared mode. A value of 0 indicates this feature is not supported. See definition of the IA32_MISC_ENABLE MSR Bit 24 (L1 Data Cache Context Mode) for details.
11	SDBG	A value of 1 indicates the processor supports IA32_DEBUG_INTERFACE MSR for silicon debug.
12	FMA	A value of 1 indicates the processor supports FMA extensions using YMM state.
13	CMPXCHG16B	CMPXCHG16B Available. A value of 1 indicates that the feature is available. See the “CMPXCHG8B/CMPXCHG16B—Compare and Exchange Bytes” section in this chapter for a description.
14	xTPR Update Control	xTPR Update Control. A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports changing IA32_MISC_ENABLE[bit 23].
15	PDCM	Perfmon and Debug Capability: A value of 1 indicates the processor supports the performance and debug feature indication MSR IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES.
16	Reserved	Reserved
17	PCID	Process-context identifiers. A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports PCIDs and that software may set CR4.PCIDE to 1.
18	DCA	A value of 1 indicates the processor supports the ability to prefetch data from a memory mapped device.
19	SSE4_1	A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports SSE4.1.
20	SSE4_2	A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports SSE4.2.
21	x2APIC	A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports x2APIC feature.
22	MOVBE	A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports MOVBE instruction.
23	POPCNT	A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports the POPCNT instruction.
24	TSC-Deadline	A value of 1 indicates that the processor’s local APIC timer supports one-shot operation using a TSC deadline value.
25	AESNI	A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports the AESNI instruction extensions.
26	XSAVE	A value of 1 indicates that the processor supports the XSAVE/XRSTOR processor extended states feature, the XSETBV/XGETBV instructions, and XCR0.
27	OSXSAVE	A value of 1 indicates that the OS has set CR4.OSXSAVE[bit 18] to enable XSETBV/XGETBV instructions to access XCR0 and to support processor extended state management using XSAVE/XRSTOR.
28	AVX	A value of 1 indicates the processor supports the AVX instruction extensions.
29	F16C	A value of 1 indicates that processor supports 16-bit floating-point conversion instructions.
30	RDRAND	A value of 1 indicates that processor supports RDRAND instruction.
31	Not Used	Always returns 0.

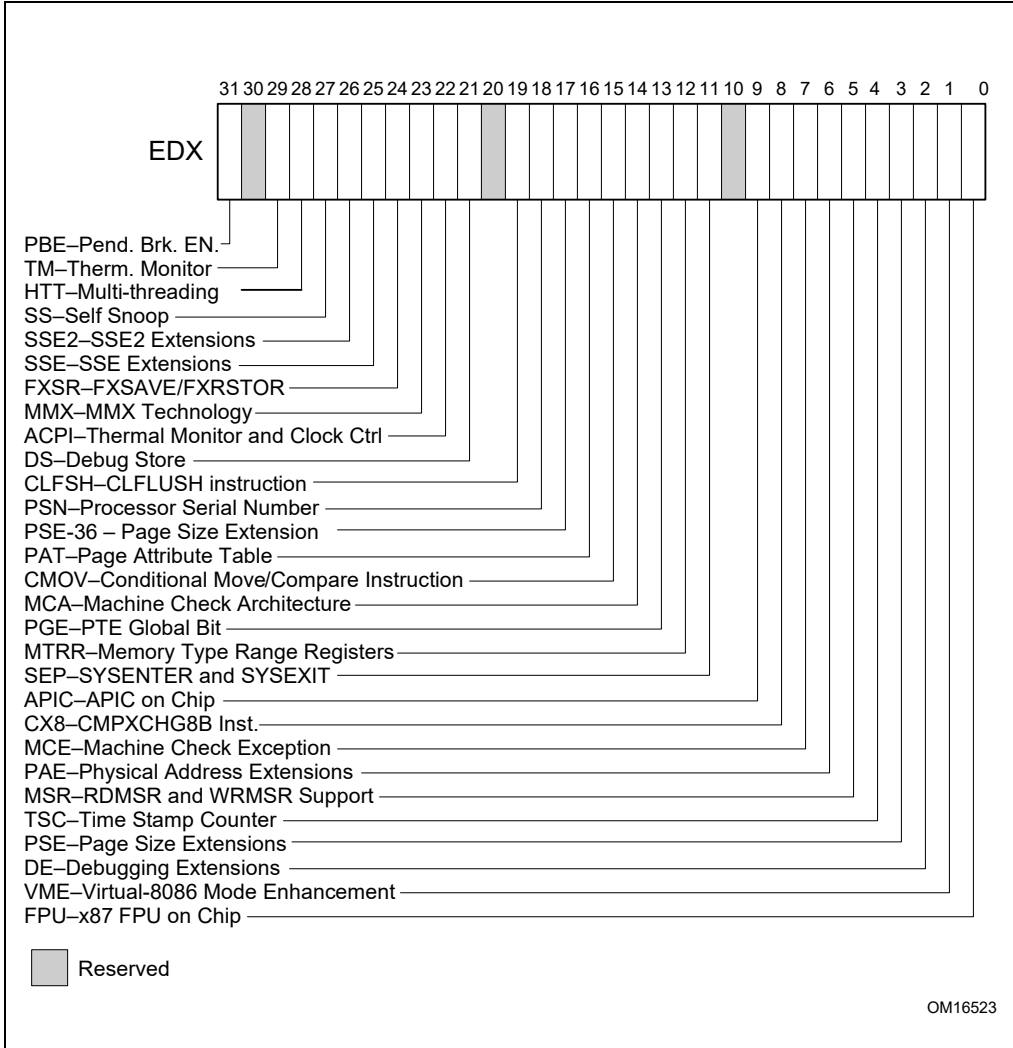


Figure 3-8. Feature Information Returned in the EDX Register

Table 3-11. More on Feature Information Returned in the EDX Register

Bit #	Mnemonic	Description
0	FPU	Floating-Point Unit On-Chip. The processor contains an x87 FPU.
1	VME	Virtual 8086 Mode Enhancements. Virtual 8086 mode enhancements, including CR4.VME for controlling the feature, CR4.PVI for protected mode virtual interrupts, software interrupt indirection, expansion of the TSS with the software indirection bitmap, and EFLAGS.VIF and EFLAGS.VIP flags.
2	DE	Debugging Extensions. Support for I/O breakpoints, including CR4.DE for controlling the feature, and optional trapping of accesses to DR4 and DR5.
3	PSE	Page Size Extension. Large pages of size 4 MByte are supported, including CR4.PSE for controlling the feature, the defined dirty bit in PDE (Page Directory Entries), optional reserved bit trapping in CR3, PDEs, and PTEs.
4	TSC	Time Stamp Counter. The RDTSC instruction is supported, including CR4.TSD for controlling privilege.
5	MSR	Model Specific Registers RDMSR and WRMSR Instructions. The RDMSR and WRMSR instructions are supported. Some of the MSRs are implementation dependent.
6	PAE	Physical Address Extension. Physical addresses greater than 32 bits are supported: extended page table entry formats, an extra level in the page translation tables is defined, 2-MByte pages are supported instead of 4 Mbyte pages if PAE bit is 1.
7	MCE	Machine Check Exception. Exception 18 is defined for Machine Checks, including CR4.MCE for controlling the feature. This feature does not define the model-specific implementations of machine-check error logging, reporting, and processor shutdowns. Machine Check exception handlers may have to depend on processor version to do model specific processing of the exception, or test for the presence of the Machine Check feature.
8	CX8	CMPXCHG8B Instruction. The compare-and-exchange 8 bytes (64 bits) instruction is supported (implicitly locked and atomic).
9	APIC	APIC On-Chip. The processor contains an Advanced Programmable Interrupt Controller (APIC), responding to memory mapped commands in the physical address range FFFE0000H to FFFE0FFFH (by default - some processors permit the APIC to be relocated).
10	Reserved	Reserved
11	SEP	SYSENTER and SYSEXIT Instructions. The SYSENTER and SYSEXIT and associated MSRs are supported.
12	MTRR	Memory Type Range Registers. MTRRs are supported. The MTRRcap MSR contains feature bits that describe what memory types are supported, how many variable MTRRs are supported, and whether fixed MTRRs are supported.
13	PGE	Page Global Bit. The global bit is supported in paging-structure entries that map a page, indicating TLB entries that are common to different processes and need not be flushed. The CR4.PGE bit controls this feature.
14	MCA	Machine Check Architecture. A value of 1 indicates the Machine Check Architecture of reporting machine errors is supported. The MCG_CAP MSR contains feature bits describing how many banks of error reporting MSRs are supported.
15	CMOV	Conditional Move Instructions. The conditional move instruction CMOV is supported. In addition, if x87 FPU is present as indicated by the CPUID.FPU feature bit, then the FCOMI and FCMOV instructions are supported
16	PAT	Page Attribute Table. Page Attribute Table is supported. This feature augments the Memory Type Range Registers (MTRRs), allowing an operating system to specify attributes of memory accessed through a linear address on a 4KB granularity.
17	PSE-36	36-Bit Page Size Extension. 4-MByte pages addressing physical memory beyond 4 GBytes are supported with 32-bit paging. This feature indicates that upper bits of the physical address of a 4-MByte page are encoded in bits 20:13 of the page-directory entry. Such physical addresses are limited by MAXPHYADDR and may be up to 40 bits in size.
18	PSN	Processor Serial Number. The processor supports the 96-bit processor identification number feature and the feature is enabled.
19	CLFSH	CLFLUSH Instruction. CLFLUSH Instruction is supported.
20	Reserved	Reserved

Table 3-11. More on Feature Information Returned in the EDX Register (Contd.)

Bit #	Mnemonic	Description
21	DS	Debug Store. The processor supports the ability to write debug information into a memory resident buffer. This feature is used by the branch trace store (BTS) and processor event-based sampling (PEBS) facilities (see Chapter 24, "Introduction to Virtual Machine Extensions," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3C).
22	ACPI	Thermal Monitor and Software Controlled Clock Facilities. The processor implements internal MSRs that allow processor temperature to be monitored and processor performance to be modulated in predefined duty cycles under software control.
23	MMX	Intel MMX Technology. The processor supports the Intel MMX technology.
24	FXSR	FXSAVE and FXRSTOR Instructions. The FXSAVE and FXRSTOR instructions are supported for fast save and restore of the floating-point context. Presence of this bit also indicates that CR4.OSFXSR is available for an operating system to indicate that it supports the FXSAVE and FXRSTOR instructions.
25	SSE	SSE. The processor supports the SSE extensions.
26	SSE2	SSE2. The processor supports the SSE2 extensions.
27	SS	Self Snoop. The processor supports the management of conflicting memory types by performing a snoop of its own cache structure for transactions issued to the bus.
28	HTT	Max APIC IDs reserved field is Valid. A value of 0 for HTT indicates there is only a single logical processor in the package and software should assume only a single APIC ID is reserved. A value of 1 for HTT indicates the value in CPUID.1.EBX[23:16] (the Maximum number of addressable IDs for logical processors in this package) is valid for the package.
29	TM	Thermal Monitor. The processor implements the thermal monitor automatic thermal control circuitry (TCC).
30	Reserved	Reserved
31	PBE	Pending Break Enable. The processor supports the use of the FERR#/PBE# pin when the processor is in the stop-clock state (STPCLK# is asserted) to signal the processor that an interrupt is pending and that the processor should return to normal operation to handle the interrupt.

INPUT EAX = 02H: TLB/Cache/Prefetch Information Returned in EAX, EBX, ECX, EDX

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 02H, the processor returns information about the processor's internal TLBs, cache, and prefetch hardware in the EAX, EBX, ECX, and EDX registers. The information is reported in encoded form and fall into the following categories:

- The least-significant byte in register EAX (register AL) will always return 01H. Software should ignore this value and not interpret it as an informational descriptor.
- The most significant bit (bit 31) of each register indicates whether the register contains valid information (set to 0) or is reserved (set to 1).
- If a register contains valid information, the information is contained in 1 byte descriptors. There are four types of encoding values for the byte descriptor, the encoding type is noted in the second column of Table 3-12. Table 3-12 lists the encoding of these descriptors. Note that the order of descriptors in the EAX, EBX, ECX, and EDX registers is not defined; that is, specific bytes are not designated to contain descriptors for specific cache, prefetch, or TLB types. The descriptors may appear in any order. Note also a processor may report a general descriptor type (FFH) and not report any byte descriptor of "cache type" via CPUID leaf 2.

Table 3-12. Encoding of CPUID Leaf 2 Descriptors

Value	Type	Description
00H	General	Null descriptor, this byte contains no information
01H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 KByte pages, 4-way set associative, 32 entries
02H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 MByte pages, fully associative, 2 entries
03H	TLB	Data TLB: 4 KByte pages, 4-way set associative, 64 entries
04H	TLB	Data TLB: 4 MByte pages, 4-way set associative, 8 entries
05H	TLB	Data TLB1: 4 MByte pages, 4-way set associative, 32 entries
06H	Cache	1st-level instruction cache: 8 KBytes, 4-way set associative, 32 byte line size
08H	Cache	1st-level instruction cache: 16 KBytes, 4-way set associative, 32 byte line size
09H	Cache	1st-level instruction cache: 32KBytes, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
0AH	Cache	1st-level data cache: 8 KBytes, 2-way set associative, 32 byte line size
0BH	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 MByte pages, 4-way set associative, 4 entries
0CH	Cache	1st-level data cache: 16 KBytes, 4-way set associative, 32 byte line size
0DH	Cache	1st-level data cache: 16 KBytes, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
0EH	Cache	1st-level data cache: 24 KBytes, 6-way set associative, 64 byte line size
1DH	Cache	2nd-level cache: 128 KBytes, 2-way set associative, 64 byte line size
21H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 256 KBytes, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size
22H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 512 KBytes, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size, 2 lines per sector
23H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 1 MBytes, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size, 2 lines per sector
24H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 1 MBytes, 16-way set associative, 64 byte line size
25H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 2 MBytes, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size, 2 lines per sector
29H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 4 MBytes, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size, 2 lines per sector
2CH	Cache	1st-level data cache: 32 KBytes, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size
30H	Cache	1st-level instruction cache: 32 KBytes, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size
40H	Cache	No 2nd-level cache or, if processor contains a valid 2nd-level cache, no 3rd-level cache
41H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 128 KBytes, 4-way set associative, 32 byte line size
42H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 256 KBytes, 4-way set associative, 32 byte line size
43H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 512 KBytes, 4-way set associative, 32 byte line size
44H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 1 MByte, 4-way set associative, 32 byte line size
45H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 2 MByte, 4-way set associative, 32 byte line size
46H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 4 MByte, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
47H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 8 MByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size
48H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 3MByte, 12-way set associative, 64 byte line size
49H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 4MB, 16-way set associative, 64-byte line size (Intel Xeon processor MP, Family 0FH, Model 06H); 2nd-level cache: 4 MByte, 16-way set associative, 64 byte line size
4AH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 6MByte, 12-way set associative, 64 byte line size
4BH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 8MByte, 16-way set associative, 64 byte line size
4CH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 12MByte, 12-way set associative, 64 byte line size
4DH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 16MByte, 16-way set associative, 64 byte line size
4EH	Cache	2nd-level cache: 6MByte, 24-way set associative, 64 byte line size
4FH	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 KByte pages, 32 entries

Table 3-12. Encoding of CPUID Leaf 2 Descriptors (Contd.)

Value	Type	Description
50H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 KByte and 2-MByte or 4-MByte pages, 64 entries
51H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 KByte and 2-MByte or 4-MByte pages, 128 entries
52H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 KByte and 2-MByte or 4-MByte pages, 256 entries
55H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 2-MByte or 4-MByte pages, fully associative, 7 entries
56H	TLB	Data TLB0: 4 MByte pages, 4-way set associative, 16 entries
57H	TLB	Data TLB0: 4 KByte pages, 4-way associative, 16 entries
59H	TLB	Data TLB0: 4 KByte pages, fully associative, 16 entries
5AH	TLB	Data TLB0: 2 MByte or 4 MByte pages, 4-way set associative, 32 entries
5BH	TLB	Data TLB: 4 KByte and 4 MByte pages, 64 entries
5CH	TLB	Data TLB: 4 KByte and 4 MByte pages, 128 entries
5DH	TLB	Data TLB: 4 KByte and 4 MByte pages, 256 entries
60H	Cache	1st-level data cache: 16 KByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size
61H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 KByte pages, fully associative, 48 entries
63H	TLB	Data TLB: 2 MByte or 4 MByte pages, 4-way set associative, 32 entries and a separate array with 1 GByte pages, 4-way set associative, 4 entries
64H	TLB	Data TLB: 4 KByte pages, 4-way set associative, 512 entries
66H	Cache	1st-level data cache: 8 KByte, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
67H	Cache	1st-level data cache: 16 KByte, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
68H	Cache	1st-level data cache: 32 KByte, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
6AH	Cache	uTLB: 4 KByte pages, 8-way set associative, 64 entries
6BH	Cache	DTLB: 4 KByte pages, 8-way set associative, 256 entries
6CH	Cache	DTLB: 2M/4M pages, 8-way set associative, 128 entries
6DH	Cache	DTLB: 1 GByte pages, fully associative, 16 entries
70H	Cache	Trace cache: 12 K- μ op, 8-way set associative
71H	Cache	Trace cache: 16 K- μ op, 8-way set associative
72H	Cache	Trace cache: 32 K- μ op, 8-way set associative
76H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 2M/4M pages, fully associative, 8 entries
78H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 1 MByte, 4-way set associative, 64byte line size
79H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 128 KByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size, 2 lines per sector
7AH	Cache	2nd-level cache: 256 KByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size, 2 lines per sector
7BH	Cache	2nd-level cache: 512 KByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size, 2 lines per sector
7CH	Cache	2nd-level cache: 1 MByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size, 2 lines per sector
7DH	Cache	2nd-level cache: 2 MByte, 8-way set associative, 64byte line size
7FH	Cache	2nd-level cache: 512 KByte, 2-way set associative, 64-byte line size
80H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 512 KByte, 8-way set associative, 64-byte line size
82H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 256 KByte, 8-way set associative, 32 byte line size
83H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 512 KByte, 8-way set associative, 32 byte line size
84H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 1 MByte, 8-way set associative, 32 byte line size
85H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 2 MByte, 8-way set associative, 32 byte line size
86H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 512 KByte, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
87H	Cache	2nd-level cache: 1 MByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size

Table 3-12. Encoding of CPUID Leaf 2 Descriptors (Contd.)

Value	Type	Description
A0H	DTLB	DTLB: 4k pages, fully associative, 32 entries
B0H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4 KByte pages, 4-way set associative, 128 entries
B1H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 2M pages, 4-way, 8 entries or 4M pages, 4-way, 4 entries
B2H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4KByte pages, 4-way set associative, 64 entries
B3H	TLB	Data TLB: 4 KByte pages, 4-way set associative, 128 entries
B4H	TLB	Data TLB1: 4 KByte pages, 4-way associative, 256 entries
B5H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4KByte pages, 8-way set associative, 64 entries
B6H	TLB	Instruction TLB: 4KByte pages, 8-way set associative, 128 entries
BAH	TLB	Data TLB1: 4 KByte pages, 4-way associative, 64 entries
C0H	TLB	Data TLB: 4 KByte and 4 MByte pages, 4-way associative, 8 entries
C1H	STLB	Shared 2nd-Level TLB: 4 KByte/2MByte pages, 8-way associative, 1024 entries
C2H	DTLB	DTLB: 4 KByte/2 MByte pages, 4-way associative, 16 entries
C3H	STLB	Shared 2nd-Level TLB: 4 KByte /2 MByte pages, 6-way associative, 1536 entries. Also 1GByte pages, 4-way, 16 entries.
C4H	DTLB	DTLB: 2M/4M Byte pages, 4-way associative, 32 entries
CAH	STLB	Shared 2nd-Level TLB: 4 KByte pages, 4-way associative, 512 entries
D0H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 512 KByte, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
D1H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 1 MByte, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
D2H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 2 MByte, 4-way set associative, 64 byte line size
D6H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 1 MByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size
D7H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 2 MByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size
D8H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 4 MByte, 8-way set associative, 64 byte line size
DCH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 1.5 MByte, 12-way set associative, 64 byte line size
DDH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 3 MByte, 12-way set associative, 64 byte line size
DEH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 6 MByte, 12-way set associative, 64 byte line size
E2H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 2 MByte, 16-way set associative, 64 byte line size
E3H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 4 MByte, 16-way set associative, 64 byte line size
E4H	Cache	3rd-level cache: 8 MByte, 16-way set associative, 64 byte line size
EAH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 12MByte, 24-way set associative, 64 byte line size
EBH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 18MByte, 24-way set associative, 64 byte line size
ECH	Cache	3rd-level cache: 24MByte, 24-way set associative, 64 byte line size
F0H	Prefetch	64-Byte prefetching
F1H	Prefetch	128-Byte prefetching
FEH	General	CPUID leaf 2 does not report TLB descriptor information; use CPUID leaf 18H to query TLB and other address translation parameters.
FFH	General	CPUID leaf 2 does not report cache descriptor information, use CPUID leaf 4 to query cache parameters

Example 3-1. Example of Cache and TLB Interpretation

The first member of the family of Pentium 4 processors returns the following information about caches and TLBs when the CPUID executes with an input value of 2:

```
EAX    66 5B 50 01H
EBX    0H
ECX    0H
EDX    00 7A 70 00H
```

Which means:

- The least-significant byte (byte 0) of register EAX is set to 01H. This value should be ignored.
- The most-significant bit of all four registers (EAX, EBX, ECX, and EDX) is set to 0, indicating that each register contains valid 1-byte descriptors.
- Bytes 1, 2, and 3 of register EAX indicate that the processor has:
 - 50H - a 64-entry instruction TLB, for mapping 4-KByte and 2-MByte or 4-MByte pages.
 - 5BH - a 64-entry data TLB, for mapping 4-KByte and 4-MByte pages.
 - 66H - an 8-KByte 1st level data cache, 4-way set associative, with a 64-Byte cache line size.
- The descriptors in registers EBX and ECX are valid, but contain NULL descriptors.
- Bytes 0, 1, 2, and 3 of register EDX indicate that the processor has:
 - 00H - NULL descriptor.
 - 70H - Trace cache: 12 K- μ op, 8-way set associative.
 - 7AH - a 256-KByte 2nd level cache, 8-way set associative, with a sectored, 64-byte cache line size.
 - 00H - NULL descriptor.

INPUT EAX = 04H: Returns Deterministic Cache Parameters for Each Level

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 04H and ECX contains an index value, the processor returns encoded data that describe a set of deterministic cache parameters (for the cache level associated with the input in ECX). Valid index values start from 0.

Software can enumerate the deterministic cache parameters for each level of the cache hierarchy starting with an index value of 0, until the parameters report the value associated with the cache type field is 0. The architecturally defined fields reported by deterministic cache parameters are documented in Table 3-8.

This Cache Size in Bytes

$$= (\text{Ways} + 1) * (\text{Partitions} + 1) * (\text{Line_Size} + 1) * (\text{Sets} + 1)$$

$$= (\text{EBX}[31:22] + 1) * (\text{EBX}[21:12] + 1) * (\text{EBX}[11:0] + 1) * (\text{ECX} + 1)$$

The CPUID leaf 04H also reports data that can be used to derive the topology of processor cores in a physical package. This information is constant for all valid index values. Software can query the raw data reported by executing CPUID with EAX=04H and ECX=0 and use it as part of the topology enumeration algorithm described in Chapter 9, "Multiple-Processor Management," in the Intel[®] 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3A.

INPUT EAX = 05H: Returns MONITOR and MWAIT Features

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 05H, the processor returns information about features available to MONITOR/MWAIT instructions. The MONITOR instruction is used for address-range monitoring in conjunction with MWAIT instruction. The MWAIT instruction optionally provides additional extensions for advanced power management. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 06H: Returns Thermal and Power Management Features

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 06H, the processor returns information about thermal and power management features. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 07H: Returns Structured Extended Feature Enumeration Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 07H and ECX = 0, the processor returns information about the maximum input value for sub-leaves that contain extended feature flags. See Table 3-8.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 07H and the input value of ECX is invalid (see leaf 07H entry in Table 3-8), the processor returns 0 in EAX/EBX/ECX/EDX. In subleaf 0, EAX returns the maximum input value of the highest leaf 7 sub-leaf, and EBX, ECX & EDX contain information of extended feature flags.

INPUT EAX = 09H: Returns Direct Cache Access Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 09H, the processor returns information about Direct Cache Access capabilities. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 0AH: Returns Architectural Performance Monitoring Features

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 0AH, the processor returns information about support for architectural performance monitoring capabilities. Architectural performance monitoring is supported if the version ID (see Table 3-8) is greater than Pn 0. See Table 3-8.

For each version of architectural performance monitoring capability, software must enumerate this leaf to discover the programming facilities and the architectural performance events available in the processor. The details are described in Chapter 24, "Introduction to Virtual Machine Extensions," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3C.

INPUT EAX = 0BH: Returns Extended Topology Information

CPUID leaf 1FH is a preferred superset to leaf 0BH. Intel recommends first checking for the existence of Leaf 1FH before using leaf 0BH.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 0BH, the processor returns information about extended topology enumeration data. Software must detect the presence of CPUID leaf 0BH by verifying (a) the highest leaf index supported by CPUID is $\geq 0BH$, and (b) CPUID.0BH:EBX[15:0] reports a non-zero value. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 0DH: Returns Processor Extended States Enumeration Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 0DH and ECX = 0, the processor returns information about the bit-vector representation of all processor state extensions that are supported in the processor and storage size requirements of the XSAVE/XRSTOR area. See Table 3-8.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 0DH and ECX = n ($n > 1$, and is a valid sub-leaf index), the processor returns information about the size and offset of each processor extended state save area within the XSAVE/XRSTOR area. See Table 3-8. Software can use the forward-extendable technique depicted below to query the valid sub-leaves and obtain size and offset information for each processor extended state save area:

```
For i = 2 to 62 // sub-leaf 1 is reserved
  IF (CPUID.(EAX=0DH, ECX=0):VECTOR[i] = 1) // VECTOR is the 64-bit value of EDX:EAX
    Execute CPUID.(EAX=0DH, ECX = i) to examine size and offset for sub-leaf i;
  FI;
```

INPUT EAX = 0FH: Returns Intel Resource Director Technology (Intel RDT) Monitoring Enumeration Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 0FH and ECX = 0, the processor returns information about the bit-vector representation of QoS monitoring resource types that are supported in the processor and maximum range of RMID values the processor can use to monitor of any supported resource types. Each bit, starting from bit 1, corresponds to a specific resource type if the bit is set. The bit position corresponds to the sub-leaf index (or ResID) that software must use to query QoS monitoring capability available for that type. See Table 3-8.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 0FH and ECX = n ($n \geq 1$, and is a valid ResID), the processor returns information software can use to program IA32_PQR_ASSOC, IA32_QM_EVTSEL MSRs before reading QoS data from the IA32_QM_CTR MSR.

INPUT EAX = 10H: Returns Intel Resource Director Technology (Intel RDT) Allocation Enumeration Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 10H and ECX = 0, the processor returns information about the bit-vector representation of QoS Enforcement resource types that are supported in the processor. Each bit, starting from bit 1, corresponds to a specific resource type if the bit is set. The bit position corresponds to the sub-leaf index (or ResID) that software must use to query QoS enforcement capability available for that type. See Table 3-8.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 10H and ECX = n (n >= 1, and is a valid ResID), the processor returns information about available classes of service and range of QoS mask MSRs that software can use to configure each class of services using capability bit masks in the QoS Mask registers, IA32_resourceType_Mask_n.

INPUT EAX = 12H: Returns Intel SGX Enumeration Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 12H and ECX = 0H, the processor returns information about Intel SGX capabilities. See Table 3-8.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 12H and ECX = 1H, the processor returns information about Intel SGX attributes. See Table 3-8.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 12H and ECX = n (n > 1), the processor returns information about Intel SGX Enclave Page Cache. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 14H: Returns Intel Processor Trace Enumeration Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 14H and ECX = 0H, the processor returns information about Intel Processor Trace extensions. See Table 3-8.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 14H and ECX = n (n > 0 and less than the number of non-zero bits in CPUID.(EAX=14H, ECX= 0H).EAX), the processor returns information about packet generation in Intel Processor Trace. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 15H: Returns Time Stamp Counter and Nominal Core Crystal Clock Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 15H and ECX = 0H, the processor returns information about Time Stamp Counter and Core Crystal Clock. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 16H: Returns Processor Frequency Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 16H, the processor returns information about Processor Frequency Information. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 17H: Returns System-On-Chip Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 17H, the processor returns information about the System-On-Chip Vendor Attribute Enumeration. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 18H: Returns Deterministic Address Translation Parameters Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 18H, the processor returns information about the Deterministic Address Translation Parameters. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 19H: Returns Key Locker Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 19H, the processor returns information about Key Locker. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 1AH: Returns Native Model ID Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 1AH, the processor returns information about Native Model Identification. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 1BH: Returns PCONFIG Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 1BH, the processor returns information about PCONFIG capabilities. This information is enumerated in sub-leaves selected by the value of ECX (starting with 0).

Each sub-leaf of CPUID function 1BH enumerates its **sub-leaf type** in EAX. If a sub-leaf type is 0, the sub-leaf is invalid and zero is returned in EBX, ECX, and EDX. In this case, all subsequent sub-leaves (selected by larger input values of ECX) are also invalid.

The only valid sub-leaf type currently defined is 1, indicating that the sub-leaf enumerates target identifiers for the PCONFIG instruction. Any non-zero value returned in EBX, ECX, or EDX indicates a valid target identifier of the PCONFIG instruction (any value of zero should be ignored). The only target identifier currently defined is 1, indicating TME-MK. See the “PCONFIG—Platform Configuration” instruction in Chapter 4 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2B, for more information.

INPUT EAX = 1CH: Returns Last Branch Record Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 1CH, the processor returns information about LBRs (the architectural feature). See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 1DH: Returns Tile Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 1DH and ECX = 0H, the processor returns information about tile architecture. See Table 3-8.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 1DH and ECX = 1H, the processor returns information about tile palette 1. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 1EH: Returns TMUL Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 1EH and ECX = 0H, the processor returns information about TMUL capabilities. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 1FH: Returns V2 Extended Topology Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 1FH, the processor returns information about extended topology enumeration data. Software must detect the presence of CPUID leaf 1FH by verifying (a) the highest leaf index supported by CPUID is $\geq 1FH$, and (b) CPUID.1FH:EBX[15:0] reports a non-zero value. See Table 3-8.

INPUT EAX = 20H: Returns History Reset Information

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 20H, the processor returns information about History Reset. See Table 3-8.

METHODS FOR RETURNING BRANDING INFORMATION

Use the following techniques to access branding information:

1. Processor brand string method.
2. Processor brand index; this method uses a software supplied brand string table.

These two methods are discussed in the following sections. For methods that are available in early processors, see Section: “Identification of Earlier IA-32 Processors” in Chapter 20 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1.

The Processor Brand String Method

Figure 3-9 describes the algorithm used for detection of the brand string. Processor brand identification software should execute this algorithm on all Intel 64 and IA-32 processors.

This method (introduced with Pentium 4 processors) returns an ASCII brand identification string and the Processor Base frequency of the processor to the EAX, EBX, ECX, and EDX registers.

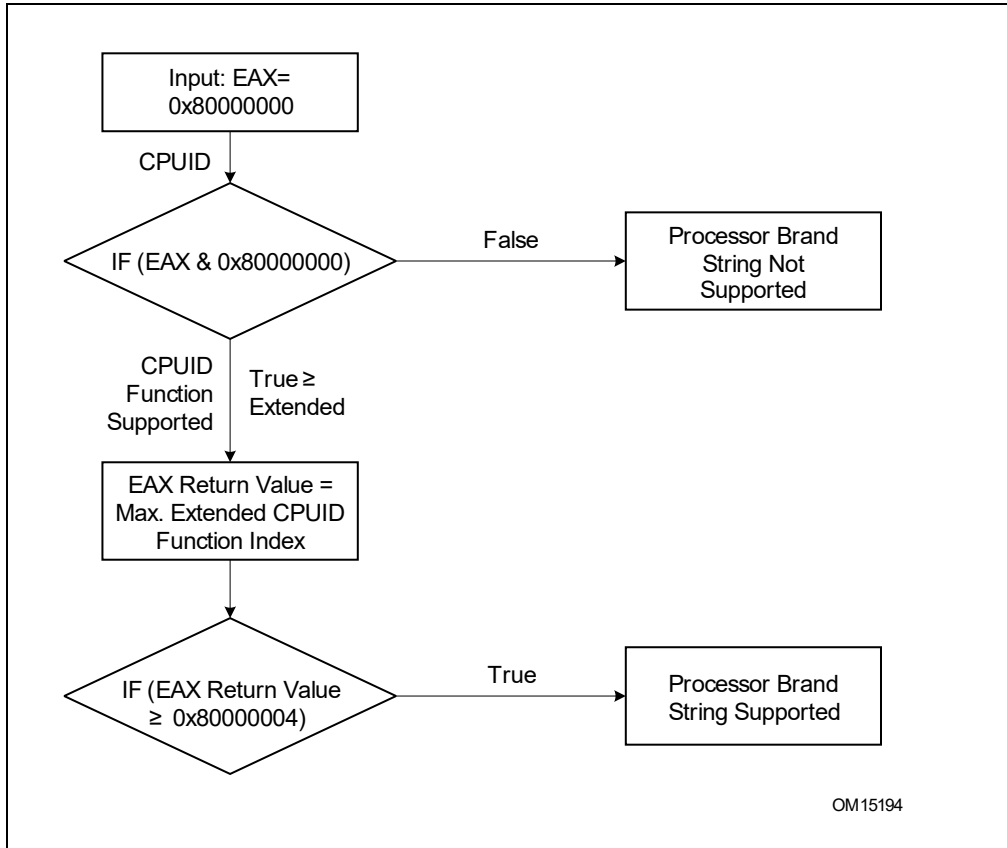


Figure 3-9. Determination of Support for the Processor Brand String

How Brand Strings Work

To use the brand string method, execute CPUID with EAX input of 8000002H through 80000004H. For each input value, CPUID returns 16 ASCII characters using EAX, EBX, ECX, and EDX. The returned string will be NULL-terminated.

Table 3-13 shows the brand string that is returned by the first processor in the Pentium 4 processor family.

Table 3-13. Processor Brand String Returned with Pentium 4 Processor

EAX Input Value	Return Values	ASCII Equivalent
80000002H	EAX = 20202020H EBX = 20202020H ECX = 20202020H EDX = 6E492020H	" " " " " " " " " "nl "
80000003H	EAX = 286C6574H EBX = 50202952H ECX = 69746E65H EDX = 52286D75H	"(let" "P)R" "itne" "R(mu"

Table 3-13. Processor Brand String Returned with Pentium 4 Processor (Contd.)

EAX Input Value	Return Values	ASCII Equivalent
80000004H	EAX = 20342029H EBX = 20555043H ECX = 30303531H EDX = 007A484DH	" 4)" " UPC" "0051" "\0zHM"

Extracting the Processor Frequency from Brand Strings

Figure 3-10 provides an algorithm which software can use to extract the Processor Base frequency from the processor brand string.

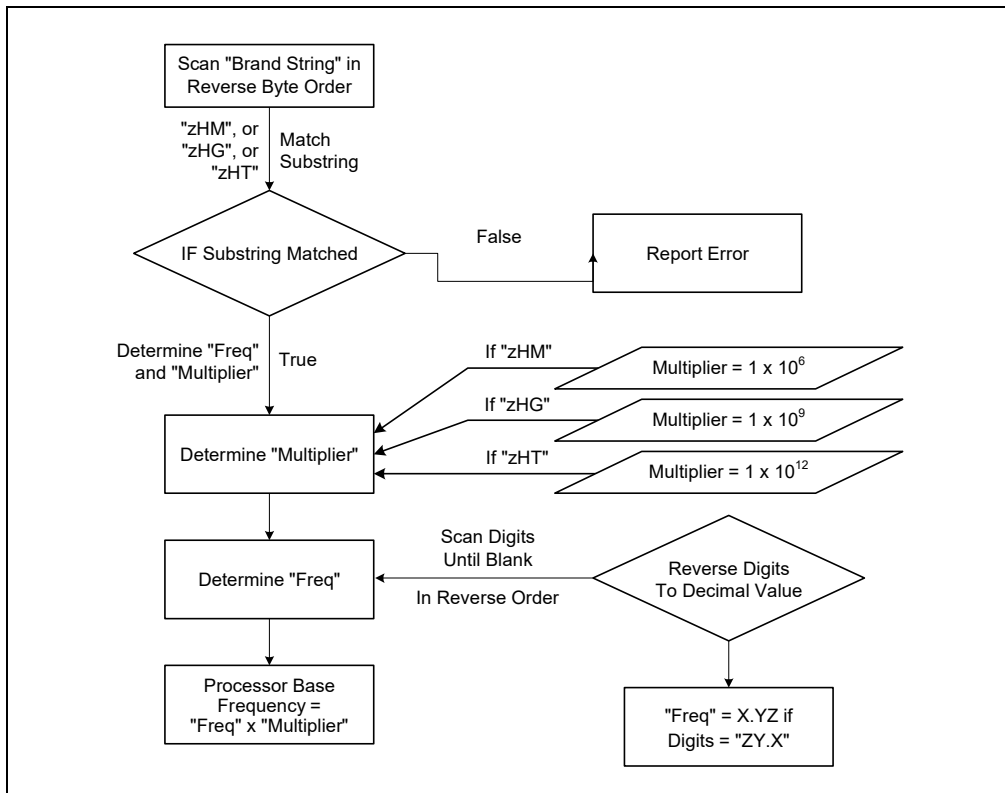


Figure 3-10. Algorithm for Extracting Processor Frequency

The Processor Brand Index Method

The brand index method (introduced with Pentium® III Xeon® processors) provides an entry point into a brand identification table that is maintained in memory by system software and is accessible from system- and user-level code. In this table, each brand index is associated with an ASCII brand identification string that identifies the official Intel family and model number of a processor.

When CPUID executes with EAX set to 1, the processor returns a brand index to the low byte in EBX. Software can then use this index to locate the brand identification string for the processor in the brand identification table. The first entry (brand index 0) in this table is reserved, allowing for backward compatibility with processors that do not support the brand identification feature. Starting with processor signature family ID = 0FH, model = 03H, brand index method is no longer supported. Use brand string method instead.

Table 3-14 shows brand indices that have identification strings associated with them.

Table 3-14. Mapping of Brand Indices; and Intel 64 and IA-32 Processor Brand Strings

Brand Index	Brand String
00H	This processor does not support the brand identification feature
01H	Intel(R) Celeron(R) processor ¹
02H	Intel(R) Pentium(R) III processor ¹
03H	Intel(R) Pentium(R) III Xeon(R) processor; If processor signature = 000006B1h, then Intel(R) Celeron(R) processor
04H	Intel(R) Pentium(R) III processor
06H	Mobile Intel(R) Pentium(R) III processor-M
07H	Mobile Intel(R) Celeron(R) processor ¹
08H	Intel(R) Pentium(R) 4 processor
09H	Intel(R) Pentium(R) 4 processor
0AH	Intel(R) Celeron(R) processor ¹
0BH	Intel(R) Xeon(R) processor; If processor signature = 00000F13h, then Intel(R) Xeon(R) processor MP
0CH	Intel(R) Xeon(R) processor MP
0EH	Mobile Intel(R) Pentium(R) 4 processor-M; If processor signature = 00000F13h, then Intel(R) Xeon(R) processor
0FH	Mobile Intel(R) Celeron(R) processor ¹
11H	Mobile Genuine Intel(R) processor
12H	Intel(R) Celeron(R) M processor
13H	Mobile Intel(R) Celeron(R) processor ¹
14H	Intel(R) Celeron(R) processor
15H	Mobile Genuine Intel(R) processor
16H	Intel(R) Pentium(R) M processor
17H	Mobile Intel(R) Celeron(R) processor ¹
18H – 0FFH	RESERVED

NOTES:

1. Indicates versions of these processors that were introduced after the Pentium III

IA-32 Architecture Compatibility

CPUID is not supported in early models of the Intel486 processor or in any IA-32 processor earlier than the Intel486 processor.

Operation

IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID MSR := Update with installed microcode revision number;

CASE (EAX) OF

EAX = 0:

EAX := Highest basic function input value understood by CPUID;

EBX := Vendor identification string;

EDX := Vendor identification string;

ECX := Vendor identification string;

BREAK;

EAX = 1H:

EAX[3:0] := Stepping ID;

EAX[7:4] := Model;

EAX[11:8] := Family;

EAX[13:12] := Processor type;
 EAX[15:14] := Reserved;
 EAX[19:16] := Extended Model;
 EAX[27:20] := Extended Family;
 EAX[31:28] := Reserved;
 EBX[7:0] := Brand Index; (* Reserved if the value is zero. *)
 EBX[15:8] := CLFLUSH Line Size;
 EBX[16:23] := Reserved; (* Number of threads enabled = 2 if MT enable fuse set. *)
 EBX[24:31] := Initial APIC ID;
 ECX := Feature flags; (* See Figure 3-7. *)
 EDX := Feature flags; (* See Figure 3-8. *)

BREAK;

EAX = 2H:

EAX := Cache and TLB information;
 EBX := Cache and TLB information;
 ECX := Cache and TLB information;
 EDX := Cache and TLB information;

BREAK;

EAX = 3H:

EAX := Reserved;
 EBX := Reserved;
 ECX := ProcessorSerialNumber[31:0];
 (* Pentium III processors only, otherwise reserved. *)
 EDX := ProcessorSerialNumber[63:32];
 (* Pentium III processors only, otherwise reserved. *)

BREAK

EAX = 4H:

EAX := Deterministic Cache Parameters Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
 EBX := Deterministic Cache Parameters Leaf;
 ECX := Deterministic Cache Parameters Leaf;
 EDX := Deterministic Cache Parameters Leaf;

BREAK;

EAX = 5H:

EAX := MONITOR/MWAIT Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
 EBX := MONITOR/MWAIT Leaf;
 ECX := MONITOR/MWAIT Leaf;
 EDX := MONITOR/MWAIT Leaf;

BREAK;

EAX = 6H:

EAX := Thermal and Power Management Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
 EBX := Thermal and Power Management Leaf;
 ECX := Thermal and Power Management Leaf;
 EDX := Thermal and Power Management Leaf;

BREAK;

EAX = 7H:

EAX := Structured Extended Feature Flags Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
 EBX := Structured Extended Feature Flags Enumeration Leaf;
 ECX := Structured Extended Feature Flags Enumeration Leaf;
 EDX := Structured Extended Feature Flags Enumeration Leaf;

BREAK;

EAX = 8H:

EAX := Reserved = 0;
 EBX := Reserved = 0;
 ECX := Reserved = 0;

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    EDX := Reserved = 0;
BREAK;
EAX = 9H:
    EAX := Direct Cache Access Information Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
    EBX := Direct Cache Access Information Leaf;
    ECX := Direct Cache Access Information Leaf;
    EDX := Direct Cache Access Information Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = AH:
    EAX := Architectural Performance Monitoring Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
    EBX := Architectural Performance Monitoring Leaf;
    ECX := Architectural Performance Monitoring Leaf;
    EDX := Architectural Performance Monitoring Leaf;
    BREAK
EAX = BH:
    EAX := Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
    EBX := Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf;
    ECX := Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf;
    EDX := Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = CH:
    EAX := Reserved = 0;
    EBX := Reserved = 0;
    ECX := Reserved = 0;
    EDX := Reserved = 0;
BREAK;
EAX = DH:
    EAX := Processor Extended State Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
    EBX := Processor Extended State Enumeration Leaf;
    ECX := Processor Extended State Enumeration Leaf;
    EDX := Processor Extended State Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = EH:
    EAX := Reserved = 0;
    EBX := Reserved = 0;
    ECX := Reserved = 0;
    EDX := Reserved = 0;
BREAK;
EAX = FH:
    EAX := Intel Resource Director Technology Monitoring Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
    EBX := Intel Resource Director Technology Monitoring Enumeration Leaf;
    ECX := Intel Resource Director Technology Monitoring Enumeration Leaf;
    EDX := Intel Resource Director Technology Monitoring Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 10H:
    EAX := Intel Resource Director Technology Allocation Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
    EBX := Intel Resource Director Technology Allocation Enumeration Leaf;
    ECX := Intel Resource Director Technology Allocation Enumeration Leaf;
    EDX := Intel Resource Director Technology Allocation Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 12H:
    EAX := Intel SGX Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
    EBX := Intel SGX Enumeration Leaf;
    ECX := Intel SGX Enumeration Leaf;

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EDX := Intel SGX Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 14H:
EAX := Intel Processor Trace Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Intel Processor Trace Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := Intel Processor Trace Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := Intel Processor Trace Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 15H:
EAX := Time Stamp Counter and Nominal Core Crystal Clock Information Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Time Stamp Counter and Nominal Core Crystal Clock Information Leaf;
ECX := Time Stamp Counter and Nominal Core Crystal Clock Information Leaf;
EDX := Time Stamp Counter and Nominal Core Crystal Clock Information Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 16H:
EAX := Processor Frequency Information Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Processor Frequency Information Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := Processor Frequency Information Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := Processor Frequency Information Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 17H:
EAX := System-On-Chip Vendor Attribute Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := System-On-Chip Vendor Attribute Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := System-On-Chip Vendor Attribute Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := System-On-Chip Vendor Attribute Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 18H:
EAX := Deterministic Address Translation Parameters Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Deterministic Address Translation Parameters Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := Deterministic Address Translation Parameters Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := Deterministic Address Translation Parameters Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 19H:
EAX := Key Locker Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Key Locker Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := Key Locker Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := Key Locker Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 1AH:
EAX := Native Model ID Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Native Model ID Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := Native Model ID Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := Native Model ID Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 1BH:
EAX := PCONFIG Information Enumeration Leaf; (* See "INPUT EAX = 1BH: Returns PCONFIG Information" on page 3-252. *)
EBX := PCONFIG Information Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := PCONFIG Information Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := PCONFIG Information Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 1CH:
EAX := Last Branch Record Information Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Last Branch Record Information Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := Last Branch Record Information Enumeration Leaf;

EDX := Last Branch Record Information Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 1DH:
EAX := Tile Information Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Tile Information Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := Tile Information Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := Tile Information Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 1EH:
EAX := TMUL Information Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := TMUL Information Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := TMUL Information Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := TMUL Information Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 1FH:
EAX := V2 Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := V2 Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf;
ECX := V2 Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf;
EDX := V2 Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 20H:
EAX := Processor History Reset Sub-leaf; (* See Table 3-8. *)
EBX := Processor History Reset Sub-leaf;
ECX := Processor History Reset Sub-leaf;
EDX := Processor History Reset Sub-leaf;
BREAK;
EAX = 80000000H:
EAX := Highest extended function input value understood by CPUID;
EBX := Reserved;
ECX := Reserved;
EDX := Reserved;
BREAK;
EAX = 80000001H:
EAX := Reserved;
EBX := Reserved;
ECX := Extended Feature Bits (* See Table 3-8.*);
EDX := Extended Feature Bits (* See Table 3-8. *);
BREAK;
EAX = 80000002H:
EAX := Processor Brand String;
EBX := Processor Brand String, continued;
ECX := Processor Brand String, continued;
EDX := Processor Brand String, continued;
BREAK;
EAX = 80000003H:
EAX := Processor Brand String, continued;
EBX := Processor Brand String, continued;
ECX := Processor Brand String, continued;
EDX := Processor Brand String, continued;
BREAK;
EAX = 80000004H:
EAX := Processor Brand String, continued;
EBX := Processor Brand String, continued;
ECX := Processor Brand String, continued;

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    EDX := Processor Brand String, continued;
BREAK;
EAX = 80000005H:
    EAX := Reserved = 0;
    EBX := Reserved = 0;
    ECX := Reserved = 0;
    EDX := Reserved = 0;
BREAK;
EAX = 80000006H:
    EAX := Reserved = 0;
    EBX := Reserved = 0;
    ECX := Cache information;
    EDX := Reserved = 0;
BREAK;
EAX = 80000007H:
    EAX := Reserved = 0;
    EBX := Reserved = 0;
    ECX := Reserved = 0;
    EDX := Reserved = Misc Feature Flags;
BREAK;
EAX = 80000008H:
    EAX := Address Size Information;
    EBX := Misc Feature Flags;
    ECX := Reserved = 0;
    EDX := Reserved = 0;
BREAK;
EAX >= 40000000H and EAX <= 4FFFFFFFH:
DEFAULT: (* EAX = Value outside of recognized range for CPUID. *)
    (* If the highest basic information leaf data depend on ECX input value, ECX is honored. *)
    EAX := Reserved; (* Information returned for highest basic information leaf. *)
    EBX := Reserved; (* Information returned for highest basic information leaf. *)
    ECX := Reserved; (* Information returned for highest basic information leaf. *)
    EDX := Reserved; (* Information returned for highest basic information leaf. *)
BREAK;
ESAC;

```

Flags Affected

None.

Exceptions (All Operating Modes)

#UD If the LOCK prefix is used.
 In earlier IA-32 processors that do not support the CPUID instruction, execution of the instruction results in an invalid opcode (#UD) exception being generated.

8. Updates to Chapter 4, Volume 2B

Change bars and violet text show changes to Chapter 3 of the *Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2B: Instruction Set Reference, M-U*.

Changes to this chapter:

- Updated the PCONFIG instruction to convey changes in error checking. Additional updates made for clarity.
- Updated the RDRAND and RDSEED instructions to change the term “osize” to “operand size.”

PCONFIG—Platform Configuration

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/ En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
NP OF 01 C5 PCONFIG	A	V/V	PCONFIG	This instruction is used to execute functions for configuring platform features.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Tuple	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Operand 4
A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Description

The PCONFIG instruction allows software to configure certain platform features. It supports these features with multiple leaf functions, selecting a leaf function using the value in EAX.

Depending on the leaf function, the registers RBX, RCX, and RDX may be used to provide input information or for the instruction to report output information. Addresses and operands are 32 bits outside 64-bit mode and are 64 bits in 64-bit mode. The value of CS.D does not affect operand size or address size.

Executions of PCONFIG may fail for platform-specific reasons. An execution reports failure by setting the ZF flag and loading EAX with a non-zero failure reason; a successful execution clears ZF and EAX.

Each PCONFIG leaf function applies to a specific hardware block called a PCONFIG target. The leaf function is supported only if the processor supports that target. Each target is associated with a numerical target identifier, and CPUID leaf 1BH (PCONFIG information) enumerates the identifiers of the supported targets. An attempt to execute an undefined leaf function, or a leaf function that applies to an unsupported target identifier, results in a general-protection exception (#GP).

Leaf Function MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM

As of this writing, the only defined PCONFIG leaf function is used for key programming for total memory encryption-multi-key (TME-MK).¹ This leaf function is called MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM and it pertains to the TME-MK target, which has target identifier 1. The leaf function is selected by loading EAX with value 0. The MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM leaf function uses the EBX (or RBX) register for additional input information.

Software uses the MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM leaf function to manage the encryption key associated with a particular key identifier (KeyID). The leaf function uses a data structure called the **TME-MK key programming structure** (MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT). Software provides the address of the structure (as an offset in the DS segment) in EBX (or RBX). The format of the structure is given in Table 4-15.

Table 4-15. MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT Format

Field	Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Comments
KEYID	0	2	Key Identifier.
KEYID_CTRL	2	4	KeyID control: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bits 7:0: key-programming command (COMMAND) ▪ Bits 23:8: encryption algorithm (ENC_ALG) ▪ Bits 31:24: Reserved, must be zero (RSVD)
Ignored	6	58	Not used.
KEY_FIELD_1	64	64	Software supplied data key or entropy for data key.
KEY_FIELD_2	128	64	Software supplied tweak key or entropy for tweak key.

1. Further details on TME-MK can be found here:

<https://software.intel.com/sites/default/files/managed/a5/16/Multi-Key-Total-Memory-Encryption-Spec.pdf>

A description of each of the fields in MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT is provided below:

- **KEYID:** The key identifier (KeyID) being programmed to the MKTME engine. PCONFIG causes a general-protection exception (#GP) if the KeyID is zero. KeyID zero always uses the current behavior configured for TME (total memory encryption), either to encrypt with platform TME key or to bypass TME encryption. PCONFIG also causes a #GP if the KeyID exceeds the maximum enumerated in IA32_TME_CAPABILITY.MK_TME_MAX_KEYS[bits 50:36] or configured by the setting of IA32_TME_ACTIVATE.MK_TME_KEYID_BITS[bits 35:32].
- **KEYID_CTRL:** The KEYID_CTRL field comprises two sub-fields used by software to control the encryption performed for the selected KeyID:

- Key-programming command (COMMAND; bits 7:0). This 8-bit field should contain one of the following values:

- KEYID_SET_KEY_DIRECT (value 0). With this command, software programs directly the encryption key to be used for the selected KeyID.
- KEYID_SET_KEY_RANDOM (value 1). With this command, software has the CPU generate and assign an encryption key to be used for the selected KeyID using a hardware random-number generator.

If this command is used and there is insufficient entropy for the random-number generator, PCONFIG will fail and report the failure by loading EAX with value 2 (ENTROPY_ERROR).

Because the keys programmed by PCONFIG are discarded on reset and software cannot read the programmed keys, the keys programmed with this command are ephemeral.

- KEYID_CLEAR_KEY (value 2). With this command, software indicates that the selected KeyID should use the current behavior configured for TME (see above).
- KEYID_NO_ENCRYPT (value 3). With this command, software indicates that no encryption should be used for the selected KeyID.

If any other value is used, PCONFIG causes a #GP.

- Encryption algorithm (ENC_ALG, bits 23:8). Bits 63:48 of the IA32_TME_ACTIVATE MSR (MSR index 982H) indicate which encryption algorithms are supported by the platform. The 16-bit ENC_ALG field should specify one of the algorithms indicated in IA32_TME_ACTIVATE. PCONFIG causes a #GP if ENC_ALG does not set exactly one bit or if it sets a bit whose corresponding bit is not set in IA32_TME_ACTIVATE[63:48].

- **KEY_FIELD_1:** Use of this field depends upon selected key-programming command:

- If the direct key-programming command is used (KEYID_SET_KEY_DIRECT), this field carries the software supplied data key to be used for the KeyID.
- If the random key-programming command is used (KEYID_SET_KEY_RANDOM), this field carries the software supplied entropy to be mixed in the CPU generated random data key.
- This field is ignored when one of the other key-programming commands is used.

It is software's responsibility to ensure that the key supplied for the direct key-programming option or the entropy supplied for the random key-programming option does not result in weak keys. There are no explicit checks in the instruction to detect or prevent weak keys.

- **KEY_FIELD_2:** Use of this field depends upon selected key-programming command:

- If the direct key-programming command is used (KEYID_SET_KEY_DIRECT), this field carries the software supplied tweak key to be used for the KeyID.
- If the random key-programming command is used (KEYID_SET_KEY_RANDOM), this field carries the software supplied entropy to be mixed in the CPU generated random tweak key.
- This field is ignored when one of the other key-programming commands is used.

It is software's responsibility to ensure that the key supplied for the direct key-programming option or the entropy supplied for the random key-programming option does not result in weak keys. There are no explicit checks in the instruction to detect or prevent weak keys.

All KeyIDs default to TME behavior (encrypt with TME key or bypass encryption) on activation of TME-MK. Software can at any point decide to change the key for a KeyID using the MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM leaf function of the PCONFIG instruction. Changing the key for a KeyID does **not** change the state of the TLB caches or memory pipeline. Software is responsible for taking appropriate actions to ensure correct behavior.

The key table used by TME-MK is shared by all logical processors in a platform. For this reason, execution of the MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM leaf function must gain exclusive access to the key table before updating it. The leaf function does this by acquiring lock (implemented in the platform) and retaining that lock until the execution completes. An execution of the leaf function may fail to acquire the lock if it is already in use. In this situation, the leaf function will load EAX with failure reason 5 (DEVICE_BUSY) indicating that software must retry. When this happens, the key table is not updated, and software should retry execution of PCONFIG.

NOTES

Earlier versions of this manual specified that bytes 63:6 of MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT were reserved and that PCONFIG would cause a #GP if they were not all zero. This is not the case. As indicated in Table 4-15, PCONFIG ignores those bytes.

They also specified that PCONFIG would cause a #GP if the upper 48 bytes of each of the 64-byte key fields were not all 0. This is not the case. From each of these fields, PCONFIG uses the number of bytes required by the selected encryption algorithm (e.g., 32 bytes for AES-XTS 256) and ignores the upper bytes.

They also specified that PCONFIG would complete and report a failure reason in EAX if the structure specified an incorrect KeyID, and unsupported key-programming command, or an incorrect selection of an encryption algorithm. This is not the case. As indicated above (and in the Operation section), those conditions cause #GP.

Operation

```
(* #UD if PCONFIG is not enumerated or CPL > 0 *)
IF CPUID.7.0:EDX[18] = 0 OR CPL > 0
    THEN #UD; FI;
```

```
(* #GP(0) for an unsupported leaf function *)
IF EAX != 0
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
CASE (EAX)      (* operation based on selected leaf function *)
0 (MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM):
(* Confirm that TME-MK is properly enabled by the IA32_TME_ACTIVATE MSR *)
(* The MSR must be locked, encryption enabled, and a non-zero number of KeyID bits specified *)
IF IA32_TME_ACTIVATE[0] = 0 OR IA32_TME_ACTIVATE[1] = 0 OR IA32_TME_ACTIVATE[35:32] = 0
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF DS:RBX is not 256-byte aligned
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
Load TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT from 192 bytes at linear address DS:RBX;
```

```
IF TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID_CTRL sets any reserved bits
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Check for a valid command *)
IF TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID_CTRL.COMMAND > 3
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Check that the KEYID being operated upon is a valid KEYID *)
IF TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID = 0 OR
    TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID > 2^IA32_TME_ACTIVATE.MK_TME_KEYID_BITS - 1 OR
    TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID > IA32_TME_CAPABILITY.MK_TME_MAX_KEYS
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Check that only one encryption algorithm is requested for the KeyID and it is one of the activated algorithms *)
IF TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID_CTRL.ENC_ALG does not set exactly one bit OR
  (TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID_CTRL.ENC_ALG & IA32_TME_ACTIVATE[63:48]) = 0
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

Attempt to acquire lock to gain exclusive access to platform key table;

```
IF attempt is unsuccessful
  THEN (* PCONFIG failure *)
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := DEVICE_BUSY; (* failure reason 5 *)
    GOTO EXIT;
FI;
```

CASE (TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID_CTRL.COMMAND) OF

0 (KEYID_SET_KEY_DIRECT):

Update TME-MK table for TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID as follows:

```
  Encrypt with the selected key
  Use the encryption algorithm selected by TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID_CTRL.ENC_ALG
  (* The number of bytes used by the next two lines depends on selected encryption algorithm *)
  DATA_KEY is TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEY_FIELD_1
  TWEAK_KEY is TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEY_FIELD_2
```

BREAK;

1 (KEYID_SET_KEY_RANDOM):

Load TMP_RND_DATA_KEY with a random key using hardware RNG; (* key size depends on selected encryption algorithm *)

IF there was insufficient entropy

```
  THEN (* PCONFIG failure *)
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := ENTROPY_ERROR; (* failure reason 2 *)
    Release lock on platform key table;
    GOTO EXIT;
```

FI;

Load TMP_RND_TWEAK_KEY with a random key using hardware RNG; (* key size depends on selected encryption algorithm *)

IF there was insufficient entropy

```
  THEN (* PCONFIG failure *)
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := ENTROPY_ERROR; (* failure reason 2 *)
    Release lock on platform key table;
    GOTO EXIT;
```

FI;

(* Combine software-supplied entropy to the data key and tweak key *)

(* The number of bytes used by the next two lines depends on selected encryption algorithm *)

TMP_RND_DATA_KEY := TMP_RND_KEY XOR TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEY_FIELD_1;

TMP_RND_TWEAK_KEY := TMP_RND_TWEAK_KEY XOR TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEY_FIELD_2;

Update TME-MK table for TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID as follows:

```
  Encrypt with the selected key
  Use the encryption algorithm selected by TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID_CTRL.ENC_ALG
  (* The number of bytes used by the next two lines depends on selected encryption algorithm *)
  DATA_KEY is TMP_RND_DATA_KEY
  TWEAK_KEY is TMP_RND_TWEAK_KEY
```

BREAK;

2 (KEYID_CLEAR_KEY):

Update TME-MK table for TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID as follows:
 Encrypt (or not) using the current configuration for TME
 The specified encryption algorithm and key values are not used.
 BREAK;

3 (KEYID_NO_ENCRYPT):
 Update TME-MK table for TMP_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT.KEYID as follows:
 Do not encrypt
 The specified encryption algorithm and key values are not used.
 BREAK;

ESAC;
 Release lock on platform key table;
 ESAC;

RAX := 0;
 RFLAGS.ZF := 0;

EXIT:
 RFLAGS.CF := 0;
 RFLAGS.PF := 0;
 RFLAGS.AF := 0;
 RFLAGS.OF := 0;
 RFLAGS.SF := 0;

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf function.</p> <p>If a memory operand effective address is outside the relevant segment limit.</p> <p>MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM leaf function:</p> <p>If IA32_TME_ACTIVATE MSR is not locked.</p> <p>If hardware encryption and TME-MK capability are not enabled in IA32_TME_ACTIVATE MSR.</p> <p>If the memory operand is not 256B aligned.</p> <p>If any of the reserved bits in the KEYID_CTRL field of the MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT are set or that field indicates an unsupported KeyID, key-programming command, or encryption algorithm.</p>
#PF(fault-code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
#UD	<p>If any of the LOCK/REP/Operand Size/VEX prefixes are used.</p> <p>If current privilege level is not 0.</p> <p>If CPUID.7.0:EDX[bit 18] = 0</p>

Real-Address Mode Exceptions

#GP	<p>If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf function.</p> <p>MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM leaf function:</p> <p>If IA32_TME_ACTIVATE MSR is not locked.</p> <p>If hardware encryption and TME-MK capability are not enabled in IA32_TME_ACTIVATE MSR.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not 256B aligned.</p> <p>If any of the reserved bits in the KEYID_CTRL field of the MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT are set or that field indicates an unsupported KeyID, key-programming command, or encryption algorithm.</p>
#UD	<p>If any of the LOCK/REP/Operand Size/VEX prefixes are used.</p> <p>If current privilege level is not 0.</p> <p>If CPUID.7.0:EDX.PCONFIG[bit 18] = 0</p>

Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions

#UD PCONFIG instruction is not recognized in virtual-8086 mode.

Compatibility Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf function.</p> <p>If a memory operand is non-canonical form.</p> <p>MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM leaf function:</p> <p>If IA32_TME_ACTIVATE MSR is not locked.</p> <p>If hardware encryption and TME-MK capability are not enabled in IA32_TME_ACTIVATE MSR.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not 256B aligned.</p> <p>If any of the reserved bits in the KEYID_CTRL field of the MKTME_KEY_PROGRAM_STRUCT are set or that field indicates an unsupported KeyID, key-programming command, or encryption algorithm.</p>
#PF(fault-code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p>
#UD	<p>If any of the LOCK/REP/Operand Size/VEX prefixes are used.</p> <p>If the current privilege level is not 0.</p> <p>If CPUID.7.0:EDX.PCONFIG[bit 18] = 0.</p>

RDRAND—Read Random Number

Opcode*/ Instruction	Op/ En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
NFx OF C7 /6 RDRAND r16	M	V/V	RDRAND	Read a 16-bit random number and store in the destination register.
NFx OF C7 /6 RDRAND r32	M	V/V	RDRAND	Read a 32-bit random number and store in the destination register.
NFx REX.W + OF C7 /6 RDRAND r64	M	V/I	RDRAND	Read a 64-bit random number and store in the destination register.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Operand 4
M	ModRM:r/m (w)	N/A	N/A	N/A

Description

Loads a hardware generated random value and store it in the destination register. The size of the random value is determined by the destination register size and operating mode. The Carry Flag indicates whether a random value is available at the time the instruction is executed. CF=1 indicates that the data in the destination is valid. Otherwise CF=0 and the data in the destination operand will be returned as zeros for the specified width. All other flags are forced to 0 in either situation. Software must check the state of CF=1 for determining if a valid random value has been returned, otherwise it is expected to loop and retry execution of RDRAND (see Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1, Section 7.3.17, “Random Number Generator Instructions”).

This instruction is available at all privilege levels.

In 64-bit mode, the instruction's default **operand** size is 32 bits. Using a REX prefix in the form of REX.B permits access to additional registers (R8-R15). Using a REX prefix in the form of REX.W promotes operation to 64 bit operands. See the summary chart at the beginning of this section for encoding data and limits.

Operation

```

IF HW_RND_GEN.ready = 1
  THEN
    CASE of
      operand size is 64: DEST[63:0] := HW_RND_GEN.data;
      operand size is 32: DEST[31:0] := HW_RND_GEN.data;
      operand size is 16: DEST[15:0] := HW_RND_GEN.data;
    ESAC
    CF := 1;
  ELSE
    CASE of
      operand size is 64: DEST[63:0] := 0;
      operand size is 32: DEST[31:0] := 0;
      operand size is 16: DEST[15:0] := 0;
    ESAC
    CF := 0;
  FI
OF, SF, ZF, AF, PF := 0;

```

Flags Affected

The CF flag is set according to the result (see the “Operation” section above). The OF, SF, ZF, AF, and PF flags are set to 0.

Intel C/C++ Compiler Intrinsic Equivalent

```
RDRAND int _rdrand16_step( unsigned short * );  
RDRAND int _rdrand32_step( unsigned int * );  
RDRAND int _rdrand64_step( unsigned __int64 * );
```

Protected Mode Exceptions

#UD If the LOCK prefix is used.
 If CPUID.01H:ECX.RDRAND[bit 30] = 0.

Real-Address Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

Compatibility Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

RDSEED—Read Random SEED

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/ En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
NF _x 0F C7 /7 RDSEED r16	M	V/V	RDSEED	Read a 16-bit NIST SP800-90B & C compliant random value and store in the destination register.
NF _x 0F C7 /7 RDSEED r32	M	V/V	RDSEED	Read a 32-bit NIST SP800-90B & C compliant random value and store in the destination register.
NF _x REX.W + 0F C7 /7 RDSEED r64	M	V/I	RDSEED	Read a 64-bit NIST SP800-90B & C compliant random value and store in the destination register.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Operand 4
M	ModRM:r/m (w)	N/A	N/A	N/A

Description

Loads a hardware generated random value and store it in the destination register. The random value is generated from an Enhanced NRBG (Non Deterministic Random Bit Generator) that is compliant to NIST SP800-90B and NIST SP800-90C in the XOR construction mode. The size of the random value is determined by the destination register size and operating mode. The Carry Flag indicates whether a random value is available at the time the instruction is executed. CF=1 indicates that the data in the destination is valid. Otherwise CF=0 and the data in the destination operand will be returned as zeros for the specified width. All other flags are forced to 0 in either situation. Software must check the state of CF=1 for determining if a valid random seed value has been returned, otherwise it is expected to loop and retry execution of RDSEED (see Section 1.2).

The RDSEED instruction is available at all privilege levels. The RDSEED instruction executes normally either inside or outside a transaction region.

In 64-bit mode, the instruction's default operand size is 32 bits. Using a REX prefix in the form of REX.B permits access to additional registers (R8-R15). Using a REX prefix in the form of REX.W promotes operation to 64 bit operands. See the summary chart at the beginning of this section for encoding data and limits.

Operation

```
IF HW_NRND_GEN.ready = 1
```

```
  THEN
```

```
    CASE of
```

```
      operand size is 64: DEST[63:0] := HW_NRND_GEN.data;
```

```
      operand size is 32: DEST[31:0] := HW_NRND_GEN.data;
```

```
      operand size is 16: DEST[15:0] := HW_NRND_GEN.data;
```

```
    ESAC;
```

```
    CF := 1;
```

```
  ELSE
```

```
    CASE of
```

```
      operand size is 64: DEST[63:0] := 0;
```

```
      operand size is 32: DEST[31:0] := 0;
```

```
      operand size is 16: DEST[15:0] := 0;
```

```
    ESAC;
```

```
    CF := 0;
```

```
FI;
```

```
OF, SF, ZF, AF, PF := 0;
```


Flags Affected

The CF flag is set according to the result (see the “Operation” section above). The OF, SF, ZF, AF, and PF flags are set to 0.

C/C++ Compiler Intrinsic Equivalent

```
RDSEED int _rdseed16_step( unsigned short * );
RDSEED int _rdseed32_step( unsigned int * );
RDSEED int _rdseed64_step( unsigned __int64 * );
```

Protected Mode Exceptions

#UD If the LOCK prefix is used.
 If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX.RDSEED[bit 18] = 0.

Real-Address Mode Exceptions

#UD If the LOCK prefix is used.
 If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX.RDSEED[bit 18] = 0.

Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions

#UD If the LOCK prefix is used.
 If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX.RDSEED[bit 18] = 0.

Compatibility Mode Exceptions

#UD If the LOCK prefix is used.
 If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX.RDSEED[bit 18] = 0.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#UD If the LOCK prefix is used.
 If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX.RDSEED[bit 18] = 0.

9. Updates to Chapter 16, Volume 3B

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Changes to this chapter:

- Update to Section 16.9.3.2, "Architecturally Defined SRAR Errors," to add clarity.

This chapter describes the machine-check architecture and machine-check exception mechanism found in the Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, and P6 family processors. See Chapter 6, “Interrupt 18—Machine-Check Exception (#MC),” for more information on machine-check exceptions. A brief description of the Pentium processor’s machine check capability is also given.

Additionally, a signaling mechanism for software to respond to hardware corrected machine check error is covered.

16.1 MACHINE-CHECK ARCHITECTURE

The Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, and P6 family processors implement a machine-check architecture that provides a mechanism for detecting and reporting hardware (machine) errors, such as: system bus errors, ECC errors, parity errors, cache errors, and TLB errors. It consists of a set of model-specific registers (MSRs) that are used to set up machine checking and additional banks of MSRs used for recording errors that are detected.

The processor signals the detection of an uncorrected machine-check error by generating a machine-check exception (#MC), which is an abort class exception. The implementation of the machine-check architecture does not ordinarily permit the processor to be restarted reliably after generating a machine-check exception. However, the machine-check-exception handler can collect information about the machine-check error from the machine-check MSRs.

Starting with 45 nm Intel 64 processor on which CPUID reports DisplayFamily_DisplayModel as 06H_1AH; see the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A. The processor can report information on corrected machine-check errors and deliver a programmable interrupt for software to respond to MC errors, referred to as corrected machine-check error interrupt (CMCI). See Section 16.5 for details.

Intel 64 processors supporting machine-check architecture and CMCI may also support an additional enhancement, namely, support for software recovery from certain uncorrected recoverable machine check errors. See Section 16.6 for details.

16.2 COMPATIBILITY WITH PENTIUM PROCESSOR

The Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, and P6 family processors support and extend the machine-check exception mechanism introduced in the Pentium processor. The Pentium processor reports the following machine-check errors:

- Data parity errors during read cycles.
- Unsuccessful completion of a bus cycle.

The above errors are reported using the P5_MC_TYPE and P5_MC_ADDR MSRs (implementation specific for the Pentium processor). Use the RDMSR instruction to read these MSRs. See Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4, for the addresses.

The machine-check error reporting mechanism that Pentium processors use is similar to that used in Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, and P6 family processors. When an error is detected, it is recorded in P5_MC_TYPE and P5_MC_ADDR; the processor then generates a machine-check exception (#MC).

See Section 16.3.3, “Mapping of the Pentium Processor Machine-Check Errors to the Machine-Check Architecture,” and Section 16.10.2, “Pentium Processor Machine-Check Exception Handling,” for information on compatibility between machine-check code written to run on the Pentium processors and code written to run on P6 family processors.

16.3 MACHINE-CHECK MSRS

Machine check MSRs in the Pentium 4, Intel Atom, Intel Xeon, and P6 family processors consist of a set of global control and status registers and several error-reporting register banks. See Figure 16-1.

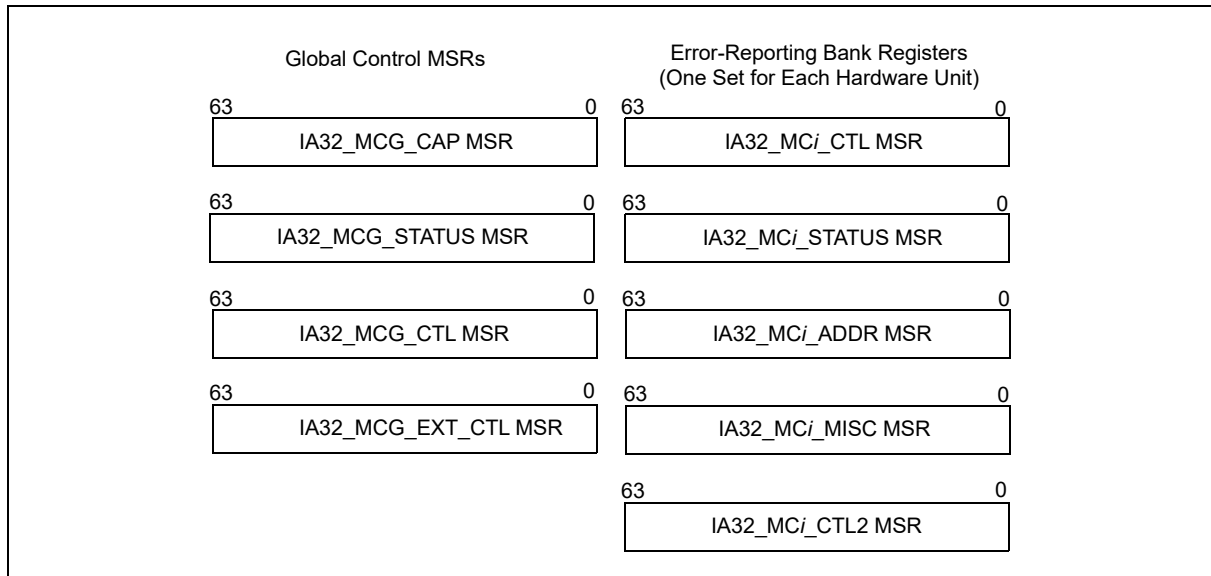


Figure 16-1. Machine-Check MSRs

Each error-reporting bank is associated with a specific hardware unit (or group of hardware units) in the processor. Use RDMSR and WRMSR to read and to write these registers.

16.3.1 Machine-Check Global Control MSRs

The machine-check global control MSRs include the IA32_MCG_CAP, IA32_MCG_STATUS, and optionally IA32_MCG_CTL and IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL. See Chapter 2, "Model-Specific Registers (MSRs)," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 4, for the addresses of these registers.

16.3.1.1 IA32_MCG_CAP MSR

The IA32_MCG_CAP MSR is a read-only register that provides information about the machine-check architecture of the processor. Figure 16-2 shows the layout of the register.

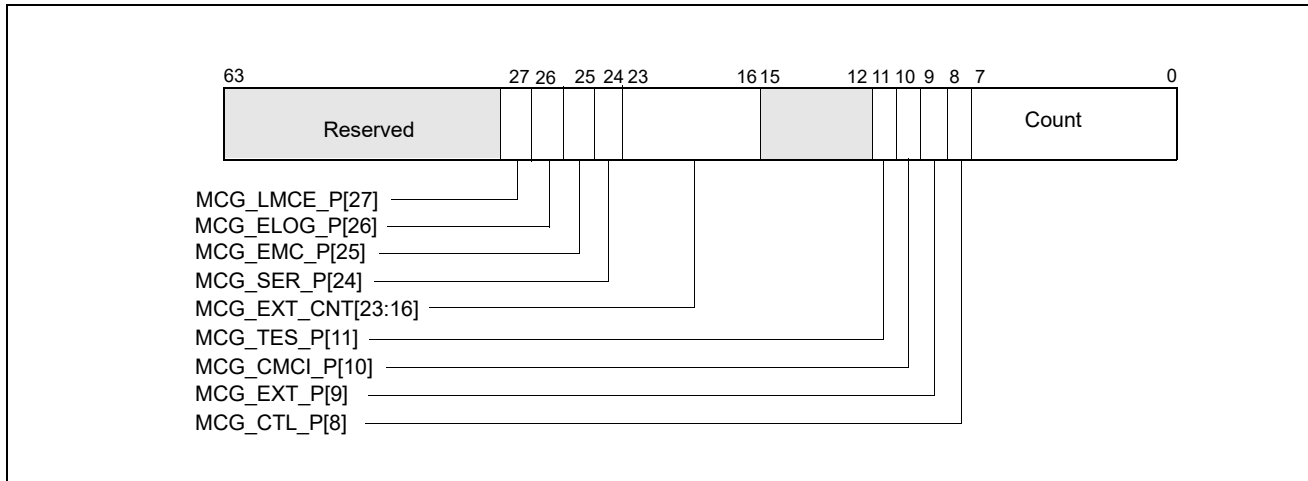


Figure 16-2. IA32_MCG_CAP Register

Where:

- **Count field, bits 7:0** — Indicates the number of hardware unit error-reporting banks available in a particular processor implementation.
- **MCG_CTL_P (control MSR present) flag, bit 8** — Indicates that the processor implements the IA32_MCG_CTL MSR when set; this register is absent when clear.
- **MCG_EXT_P (extended MSRs present) flag, bit 9** — Indicates that the processor implements the extended machine-check state registers found starting at MSR address 180H; these registers are absent when clear.
- **MCG_CMCI_P (Corrected MC error counting/signaling extension present) flag, bit 10** — Indicates (when set) that extended state and associated MSRs necessary to support the reporting of an interrupt on a corrected MC error event and/or count threshold of corrected MC errors, is present. When this bit is set, it does not imply this feature is supported across all banks. Software should check the availability of the necessary logic on a bank by bank basis when using this signaling capability (i.e., bit 30 settable in individual IA32_MCi_CTL2 register).
- **MCG_TES_P (threshold-based error status present) flag, bit 11** — Indicates (when set) that bits 56:53 of the IA32_MCi_STATUS MSR are part of the architectural space. Bits 56:55 are reserved, and bits 54:53 are used to report threshold-based error status. Note that when MCG_TES_P is not set, bits 56:53 of the IA32_MCi_STATUS MSR are model-specific.
- **MCG_EXT_CNT, bits 23:16** — Indicates the number of extended machine-check state registers present. This field is meaningful only when the MCG_EXT_P flag is set.
- **MCG_SER_P (software error recovery support present) flag, bit 24** — Indicates (when set) that the processor supports software error recovery (see Section 16.6), and IA32_MCi_STATUS MSR bits 56:55 are used to report the signaling of uncorrected recoverable errors and whether software must take recovery actions for uncorrected errors. Note that when MCG_TES_P is not set, bits 56:53 of the IA32_MCi_STATUS MSR are model-specific. If MCG_TES_P is set but MCG_SER_P is not set, bits 56:55 are reserved.
- **MCG EMC_P (Enhanced Machine Check Capability) flag, bit 25** — Indicates (when set) that the processor supports enhanced machine check capabilities for firmware first signaling.
- **MCG_ELOG_P (extended error logging) flag, bit 26** — Indicates (when set) that the processor allows platform firmware to be invoked when an error is detected so that it may provide additional platform specific information in an ACPI format “Generic Error Data Entry” that augments the data included in machine check bank registers.
For additional information about extended error logging interface, see <https://cdrdv2.intel.com/v1/dl/getContent/671064>.
- **MCG_LMCE_P (local machine check exception) flag, bit 27** — Indicates (when set) that the following interfaces are present:

- an extended state LMCE_S (located in bit 3 of IA32_MCG_STATUS), and
- the IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL MSR, necessary to support Local Machine Check Exception (LMCE).

A non-zero MCG_LMCE_P indicates that, when LMCE is enabled as described in Section 16.3.1.5, some machine check errors may be delivered to only a single logical processor.

The effect of writing to the IA32_MCG_CAP MSR is undefined.

16.3.1.2 IA32_MCG_STATUS MSR

The IA32_MCG_STATUS MSR describes the current state of the processor after a machine-check exception has occurred (see Figure 16-3).

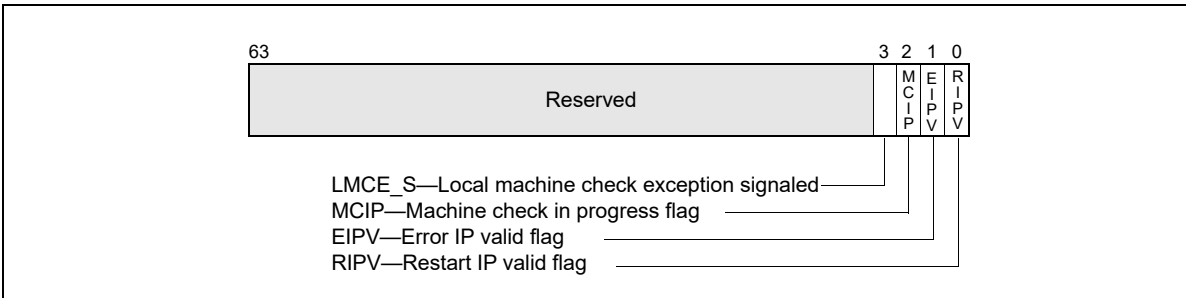


Figure 16-3. IA32_MCG_STATUS Register

Where:

- **RIPV (restart IP valid) flag, bit 0** — Indicates (when set) that program execution can be restarted reliably at the instruction pointed to by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack when the machine-check exception is generated. When clear, the program cannot be reliably restarted at the pushed instruction pointer.
- **EIPV (error IP valid) flag, bit 1** — Indicates (when set) that the instruction pointed to by the instruction pointer pushed onto the stack when the machine-check exception is generated is directly associated with the error. When this flag is cleared, the instruction pointed to may not be associated with the error.
- **MCIP (machine check in progress) flag, bit 2** — Indicates (when set) that a machine-check exception was generated. Software can set or clear this flag. The occurrence of a second Machine-Check Event while MCIP is set will cause the processor to enter a shutdown state. For information on processor behavior in the shutdown state, please refer to the description in Chapter 6, "Interrupt and Exception Handling": "Interrupt 8—Double Fault Exception (#DF)".
- **LMCE_S (local machine check exception signaled), bit 3** — Indicates (when set) that a local machine-check exception was generated. This indicates that the current machine-check event was delivered to only this logical processor.

Bits 63:04 in IA32_MCG_STATUS are reserved. An attempt to write to IA32_MCG_STATUS with any value other than 0 would result in #GP.

16.3.1.3 IA32_MCG_CTL MSR

The IA32_MCG_CTL MSR is present if the capability flag MCG_CTL_P is set in the IA32_MCG_CAP MSR.

IA32_MCG_CTL controls the reporting of machine-check exceptions. If present, writing 1s to this register enables machine-check features and writing all 0s disables machine-check features. All other values are undefined and/or implementation specific.

16.3.1.4 IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL MSR

The IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL MSR is present if the capability flag MCG_LMCE_P is set in the IA32_MCG_CAP MSR.

IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL.LMCE_EN (bit 0) allows the processor to signal some MCEs to only a single logical processor in the system.

If MCG_LMCE_P is not set in IA32_MCG_CAP, or platform software has not enabled LMCE by setting IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LMCE_ENABLED (bit 20), any attempt to write or read IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL will result in #GP.

The IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL MSR is cleared on RESET.

Figure 16-4 shows the layout of the IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL register

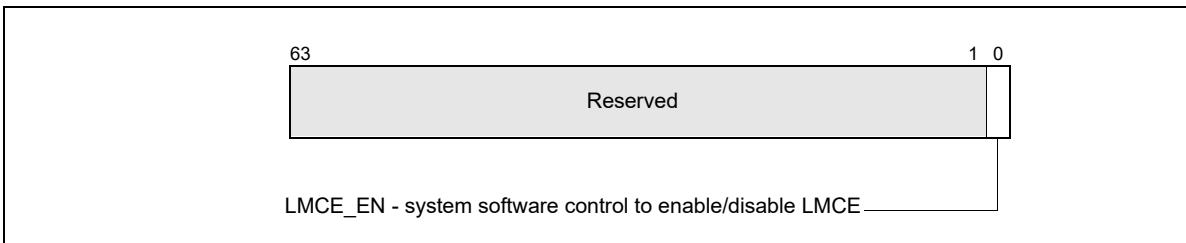


Figure 16-4. IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL Register

where

- **LMCE_EN (local machine check exception enable) flag, bit 0** - System software sets this to allow hardware to signal some MCEs to only a single logical processor. System software can set LMCE_EN only if the platform software has configured IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL as described in Section 16.3.1.5.

16.3.1.5 Enabling Local Machine Check

The intended usage of LMCE requires proper configuration by both platform software and system software. Platform software can turn LMCE on by setting bit 20 (LMCE_ENABLED) in IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL MSR (MSR address 3AH).

System software must ensure that both IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.Lock (bit 0) and IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LMCE_ENABLED (bit 20) are set before attempting to set IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL.LMCE_EN (bit 0). When system software has enabled LMCE, then hardware will determine if a particular error can be delivered only to a single logical processor. Software should make no assumptions about the type of error that hardware can choose to deliver as LMCE. The severity and override rules stay the same as described in Table 16-8 to determine the recovery actions.

16.3.2 Error-Reporting Register Banks

Each error-reporting register bank can contain the IA32_MCi_CTL, IA32_MCi_STATUS, IA32_MCi_ADDR, and IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs. The number of reporting banks is indicated by bits [7:0] of IA32_MCG_CAP MSR (address 0179H). The first error-reporting register (IA32_MCO_CTL) always starts at address 400H.

See Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4, for addresses of the error-reporting registers in the Pentium 4, Intel Atom, and Intel Xeon processors; and for addresses of the error-reporting registers P6 family processors.

16.3.2.1 IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs

The IA32_MCi_CTL MSR controls signaling of #MC for errors produced by a particular hardware unit (or group of hardware units). Each of the 64 flags (EE_j) represents a potential error. Setting an EE_j flag enables signaling #MC of the associated error and clearing it disables signaling of the error. Error logging happens regardless of the setting of these bits. The processor drops writes to bits that are not implemented. Figure 16-5 shows the bit fields of IA32_MCi_CTL.

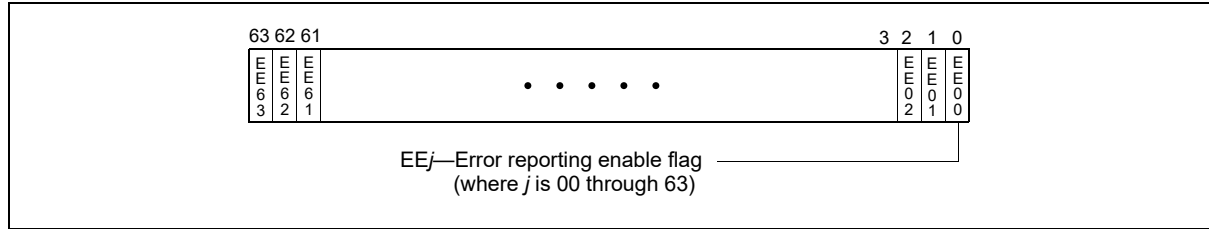


Figure 16-5. IA32_MCi_CTL Register

NOTE

For P6 family processors, processors based on Intel Core microarchitecture (excluding those on which CPUID reports DisplayFamily_DisplayModel as 06H_1AH and onward): the operating system or executive software must not modify the contents of the IA32_MC0_CTL MSR. This MSR is internally aliased to the EBL_CR_POWERON MSR and controls platform-specific error handling features. System specific firmware (the BIOS) is responsible for the appropriate initialization of the IA32_MC0_CTL MSR. P6 family processors only allow the writing of all 1s or all 0s to the IA32_M-Ci_CTL MSR.

16.3.2.2 IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS

Each IA32_MCi_STATUS MSR contains information related to a machine-check error if its VAL (valid) flag is set (see Figure 16-6). Software is responsible for clearing IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs by explicitly writing 0s to them; writing 1s to them causes a general-protection exception.

NOTE

Figure 16-6 depicts the IA32_MCi_STATUS MSR when IA32_MCG_CAP[24] = 1, IA32_MCG_CAP[11] = 1 and IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1. When IA32_MCG_CAP[24] = 0 and IA32_MCG_CAP[11] = 1, bits 56:55 is reserved and bits 54:53 for threshold-based error reporting. When IA32_MCG_CAP[11] = 0, bits 56:53 are part of the “Other Information” field. The use of bits 54:53 for threshold-based error reporting began with Intel Core Duo processors, and is currently used for cache memory. See Section 16.4, “Enhanced Cache Error reporting,” for more information. When IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 0, bits 52:38 are part of the “Other Information” field. The use of bits 52:38 for corrected MC error count is introduced with Intel 64 processor on which CPUID reports DisplayFamily_DisplayModel as 06H_1AH.

Where:

- **MCA (machine-check architecture) error code field, bits 15:0** — Specifies the machine-check architecture-defined error code for the machine-check error condition detected. The machine-check architecture-defined error codes are guaranteed to be the same for all IA-32 processors that implement the machine-check architecture. See Section 16.9, “Interpreting the MCA Error Codes,” and Chapter 17, “Interpreting Machine Check Error Codes,” for information on machine-check error codes.
- **Model-specific error code field, bits 31:16** — Specifies the model-specific error code that uniquely identifies the machine-check error condition detected. The model-specific error codes may differ among IA-32 processors for the same machine-check error condition. See Chapter 17, “Interpreting Machine Check Error Codes,” for information on model-specific error codes.
- **Reserved, Error Status, and Other Information fields, bits 56:32** —
 - If IA32_MCG_CAP.MCG EMC_P[bit 25] is 0, bits 37:32 contain “Other Information” that is implementation-specific and is not part of the machine-check architecture.
 - If IA32_MCG_CAP.MCG EMC_P is 1, “Other Information” is in bits 36:32. If bit 37 is 0, system firmware has not changed the contents of IA32_MCi_STATUS. If bit 37 is 1, system firmware may have edited the contents of IA32_MCi_STATUS.
 - If IA32_MCG_CAP.MCG CMCI_P[bit 10] is 0, bits 52:38 also contain “Other Information” (in the same sense as bits 37:32).

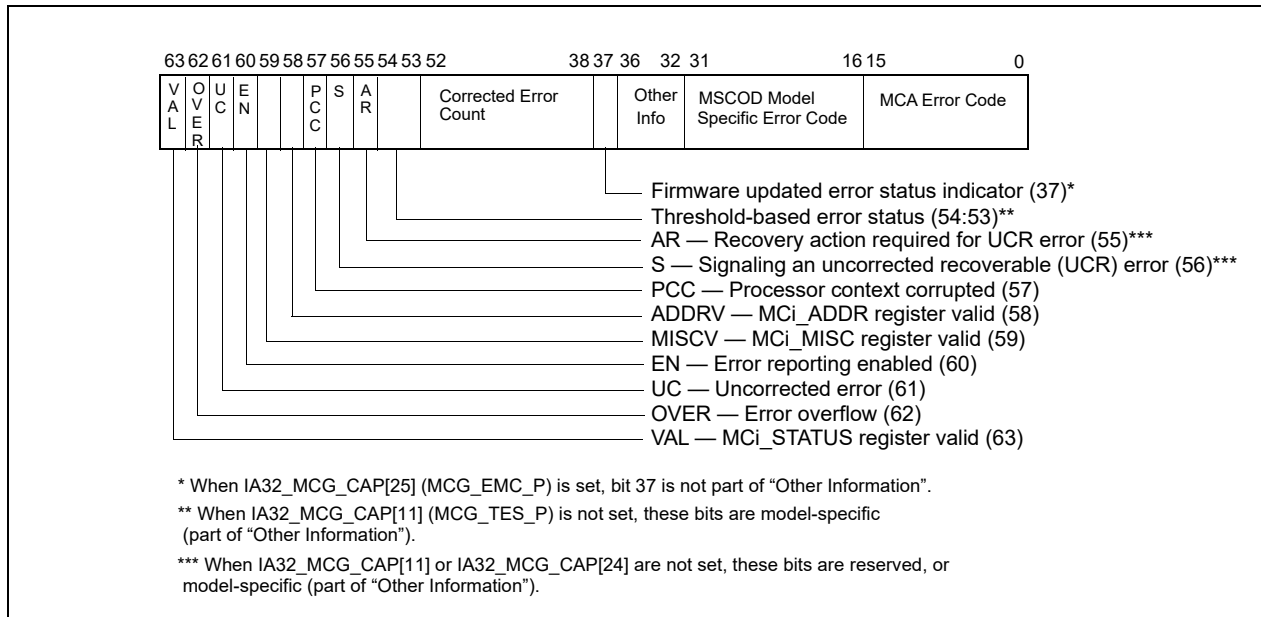


Figure 16-6. IA32_MCI_STATUS Register

- If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] is 1, bits 52:38 are architectural (not model-specific). In this case, bits 52:38 reports the value of a 15 bit counter that increments each time a corrected error is observed by the MCA recording bank. This count value will continue to increment until cleared by software. The most significant bit, 52, is a sticky count overflow bit.
- If IA32_MCG_CAP[11] is 0, bits 56:53 also contain "Other Information" (in the same sense).
- If IA32_MCG_CAP[11] is 1, bits 56:53 are architectural (not model-specific). In this case, bits 56:53 have the following functionality:
 - If IA32_MCG_CAP[24] is 0, bits 56:55 are reserved.
 - If IA32_MCG_CAP[24] is 1, bits 56:55 are defined as follows:
 - S (Signaling) flag, bit 56 - Signals the reporting of UCR errors in this MC bank. See Section 16.6.2 for additional details.
 - AR (Action Required) flag, bit 55 - Indicates (when set) that MCA error code specific recovery action must be performed by system software at the time this error was signaled. See Section 16.6.2 for additional details.
 - If the UC bit (Figure 16-6) is 1, bits 54:53 are undefined.
 - If the UC bit (Figure 16-6) is 0, bits 54:53 indicate the status of the hardware structure that reported the threshold-based error. See Table 16-1.

Table 16-1. Bits 54:53 in IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs when IA32_MCG_CAP[11] = 1 and UC = 0

Bits 54:53	Meaning
00	No tracking - No hardware status tracking is provided for the structure reporting this event.
01	Green - Status tracking is provided for the structure posting the event; the current status is green (below threshold). For more information, see Section 16.4, "Enhanced Cache Error reporting."
10	Yellow - Status tracking is provided for the structure posting the event; the current status is yellow (above threshold). For more information, see Section 16.4, "Enhanced Cache Error reporting."
11	Reserved

- **PCC (processor context corrupt) flag, bit 57** — Indicates (when set) that the state of the processor might have been corrupted by the error condition detected and that reliable restarting of the processor may not be possible. When clear, this flag indicates that the error did not affect the processor’s state, and software may be able to restart. When system software supports recovery, consult Section 16.10.4, “Machine-Check Software Handler Guidelines for Error Recovery,” for additional rules that apply.
- **ADDRV (IA32_MCi_ADDR register valid) flag, bit 58** — Indicates (when set) that the IA32_MCi_ADDR register contains the address where the error occurred (see Section 16.3.2.3, “IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs”). When clear, this flag indicates that the IA32_MCi_ADDR register is either not implemented or does not contain the address where the error occurred. Do not read these registers if they are not implemented in the processor.
- **MISCV (IA32_MCi_MISC register valid) flag, bit 59** — Indicates (when set) that the IA32_MCi_MISC register contains additional information regarding the error. When clear, this flag indicates that the IA32_MCi_MISC register is either not implemented or does not contain additional information regarding the error. Do not read these registers if they are not implemented in the processor.
- **EN (error enabled) flag, bit 60** — Indicates (when set) that the error was enabled by the associated EEj bit of the IA32_MCi_CTL register.
- **UC (error uncorrected) flag, bit 61** — Indicates (when set) that the processor did not or was not able to correct the error condition. When clear, this flag indicates that the processor was able to correct the error condition.
- **OVER (machine check overflow) flag, bit 62** — Indicates (when set) that a machine-check error occurred while the results of a previous error were still in the error-reporting register bank (that is, the VAL bit was already set in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register). The processor sets the OVER flag and software is responsible for clearing it. In general, enabled errors are written over disabled errors, and uncorrected errors are written over corrected errors. Uncorrected errors are not written over previous valid uncorrected errors. When MCG_CMCI_P is set, corrected errors may not set the OVER flag. Software can rely on corrected error count in IA32_MCi_Status[52:38] to determine if any additional corrected errors may have occurred. For more information, see Section 16.3.2.2.1, “Overwrite Rules for Machine Check Overflow.”
- **VAL (IA32_MCi_STATUS register valid) flag, bit 63** — Indicates (when set) that the information within the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is valid. When this flag is set, the processor follows the rules given for the OVER flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register when overwriting previously valid entries. The processor sets the VAL flag and software is responsible for clearing it.

16.3.2.2.1 Overwrite Rules for Machine Check Overflow

Table 16-2 shows the overwrite rules for how to treat a second event if the cache has already posted an event to the MC bank – that is, what to do if the valid bit for an MC bank already is set to 1. When more than one structure posts events in a given bank, these rules specify whether a new event will overwrite a previous posting or not. These rules define a priority for uncorrected (highest priority), yellow, and green/unmonitored (lowest priority) status.

In Table 16-2, the values in the two left-most columns are IA32_MCi_STATUS[54:53].

Table 16-2. Overwrite Rules for Enabled Errors

First Event	Second Event	UC bit	Color	MCA Info
00/green	00/green	0	00/green	either
00/green	yellow	0	yellow	second error
yellow	00/green	0	yellow	first error
yellow	yellow	0	yellow	either
00/green/yellow	UC	1	undefined	second
UC	00/green/yellow	1	undefined	first

If a second event overwrites a previously posted event, the information (as guarded by individual valid bits) in the MCI bank is entirely from the second event. Similarly, if a first event is retained, all of the information previously posted for that event is retained. In general, when the logged error or the recent error is a corrected error, the OVER bit (MCI_Status[62]) may be set to indicate an overflow. When MCG_CMCI_P is set in IA32_MCG_CAP, system software should consult IA32_MCi_STATUS[52:38] to determine if additional corrected errors may have

occurred. Software may re-read IA32_MCi_STATUS, IA32_MCi_ADDR, and IA32_MCi_MISC appropriately to ensure data collected represent the last error logged.

After software polls a posting and clears the register, the valid bit is no longer set and therefore the meaning of the rest of the bits, including the yellow/green/00 status field in bits 54:53, is undefined. The yellow/green indication will only be posted for events associated with monitored structures – otherwise the unmonitored (00) code will be posted in IA32_MCi_STATUS[54:53].

16.3.2.3 IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs

The IA32_MCi_ADDR MSR contains the address of the code or data memory location that produced the machine-check error if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set (see Section 16-7, “IA32_MCi_ADDR MSR”). The IA32_MCi_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general protection exception.

The address returned is an offset into a segment, linear address, or physical address. This depends on the error encountered. When these registers are implemented, these registers can be cleared by explicitly writing 0s to these registers. Writing 1s to these registers will cause a general-protection exception. See Figure 16-7.

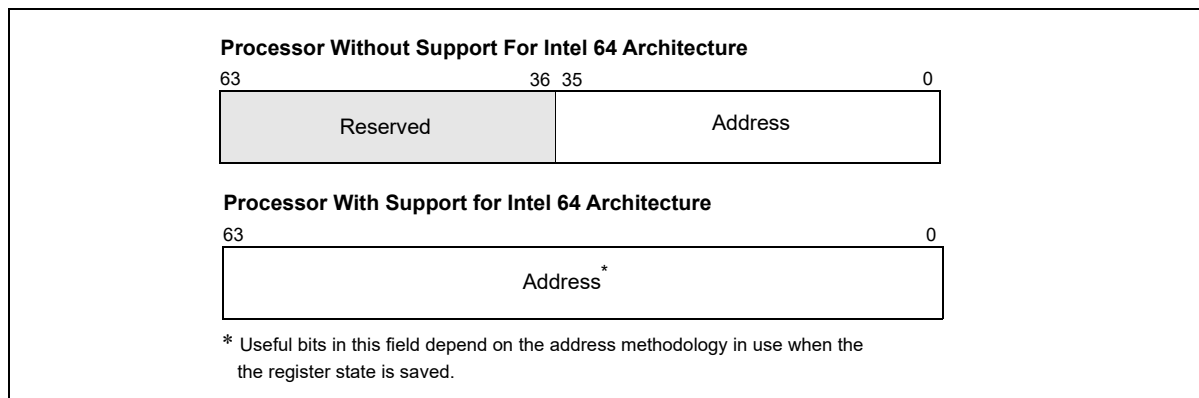


Figure 16-7. IA32_MCi_ADDR MSR

16.3.2.4 IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs

The IA32_MCi_MISC MSR contains additional information describing the machine-check error if the MISC_V flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set. The IA32_MCi_MISC_MSR is either not implemented or does not contain additional information if the MISC_V flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is clear.

When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general protection exception. When implemented in a processor, these registers can be cleared by explicitly writing all 0s to them; writing 1s to them causes a general-protection exception to be generated. This register is not implemented in any of the error-reporting register banks for the P6 or Intel Atom family processors.

If both MISC_V and IA32_MCG_CAP[24] are set, the IA32_MCi_MISC_MSR is defined according to Figure 16-8 to support software recovery of uncorrected errors (see Section 16.6).

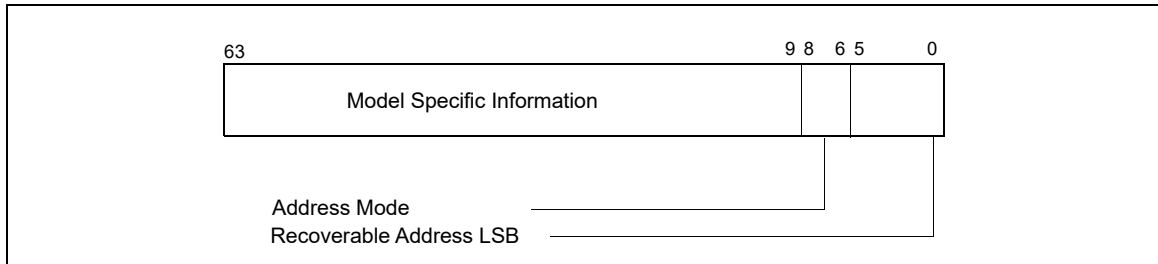


Figure 16-8. UCR Support in IA32_MCi_MISC Register

- Recoverable Address LSB (bits 5:0): The lowest valid recoverable address bit. Indicates the position of the least significant bit (LSB) of the recoverable error address. For example, if the processor logs bits [43:9] of the address, the LSB sub-field in IA32_MCi_MISC is 01001b (9 decimal). For this example, bits [8:0] of the recoverable error address in IA32_MCi_ADDR should be ignored.
- Address Mode (bits 8:6): Address mode for the address logged in IA32_MCi_ADDR. The supported address modes are given in Table 16-3.

Table 16-3. Address Mode in IA32_MCi_MISC[8:6]

IA32_MCi_MISC[8:6] Encoding	Definition
000	Segment Offset
001	Linear Address
010	Physical Address
011	Memory Address
100 to 110	Reserved
111	Generic

- Model Specific Information (bits 63:9): Not architecturally defined.

16.3.2.4.2 IOMCA

Logging and Signaling of errors from PCI Express domain is governed by PCI Express Advanced Error Reporting (AER) architecture. PCI Express architecture divides errors in two categories: Uncorrectable errors and Correctable errors. Uncorrectable errors can further be classified as Fatal or Non-Fatal. Uncorrected IO errors are signaled to the system software either as AER Message Signaled Interrupt (MSI) or via platform specific mechanisms such as NMI. Generally, the signaling mechanism is controlled by BIOS and/or platform firmware. Certain processors support an error handling mode, called IOMCA mode, where Uncorrected PCI Express errors are signaled in the form of machine check exception and logged in machine check banks.

When a processor is in this mode, Uncorrected PCI Express errors are logged in the MCACOD field of the IA32_MCi_STATUS register as Generic I/O error. The corresponding MCA error code is defined in Table 15-8. IA32_MCi_Status [15:0] Simple Error Code Encoding. Machine check logging complements and does not replace AER logging that occurs inside the PCI Express hierarchy. The PCI Express Root Complex and Endpoints continue to log the error in accordance with PCI Express AER mechanism. In IOMCA mode, MCI_MISC register in the bank that logged IOMCA can optionally contain information that link the Machine Check logs with the AER logs or proprietary logs. In such a scenario, the machine check handler can utilize the contents of MCI_MISC to locate the next level of error logs corresponding to the same error. Specifically, if MCI_Status.MISCV is 1 and MCACOD is 0x0E0B, MCI_MISC contains the PCI Express address of the Root Complex device containing the AER Logs. Software can consult the header type and class code registers in the Root Complex device's PCIe Configuration space to determine what type of device it is. This Root Complex device can either be a PCI Express Root Port, PCI Express Root Complex Event Collector or a proprietary device.

Errors that originate from PCI Express or Legacy Endpoints are logged in the corresponding Root Port in addition to the generating device. If `MISCV=1` and `MCi_MISC` contains the address of the Root Port or a Root Complex Event collector, software can parse the AER logs to learn more about the error.

If `MISCV=1` and `MCi_MISC` points to a device that is neither a Root Complex Event Collector nor a Root Port, software must consult the Vendor ID/Device ID and use device specific knowledge to locate and interpret the error log registers. In some cases, the Root Complex device configuration space may not be accessible to the software and both the Vendor and Device ID read as `0xFFFF`.

- The format of `MCi_MISC` for IOMCA errors is shown in Table 16-4.

Table 16-4. Address Mode in IA32_MCi_MISC[8:6]

63:40	39:32	31:16	15:9	8:6	5:0
RSVD	PCI Express Segment number	PCI Express Requestor ID	RSVD	ADDR MODE ¹	RECOV ADDR LSB ¹

NOTES:

1. Not Applicable if `ADDRV=0`.

Refer to PCI Express Specification 3.0 for definition of PCI Express Requestor ID and AER architecture. Refer to PCI Firmware Specification 3.0 for an explanation of PCI Express Segment number and how software can access configuration space of a PCI Express device given the segment number and Requestor ID.

16.3.2.5 IA32_MCi_CTL2 MSRs

The `IA32_MCi_CTL2` MSR provides the programming interface to use corrected MC error signaling capability that is indicated by `IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1`. Software must check for the presence of `IA32_MCi_CTL2` on a per-bank basis.

When `IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1`, the `IA32_MCi_CTL2` MSR for each bank exists, i.e., reads and writes to these MSR are supported. However, signaling interface for corrected MC errors may not be supported in all banks.

The layout of `IA32_MCi_CTL2` is shown in Figure 16-9.

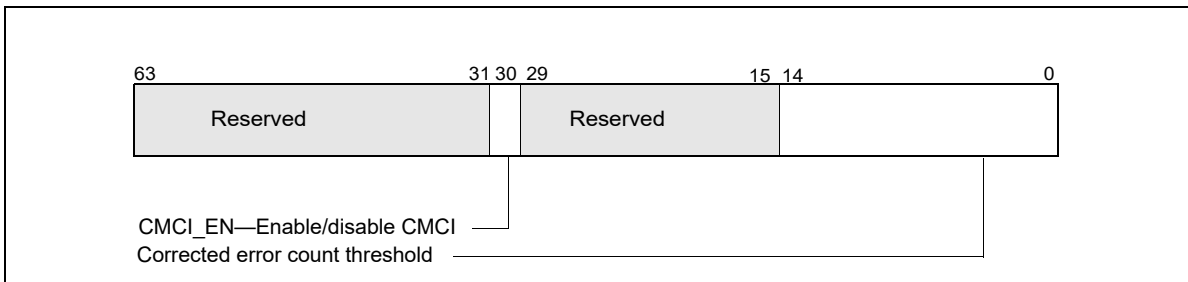


Figure 16-9. IA32_MCi_CTL2 Register

- **Corrected error count threshold, bits 14:0** — Software must initialize this field. The value is compared with the corrected error count field in `IA32_MCi_STATUS`, bits 38 through 52. An overflow event is signaled to the CMCI LVT entry (see Table 11-1) in the APIC when the count value equals the threshold value. The new LVT entry in the APIC is at `02F0H` offset from the `APIC_BASE`. If CMCI interface is not supported for a particular bank (but `IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1`), this field will always read 0.
- **CMCI_EN (Corrected error interrupt enable/disable/indicator), bits 30** — Software sets this bit to enable the generation of corrected machine-check error interrupt (CMCI). If CMCI interface is not supported for a particular bank (but `IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1`), this bit is writeable but will always return 0 for that bank. This bit also indicates CMCI is supported or not supported in the corresponding bank. See Section 16.5 for details of software detection of CMCI facility.

Some microarchitectural sub-systems that are the source of corrected MC errors may be shared by more than one logical processors. Consequently, the facilities for reporting MC errors and controlling mechanisms may be shared by more than one logical processors. For example, the IA32_MCi_CTL2 MSR is shared between logical processors sharing a processor core. Software is responsible to program IA32_MCi_CTL2 MSR in a consistent manner with CMCi delivery and usage.

After processor reset, IA32_MCi_CTL2 MSRs are zeroed.

16.3.2.6 IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs

The Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processors implement a variable number of extended machine-check state MSRs. The MCG_EXT_P flag in the IA32_MCG_CAP MSR indicates the presence of these extended registers, and the MCG_EXT_CNT field indicates the number of these registers actually implemented. See Section 16.3.1.1, "IA32_MCG_CAP MSR." Also see Table 16-5.

Table 16-5. Extended Machine Check State MSRs in Processors Without Support for Intel® 64 Architecture

MSR	Address	Description
IA32_MCG_EAX	180H	Contains state of the EAX register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_EBX	181H	Contains state of the EBX register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_ECX	182H	Contains state of the ECX register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_EDX	183H	Contains state of the EDX register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_ESI	184H	Contains state of the ESI register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG EDI	185H	Contains state of the EDI register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_EBP	186H	Contains state of the EBP register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_ESP	187H	Contains state of the ESP register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_EFLAGS	188H	Contains state of the EFLAGS register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_EIP	189H	Contains state of the EIP register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_MISC	18AH	When set, indicates that a page assist or page fault occurred during DS normal operation.

In processors with support for Intel 64 architecture, 64-bit machine check state MSRs are aliased to the legacy MSRs. In addition, there may be registers beyond IA32_MCG_MISC. These may include up to five reserved MSRs (IA32_MCG_RESERVED[1:5]) and save-state MSRs for registers introduced in 64-bit mode. See Table 16-6.

Table 16-6. Extended Machine Check State MSRs In Processors With Support for Intel® 64 Architecture

MSR	Address	Description
IA32_MCG_RAX	180H	Contains state of the RAX register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RBX	181H	Contains state of the RBX register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RCX	182H	Contains state of the RCX register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RDX	183H	Contains state of the RDX register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RSI	184H	Contains state of the RSI register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RDI	185H	Contains state of the RDI register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RBP	186H	Contains state of the RBP register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RSP	187H	Contains state of the RSP register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RFLAGS	188H	Contains state of the RFLAGS register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_RIP	189H	Contains state of the RIP register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_MISC	18AH	When set, indicates that a page assist or page fault occurred during DS normal operation.

Table 16-6. Extended Machine Check State MSRs In Processors With Support for Intel® 64 Architecture (Contd.)

MSR	Address	Description
IA32_MCG_RSERVED[1:5]	18BH-18FH	These registers, if present, are reserved.
IA32_MCG_R8	190H	Contains state of the R8 register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_R9	191H	Contains state of the R9 register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_R10	192H	Contains state of the R10 register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_R11	193H	Contains state of the R11 register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_R12	194H	Contains state of the R12 register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_R13	195H	Contains state of the R13 register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_R14	196H	Contains state of the R14 register at the time of the machine-check error.
IA32_MCG_R15	197H	Contains state of the R15 register at the time of the machine-check error.

When a machine-check error is detected on a Pentium 4 or Intel Xeon processor, the processor saves the state of the general-purpose registers, the R/EFLAGS register, and the R/EIP in these extended machine-check state MSRs. This information can be used by a debugger to analyze the error.

These registers are read/write to zero registers. This means software can read them; but if software writes to them, only all zeros is allowed. If software attempts to write a non-zero value into one of these registers, a general-protection (#GP) exception is generated. These registers are cleared on a hardware reset (power-up or RESET), but maintain their contents following a soft reset (INIT reset).

16.3.3 Mapping of the Pentium Processor Machine-Check Errors to the Machine-Check Architecture

The Pentium processor reports machine-check errors using two registers: P5_MC_TYPE and P5_MC_ADDR. The Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, and P6 family processors map these registers to the IA32_MC_i_STATUS and IA32_MC_i_ADDR in the error-reporting register bank. This bank reports on the same type of external bus errors reported in P5_MC_TYPE and P5_MC_ADDR.

The information in these registers can then be accessed in two ways:

- By reading the IA32_MC_i_STATUS and IA32_MC_i_ADDR registers as part of a general machine-check exception handler written for Pentium 4, Intel Atom and P6 family processors.
- By reading the P5_MC_TYPE and P5_MC_ADDR registers using the RDMSR instruction.

The second capability permits a machine-check exception handler written to run on a Pentium processor to be run on a Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, or P6 family processor. There is a limitation in that information returned by the Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, and P6 family processors is encoded differently than information returned by the Pentium processor. To run a Pentium processor machine-check exception handler on a Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, or P6 family processor; the handler must be written to interpret P5_MC_TYPE encodings correctly.

16.4 ENHANCED CACHE ERROR REPORTING

Starting with Intel Core Duo processors, cache error reporting was enhanced. In earlier Intel processors, cache status was based on the number of correction events that occurred in a cache. In the new paradigm, called "threshold-based error status", cache status is based on the number of lines (ECC blocks) in a cache that incur repeated corrections. The threshold is chosen by Intel, based on various factors. If a processor supports threshold-based error status, it sets IA32_MCG_CAP[11] (MCG_TES_P) to 1; if not, to 0.

A processor that supports enhanced cache error reporting contains hardware that tracks the operating status of certain caches and provides an indicator of their "health". The hardware reports a "green" status when the number of lines that incur repeated corrections is at or below a pre-defined threshold, and a "yellow" status when the

number of affected lines exceeds the threshold. Yellow status means that the cache reporting the event is operating correctly, but you should schedule the system for servicing within a few weeks.

Intel recommends that you rely on this mechanism for structures supported by threshold-base error reporting.

The CPU/system/platform response to a yellow event should be less severe than its response to an uncorrected error. An uncorrected error means that a serious error has actually occurred, whereas the yellow condition is a warning that the number of affected lines has exceeded the threshold but is not, in itself, a serious event: the error was corrected and system state was not compromised.

The green/yellow status indicator is not a foolproof early warning for an uncorrected error resulting from the failure of two bits in the same ECC block. Such a failure can occur and cause an uncorrected error before the yellow threshold is reached. However, the chance of an uncorrected error increases as the number of affected lines increases.

16.5 CORRECTED MACHINE CHECK ERROR INTERRUPT

Corrected machine-check error interrupt (CMCI) is an architectural enhancement to the machine-check architecture. It provides capabilities beyond those of threshold-based error reporting (Section 16.4). With threshold-based error reporting, software is limited to use periodic polling to query the status of hardware corrected MC errors. CMCI provides a signaling mechanism to deliver a local interrupt based on threshold values that software can program using the IA32_MCi_CTL2 MSRs.

CMCI is disabled by default. System software is required to enable CMCI for each IA32_MCi bank that support the reporting of hardware corrected errors if IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1.

System software use IA32_MCi_CTL2 MSR to enable/disable the CMCI capability for each bank and program threshold values into IA32_MCi_CTL2 MSR. CMCI is not affected by the CR4.MCE bit, and it is not affected by the IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs.

To detect the existence of thresholding for a given bank, software writes only bits 14:0 with the threshold value. If the bits persist, then thresholding is available (and CMCI is available). If the bits are all 0's, then no thresholding exists. To detect that CMCI signaling exists, software writes a 1 to bit 30 of the MCI_CTL2 register. Upon subsequent read, if bit 30 = 0, no CMCI is available for this bank and no corrected or UCNA errors will be reported on this bank. If bit 30 = 1, then CMCI is available and enabled.

16.5.1 CMCI Local APIC Interface

The operation of CMCI is depicted in Figure 16-10.

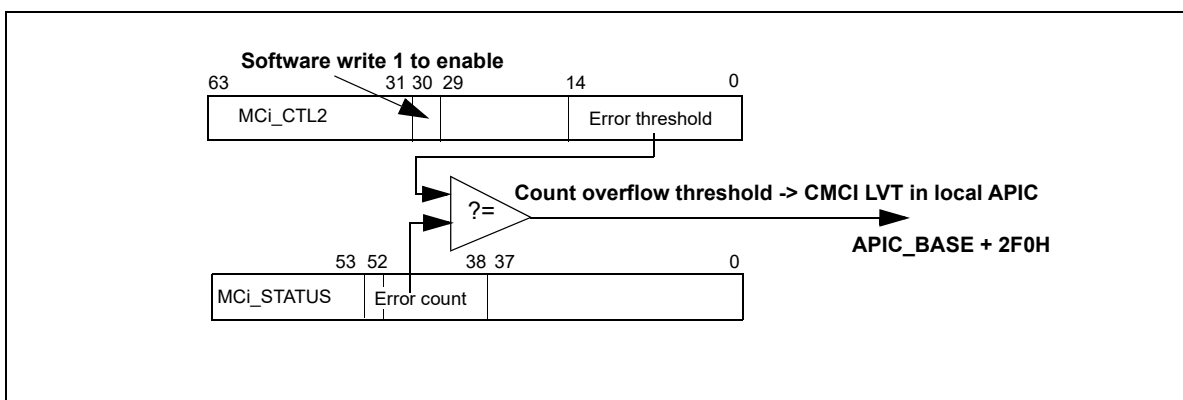


Figure 16-10. CMCI Behavior

CMCI interrupt delivery is configured by writing to the LVT CMCI register entry in the local APIC register space at default address of APIC_BASE + 2F0H. A CMCI interrupt can be delivered to more than one logical processors if multiple logical processors are affected by the associated MC errors. For example, if a corrected bit error in a cache shared by two logical processors caused a CMCI, the interrupt will be delivered to both logical processors sharing

that microarchitectural sub-system. Similarly, package level errors may cause CMCI to be delivered to all logical processors within the package. However, system level errors will not be handled by CMCI.

See Section 11.5.1, “Local Vector Table,” for details regarding the LVT CMCI register.

16.5.2 System Software Recommendation for Managing CMCI and Machine Check Resources

System software must enable and manage CMCI, set up interrupt handlers to service CMCI interrupts delivered to affected logical processors, program CMCI LVT entry, and query machine check banks that are shared by more than one logical processors.

This section describes techniques system software can implement to manage CMCI initialization, service CMCI interrupts in an efficient manner to minimize contentions to access shared MSR resources.

16.5.2.1 CMCI Initialization

Although a CMCI interrupt may be delivered to more than one logical processors depending on the nature of the corrected MC error, only one instance of the interrupt service routine needs to perform the necessary service and make queries to the machine-check banks. The following steps describes a technique that limits the amount of work the system has to do in response to a CMCI.

- To provide maximum flexibility, system software should define per-thread data structure for each logical processor to allow equal-opportunity and efficient response to interrupt delivery. Specifically, the per-thread data structure should include a set of per-bank fields to track which machine check bank it needs to access in response to a delivered CMCI interrupt. The number of banks that needs to be tracked is determined by IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0].
- Initialization of per-thread data structure. The initialization of per-thread data structure must be done serially on each logical processor in the system. The sequencing order to start the per-thread initialization between different logical processor is arbitrary. But it must observe the following specific detail to satisfy the shared nature of specific MSR resources:
 - a. Each thread initializes its data structure to indicate that it does not own any MC bank registers.
 - b. Each thread examines IA32_MCi_CTL2[30] indicator for each bank to determine if another thread has already claimed ownership of that bank.
 - If IA32_MCi_CTL2[30] had been set by another thread. This thread can not own bank *i* and should proceed to step b. and examine the next machine check bank until all of the machine check banks are exhausted.
 - If IA32_MCi_CTL2[30] = 0, proceed to step c.
 - c. Check whether writing a 1 into IA32_MCi_CTL2[30] can return with 1 on a subsequent read to determine this bank can support CMCI.
 - If IA32_MCi_CTL2[30] = 0, this bank does not support CMCI. This thread can not own bank *i* and should proceed to step b. and examine the next machine check bank until all of the machine check banks are exhausted.
 - If IA32_MCi_CTL2[30] = 1, modify the per-thread data structure to indicate this thread claims ownership to the MC bank; proceed to initialize the error threshold count (bits 15:0) of that bank as described in Chapter 16, “CMCI Threshold Management”. Then proceed to step b. and examine the next machine check bank until all of the machine check banks are exhausted.
- After the thread has examined all of the machine check banks, it sees if it owns any MC banks to service CMCI. If any bank has been claimed by this thread:
 - Ensure that the CMCI interrupt handler has been set up as described in Chapter 16, “CMCI Interrupt Handler”.
 - Initialize the CMCI LVT entry, as described in Section 16.5.1, “CMCI Local APIC Interface.”
 - Log and clear all of IA32_MCi_Status registers for the banks that this thread owns. This will allow new errors to be logged.

16.5.2.2 CMCI Threshold Management

The Corrected MC error threshold field, IA32_MCi_CTL2[14:0], is architecturally defined. Specifically, all these bits are writable by software, but different processor implementations may choose to implement less than 15 bits as threshold for the overflow comparison with IA32_MCi_STATUS[52:38]. The following describes techniques that software can manage CMCI threshold to be compatible with changes in implementation characteristics:

- Software can set the initial threshold value to 1 by writing 1 to IA32_MCi_CTL2[14:0]. This will cause overflow condition on every corrected MC error and generates a CMCI interrupt.
- To increase the threshold and reduce the frequency of CMCI servicing:
 - a. Find the maximum threshold value a given processor implementation supports. The steps are:
 - Write 7FFFH to IA32_MCi_CTL2[14:0],
 - Read back IA32_MCi_CTL2[14:0]; these 15 bits (14:0) contain the maximum threshold supported by the processor.
 - b. Increase the threshold to a value below the maximum value discovered using step a.

16.5.2.3 CMCI Interrupt Handler

The following describes techniques system software may consider to implement a CMCI service routine:

- The service routine examines its private per-thread data structure to check which set of MC banks it has ownership. If the thread does not have ownership of a given MC bank, proceed to the next MC bank. Ownership is determined at initialization time which is described in Section 16.5.2.1.

If the thread had claimed ownership to an MC bank, this technique will allow each logical processors to handle corrected MC errors independently and requires no synchronization to access shared MSR resources. Consult Example 16-5 for guidelines on logging when processing CMCI.

16.6 RECOVERY OF UNCORRECTED RECOVERABLE (UCR) ERRORS

Recovery of uncorrected recoverable machine check errors is an enhancement in machine-check architecture. The first processor that supports this feature is 45 nm Intel 64 processor on which CPUID reports DisplayFamily_DisplayModel as 06H_2EH; see the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A. This allows system software to perform recovery action on a certain class of uncorrected errors and continue execution.

16.6.1 Detection of Software Error Recovery Support

Software must use bit 24 of IA32_MCG_CAP (MCG_SER_P) to detect the presence of software error recovery support (see Figure 16-2). When IA32_MCG_CAP[24] is set, this indicates that the processor supports software error recovery. When this bit is clear, this indicates that there is no support for error recovery from the processor and the primary responsibility of the machine check handler is logging the machine check error information and shutting down the system.

The new class of architectural MCA errors from which system software can attempt recovery is called Uncorrected Recoverable (UCR) Errors. UCR errors are uncorrected errors that have been detected and signaled but have not corrupted the processor context. For certain UCR errors, this means that once system software has performed a certain recovery action, it is possible to continue execution on this processor. UCR error reporting provides an error containment mechanism for data poisoning. The machine check handler will use the error log information from the error reporting registers to analyze and implement specific error recovery actions for UCR errors.

16.6.2 UCR Error Reporting and Logging

IA32_MCi_STATUS MSR is used for reporting UCR errors and existing corrected or uncorrected errors. The definitions of IA32_MCi_STATUS, including bit fields to identify UCR errors, is shown in Figure 16-6. UCR errors can be

signaled through either the corrected machine check interrupt (CMCI) or machine check exception (MCE) path depending on the type of the UCR error.

When IA32_MCG_CAP[24] is set, a UCR error is indicated by the following bit settings in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register:

- Valid (bit 63) = 1
- UC (bit 61) = 1
- PCC (bit 57) = 0

Additional information from the IA32_MCi_MISC and the IA32_MCi_ADDR registers for the UCR error are available when the ADDR_V and the MISC_V flags in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register are set (see Section 16.3.2.4). The MCA error code field of the IA32_MCi_STATUS register indicates the type of UCR error. System software can interpret the MCA error code field to analyze and identify the necessary recovery action for the given UCR error.

In addition, the IA32_MCi_STATUS register bit fields, bits 56:55, are defined (see Figure 16-6) to provide additional information to help system software to properly identify the necessary recovery action for the UCR error:

- S (Signaling) flag, bit 56 - Indicates (when set) that a machine check exception was generated for the UCR error reported in this MC bank and system software needs to check the AR flag and the MCA error code fields in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register to identify the necessary recovery action for this error. When the S flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is clear, this UCR error was not signaled via a machine check exception and instead was reported as a corrected machine check (CMC). System software is not required to take any recovery action when the S flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is clear.
- AR (Action Required) flag, bit 55 - Indicates (when set) that MCA error code specific recovery action must be performed by system software at the time this error was signaled. This recovery action must be completed successfully before any additional work is scheduled for this processor. When the RIP_V flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS is clear, an alternative execution stream needs to be provided; when the MCA error code specific recovery action cannot be successfully completed, system software must shut down the system. When the AR flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is clear, system software may still take MCA error code specific recovery action but this is optional; system software can safely resume program execution at the instruction pointer saved on the stack from the machine check exception when the RIP_V flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register is set.

Both the S and the AR flags in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register are defined to be sticky bits, which mean that once set, the processor does not clear them. Only software and good power-on reset can clear the S and the AR-flags. Both the S and the AR flags are only set when the processor reports the UCR errors (MCG_CAP[24] is set).

16.6.3 UCR Error Classification

With the S and AR flag encoding in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register, UCR errors can be classified as:

- Uncorrected no action required (UCNA) - is a UCR error that is not signaled via a machine check exception and, instead, is reported to system software as a corrected machine check error. UCNA errors indicate that some data in the system is corrupted, but the data has not been consumed and the processor state is valid and you may continue execution on this processor. UCNA errors require no action from system software to continue execution. A UCNA error is indicated with UC=1, PCC=0, S=0 and AR=0 in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register.
- Software recoverable action optional (SRAO) - a UCR error is signaled either via a machine check exception or CMCI. System software recovery action is optional and not required to continue execution from this machine check exception. SRAO errors indicate that some data in the system is corrupt, but the data has not been consumed and the processor state is valid. SRAO errors provide the additional error information for system software to perform a recovery action. An SRAO error when signaled as a machine check is indicated with UC=1, PCC=0, S=1, EN=1 and AR=0 in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register. In cases when SRAO is signaled via CMCI the error signature is indicated via UC=1, PCC=0, S=0. Recovery actions for SRAO errors are MCA error code specific. The MISC_V and the ADDR_V flags in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register are set when the additional error information is available from the IA32_MCi_MISC and the IA32_MCi_ADDR registers. System software needs to inspect the MCA error code fields in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register to identify the specific recovery action for a given SRAO error. If MISC_V and ADDR_V are not set, it is recommended that no system software error recovery be performed however, system software can resume execution.
- Software recoverable action required (SRAR) - a UCR error that requires system software to take a recovery action on this processor before scheduling another stream of execution on this processor. SRAR errors indicate

that the error was detected and raised at the point of the consumption in the execution flow. An SRAR error is indicated with UC=1, PCC=0, S=1, EN=1 and AR=1 in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register. Recovery actions are MCA error code specific. The MISCV and the ADDRIV flags in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register are set when the additional error information is available from the IA32_MCi_MISC and the IA32_MCi_ADDR registers. System software needs to inspect the MCA error code fields in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register to identify the specific recovery action for a given SRAR error. If MISCV and ADDRIV are not set, it is recommended that system software shutdown the system.

Table 16-7 summarizes UCR, corrected, and uncorrected errors.

Table 16-7. MC Error Classifications

Type of Error ¹	UC	EN	PCC	S	AR	Signaling	Software Action	Example
Uncorrected Error (UC)	1	1	1	x	x	MCE	If EN=1, reset the system, else log and OK to keep the system running.	
SRAR	1	1	0	1	1	MCE	For known MCACOD, take specific recovery action; For unknown MCACOD, must bugcheck. If OVER=1, reset system, else take specific recovery action.	Cache to processor load error.
SRAO	1	x ²	0	x ²	0	MCE/CMC	For known MCACOD, take specific recovery action; For unknown MCACOD, OK to keep the system running.	Patrol scrub and explicit writeback poison errors.
UCNA	1	x	0	0	0	CMC	Log the error and Ok to keep the system running.	Poison detection error.
Corrected Error (CE)	0	x	x	x	x	CMC	Log the error and no corrective action required.	ECC in caches and memory.

NOTES:

1. SRAR, SRAO and UCNA errors are supported by the processor only when IA32_MCG_CAP[24] (MCG_SER_P) is set.
2. EN=1, S=1 when signaled via MCE. EN=x, S=0 when signaled via CMC.

16.6.4 UCR Error Overwrite Rules

In general, the overwrite rules are as follows:

- UCR errors will overwrite corrected errors.
- Uncorrected (PCC=1) errors overwrite UCR (PCC=0) errors.
- UCR errors are not written over previous UCR errors.
- Corrected errors do not write over previous UCR errors.

Regardless of whether the 1st error is retained or the 2nd error is overwritten over the 1st error, the OVER flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register will be set to indicate an overflow condition. As the S flag and AR flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register are defined to be sticky flags, a second event cannot clear these 2 flags once set, however the MC bank information may be filled in for the 2nd error. The table below shows the overwrite rules and how to treat a second error if the first event is already logged in a MC bank along with the resulting bit setting of the UC, PCC, and AR flags in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register. As UCNA and SRAO errors do not require recovery action from system software to continue program execution, a system reset by system software is not required unless the AR flag or PCC flag is set for the UCR overflow case (OVER=1, VAL=1, UC=1, PCC=0).

Table 16-8 lists overwrite rules for uncorrected errors, corrected errors, and uncorrected recoverable errors.

Table 16-8. Overwrite Rules for UC, CE, and UCR Errors

First Event	Second Event	UC	PCC	S	AR	MCA Bank	Reset System
CE	UCR	1	0	0 if UCNA, else 1	1 if SRAR, else 0	second	yes, if AR=1
UCR	CE	1	0	0 if UCNA, else 1	1 if SRAR, else 0	first	yes, if AR=1

Table 16-8. Overwrite Rules for UC, CE, and UCR Errors

First Event	Second Event	UC	PCC	S	AR	MCA Bank	Reset System
UCNA	UCNA	1	0	0	0	first	no
UCNA	SRAO	1	0	1	0	first	no
UCNA	SRAR	1	0	1	1	first	yes
SRAO	UCNA	1	0	1	0	first	no
SRAO	SRAO	1	0	1	0	first	no
SRAO	SRAR	1	0	1	1	first	yes
SRAR	UCNA	1	0	1	1	first	yes
SRAR	SRAO	1	0	1	1	first	yes
SRAR	SRAR	1	0	1	1	first	yes
UCR	UC	1	1	undefined	undefined	second	yes
UC	UCR	1	1	undefined	undefined	first	yes

16.7 MACHINE-CHECK AVAILABILITY

The machine-check architecture and machine-check exception (#MC) are model-specific features. Software can execute the CPUID instruction to determine whether a processor implements these features. Following the execution of the CPUID instruction, the settings of the MCA flag (bit 14) and MCE flag (bit 7) in EDX indicate whether the processor implements the machine-check architecture and machine-check exception.

16.8 MACHINE-CHECK INITIALIZATION

To use the processors machine-check architecture, software must initialize the processor to activate the machine-check exception and the error-reporting mechanism.

Example 16-1 gives pseudocode for performing this initialization. This pseudocode checks for the existence of the machine-check architecture and exception; it then enables machine-check exception and the error-reporting register banks. The pseudocode shown is compatible with the Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, P6 family, and Pentium processors.

Following power up or power cycling, IA32_MCi_STATUS registers are not guaranteed to have valid data until after they are initially cleared to zero by software (as shown in the initialization pseudocode in Example 16-1).

Example 16-1. Machine-Check Initialization Pseudocode

Check CPUID Feature Flags for MCE and MCA support

IF CPU supports MCE

THEN

IF CPU supports MCA

THEN

IF (IA32_MCG_CAP.MCG_CTL_P = 1)

(* IA32_MCG_CTL register is present *)

THEN

IA32_MCG_CTL ← FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFH;

(* enables all MCA features *)

FI

IF (IA32_MCG_CAP.MCG_LMCE_P = 1 and IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 1 and IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LMCE_ENABLED = 1)

(* IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL register is present and platform has enabled LMCE to permit system software to use LMCE *)

THEN

IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL ← IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL | 01H;

(* System software enables LMCE capability for hardware to signal MCE to a single logical processor*)

FI

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(* Determine number of error-reporting banks supported *)
COUNT ← IA32_MCG_CAP.Count;
MAX_BANK_NUMBER ← COUNT - 1;

IF (Processor Family is 6H and Processor EXTMODEL:MODEL is less than 1AH)
THEN
  (* Enable logging of all errors except for MCO_CTL register *)
  FOR error-reporting banks (1 through MAX_BANK_NUMBER)
  DO
    IA32_MCi_CTL ← 0FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFH;
  OD

ELSE
  (* Enable logging of all errors including MCO_CTL register *)
  FOR error-reporting banks (0 through MAX_BANK_NUMBER)
  DO
    IA32_MCi_CTL ← 0FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFH;
  OD
FI

(* BIOS clears all errors only on power-on reset *)
IF (BIOS detects Power-on reset)
THEN
  FOR error-reporting banks (0 through MAX_BANK_NUMBER)
  DO
    IA32_MCi_STATUS ← 0;
  OD
ELSE
  FOR error-reporting banks (0 through MAX_BANK_NUMBER)
  DO
    (Optional for BIOS and OS) Log valid errors
    (OS only) IA32_MCi_STATUS ← 0;
  OD

FI
FI

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Setup the Machine Check Exception (#MC) handler for vector 18 in IDT

Set the MCE bit (bit 6) in CR4 register to enable Machine-Check Exceptions

FI

16.9 INTERPRETING THE MCA ERROR CODES

When the processor detects a machine-check error condition, it writes a 16-bit error code to the MCA error code field of one of the IA32_MCi_STATUS registers and sets the VAL (valid) flag in that register. The processor may also write a 16-bit model-specific error code in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register depending on the implementation of the machine-check architecture of the processor.

The MCA error codes are architecturally defined for Intel 64 and IA-32 processors. To determine the cause of a machine-check exception, the machine-check exception handler must read the VAL flag for each IA32_MCi_STATUS register. If the flag is set, the machine check-exception handler must then read the MCA error code field of the register. It is the encoding of the MCA error code field [15:0] that determines the type of error being reported and not the register bank reporting it.

There are two types of MCA error codes: simple error codes and compound error codes.

16.9.1 Simple Error Codes

Table 16-9 shows the simple error codes. These unique codes indicate global error information.

Table 16-9. IA32_MCi_Status [15:0] Simple Error Code Encoding

Error Code	Binary Encoding	Meaning
No Error	0000 0000 0000 0000	No error has been reported to this bank of error-reporting registers.
Unclassified	0000 0000 0000 0001	This error has not been classified into the MCA error classes.
Microcode ROM Parity Error	0000 0000 0000 0010	Parity error in internal microcode ROM
External Error	0000 0000 0000 0011	The BINIT# from another processor caused this processor to enter machine check. ¹
FRC Error	0000 0000 0000 0100	FRC (functional redundancy check) main/secondary error.
Internal Parity Error	0000 0000 0000 0101	Internal parity error.
SMM Handler Code Access Violation	0000 0000 0000 0110	An attempt was made by the SMM Handler to execute outside the ranges specified by SMRR.
Internal Timer Error	0000 0100 0000 0000	Internal timer error.
I/O Error	0000 1110 0000 1011	generic I/O error.
Internal Unclassified	0000 01xx xxxx xxxx	Internal unclassified errors. ²

NOTES:

1. BINIT# assertion will cause a machine check exception if the processor (or any processor on the same external bus) has BINIT# observation enabled during power-on configuration (hardware strapping) and if machine check exceptions are enabled (by setting CR4.MCE = 1).
2. At least one X must equal one. Internal unclassified errors have not been classified.

16.9.2 Compound Error Codes

Compound error codes describe errors related to the TLBs, memory, caches, bus and interconnect logic, and internal timer. A set of sub-fields is common to all of compound errors. These sub-fields describe the type of access, level in the cache hierarchy, and type of request. Table 16-10 shows the general form of the compound error codes.

Table 16-10. IA32_MCi_Status [15:0] Compound Error Code Encoding

Type	Form	Interpretation
Generic Cache Hierarchy	000F 0000 0000 11LL	Generic cache hierarchy error
TLB Errors	000F 0000 0001 TTLL	{TT}TLB{LL}_ERR
Memory Controller Errors	000F 0000 1MMM CCCC	{MMM}_CHANNEL{CCCC}_ERR
Cache Hierarchy Errors	000F 0001 RRRR TTLL	{TT}CACHE{LL}_{RRRR}_ERR
Extended Memory Errors	000F 0010 1MMM CCCC	{MMM}_CHANNEL{CCCC}_ERR
Bus and Interconnect Errors	000F 1PPT RRRR IILL	BUS{LL}_{PP}_{RRRR}_{II}_{T}_ERR

The “Interpretation” column in the table indicates the name of a compound error. The name is constructed by substituting mnemonics for the sub-field names given within curly braces. For example, the error code ICACHEL1_RD_ERR is constructed from the form:

{TT}CACHE{LL}_{RRRR}_ERR,

where {TT} is replaced by I, {LL} is replaced by L1, and {RRRR} is replaced by RD.

For more information on the “Form” and “Interpretation” columns, see Section 16.9.2.1, “Correction Report Filtering (F) Bit,” through Section 16.9.2.5, “Bus and Interconnect Errors.”

16.9.2.1 Correction Report Filtering (F) Bit

Starting with Intel Core Duo processors, bit 12 in the “Form” column in Table 16-10 is used to indicate that a particular posting to a log may be the last posting for corrections in that line/entry, at least for some time:

- 0 in bit 12 indicates “normal” filtering (original P6/Pentium4/Atom/Xeon processor meaning).
- 1 in bit 12 indicates “corrected” filtering (filtering is activated for the line/entry in the posting). Filtering means that some or all of the subsequent corrections to this entry (in this structure) will not be posted. The enhanced error reporting introduced with the Intel Core Duo processors is based on tracking the lines affected by repeated corrections (see Section 16.4, “Enhanced Cache Error reporting”). This capability is indicated by IA32_MCG_CAP[11]. Only the first few correction events for a line are posted; subsequent redundant correction events to the same line are not posted. Uncorrected events are always posted.

The behavior of error filtering after crossing the yellow threshold is model-specific. Filtering has meaning only for corrected errors (UC=0 in IA32_MCI_STATUS MSR). System software must ignore filtering bit (12) for uncorrected errors.

16.9.2.2 Transaction Type (TT) Sub-Field

The 2-bit TT sub-field (Table 16-11) indicates the type of transaction (data, instruction, or generic). The sub-field applies to the TLB, cache, and interconnect error conditions. Note that interconnect error conditions are primarily associated with P6 family and Pentium processors, which utilize an external APIC bus separate from the system bus. The generic type is reported when the processor cannot determine the transaction type.

Table 16-11. Encoding for TT (Transaction Type) Sub-Field

Transaction Type	Mnemonic	Binary Encoding
Instruction	I	00
Data	D	01
Generic	G	10

16.9.2.3 Level (LL) Sub-Field

The 2-bit LL sub-field (see Table 16-12) indicates the level in the memory hierarchy where the error occurred (level 0, level 1, level 2, or generic). The LL sub-field also applies to the TLB, cache, and interconnect error conditions. The Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, and P6 family processors support two levels in the cache hierarchy and one level in the TLBs. Again, the generic type is reported when the processor cannot determine the hierarchy level.

Table 16-12. Level Encoding for LL (Memory Hierarchy Level) Sub-Field

Hierarchy Level	Mnemonic	Binary Encoding
Level 0	L0	00
Level 1	L1	01
Level 2	L2	10
Generic	LG	11

16.9.2.4 Request (RRRR) Sub-Field

The 4-bit RRRR sub-field (see Table 16-13) indicates the type of action associated with the error. Actions include read and write operations, prefetches, cache evictions, and snoops. Generic error is returned when the type of error cannot be determined. Generic read and generic write are returned when the processor cannot determine the type of instruction or data request that caused the error. Eviction and snoop requests apply only to the caches. All of the other requests apply to TLBs, caches, and interconnects.

Table 16-13. Encoding of Request (RRRR) Sub-Field

Request Type	Mnemonic	Binary Encoding
Generic Error	ERR	0000
Generic Read	RD	0001
Generic Write	WR	0010
Data Read	DRD	0011
Data Write	DWR	0100
Instruction Fetch	IRD	0101
Prefetch	PREFETCH	0110
Eviction	EVICT	0111
Snoop	SNOOP	1000

16.9.2.5 Bus and Interconnect Errors

The bus and interconnect errors are defined with the 2-bit PP (participation), 1-bit T (time-out), and 2-bit II (memory or I/O) sub-fields, in addition to the LL and RRRR sub-fields (see Table 16-14). The bus error conditions are implementation dependent and related to the type of bus implemented by the processor. Likewise, the interconnect error conditions are predicated on a specific implementation-dependent interconnect model that describes the connections between the different levels of the storage hierarchy. The type of bus is implementation dependent, and as such is not specified in this document. A bus or interconnect transaction consists of a request involving an address and a response.

Table 16-14. Encodings of PP, T, and II Sub-Fields

Sub-Field	Transaction	Mnemonic	Binary Encoding
PP (Participation)	Local processor* originated request	SRC	00
	Local processor* responded to request	RES	01
	Local processor* observed error as third party	OBS	10
	Generic		11
T (Time-out)	Request timed out	TIMEOUT	1
	Request did not time out	NOTIMEOUT	0
II (Memory or I/O)	Memory Access	M	00
	Reserved		01
	I/O	IO	10
	Other transaction		11

NOTE:

* Local processor differentiates the processor reporting the error from other system components (including the APIC, other processors, etc.).

16.9.2.6 Memory Controller and Extended Memory Errors

The memory controller errors are defined with the 3-bit MMM (memory transaction type), and 4-bit CCCC (channel) sub-fields. The encodings for MMM and CCCC are defined in Table 16-15. Extended Memory errors use the same encodings and are used to report errors in memory used as a cache.

Table 16-15. Encodings of MMM and CCCC Sub-Fields

Sub-Field	Transaction	Mnemonic	Binary Encoding
MMM	Generic undefined request	GEN	000
	Memory read error	RD	001
	Memory write error	WR	010
	Address/Command Error	AC	011
	Memory Scrubbing Error	MS	100
	Reserved		101-111
CCCC	Channel number	CHN	0000-1110
	Channel not specified		1111

Note that the CCCC channel number may be enumerated from zero separately by each memory controller on a system. On a multi-socket system, or a system with multiple memory controllers per socket, it is necessary to also consider which machine check bank logged the error. See Chapter 17 for details on specific implementations.

16.9.3 Architecturally Defined UCR Errors

Software recoverable compound error code are defined in this section.

16.9.3.1 Architecturally Defined SRAO Errors

The following two SRAO errors are architecturally defined.

- UCR Errors detected by memory controller scrubbing; and
- UCR Errors detected during L3 cache (L3) explicit writebacks.

The MCA error code encodings for these two architecturally-defined UCR errors corresponds to sub-classes of compound MCA error codes (see Table 16-10). Their values and compound encoding format are given in Table 16-16.

Table 16-16. MCA Compound Error Code Encoding for SRAO Errors

Type	MCACOD Value	MCA Error Code Encoding ¹
Memory Scrubbing	COH - CFH	0000_0000_1100_CCCC 000F 0000 1MMM CCCC (Memory Controller Error), where Memory subfield MMM = 100B (memory scrubbing) Channel subfield CCCC = channel # or generic
L3 Explicit Writeback	17AH	0000_0001_0111_1010 000F 0001 RRRR TTLL (Cache Hierarchy Error) where Request subfields RRRR = 0111B (Eviction) Transaction Type subfields TT = 10B (Generic) Level subfields LL = 10B

NOTES:

1. Note that for both of these errors the correction report filtering (F) bit (bit 12) of the MCA error must be ignored.

Table 16-17 lists values of relevant bit fields of IA32_MCi_STATUS for architecturally defined SRAO errors.

Table 16-17. IA32_MCi_STATUS Values for SRAO Errors

SRAO Error	Valid	OVER	UC	EN	MISCV	ADDRV	PCC	S	AR	MCACOD
Memory Scrubbing	1	0	1	x ¹	1	1	0	x ¹	0	COH-CFH
L3 Explicit Writeback	1	0	1	x ¹	1	1	0	x ¹	0	17AH

NOTES:

1. When signaled as MCE, EN=1 and S=1. If error was signaled via CMC, then EN=x, and S=0.

For both the memory scrubbing and L3 explicit writeback errors, the ADDRv and MISCV flags in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register are set to indicate that the offending physical address information is available from the IA32_MCi_MISC and the IA32_MCi_ADDR registers. For the memory scrubbing and L3 explicit writeback errors, the address mode in the IA32_MCi_MISC register should be set as physical address mode (010b) and the address LSB information in the IA32_MCi_MISC register should indicate the lowest valid address bit in the address information provided from the IA32_MCi_ADDR register.

MCE signal is broadcast to all logical processors as outlined in Section 16.10.4.1. If LMCE is supported and enabled, some errors (not limited to UCR errors) may be delivered to only a single logical processor. System software should consult IA32_MCG_STATUS.LMCE_S to determine if the MCE signaled is only to this logical processor.

IA32_MCi_STATUS banks can be shared by logical processors within a core or within the same package. So several logical processors may find an SRAO error in the shared IA32_MCi_STATUS bank but other processors do not find it in any of the IA32_MCi_STATUS banks. Table 16-18 shows the RIPV and EIPV flag indication in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register for the memory scrubbing and L3 explicit writeback errors on both the reporting and non-reporting logical processors.

Table 16-18. IA32_MCG_STATUS Flag Indication for SRAO Errors

SRAO Type	Reporting Logical Processors		Non-reporting Logical Processors	
	RIPV	EIPV	RIPV	EIPV
Memory Scrubbing	1	0	1	0
L3 Explicit Writeback	1	0	1	0

16.9.3.2 Architecturally Defined SRAR Errors

The following two SRAR errors are architecturally defined.

- UCR Errors detected on data load; and
- UCR Errors detected on instruction fetch.

The MCA error code encodings for these two architecturally-defined UCR errors corresponds to sub-classes of compound MCA error codes (see Table 16-10). Their values and compound encoding format are given in Table 16-19.

Table 16-19. MCA Compound Error Code Encoding for SRAR Errors

Type	MCACOD Value	MCA Error Code Encoding ¹
Data Load	134H	0000_0001_0011_0100 000F 0001 RRRR TTLL (Cache Hierarchy Error), where Request subfield RRRR = 0011B (Data Load) Transaction Type subfield TT= 01B (Data) Level subfield LL = 00B (Level 0)
Instruction Fetch	150H	0000_0001_0101_0000 000F 0001 RRRR TTLL (Cache Hierarchy Error), where Request subfield RRRR = 0101B (Instruction Fetch) Transaction Type subfield TT= 00B (Instruction) Level subfield LL = 00B (Level 0)

NOTES:

1. Note that for both of these errors the correction report filtering (F) bit (bit 12) of the MCA error must be ignored.

Table 16-20 lists values of relevant bit fields of IA32_MCi_STATUS for architecturally defined SRAR errors.

Table 16-20. IA32_MCi_STATUS Values for SRAR Errors

SRAR Error	Valid	OVER	UC	EN	MISCV	ADDRV	PCC	S	AR	MCACOD
Data Load	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	134H
Instruction Fetch	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	150H

For both the data load and instruction fetch errors, the ADDRv and MISCV flags in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register are set to indicate that the offending physical address information is available from the IA32_MCi_MISC and the IA32_MCi_ADDR registers. For the **data load and instruction fetch** errors, the address mode in the IA32_MCi_MISC register should be set as physical address mode (010b) and the address LSB information in the IA32_MCi_MISC register should indicate the lowest valid address bit in the address information provided from the IA32_MCi_ADDR register.

MCE signal is broadcast to all logical processors on the system on which the UCR errors are supported, except when the processor supports LMCE and LMCE is enabled by system software (see Section 16.3.1.5). The IA32_MCG_STATUS MSR allows system software to distinguish the affected logical processor of an SRAR error amongst logical processors that observed SRAR via MCi_STATUS bank.

Table 16-21 shows the RIPV and EIPV flag indication in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register for the data load and instruction fetch errors on both the reporting and non-reporting logical processors. The recoverable SRAR error reported by a processor may be continuable, where the system software can interpret the context of continuable as follows: the error was isolated, contained. If software can rectify the error condition in the current instruction stream, the execution context on that logical processor can be continued without loss of information.

Table 16-21. IA32_MCG_STATUS Flag Indication for SRAR Errors

SRAR Type	Affected Logical Processor			Non-Affected Logical Processors		
	RIPV	EIPV	Continuable	RIPV	EIPV	Continuable
Recoverable-continuable	1	1	Yes ¹	1	0	Yes
Recoverable-not-continuable	0	x	No			

NOTES:

1. see the definition of the context of “continuable” above and additional detail below.

SRAR Error And Affected Logical Processors

The affected logical processor is the one that has detected and raised an SRAR error at the point of the consumption in the execution flow. The affected logical processor should find the Data Load or the Instruction Fetch error information in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register that is reporting the SRAR error.

Table 16-21 list the actionable scenarios that system software can respond to an SRAR error on an affected logical processor according to RIPV and EIPV values:

- Recoverable-Continuable SRAR Error (RIPV=1, EIPV=1):
 For Recoverable-Continuable SRAR errors, the affected logical processor should find that both the IA32_MCG_STATUS.RIPV and the IA32_MCG_STATUS.EIPV flags are set, indicating that system software may be able to restart execution from the interrupted context if it is able to rectify the error condition. If system software cannot rectify the error condition then it must treat the error as a recoverable error where restarting execution with the interrupted context is not possible. Restarting without rectifying the error condition will result in most cases with another SRAR error on the same instruction.

- Recoverable-not-continuable SRAR Error (RIPV=0, EIPV=x):

For Recoverable-not-continuable errors, the affected logical processor should find that either

- IA32_MCG_STATUS.RIPV= 0, IA32_MCG_STATUS.EIPV=1, or
- IA32_MCG_STATUS.RIPV= 0, IA32_MCG_STATUS.EIPV=0.

In either case, this indicates that the error is detected at the instruction pointer saved on the stack for this machine check exception and restarting execution with the interrupted context is not possible. System software may take the following recovery actions for the affected logical processor:

- The current executing thread cannot be continued. System software must terminate the interrupted stream of execution and provide a new stream of execution on return from the machine check handler for the affected logical processor.

SRAR Error And Non-Affected Logical Processors

The logical processors that observed but not affected by an SRAR error should find that the RIPV flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register is set and the EIPV flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register is cleared, indicating that it is safe to restart the execution at the instruction saved on the stack for the machine check exception on these processors after the recovery action is successfully taken by system software.

16.9.4 Multiple MCA Errors

When multiple MCA errors are detected within a certain detection window, the processor may aggregate the reporting of these errors together as a single event, i.e., a single machine exception condition. If this occurs, system software may find multiple MCA errors logged in different MC banks on one logical processor or find multiple MCA errors logged across different processors for a single machine check broadcast event. In order to handle multiple UCR errors reported from a single machine check event and possibly recover from multiple errors, system software may consider the following:

- Whether it can recover from multiple errors is determined by the most severe error reported on the system. If the most severe error is found to be an unrecoverable error (VAL=1, UC=1, PCC=1 and EN=1) after system software examines the MC banks of all processors to which the MCA signal is broadcast, recovery from the multiple errors is not possible and system software needs to reset the system.
- When multiple recoverable errors are reported and no other fatal condition (e.g., overflowed condition for SRAR error) is found for the reported recoverable errors, it is possible for system software to recover from the multiple recoverable errors by taking necessary recovery action for each individual recoverable error. However, system software can no longer expect one to one relationship with the error information recorded in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register and the states of the RIPV and EIPV flags in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register as the states of the RIPV and the EIPV flags in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register may indicate the information for the most severe error recorded on the processor. System software is required to use the RIPV flag indication in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register to make a final decision of recoverability of the errors and find the restart-ability requirement after examining each IA32_MCi_STATUS register error information in the MC banks.

In certain cases where system software observes more than one SRAR error logged for a single logical processor, it can no longer rely on affected threads as specified in Table 15-20 above. System software is recommended to reset the system if this condition is observed.

16.9.5 Machine-Check Error Codes Interpretation

Chapter 17, "Interpreting Machine Check Error Codes," provides information on interpreting the MCA error code, model-specific error code, and other information error code fields. For P6 family processors, information has been included on decoding external bus errors. For Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processors; information is included on external bus, internal timer and cache hierarchy errors.

16.10 GUIDELINES FOR WRITING MACHINE-CHECK SOFTWARE

The machine-check architecture and error logging can be used in three different ways:

- To detect machine errors during normal instruction execution, using the machine-check exception (#MC).
- To periodically check and log machine errors.
- To examine recoverable UCR errors, determine software recoverability and perform recovery actions via a machine-check exception handler or a corrected machine-check interrupt handler.

To use the machine-check exception, the operating system or executive software must provide a machine-check exception handler. This handler may need to be designed specifically for each family of processors.

A special program or utility is required to log machine errors.

Guidelines for writing a machine-check exception handler or a machine-error logging utility are given in the following sections.

16.10.1 Machine-Check Exception Handler

The machine-check exception (#MC) corresponds to vector 18. To service machine-check exceptions, a trap gate must be added to the IDT. The pointer in the trap gate must point to a machine-check exception handler. Two approaches can be taken to designing the exception handler:

1. The handler can merely log all the machine status and error information, then call a debugger or shut down the system.
2. The handler can analyze the reported error information and, in some cases, attempt to correct the error and restart the processor.

For Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, P6 family, and Pentium processors; virtually all machine-check conditions cannot be corrected (they result in abort-type exceptions). The logging of status and error information is therefore a baseline implementation requirement.

When IA32_MCG_CAP[24] is clear, consider the following when writing a machine-check exception handler:

- To determine the nature of the error, the handler must read each of the error-reporting register banks. The count field in the IA32_MCG_CAP register gives number of register banks. The first register of register bank 0 is at address 400H.
- The VAL (valid) flag in each IA32_MCi_STATUS register indicates whether the error information in the register is valid. If this flag is clear, the registers in that bank do not contain valid error information and do not need to be checked.
- To write a portable exception handler, only the MCA error code field in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register should be checked. See Section 16.9, "Interpreting the MCA Error Codes," for information that can be used to write an algorithm to interpret this field.
- Correctable errors are corrected automatically by the processor. The UC flag in each IA32_MCi_STATUS register indicates whether the processor automatically corrected an error.
- The RIPV, PCC, and OVER flags in each IA32_MCi_STATUS register indicate whether recovery from the error is possible. If PCC or OVER are set, recovery is not possible. If RIPV is not set, program execution can not be restarted reliably. When recovery is not possible, the handler typically records the error information and signals an abort to the operating system.
- The RIPV flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register indicates whether the program can be restarted at the instruction indicated by the instruction pointer (the address of the instruction pushed on the stack when the exception was generated). If this flag is clear, the processor may still be able to be restarted (for debugging purposes) but not without loss of program continuity.
- For unrecoverable errors, the EIPV flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register indicates whether the instruction indicated by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the exception was generated) is related to the error. If the flag is clear, the pushed instruction may not be related to the error.
- The MCIP flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register indicates whether a machine-check exception was generated. Before returning from the machine-check exception handler, software should clear this flag so that it can be used reliably by an error logging utility. The MCIP flag also detects recursion. The machine-check architecture

does not support recursion. When the processor detects machine-check recursion, it enters the shutdown state.

Example 16-2 gives typical steps carried out by a machine-check exception handler.

Example 16-2. Machine-Check Exception Handler Pseudocode

```

IF CPU supports MCE
  THEN
    IF CPU supports MCA
      THEN
        call errorlogging routine; (* returns restartability *)
      FI;
    ELSE (* Pentium(R) processor compatible *)
      READ P5_MC_ADDR
      READ P5_MC_TYPE;
      report RESTARTABILITY to console;
    FI;
  IF error is not restartable
    THEN
      report RESTARTABILITY to console;
      abort system;
    FI;
  CLEAR MCIP flag in IA32_MCG_STATUS;

```

16.10.2 Pentium Processor Machine-Check Exception Handling

Machine-check exception handler on P6 family, Intel Atom and later processor families, should follow the guidelines described in Section 16.10.1 and Example 16-2 that check the processor's support of MCA.

NOTE

On processors that support MCA (CPUID.1.EDX.MCA = 1) reading the P5_MC_TYPE and P5_MC_ADDR registers may produce invalid data.

When machine-check exceptions are enabled for the Pentium processor (MCE flag is set in control register CR4), the machine-check exception handler uses the RDMSR instruction to read the error type from the P5_MC_TYPE register and the machine check address from the P5_MC_ADDR register. The handler then normally reports these register values to the system console before aborting execution (see Example 16-2).

16.10.3 Logging Correctable Machine-Check Errors

The error handling routine for servicing the machine-check exceptions is responsible for logging uncorrected errors.

If a machine-check error is correctable, the processor does not generate a machine-check exception for it. To detect correctable machine-check errors, a utility program must be written that reads each of the machine-check error-reporting register banks and logs the results in an accounting file or data structure. This utility can be implemented in either of the following ways.

- A system daemon that polls the register banks on an infrequent basis, such as hourly or daily.
- A user-initiated application that polls the register banks and records the exceptions. Here, the actual polling service is provided by an operating-system driver or through the system call interface.
- An interrupt service routine servicing CMCI can read the MC banks and log the error. Please refer to Section 16.10.4.2 for guidelines on logging correctable machine checks.

Example 16-3 gives pseudocode for an error logging utility.

Example 16-3. Machine-Check Error Logging Pseudocode

```

Assume that execution is restartable;
IF the processor supports MCA
  THEN
    FOR each bank of machine-check registers
      DO
        READ IA32_MCi_STATUS;
        IF VAL flag in IA32_MCi_STATUS = 1
          THEN
            IF ADDR_V flag in IA32_MCi_STATUS = 1
              THEN READ IA32_MCi_ADDR;
            FI;
            IF MISC_V flag in IA32_MCi_STATUS = 1
              THEN READ IA32_MCi_MISC;
            FI;
            IF MCIP flag in IA32_MCG_STATUS = 1
              (* Machine-check exception is in progress *)
              AND PCC flag in IA32_MCi_STATUS = 1
              OR RIPV flag in IA32_MCG_STATUS = 0
              (* execution is not restartable *)
              THEN
                RESTARTABILITY = FALSE;
                return RESTARTABILITY to calling procedure;
            FI;
            Save time-stamp counter and processor ID;
            Set IA32_MCi_STATUS to all 0s;
            Execute serializing instruction (i.e., CPUID);
          FI;
      OD;
    FI;
  FI;

```

If the processor supports the machine-check architecture, the utility reads through the banks of error-reporting registers looking for valid register entries. It then saves the values of the IA32_MCi_STATUS, IA32_MCi_ADDR, IA32_MCi_MISC, and IA32_MCG_STATUS registers for each bank that is valid. The routine minimizes processing time by recording the raw data into a system data structure or file, reducing the overhead associated with polling. User utilities analyze the collected data in an off-line environment.

When the MCIP flag is set in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register, a machine-check exception is in progress and the machine-check exception handler has called the exception logging routine.

Once the logging process has been completed the exception-handling routine must determine whether execution can be restarted, which is usually possible when damage has not occurred (The PCC flag is clear, in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register) and when the processor can guarantee that execution is restartable (the RIPV flag is set in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register). If execution cannot be restarted, the system is not recoverable and the exception-handling routine should signal the console appropriately before returning the error status to the Operating System kernel for subsequent shutdown.

The machine-check architecture allows buffering of exceptions from a given error-reporting bank although the Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Atom, and P6 family processors do not implement this feature. The error logging routine should provide compatibility with future processors by reading each hardware error-reporting bank's IA32_MCi_STATUS register and then writing 0s to clear the OVER and VAL flags in this register. The error logging utility should re-read the IA32_MCi_STATUS register for the bank ensuring that the valid bit is clear. The processor will write the next error into the register bank and set the VAL flags.

Additional information that should be stored by the exception-logging routine includes the processor's time-stamp counter value, which provides a mechanism to indicate the frequency of exceptions. A multiprocessing operating system stores the identity of the processor node incurring the exception using a unique identifier, such as the processor's APIC ID (see Section 11.8, "Handling Interrupts").

The basic algorithm given in Example 16-3 can be modified to provide more robust recovery techniques. For example, software has the flexibility to attempt recovery using information unavailable to the hardware. Specifically, the machine-check exception handler can, after logging carefully analyze the error-reporting registers when the error-logging routine reports an error that does not allow execution to be restarted. These recovery techniques

can use external bus related model-specific information provided with the error report to localize the source of the error within the system and determine the appropriate recovery strategy.

16.10.4 Machine-Check Software Handler Guidelines for Error Recovery

16.10.4.1 Machine-Check Exception Handler for Error Recovery

When writing a machine-check exception (MCE) handler to support software recovery from Uncorrected Recoverable (UCR) errors, consider the following:

- When IA32_MCG_CAP [24] is zero, there are no recoverable errors supported and all machine-check are fatal exceptions. The logging of status and error information is therefore a baseline implementation requirement.
- When IA32_MCG_CAP [24] is 1, certain uncorrected errors called uncorrected recoverable (UCR) errors may be software recoverable. The handler can analyze the reported error information, and in some cases attempt to recover from the uncorrected error and continue execution.
- For processors on which CPUID reports DisplayFamily_DisplayModel as 06H_0EH and onward, an MCA signal is broadcast to all logical processors in the system; see the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A. Due to the potentially shared machine check MSR resources among the logical processors on the same package/core, the MCE handler may be required to synchronize with the other processors that received a machine check error and serialize access to the machine check registers when analyzing, logging, and clearing the information in the machine check registers.
 - On processors that indicate ability for local machine-check exception (MCG_LMCE_P), hardware can choose to report the error to only a single logical processor if system software has enabled LMCE by setting IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL[LMCE_EN] = 1 as outlined in Section 16.3.1.5.
- The VAL (valid) flag in each IA32_MCi_STATUS register indicates whether the error information in the register is valid. If this flag is clear, the registers in that bank do not contain valid error information and should not be checked.
- The MCE handler is primarily responsible for processing uncorrected errors. The UC flag in each IA32_M-Ci_Status register indicates whether the reported error was corrected (UC=0) or uncorrected (UC=1). The MCE handler can optionally log and clear the corrected errors in the MC banks if it can implement software algorithm to avoid the undesired race conditions with the CMCI or CMC polling handler.
- For uncorrectable errors, the EIPV flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register indicates (when set) that the instruction pointed to by the instruction pointer pushed onto the stack when the machine-check exception is generated is directly associated with the error. When this flag is cleared, the instruction pointed to may not be associated with the error.
- The MCIP flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register indicates whether a machine-check exception was generated. When a machine check exception is generated, it is expected that the MCIP flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register is set to 1. If it is not set, this machine check was generated by either an INT 18 instruction or some piece of hardware signaling an interrupt with vector 18.

When IA32_MCG_CAP [24] is 1, the following rules can apply when writing a machine check exception (MCE) handler to support software recovery:

- The PCC flag in each IA32_MCi_STATUS register indicates whether recovery from the error is possible for uncorrected errors (UC=1). If the PCC flag is set for enabled uncorrected errors (UC=1 and EN=1), recovery is not possible. When recovery is not possible, the MCE handler typically records the error information and signals the operating system to reset the system.
- The RIPV flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register indicates whether restarting the program execution from the instruction pointer saved on the stack for the machine check exception is possible. When the RIPV is set, program execution can be restarted reliably when recovery is possible. If the RIPV flag is not set, program execution cannot be restarted reliably. In this case the recovery algorithm may involve terminating the current program execution and resuming an alternate thread of execution upon return from the machine check handler when recovery is possible. When recovery is not possible, the MCE handler signals the operating system to reset the system.

- When the EN flag is zero but the VAL and UC flags are one in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register, the reported uncorrected error in this bank is not enabled. As uncorrected errors with the EN flag = 0 are not the source of machine check exceptions, the MCE handler should log and clear non-enabled errors when the S bit is set and should continue searching for enabled errors from the other IA32_MCi_STATUS registers. Note that when IA32_MCG_CAP [24] is 0, any uncorrected error condition (VAL =1 and UC=1) including the one with the EN flag cleared are fatal and the handler must signal the operating system to reset the system. For the errors that do not generate machine check exceptions, the EN flag has no meaning.
- When the VAL flag is one, the UC flag is one, the EN flag is one and the PCC flag is zero in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register, the error in this bank is an uncorrected recoverable (UCR) error. The MCE handler needs to examine the S flag and the AR flag to find the type of the UCR error for software recovery and determine if software error recovery is possible.
- When both the S and the AR flags are clear in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register for the UCR error (VAL=1, UC=1, EN=x and PCC=0), the error in this bank is an uncorrected no-action required error (UCNA). UCNA errors are uncorrected but do not require any OS recovery action to continue execution. These errors indicate that some data in the system is corrupt, but that data has not been consumed and may not be consumed. If that data is consumed a non-UCNA machine check exception will be generated. UCNA errors are signaled in the same way as corrected machine check errors and the CMCI and CMC polling handler is primarily responsible for handling UCNA errors. Like corrected errors, the MCA handler can optionally log and clear UCNA errors as long as it can avoid the undesired race condition with the CMCI or CMC polling handler. As UCNA errors are not the source of machine check exceptions, the MCA handler should continue searching for uncorrected or software recoverable errors in all other MC banks.
- When the S flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set for the UCR error ((VAL=1, UC=1, EN=1 and PCC=0), the error in this bank is software recoverable and it was signaled through a machine-check exception. The AR flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register further clarifies the type of the software recoverable errors.
- When the AR flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is clear for the software recoverable error (VAL=1, UC=1, EN=1, PCC=0 and S=1), the error in this bank is a software recoverable action optional (SRAO) error. The MCE handler and the operating system can analyze the IA32_MCi_STATUS [15:0] to implement MCA error code specific optional recovery action, but this recovery action is optional. System software can resume the program execution from the instruction pointer saved on the stack for the machine check exception when the RIPV flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register is set.
- Even if the OVER flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set for the SRAO error (VAL=1, UC=1, EN=1, PCC=0, S=1 and AR=0), the MCE handler can take recovery action for the SRAO error logged in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register. Since the recovery action for SRAO errors is optional, restarting the program execution from the instruction pointer saved on the stack for the machine check exception is still possible for the overflowed SRAO error if the RIPV flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS is set.
- When the AR flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set for the software recoverable error (VAL=1, UC=1, EN=1, PCC=0 and S=1), the error in this bank is a software recoverable action required (SRAR) error. The MCE handler and the operating system must take recovery action in order to continue execution after the machine-check exception. The MCA handler and the operating system need to analyze the IA32_MCi_STATUS [15:0] to determine the MCA error code specific recovery action. If no recovery action can be performed, the operating system must reset the system.
- When the OVER flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set for the SRAR error (VAL=1, UC=1, EN=1, PCC=0, S=1 and AR=1), the MCE handler cannot take recovery action as the information of the SRAR error in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register was potentially lost due to the overflow condition. Since the recovery action for SRAR errors must be taken, the MCE handler must signal the operating system to reset the system.
- When the MCE handler cannot find any uncorrected (VAL=1, UC=1 and EN=1) or any software recoverable errors (VAL=1, UC=1, EN=1, PCC=0 and S=1) in any of the IA32_MCi banks of the processors, this is an unexpected condition for the MCE handler and the handler should signal the operating system to reset the system.
- Before returning from the machine-check exception handler, software must clear the MCIP flag in the IA32_MCG_STATUS register. The MCIP flag is used to detect recursion. The machine-check architecture does not support recursion. When the processor receives a machine check when MCIP is set, it automatically enters the shutdown state.

Example 16-4 gives pseudocode for an MC exception handler that supports recovery of UCR.

Example 16-4. Machine-Check Error Handler Pseudocode Supporting UCR

```

MACHINE CHECK HANDLER: (* Called from INT 18 handler *)
NOERROR = TRUE;
ProcessorCount = 0;
IF CPU supports MCA
  THEN
    RESTARTABILITY = TRUE;
    IF (Processor Family = 6 AND DisplayModel ≥ 0EH) OR (Processor Family > 6)
      THEN
        IF ( MCG_LMCE = 1)
          MCA_BROADCAST = FALSE;
        ELSE
          MCA_BROADCAST = TRUE;
        FI;
        Acquire SpinLock;
        ProcessorCount++; (* Allowing one logical processor at a time to examine machine check registers *)
        CALL MCA ERROR PROCESSING; (* returns RESTARTABILITY and NOERROR *)
      ELSE
        MCA_BROADCAST = FALSE;
        (* Implement a rendezvous mechanism with the other processors if necessary *)
        CALL MCA ERROR PROCESSING;
      FI;
    ELSE (* Pentium(R) processor compatible *)
      READ P5_MC_ADDR
      READ P5_MC_TYPE;
      RESTARTABILITY = FALSE;
    FI;
  FI;

IF NOERROR = TRUE
  THEN
    IF NOT (MCG_RIPV = 1 AND MCG_EIPV = 0)
      THEN
        RESTARTABILITY = FALSE;
      FI
    FI;

IF RESTARTABILITY = FALSE
  THEN
    Report RESTARTABILITY to console;
    Reset system;
  FI;

IF MCA_BROADCAST = TRUE
  THEN
    IF ProcessorCount = MAX_PROCESSORS
      AND NOERROR = TRUE
        THEN
          Report RESTARTABILITY to console;
          Reset system;
        FI;
    Release SpinLock;
    Wait till ProcessorCount = MAX_PROCESSORS on system;
    (* implement a timeout and abort function if necessary *)
  FI;
CLEAR IA32_MCG_STATUS;
RESUME Execution;
(* End of MACHINE CHECK HANDLER*)

```

```

MCA ERROR PROCESSING: (* MCA Error Processing Routine called from MCA Handler *)
IF MCIP flag in IA32_MCG_STATUS = 0
  THEN (* MCIP=0 upon MCA is unexpected *)
    RESTARTABILITY = FALSE;
  FI;

```

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FOR each bank of machine-check registers

DO

CLEAR_MC_BANK = FALSE;

READ IA32_MCI_STATUS;

IF VAL Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 1

THEN

IF UC Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 1

THEN

IF Bit 24 in IA32_MCG_CAP = 0

THEN (* the processor does not support software error recovery *)

RESTARTABILITY = FALSE;

NOERROR = FALSE;

GOTO LOG MCA REGISTER;

FI;

(* the processor supports software error recovery *)

IF EN Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 0 AND OVER Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS=0

THEN (* It is a spurious MCA Log. Log and clear the register *)

CLEAR_MC_BANK = TRUE;

GOTO LOG MCA REGISTER;

FI;

IF PCC = 1 and EN = 1 in IA32_MCI_STATUS

THEN (* processor context might have been corrupted *)

RESTARTABILITY = FALSE;

ELSE (* It is a uncorrected recoverable (UCR) error *)

IF S Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 0

THEN

IF AR Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 0

THEN (* It is a uncorrected no action required (UCNA) error *)

GOTO CONTINUE; (* let CMCI and CMC polling handler to process *)

ELSE

RESTARTABILITY = FALSE; (* S=0, AR=1 is illegal *)

FI

FI;

IF RESTARTABILITY = FALSE

THEN (* no need to take recovery action if RESTARTABILITY is already false *)

NOERROR = FALSE;

GOTO LOG MCA REGISTER;

FI;

(* S in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 1 *)

IF AR Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 1

THEN (* It is a software recoverable and action required (SRAR) error *)

IF OVER Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 1

THEN

RESTARTABILITY = FALSE;

NOERROR = FALSE;

GOTO LOG MCA REGISTER;

FI

IF MCACOD Value in IA32_MCI_STATUS is recognized

AND Current Processor is an Affected Processor

THEN

Implement MCACOD specific recovery action;

CLEAR_MC_BANK = TRUE;

ELSE

RESTARTABILITY = FALSE;

FI;

ELSE (* It is a software recoverable and action optional (SRAO) error *)

IF OVER Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 0 AND

MCACOD in IA32_MCI_STATUS is recognized

THEN

Implement MCACOD specific recovery action;

FI;

CLEAR_MC_BANK = TRUE;

FI; AR

FI; PCC

NOERROR = FALSE;

```

        GOTO LOG MCA REGISTER;
    ELSE (* It is a corrected error; continue to the next IA32_MCi_STATUS *)
        GOTO CONTINUE;
    FI; UC
    FI; VAL
LOG MCA REGISTER:
    SAVE IA32_MCi_STATUS;
    IF MISCV in IA32_MCi_STATUS
        THEN
            SAVE IA32_MCi_MISC;
        FI;
    IF ADDRv in IA32_MCi_STATUS
        THEN
            SAVE IA32_MCi_ADDR;
        FI;
    IF CLEAR_MC_BANK = TRUE
        THEN
            SET all 0 to IA32_MCi_STATUS;
            IF MISCV in IA32_MCi_STATUS
                THEN
                    SET all 0 to IA32_MCi_MISC;
                FI;
            IF ADDRv in IA32_MCi_STATUS
                THEN
                    SET all 0 to IA32_MCi_ADDR;
                FI;
        FI;
    CONTINUE:
    OD;
(*END FOR *)
RETURN;
(* End of MCA ERROR PROCESSING*)

```

16.10.4.2 Corrected Machine-Check Handler for Error Recovery

When writing a corrected machine check handler, which is invoked as a result of CMCI or called from an OS CMC Polling dispatcher, consider the following:

- The VAL (valid) flag in each IA32_MCi_STATUS register indicates whether the error information in the register is valid. If this flag is clear, the registers in that bank does not contain valid error information and does not need to be checked.
- The CMCI or CMC polling handler is responsible for logging and clearing corrected errors. The UC flag in each IA32_MCi_Status register indicates whether the reported error was corrected (UC=0) or not (UC=1).
- When IA32_MCG_CAP [24] is one, the CMC handler is also responsible for logging and clearing uncorrected no-action required (UCNA) errors. When the UC flag is one but the PCC, S, and AR flags are zero in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register, the reported error in this bank is an uncorrected no-action required (UCNA) error. In cases when SRAO error are signaled as UCNA error via CMCI, software can perform recovery for those errors identified in Table 16-16.
- In addition to corrected errors and UCNA errors, the CMC handler optionally logs uncorrected (UC=1 and PCC=1), software recoverable machine check errors (UC=1, PCC=0 and S=1), but should avoid clearing those errors from the MC banks. Clearing these errors may result in accidentally removing these errors before these errors are actually handled and processed by the MCE handler for attempted software error recovery.

Example 16-5 gives pseudocode for a CMCI handler with UCR support.

Example 16-5. Corrected Error Handler Pseudocode with UCR Support

Corrected Error HANDLER: (* Called from CMCI handler or OS CMC Polling Dispatcher*)
 IF CPU supports MCA

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  THEN
    FOR each bank of machine-check registers
      DO
        READ IA32_MCI_STATUS;
        IF VAL flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 1
          THEN
            IF UC Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 0 (* It is a corrected error *)
              THEN
                GOTO LOG CMC ERROR;
              ELSE
                IF Bit 24 in IA32_MCG_CAP = 0
                  THEN
                    GOTO CONTINUE;
                FI;
                IF S Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 0 AND AR Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 0
                  THEN (* It is a uncorrected no action required error *)
                    GOTO LOG CMC ERROR
                FI
                IF EN Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS = 0
                  THEN (* It is a spurious MCA error *)
                    GOTO LOG CMC ERROR
                FI;
              FI;
            FI;
            GOTO CONTINUE;
          LOG CMC ERROR:
            SAVE IA32_MCI_STATUS;
            If MISCV Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS
              THEN
                SAVE IA32_MCI_MISC;
                SET all 0 to IA32_MCI_MISC;
            FI;
            IF ADDR_V Flag in IA32_MCI_STATUS
              THEN
                SAVE IA32_MCI_ADDR;
                SET all 0 to IA32_MCI_ADDR
            FI;
            SET all 0 to IA32_MCI_STATUS;
            CONTINUE:
          OD;
        (*END FOR *)
      FI;
  
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10. Updates to Chapter 18, Volume 3B

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Changes to this chapter:

- Updated Figure 18-1, "Debug Registers," and Figure 18-2, "DR6/DR7 Layout on Processors Supporting Intel® 64 Architecture," to correct the BLD (bus-lock detected) flag bit location. The previous revision of this manual incorrectly identified it as bit 6 in the figures. The correct BLD bit is bit 11 in DR6.

CHAPTER 18

DEBUG, BRANCH PROFILE, TSC, AND INTEL® RESOURCE DIRECTOR TECHNOLOGY (INTEL® RDT) FEATURES

NOTE

This chapter makes numerous references to last-branch recording (LBR) facilities. Unless noted otherwise, all such references in this chapter are to an earlier non-architectural form of the feature. Chapter 19 defines an architectural form of last-branch recording that is supported on newer processors.

Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures provide debug facilities for use in debugging code and monitoring performance. These facilities are valuable for debugging application software, system software, and multitasking operating systems. Debug support is accessed using debug registers (DR0 through DR7) and model-specific registers (MSRs):

- Debug registers hold the addresses of memory and I/O locations called breakpoints. Breakpoints are user-selected locations in a program, a data-storage area in memory, or specific I/O ports. They are set where a programmer or system designer wishes to halt execution of a program and examine the state of the processor by invoking debugger software. A debug exception (#DB) is generated when a memory or I/O access is made to a breakpoint address.
- MSRs monitor branches, interrupts, and exceptions; they record addresses of the last branch, interrupt or exception taken and the last branch taken before an interrupt or exception.
- Time stamp counter is described in Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter."
- Features which allow monitoring of shared platform resources such as the L3 cache are described in Section 18.18, "Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Monitoring Features."
- Features which enable control over shared platform resources are described in Section 18.19, "Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Allocation Features."

18.1 OVERVIEW OF DEBUG SUPPORT FACILITIES

The following processor facilities support debugging and performance monitoring:

- **Debug exception (#DB)** — Transfers program control to a debug procedure or task when a debug event occurs.
- **Breakpoint exception (#BP)** — See breakpoint instruction (INT3) below.
- **Breakpoint-address registers (DR0 through DR3)** — Specifies the addresses of up to 4 breakpoints.
- **Debug status register (DR6)** — Reports the conditions that were in effect when a debug or breakpoint exception was generated.
- **Debug control register (DR7)** — Specifies the forms of memory or I/O access that cause breakpoints to be generated.
- **T (trap) flag, TSS** — Generates a debug exception (#DB) when an attempt is made to switch to a task with the T flag set in its TSS.
- **RF (resume) flag, EFLAGS register** — Suppresses multiple exceptions to the same instruction.
- **TF (trap) flag, EFLAGS register** — Generates a debug exception (#DB) after every execution of an instruction.
- **Breakpoint instruction (INT3)** — Generates a breakpoint exception (#BP) that transfers program control to the debugger procedure or task. This instruction is an alternative way to set instruction breakpoints. It is especially useful when more than four breakpoints are desired, or when breakpoints are being placed in the source code.

- **Last branch recording facilities** — Store branch records in the last branch record (LBR) stack MSR for the most recent taken branches, interrupts, and/or exceptions in MSRs. A branch record consist of a branch-from and a branch-to instruction address. Send branch records out on the system bus as branch trace messages (BTMs).

These facilities allow a debugger to be called as a separate task or as a procedure in the context of the current program or task. The following conditions can be used to invoke the debugger:

- Task switch to a specific task.
- Execution of the breakpoint instruction.
- Execution of any instruction.
- Execution of an instruction at a specified address.
- Read or write to a specified memory address/range.
- Write to a specified memory address/range.
- Input from a specified I/O address/range.
- Output to a specified I/O address/range.
- Attempt to change the contents of a debug register.

18.2 DEBUG REGISTERS

Eight debug registers (see Figure 18-1 for 32-bit operation and Figure 18-2 for 64-bit operation) control the debug operation of the processor. These registers can be written to and read using the move to/from debug register form of the MOV instruction. A debug register may be the source or destination operand for one of these instructions.

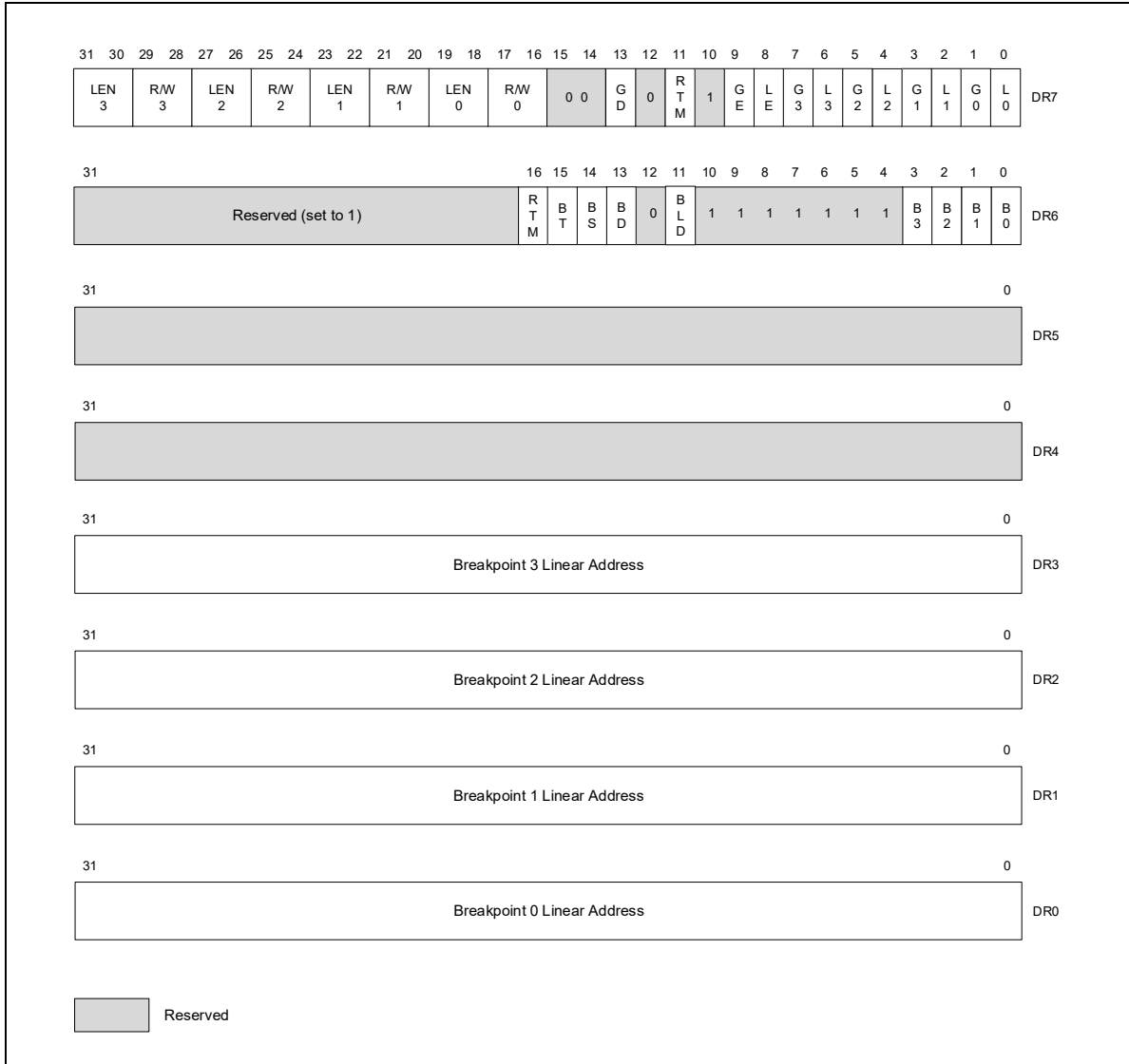


Figure 18-1. Debug Registers

Debug registers are privileged resources; a MOV instruction that accesses these registers can only be executed in real-address mode, in SMM or in protected mode at a CPL of 0. An attempt to read or write the debug registers from any other privilege level generates a general-protection exception (#GP).

The primary function of the debug registers is to set up and monitor from 1 to 4 breakpoints, numbered 0 through 3. For each breakpoint, the following information can be specified:

- The linear address where the breakpoint is to occur.
- The length of the breakpoint location: 1, 2, 4, or 8 bytes (refer to the notes in Section 18.2.4).
- The operation that must be performed at the address for a debug exception to be generated.
- Whether the breakpoint is enabled.
- Whether the breakpoint condition was present when the debug exception was generated.

The following paragraphs describe the functions of flags and fields in the debug registers.

18.2.1 Debug Address Registers (DR0-DR3)

Each of the debug-address registers (DR0 through DR3) holds the 32-bit linear address of a breakpoint (see Figure 18-1). Breakpoint comparisons are made before physical address translation occurs. The contents of debug register DR7 further specifies breakpoint conditions.

18.2.2 Debug Registers DR4 and DR5

Debug registers DR4 and DR5 are reserved when debug extensions are enabled (when the DE flag in control register CR4 is set) and attempts to reference the DR4 and DR5 registers cause invalid-opcode exceptions (#UD). When debug extensions are not enabled (when the DE flag is clear), these registers are aliased to debug registers DR6 and DR7.

18.2.3 Debug Status Register (DR6)

The debug status register (DR6) reports debug conditions that were sampled at the time the last debug exception was generated (see Figure 18-1). Updates to this register only occur when an exception is generated. The flags in this register show the following information:

- **B0 through B3 (breakpoint condition detected) flags (bits 0 through 3)** — Indicates (when set) that its associated breakpoint condition was met when a debug exception was generated. These flags are set if the condition described for each breakpoint by the LEN_n and R/W_n flags in debug control register DR7 is true. They may or may not be set if the breakpoint is not enabled by the Ln or the Gn flags in register DR7. Therefore on a #DB, a debug handler should check only those B0-B3 bits which correspond to an enabled breakpoint.
- **BLD (bus-lock detected) flag (bit 11)** — Indicates (when **clear**) that the debug exception was triggered by the assertion of a bus lock when $CPL > 0$ and OS bus-lock detection was enabled (see Section 18.3.1.6). Other debug exceptions do not modify this bit. To avoid confusion in identifying debug exceptions, software debug-exception handlers should set bit 11 to 1 before returning. (Software that never enables OS bus-lock detection need not do this as $DR6[11] = 1$ following reset.) This bit is always 1 if the processor does not support OS bus-lock detection.
- **BD (debug register access detected) flag (bit 13)** — Indicates that the next instruction in the instruction stream accesses one of the debug registers (DR0 through DR7). This flag is enabled when the GD (general detect) flag in debug control register DR7 is set. See Section 18.2.4, “Debug Control Register (DR7),” for further explanation of the purpose of this flag.
- **BS (single step) flag (bit 14)** — Indicates (when set) that the debug exception was triggered by the single-step execution mode (enabled with the TF flag in the EFLAGS register). The single-step mode is the highest-priority debug exception. When the BS flag is set, any of the other debug status bits also may be set.
- **BT (task switch) flag (bit 15)** — Indicates (when set) that the debug exception resulted from a task switch where the T flag (debug trap flag) in the TSS of the target task was set. See Section 8.2.1, “Task-State Segment (TSS),” for the format of a TSS. There is no flag in debug control register DR7 to enable or disable this exception; the T flag of the TSS is the only enabling flag.
- **RTM (restricted transactional memory) flag (bit 16)** — Indicates (when **clear**) that a debug exception (#DB) or breakpoint exception (#BP) occurred inside an RTM region while advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions was enabled (see Section 18.3.3). This bit is set for any other debug exception (including all those that occur when advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions is not enabled). This bit is always 1 if the processor does not support RTM.

Certain debug exceptions may clear bits 0-3. The remaining contents of the DR6 register are never cleared by the processor. To avoid confusion in identifying debug exceptions, debug handlers should clear the register (except bit 16, which they should set) before returning to the interrupted task.

18.2.4 Debug Control Register (DR7)

The debug control register (DR7) enables or disables breakpoints and sets breakpoint conditions (see Figure 18-1). The flags and fields in this register control the following things:

- **L0 through L3 (local breakpoint enable) flags (bits 0, 2, 4, and 6)** — Enables (when set) the breakpoint condition for the associated breakpoint for the current task. When a breakpoint condition is detected and its associated L_n flag is set, a debug exception is generated. The processor automatically clears these flags on every task switch to avoid unwanted breakpoint conditions in the new task.
- **G0 through G3 (global breakpoint enable) flags (bits 1, 3, 5, and 7)** — Enables (when set) the breakpoint condition for the associated breakpoint for all tasks. When a breakpoint condition is detected and its associated G_n flag is set, a debug exception is generated. The processor does not clear these flags on a task switch, allowing a breakpoint to be enabled for all tasks.
- **LE and GE (local and global exact breakpoint enable) flags (bits 8, 9)** — This feature is not supported in the P6 family processors, later IA-32 processors, and Intel 64 processors. When set, these flags cause the processor to detect the exact instruction that caused a data breakpoint condition. For backward and forward compatibility with other Intel processors, we recommend that the LE and GE flags be set to 1 if exact breakpoints are required.
- **RTM (restricted transactional memory) flag (bit 11)** — Enables (when set) advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions (see Section 18.3.3). This advanced debugging is enabled only if IA32_DEBUGCTL.RTM is also set.
- **GD (general detect enable) flag (bit 13)** — Enables (when set) debug-register protection, which causes a debug exception to be generated prior to any MOV instruction that accesses a debug register. When such a condition is detected, the BD flag in debug status register DR6 is set prior to generating the exception. This condition is provided to support in-circuit emulators.

When the emulator needs to access the debug registers, emulator software can set the GD flag to prevent interference from the program currently executing on the processor.

The processor clears the GD flag upon entering to the debug exception handler, to allow the handler access to the debug registers.

- **R/W0 through R/W3 (read/write) fields (bits 16, 17, 20, 21, 24, 25, 28, and 29)** — Specifies the breakpoint condition for the corresponding breakpoint. The DE (debug extensions) flag in control register CR4 determines how the bits in the R/W_n fields are interpreted. When the DE flag is set, the processor interprets bits as follows:

- 00 — Break on instruction execution only.
- 01 — Break on data writes only.
- 10 — Break on I/O reads or writes.
- 11 — Break on data reads or writes but not instruction fetches.

When the DE flag is clear, the processor interprets the R/W_n bits the same as for the Intel386™ and Intel486™ processors, which is as follows:

- 00 — Break on instruction execution only.
- 01 — Break on data writes only.
- 10 — Undefined.
- 11 — Break on data reads or writes but not instruction fetches.

- **LEN0 through LEN3 (Length) fields (bits 18, 19, 22, 23, 26, 27, 30, and 31)** — Specify the size of the memory location at the address specified in the corresponding breakpoint address register (DR0 through DR3). These fields are interpreted as follows:

- 00 — 1-byte length.
- 01 — 2-byte length.
- 10 — Undefined (or 8 byte length, see note below).
- 11 — 4-byte length.

If the corresponding RW_n field in register DR7 is 00 (instruction execution), then the LEN_n field should also be 00. The effect of using other lengths is undefined. See Section 18.2.5, “Breakpoint Field Recognition,” below.

NOTES

For Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® processors with a CPUID signature corresponding to family 15 (model 3, 4, and 6), break point conditions permit specifying 8-byte length on data read/write with an of encoding 10B in the LEN_n field.

Encoding 10B is also supported in processors based on Intel Core microarchitecture or enhanced Intel Core microarchitecture, the respective CPUID signatures corresponding to family 6, model 15, and family 6, DisplayModel value 23 (see the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, “Instruction Set Reference, A-L,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A). The Encoding 10B is supported in processors based on Intel Atom® microarchitecture, with CPUID signature of family 6, DisplayModel value 1CH. The encoding 10B is undefined for other processors.

18.2.5 Breakpoint Field Recognition

Breakpoint address registers (debug registers DR0 through DR3) and the LEN_n fields for each breakpoint define a range of sequential byte addresses for a data or I/O breakpoint. The LEN_n fields permit specification of a 1-, 2-, 4- or 8-byte range, beginning at the linear address specified in the corresponding debug register (DR_n). Two-byte ranges must be aligned on word boundaries; 4-byte ranges must be aligned on doubleword boundaries, 8-byte ranges must be aligned on quadword boundaries. I/O addresses are zero-extended (from 16 to 32 bits, for comparison with the breakpoint address in the selected debug register). These requirements are enforced by the processor; it uses LEN_n field bits to mask the lower address bits in the debug registers. Unaligned data or I/O breakpoint addresses do not yield valid results.

A data breakpoint for reading or writing data is triggered if any of the bytes participating in an access is within the range defined by a breakpoint address register and its LEN_n field. Table 18-1 provides an example setup of debug registers and data accesses that would subsequently trap or not trap on the breakpoints.

A data breakpoint for an unaligned operand can be constructed using two breakpoints, where each breakpoint is byte-aligned and the two breakpoints together cover the operand. The breakpoints generate exceptions only for the operand, not for neighboring bytes.

Instruction breakpoint addresses must have a length specification of 1 byte (the LEN_n field is set to 00). Instruction breakpoints for other operand sizes are undefined. The processor recognizes an instruction breakpoint address only when it points to the first byte of an instruction. If the instruction has prefixes, the breakpoint address must point to the first prefix.

Table 18-1. Breakpoint Examples

Debug Register Setup			
Debug Register	R/W _n	Breakpoint Address	LEN _n
DR0	R/W0 = 11 (Read/Write)	A0001H	LEN0 = 00 (1 byte)
DR1	R/W1 = 01 (Write)	A0002H	LEN1 = 00 (1 byte)
DR2	R/W2 = 11 (Read/Write)	B0002H	LEN2 = 01) (2 bytes)
DR3	R/W3 = 01 (Write)	C0000H	LEN3 = 11 (4 bytes)
Data Accesses			
Operation		Address	Access Length (In Bytes)
Data operations that trap			
- Read or write		A0001H	1
- Read or write		A0001H	2
- Write		A0002H	1
- Write		A0002H	2
- Read or write		B0001H	4
- Read or write		B0002H	1
- Read or write		B0002H	2
- Write		C0000H	4
- Write		C0001H	2
- Write		C0003H	1

Table 18-1. Breakpoint Examples (Contd.)

Debug Register Setup			
Debug Register	R/Wn	Breakpoint Address	LENn
Data operations that do not trap			
- Read or write		A0000H	1
- Read		A0002H	1
- Read or write		A0003H	4
- Read or write		B0000H	2
- Read		C0000H	2
- Read or write		C0004H	4

18.2.6 Debug Registers and Intel® 64 Processors

For Intel 64 architecture processors, debug registers DR0–DR7 are 64 bits. In 16-bit or 32-bit modes (protected mode and compatibility mode), writes to a debug register fill the upper 32 bits with zeros. Reads from a debug register return the lower 32 bits. In 64-bit mode, MOV DRn instructions read or write all 64 bits. Operand-size prefixes are ignored.

In 64-bit mode, the upper 32 bits of DR6 and DR7 are reserved and must be written with zeros. Writing 1 to any of the upper 32 bits results in a #GP(0) exception (see Figure 18-2). All 64 bits of DR0–DR3 are writable by software. However, MOV DRn instructions do not check that addresses written to DR0–DR3 are in the linear-address limits of the processor implementation (address matching is supported only on valid addresses generated by the processor implementation). Breakpoint conditions for 8-byte memory read/writes are supported in all modes.

18.3 DEBUG EXCEPTIONS

The Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures dedicate two interrupt vectors to handling debug exceptions: vector 1 (debug exception, #DB) and vector 3 (breakpoint exception, #BP). The following sections describe how these exceptions are generated and typical exception handler operations.

18.3.1 Debug Exception (#DB)—Interrupt Vector 1

The debug-exception handler is usually a debugger program or part of a larger software system. The processor generates a debug exception for any of several conditions. The debugger checks flags in the DR6 and DR7 registers to determine which condition caused the exception and which other conditions might apply. Table 18-2 shows the states of these flags following the generation of each kind of breakpoint condition.

Instruction-breakpoint and general-detect condition (see Section 18.3.1.3, “General-Detect Exception Condition”) result in faults; other debug-exception conditions result in traps. The debug exception may report one or both at one time. The following sections describe each class of debug exception.

The INT1 instruction generates a debug exception as a trap. Hardware vendors may use the INT1 instruction for hardware debug. For that reason, Intel recommends software vendors instead use the INT3 instruction for software breakpoints.

See also: Chapter 6, “Interrupt 1—Debug Exception (#DB),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

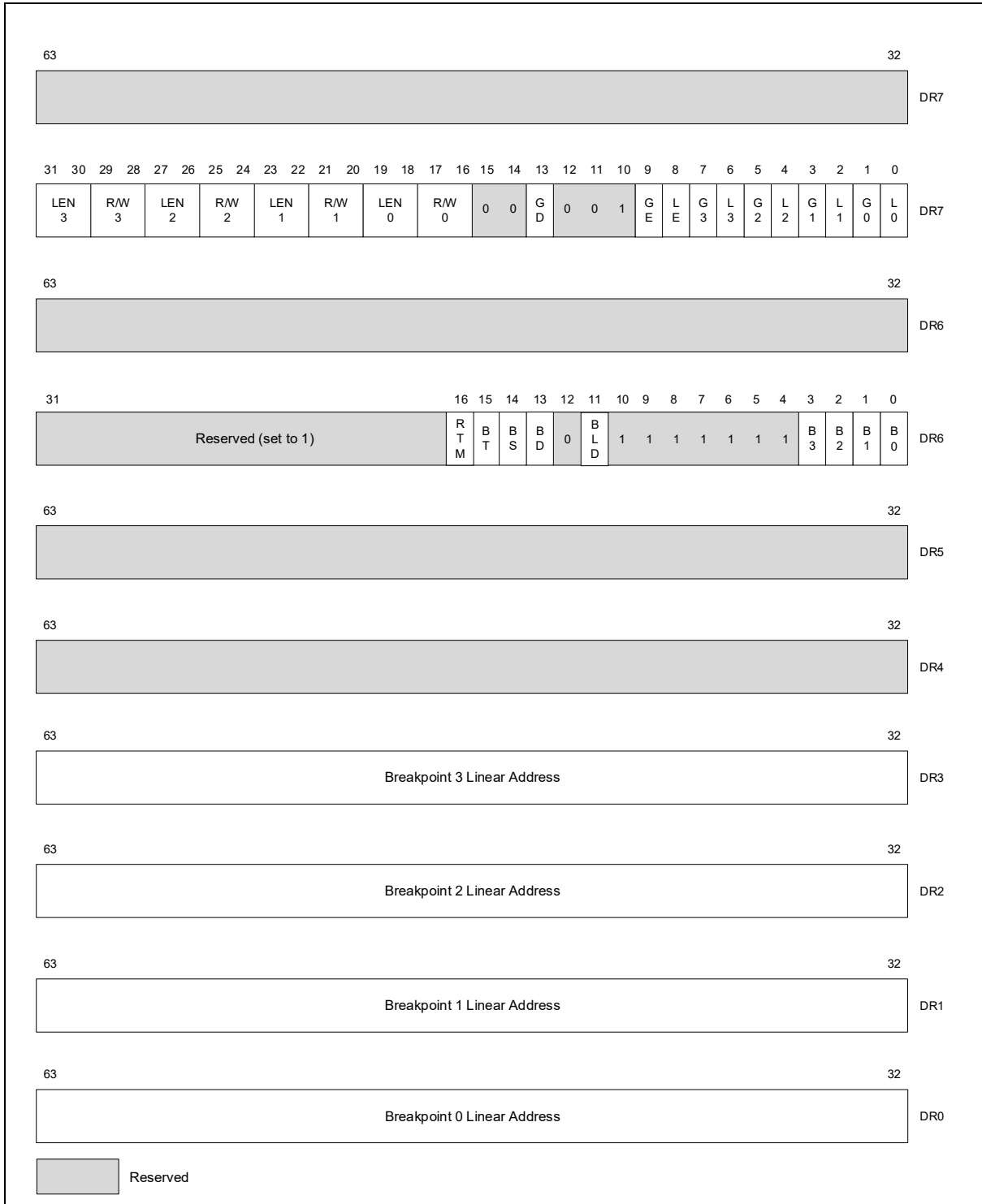


Figure 18-2. DR6/DR7 Layout on Processors Supporting Intel® 64 Architecture

Table 18-2. Debug Exception Conditions

Debug or Breakpoint Condition	DR6 Flags Tested	DR7 Flags Tested	Exception Class
Single-step trap	BS = 1		Trap
Instruction breakpoint, at addresses defined by DR n and LEN n	B n = 1 and (G n or L n = 1)	R/W n = 0	Fault
Data write breakpoint, at addresses defined by DR n and LEN n	B n = 1 and (G n or L n = 1)	R/W n = 1	Trap
I/O read or write breakpoint, at addresses defined by DR n and LEN n	B n = 1 and (G n or L n = 1)	R/W n = 2	Trap
Data read or write (but not instruction fetches), at addresses defined by DR n and LEN n	B n = 1 and (G n or L n = 1)	R/W n = 3	Trap
General detect fault, resulting from an attempt to modify debug registers (usually in conjunction with in-circuit emulation)	BD = 1	None	Fault
Task switch	BT = 1	None	Trap
INT1 instruction	None	None	Trap

18.3.1.1 Instruction-Breakpoint Exception Condition

The processor reports an instruction breakpoint when it attempts to execute an instruction at an address specified in a breakpoint-address register (DR0 through DR3) that has been set up to detect instruction execution (R/W flag is set to 0). Upon reporting the instruction breakpoint, the processor generates a fault-class, debug exception (#DB) before it executes the target instruction for the breakpoint.

Instruction breakpoints are the highest priority debug exceptions. They are serviced before any other exceptions detected during the decoding or execution of an instruction. However, if an instruction breakpoint is placed on an instruction located immediately after a POP SS/MOV SS instruction, the breakpoint will be suppressed as if EFLAGS.RF were 1 (see the next paragraph and Section 6.8.3, “Masking Exceptions and Interrupts When Switching Stacks,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A).

Because the debug exception for an instruction breakpoint is generated before the instruction is executed, if the instruction breakpoint is not removed by the exception handler; the processor will detect the instruction breakpoint again when the instruction is restarted and generate another debug exception. To prevent looping on an instruction breakpoint, the Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures provide the RF flag (resume flag) in the EFLAGS register (see Section 2.3, “System Flags and Fields in the EFLAGS Register,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A). When the RF flag is set, the processor ignores instruction breakpoints.

All Intel 64 and IA-32 processors manage the RF flag as follows. The RF Flag is cleared at the start of the instruction after the check for instruction breakpoints, CS limit violations, and FP exceptions. Task Switches and IRETD/IRETQ instructions transfer the RF image from the TSS/stack to the EFLAGS register.

When calling an event handler, Intel 64 and IA-32 processors establish the value of the RF flag in the EFLAGS image pushed on the stack:

- For any fault-class exception except a debug exception generated in response to an instruction breakpoint, the value pushed for RF is 1.
- For any interrupt arriving after any iteration of a repeated string instruction but the last iteration, the value pushed for RF is 1.
- For any trap-class exception generated by any iteration of a repeated string instruction but the last iteration, the value pushed for RF is 1.
- For other cases, the value pushed for RF is the value that was in EFLAG.RF at the time the event handler was called. This includes:
 - Debug exceptions generated in response to instruction breakpoints
 - Hardware-generated interrupts arriving between instructions (including those arriving after the last iteration of a repeated string instruction)

- Trap-class exceptions generated after an instruction completes (including those generated after the last iteration of a repeated string instruction)
- Software-generated interrupts (RF is pushed as 0, since it was cleared at the start of the software interrupt)

As noted above, the processor does not set the RF flag prior to calling the debug exception handler for debug exceptions resulting from instruction breakpoints. The debug exception handler can prevent recurrence of the instruction breakpoint by setting the RF flag in the EFLAGS image on the stack. If the RF flag in the EFLAGS image is set when the processor returns from the exception handler, it is copied into the RF flag in the EFLAGS register by IRETD/IRETQ or a task switch that causes the return. The processor then ignores instruction breakpoints for the duration of the next instruction. (Note that the POPF, POPFD, and IRET instructions do not transfer the RF image into the EFLAGS register.) Setting the RF flag does not prevent other types of debug-exception conditions (such as, I/O or data breakpoints) from being detected, nor does it prevent non-debug exceptions from being generated.

For the Pentium processor, when an instruction breakpoint coincides with another fault-type exception (such as a page fault), the processor may generate one spurious debug exception after the second exception has been handled, even though the debug exception handler set the RF flag in the EFLAGS image. To prevent a spurious exception with Pentium processors, all fault-class exception handlers should set the RF flag in the EFLAGS image.

18.3.1.2 Data Memory and I/O Breakpoint Exception Conditions

Data memory and I/O breakpoints are reported when the processor attempts to access a memory or I/O address specified in a breakpoint-address register (DR0 through DR3) that has been set up to detect data or I/O accesses (R/W flag is set to 1, 2, or 3). The processor generates the exception after it executes the instruction that made the access, so these breakpoint condition causes a trap-class exception to be generated.

Because data breakpoints are traps, an instruction that writes memory overwrites the original data before the debug exception generated by a data breakpoint is generated. If a debugger needs to save the contents of a write breakpoint location, it should save the original contents before setting the breakpoint. The handler can report the saved value after the breakpoint is triggered. The address in the debug registers can be used to locate the new value stored by the instruction that triggered the breakpoint.

If a data breakpoint is detected during an iteration of a string instruction executed with fast-string operation (see Section 7.3.9.3 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1), delivery of the resulting debug exception may be delayed until completion of the corresponding group of iterations.

Intel486 and later processors ignore the GE and LE flags in DR7. In Intel386 processors, exact data breakpoint matching does not occur unless it is enabled by setting the LE and/or the GE flags.

For repeated INS and OUTS instructions that generate an I/O-breakpoint debug exception, the processor generates the exception after the completion of the first iteration. Repeated INS and OUTS instructions generate a data-breakpoint debug exception after the iteration in which the memory address breakpoint location is accessed.

If an execution of the MOV or POP instruction loads the SS register and encounters a data breakpoint, the resulting debug exception is delivered after completion of the next instruction (the one after the MOV or POP).

Any pending data or I/O breakpoints are lost upon delivery of an exception. For example, if a machine-check exception (#MC) occurs following an instruction that encounters a data breakpoint (but before the resulting debug exception is delivered), the data breakpoint is lost. If a MOV or POP instruction that loads the SS register encounters a data breakpoint, the data breakpoint is lost if the next instruction causes a fault.

Delivery of events due to INT *n*, INT3, or INTO does not cause a loss of data breakpoints. If a MOV or POP instruction that loads the SS register encounters a data breakpoint, and the next instruction is software interrupt (INT *n*, INT3, or INTO), a debug exception (#DB) resulting from a data breakpoint will be delivered after the transition to the software-interrupt handler. The #DB handler should account for the fact that the #DB may have been delivered after a invocation of a software-interrupt handler, and in particular that the CPL may have changed between recognition of the data breakpoint and delivery of the #DB.

18.3.1.3 General-Detect Exception Condition

When the GD flag in DR7 is set, the general-detect debug exception occurs when a program attempts to access any of the debug registers (DR0 through DR7) at the same time they are being used by another application, such as an emulator or debugger. This protection feature guarantees full control over the debug registers when required. The

debug exception handler can detect this condition by checking the state of the BD flag in the DR6 register. The processor generates the exception before it executes the MOV instruction that accesses a debug register, which causes a fault-class exception to be generated.

18.3.1.4 Single-Step Exception Condition

The processor generates a single-step debug exception if (while an instruction is being executed) it detects that the TF flag in the EFLAGS register is set. The exception is a trap-class exception, because the exception is generated after the instruction is executed. The processor will not generate this exception after the instruction that sets the TF flag. For example, if the POPF instruction is used to set the TF flag, a single-step trap does not occur until after the instruction that follows the POPF instruction.

The processor clears the TF flag before calling the exception handler. If the TF flag was set in a TSS at the time of a task switch, the exception occurs after the first instruction is executed in the new task.

The TF flag normally is not cleared by privilege changes inside a task. The INT *n*, INT3, and INTO instructions, however, do clear this flag. Therefore, software debuggers that single-step code must recognize and emulate INT *n* or INTO instructions rather than executing them directly. To maintain protection, the operating system should check the CPL after any single-step trap to see if single stepping should continue at the current privilege level.

The interrupt priorities guarantee that, if an external interrupt occurs, single stepping stops. When both an external interrupt and a single-step interrupt occur together, the single-step interrupt is processed first. This operation clears the TF flag. After saving the return address or switching tasks, the external interrupt input is examined before the first instruction of the single-step handler executes. If the external interrupt is still pending, then it is serviced. The external interrupt handler does not run in single-step mode. To single step an interrupt handler, single step an INT *n* instruction that calls the interrupt handler.

If an occurrence of the MOV or POP instruction loads the SS register executes with EFLAGS.TF = 1, no single-step debug exception occurs following the MOV or POP instruction.

18.3.1.5 Task-Switch Exception Condition

The processor generates a debug exception after a task switch if the T flag of the new task's TSS is set. This exception is generated after program control has passed to the new task, and prior to the execution of the first instruction of that task. The exception handler can detect this condition by examining the BT flag of the DR6 register.

If entry 1 (#DB) in the IDT is a task gate, the T bit of the corresponding TSS should not be set. Failure to observe this rule will put the processor in a loop.

18.3.1.6 OS Bus-Lock Detection

OS bus-lock detection is a feature that causes the processor to generate a debug exception (called a **bus-lock detection debug exception**) if it detects that a bus lock has been asserted (see Section 9.1.2). Such an exception is a trap-class exception, because it is generated after execution of an instruction that asserts a bus lock. The exception thus does not prevent assertion of the bus lock. Delivery of a bus-lock detection debug exception clears DR6.BLD.

Software can enable OS bus-lock detection by setting IA32_DEBUGCTL.BLD[bit 2]. Bus-lock detection debug exceptions occur only if CPL > 0.

18.3.2 Breakpoint Exception (#BP)—Interrupt Vector 3

The breakpoint exception (interrupt 3) is caused by execution of an INT3 instruction. See Chapter 6, "Interrupt 3—Breakpoint Exception (#BP)." Debuggers use breakpoint exceptions in the same way that they use the breakpoint registers; that is, as a mechanism for suspending program execution to examine registers and memory locations. With earlier IA-32 processors, breakpoint exceptions are used extensively for setting instruction breakpoints.

With the Intel386 and later IA-32 processors, it is more convenient to set breakpoints with the breakpoint-address registers (DR0 through DR3). However, the breakpoint exception still is useful for breakpointing debuggers,

because a breakpoint exception can call a separate exception handler. The breakpoint exception is also useful when it is necessary to set more breakpoints than there are debug registers or when breakpoints are being placed in the source code of a program under development.

18.3.3 Debug Exceptions, Breakpoint Exceptions, and Restricted Transactional Memory (RTM)

Chapter 16, “Programming with Intel® Transactional Synchronization Extensions,” of Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1, describes Restricted Transactional Memory (RTM). This is an instruction-set interface that allows software to identify **transactional regions** (or critical sections) using the XBEGIN and XEND instructions.

Execution of an RTM transactional region begins with an XBEGIN instruction. If execution of the region successfully reaches an XEND instruction, the processor ensures that all memory operations performed within the region appear to have occurred instantaneously when viewed from other logical processors. Execution of an RTM transaction region does not succeed if the processor cannot commit the updates atomically. When this happens, the processor rolls back the execution, a process referred to as a **transactional abort**. In this case, the processor discards all updates performed in the region, restores architectural state to appear as if the execution had not occurred, and resumes execution at a fallback instruction address that was specified with the XBEGIN instruction.

If debug exception (#DB) or breakpoint exception (#BP) occurs within an RTM transaction region, a transactional abort occurs, the processor sets EAX[4], and no exception is delivered.

Software can enable **advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions** by setting DR7.RTM[bit 11] and IA32_DEBUGCTL.RTM[bit 15]. If these bits are both set, the transactional abort caused by a #DB or #BP within an RTM transaction region does **not** resume execution at the fallback instruction address specified with the XBEGIN instruction that begin the region. Instead, execution is resumed at that XBEGIN instruction, and a #DB is delivered. (A #DB is delivered even if the transactional abort was caused by a #BP.) Such a #DB will clear DR6.RTM[bit 16] (all other debug exceptions set DR6[16]).

18.4 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING OVERVIEW

P6 family processors introduced the ability to set breakpoints on taken branches, interrupts, and exceptions, and to single-step from one branch to the next. This capability has been modified and extended in the Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Pentium M, Intel® Core™ Solo, Intel® Core™ Duo, Intel® Core™2 Duo, Intel® Core™ i7 and Intel Atom® processors to allow logging of branch trace messages in a branch trace store (BTS) buffer in memory.

See the following sections for processor specific implementation of last branch, interrupt, and exception recording:

- Section 18.5, “Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Intel® Core™ 2 Duo and Intel Atom® Processors).”
- Section 18.6, “Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Goldmont Microarchitecture.”
- Section 18.9, “Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Nehalem Microarchitecture.”
- Section 18.10, “Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture.”
- Section 18.11, “Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Haswell Microarchitecture.”
- Section 18.12, “Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Skylake Microarchitecture.”
- Section 18.14, “Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Intel® Core™ Solo and Intel® Core™ Duo Processors).”
- Section 18.15, “Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Pentium M Processors).”
- Section 18.16, “Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (P6 Family Processors).”

The following subsections of Section 18.4 describe common features of profiling branches. These features are generally enabled using the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR (older processor may have implemented a subset or model-specific features, see definitions of MSR_DEBUGCTLA, MSR_DEBUGCTLB, MSR_DEBUGCTL).

18.4.1 IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR

The **IA32_DEBUGCTL** MSR provides bit field controls to enable debug trace interrupts, debug trace stores, trace messages enable, single stepping on branches, last branch record recording, and to control freezing of LBR stack or performance counters on a PMI request. IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR is located at register address 01D9H.

See Figure 18-3 for the MSR layout and the bullets below for a description of the flags:

- **LBR (last branch/interrupt/exception) flag (bit 0)** — When set, the processor records a running trace of the most recent branches, interrupts, and/or exceptions taken by the processor (prior to a debug exception being generated) in the last branch record (LBR) stack. For more information, see the Section 18.5.1, “LBR Stack” (Intel® Core™2 Duo and Intel Atom® processor family) and Section 18.9.1, “LBR Stack” (processors based on Nehalem microarchitecture).
- **BTF (single-step on branches) flag (bit 1)** — When set, the processor treats the TF flag in the EFLAGS register as a “single-step on branches” flag rather than a “single-step on instructions” flag. This mechanism allows single-stepping the processor on taken branches. See Section 18.4.3, “Single-Stepping on Branches,” for more information about the BTF flag.
- **BLD (bus-lock detection) flag (bit 2)** — If this bit is set, OS bus-lock detection is enabled when CPL > 0. See Section 18.3.1.6.
- **TR (trace message enable) flag (bit 6)** — When set, branch trace messages are enabled. When the processor detects a taken branch, interrupt, or exception; it sends the branch record out on the system bus as a branch trace message (BTM). See Section 18.4.4, “Branch Trace Messages,” for more information about the TR flag.
- **BTS (branch trace store) flag (bit 7)** — When set, the flag enables BTS facilities to log BTMs to a memory-resident BTS buffer that is part of the DS save area. See Section 18.4.9, “BTS and DS Save Area.”
- **BTINT (branch trace interrupt) flag (bit 8)** — When set, the BTS facilities generate an interrupt when the BTS buffer is full. When clear, BTMs are logged to the BTS buffer in a circular fashion. See Section 18.4.5, “Branch Trace Store (BTS),” for a description of this mechanism.

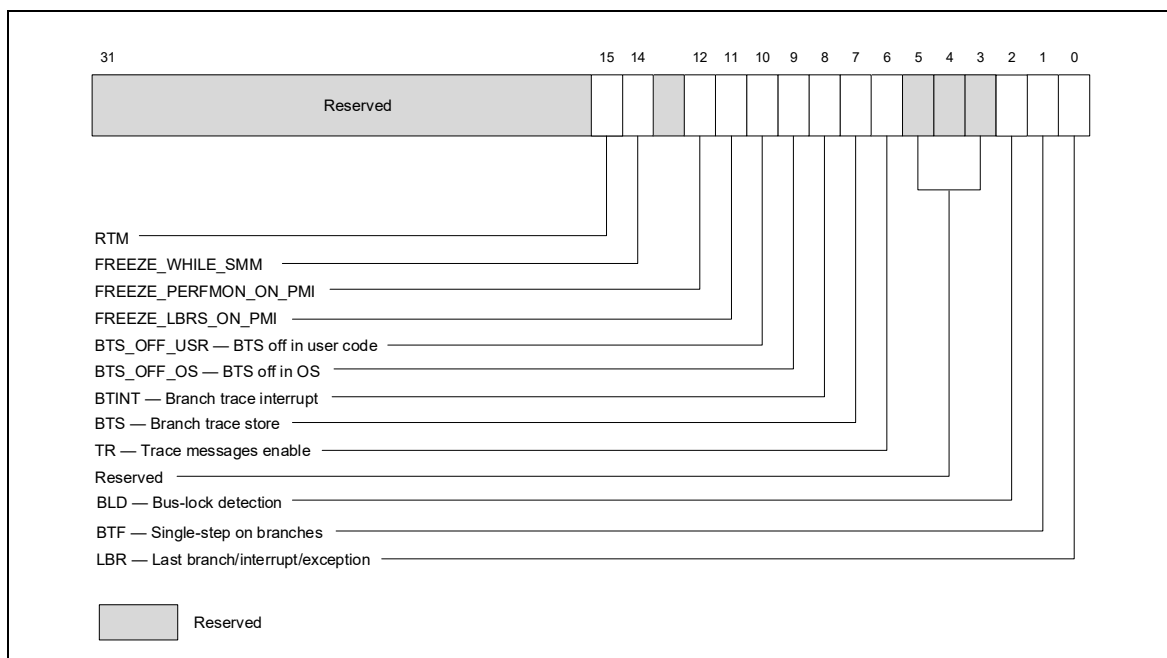


Figure 18-3. IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR for Processors Based on Intel® Core™ Microarchitecture

- **BTS_OFF_OS (branch trace off in privileged code) flag (bit 9)** — When set, BTS or BTM is skipped if CPL is 0. See Section 18.13.2.
- **BTS_OFF_USR (branch trace off in user code) flag (bit 10)** — When set, BTS or BTM is skipped if CPL is greater than 0. See Section 18.13.2.
- **FREEZE_LBRS_ON_PMI flag (bit 11)** — When set, the LBR stack is frozen on a hardware PMI request (e.g., when a counter overflows and is configured to trigger PMI). See Section 18.4.7 for details.
- **FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI flag (bit 12)** — When set, the performance counters (IA32_PMCx and IA32_FIXED_CTRx) are frozen on a PMI request. See Section 18.4.7 for details.
- **FREEZE_WHILE_SMM (bit 14)** — If this bit is set, upon the delivery of an SMI, the processor will clear all the enable bits of IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL, save a copy of the content of IA32_DEBUGCTL and disable LBR, BTF, TR, and BTS fields of IA32_DEBUGCTL before transferring control to the SMI handler. If Intel Thread Director support was enabled before transferring control to the SMI handler, then the processor will also reset the Intel Thread Director history (see Section 15.6.11 for more details about Intel Thread Director enable, reset, and history reset operations).
Subsequently, the enable bits of IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL will be set to 1, the saved copy of IA32_DEBUGCTL prior to SMI delivery will be restored, after the SMI handler issues RSM to complete its service. If Intel Thread Director support is enabled when RSM is executed, then the processor resets the Intel Thread Director history.
Note that system software must check if the processor supports the IA32_DEBUGCTL.FREEZE_WHILE_SMM control bit. IA32_DEBUGCTL.FREEZE_WHILE_SMM is supported if IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES.FREEZE_WHILE_SMM[Bit 12] is reporting 1. See Section 20.8 for details of detecting the presence of IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES MSR.
- **RTM (bit 15)** — If this bit is set, advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions is enabled if DR7.RTM is also set. See Section 18.3.3.

18.4.2 Monitoring Branches, Exceptions, and Interrupts

When the LBR flag (bit 0) in the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR is set, the processor automatically begins recording branch records for taken branches, interrupts, and exceptions (except for debug exceptions) in the LBR stack MSRs.

When the processor generates a debug exception (#DB), it automatically clears the LBR flag before executing the exception handler. This action does not clear previously stored LBR stack MSRs.

A debugger can use the linear addresses in the LBR stack to re-set breakpoints in the breakpoint address registers (DR0 through DR3). This allows a backward trace from the manifestation of a particular bug toward its source.

On some processors, if the LBR flag is cleared and TR flag in the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR remains set, the processor will continue to update LBR stack MSRs. This is because those processors use the entries in the LBR stack in the process of generating BTM/BTS records. A #DB does not automatically clear the TR flag.

18.4.3 Single-Stepping on Branches

When software sets both the BTF flag (bit 1) in the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR and the TF flag in the EFLAGS register, the processor generates a single-step debug exception only after instructions that cause a branch.¹ This mechanism allows a debugger to single-step on control transfers caused by branches. This “branch single stepping” helps isolate a bug to a particular block of code before instruction single-stepping further narrows the search. The processor clears the BTF flag when it generates a debug exception. The debugger must set the BTF flag before resuming program execution to continue single-stepping on branches.

1. Executions of CALL, IRET, and JMP that cause task switches never cause single-step debug exceptions (regardless of the value of the BTF flag). A debugger desiring debug exceptions on switches to a task should set the T flag (debug trap flag) in the TSS of that task. See Section 8.2.1, “Task-State Segment (TSS).”

18.4.4 Branch Trace Messages

Setting the TR flag (bit 6) in the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR enables branch trace messages (BTMs). Thereafter, when the processor detects a branch, exception, or interrupt, it sends a branch record out on the system bus as a BTM. A debugging device that is monitoring the system bus can read these messages and synchronize operations with taken branch, interrupt, and exception events.

When interrupts or exceptions occur in conjunction with a taken branch, additional BTMs are sent out on the bus, as described in Section 18.4.2, “Monitoring Branches, Exceptions, and Interrupts.”

For the P6 processor family, Pentium M processor family, and processors based on Intel Core microarchitecture, TR and LBR bits can not be set at the same time due to hardware limitation. The content of LBR stack is undefined when TR is set.

For processors with Intel NetBurst microarchitecture, Intel Atom processors, and Intel Core and related Intel Xeon processors both starting with the Nehalem microarchitecture, the processor can collect branch records in the LBR stack and at the same time send/store BTMs when both the TR and LBR flags are set in the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR (or the equivalent MSR_DEBUGCTLA, MSR_DEBUGCTLB).

The following exception applies:

- BTM may not be observable on Intel Atom processor families that do not provide an externally visible system bus (i.e., processors based on the Silvermont microarchitecture or later).

18.4.4.1 Branch Trace Message Visibility

Branch trace message (BTM) visibility is implementation specific and limited to systems with a front side bus (FSB). BTMs may not be visible to newer system link interfaces or a system bus that deviates from a traditional FSB.

18.4.5 Branch Trace Store (BTS)

A trace of taken branches, interrupts, and exceptions is useful for debugging code by providing a method of determining the decision path taken to reach a particular code location. The LBR flag (bit 0) of IA32_DEBUGCTL provides a mechanism for capturing records of taken branches, interrupts, and exceptions and saving them in the last branch record (LBR) stack MSRs, setting the TR flag for sending them out onto the system bus as BTMs. The branch trace store (BTS) mechanism provides the additional capability of saving the branch records in a memory-resident BTS buffer, which is part of the DS save area. The BTS buffer can be configured to be circular so that the most recent branch records are always available or it can be configured to generate an interrupt when the buffer is nearly full so that all the branch records can be saved. The BTINT flag (bit 8) can be used to enable the generation of interrupt when the BTS buffer is full. See Section 18.4.9.2, “Setting Up the DS Save Area,” for additional details.

Setting this flag (BTS) alone can greatly reduce the performance of the processor. CPL-qualified branch trace storing mechanism can help mitigate the performance impact of sending/logging branch trace messages.

18.4.6 CPL-Qualified Branch Trace Mechanism

CPL-qualified branch trace mechanism is available to a subset of Intel 64 and IA-32 processors that support the branch trace storing mechanism. The processor supports the CPL-qualified branch trace mechanism if `CPUID.01H:ECX[bit 4] = 1`.

The CPL-qualified branch trace mechanism is described in Section 18.4.9.4. System software can selectively specify CPL qualification to not send/store Branch Trace Messages associated with a specified privilege level. Two bit fields, `BTS_OFF_USR` (bit 10) and `BTS_OFF_OS` (bit 9), are provided in the debug control register to specify the CPL of BTMs that will not be logged in the BTS buffer or sent on the bus.

18.4.7 Freezing LBR and Performance Counters on PMI

Many issues may generate a performance monitoring interrupt (PMI); a PMI service handler will need to determine cause to handle the situation. Two capabilities that allow a PMI service routine to improve branch tracing and performance monitoring are available for processors supporting architectural performance monitoring version 2 or

greater (i.e., CPUID.0AH:EAX[7:0] > 1). These capabilities provides the following interface in IA32_DEBUGCTL to reduce runtime overhead of PMI servicing, profiler-contributed skew effects on analysis or counter metrics:

- **Freezing LBRs on PMI (bit 11)**— Allows the PMI service routine to ensure the content in the LBR stack are associated with the target workload and not polluted by the branch flows of handling the PMI. Depending on the version ID enumerated by CPUID.0AH:EAX.ArchPerfMonVerID[bits 7:0], two flavors are supported:
 - Legacy Freeze_LBR_on_PMI is supported for ArchPerfMonVerID <= 3 and ArchPerfMonVerID >1. If IA32_DEBUGCTL.Freeze_LBR_On_PMI = 1, the LBR is frozen on the overflowed condition of the buffer area, the processor clears the LBR bit (bit 0) in IA32_DEBUGCTL. Software must then re-enable IA32_DEBUGCTL.LBR to resume recording branches. When using this feature, software should be careful about writes to IA32_DEBUGCTL to avoid re-enabling LBRs by accident if they were just disabled.
 - Streamlined Freeze_LBR_on_PMI is supported for ArchPerfMonVerID >= 4. If IA32_DEBUGCTL.Freeze_LBR_On_PMI = 1, the processor behaves as follows:
 - sets IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS.LBR_Frz =1 to disable recording, but does not change the LBR bit (bit 0) in IA32_DEBUGCTL. The LBRs are frozen on the overflowed condition of the buffer area.
- **Freezing PMCs on PMI (bit 12)** — Allows the PMI service routine to ensure the content in the performance counters are associated with the target workload and not polluted by the PMI and activities within the PMI service routine. Depending on the version ID enumerated by CPUID.0AH:EAX.ArchPerfMonVerID[bits 7:0], two flavors are supported:
 - Legacy Freeze_Perfmon_on_PMI is supported for ArchPerfMonVerID <= 3 and ArchPerfMonVerID >1. If IA32_DEBUGCTL.Freeze_Perfmon_On_PMI = 1, the performance counters are frozen on the counter overflowed condition when the processor clears the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL MSR (see Figure 20-3). The PMCs affected include both general-purpose counters and fixed-function counters (see Section 20.6.2.1, “Fixed-function Performance Counters”). Software must re-enable counts by writing 1s to the corresponding enable bits in IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL before leaving a PMI service routine to continue counter operation.
 - Streamlined Freeze_Perfmon_on_PMI is supported for ArchPerfMonVerID >= 4. The processor behaves as follows:
 - sets IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS.CTR_Frz =1 to disable counting on a counter overflow condition, but does not change the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL MSR.

Freezing LBRs and PMCs on PMIs (both legacy and streamlined operation) occur when one of the following applies:

- A performance counter had an overflow and was programmed to signal a PMI in case of an overflow.
 - For the general-purpose counters; enabling PMI is done by setting bit 20 of the IA32_PERFEVTSELx register.
 - For the fixed-function counters; enabling PMI is done by setting the 3rd bit in the corresponding 4-bit control field of the MSR_PERF_FIXED_CTR_CTRL register (see Figure 20-1) or IA32_FIXED_CTR_CTRL MSR (see Figure 20-2).
- The PEBS buffer is almost full and reaches the interrupt threshold.
- The BTS buffer is almost full and reaches the interrupt threshold.

Table 18-3 compares the interaction of the processor with the PMI handler using the legacy versus streamlined Freeza_Perfmon_On_PMI interface.

Table 18-3. Legacy and Streamlined Operation with Freeze_Perfmon_On_PMI = 1, Counter Overflowed

Legacy Freeze_Perfmon_On_PMI	Streamlined Freeze_Perfmon_On_PMI	Comment
Processor freezes the counters on overflow	Processor freezes the counters on overflow	Unchanged
Processor clears IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Processor set IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS.CTR_FTZ	
Handler reads IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS(0x38E) to examine which counter(s) overflowed	mask = RDMSR(0x38E)	Similar
Handler services the PMI	Handler services the PMI	Unchanged
Handler writes 1s to IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTL (0x390)	Handler writes mask into IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_RESET (0x390)	
Processor clears IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Processor clears IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Unchanged
Handler re-enables IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	None	Reduced software overhead

18.4.8 LBR Stack

The last branch record stack and top-of-stack (TOS) pointer MSRs are supported across Intel 64 and IA-32 processor families. However, the number of MSRs in the LBR stack and the valid range of TOS pointer value can vary between different processor families. Table 18-4 lists the LBR stack size and TOS pointer range for several processor families according to the CPUID signatures of DisplayFamily_DisplayModel encoding (see the CPUID instruction in Chapter 3 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A).

Table 18-4. LBR Stack Size and TOS Pointer Range

DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Size of LBR Stack	Component of an LBR Entry	Range of TOS Pointer
06_5CH, 06_5FH	32	FROM_IP, TO_IP	0 to 31
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_55H, 06_66H, 06_7AH, 06_67H, 06_6AH, 06_6CH, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_A5H, 06_A6H, 06_A7H, 06_A8H, 06_86H, 06_8AH, 06_96H, 06_9CH	32	FROM_IP, TO_IP, LBR_INFO ¹	0 to 31
06_3DH, 06_47H, 06_4FH, 06_56H, 06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H, 06_3FH, 06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3EH, 06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH, 06_25H, 06_2CH, 06_2FH	16	FROM_IP, TO_IP	0 to 15
06_17H, 06_1DH, 06_0FH	4	FROM_IP, TO_IP	0 to 3
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4CH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	8	FROM_IP, TO_IP	0 to 7

NOTES:

1. See Section 18.12.

The last branch recording mechanism tracks not only branch instructions (e.g., JMP, Jcc, LOOP, and CALL instructions), but also other operations that cause a change in the instruction pointer (e.g., external interrupts, traps, and faults). The branch recording mechanisms generally employ a set of MSRs, referred to as last branch record (LBR) stack. The size and exact locations of the LBR stack are generally model-specific (see Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4, for model-specific MSR addresses).

- **Last Branch Record (LBR) Stack** — The LBR consists of N pairs of MSRs (N is listed in the LBR stack size column of Table 18-4) that store source and destination address of recent branches (see Figure 18-3):
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (address is model specific) through the next consecutive (N-1) MSR address store source addresses.
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP (address is model specific) through the next consecutive (N-1) MSR address store destination addresses.
- **Last Branch Record Top-of-Stack (TOS) Pointer** — The lowest significant M bits of the TOS Pointer MSR (MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS, address is model specific) contains an M-bit pointer to the MSR in the LBR stack that contains the most recent branch, interrupt, or exception recorded. The valid range of the M-bit POS pointer is given in Table 18-4.

18.4.8.1 LBR Stack and Intel® 64 Processors

LBR MSRs are 64-bits. In 64-bit mode, last branch records store the full address. Outside of 64-bit mode, the upper 32-bits of branch addresses will be stored as 0.

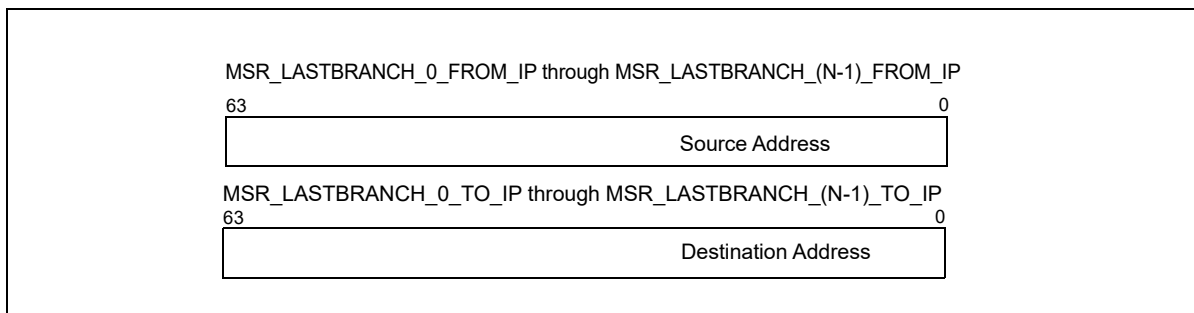


Figure 18-4. 64-bit Address Layout of LBR MSR

Software should query an architectural MSR IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[5:0] about the format of the address that is stored in the LBR stack. Four formats are defined by the following encoding:

- **000000B (32-bit record format)** — Stores 32-bit offset in current CS of respective source/destination,
- **000001B (64-bit LIP record format)** — Stores 64-bit linear address of respective source/destination,
- **000010B (64-bit EIP record format)** — Stores 64-bit offset (effective address) of respective source/destination.
- **000011B (64-bit EIP record format) and Flags** — Stores 64-bit offset (effective address) of respective source/destination. Misprediction info is reported in the upper bit of 'FROM' registers in the LBR stack. See LBR stack details below for flag support and definition.
- **000100B (64-bit EIP record format), Flags, and TSX** — Stores 64-bit offset (effective address) of respective source/destination. Misprediction and TSX info are reported in the upper bits of 'FROM' registers in the LBR stack.
- **000101B (64-bit EIP record format), Flags, TSX, and LBR_INFO** — Stores 64-bit offset (effective address) of respective source/destination. Misprediction, TSX, and elapsed cycles since the last LBR update are reported in the LBR_INFO MSR stack.
- **000110B (64-bit LIP record format), Flags, and Cycles** — Stores 64-bit linear address (CS.Base + effective address) of respective source/destination. Misprediction info is reported in the upper bits of

'FROM' registers in the LBR stack. Elapsed cycles since the last LBR update are reported in the upper 16 bits of the 'TO' registers in the LBR stack (see Section 18.6).

- **000111B (64-bit LIP record format), Flags, and LBR_INFO** — Stores 64-bit linear address (CS.Base + effective address) of respective source/destination. Misprediction, and elapsed cycles since the last LBR update are reported in the LBR_INFO MSR stack.

Processor's support for the architectural MSR IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES is provided by CPUID.01H:ECX[PERF_CAPAB_MSR] (bit 15).

18.4.8.2 LBR Stack and IA-32 Processors

The LBR MSRs in IA-32 processors introduced prior to Intel 64 architecture store the 32-bit "To Linear Address" and "From Linear Address" using the high and low half of each 64-bit MSR.

18.4.8.3 Last Exception Records and Intel 64 Architecture

Intel 64 and IA-32 processors also provide MSRs that store the branch record for the last branch taken prior to an exception or an interrupt. The location of the last exception record (LER) MSRs are model specific. The MSRs that store last exception records are 64-bits. If IA-32e mode is disabled, only the lower 32-bits of the address is recorded. If IA-32e mode is enabled, the processor writes 64-bit values into the MSR. In 64-bit mode, last exception records store 64-bit addresses; in compatibility mode, the upper 32-bits of last exception records are cleared.

18.4.9 BTS and DS Save Area

The **Debug store (DS)** feature flag (bit 21), returned by CPUID.1:EDX[21] indicates that the processor provides the debug store (DS) mechanism. The DS mechanism allows:

- BTMs to be stored in a memory-resident BTS buffer. See Section 18.4.5, "Branch Trace Store (BTS)."
- Processor event-based sampling (PEBS) also uses the DS save area provided by debug store mechanism. The capability of PEBS varies across different microarchitectures. See Section 20.6.2.4, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)," and the relevant PEBS sub-sections across the core PMU sections in Chapter 20, "Performance Monitoring."

When CPUID.1:EDX[21] is set:

- The BTS_UNAVAILABLE and PEBS_UNAVAILABLE flags in the IA32_MISC_ENABLE MSR indicate (when clear) the availability of the BTS and PEBS facilities, including the ability to set the BTS and BTINT bits in the appropriate DEBUGCTL MSR.
- The IA32_DS_AREA MSR exists and points to the DS save area.

The debug store (DS) save area is a software-designated area of memory that is used to collect the following two types of information:

- **Branch records** — When the BTS flag in the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR is set, a branch record is stored in the BTS buffer in the DS save area whenever a taken branch, interrupt, or exception is detected.
- **PEBS records** — When a performance counter is configured for PEBS, a PEBS record is stored in the PEBS buffer in the DS save area after the counter overflow occurs. This record contains the architectural state of the processor (state of the 8 general purpose registers, EIP register, and EFLAGS register) at the next occurrence of the PEBS event that caused the counter to overflow. When the state information has been logged, the counter is automatically reset to a specified value, and event counting begins again. The content layout of a PEBS record varies across different implementations that support PEBS. See Section 20.6.2.4.2 for details of enumerating PEBS record format.

NOTES

Prior to processors based on the Goldmont microarchitecture, PEBS facility only supports a subset of implementation-specific precise events. See Section 20.5.3.1 for a PEBS enhancement that can generate records for both precise and non-precise events.

The DS save area and recording mechanism are disabled on INIT, processor Reset or transition to system-management mode (SMM) or IA-32e mode. It is similarly disabled on the generation of a machine-check exception on 45nm and 32nm Intel Atom processors and on processors with Netburst or Intel Core microarchitecture.

The BTS and PEBS facilities may not be available on all processors. The availability of these facilities is indicated by the `BTS_UNAVAILABLE` and `PEBS_UNAVAILABLE` flags, respectively, in the `IA32_MISC_ENABLE` MSR (see Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4).

The DS save area is divided into three parts: buffer management area, branch trace store (BTS) buffer, and PEBS buffer (see Figure 18-5). The buffer management area is used to define the location and size of the BTS and PEBS buffers. The processor then uses the buffer management area to keep track of the branch and/or PEBS records in their respective buffers and to record the performance counter reset value. The linear address of the first byte of the DS buffer management area is specified with the `IA32_DS_AREA` MSR.

The fields in the buffer management area are as follows:

- **BTS buffer base** — Linear address of the first byte of the BTS buffer. This address should point to a natural doubleword boundary.
- **BTS index** — Linear address of the first byte of the next BTS record to be written to. Initially, this address should be the same as the address in the BTS buffer base field.
- **BTS absolute maximum** — Linear address of the next byte past the end of the BTS buffer. This address should be a multiple of the BTS record size (12 bytes) plus 1.
- **BTS interrupt threshold** — Linear address of the BTS record on which an interrupt is to be generated. This address must point to an offset from the BTS buffer base that is a multiple of the BTS record size. Also, it must be several records short of the BTS absolute maximum address to allow a pending interrupt to be handled prior to processor writing the BTS absolute maximum record.
- **PEBS buffer base** — Linear address of the first byte of the PEBS buffer. This address should point to a natural doubleword boundary.
- **PEBS index** — Linear address of the first byte of the next PEBS record to be written to. Initially, this address should be the same as the address in the PEBS buffer base field.
- **PEBS absolute maximum** — Linear address of the next byte past the end of the PEBS buffer. This address should be a multiple of the PEBS record size (40 bytes) plus 1.
- **PEBS interrupt threshold** — Linear address of the PEBS record on which an interrupt is to be generated. This address must point to an offset from the PEBS buffer base that is a multiple of the PEBS record size. Also, it must be several records short of the PEBS absolute maximum address to allow a pending interrupt to be handled prior to processor writing the PEBS absolute maximum record.
- **PEBS counter reset value** — A 64-bit value that the counter is to be set to when a PEBS record is written. Bits beyond the size of the counter are ignored. This value allows state information to be collected regularly every time the specified number of events occur.

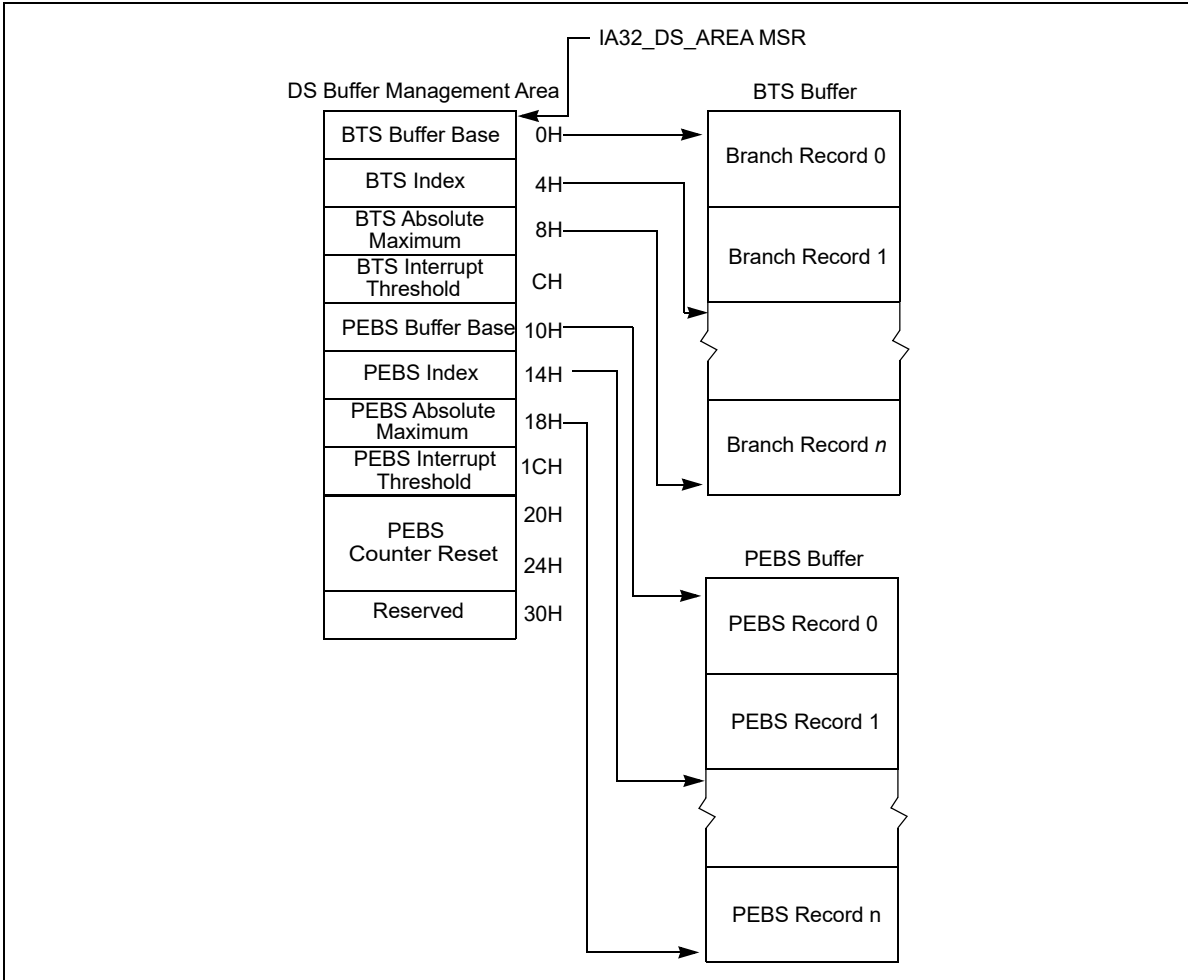


Figure 18-5. DS Save Area Example¹

NOTES:

1. This example represents the format for a system that supports PEBS on only one counter.

Figure 18-6 shows the structure of a 12-byte branch record in the BTS buffer. The fields in each record are as follows:

- **Last branch from** — Linear address of the instruction from which the branch, interrupt, or exception was taken.
- **Last branch to** — Linear address of the branch target or the first instruction in the interrupt or exception service routine.
- **Branch predicted** — Bit 4 of field indicates whether the branch that was taken was predicted (set) or not predicted (clear).

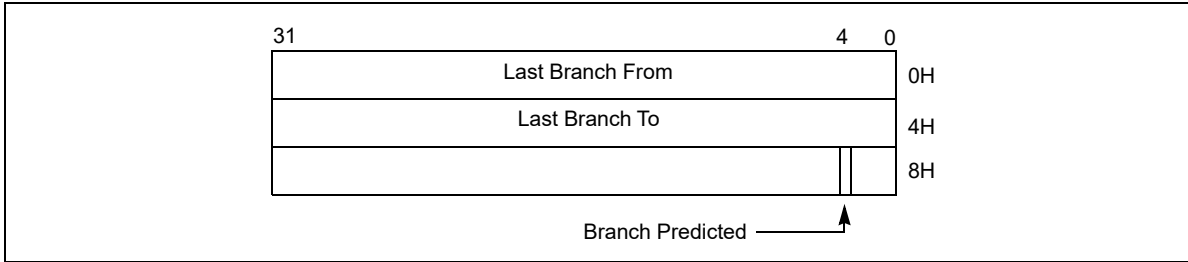


Figure 18-6. 32-bit Branch Trace Record Format

Figure 18-7 shows the structure of the 40-byte PEBS records. Nominally the register values are those at the beginning of the instruction that caused the event. However, there are cases where the registers may be logged in a partially modified state. The linear IP field shows the value in the EIP register translated from an offset into the current code segment to a linear address.

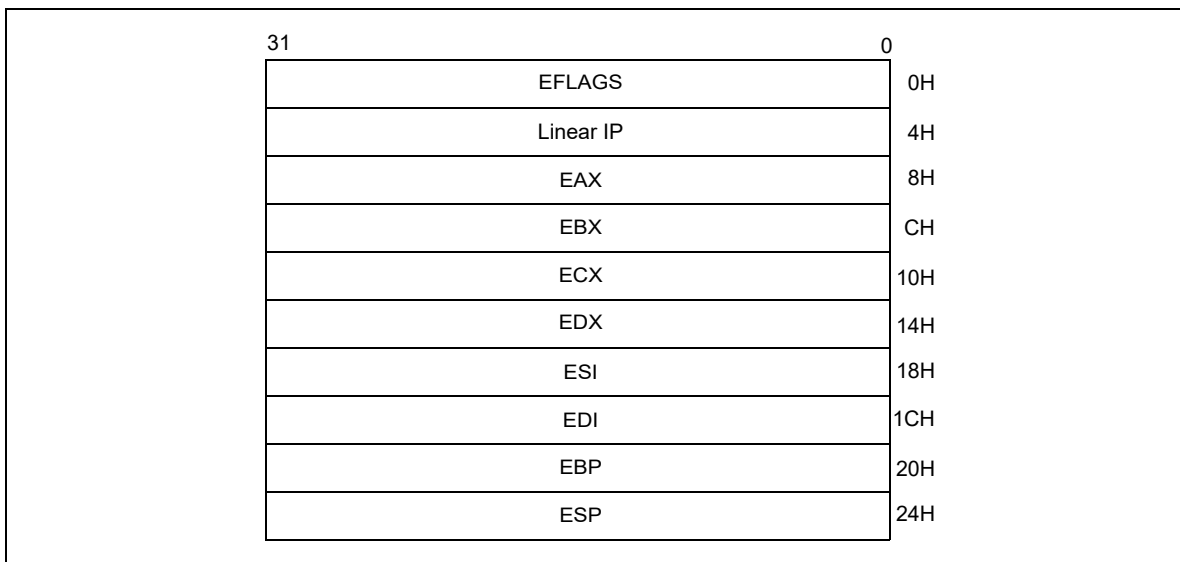


Figure 18-7. PEBS Record Format

18.4.9.1 64 Bit Format of the DS Save Area

When DTES64 = 1 (CPUID.1.ECX[2] = 1), the structure of the DS save area is shown in Figure 18-8.

When DTES64 = 0 (CPUID.1.ECX[2] = 0) and IA-32e mode is active, the structure of the DS save area is shown in Figure 18-8. If IA-32e mode is not active the structure of the DS save area is as shown in Figure 18-5.

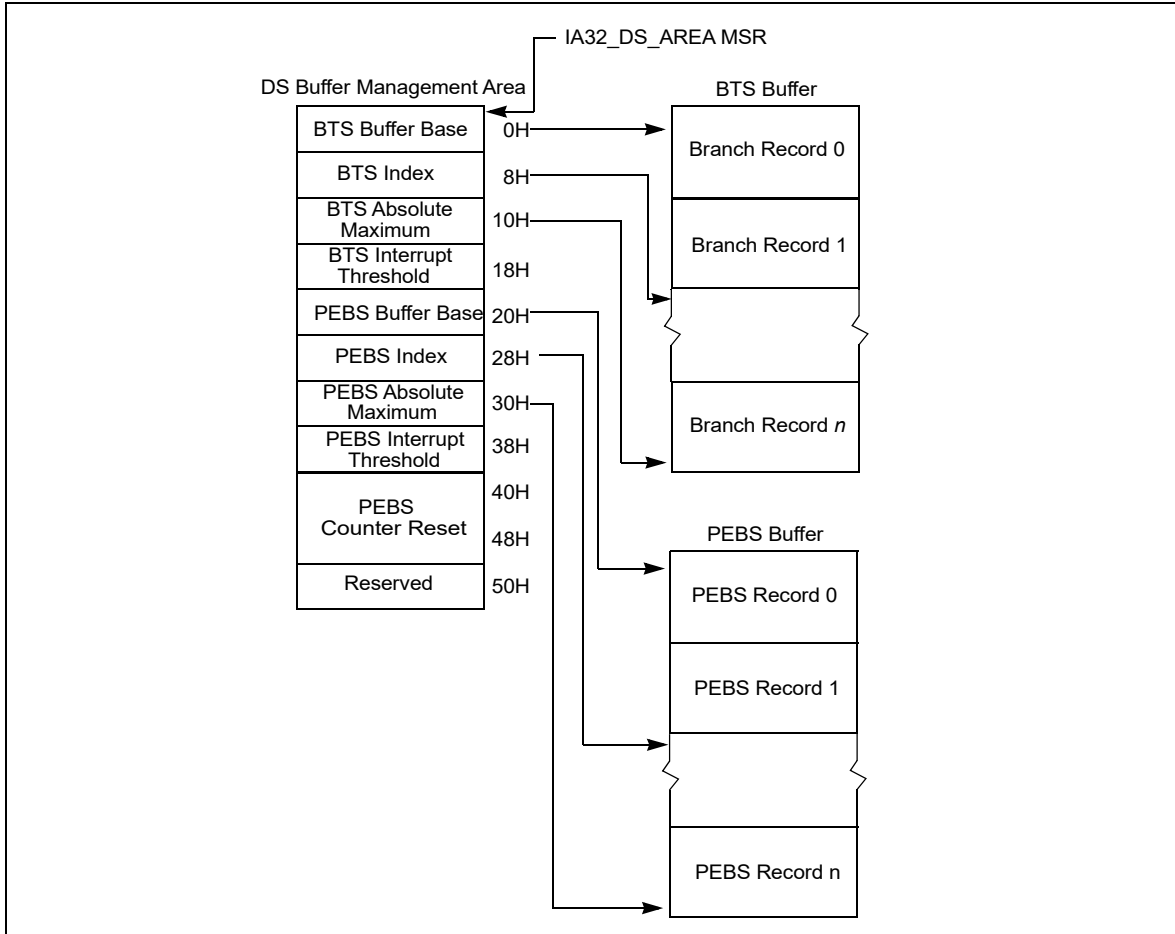


Figure 18-8. IA-32e Mode DS Save Area Example¹

NOTES:

1. This example represents the format for a system that supports PEBS on only one counter.

The IA32_DS_AREA MSR holds the 64-bit linear address of the first byte of the DS buffer management area. The structure of a branch trace record is similar to that shown in Figure 18-6, but each field is 8 bytes in length. This makes each BTS record 24 bytes (see Figure 18-9). The structure of a PEBS record is similar to that shown in Figure 18-7, but each field is 8 bytes in length and architectural states include register R8 through R15. This makes the size of a PEBS record in 64-bit mode 144 bytes (see Figure 18-10).

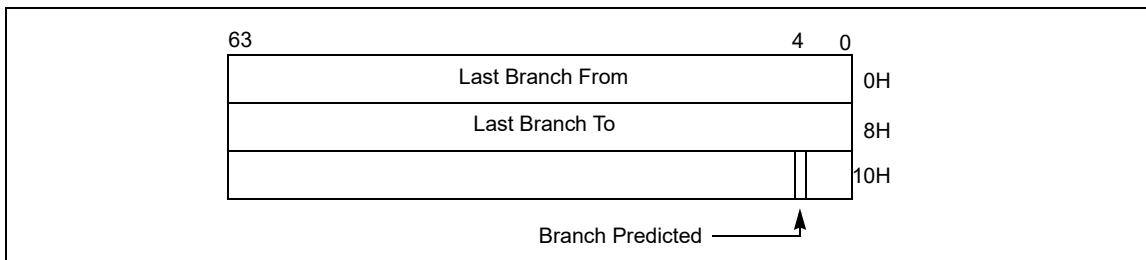


Figure 18-9. 64-bit Branch Trace Record Format

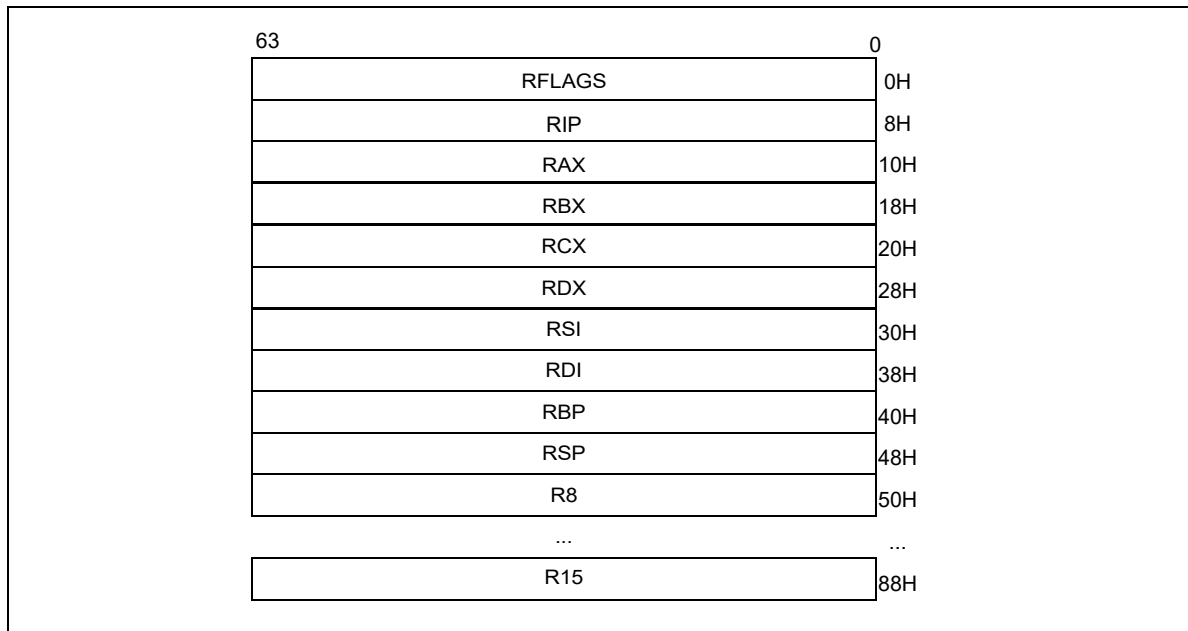


Figure 18-10. 64-bit PEBS Record Format

Fields in the buffer management area of a DS save area are described in Section 18.4.9.

The format of a branch trace record and a PEBS record are the same as the 64-bit record formats shown in Figures 18-9 and Figures 18-10, with the exception that the branch predicted bit is not supported by Intel Core microarchitecture or Intel Atom microarchitecture. The 64-bit record formats for BTS and PEBS apply to DS save area for all operating modes.

The procedures used to program IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR to set up a BTS buffer or a CPL-qualified BTS are described in Section 18.4.9.3 and Section 18.4.9.4.

Required elements for writing a DS interrupt service routine are largely the same on processors that support using DS Save area for BTS or PEBS records. However, on processors based on Intel NetBurst® microarchitecture, re-enabling counting requires writing to CCCRs. But a DS interrupt service routine on processors supporting architectural performance monitoring should:

- Re-enable the enable bits in IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL MSR if it is servicing an overflow PMI due to PEBS.
- Clear overflow indications by writing to IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL when a counting configuration is changed. This includes bit 62 (ClrOvfBuffer) and the overflow indication of counters used in either PEBS or general-purpose counting (specifically: bits 0 or 1; see Figures 20-3).

18.4.9.2 Setting Up the DS Save Area

To save branch records with the BTS buffer, the DS save area must first be set up in memory as described in the following procedure (See Section 20.6.2.4.1, “Setting up the PEBS Buffer,” for instructions for setting up a PEBS buffer, respectively, in the DS save area):

1. Create the DS buffer management information area in memory (see Section 18.4.9, “BTS and DS Save Area,” and Section 18.4.9.1, “64 Bit Format of the DS Save Area”). Also see the additional notes in this section.
2. Write the base linear address of the DS buffer management area into the IA32_DS_AREA MSR.
3. Set up the performance counter entry in the xAPIC LVT for fixed delivery and edge sensitive. See Section 11.5.1, “Local Vector Table.”
4. Establish an interrupt handler in the IDT for the vector associated with the performance counter entry in the xAPIC LVT.

5. Write an interrupt service routine to handle the interrupt. See Section 18.4.9.5, “Writing the DS Interrupt Service Routine.”

The following restrictions should be applied to the DS save area.

- The recording of branch records in the BTS buffer (or PEBS records in the PEBS buffer) may not operate properly if accesses to the linear addresses in any of the three DS save area sections cause page faults, VM exits, or the setting of accessed or dirty flags in the paging structures (ordinary or EPT). For that reason, system software should establish paging structures (both ordinary and EPT) to prevent such occurrences. Implications of this may be that an operating system should allocate this memory from a non-paged pool and that system software cannot do “lazy” page-table entry propagation for these pages. Some newer processor generations support “lazy” EPT page-table entry propagation for PEBS; see Section 20.3.9.1 and Section 20.9.5 for more information. A virtual-machine monitor may choose to allow use of PEBS by guest software only if EPT maps all guest-physical memory as present and read/write.
- The DS save area can be larger than a page, but the pages must be mapped to contiguous linear addresses. The buffer may share a page, so it need not be aligned on a 4-KByte boundary. For performance reasons, the base of the buffer must be aligned on a doubleword boundary and should be aligned on a cache line boundary.
- It is recommended that the buffer size for the BTS buffer and the PEBS buffer be an integer multiple of the corresponding record sizes.
- The precise event records buffer should be large enough to hold the number of precise event records that can occur while waiting for the interrupt to be serviced.
- The DS save area should be in kernel space. It must not be on the same page as code, to avoid triggering self-modifying code actions.
- There are no memory type restrictions on the buffers, although it is recommended that the buffers be designated as WB memory type for performance considerations.
- Either the system must be prevented from entering A20M mode while DS save area is active, or bit 20 of all addresses within buffer bounds must be 0.
- Pages that contain buffers must be mapped to the same physical addresses for all processes, such that any change to control register CR3 will not change the DS addresses.
- The DS save area is expected to be used only on systems with an enabled APIC. The LVT Performance Counter entry in the APCI must be initialized to use an interrupt gate instead of the trap gate.

18.4.9.3 Setting Up the BTS Buffer

Three flags in the MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR (see Table 18-5), IA32_DEBUGCTL (see Figure 18-3), or MSR_DEBUGCTLB (see Figure 18-16) control the generation of branch records and storing of them in the BTS buffer; these are TR, BTS, and BTINT. The TR flag enables the generation of BTMs. The BTS flag determines whether the BTMs are sent out on the system bus (clear) or stored in the BTS buffer (set). BTMs cannot be simultaneously sent to the system bus and logged in the BTS buffer. The BTINT flag enables the generation of an interrupt when the BTS buffer is full. When this flag is clear, the BTS buffer is a circular buffer.

Table 18-5. IA32_DEBUGCTL Flag Encodings

TR	BTS	BTINT	Description
0	X	X	Branch trace messages (BTMs) off
1	0	X	Generate BTMs
1	1	0	Store BTMs in the BTS buffer, used here as a circular buffer
1	1	1	Store BTMs in the BTS buffer, and generate an interrupt when the buffer is nearly full

The following procedure describes how to set up a DS Save area to collect branch records in the BTS buffer:

1. Place values in the BTS buffer base, BTS index, BTS absolute maximum, and BTS interrupt threshold fields of the DS buffer management area to set up the BTS buffer in memory.
2. Set the TR and BTS flags in the IA32_DEBUGCTL for Intel Core Solo and Intel Core Duo processors or later processors (or MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR for processors based on Intel NetBurst Microarchitecture; or MSR_DEBUGCTLB for Pentium M processors).

- Clear the BTINT flag in the corresponding IA32_DEBUGCTL (or MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR; or MSR_DEBUGCTLB) if a circular BTS buffer is desired.

NOTES

If the buffer size is set to less than the minimum allowable value (i.e., BTS absolute maximum < 1 + size of BTS record), the results of BTS is undefined.

In order to prevent generating an interrupt, when working with circular BTS buffer, SW need to set BTS interrupt threshold to a value greater than BTS absolute maximum (fields of the DS buffer management area). It's not enough to clear the BTINT flag itself only.

18.4.9.4 Setting Up CPL-Qualified BTS

If the processor supports CPL-qualified last branch recording mechanism, the generation of branch records and storing of them in the BTS buffer are determined by: TR, BTS, BTS_OFF_OS, BTS_OFF_USR, and BTINT. The encoding of these five bits are shown in Table 18-6.

Table 18-6. CPL-Qualified Branch Trace Store Encodings

TR	BTS	BTS_OFF_OS	BTS_OFF_USR	BTINT	Description
0	X	X	X	X	Branch trace messages (BTMs) off
1	0	X	X	X	Generates BTMs but do not store BTMs
1	1	0	0	0	Store all BTMs in the BTS buffer, used here as a circular buffer
1	1	1	0	0	Store BTMs with CPL > 0 in the BTS buffer
1	1	0	1	0	Store BTMs with CPL = 0 in the BTS buffer
1	1	1	1	X	Generate BTMs but do not store BTMs
1	1	0	0	1	Store all BTMs in the BTS buffer; generate an interrupt when the buffer is nearly full
1	1	1	0	1	Store BTMs with CPL > 0 in the BTS buffer; generate an interrupt when the buffer is nearly full
1	1	0	1	1	Store BTMs with CPL = 0 in the BTS buffer; generate an interrupt when the buffer is nearly full

18.4.9.5 Writing the DS Interrupt Service Routine

The BTS, non-precise event-based sampling, and PEBS facilities share the same interrupt vector and interrupt service routine (called the debug store interrupt service routine or DS ISR). To handle BTS, non-precise event-based sampling, and PEBS interrupts: separate handler routines must be included in the DS ISR. Use the following guidelines when writing a DS ISR to handle BTS, non-precise event-based sampling, and/or PEBS interrupts.

- The DS interrupt service routine (ISR) must be part of a kernel driver and operate at a current privilege level of 0 to secure the buffer storage area.
- Because the BTS, non-precise event-based sampling, and PEBS facilities share the same interrupt vector, the DS ISR must check for all the possible causes of interrupts from these facilities and pass control on to the appropriate handler.

BTS and PEBS buffer overflow would be the sources of the interrupt if the buffer index matches/exceeds the interrupt threshold specified. Detection of non-precise event-based sampling as the source of the interrupt is accomplished by checking for counter overflow.

- There must be separate save areas, buffers, and state for each processor in an MP system.
- Upon entering the ISR, branch trace messages and PEBS should be disabled to prevent race conditions during access to the DS save area. This is done by clearing TR flag in the IA32_DEBUGCTL (or MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR) and by clearing the precise event enable flag in the MSR_PEBS_ENABLE MSR. These settings should be restored to their original values when exiting the ISR.

- The processor will not disable the DS save area when the buffer is full and the circular mode has not been selected. The current DS setting must be retained and restored by the ISR on exit.
- After reading the data in the appropriate buffer, up to but not including the current index into the buffer, the ISR must reset the buffer index to the beginning of the buffer. Otherwise, everything up to the index will look like new entries upon the next invocation of the ISR.
- The ISR must clear the mask bit in the performance counter LVT entry.
- The ISR must re-enable the counters to count via IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL/IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL if it is servicing an overflow PMI due to PEBS (or via CCCR's ENABLE bit on processor based on Intel NetBurst microarchitecture).
- The Pentium 4 Processor and Intel Xeon Processor mask PMIs upon receiving an interrupt. Clear this condition before leaving the interrupt handler.

18.5 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING (INTEL® CORE™ 2 DUO AND INTEL ATOM® PROCESSORS)

The Intel Core 2 Duo processor family and Intel Xeon processors based on Intel Core microarchitecture or enhanced Intel Core microarchitecture provide last branch interrupt and exception recording. The facilities described in this section also apply to 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom processors. These capabilities are similar to those found in Pentium 4 processors, including support for the following facilities:

- **Debug Trace and Branch Recording Control** — The IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR provide bit fields for software to configure mechanisms related to debug trace, branch recording, branch trace store, and performance counter operations. See Section 18.4.1 for a description of the flags. See Figure 18-3 for the MSR layout.
- **Last branch record (LBR) stack** — There are a collection of MSR pairs that store the source and destination addresses related to recently executed branches. See Section 18.5.1.
- **Monitoring and single-stepping of branches, exceptions, and interrupts**
 - See Section 18.4.2 and Section 18.4.3. In addition, the ability to freeze the LBR stack on a PMI request is available.
 - 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom processors clear the TR flag when the FREEZE_LBRS_ON_PMI flag is set.
- **Branch trace messages** — See Section 18.4.4.
- **Last exception records** — See Section 18.13.3.
- **Branch trace store and CPL-qualified BTS** — See Section 18.4.5.
- **FREEZE_LBRS_ON_PMI flag (bit 11)** — see Section 18.4.7 for legacy Freeze_LBRs_On_PMI operation.
- **FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI flag (bit 12)** — see Section 18.4.7 for legacy Freeze_Perfmon_On_PMI operation.
- **FREEZE_WHILE_SMM (bit 14)** — FREEZE_WHILE_SMM is supported if IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES.FREEZE_WHILE_SMM[Bit 12] is reporting 1. See Section 18.4.1.

18.5.1 LBR Stack

The last branch record stack and top-of-stack (TOS) pointer MSRs are supported across Intel Core 2, Intel Atom processor families, and Intel processors based on Intel NetBurst microarchitecture.

Four pairs of MSRs are supported in the LBR stack for Intel Core 2 processors families and Intel processors based on Intel NetBurst microarchitecture:

- **Last Branch Record (LBR) Stack**
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (address 40H) through MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP (address 43H) store source addresses
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP (address 60H) through MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP (address 63H) store destination addresses

- **Last Branch Record Top-of-Stack (TOS) Pointer** — The lowest significant 2 bits of the TOS Pointer MSR (MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS, address 1C9H) contains a pointer to the MSR in the LBR stack that contains the most recent branch, interrupt, or exception recorded.

Eight pairs of MSRs are supported in the LBR stack for 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom processors:

- **Last Branch Record (LBR) Stack**
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (address 40H) through MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP (address 47H) store source addresses
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP (address 60H) through MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP (address 67H) store destination addresses
- **Last Branch Record Top-of-Stack (TOS) Pointer** — The lowest significant 3 bits of the TOS Pointer MSR (MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS, address 1C9H) contains a pointer to the MSR in the LBR stack that contains the most recent branch, interrupt, or exception recorded.

The address format written in the FROM_IP/TO_IP MSRS may differ between processors. Software should query IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[5:0] and consult Section 18.4.8.1. The behavior of the MSR_LER_TO_LIP and the MSR_LER_FROM_LIP MSRs corresponds to that of the LastExceptionToIP and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs found in P6 family processors.

18.5.2 LBR Stack in Intel Atom® Processors based on the Silvermont Microarchitecture

The last branch record stack and top-of-stack (TOS) pointer MSRs are supported in Intel Atom processors based on the Silvermont and Airmont microarchitectures. Eight pairs of MSRs are supported in the LBR stack.

LBR filtering is supported. Filtering of LBRs based on a combination of CPL and branch type conditions is supported. When LBR filtering is enabled, the LBR stack only captures the subset of branches that are specified by MSR_LBR_SELECT. The layout of MSR_LBR_SELECT is described in Table 18-11.

18.6 LAST BRANCH, CALL STACK, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING FOR PROCESSORS BASED ON GOLDMONT MICROARCHITECTURE

Processors based on the Goldmont microarchitecture extend the capabilities described in Section 18.5.2 with the following enhancements:

- Supports new LBR format encoding 00110b in IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[5:0].
- Size of LBR stack increased to 32. Each entry includes MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_FROM_IP (address 0x680..0x69f) and MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_TO_IP (address 0x6c0..0x6df).
- LBR call stack filtering supported. The layout of MSR_LBR_SELECT is described in Table 18-13.
- Elapsed cycle information is added to MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_TO_IP. Format is shown in Table 18-7.
- Misprediction info is reported in the upper bits of MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_FROM_IP. MISRPRED bit format is shown in Table 18-8.
- Streamlined Freeze_LBRs_On_PMI operation; see Section 18.12.2.
- LBR MSRs may be cleared when MWAIT is used to request a C-state that is numerically higher than C1; see Section 18.12.3.

Table 18-7. MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_TO_IP for the Goldmont Microarchitecture

Bit Field	Bit Offset	Access	Description
Data	47:0	R/W	This is the “branch to” address. See Section 18.4.8.1 for address format.
Cycle Count (Saturating)	63:48	R/W	Elapsed core clocks since last update to the LBR stack.

18.7 LAST BRANCH, CALL STACK, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING FOR PROCESSORS BASED ON GOLDMONT PLUS MICROARCHITECTURE

Next generation Intel Atom processors are based on the Goldmont Plus microarchitecture. Processors based on the Goldmont Plus microarchitecture extend the capabilities described in Section 18.6 with the following changes:

- Enumeration of new LBR format: encoding 00111b in IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[5:0] is supported, see Section 18.4.8.1.
- Each LBR stack entry consists of three MSRs:
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_FROM_IP, the layout is simplified, see Table 18-9.
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_TO_IP, the layout is the same as Table 18-9.
 - MSR_LBR_INFO_x, stores branch prediction flag, TSX info, and elapsed cycle data. Layout is the same as Table 18-16.

18.8 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING FOR INTEL® XEON PHI™ PROCESSOR 7200/5200/3200

The last branch record stack and top-of-stack (TOS) pointer MSRs are supported in the Intel® Xeon Phi™ processor 7200/5200/3200 series based on the Knights Landing microarchitecture. Eight pairs of MSRs are supported in the LBR stack, per thread:

- **Last Branch Record (LBR) Stack**
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (address 680H) through MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP (address 687H) store source addresses.
 - MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP (address 6C0H) through MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP (address 6C7H) store destination addresses.
- **Last Branch Record Top-of-Stack (TOS) Pointer** — The lowest significant 3 bits of the TOS Pointer MSR (MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS, address 1C9H) contains a pointer to the MSR in the LBR stack that contains the most recent branch, interrupt, or exception recorded.

LBR filtering is supported. Filtering of LBRs based on a combination of CPL and branch type conditions is supported. When LBR filtering is enabled, the LBR stack only captures the subset of branches that are specified by MSR_LBR_SELECT. The layout of MSR_LBR_SELECT is described in Table 18-11.

The address format written in the FROM_IP/TO_IP MSRS may differ between processors. Software should query IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[5:0] and consult Section 18.4.8.1. The behavior of the MSR_LER_TO_LIP and the MSR_LER_FROM_LIP MSRs corresponds to that of the LastExceptionToIP and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs found in the P6 family processors.

18.9 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING FOR PROCESSORS BASED ON NEHALEM MICROARCHITECTURE

The processors based on Nehalem microarchitecture and Westmere microarchitecture support last branch interrupt and exception recording. These capabilities are similar to those found in Intel Core 2 processors and add additional capabilities:

- **Debug Trace and Branch Recording Control** — The IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR provides bit fields for software to configure mechanisms related to debug trace, branch recording, branch trace store, and performance counter operations. See Section 18.4.1 for a description of the flags. See Figure 18-11 for the MSR layout.
- **Last branch record (LBR) stack** — There are 16 MSR pairs that store the source and destination addresses related to recently executed branches. See Section 18.9.1.
- **Monitoring and single-stepping of branches, exceptions, and interrupts** — See Section 18.4.2 and Section 18.4.3. In addition, the ability to freeze the LBR stack on a PMI request is available.

- **Branch trace messages** — The IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR provides bit fields for software to enable each logical processor to generate branch trace messages. See Section 18.4.4. However, not all BTM messages are observable using the Intel® QPI link.
- **Last exception records** — See Section 18.13.3.
- **Branch trace store and CPL-qualified BTS** — See Section 18.4.6 and Section 18.4.5.
- **FREEZE_LBRS_ON_PMI flag (bit 11)** — see Section 18.4.7 for legacy Freeze_LBRS_On_PMI operation.
- **FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI flag (bit 12)** — see Section 18.4.7 for legacy Freeze_Perfmon_On_PMI operation.
- **UNCORE_PMI_EN (bit 13)** — When set, this logical processor is enabled to receive an counter overflow interrupt form the uncore.
- **FREEZE_WHILE_SMM (bit 14)** — FREEZE_WHILE_SMM is supported if IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES.FREEZE_WHILE_SMM[Bit 12] is reporting 1. See Section 18.4.1.

Processors based on Nehalem microarchitecture provide additional capabilities:

- **Independent control of uncore PMI** — The IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR provides a bit field (see Figure 18-11) for software to enable each logical processor to receive an uncore counter overflow interrupt.
- **LBR filtering** — Processors based on Nehalem microarchitecture support filtering of LBR based on combination of CPL and branch type conditions. When LBR filtering is enabled, the LBR stack only captures the subset of branches that are specified by MSR_LBR_SELECT.

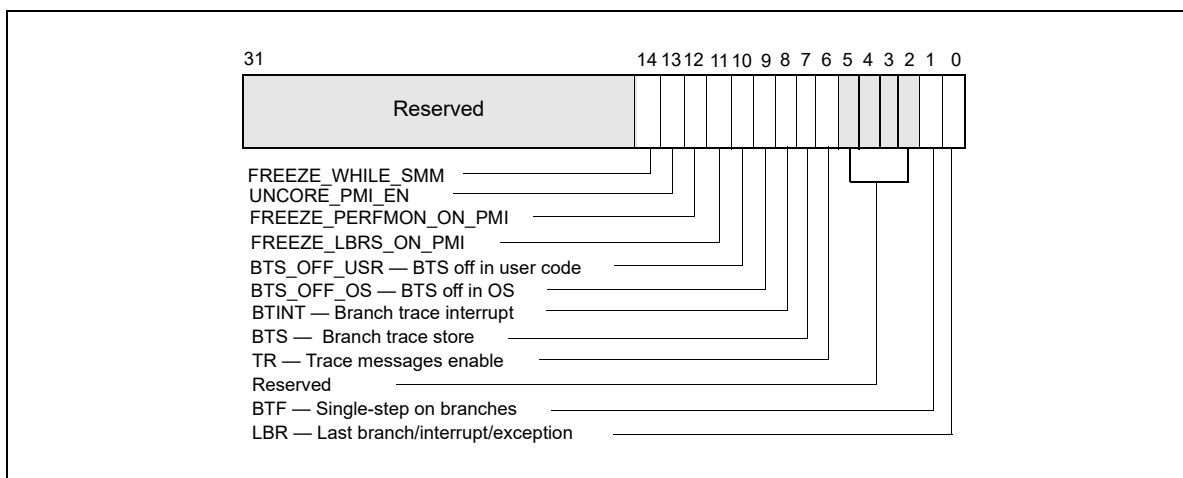


Figure 18-11. IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR for Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture

18.9.1 LBR Stack

Processors based on Nehalem microarchitecture provide 16 pairs of MSR to record last branch record information. The layout of each MSR pair is shown in Table 18-8 and Table 18-9.

Table 18-8. MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_FROM_IP

Bit Field	Bit Offset	Access	Description
Data	47:0	R/W	This is the “branch from” address. See Section 18.4.8.1 for address format.
SIGN_EXT	62:48	R/W	Signed extension of bit 47 of this register.
MISPRED	63	R/W	When set, indicates either the target of the branch was mispredicted and/or the direction (taken/non-taken) was mispredicted; otherwise, the target branch was predicted.

Table 18-9. MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_TO_IP

Bit Field	Bit Offset	Access	Description
Data	47:0	R/W	This is the “branch to” address. See Section 18.4.8.1 for address format
SIGN_EXT	63:48	R/W	Signed extension of bit 47 of this register.

Processors based on Nehalem microarchitecture have an LBR MSR Stack as shown in Table 18-10.

Table 18-10. LBR Stack Size and TOS Pointer Range

DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Size of LBR Stack	Range of TOS Pointer
06_1AH	16	0 to 15

18.9.2 Filtering of Last Branch Records

MSR_LBR_SELECT is cleared to zero at RESET, and LBR filtering is disabled, i.e., all branches will be captured. MSR_LBR_SELECT provides bit fields to specify the conditions of subsets of branches that will not be captured in the LBR. The layout of MSR_LBR_SELECT is shown in Table 18-11.

Table 18-11. MSR_LBR_SELECT for Nehalem Microarchitecture

Bit Field	Bit Offset	Access	Description
CPL_EQ_0	0	R/W	When set, do not capture branches ending in ring 0
CPL_NEQ_0	1	R/W	When set, do not capture branches ending in ring >0
JCC	2	R/W	When set, do not capture conditional branches
NEAR_REL_CALL	3	R/W	When set, do not capture near relative calls
NEAR_IND_CALL	4	R/W	When set, do not capture near indirect calls
NEAR_RET	5	R/W	When set, do not capture near returns
NEAR_IND_JMP	6	R/W	When set, do not capture near indirect jumps
NEAR_REL_JMP	7	R/W	When set, do not capture near relative jumps
FAR_BRANCH	8	R/W	When set, do not capture far branches
Reserved	63:9		Must be zero

18.10 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING FOR PROCESSORS BASED ON SANDY BRIDGE MICROARCHITECTURE

Generally, all of the last branch record, interrupt, and exception recording facility described in Section 18.9, “Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Nehalem Microarchitecture,” apply to processors based on Sandy Bridge microarchitecture. For processors based on Ivy Bridge microarchitecture, the same holds true.

One difference of note is that MSR_LBR_SELECT is shared between two logical processors in the same core. In Sandy Bridge microarchitecture, each logical processor has its own MSR_LBR_SELECT. The filtering semantics for “Near_ind_jmp” and “Near_rel_jmp” has been enhanced, see Table 18-12.

Table 18-12. MSR_LBR_SELECT for Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture

Bit Field	Bit Offset	Access	Description
CPL_EQ_0	0	R/W	When set, do not capture branches ending in ring 0
CPL_NEQ_0	1	R/W	When set, do not capture branches ending in ring >0
JCC	2	R/W	When set, do not capture conditional branches
NEAR_REL_CALL	3	R/W	When set, do not capture near relative calls
NEAR_IND_CALL	4	R/W	When set, do not capture near indirect calls
NEAR_RET	5	R/W	When set, do not capture near returns
NEAR_IND_JMP	6	R/W	When set, do not capture near indirect jumps except near indirect calls and near returns
NEAR_REL_JMP	7	R/W	When set, do not capture near relative jumps except near relative calls.
FAR_BRANCH	8	R/W	When set, do not capture far branches
Reserved	63:9		Must be zero

18.11 LAST BRANCH, CALL STACK, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING FOR PROCESSORS BASED ON HASWELL MICROARCHITECTURE

Generally, all of the last branch record, interrupt, and exception recording facility described in Section 18.10, “Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture,” apply to next generation processors based on Haswell microarchitecture.

The LBR facility also supports an alternate capability to profile call stack profiles. Configuring the LBR facility to conduct call stack profiling is by writing 1 to the MSR_LBR_SELECT.EN_CALLSTACK[bit 9]; see Table 18-13. If MSR_LBR_SELECT.EN_CALLSTACK is clear, the LBR facility will capture branches normally as described in Section 18.10.

Table 18-13. MSR_LBR_SELECT for Haswell Microarchitecture

Bit Field	Bit Offset	Access	Description
CPL_EQ_0	0	R/W	When set, do not capture branches ending in ring 0
CPL_NEQ_0	1	R/W	When set, do not capture branches ending in ring >0
JCC	2	R/W	When set, do not capture conditional branches
NEAR_REL_CALL	3	R/W	When set, do not capture near relative calls
NEAR_IND_CALL	4	R/W	When set, do not capture near indirect calls
NEAR_RET	5	R/W	When set, do not capture near returns
NEAR_IND_JMP	6	R/W	When set, do not capture near indirect jumps except near indirect calls and near returns
NEAR_REL_JMP	7	R/W	When set, do not capture near relative jumps except near relative calls.
FAR_BRANCH	8	R/W	When set, do not capture far branches
EN_CALLSTACK ¹	9		Enable LBR stack to use LIFO filtering to capture Call stack profile
Reserved	63:10		Must be zero

NOTES:

1. Must set valid combination of bits 0-8 in conjunction with bit 9 (as described below), otherwise the contents of the LBR MSRs are undefined.

The call stack profiling capability is an enhancement of the LBR facility. The LBR stack is a ring buffer typically used to profile control flow transitions resulting from branches. However, the finite depth of the LBR stack often become less effective when profiling certain high-level languages (e.g., C++), where a transition of the execution flow is accompanied by a large number of leaf function calls, each of which returns an individual parameter to form the list

of parameters for the main execution function call. A long list of such parameters returned by the leaf functions would serve to flush the data captured in the LBR stack, often losing the main execution context.

When the call stack feature is enabled, the LBR stack will capture unfiltered call data normally, but as return instructions are executed the last captured branch record is flushed from the on-chip registers in a last-in first-out (LIFO) manner. Thus, branch information relative to leaf functions will not be captured, while preserving the call stack information of the main line execution path.

The configuration of the call stack facility is summarized below:

- Set IA32_DEBUGCTL.LBR (bit 0) to enable the LBR stack to capture branch records. The source and target addresses of the call branches will be captured in the 16 pairs of From/To LBR MSRs that form the LBR stack.
- Program the Top of Stack (TOS) MSR that points to the last valid from/to pair. This register is incremented by 1, modulo 16, before recording the next pair of addresses.
- Program the branch filtering bits of MSR_LBR_SELECT (bits 0:8) as desired.
- Program the MSR_LBR_SELECT to enable LIFO filtering of return instructions with:
 - The following bits in MSR_LBR_SELECT must be set to '1': JCC, NEAR_IND_JMP, NEAR_REL_JMP, FAR_BRANCH, EN_CALLSTACK;
 - The following bits in MSR_LBR_SELECT must be cleared: NEAR_REL_CALL, NEAR-IND_CALL, NEAR_RET;
 - At most one of CPL_EQ_0, CPL_NEQ_0 is set.

Note that when call stack profiling is enabled, “zero length calls” are excluded from writing into the LBRs. (A “zero length call” uses the attribute of the call instruction to push the immediate instruction pointer on to the stack and then pops off that address into a register. This is accomplished without any matching return on the call.)

18.11.1 LBR Stack Enhancement

Processors based on Haswell microarchitecture provide 16 pairs of MSR to record last branch record information. The layout of each MSR pair is enumerated by IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[5:0] = 04H, and is shown in Table 18-14 and Table 18-9.

Table 18-14. MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_FROM_IP with TSX Information

Bit Field	Bit Offset	Access	Description
Data	47:0	R/W	This is the “branch from” address. See Section 18.4.8.1 for address format.
SIGN_EXT	60:48	R/W	Signed extension of bit 47 of this register.
TSX_ABORT	61	R/W	When set, indicates a TSX Abort entry LBR_FROM: EIP at the time of the TSX Abort LBR_TO: EIP of the start of HLE region, or EIP of the RTM Abort Handler
IN_TSX	62	R/W	When set, indicates the entry occurred in a TSX region
MISPRED	63	R/W	When set, indicates either the target of the branch was mispredicted and/or the direction (taken/non-taken) was mispredicted; otherwise, the target branch was predicted.

18.12 LAST BRANCH, CALL STACK, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING FOR PROCESSORS BASED ON SKYLAKE MICROARCHITECTURE

Processors based on the Skylake microarchitecture provide a number of enhancement with storing last branch records:

- enumeration of new LBR format: encoding 00101b in IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[5:0] is supported, see Section 18.4.8.1.
- Each LBR stack entry consists of a triplets of MSRs:

- MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_FROM_IP, the layout is simplified, see Table 18-9.
- MSR_LASTBRANCH_x_TO_IP, the layout is the same as Table 18-9.
- MSR_LBR_INFO_x, stores branch prediction flag, TSX info, and elapsed cycle data.
- Size of LBR stack increased to 32.

Processors based on the Skylake microarchitecture supports the same LBR filtering capabilities as described in Table 18-13.

Table 18-15. LBR Stack Size and TOS Pointer Range

DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Size of LBR Stack	Range of TOS Pointer
06_4EH, 06_5EH	32	0 to 31

18.12.1 MSR_LBR_INFO_x MSR

The layout of each MSR_LBR_INFO_x MSR is shown in Table 18-16.

Table 18-16. MSR_LBR_INFO_x

Bit Field	Bit Offset	Access	Description
Cycle Count (saturating)	15:0	R/W	Elapsed core clocks since last update to the LBR stack.
Reserved	60:16	R/W	Reserved
TSX_ABORT	61	R/W	When set, indicates a TSX Abort entry LBR_FROM: EIP at the time of the TSX Abort LBR_TO: EIP of the start of HLE region OR EIP of the RTM Abort Handler
IN_TSX	62	R/W	When set, indicates the entry occurred in a TSX region.
MISPRED	63	R/W	When set, indicates either the target of the branch was mispredicted and/or the direction (taken/non-taken) was mispredicted; otherwise, the target branch was predicted.

18.12.2 Streamlined Freeze_LBRs_On_PMI Operation

The FREEZE_LBRs_ON_PMI feature causes the LBRs to be frozen on a hardware request for a PMI. This prevents the LBRs from being overwritten by new branches, allowing the PMI handler to examine the control flow that preceded the PMI generation. Architectural performance monitoring version 4 and above supports a streamlined FREEZE_LBRs_ON_PMI operation for PMI service routine that replaces the legacy FREEZE_LBRs_ON_PMI operation (see Section 18.4.7).

While the legacy FREEZE_LBRs_ON_PMI clear the LBR bit in the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR on a PMI request, the streamlined FREEZE_LBRs_ON_PMI will set the LBR_FRZ bit in IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS. Branches will not cause the LBRs to be updated when LBR_FRZ is set. Software can clear LBR_FRZ at the same time as it clears overflow bits by setting the LBR_FRZ bit as well as the needed overflow bit when writing to IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_RESET MSR.

This streamlined behavior avoids race conditions between software and processor writes to IA32_DEBUGCTL that are possible with FREEZE_LBRs_ON_PMI clearing of the LBR enable.

18.12.3 LBR Behavior and Deep C-State

When MWAIT is used to request a C-state that is numerically higher than C1, then LBR state may be initialized to zero depending on optimized “waiting” state that is selected by the processor. The affected LBR states include the FROM, TO, INFO, LAST_BRANCH, LER, and LBR_TOS registers. The LBR enable bit and LBR_FROZEN bit are not affected. The LBR-time of the first LBR record inserted after an exit from such a C-state request will be zero.

18.13 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING (PROCESSORS BASED ON INTEL NETBURST® MICROARCHITECTURE)

Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processors based on Intel NetBurst microarchitecture provide the following methods for recording taken branches, interrupts, and exceptions:

- Store branch records in the last branch record (LBR) stack MSRs for the most recent taken branches, interrupts, and/or exceptions in MSRs. A branch record consists of a branch-from and a branch-to instruction address.
- Send the branch records out on the system bus as branch trace messages (BTMs).
- Log BTMs in a memory-resident branch trace store (BTS) buffer.

To support these functions, the processor provides the following MSRs and related facilities:

- **MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR** — Enables last branch, interrupt, and exception recording; single-stepping on taken branches; branch trace messages (BTMs); and branch trace store (BTS). This register is named DebugCtlMSR in the P6 family processors.
- **Debug store (DS) feature flag (CPUID.1:EDX.DS[bit 21])** — Indicates that the processor provides the debug store (DS) mechanism, which allows BTMs to be stored in a memory-resident BTS buffer.
- **CPL-qualified debug store (DS) feature flag (CPUID.1:ECX.DS-CPL[bit 4])** — Indicates that the processor provides a CPL-qualified debug store (DS) mechanism, which allows software to selectively skip sending and storing BTMs, according to specified current privilege level settings, into a memory-resident BTS buffer.
- **IA32_MISC_ENABLE MSR** — Indicates that the processor provides the BTS facilities.
- **Last branch record (LBR) stack** — The LBR stack is a circular stack that consists of four MSRs (MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 through MSR_LASTBRANCH_3) for the Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processor family [CPUID family 0FH, models 0H-02H]. The LBR stack consists of 16 MSR pairs (MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP through MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_FROM_IP and MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP through MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_TO_IP) for the Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processor family [CPUID family 0FH, model 03H].
- **Last branch record top-of-stack (TOS) pointer** — The TOS Pointer MSR contains a 2-bit pointer (0-3) to the MSR in the LBR stack that contains the most recent branch, interrupt, or exception recorded for the Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processor family [CPUID family 0FH, models 0H-02H]. This pointer becomes a 4-bit pointer (0-15) for the Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processor family [CPUID family 0FH, model 03H]. See also: Table 18-17, Figure 18-12, and Section 18.13.2, “LBR Stack for Processors Based on Intel NetBurst® Microarchitecture.”
- **Last exception record** — See Section 18.13.3, “Last Exception Records.”

18.13.1 MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR

The MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR enables and disables the various last branch recording mechanisms described in the previous section. This register can be written to using the WRMSR instruction, when operating at privilege level 0 or when in real-address mode. A protected-mode operating system procedure is required to provide user access to this register. Figure 18-12 shows the flags in the MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR. The functions of these flags are as follows:

- **LBR (last branch/interrupt/exception) flag (bit 0)** — When set, the processor records a running trace of the most recent branches, interrupts, and/or exceptions taken by the processor (prior to a debug exception being generated) in the last branch record (LBR) stack. Each branch, interrupt, or exception is recorded as a 64-bit branch record. The processor clears this flag whenever a debug exception is generated (for example,

when an instruction or data breakpoint or a single-step trap occurs). See Section 18.13.2, “LBR Stack for Processors Based on Intel NetBurst® Microarchitecture.”

- **BTF (single-step on branches) flag (bit 1)** — When set, the processor treats the TF flag in the EFLAGS register as a “single-step on branches” flag rather than a “single-step on instructions” flag. This mechanism allows single-stepping the processor on taken branches. See Section 18.4.3, “Single-Stepping on Branches.”
- **TR (trace message enable) flag (bit 2)** — When set, branch trace messages are enabled. Thereafter, when the processor detects a taken branch, interrupt, or exception, it sends the branch record out on the system bus as a branch trace message (BTM). See Section 18.4.4, “Branch Trace Messages.”

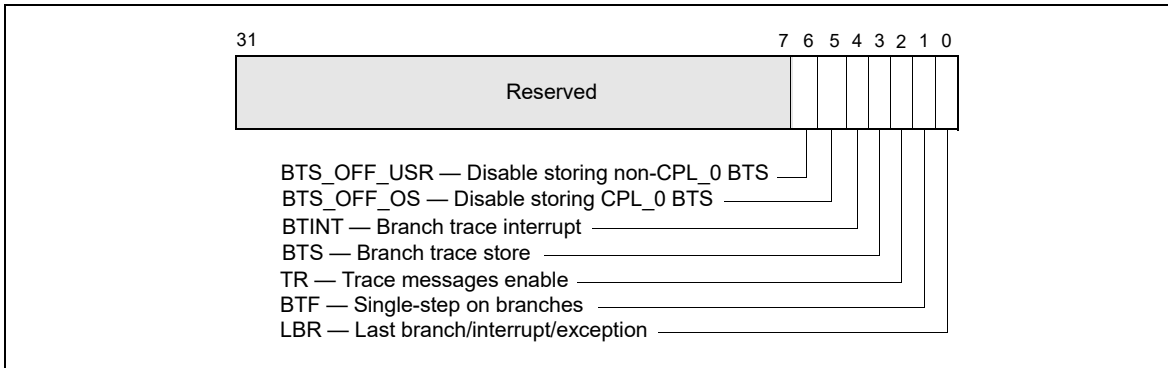


Figure 18-12. MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR for Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon Processors

- **BTS (branch trace store) flag (bit 3)** — When set, enables the BTS facilities to log BTMs to a memory-resident BTS buffer that is part of the DS save area. See Section 18.4.9, “BTS and DS Save Area.”
- **BTINT (branch trace interrupt) flag (bits 4)** — When set, the BTS facilities generate an interrupt when the BTS buffer is full. When clear, BTMs are logged to the BTS buffer in a circular fashion. See Section 18.4.5, “Branch Trace Store (BTS).”
- **BTS_OFF_OS (disable ring 0 branch trace store) flag (bit 5)** — When set, enables the BTS facilities to skip sending/logging CPL_0 BTMs to the memory-resident BTS buffer. See Section 18.13.2, “LBR Stack for Processors Based on Intel NetBurst® Microarchitecture.”
- **BTS_OFF_USR (disable ring 0 branch trace store) flag (bit 6)** — When set, enables the BTS facilities to skip sending/logging non-CPL_0 BTMs to the memory-resident BTS buffer. See Section 18.13.2, “LBR Stack for Processors Based on Intel NetBurst® Microarchitecture.”

NOTE

The initial implementation of BTS_OFF_USR and BTS_OFF_OS in MSR_DEBUGCTLA is shown in Figure 18-12. The BTS_OFF_USR and BTS_OFF_OS fields may be implemented on other model-specific debug control register at different locations.

See Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4, for a detailed description of each of the last branch recording MSRs.

18.13.2 LBR Stack for Processors Based on Intel NetBurst® Microarchitecture

The LBR stack is made up of LBR MSRs that are treated by the processor as a circular stack. The TOS pointer (MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS MSR) points to the LBR MSR (or LBR MSR pair) that contains the most recent (last) branch record placed on the stack. Prior to placing a new branch record on the stack, the TOS is incremented by 1. When the TOS pointer reaches its maximum value, it wraps around to 0. See Table 18-17 and Figure 18-12.

Table 18-17. LBR MSR Stack Size and TOS Pointer Range for the Pentium® 4 and the Intel® Xeon® Processor Family

DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Size of LBR Stack	Range of TOS Pointer
Family 0FH, Models 0H-02H; MSRs at locations 1DBH-1DEH.	4	0 to 3
Family 0FH, Models; MSRs at locations 680H-68FH.	16	0 to 15
Family 0FH, Model 03H; MSRs at locations 6C0H-6CFH.	16	0 to 15

The registers in the LBR MSR stack and the MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS MSR are read-only and can be read using the RDMSR instruction.

Figure 18-13 shows the layout of a branch record in an LBR MSR (or MSR pair). Each branch record consists of two linear addresses, which represent the “from” and “to” instruction pointers for a branch, interrupt, or exception. The contents of the from and to addresses differ, depending on the source of the branch:

- **Taken branch** — If the record is for a taken branch, the “from” address is the address of the branch instruction and the “to” address is the target instruction of the branch.
- **Interrupt** — If the record is for an interrupt, the “from” address the return instruction pointer (RIP) saved for the interrupt and the “to” address is the address of the first instruction in the interrupt handler routine. The RIP is the linear address of the next instruction to be executed upon returning from the interrupt handler.
- **Exception** — If the record is for an exception, the “from” address is the linear address of the instruction that caused the exception to be generated and the “to” address is the address of the first instruction in the exception handler routine.

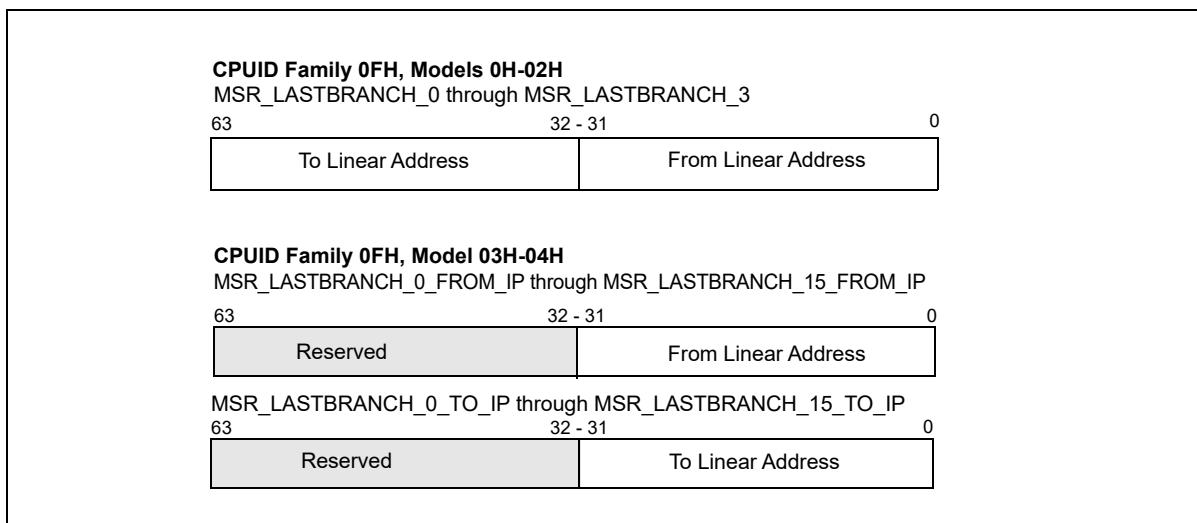


Figure 18-13. LBR MSR Branch Record Layout for the Pentium 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processor Family

Additional information is saved if an exception or interrupt occurs in conjunction with a branch instruction. If a branch instruction generates a trap type exception, two branch records are stored in the LBR stack: a branch record for the branch instruction followed by a branch record for the exception.

If a branch instruction is immediately followed by an interrupt, a branch record is stored in the LBR stack for the branch instruction followed by a record for the interrupt.

18.13.3 Last Exception Records

The Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Pentium M, Intel® Core™ Solo, Intel® Core™ Duo, Intel® Core™2 Duo, Intel® Core™ i7 and Intel Atom® processors provide two MSRs (the MSR_LER_TO_LIP and the MSR_LER_FROM_LIP MSRs) that duplicate the functions of the LastExceptionToIP and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs found in the P6 family processors.

The MSR_LER_TO_LIP and MSR_LER_FROM_LIP MSRs contain a branch record for the last branch that the processor took prior to an exception or interrupt being generated.

18.14 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING (INTEL® CORE™ SOLO AND INTEL® CORE™ DUO PROCESSORS)

Intel Core Solo and Intel Core Duo processors provide last branch interrupt and exception recording. This capability is almost identical to that found in Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processors. There are differences in the stack and in some MSR names and locations.

Note the following:

- **IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR** — Enables debug trace interrupt, debug trace store, trace messages enable, performance monitoring breakpoint flags, single stepping on branches, and last branch. IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR is located at register address 01D9H.

See Figure 18-14 for the layout and the entries below for a description of the flags:

- **LBR (last branch/interrupt/exception) flag (bit 0)** — When set, the processor records a running trace of the most recent branches, interrupts, and/or exceptions taken by the processor (prior to a debug exception being generated) in the last branch record (LBR) stack. For more information, see the “Last Branch Record (LBR) Stack” below.
- **BTF (single-step on branches) flag (bit 1)** — When set, the processor treats the TF flag in the EFLAGS register as a “single-step on branches” flag rather than a “single-step on instructions” flag. This mechanism allows single-stepping the processor on taken branches. See Section 18.4.3, “Single-Stepping on Branches,” for more information about the BTF flag.
- **TR (trace message enable) flag (bit 6)** — When set, branch trace messages are enabled. When the processor detects a taken branch, interrupt, or exception; it sends the branch record out on the system bus as a branch trace message (BTM). See Section 18.4.4, “Branch Trace Messages,” for more information about the TR flag.
- **BTS (branch trace store) flag (bit 7)** — When set, the flag enables BTS facilities to log BTMs to a memory-resident BTS buffer that is part of the DS save area. See Section 18.4.9, “BTS and DS Save Area.”
- **BTINT (branch trace interrupt) flag (bits 8)** — When set, the BTS facilities generate an interrupt when the BTS buffer is full. When clear, BTMs are logged to the BTS buffer in a circular fashion. See Section 18.4.5, “Branch Trace Store (BTS),” for a description of this mechanism.

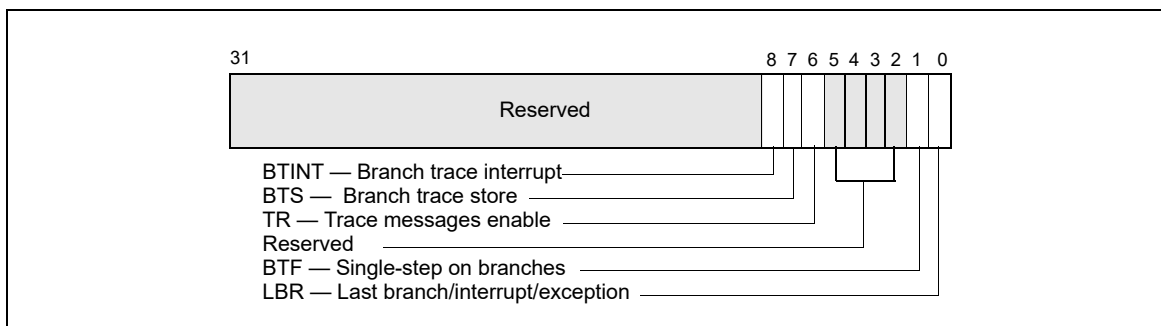


Figure 18-14. IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR for Intel® Core™ Solo and Intel® Core™ Duo Processors

- **Debug store (DS) feature flag (bit 21), returned by the CPUID instruction** — Indicates that the processor provides the debug store (DS) mechanism, which allows BTMs to be stored in a memory-resident BTS buffer. See Section 18.4.5, “Branch Trace Store (BTS).”
- **Last Branch Record (LBR) Stack** — The LBR stack consists of 8 MSRs (MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 through MSR_LASTBRANCH_7); bits 31-0 hold the ‘from’ address, bits 63-32 hold the ‘to’ address (MSR addresses start at 40H). See Figure 18-15.

- **Last Branch Record Top-of-Stack (TOS) Pointer** — The TOS Pointer MSR contains a 3-bit pointer (bits 2-0) to the MSR in the LBR stack that contains the most recent branch, interrupt, or exception recorded. For Intel Core Solo and Intel Core Duo processors, this MSR is located at register address 01C9H.

For compatibility, the Intel Core Solo and Intel Core Duo processors provide two 32-bit MSRs (the MSR_LER_TO_LIP and the MSR_LER_FROM_LIP MSRs) that duplicate functions of the LastExceptionToIP and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs found in P6 family processors.

For details, see Section 18.12, “Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Skylake Microarchitecture,” and Section 2.20, “MSRs In Intel® Core™ Solo and Intel® Core™ Duo Processors,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4.

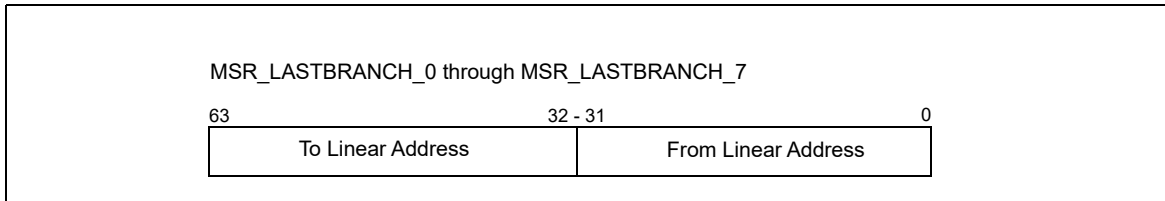


Figure 18-15. LBR Branch Record Layout for the Intel® Core™ Solo and Intel® Core™ Duo Processor

18.15 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING (PENTIUM M PROCESSORS)

Like the Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processor family, Pentium M processors provide last branch interrupt and exception recording. The capability operates almost identically to that found in Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processors. There are differences in the shape of the stack and in some MSR names and locations. Note the following:

- **MSR_DEBUGCTLB MSR** — Enables debug trace interrupt, debug trace store, trace messages enable, performance monitoring breakpoint flags, single stepping on branches, and last branch. For Pentium M processors, this MSR is located at register address 01D9H. See Figure 18-16 and the entries below for a description of the flags.
 - **LBR (last branch/interrupt/exception) flag (bit 0)** — When set, the processor records a running trace of the most recent branches, interrupts, and/or exceptions taken by the processor (prior to a debug exception being generated) in the last branch record (LBR) stack. For more information, see the “Last Branch Record (LBR) Stack” bullet below.
 - **BTF (single-step on branches) flag (bit 1)** — When set, the processor treats the TF flag in the EFLAGS register as a “single-step on branches” flag rather than a “single-step on instructions” flag. This mechanism allows single-stepping the processor on taken branches. See Section 18.4.3, “Single-Stepping on Branches,” for more information about the BTF flag.
 - **PBi (performance monitoring/breakpoint pins) flags (bits 5-2)** — When these flags are set, the performance monitoring/breakpoint pins on the processor (BP0#, BP1#, BP2#, and BP3#) report breakpoint matches in the corresponding breakpoint-address registers (DR0 through DR3). The processor asserts then deasserts the corresponding BPi# pin when a breakpoint match occurs. When a PBi flag is clear, the performance monitoring/breakpoint pins report performance events. Processor execution is not affected by reporting performance events.
 - **TR (trace message enable) flag (bit 6)** — When set, branch trace messages are enabled. When the processor detects a taken branch, interrupt, or exception, it sends the branch record out on the system bus as a branch trace message (BTM). See Section 18.4.4, “Branch Trace Messages,” for more information about the TR flag.
 - **BTS (branch trace store) flag (bit 7)** — When set, enables the BTS facilities to log BTMs to a memory-resident BTS buffer that is part of the DS save area. See Section 18.4.9, “BTS and DS Save Area.”
 - **BTINT (branch trace interrupt) flag (bits 8)** — When set, the BTS facilities generate an interrupt when the BTS buffer is full. When clear, BTMs are logged to the BTS buffer in a circular fashion. See Section 18.4.5, “Branch Trace Store (BTS),” for a description of this mechanism.

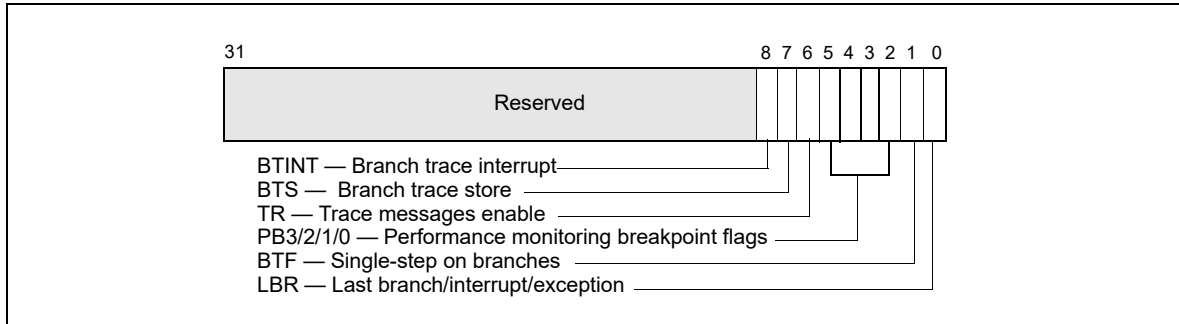


Figure 18-16. MSR_DEBUGCTLB MSR for Pentium M Processors

- **Debug store (DS) feature flag (bit 21), returned by the CPUID instruction** — Indicates that the processor provides the debug store (DS) mechanism, which allows BTMs to be stored in a memory-resident BTS buffer. See Section 18.4.5, “Branch Trace Store (BTS).”
- **Last Branch Record (LBR) Stack** — The LBR stack consists of 8 MSRs (MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 through MSR_LASTBRANCH_7); bits 31-0 hold the ‘from’ address, bits 63-32 hold the ‘to’ address. For Pentium M Processors, these pairs are located at register addresses 040H-047H. See Figure 18-17.
- **Last Branch Record Top-of-Stack (TOS) Pointer** — The TOS Pointer MSR contains a 3-bit pointer (bits 2-0) to the MSR in the LBR stack that contains the most recent branch, interrupt, or exception recorded. For Pentium M Processors, this MSR is located at register address 01C9H.

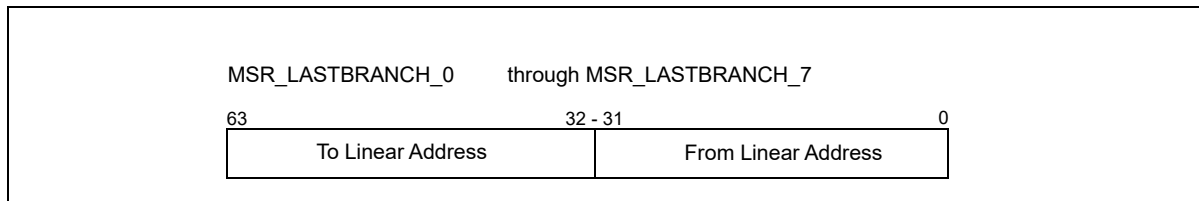


Figure 18-17. LBR Branch Record Layout for the Pentium M Processor

For more detail on these capabilities, see Section 18.13.3, “Last Exception Records,” and Section 2.21, “MSRs In the Pentium M Processor,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4.

18.16 LAST BRANCH, INTERRUPT, AND EXCEPTION RECORDING (P6 FAMILY PROCESSORS)

The P6 family processors provide five MSRs for recording the last branch, interrupt, or exception taken by the processor: DEBUGCTLMR, LastBranchToIP, LastBranchFromIP, LastExceptionToIP, and LastExceptionFromIP. These registers can be used to collect last branch records, to set breakpoints on branches, interrupts, and exceptions, and to single-step from one branch to the next.

See Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4, for a detailed description of each of the last branch recording MSRs.

18.16.1 DEBUGCTLMR Register

The version of the DEBUGCTLMR register found in the P6 family processors enables last branch, interrupt, and exception recording; taken branch breakpoints; the breakpoint reporting pins; and trace messages. This register can be written to using the WRMSR instruction, when operating at privilege level 0 or when in real-address mode.

A protected-mode operating system procedure is required to provide user access to this register. Figure 18-18 shows the flags in the DEBUGCTLMR register for the P6 family processors. The functions of these flags are as follows:

- **LBR (last branch/interrupt/exception) flag (bit 0)** — When set, the processor records the source and target addresses (in the LastBranchToIP, LastBranchFromIP, LastExceptionToIP, and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs) for the last branch and the last exception or interrupt taken by the processor prior to a debug exception being generated. The processor clears this flag whenever a debug exception, such as an instruction or data breakpoint or single-step trap occurs.

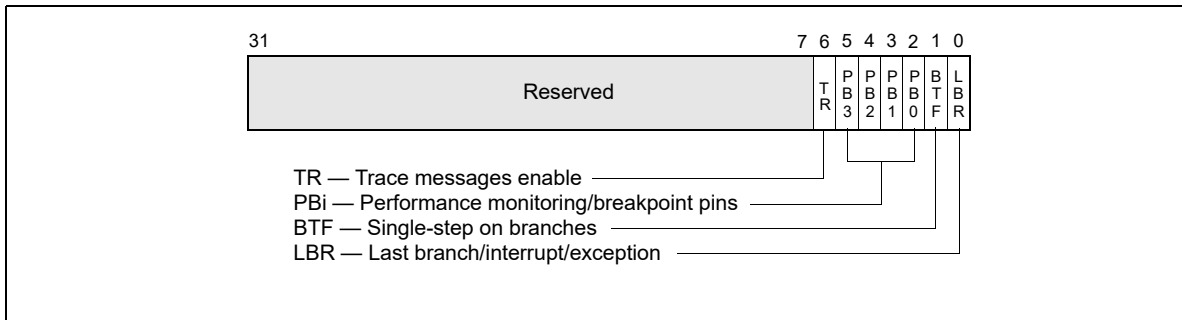


Figure 18-18. DEBUGCTLMR Register (P6 Family Processors)

- **BTF (single-step on branches) flag (bit 1)** — When set, the processor treats the TF flag in the EFLAGS register as a “single-step on branches” flag. See Section 18.4.3, “Single-Stepping on Branches.”
- **PB_i (performance monitoring/breakpoint pins) flags (bits 2 through 5)** — When these flags are set, the performance monitoring/breakpoint pins on the processor (BP0#, BP1#, BP2#, and BP3#) report breakpoint matches in the corresponding breakpoint-address registers (DR0 through DR3). The processor asserts then deasserts the corresponding PB_i# pin when a breakpoint match occurs. When a PB_i flag is clear, the performance monitoring/breakpoint pins report performance events. Processor execution is not affected by reporting performance events.
- **TR (trace message enable) flag (bit 6)** — When set, trace messages are enabled as described in Section 18.4.4, “Branch Trace Messages.” Setting this flag greatly reduces the performance of the processor. When trace messages are enabled, the values stored in the LastBranchToIP, LastBranchFromIP, LastExceptionToIP, and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs are undefined.

18.16.2 Last Branch and Last Exception MSRs

The LastBranchToIP and LastBranchFromIP MSRs are 32-bit registers for recording the instruction pointers for the last branch, interrupt, or exception that the processor took prior to a debug exception being generated. When a branch occurs, the processor loads the address of the branch instruction into the LastBranchFromIP MSR and loads the target address for the branch into the LastBranchToIP MSR.

When an interrupt or exception occurs (other than a debug exception), the address of the instruction that was interrupted by the exception or interrupt is loaded into the LastBranchFromIP MSR and the address of the exception or interrupt handler that is called is loaded into the LastBranchToIP MSR.

The LastExceptionToIP and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs (also 32-bit registers) record the instruction pointers for the last branch that the processor took prior to an exception or interrupt being generated. When an exception or interrupt occurs, the contents of the LastBranchToIP and LastBranchFromIP MSRs are copied into these registers before the to and from addresses of the exception or interrupt are recorded in the LastBranchToIP and LastBranchFromIP MSRs.

These registers can be read using the RDMSR instruction.

Note that the values stored in the LastBranchToIP, LastBranchFromIP, LastExceptionToIP, and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs are offsets into the current code segment, as opposed to linear addresses, which are saved in last branch records for the Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processors.

18.16.3 Monitoring Branches, Exceptions, and Interrupts

When the LBR flag in the DEBUGCTLMR register is set, the processor automatically begins recording branches that it takes, exceptions that are generated (except for debug exceptions), and interrupts that are serviced. Each time a branch, exception, or interrupt occurs, the processor records the to and from instruction pointers in the LastBranchToIP and LastBranchFromIP MSRs. In addition, for interrupts and exceptions, the processor copies the contents of the LastBranchToIP and LastBranchFromIP MSRs into the LastExceptionToIP and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs prior to recording the to and from addresses of the interrupt or exception.

When the processor generates a debug exception (#DB), it automatically clears the LBR flag before executing the exception handler, but does not touch the last branch and last exception MSRs. The addresses for the last branch, interrupt, or exception taken are thus retained in the LastBranchToIP and LastBranchFromIP MSRs and the addresses of the last branch prior to an interrupt or exception are retained in the LastExceptionToIP, and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs.

The debugger can use the last branch, interrupt, and/or exception addresses in combination with code-segment selectors retrieved from the stack to reset breakpoints in the breakpoint-address registers (DR0 through DR3), allowing a backward trace from the manifestation of a particular bug toward its source. Because the instruction pointers recorded in the LastBranchToIP, LastBranchFromIP, LastExceptionToIP, and LastExceptionFromIP MSRs are offsets into a code segment, software must determine the segment base address of the code segment associated with the control transfer to calculate the linear address to be placed in the breakpoint-address registers. The segment base address can be determined by reading the segment selector for the code segment from the stack and using it to locate the segment descriptor for the segment in the GDT or LDT. The segment base address can then be read from the segment descriptor.

Before resuming program execution from a debug-exception handler, the handler must set the LBR flag again to re-enable last branch and last exception/interrupt recording.

18.17 TIME-STAMP COUNTER

The Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures (beginning with the Pentium processor) define a time-stamp counter mechanism that can be used to monitor and identify the relative time occurrence of processor events. The counter's architecture includes the following components:

- **TSC flag** — A feature bit that indicates the availability of the time-stamp counter. The counter is available in an if the function CPUID.1:EDX.TSC[bit 4] = 1.
- **IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR** (called TSC MSR in P6 family and Pentium processors) — The MSR used as the counter.
- **RDTSC instruction** — An instruction used to read the time-stamp counter.
- **TSD flag** — A control register flag is used to enable or disable the time-stamp counter (enabled if CR4.TSD[bit 2] = 1).

The time-stamp counter (as implemented in the P6 family, Pentium, Pentium M, Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, Intel Core Solo and Intel Core Duo processors and later processors) is a 64-bit counter that is set to 0 following a RESET of the processor. Following a RESET, the counter increments even when the processor is halted by the HLT instruction or the external STPCLK# pin. Note that the assertion of the external DPSLP# pin may cause the time-stamp counter to stop.

Processor families increment the time-stamp counter differently:

- For Pentium M processors (family [06H], models [09H, 0DH]); for Pentium 4 processors, Intel Xeon processors (family [0FH], models [00H, 01H, or 02H]); and for P6 family processors: the time-stamp counter increments with every internal processor clock cycle.

The internal processor clock cycle is determined by the current core-clock to bus-clock ratio. Intel® SpeedStep® technology transitions may also impact the processor clock.

- For Pentium 4 processors, Intel Xeon processors (family [0FH], models [03H and higher]); for Intel Core Solo and Intel Core Duo processors (family [06H], model [0EH]); for the Intel Xeon processor 5100 series and Intel Core 2 Duo processors (family [06H], model [0FH]); for Intel Core 2 and Intel Xeon processors (family [06H], DisplayModel [17H]); for Intel Atom processors (family [06H], DisplayModel [1CH]): the time-stamp counter increments at a constant rate. That rate may be set by the maximum core-clock to bus-clock ratio of the

processor or may be set by the maximum resolved frequency at which the processor is booted. The maximum resolved frequency may differ from the processor base frequency, see Section 20.7.2 for more detail. On certain processors, the TSC frequency may not be the same as the frequency in the brand string.

The specific processor configuration determines the behavior. Constant TSC behavior ensures that the duration of each clock tick is uniform and supports the use of the TSC as a wall clock timer even if the processor core changes frequency. This is the architectural behavior moving forward.

NOTE

To determine average processor clock frequency, Intel recommends the use of performance monitoring logic to count processor core clocks over the period of time for which the average is required. See Section 20.6.4.5, “Counting Clocks on systems with Intel® Hyper-Threading Technology in Processors Based on Intel NetBurst® Microarchitecture,” and <https://perfmon-events.intel.com/> for more information.

The RDTSC instruction reads the time-stamp counter and is guaranteed to return a monotonically increasing unique value whenever executed, except for a 64-bit counter wraparound. Intel guarantees that the time-stamp counter will not wraparound within 10 years after being reset. The period for counter wrap is longer for Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, P6 family, and Pentium processors.

Normally, the RDTSC instruction can be executed by programs and procedures running at any privilege level and in virtual-8086 mode. The TSD flag allows use of this instruction to be restricted to programs and procedures running at privilege level 0. A secure operating system would set the TSD flag during system initialization to disable user access to the time-stamp counter. An operating system that disables user access to the time-stamp counter should emulate the instruction through a user-accessible programming interface.

The RDTSC instruction is not serializing or ordered with other instructions. It does not necessarily wait until all previous instructions have been executed before reading the counter. Similarly, subsequent instructions may begin execution before the RDTSC instruction operation is performed.

The RDMSR and WRMSR instructions read and write the time-stamp counter, treating the time-stamp counter as an ordinary MSR (address 10H). In the Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, and P6 family processors, all 64-bits of the time-stamp counter are read using RDMSR (just as with RDTSC). When WRMSR is used to write the time-stamp counter on processors before family [0FH], models [03H, 04H]: only the low-order 32-bits of the time-stamp counter can be written (the high-order 32 bits are cleared to 0). For family [0FH], models [03H, 04H, 06H]; for family [06H]], model [0EH, 0FH]; for family [06H]], DisplayModel [17H, 1AH, 1CH, 1DH]: all 64 bits are writable.

18.17.1 Invariant TSC

The time stamp counter in newer processors may support an enhancement, referred to as invariant TSC. Processor’s support for invariant TSC is indicated by CPUID.80000007H:EDX[8].

The invariant TSC will run at a constant rate in all ACPI P-, C-, and T-states. This is the architectural behavior moving forward. On processors with invariant TSC support, the OS may use the TSC for wall clock timer services (instead of ACPI or HPET timers). TSC reads are much more efficient and do not incur the overhead associated with a ring transition or access to a platform resource.

18.17.2 IA32_TSC_AUX Register and RDTSCP Support

Processors based on Nehalem microarchitecture provide an auxiliary TSC register, IA32_TSC_AUX that is designed to be used in conjunction with IA32_TSC. IA32_TSC_AUX provides a 32-bit field that is initialized by privileged software with a signature value (for example, a logical processor ID).

The primary usage of IA32_TSC_AUX in conjunction with IA32_TSC is to allow software to read the 64-bit time stamp in IA32_TSC and signature value in IA32_TSC_AUX with the instruction RDTSCP in an atomic operation. RDTSCP returns the 64-bit time stamp in EDX:EAX and the 32-bit TSC_AUX signature value in ECX. The atomicity of RDTSCP ensures that no context switch can occur between the reads of the TSC and TSC_AUX values.

Support for RDTSCP is indicated by CPUID.80000011H:EDX[27]. As with RDTSC instruction, non-ring 0 access is controlled by CR4.TSD (Time Stamp Disable flag).

User mode software can use RDTSCP to detect if CPU migration has occurred between successive reads of the TSC. It can also be used to adjust for per-CPU differences in TSC values in a NUMA system.

18.17.3 Time-Stamp Counter Adjustment

Software can modify the value of the time-stamp counter (TSC) of a logical processor by using the WRMSR instruction to write to the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR (address 10H). Because such a write applies only to that logical processor, software seeking to synchronize the TSC values of multiple logical processors must perform these writes on each logical processor. It may be difficult for software to do this in a way that ensures that all logical processors will have the same value for the TSC at a given point in time.

The synchronization of TSC adjustment can be simplified by using the 64-bit IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR (address 3BH). Like the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR, the IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR is maintained separately for each logical processor. A logical processor maintains and uses the IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR as follows:

- On RESET, the value of the IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR is 0.
- If an execution of WRMSR to the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR adds (or subtracts) value X from the TSC, the logical processor also adds (or subtracts) value X from the IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR.
- If an execution of WRMSR to the IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR adds (or subtracts) value X from that MSR, the logical processor also adds (or subtracts) value X from the TSC.

Unlike the TSC, the value of the IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR changes only in response to WRMSR (either to the MSR itself, or to the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR). Its value does not otherwise change as time elapses. Software seeking to adjust the TSC can do so by using WRMSR to write the same value to the IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR on each logical processor.

Processor support for the IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR is indicated by CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX.TSC_ADJUST (bit 1).

18.17.4 Invariant Time-Keeping

The invariant TSC is based on the invariant timekeeping hardware (called Always Running Timer or ART), that runs at the core crystal clock frequency. The ratio defined by CPUID leaf 15H expresses the frequency relationship between the ART hardware and TSC.

If CPUID.15H:EBX[31:0] != 0 and CPUID.80000007H:EDX[InvariantTSC] = 1, the following linearity relationship holds between TSC and the ART hardware:

$$\text{TSC_Value} = (\text{ART_Value} * \text{CPUID.15H:EBX}[31:0]) / \text{CPUID.15H:EAX}[31:0] + K$$

Where 'K' is an offset that can be adjusted by a privileged agent¹.

When ART hardware is reset, both invariant TSC and K are also reset.

18.18 INTEL® RESOURCE DIRECTOR TECHNOLOGY (INTEL® RDT) MONITORING FEATURES

The Intel Resource Director Technology (Intel RDT) feature set provides a set of monitoring capabilities including Cache Monitoring Technology (CMT) and Memory Bandwidth Monitoring (MBM). The Intel® Xeon® processor E5 v3 family introduced resource monitoring capability in each logical processor to measure specific platform shared resource metrics, for example, L3 cache occupancy. The programming interface for these monitoring features is described in this section. Two features within the monitoring feature set provided are described - Cache Monitoring Technology (CMT) and Memory Bandwidth Monitoring.

1. IA32_TSC_ADJUST MSR and the TSC-offset field in the VM execution controls of VMCS are some of the common interfaces that privileged software can use to manage the time stamp counter for keeping time

Cache Monitoring Technology (CMT) allows an Operating System, Hypervisor or similar system management agent to determine the usage of cache by applications running on the platform. The initial implementation is directed at L3 cache monitoring (currently the last level cache in most server platforms).

Memory Bandwidth Monitoring (MBM), introduced in the Intel® Xeon® processor E5 v4 family, builds on the CMT infrastructure to allow monitoring of bandwidth from one level of the cache hierarchy to the next - in this case focusing on the L3 cache, which is typically backed directly by system memory. As a result of this implementation, memory bandwidth can be monitored.

The monitoring mechanisms described provide the following key shared infrastructure features:

- A mechanism to enumerate the presence of the monitoring capabilities within the platform (via a CPUID feature bit).
- A framework to enumerate the details of each sub-feature (including CMT and MBM, as discussed later, via CPUID leaves and sub-leaves).
- A mechanism for the OS or Hypervisor to indicate a software-defined ID for each of the software threads (applications, virtual machines, etc.) that are scheduled to run on a logical processor. These identifiers are known as Resource Monitoring IDs (RMIDs).
- Mechanisms in hardware to monitor cache occupancy and bandwidth statistics as applicable to a given product generation on a per software-id basis.
- Mechanisms for the OS or Hypervisor to read back the collected metrics such as L3 occupancy or Memory Bandwidth for a given software ID at any point during runtime.

18.18.1 Overview of Cache Monitoring Technology and Memory Bandwidth Monitoring

The shared resource monitoring features described in this chapter provide a layer of abstraction between applications and logical processors through the use of **Resource Monitoring IDs** (RMIDs). Each logical processor in the system can be assigned an RMID independently, or multiple logical processors can be assigned to the same RMID value (e.g., to track an application with multiple threads). For each logical processor, only one RMID value is active at a time. This is enforced by the IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR, which specifies the active RMID of a logical processor. Writing to this MSR by software changes the active RMID of the logical processor from an old value to a new value.

The underlying platform shared resource monitoring hardware tracks cache metrics such as cache utilization and misses as a result of memory accesses according to the RMIDs and reports monitored data via a counter register (IA32_QM_CTR). The specific event types supported vary by generation and can be enumerated via CPUID. Before reading back monitored data software must configure an event selection MSR (IA32_QM_EVTSEL) to specify which metric is to be reported, and the specific RMID for which the data should be returned.

Processor support of the monitoring framework and sub-features such as CMT is reported via the CPUID instruction. The resource type available to the monitoring framework is enumerated via a new leaf function in CPUID. Reading and writing to the monitoring MSRs requires the RDMSR and WRMSR instructions.

The Cache Monitoring Technology feature set provides the following unique mechanisms:

- A mechanism to enumerate the presence and details of the CMT feature as applicable to a given level of the cache hierarchy, independent of other monitoring features.
- CMT-specific event codes to read occupancy for a given level of the cache hierarchy.

The Memory Bandwidth Monitoring feature provides the following unique mechanisms:

- A mechanism to enumerate the presence and details of the MBM feature as applicable to a given level of the cache hierarchy, independent of other monitoring features.
- MBM-specific event codes to read bandwidth out to the next level of the hierarchy and various sub-event codes to read more specific metrics as discussed later (e.g., total bandwidth vs. bandwidth only from local memory controllers on the same package).

18.18.2 Enabling Monitoring: Usage Flow

Figure 18-19 illustrates the key steps for OS/VMM to detect support of shared resource monitoring features such as CMT and enable resource monitoring for available resource types and monitoring events.

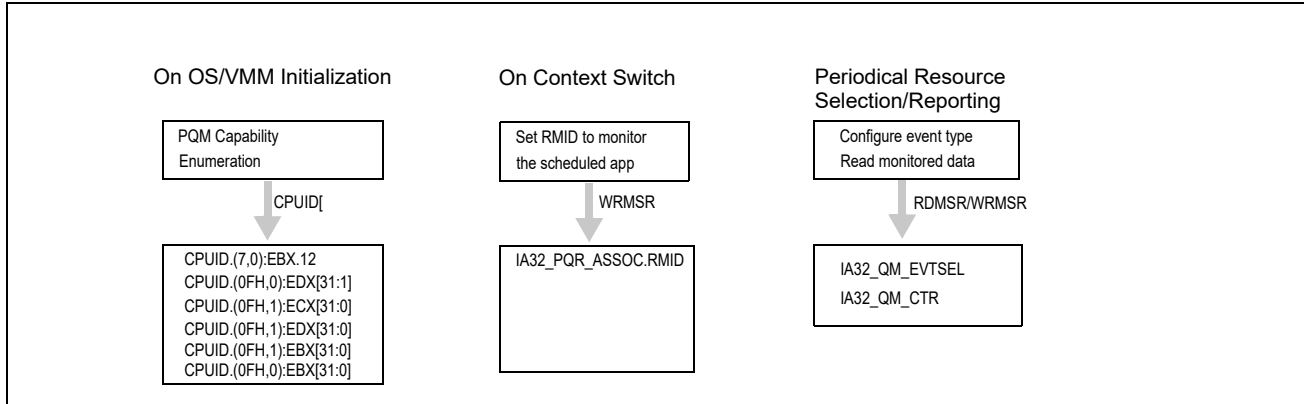


Figure 18-19. Platform Shared Resource Monitoring Usage Flow

18.18.3 Enumeration and Detecting Support of Cache Monitoring Technology and Memory Bandwidth Monitoring

Software can query processor support of shared resource monitoring features capabilities by executing CPUID instruction with EAX = 07H, ECX = 0H as input. If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.PQM[bit 12] reports 1, the processor provides the following programming interfaces for shared resource monitoring, including Cache Monitoring Technology:

- CPUID leaf function 0FH (Shared Resource Monitoring Enumeration leaf) provides information on available resource types (see Section 18.18.4), and monitoring capabilities for each resource type (see Section 18.18.5). Note CMT and MBM capabilities are enumerated as separate event vectors using shared enumeration infrastructure under a given resource type.
- IA32_PQR_ASSOC.RMID: The per-logical-processor MSR, IA32_PQR_ASSOC, that OS/VMM can use to assign an RMID to each logical processor, see Section 18.18.6.
- IA32_QM_EVTSEL: This MSR specifies an Event ID (EvtID) and an RMID which the platform uses to look up and provide monitoring data in the monitoring counter, IA32_QM_CTR, see Section 18.18.7.
- IA32_QM_CTR: This MSR reports monitored resource data when available along with bits to allow software to check for error conditions and verify data validity.

Software must follow the following sequence of enumeration to discover Cache Monitoring Technology capabilities:

1. Execute CPUID with EAX=0 to discover the “cpuid_maxLeaf” supported in the processor;
2. If cpuid_maxLeaf >= 7, then execute CPUID with EAX=7, ECX= 0 to verify CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.PQM[bit 12] is set;
3. If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.PQM[bit 12] = 1, then execute CPUID with EAX=0FH, ECX= 0 to query available resource types that support monitoring;
4. If CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=0):EDX.L3[bit 1] = 1, then execute CPUID with EAX=0FH, ECX= 1 to query the specific capabilities of L3 Cache Monitoring Technology (CMT) and Memory Bandwidth Monitoring.
5. If CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=0):EDX reports additional resource types supporting monitoring, then execute CPUID with EAX=0FH, ECX set to a corresponding resource type ID (ResID) as enumerated by the bit position of CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=0):EDX.

18.18.4 Monitoring Resource Type and Capability Enumeration

CPUID leaf function 0FH (Shared Resource Monitoring Enumeration leaf) provides one sub-leaf (sub-function 0) that reports shared enumeration infrastructure, and one or more sub-functions that report feature-specific enumeration data:

- Monitoring leaf sub-function 0 enumerates available resources that support monitoring, i.e., executing CPUID with EAX=0FH and ECX=0H. In the initial implementation, L3 cache is the only resource type available. Each

supported resource type is represented by a bit in CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=0):EDX[31:1]. The bit position corresponds to the sub-leaf index (ResID) that software must use to query details of the monitoring capability of that resource type (see Figure 18-21 and Figure 18-22). Reserved bits of CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=0):EDX[31:2] correspond to unsupported sub-leaves of the CPUID.0FH leaf. Additionally, CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=0H):EBX reports the highest RMID value of any resource type that supports monitoring in the processor.

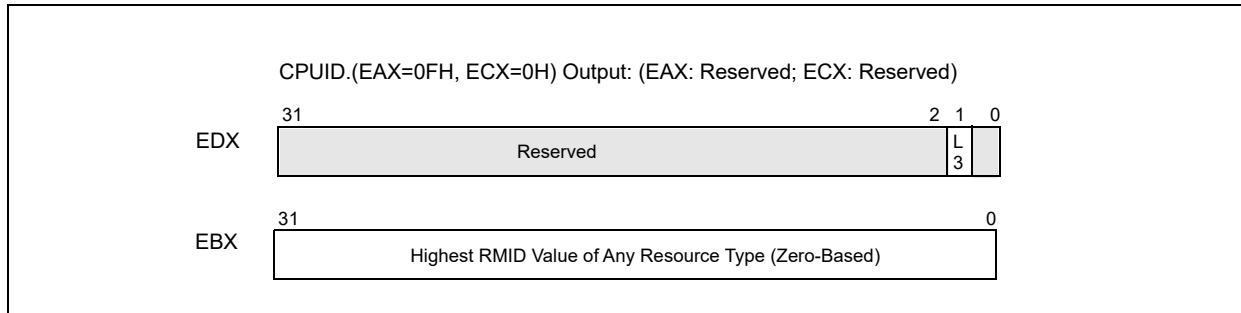


Figure 18-20. CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=0H) Monitoring Resource Type Enumeration

18.18.5 Feature-Specific Enumeration

Each additional sub-leaf of CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=ResID) enumerates the specific details for software to program Monitoring MSRs using the resource type associated with the given ResID.

Note that in future Monitoring implementations the meanings of the returned registers may vary in other sub-leaves that are not yet defined. The registers will be specified and defined on a per-ResID basis.

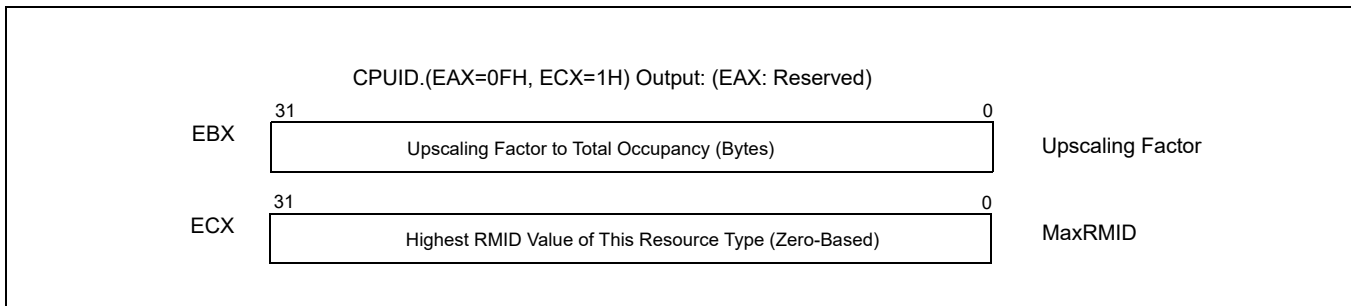


Figure 18-21. L3 Cache Monitoring Capability Enumeration Data (CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H))

For each supported Cache Monitoring resource type, hardware supports only a finite number of RMIDs. CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).ECX enumerates the highest RMID value that can be monitored with this resource type, see Figure 18-21.

CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EDX specifies a bit vector that is used to look up the EventID (See Figure 18-22 and Table 18-18) that software must program with IA32_QM_EVTSEL in order to retrieve event data. After software configures IA32_QMEVTSEL with the desired RMID and EventID, it can read the resulting data from IA32_QM_CTR. The raw numerical value reported from IA32_QM_CTR can be converted to the final value (occupancy in bytes or bandwidth in bytes per sampled time period) by multiplying the counter value by the value from CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EBX, see Figure 18-21.

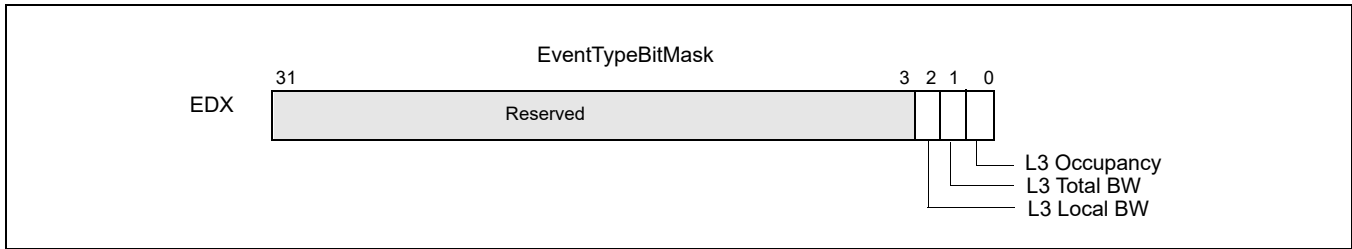


Figure 18-22. L3 Cache Monitoring Capability Enumeration Event Type Bit Vector (CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H))

18.18.5.1 Cache Monitoring Technology

On processors for which Cache Monitoring Technology supports the L3 cache occupancy event, CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EDX would return with only bit 0 set. The corresponding event ID can be looked up from Table 18-18. The L3 occupancy data accumulated in IA32_QM_CTR can be converted to total occupancy (in bytes) by multiplying with CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EBX.

Event codes for Cache Monitoring Technology are discussed in the next section.

18.18.5.2 Memory Bandwidth Monitoring

On processors that monitoring supports Memory Bandwidth Monitoring using ResID=1 (L3), two additional bits will be set in the vector at CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EDX:

- CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EDX[bit 1]: indicates the L3 total external bandwidth monitoring event is supported if set. This event monitors the L3 total external bandwidth to the next level of the cache hierarchy, including all demand and prefetch misses from the L3 to the next hierarchy of the memory system. In most platforms, this represents memory bandwidth.
- CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EDX[bit 2]: indicates L3 local memory bandwidth monitoring event is supported if set. This event monitors the L3 external bandwidth satisfied by the local memory. In most platforms that support this event, L3 requests are likely serviced by a memory system with non-uniform memory architecture. This allows bandwidth to off-package memory resources to be tracked by subtracting local from total bandwidth (for instance, bandwidth over QPI to a memory controller on another physical processor could be tracked by subtraction). Note that it is not possible to read the local and total bandwidth atomically; multiple operations are needed. Because of this, it is possible for the counters to change in between the two reads.

The corresponding Event ID can be looked up from Table 18-18. The L3 bandwidth data accumulated in IA32_QM_CTR can be converted to total bandwidth (in bytes) using CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EBX.

Table 18-18. Monitoring Supported Event IDs

Event Type	Event ID	Context
L3 Cache Occupancy	01H	Cache Monitoring Technology
L3 Total External Bandwidth	02H	MBM
L3 Local External Bandwidth	03H	MBM
Reserved	All other event codes	N/A

18.18.6 Monitoring Resource RMID Association

After Monitoring and sub-features has been enumerated, software can begin using the monitoring features. The first step is to associate a given software thread (or multiple threads as part of an application, VM, group of applications or other abstraction) with an RMID.

Note that the process of associating an RMID with a given software thread is the same for all shared resource monitoring features (CMT, MBM), and a given RMID number has the same meaning from the viewpoint of any logical processors in a package. Stated another way, a thread may be associated in a 1:1 mapping with an RMID, and that

RMID may allow cache occupancy, memory bandwidth information or other monitoring data to be read back later with monitoring event codes (retrieving data is discussed in a previous section).

The association of an application thread with an RMID requires an OS to program the per-logical-processor MSR IA32_PQR_ASSOC at context swap time (updates may also be made at any other arbitrary points during program execution such as application phase changes). The IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR specifies the active RMID that monitoring hardware will use to tag internal operations, such as L3 cache requests. The layout of the MSR is shown in Figure 18-23. Software specifies the active RMID to monitor in the IA32_PQR_ASSOC.RMID field. The width of the RMID field can vary from one implementation to another, and is derived from Ceil ($\log_2 (1 + \text{CPUID}.\text{EAX}=0\text{FH}, \text{ECX}=0):\text{EBX}[31:0])$). The value of IA32_PQR_ASSOC after power-on is 0.

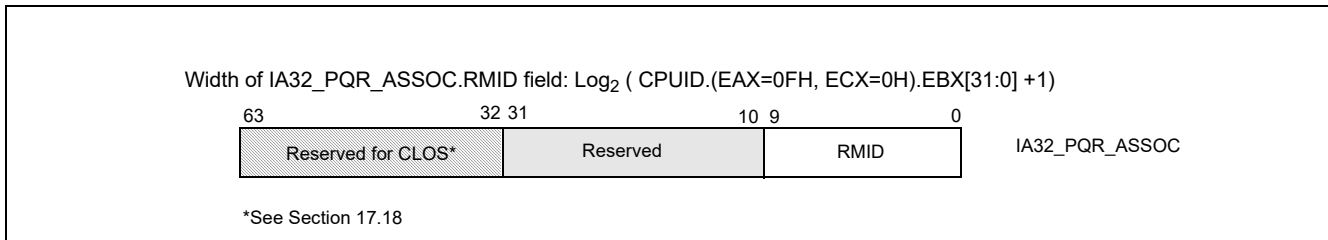


Figure 18-23. IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR

In the initial implementation, the width of the RMID field is up to 10 bits wide, zero-referenced and fully encoded. However, software must use CPUID to query the maximum RMID supported by the processor. If a value larger than the maximum RMID is written to IA32_PQR_ASSOC.RMID, a #GP(0) fault will be generated.

RMIDs have a global scope within the physical package- if an RMID is assigned to one logical processor then the same RMID can be used to read multiple thread attributes later (for example, L3 cache occupancy or external bandwidth from the L3 to the next level of the cache hierarchy). In a multiple LLC platform the RMIDs are to be reassigned by the OS or VMM scheduler when an application is migrated across LLCs.

Note that in a situation where Monitoring supports multiple resource types, some upper range of RMIDs (e.g., RMID 31) may only be supported by one resource type but not by another resource type.

18.18.7 Monitoring Resource Selection and Reporting Infrastructure

The reporting mechanism for Cache Monitoring Technology and other related features is architecturally exposed as an MSR pair that can be programmed and read to measure various metrics such as the L3 cache occupancy (CMT) and bandwidths (MBM) depending on the level of Monitoring support provided by the platform. Data is reported back on a per-RMID basis. These events do not trigger based on event counts or trigger APIC interrupts (e.g., no Performance Monitoring Interrupt occurs based on counts). Rather, they are used to sample counts explicitly.

The MSR pair for the shared resource monitoring features (CMT, MBM) is separate from and not shared with architectural Perfmon counters, meaning software can use these monitoring features simultaneously with the Perfmon counters.

Access to the aggregated monitoring information is accomplished through the following programmable monitoring MSRs:

- IA32_QM_EVTSEL: This MSR provides a role similar to the event select MSRs for programmable performance monitoring described in Chapter 18. The simplified layout of the MSR is shown in Figure 18-24. Bits IA32_QM_EVTSEL.EvtID (bits 7:0) specify an event code of a supported resource type for hardware to report monitored data associated with IA32_QM_EVTSEL.RMID (bits 41:32). Software can configure IA32_QM_EVTSEL.RMID with any RMID that is active within the physical processor. The width of IA32_QM_EVTSEL.RMID matches that of IA32_PQR_ASSOC.RMID. Supported event codes for the IA32_QM_EVTSEL register are shown in Table 18-18. Note that valid event codes may not necessarily map directly to the bit position used to enumerate support for the resource via CPUID.

Software can program an RMID / Event ID pair into the IA32_QM_EVTSEL MSR bit field to select an RMID to read a particular counter for a given resource. The currently supported list of Monitoring Event IDs is discussed in Section 18.18.5, which covers feature-specific details.

Thread access to the IA32_QM_EVTSEL and IA32_QM_CTR MSR pair should be serialized (that is, treated as a critical section under lock) to avoid situations where one thread changes the RMID/EvtID just before another thread reads monitoring data from IA32_QM_CTR.

- IA32_QM_CTR: This MSR reports monitored data when available. It contains three bit fields. If software configures an unsupported RMID or event type in IA32_QM_EVTSEL, then IA32_QM_CTR.Error (bit 63) will be set, indicating there is no valid data to report. If IA32_QM_CTR.Unavailable (bit 62) is set, it indicates monitored data for the RMID is not available, and IA32_QM_CTR.data (bits 61:0) should be ignored. Therefore, IA32_QM_CTR.data (bits 61:0) is valid only if bit 63 and 62 are both clear. For Cache Monitoring Technology, software can convert IA32_QM_CTR.data into cache occupancy or bandwidth metrics expressed in bytes by multiplying with the conversion factor from CPUID.(EAX=0FH, ECX=1H).EBX.

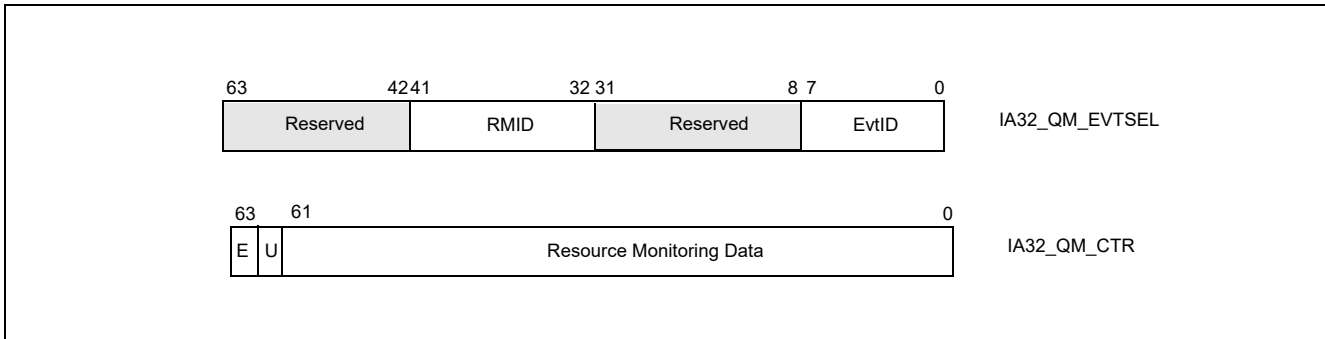


Figure 18-24. IA32_QM_EVTSEL and IA32_QM_CTR MSRs

18.18.8 Monitoring Programming Considerations

Figure 18-23 illustrates how system software can program IA32_QOSEVTSEL and IA32_QM_CTR to perform resource monitoring.

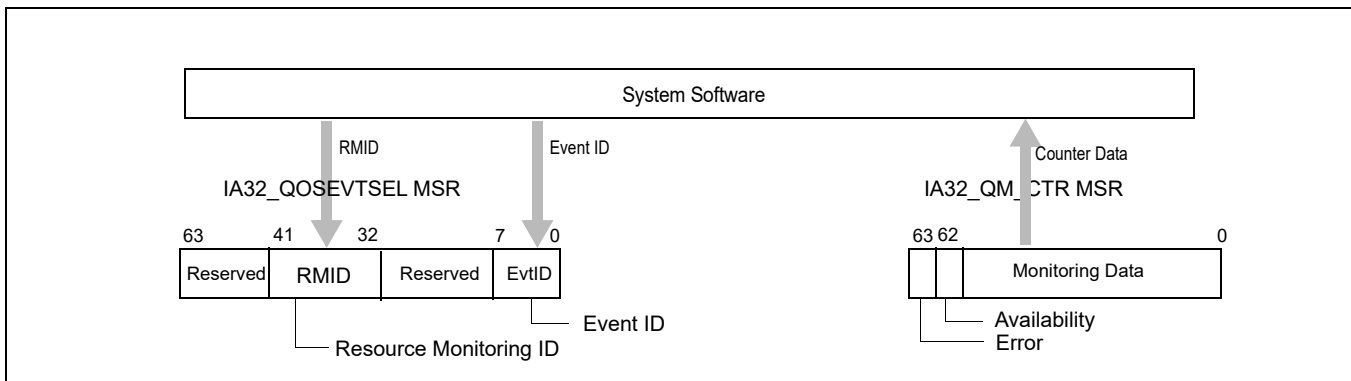


Figure 18-25. Software Usage of Cache Monitoring Resources

Though the field provided in IA32_QM_CTR allows for up to 62 bits of data to be returned, often a subset of bits are used. With Cache Monitoring Technology for instance, the number of bits used will be proportional to the base-two logarithm of the total cache size divided by the Upscaling Factor from CPUID.

In Memory Bandwidth Monitoring the initial counter size is 24 bits, and retrieving the value at 1Hz or faster is sufficient to ensure at most one rollover per sampling period. Any future changes to counter width will be enumerated to software.

18.18.8.1 Monitoring Dynamic Configuration

Both the IA32_QM_EVTSEL and IA32_PQR_ASSOC registers are accessible and modifiable at any time during execution using RDMSR/WRMSR unless otherwise noted. When writing to these MSRs a #GP(0) will be generated if any of the following conditions occur:

- A reserved bit is modified,
- An RMID exceeding the maxRMID is used.

18.18.8.2 Monitoring Operation With Power Saving Features

Note that some advanced power management features such as deep package C-states may shrink the L3 cache and cause CMT occupancy count to be reduced. MBM bandwidth counts may increase due to flushing cached data out of L3.

18.18.8.3 Monitoring Operation with Other Operating Modes

The states in IA32_PQR_ASSOC and monitoring counter are unmodified across an SMI delivery. Thus, the execution of SMM handler code and SMM handler's data can manifest as spurious contribution in the monitored data.

It is possible for an SMM handler to minimize the impact on of spurious contribution in the QOS monitoring counters by reserving a dedicated RMID for monitoring the SMM handler. Such an SMM handler can save the previously configured QOS Monitoring state immediately upon entering SMM, and restoring the QOS monitoring state back to the prev-SMM RMID upon exit.

18.18.8.4 Monitoring Operation with RAS Features

In general, the Reliability, Availability, and Serviceability (RAS) features present in Intel Platforms are not expected to significantly affect shared resource monitoring counts. In cases where software RAS features cause memory copies or cache accesses, these may be tracked and may influence the shared resource monitoring counter values.

18.19 INTEL® RESOURCE DIRECTOR TECHNOLOGY (INTEL® RDT) ALLOCATION FEATURES

The Intel Resource Director Technology (Intel RDT) feature set provides a set of allocation (resource control) capabilities including Cache Allocation Technology (CAT) and Code and Data Prioritization (CDP). The Intel Xeon processor E5 v4 family (and a subset of communication-focused processors in the Intel Xeon E5 v3 family) introduce capabilities to configure and make use of the Cache Allocation Technology (CAT) mechanisms on the L3 cache. Certain Intel Atom processors also provide support for control over the L2 cache, with capabilities as described below. The programming interface for Cache Allocation Technology and for the more general allocation capabilities are described in the rest of this chapter. The CAT and CDP capabilities, where architecturally supported, may be detected and enumerated in software using the CPUID instruction, as described in this chapter.

The Intel Xeon Scalable Processor Family introduces the Memory Bandwidth Allocation (MBA) feature which provides indirect control over the memory bandwidth available to CPU cores, and is discussed later in this chapter.

18.19.1 Introduction to Cache Allocation Technology (CAT)

Cache Allocation Technology enables an Operating System (OS), Hypervisor /Virtual Machine Manager (VMM) or similar system service management agent to specify the amount of cache space into which an application can fill (as a hint to hardware - certain features such as power management may override CAT settings). Specialized user-level implementations with minimal OS support are also possible, though not necessarily recommended (see notes below for OS/Hypervisor with respect to ring 3 software and virtual guests). Depending on the processor family, L2 or L3 cache allocation capability may be provided, and the technology is designed to scale across multiple cache levels and technology generations.

Software can determine which levels are supported in a given platform programmatically using CPUID as described in the following sections.

The CAT mechanisms defined in this document provide the following key features:

- A mechanism to enumerate platform Cache Allocation Technology capabilities and available resource types that provides CAT control capabilities. For implementations that support Cache Allocation Technology, CPUID provides enumeration support to query which levels of the cache hierarchy are supported and specific CAT capabilities, such as the max allocation bitmask size,
- A mechanism for the OS or Hypervisor to configure the amount of a resource available to a particular Class of Service via a list of allocation bitmasks,
- Mechanisms for the OS or Hypervisor to signal the Class of Service to which an application belongs, and
- Hardware mechanisms to guide the LLC fill policy when an application has been designated to belong to a specific Class of Service.

Note that for many usages, an OS or Hypervisor may not want to expose Cache Allocation Technology mechanisms to Ring3 software or virtualized guests.

The Cache Allocation Technology feature enables more cache resources (i.e., cache space) to be made available for high priority applications based on guidance from the execution environment as shown in Figure 18-26. The architecture also allows dynamic resource reassignment during runtime to further optimize the performance of the high priority application with minimal degradation to the low priority app. Additionally, resources can be rebalanced for system throughput benefit across uses cases of OSES, VMMs, containers, and other scenarios by managing the CPUID and MSR interfaces. This section describes the hardware and software support required in the platform including what is required of the execution environment (i.e., OS/VMM) to support such resource control. Note that in Figure 18-26 the L3 Cache is shown as an example resource.

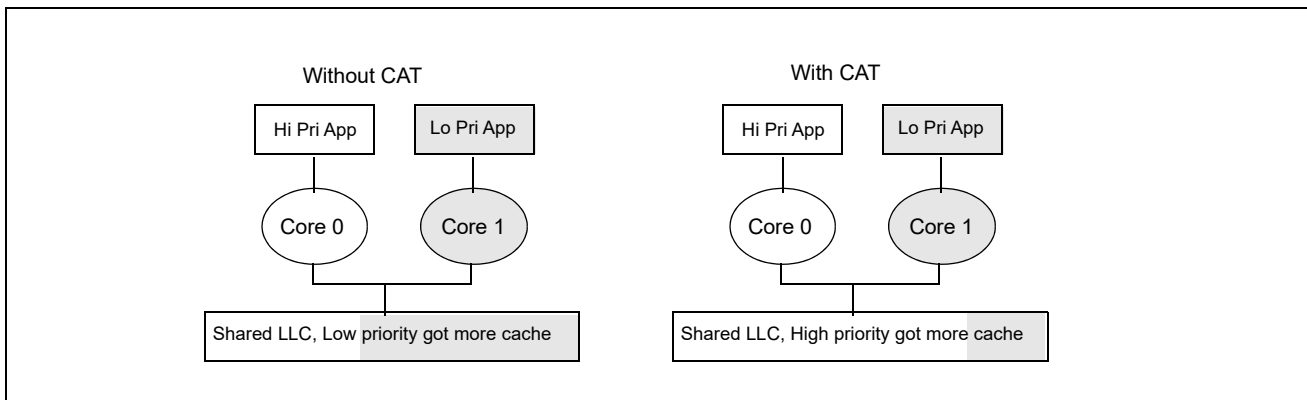


Figure 18-26. Cache Allocation Technology Enables Allocation of More Resources to High Priority Applications

18.19.2 Cache Allocation Technology Architecture

The fundamental goal of Cache Allocation Technology is to enable resource allocation based on application priority or Class of Service (COS or CLOS). The processor exposes a set of Classes of Service into which applications (or individual threads) can be assigned. Cache allocation for the respective applications or threads is then restricted based on the class with which they are associated. Each Class of Service can be configured using capacity bitmasks (CBMs) which represent capacity and indicate the degree of overlap and isolation between classes. For each logical processor there is a register exposed (referred to here as the IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR or PQR) to allow the OS/VMM to specify a COS when an application, thread or VM is scheduled.

The usage of Classes of Service (COS) are consistent across resources and a COS may have multiple resource control attributes attached, which reduces software overhead at context swap time. Rather than adding new types of COS tags per resource for instance, the COS management overhead is constant. Cache allocation for the indicated application/thread/container/VM is then controlled automatically by the hardware based on the class and the bitmask associated with that class. Bitmasks are configured via the IA32_resourceType_MASK_n MSRs, where resourceType indicates a resource type (e.g., "L3" for the L3 cache) and "n" indicates a COS number.

The basic ingredients of Cache Allocation Technology are as follows:

- An architecturally exposed mechanism using CPUID to indicate whether CAT is supported, and what resource types are available which can be controlled,
- For each available resourceType, CPUID also enumerates the total number of Classes of Services and the length of the capacity bitmasks that can be used to enforce cache allocation to applications on the platform,
- An architecturally exposed mechanism to allow the execution environment (OS/VMM) to configure the behavior of different classes of service using the bitmasks available,
- An architecturally exposed mechanism to allow the execution environment (OS/VMM) to assign a COS to an executing software thread (i.e., associating the active CR3 of a logical processor with the COS in IA32_PQR_ASSOC),
- Implementation-dependent mechanisms to indicate which COS is associated with a memory access and to enforce the cache allocation on a per COS basis.

A capacity bitmask (CBM) provides a hint to the hardware indicating the cache space an application should be limited to as well as providing an indication of overlap and isolation in the CAT-capable cache from other applications contending for the cache. The bit length of the capacity mask available generally depends on the configuration of the cache and is specified in the enumeration process for CAT in CPUID (this may vary between models in a processor family as well). Similarly, other parameters such as the number of supported COS may vary for each resource type, and these details can be enumerated via CPUID.

	M7	M6	M5	M4	M3	M2	M1	M0	
COS0	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	Default Bitmask
COS1	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	
COS2	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	
COS3	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	
	M7	M6	M5	M4	M3	M2	M1	M0	
COS0	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	Overlapped Bitmask
COS1					A	A	A	A	
COS2							A	A	
COS3								A	
	M7	M6	M5	M4	M3	M2	M1	M0	
COS0	A	A	A	A					Isolated Bitmask
COS1					A	A			
COS2							A		
COS3								A	

Figure 18-27. Examples of Cache Capacity Bitmasks

Sample cache capacity bitmasks for a bit length of 8 are shown in Figure 18-27. Please note that all (and only) contiguous '1' combinations are allowed (e.g., FFFFH, 0FF0H, 003CH, etc.). Attempts to program a value without contiguous '1's (including zero) will result in a general protection fault (#GP(0)). It is generally expected that in way-based implementations, one capacity mask bit corresponds to some number of ways in cache, but the specific mapping is implementation-dependent. In all cases, a mask bit set to '1' specifies that a particular Class of Service can allocate into the cache subset represented by that bit. A value of '0' in a mask bit specifies that a Class of

Service cannot allocate into the given cache subset. In general, allocating more cache to a given application is usually beneficial to its performance.

Figure 18-27 also shows three examples of sets of Cache Capacity Bitmasks. For simplicity these are represented as 8-bit vectors, though this may vary depending on the implementation and how the mask is mapped to the available cache capacity. The first example shows the default case where all 4 Classes of Service (the total number of COS are implementation-dependent) have full access to the cache. The second case shows an overlapped case, which would allow some lower-priority threads share cache space with the highest priority threads. The third case shows various non-overlapped partitioning schemes. As a matter of software policy for extensibility COS0 should typically be considered and configured as the highest priority COS, followed by COS1, and so on, though there is no hardware restriction enforcing this mapping. When the system boots all threads are initialized to COS0, which has full access to the cache by default.

Though the representation of the CBMs looks similar to a way-based mapping they are independent of any specific enforcement implementation (e.g., way partitioning.) Rather, this is a convenient manner to represent capacity, overlap, and isolation of cache space. For example, executing a POPCNT instruction (population count of set bits) on the capacity bitmask can provide the fraction of cache space that a class of service can allocate into. In addition to the fraction, the exact location of the bits also shows whether the class of service overlaps with other classes of service or is entirely isolated in terms of cache space used.

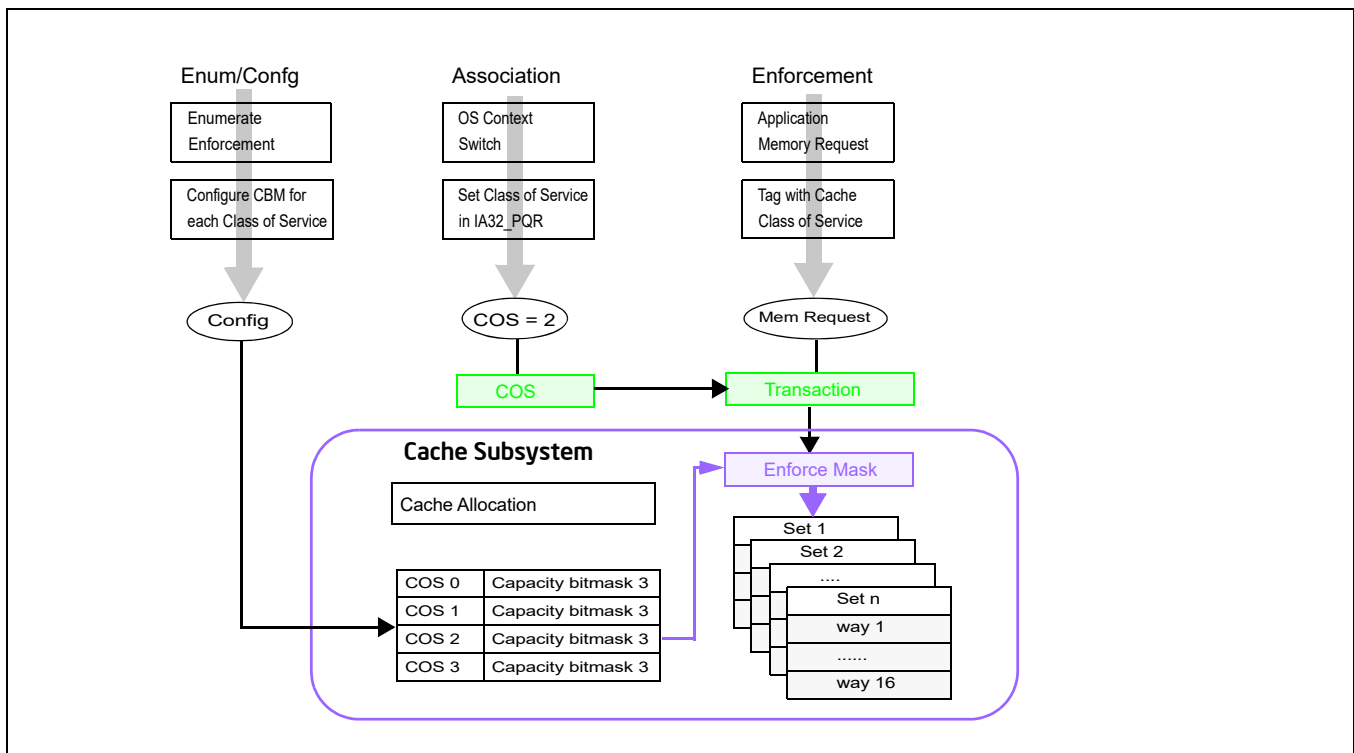


Figure 18-28. Class of Service and Cache Capacity Bitmasks

Figure 18-28 shows how the Cache Capacity Bitmasks and the per-logical-processor Class of Service are logically used to enable Cache Allocation Technology. All (and only) contiguous 1's in the CBM are permitted. The length of a CBM may vary from resource to resource or between processor generations and can be enumerated using CPUID. From the available mask set and based on the goals of the OS/VMM (shared or isolated cache, etc.) bitmasks are selected and associated with different classes of service. For the available Classes of Service the associated CBMs can be programmed via the global set of CAT configuration registers (in the case of L3 CAT, via the IA32_L3_MASK_n MSRs, where "n" is the Class of Service, starting from zero). In all architectural implementations supporting CPUID it is possible to change the CBMs dynamically, during program execution, unless stated otherwise by Intel.

The currently running application's Class of Service is communicated to the hardware through the per-logical-processor PQR MSR (IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR). When the OS schedules an application thread on a logical processor,

the application thread is associated with a specific COS (i.e., the corresponding COS in the PQR) and all requests to the CAT-capable resource from that logical processor are tagged with that COS (in other words, the application thread is configured to belong to a specific COS). The cache subsystem uses this tagged request information to enforce QoS. The capacity bitmask may be mapped into a way bitmask (or a similar enforcement entity based on the implementation) at the cache before it is applied to the allocation policy. For example, the capacity bitmask can be an 8-bit mask and the enforcement may be accomplished using a 16-way bitmask for a cache enforcement implementation based on way partitioning.

The following sections describe extensions of CAT such as Code and Data Prioritization (CDP), followed by details on specific features such as L3 CAT, L3 CDP, L2 CAT, and L2 CDP. Depending on the specific processor a mix of features may be supported, and CPUID provides enumeration capabilities to enable software to dynamically detect the set of supported features.

18.19.3 Code and Data Prioritization (CDP) Technology

Code and Data Prioritization Technology is an extension of CAT. CDP enables isolation and separate prioritization of code and data fetches to the L2 or L3 cache in a software configurable manner, depending on hardware support, which can enable workload prioritization and tuning of cache capacity to the characteristics of the workload. CDP extends Cache Allocation Technology (CAT) by providing separate code and data masks per Class of Service (COS). Support for the L2 CDP feature and the L3 CDP features are separately enumerated (via CPUID) and separately controlled (via remapping the L2 CAT MSRs or L3 CAT MSRs respectively). Section 18.19.6.3 and Section 18.19.7 provide details on enumerating, controlling, and enabling L3 and L2 CDP respectively, while this section provides a general overview.

The L3 CDP feature was first introduced on the Intel Xeon E5 v4 family of server processors, as an extension to L3 CAT. The L2 CDP feature is first introduced on future Intel Atom family processors, as an extension to L2 CAT.

By default, CDP is disabled on the processor. If the CAT MSRs are used without enabling CDP, the processor operates in a traditional CAT-only mode. When CDP is enabled,

- the CAT mask MSRs are re-mapped into interleaved pairs of mask MSRs for data or code fetches (see Figure 18-29),²
- the range of COS for CAT is re-indexed, with the lower-half of the COS range available for CDP.

Using the CDP feature, virtual isolation between code and data can be configured on the L2 or L3 cache if desired, similar to how some processor cache levels provide separate L1 data and L1 instruction caches.

Like the CAT feature, CDP may be dynamically configured by privileged software at any point during normal system operation, including dynamically enabling or disabling the feature provided that certain software configuration requirements are met (see Section 18.19.5).

An example of the operating mode of CDP is shown in Figure 18-29. Shown at the top are traditional CAT usage models where capacity masks map 1:1 with a COS number to enable control over the cache space which a given COS (and thus applications, threads or VMs) may occupy. Shown at the bottom are example mask configurations where CDP is enabled, and each COS number maps 1:2 to two masks, one for code and one for data. This enables code and data to be either overlapped or isolated to varying degrees either globally or on a per-COS basis, depending on application and system needs.

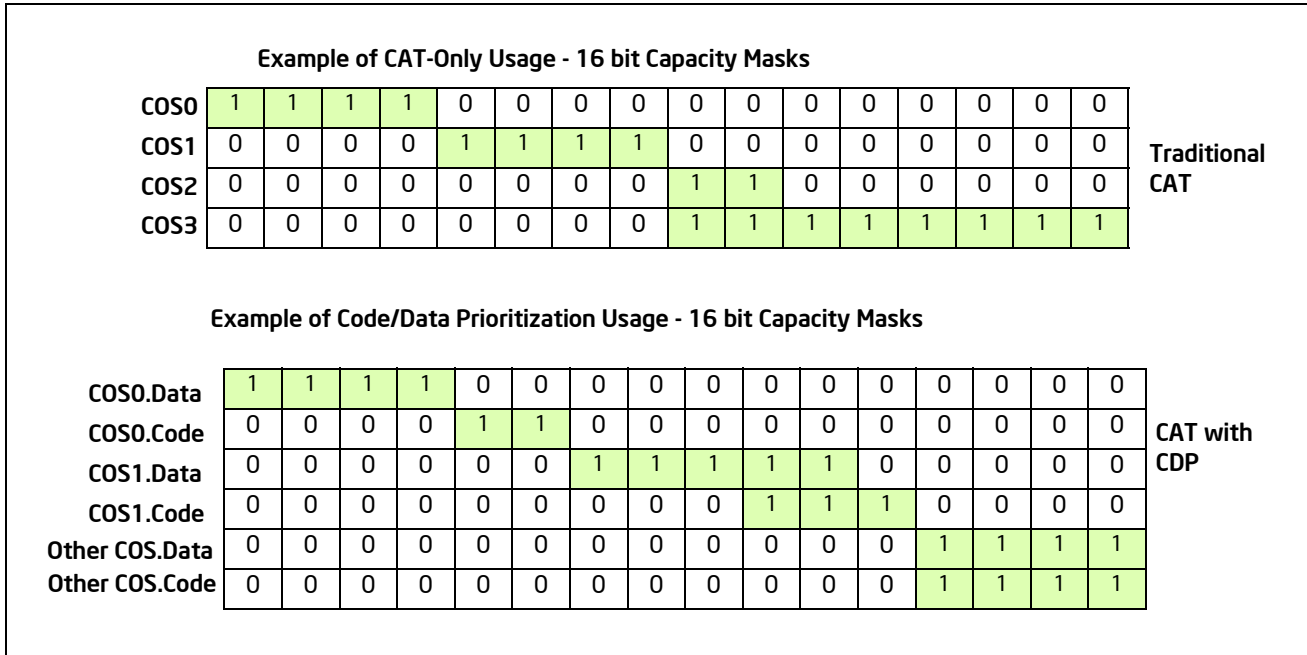


Figure 18-29. Code and Data Capacity Bitmasks of CDP

When CDP is enabled, the existing mask space for CAT-only operation is split. As an example if the system supports 16 CAT-only COS, when CDP is enabled the same MSR interfaces are used, however half of the masks correspond to code, half correspond to data, and the effective number of COS is reduced by half. Code/Data masks are defined per-COS and interleaved in the MSR space as described in subsequent sections.

In cases where CPUID exposes a non-even number of supported Classes of Service for the CAT or CDP features, software using CDP should use the lower matched pairs of code/data masks, and any upper unpaired masks should not be used. As an example, if CPUID exposes 5 CLOS, when CDP is enabled then two code/data pairs are available (masks 0/1 for CLOS[0] data/code and masks 2/3 for CLOS[1] data/code), however the upper un-paired mask should not be used (mask 4 in this case) or undefined behavior may result.

18.19.4 Enabling Cache Allocation Technology Usage Flow

Figure 18-30 illustrates the key steps for OS/VMM to detect support of Cache Allocation Technology and enable priority-based resource allocation for a CAT-capable resource.

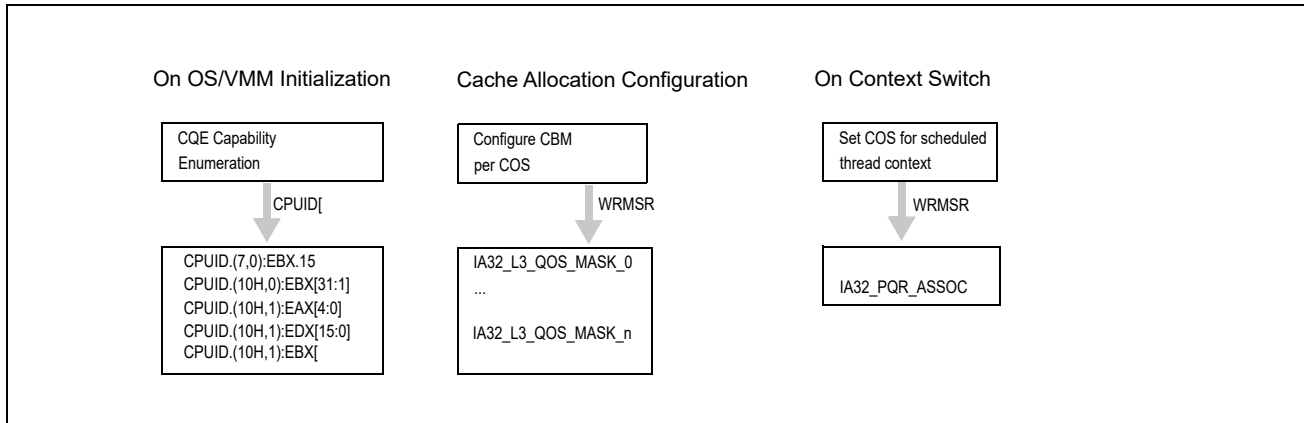


Figure 18-30. Cache Allocation Technology Usage Flow

Enumeration and configuration of L2 CAT is similar to L3 CAT, however CPUID details and MSR addresses differ. Common CLOS are used across the features.

18.19.4.1 Enumeration and Detection Support of Cache Allocation Technology

Software can query processor support of CAT capabilities by executing CPUID instruction with EAX = 07H, ECX = 0H as input. If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.PQE[bit 15] reports 1, the processor supports software control over shared processor resources. Software must use CPUID leaf 10H to enumerate additional details of available resource types, classes of services and capability bitmasks. The programming interfaces provided by Cache Allocation Technology include:

- CPUID leaf function 10H (Cache Allocation Technology Enumeration leaf) and its sub-functions provide information on available resource types, and CAT capability for each resource type (see Section 18.19.4.2).
- IA32_L3_MASK_n: A range of MSRs is provided for each resource type, each MSR within that range specifying a software-configured capacity bitmask for each class of service. For L3 with Cache Allocation support, the CBM is specified using one of the IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_n MSR, where 'n' corresponds to a number within the supported range of COS, i.e., the range between 0 and CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID):EDX[15:0], inclusive. See Section 18.19.4.3 for details.
- IA32_L2_MASK_n: A range of MSRs is provided for L2 Cache Allocation Technology, enabling software control over the amount of L2 cache available for each CLOS. Similar to L3 CAT, a CBM is specified for each CLOS using the set of registers, IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_n MSR, where 'n' ranges from zero to the maximum CLOS number reported for L2 CAT in CPUID. See Section 18.19.4.3 for details.

The L2 mask MSRs are scoped at the same level as the L2 cache (similarly, the L3 mask MSRs are scoped at the same level as the L3 cache). Software may determine which logical processors share an MSR (for instance local to a core, or shared across multiple cores) by performing a write to one of these MSRs and noting which logical threads observe the change. Example flows for a similar method to determine register scope are described in Section 16.5.2, "System Software Recommendation for Managing CMCI and Machine Check Resources." Software may also use CPUID leaf 4 to determine the maximum number of logical processor IDs that may share a given level of the cache.

- IA32_PQR_ASSOC.CLOS: The IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR provides a COS field that OS/VMM can use to assign a logical processor to an available COS. The set of COS are common across all allocation features, meaning that multiple features may be supported in the same processor without additional software COS management overhead at context swap time. See Section 18.19.4.4 for details.

18.19.4.2 Cache Allocation Technology: Resource Type and Capability Enumeration

CPUID leaf function 10H (Cache Allocation Technology Enumeration leaf) provides two or more sub-functions:

- CAT Enumeration leaf sub-function 0 enumerates available resource types that support allocation control, i.e., by executing CPUID with EAX=10H and ECX=0H. Each supported resource type is represented by a bit field in

CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=0):EBX[31:1]. The bit position of each set bit corresponds to a Resource ID (ResID), for instance ResID=1 is used to indicate L3 CAT support, and ResID=2 indicates L2 CAT support. The ResID is also the sub-leaf index that software must use to query details of the CAT capability of that resource type (see Figure 18-31).

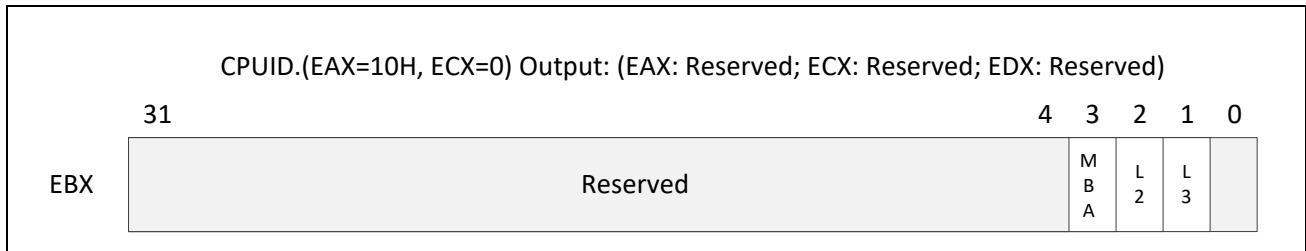


Figure 18-31. CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=0H) Available Resource Type Identification

- For ECX>0, EAX[4:0] reports the length of the capacity bitmask (ECX=1 or 2 for L3 CAT or L2 CAT respectively) using minus-one notation, e.g., a value of 15 corresponds to the capacity bitmask having length of 16 bits. Bits 31:5 of EAX are reserved.
- Sub-functions of CPUID.EAX=10H with a non-zero ECX input matching a supported ResID enumerate the specific enforcement details of the corresponding ResID. The capabilities enumerated include the length of the capacity bitmasks and the number of Classes of Service for a given ResID. Software should query the capability of each available ResID that supports CAT from a sub-leaf of leaf 10H using the sub-leaf index reported by the corresponding non-zero bit in CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=0):EBX[31:1] in order to obtain additional feature details.
- CAT capability for L3 is enumerated by CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1H), see Figure 18-32. The specific CAT capabilities reported by CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1) are:

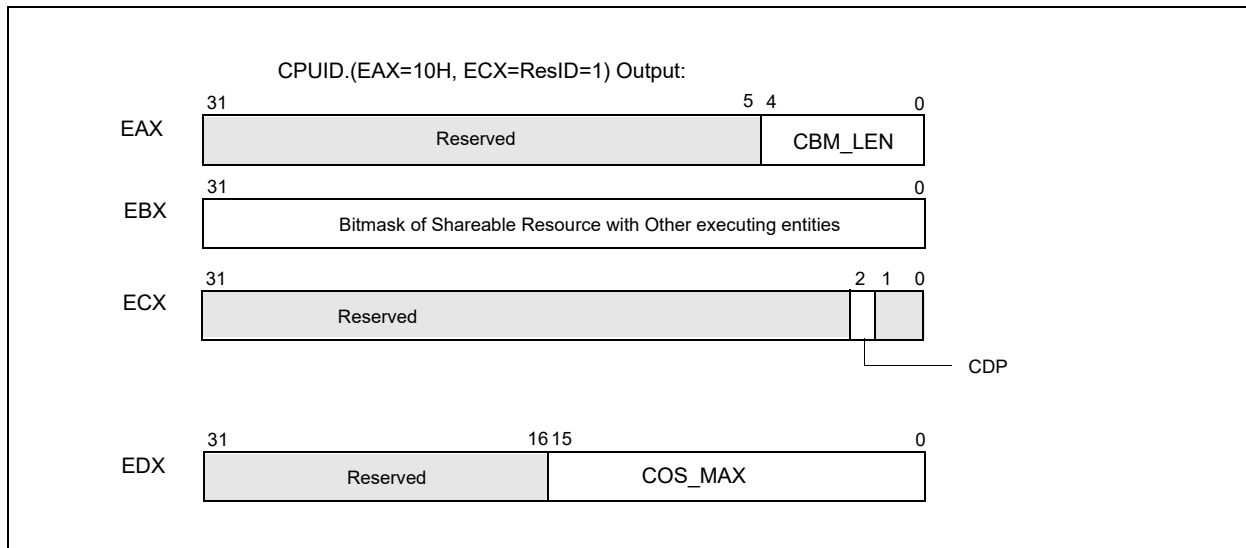


Figure 18-32. L3 Cache Allocation Technology and CDP Enumeration

- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=1):EAX[4:0] reports the length of the capacity bitmask using minus-one notation, e.g., a value of 15 corresponds to the capability bitmask having length of 16 bits. Bits 31:5 of EAX are reserved.
- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EBX[31:0] reports a bit mask. Each set bit within the length of the CBM indicates the corresponding unit of the L3 allocation may be used by other entities in the platform (e.g., an

integrated graphics engine or hardware units outside the processor core and have direct access to L3). Each cleared bit within the length of the CBM indicates the corresponding allocation unit can be configured to implement a priority-based allocation scheme chosen by an OS/VMM without interference with other hardware agents in the system. Bits outside the length of the CBM are reserved.

- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):ECX.CDP[bit 2]: If 1, indicates L3 Code and Data Prioritization Technology is supported (see Section 18.19.5). Other bits of CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):ECX are reserved.
- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX[15:0] reports the maximum COS supported for the resource (COS are zero-referenced, meaning a reported value of '15' would indicate 16 total supported COS). Bits 31:16 are reserved.
- CAT capability for L2 is enumerated by CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2H), see Figure 18-33. The specific CAT capabilities reported by CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2) are:

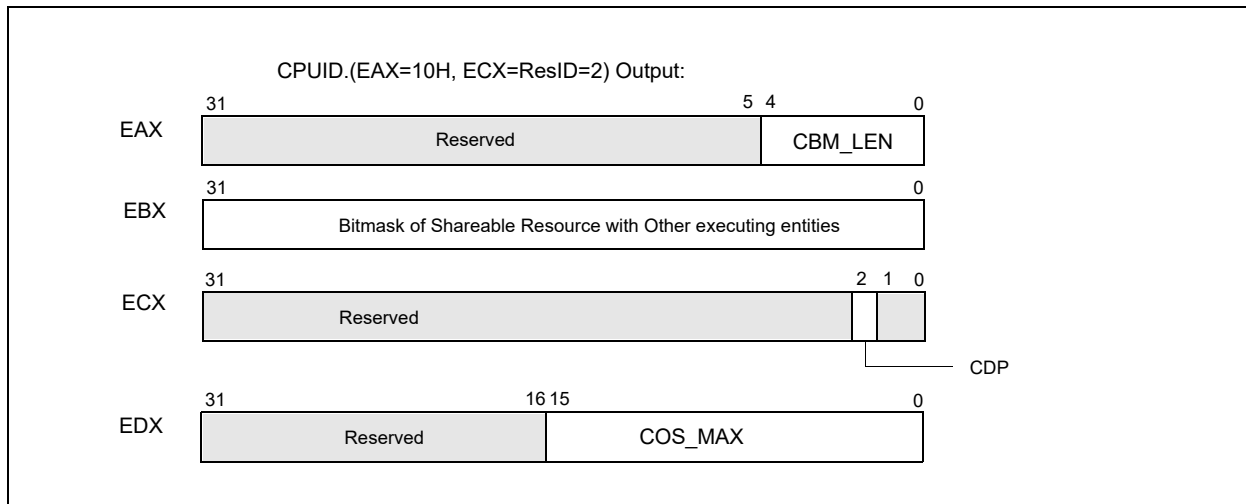


Figure 18-33. L2 Cache Allocation Technology

- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=2):EAX[4:0] reports the length of the capacity bitmask using minus-one notation, e.g., a value of 15 corresponds to the capability bitmask having length of 16 bits. Bits 31:5 of EAX are reserved.
- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):EBX[31:0] reports a bit mask. Each set bit within the length of the CBM indicates the corresponding unit of the L2 allocation may be used by other entities in the platform. Each cleared bit within the length of the CBM indicates the corresponding allocation unit can be configured to implement a priority-based allocation scheme chosen by an OS/VMM without interference with other hardware agents in the system. Bits outside the length of the CBM are reserved.
- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):ECX.CDP[bit 2]: If 1, indicates L2 Code and Data Prioritization Technology is supported (see Section 17.19.6). Other bits of CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):ECX are reserved.
- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):EDX[15:0] reports the maximum COS supported for the resource (COS are zero-referenced, meaning a reported value of '15' would indicate 16 total supported COS). Bits 31:16 are reserved.

A note on migration of Classes of Service (COS): Software should minimize migrations of COS across logical processors (across threads or cores), as a reduction in the performance of the Cache Allocation Technology feature may result if COS are migrated frequently. This is aligned with the industry-standard practice of minimizing unnecessary thread migrations across processor cores in order to avoid excessive time spent warming up processor caches after a migration. In general, for best performance, minimize thread migration and COS migration across processor logical threads and processor cores.

18.19.4.3 Cache Allocation Technology: Cache Mask Configuration

After determining the length of the capacity bitmasks (CBM) and number of COS supported using CPUID (see Section 18.19.4.2), each COS needs to be programmed with a CBM to dictate its available cache via a write to the corresponding IA32_resourceType_MASK_n register, where 'n' corresponds to a number within the supported range of COS, i.e., the range between 0 and CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID):EDX[15:0], inclusive, and 'resourceType' corresponds to a specific resource as enumerated by the set bits of CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=0):EBX[31:1], for instance, 'L2' or 'L3' cache.

A hierarchy of MSRs is reserved for Cache Allocation Technology registers of the form IA32_resourceType_MASK_n:

- From 0C90H through 0D8FH (inclusive), providing support for multiple sub-ranges to support varying resource types. The first supported resourceType is 'L3', corresponding to the L3 cache in a platform. The MSRs range from 0C90H through 0D0FH (inclusive), enables support for up to 128 L3 CAT Classes of Service.

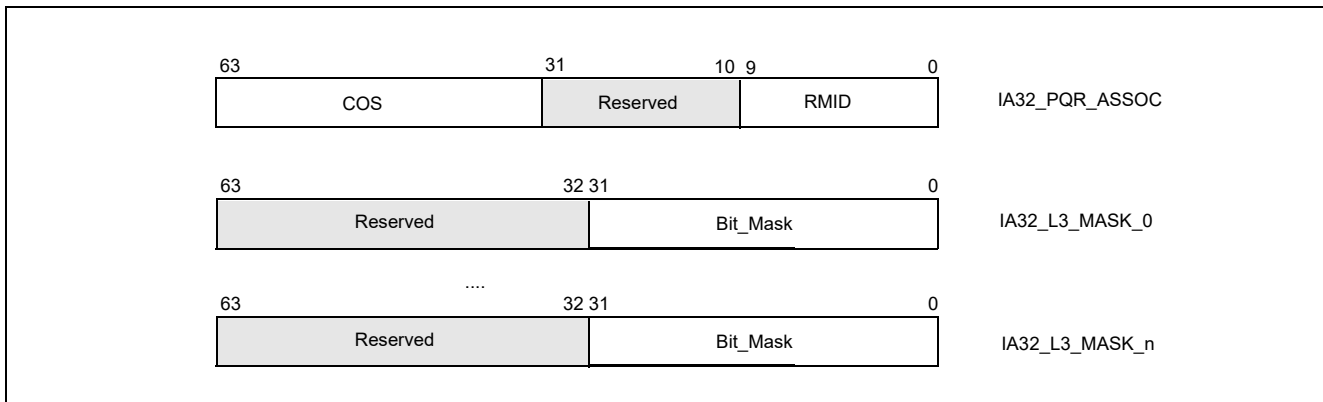


Figure 18-34. IA32_PQR_ASSOC, IA32_L3_MASK_n MSRs

- Within the same CAT range hierarchy, another set of registers is defined for resourceType 'L2', corresponding to the L2 cache in a platform, and MSRs IA32_L2_MASK_n are defined for n=[0,63] at addresses 0D10H through 0D4FH (inclusive).

Figure 18-34 and Figure 18-35 provide an overview of the relevant registers.

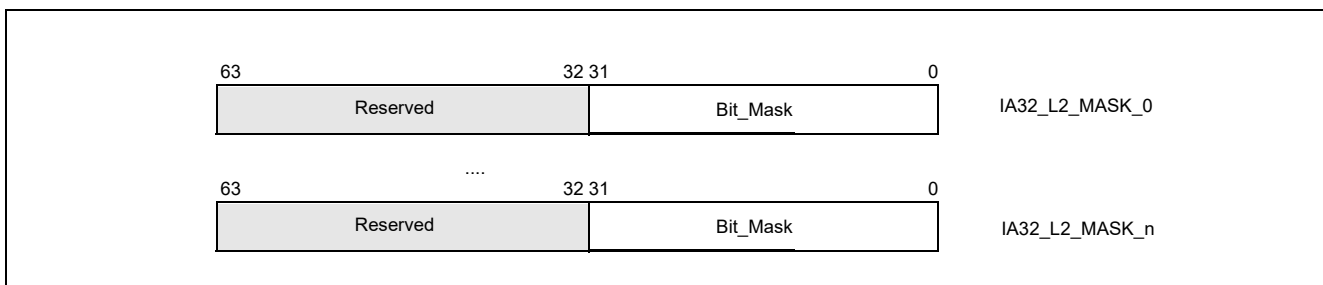


Figure 18-35. IA32_L2_MASK_n MSRs

All CAT configuration registers can be accessed using the standard RDMSR / WRMSR instructions.

Note that once L3 or L2 CAT masks are configured, threads can be grouped into Classes of Service (COS) using the IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR as described in Section 18.19.4.4, "Class of Service to Cache Mask Association: Common Across Allocation Features."

18.19.4.4 Class of Service to Cache Mask Association: Common Across Allocation Features

After configuring the available classes of service with the preferred set of capacity bitmasks, the OS/VMM can set the IA32_PQR_ASSOC.COS of a logical processor to the class of service with the desired CBM when a thread context switch occurs. This allows the OS/VMM to indicate which class of service an executing thread/VM belongs

within. Each logical processor contains an instance of the IA32_PQR_ASSOC register at MSR location 0C8FH, and Figure 18-34 shows the bit field layout for this register. Bits[63:32] contain the COS field for each logical processor.

Note that placing the RMID field within the same PQR register enables both RMID and CLOS to be swapped at context swap time for simultaneous use of monitoring and allocation features with a single register write for efficiency.

When CDP is enabled, Specifying a COS value in IA32_PQR_ASSOC.COS greater than MAX_COS_CDP = (CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX[15:0] >> 1) will cause undefined performance impact to code and data fetches. In all cases, code and data masks for L2 and L3 CDP should be programmed with at least one bit set.

Note that if the IA32_PQR_ASSOC.COS is never written then the CAT capability defaults to using COS 0, which in turn is set to the default mask in IA32_L3_MASK_0 - which is all “1”s (on reset). This essentially disables the enforcement feature by default or for legacy operating systems and software.

See Section 18.19.7, “Introduction to Memory Bandwidth Allocation,” for important COS programming considerations including maximum values when using CAT and CDP.

18.19.5 Code and Data Prioritization (CDP): Enumerating and Enabling L3 CDP Technology

L3 CDP is an extension of L3 CAT. The presence of the L3 CDP feature is enumerated via CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):ECX.CDP[bit 2] (see Figure 18-32). Most of the CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1) sub-leaf data that applies to CAT also apply to CDP. However, CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX_CAT specifies the maximum COS applicable to CAT-only operation. For CDP operations, COS_MAX_CDP is equal to (CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX_CAT >> 1).

If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):ECX.CDP[bit 2] = 1, the processor supports CDP and provides a new MSR IA32_L3_QOS_CFG at address 0C81H. The layout of IA32_L3_QOS_CFG is shown in Figure 18-36. The bit field definition of IA32_L3_QOS_CFG are:

- Bit 0: L3 CDP Enable. If set, enables CDP, maps CAT mask MSRs into pairs of Data Mask and Code Mask MSRs. The maximum allowed value to write into IA32_PQR_ASSOC.COS is COS_MAX_CDP.
- Bits 63:1: Reserved. Attempts to write to reserved bits result in a #GP(0).

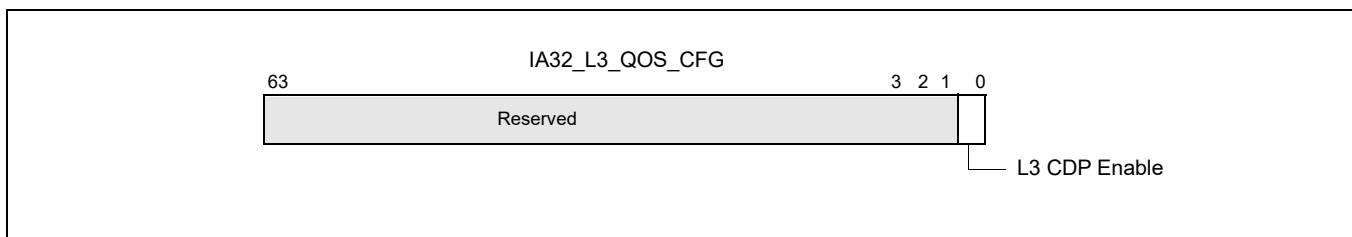


Figure 18-36. Layout of IA32_L3_QOS_CFG

IA32_L3_QOS_CFG default values are all 0s at RESET, the mask MSRs are all 1s. Hence, all logical processors are initialized in COS0 allocated with the entire L3 with CDP disabled, until software programs CAT and CDP. The scope of the IA32_L3_QOS_CFG MSR is defined to be the same scope as the L3 cache (e.g., typically per processor socket). Refer to Section 18.19.7 for software considerations while enabling or disabling L3 CDP.

18.19.5.1 Mapping Between L3 CDP Masks and CAT Masks

When CDP is enabled, the existing CAT mask MSR space is re-mapped to provide a code mask and a data mask per COS. The re-mapping is shown in Table 18-19.

Table 18-19. Re-indexing of COS Numbers and Mapping to CAT/CDP Mask MSRs

Mask MSR	CAT-only Operation	CDP Operation
IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_0	COS0	COS0.Data
IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_1	COS1	COS0.Code
IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_2	COS2	COS1.Data
IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_3	COS3	COS1.Code
IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_4	COS4	COS2.Data
IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_5	COS5	COS2.Code
....
IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_‘2n’	COS‘2n’	COS‘n’.Data
IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_‘2n+1’	COS‘2n+1’	COS‘n’.Code

One can derive the MSR address for the data mask or code mask for a given COS number ‘n’ by:

- data_mask_address (n) = base + (n <<1), where base is the address of IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_0.
- code_mask_address (n) = base + (n <<1) +1.

When CDP is enabled, each COS is mapped 1:2 with mask MSRs, with one mask enabling programmatic control over data fill location and one mask enabling control over code placement. A variety of overlapped and isolated mask configurations are possible (see the example in Figure 18-29).

Mask MSR field definitions remain the same. Capacity masks must be formed of contiguous set bits, with a length of 1 bit or longer and should not exceed the maximum mask length specified in CPUID. As examples, valid masks on a cache with max bitmask length of 16b (from CPUID) include 0xFFFF, 0xFF00, 0x00FF, 0x00F0, 0x0001, 0x0003, and so on. Maximum valid mask lengths are unchanged whether CDP is enabled or disabled, and writes of invalid mask values may lead to undefined behavior. Writes to reserved bits will generate #GP(0).

18.19.6 Code and Data Prioritization (CDP): Enumerating and Enabling L2 CDP Technology

L2 CDP is an extension of the L2 CAT feature. The presence of the L2 CDP feature is enumerated via CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):ECX.CDP[bit 2] (see Figure 17-33). Most of the CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2) sub-leaf data that applies to CAT also apply to CDP. However, CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):EDX.COS_MAX_CAT specifies the maximum COS applicable to CAT-only operation. For CDP operations, COS_MAX_CDP is equal to (CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):EDX.COS_MAX_CAT >>1).

If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):ECX.CDP[bit 2] =1, the processor supports L2 CDP and provides a new MSR IA32_L2_QOS_CFG at address 0C82H. The layout of IA32_L2_QOS_CFG is shown in Figure 18-37. The bit field definition of IA32_L2_QOS_CFG are:

- Bit 0: L2 CDP Enable. If set, enables CDP, maps CAT mask MSRs into pairs of Data Mask and Code Mask MSRs. The maximum allowed value to write into IA32_PQR_ASSOC.COS is COS_MAX_CDP.
- Bits 63:1: Reserved. Attempts to write to reserved bits result in a #GP(0).

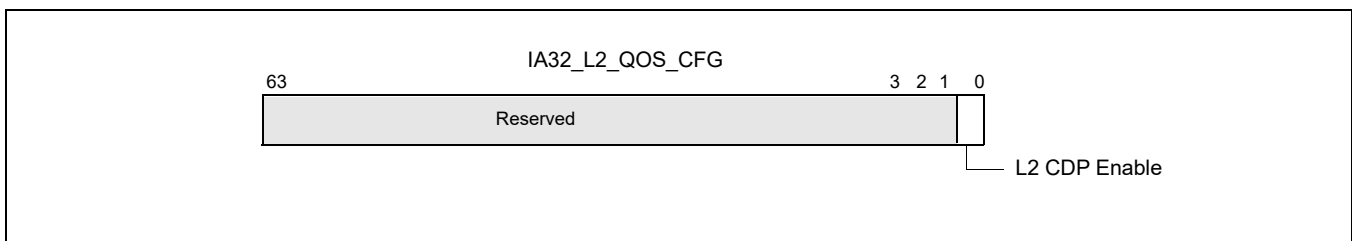


Figure 18-37. Layout of IA32_L2_QOS_CFG

IA32_L2_QOS_CFG default values are all 0s at RESET, and the mask MSRs are all 1s. Hence all logical processors are initialized in COS0 allocated with the entire L2 available and with CDP disabled, until software programs CAT and CDP. The IA32_L2_QOS_CFG MSR is defined at the same scope as the L2 cache, typically at the module level for Intel Atom processors for instance. In processors with multiple modules present it is recommended to program the IA32_L2_QOS_CFG MSR consistently across all modules for simplicity.

18.19.6.1 Mapping Between L2 CDP Masks and L2 CAT Masks

When CDP is enabled, the existing CAT mask MSR space is re-mapped to provide a code mask and a data mask per COS. This remapping is the same as the remapping shown in Table 17-19 for L3 CDP, but for the L2 MSR block (IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_n) instead of the L3 MSR block (IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_n). The same code / data mask mapping algorithm applies to remapping the MSR block between code and data masks.

As with L3 CDP, when L2 CDP is enabled, each COS is mapped 1:2 with mask MSRs, with one mask enabling programmatic control over data fill location and one mask enabling control over code placement. A variety of overlapped and isolated mask configurations are possible (see the example in Figure 18-29).

Mask MSR field definitions for L2 CDP remain the same as for L2 CAT. Capacity masks must be formed of contiguous set bits, with a length of 1 bit or longer and should not exceed the maximum mask length specified in CPUID. As examples, valid masks on a cache with max bitmask length of 16b (from CPUID) include 0xFFFF, 0xFF00, 0x00FF, 0x00F0, 0x0001, 0x0003, and so on. Maximum valid mask lengths are unchanged whether CDP is enabled or disabled, and writes of invalid mask values may lead to undefined behavior. Writes to reserved bits will generate #GP(0).

18.19.6.2 Common L2 and L3 CDP Programming Considerations

Before enabling or disabling L2 or L3 CDP, software should write all 1's to all of the corresponding CAT/CDP masks to ensure proper behavior (e.g., the IA32_L3_QOS_Mask_n set of MSRs for the L3 CAT feature). When enabling CDP, software should also ensure that only COS number which are valid in CDP operation is used, otherwise undefined behavior may result. For instance in a case with 16 CAT COS, since COS are reduced by half when CDP is enabled, software should ensure that only COS 0-7 are in use before enabling CDP (along with writing 1's to all mask bits before enabling or disabling CDP).

Software should also account for the fact that mask interpretations change when CDP is enabled or disabled, meaning for instance that a CAT mask for a given COS may become a code mask for a different Class of Service when CDP is enabled. In order to simplify this behavior and prevent unintended remapping software should consider resetting all threads to COS[0] before enabling or disabling CDP.

18.19.6.3 Cache Allocation Technology Dynamic Configuration

All Resource Director Technology (RDT) interfaces including the IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR, CAT/CDP masks, MBA delay values and CQM/MBM registers are accessible and modifiable at any time during execution using RDMSR/WRMSR unless otherwise noted. When writing to these MSRs a #GP(0) will be generated if any of the following conditions occur:

- A reserved bit is modified,
- Accessing a QOS mask register outside the supported COS (the max COS number is specified in CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID):EDX[15:0]), or
- Writing a COS greater than the supported maximum (specified as the maximum value of CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID):EDX[15:0] for all valid ResID values) is written to the IA32_PQR_ASSOC.CLOS field.

When CDP is enabled, specifying a COS value in IA32_PQR_ASSOC.COS outside of the lower half of the COS space will cause undefined performance impact to code and data fetches due to MSR space re-indexing into code/data masks when CDP is enabled.

When reading the IA32_PQR_ASSOC register the currently programmed COS on the core will be returned.

When reading an IA32_resourceType_MASK_n register the current capacity bit mask for COS 'n' will be returned.

As noted previously, software should minimize migrations of COS across logical processors (across threads or cores), as a reduction in the accuracy of the Cache Allocation feature may result if COS are migrated frequently.

This is aligned with the industry standard practice of minimizing unnecessary thread migrations across processor cores in order to avoid excessive time spent warming up processor caches after a migration. In general, for best performance, minimize thread migration and COS migration across processor logical threads and processor cores.

18.19.6.4 Cache Allocation Technology Operation With Power Saving Features

Note that the Cache Allocation Technology feature cannot be used to enforce cache coherency, and that some advanced power management features such as C-states which may shrink or power off various caches within the system may interfere with CAT hints - in such cases the CAT bitmasks are ignored and the other features take precedence. If the highest possible level of CAT differentiation or determinism is required, disable any power-saving features which shrink the caches or power off caches. The details of the power management interfaces are typically implementation-specific, but can be found at Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3C.

If software requires differentiation between threads but not absolute determinism then in many cases it is possible to leave power-saving cache shrink features enabled, which can provide substantial power savings and increase battery life in mobile platforms. In such cases when the caches are powered off (e.g., package C-states) the entire cache of a portion thereof may be powered off. Upon resuming an active state any new incoming data to the cache will be filled subject to the cache capacity bitmasks. Any data in the cache prior to the cache shrink or power off may have been flushed to memory during the process of entering the idle state, however, and is not guaranteed to remain in the cache. If differentiation between threads is the goal of system software then this model allows substantial power savings while continuing to deliver performance differentiation. If system software needs optimal determinism then power saving modes which flush portions of the caches and power them off should be disabled.

NOTE

IA32_PQR_ASSOC is saved and restored across C6 entry/exit. Similarly, the mask register contents are saved across package C-state entry/exit and are not lost.

18.19.6.5 Cache Allocation Technology Operation with Other Operating Modes

The states in IA32_PQR_ASSOC and mask registers are unmodified across an SMI delivery. Thus, the execution of SMM handler code can interact with the Cache Allocation Technology resource and manifest some degree of non-determinism to the non-SMM software stack. An SMM handler may also perform certain system-level or power management practices that affect CAT operation.

It is possible for an SMM handler to minimize the impact on data determinism in the cache by reserving a COS with a dedicated partition in the cache. Such an SMM handler can switch to the dedicated COS immediately upon entering SMM, and switching back to the previously running COS upon exit.

18.19.6.6 Associating Threads with CAT/CDP Classes of Service

Threads are associated with Classes of Service (CLOS) via the per-logical-processor IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR. The same COS concept applies to both CAT and CDP (for instance, COS[5] means the same thing whether CAT or CDP is in use, and the COS has associated resource usage constraint attributes including cache capacity masks). The mapping of COS to mask MSRs does change when CDP is enabled, according to the following guidelines:

- In CAT-only Mode - one set of bitmasks in one mask MSR control both code and data.
 - Each COS number map 1:1 with a capacity mask on the applicable resource (e.g., L3 cache).
- When CDP is enabled,
 - Two mask sets exist for each COS number, one for code, one for data.
 - Masks for code/data are interleaved in the MSR address space (see Table 18-19).

18.19.7 Introduction to Memory Bandwidth Allocation

The Memory Bandwidth Allocation (MBA) feature provides indirect and approximate control over memory bandwidth available per-core, and was introduced on the Intel Xeon Scalable Processor Family. This feature provides a

method to control applications which may be over-utilizing bandwidth relative to their priority in environments such as the data-center.

The MBA feature uses existing constructs from the Resource Director Technology (RDT) feature set including Classes of Service (CLOS). A given CLOS used for L3 CAT for instance means the same thing as a CLOS used for MBA. Infrastructure such as the MSR used to associate a thread with a CLOS (the IA32_PQR_ASSOC_MSR) and some elements of the CPUID enumeration (such as CPUID leaf 10H) are shared.

The high-level implementation of Memory Bandwidth Allocation is shown in Figure 18-38.

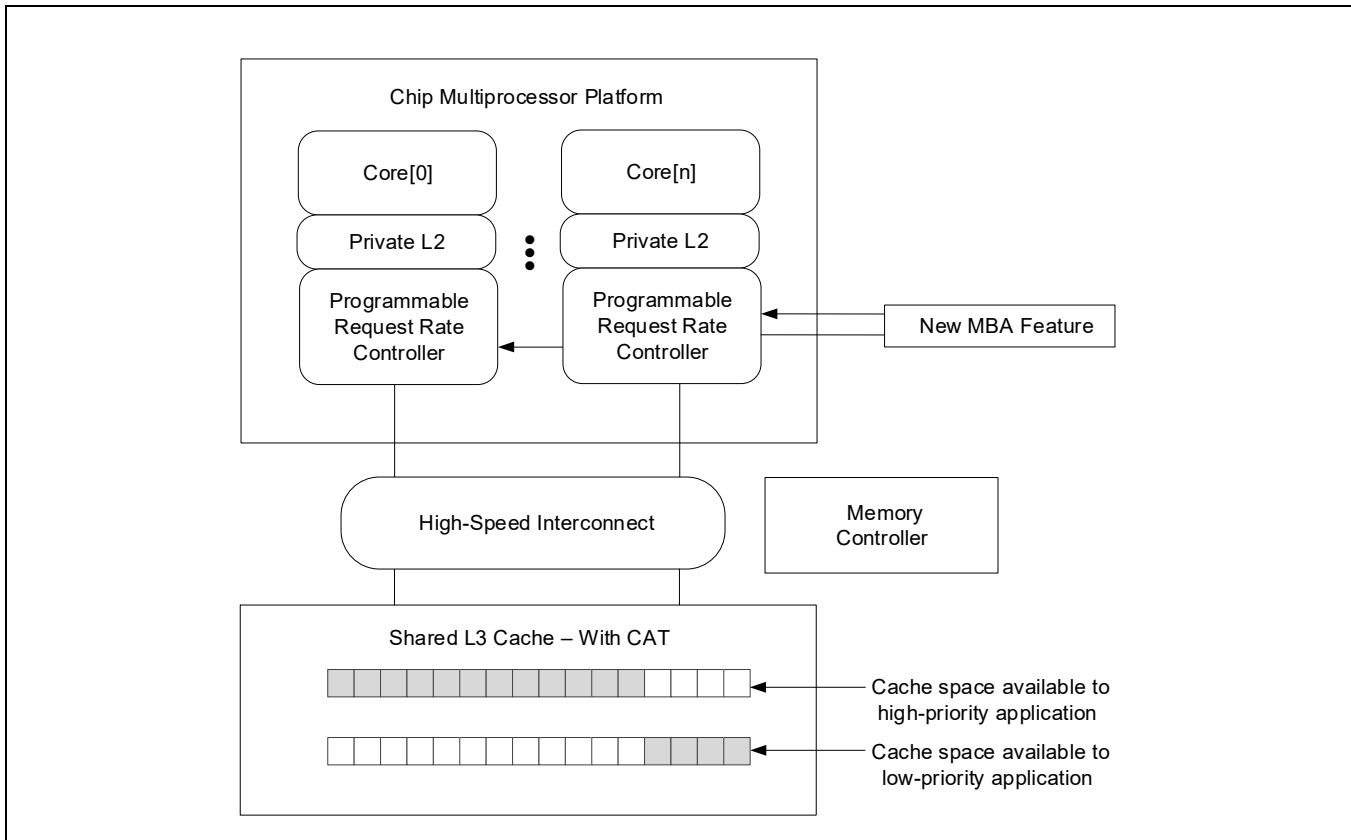


Figure 18-38. A High-Level Overview of the MBA Feature

As shown in Figure 18-38, the MBA feature introduces a programmable request rate controller between the cores and the high-speed interconnect, enabling indirect control over memory bandwidth for cores over-utilizing bandwidth relative to their priority. For instance, high-priority cores may be run un-throttled, but lower priority cores generating an excessive amount of traffic may be throttled to enable more bandwidth availability for the high-priority cores.

Since MBA uses a programmable rate controller between the cores and the interconnect, higher-level shared caches and memory controller, bandwidth to these caches may also be reduced, so care should be taken to throttle only bandwidth-intense applications which do not use the off-core caches effectively.

The throttling values exposed by MBA are approximate, and are calibrated to specific traffic patterns. As work-load characteristics vary, the throttling values provided may affect each workload differently. In cases where precise control is needed, the Memory Bandwidth Monitoring (MBM) feature can be used as input to a software controller which makes decisions about the MBA throttling level to apply.

Enumeration and configuration details are discussed below followed by usage model considerations.

18.19.7.1 Memory Bandwidth Allocation Enumeration

Similar to other RDT features, enumeration of the presence and details of the MBA feature is provided via a sub-leaf of the CPUID instruction.

Key components of the enumeration are as follows.

- Support for the MBA feature on the processor, and if MBA is supported, the following details:
 - Number of supported Classes of Service (CLOS) for the processor.
 - The maximum MBA delay value supported (which also implicitly provides a definition of the granularity).
 - An indication of whether the delay values which can be programmed are linearly spaced or not.

The presence of any of the RDT features which enable control over shared platform resources is enumerated by executing CPUID instruction with EAX = 07H, ECX = 0H as input. If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.PQE[bit 15] reports 1, the processor supports software control over shared processor resources. Software may then use CPUID leaf 10H to enumerate additional details on the specific controls provided.

Through CPUID leaf 10H software may determine whether MBA is supported on the platform. Specifically, as shown in Figure 17-31, bit 3 of the EBX register indicates whether MBA is supported on the processor, and the bit position (3) constitutes a Resource ID (ResID) which allows enumeration of MBA details. For instance, if bit 3 is supported this implies the presence of CPUID.10H.[ResID=3] as shown in Figure 18-39 which provides the following details.

- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=3):EAX[11:0] reports the maximum MBA throttling value supported, minus one. For instance, a value of 89 indicates that a maximum throttling value of 90 is supported. Additionally, in cases where a linear interface (see below) is supported then one hundred minus the maximum throttling value indicates the granularity, 10% in this example.
- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=3):EBX is reserved.
- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=3):ECX[2] reports whether the response of the delay values is linear (see text).
- CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=3):EDX[15:0] reports the number of Classes of Service (CLOS) supported for the feature (minus one). For instance, a reported value of 15 implies a maximum of 16 supported MBA CLOS.

The number of CLOS supported for the MBA feature may or may not align with other resources such as L3 CAT. In cases where the RDT features support different numbers of CLOS the lowest numerical CLOS support the common set of features, while higher CLOS may support a subset. For instance, if L3 CAT supports 8 CLOS while MBA supports 4 CLOS, all 8 CLOS would have L3 CAT masks available for cache control, but the upper 4 CLOS would not offer MBA support. In this case the upper 4 CLOS would not be subject to any throttling control. Software can manage supported resources / CLOS in order to either have consistent capabilities across CLOS by using the common subset or enable more flexibility by selectively applying resource control where needed based on careful CLOS and thread mapping. In all cases, CLOS[0] supports all RDT resource control features present on the platform.

Discussion on the interpretation and usage of the MBA delay values is provided in Section 18.19.7.2 on MBA configuration.

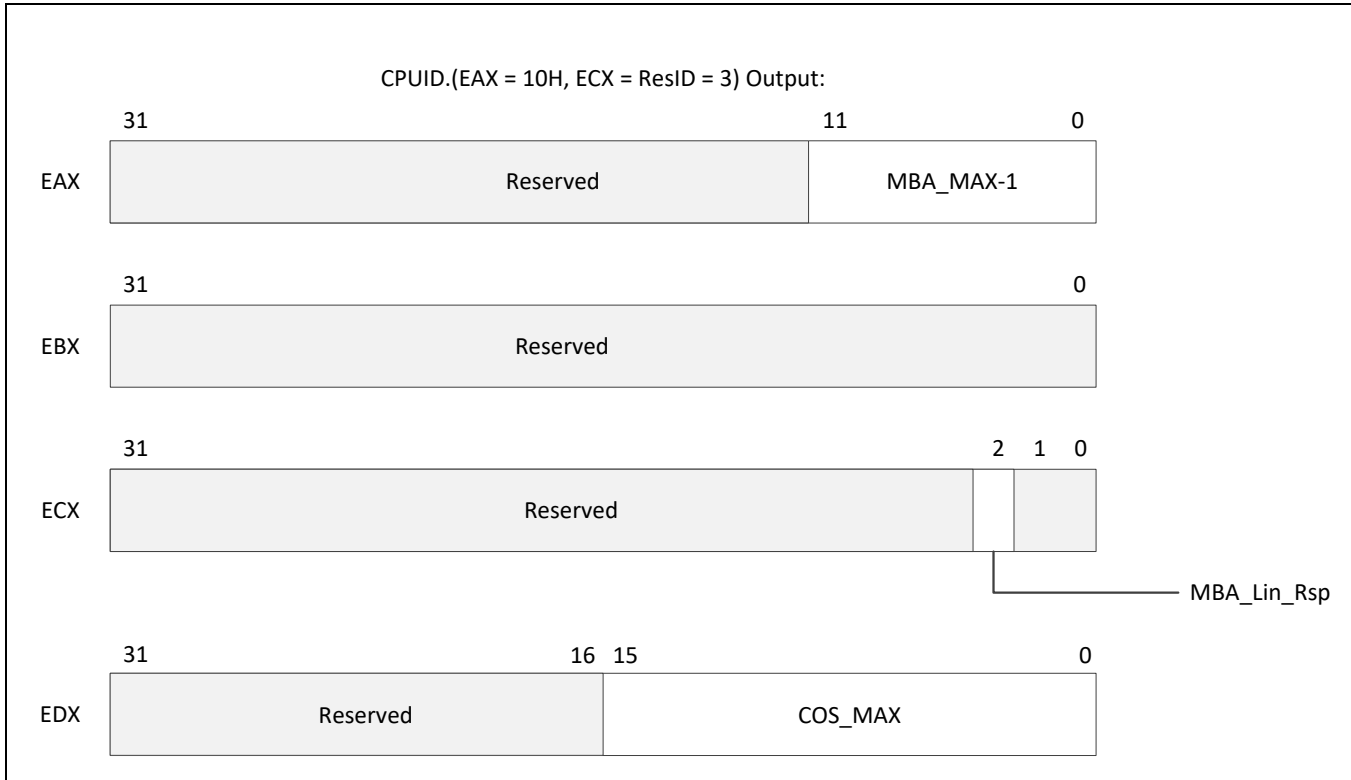


Figure 18-39. CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=3H) MBA Feature Details Identification

18.19.7.2 Memory Bandwidth Allocation Configuration

The configuration of MBA takes consists of two processes once enumeration is complete.

- Association of threads to Classes of Service (CLOS) - accomplished in a common fashion across RDT features as described in Section 18.19.7.1 via the IA32_PQR_ASSOC MSR. As with features such as L3 CAT, software may update the CLOS field of the PQR MSR at context swap time in order to maintain the proper association of software threads to Classes of Service on the hardware. While logical processors may each be associated with independent CLOS, see Section 18.19.7.3 for important usage model considerations (initial versions of the MBA feature select the maximum delay value across threads).
- Configuration of the per-CLOS delay values, accomplished via the IA32_L2_QoS_Ext_BW_Thrtl_n MSR set shown in Table 18-20.

The MBA delay values which may be programmed range from zero (implying zero delay, and full bandwidth available) to the maximum (MBA_MAX) specified in CPUID as discussed in Section 18.19.7.1. The throttling values are approximate and do not sum to 100% across CLOS, rather they should be viewed as a maximum bandwidth “cap” per-CLOS.

Software may select an MBA delay value then write the value into one or more of the IA32_L2_QoS_Ext_BW_Thrtl_n MSRs to update the delay values applied for a specific CLOS. As shown in Table 18-20 the base address of the MSRs is at D50H, and the range corresponds to the maximum supported CLOS from CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=1):EDX[15:0] as described in Section 18.19.7.1. For instance, if 16 CLOS are supported then the valid MSR range will extend from D50H through D5F inclusive.

Table 18-20. MBA Delay Value MSRs

Delay Value MSR	Address
IA32_L2_QoS_Ext_BW_Thrtl_0	D50H
IA32_L2_QoS_Ext_BW_Thrtl_1	D51H
IA32_L2_QoS_Ext_BW_Thrtl_2	D52H
....
IA32_L2_QoS_Ext_BW_Thrtl_'COS_MAX'	D50H + COS_MAX from CPUID.10H.3

The definition for the MBA delay value MSRs is provided in Figure 17.39. The lower 16 bits are used for MBA delay values, and values from zero to the maximum from the CPUID MBA_MAX-1 value are supported. Values outside this range will generate #GP(0).

If linear input throttling values are indicated by CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=3):ECX[bit 2] then values from zero through the MBA_MAX field from CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=3):EAX[11:0] are supported as inputs. In the linear mode the input precision is defined as 100-(MBA_MAX). For instance, if the MBA_MAX value is 90, the input precision is 10%. Values not an even multiple of the precision (e.g., 12%) will be rounded down (e.g., to 10% delay applied).

- If linear values are not supported (CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=ResID=3):ECX[bit 2] = 0) then input delay values are powers-of-two from zero to the MBA_MAX value from CPUID. In this case any values not a power of two will be rounded down the next nearest power of two.

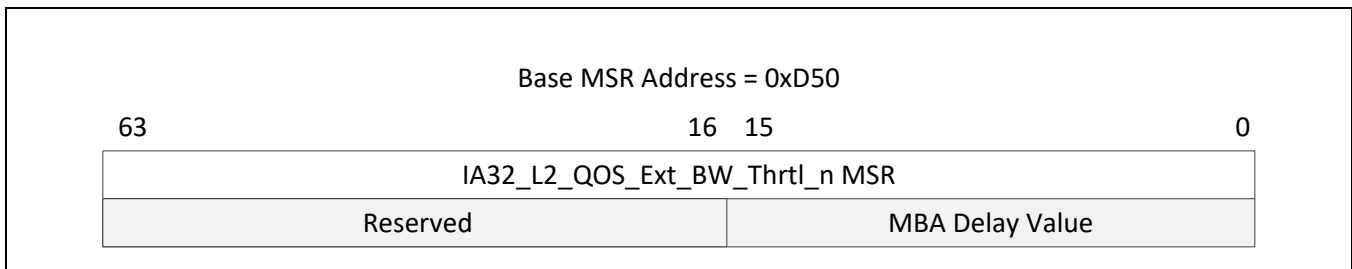


Figure 18-40. IA32_L2_QoS_Ext_BW_Thrtl_n MSR Definition

Note that the throttling values provided to software are calibrated through specific traffic patterns, however as workload characteristics may vary the response precision and linearity of the delay values will vary across products, and should be treated as approximate values only.

18.19.7.3 Memory Bandwidth Allocation Usage Considerations

As the memory bandwidth control that MBA provides is indirect and approximate, using the feature with a closed-loop controller to also monitor memory bandwidth and how effectively the applications use the cache (via the Cache Monitoring Technology feature) may provide additional value. This approach also allows administrators to provide a band-width target or set-point which a controller could use to guide MBA throttling values applied, and this allows bandwidth control independent of the execution characteristics of the application.

As control is provided per processor core (the max of the delay values of the per-thread CLOS applied to the core) care should be taking in scheduling threads so as to not inadvertently place a high-priority thread (with zero intended MBA throttling) next to a low-priority thread (with MBA throttling intended), which would lead to inadvertent throttling of the high-priority thread.

11. Updates to Chapter 25, Volume 3C

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Changes to this chapter:

- Updates throughout the chapter for the virtualization of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR.
- Added a new table, Table 25-14, "Definitions of Secondary VM-Exit Controls," with one entry: prematurely busy shadow stack.
- Updates for clarity and typo corrections as necessary.

25.1 OVERVIEW

A logical processor uses **virtual-machine control data structures (VMCSs)** while it is in VMX operation. These manage transitions into and out of VMX non-root operation (VM entries and VM exits) as well as processor behavior in VMX non-root operation. This structure is manipulated by the new instructions VMCLEAR, VMPTRLD, VMREAD, and VMWRITE.

A VMM can use a different VMCS for each virtual machine that it supports. For a virtual machine with multiple logical processors (virtual processors), the VMM can use a different VMCS for each virtual processor.

A logical processor associates a region in memory with each VMCS. This region is called the **VMCS region**.¹ Software references a specific VMCS using the 64-bit physical address of the region (a **VMCS pointer**). VMCS pointers must be aligned on a 4-KByte boundary (bits 11:0 must be zero). These pointers must not set bits beyond the processor's physical-address width.^{2,3}

A logical processor may maintain a number of VMCSs that are **active**. The processor may optimize VMX operation by maintaining the state of an active VMCS in memory, on the processor, or both. At any given time, at most one of the active VMCSs is the **current** VMCS. (This document frequently uses the term "the VMCS" to refer to the current VMCS.) The VMLAUNCH, VMREAD, VMRESUME, and VMWRITE instructions operate only on the current VMCS.

The following items describe how a logical processor determines which VMCSs are active and which is current:

- The memory operand of the VMPTRLD instruction is the address of a VMCS. After execution of the instruction, that VMCS is both active and current on the logical processor. Any other VMCS that had been active remains so, but no other VMCS is current.
- The VMCS link pointer field in the current VMCS (see Section 25.4.2) is itself the address of a VMCS. If VM entry is performed successfully with the 1-setting of the "VMCS shadowing" VM-execution control, the VMCS referenced by the VMCS link pointer field becomes active on the logical processor. The identity of the current VMCS does not change.
- The memory operand of the VMCLEAR instruction is also the address of a VMCS. After execution of the instruction, that VMCS is neither active nor current on the logical processor. If the VMCS had been current on the logical processor, the logical processor no longer has a current VMCS.

The VMPTRST instruction stores the address of the logical processor's current VMCS into a specified memory location (it stores the value FFFFFFFF_FFFFFFFFH if there is no current VMCS).

The **launch state** of a VMCS determines which VM-entry instruction should be used with that VMCS: the VMLAUNCH instruction requires a VMCS whose launch state is "clear"; the VMRESUME instruction requires a VMCS whose launch state is "launched". A logical processor maintains a VMCS's launch state in the corresponding VMCS region. The following items describe how a logical processor manages the launch state of a VMCS:

- If the launch state of the current VMCS is "clear", successful execution of the VMLAUNCH instruction changes the launch state to "launched".
- The memory operand of the VMCLEAR instruction is the address of a VMCS. After execution of the instruction, the launch state of that VMCS is "clear".
- There are no other ways to modify the launch state of a VMCS (it cannot be modified using VMWRITE) and there is no direct way to discover it (it cannot be read using VMREAD).

1. The amount of memory required for a VMCS region is at most 4 KBytes. The exact size is implementation specific and can be determined by consulting the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC to determine the size of the VMCS region (see Appendix A.1).

2. Software can determine a processor's physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

3. If IA32_VMX_BASIC[48] is read as 1, these pointers must not set any bits in the range 63:32; see Appendix A.1.

Figure 25-1 illustrates the different states of a VMCS. It uses "X" to refer to the VMCS and "Y" to refer to any other VMCS. Thus: "VMPTRLD X" always makes X current and active; "VMPTRLD Y" always makes X not current (because it makes Y current); VMLAUNCH makes the launch state of X "launched" if X was current and its launch state was "clear"; and VMCLEAR X always makes X inactive and not current and makes its launch state "clear".

The figure does not illustrate operations that do not modify the VMCS state relative to these parameters (e.g., execution of VMPTRLD X when X is already current). Note that VMCLEAR X makes X "inactive, not current, and clear," even if X's current state is not defined (e.g., even if X has not yet been initialized). See Section 25.11.3.

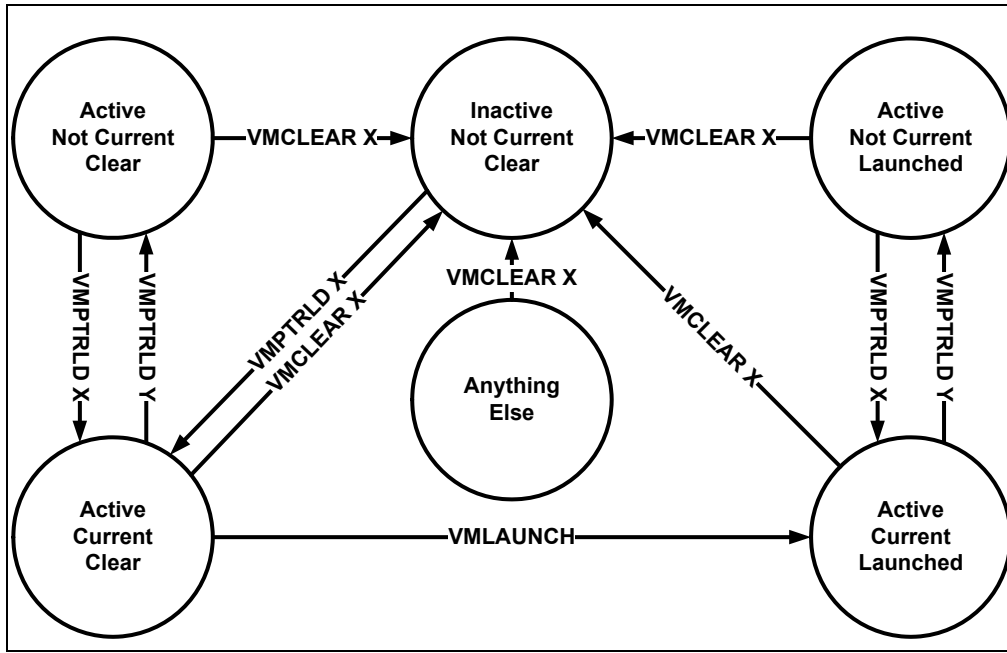


Figure 25-1. States of VMCS X

Because a shadow VMCS (see Section 25.10) cannot be used for VM entry, the launch state of a shadow VMCS is not meaningful. Figure 25-1 does not illustrate all the ways in which a shadow VMCS may be made active.

25.2 FORMAT OF THE VMCS REGION

A VMCS region comprises up to 4-KBytes.¹ The format of a VMCS region is given in Table 25-1.

Table 25-1. Format of the VMCS Region

Byte Offset	Contents
0	Bits 30:0: VMCS revision identifier Bit 31: shadow-VMCS indicator (see Section 25.10)
4	VMX-abort indicator
8	VMCS data (implementation-specific format)

1. The exact size is implementation specific and can be determined by consulting the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC to determine the size of the VMCS region (see Appendix A.1).

The first 4 bytes of the VMCS region contain the **VMCS revision identifier** at bits 30:0.¹ Processors that maintain VMCS data in different formats (see below) use different VMCS revision identifiers. These identifiers enable software to avoid using a VMCS region formatted for one processor on a processor that uses a different format.² Bit 31 of this 4-byte region indicates whether the VMCS is a shadow VMCS (see Section 25.10).

Software should write the VMCS revision identifier to the VMCS region before using that region for a VMCS. The VMCS revision identifier is never written by the processor; VMPTRLD fails if its operand references a VMCS region whose VMCS revision identifier differs from that used by the processor. (VMPTRLD also fails if the shadow-VMCS indicator is 1 and the processor does not support the 1-setting of the “VMCS shadowing” VM-execution control; see Section 25.6.2) Software can discover the VMCS revision identifier that a processor uses by reading the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1).

Software should clear or set the shadow-VMCS indicator depending on whether the VMCS is to be an ordinary VMCS or a shadow VMCS (see Section 25.10). VMPTRLD fails if the shadow-VMCS indicator is set and the processor does not support the 1-setting of the “VMCS shadowing” VM-execution control. Software can discover support for this setting by reading the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL2 (see Appendix A.3.3).

The next 4 bytes of the VMCS region are used for the **VMX-abort indicator**. The contents of these bits do not control processor operation in any way. A logical processor writes a non-zero value into these bits if a VMX abort occurs (see Section 28.7). Software may also write into this field.

The remainder of the VMCS region is used for **VMCS data** (those parts of the VMCS that control VMX non-root operation and the VMX transitions). The format of these data is implementation-specific. VMCS data are discussed in Section 25.3 through Section 25.9. To ensure proper behavior in VMX operation, software should maintain the VMCS region and related structures (enumerated in Section 25.11.4) in writeback cacheable memory. Future implementations may allow or require a different memory type³. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1).

25.3 ORGANIZATION OF VMCS DATA

The VMCS data are organized into six logical groups:

- **Guest-state area.** Processor state is saved into the guest-state area on VM exits and loaded from there on VM entries.
- **Host-state area.** Processor state is loaded from the host-state area on VM exits.
- **VM-execution control fields.** These fields control processor behavior in VMX non-root operation. They determine in part the causes of VM exits.
- **VM-exit control fields.** These fields control VM exits.
- **VM-entry control fields.** These fields control VM entries.
- **VM-exit information fields.** These fields receive information on VM exits and describe the cause and the nature of VM exits. On some processors, these fields are read-only.⁴

The VM-execution control fields, the VM-exit control fields, and the VM-entry control fields are sometimes referred to collectively as VMX controls.

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1. Earlier versions of this manual specified that the VMCS revision identifier was a 32-bit field. For all processors produced prior to this change, bit 31 of the VMCS revision identifier was 0.
 2. Logical processors that use the same VMCS revision identifier use the same size for VMCS regions.
 3. Alternatively, software may map any of these regions or structures with the UC memory type. Doing so is strongly discouraged unless necessary as it will cause the performance of transitions using those structures to suffer significantly. In addition, the processor will continue to use the memory type reported in the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC with exceptions noted in Appendix A.1.
 4. Software can discover whether these fields can be written by reading the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC (see Appendix A.6).

25.4 GUEST-STATE AREA

This section describes fields contained in the guest-state area of the VMCS. VM entries load processor state from these fields and VM exits store processor state into these fields. See Section 27.3.2 and Section 28.3 for details.

25.4.1 Guest Register State

The following fields in the guest-state area correspond to processor registers:

- Control registers CR0, CR3, and CR4 (64 bits each; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture).
- Debug register DR7 (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture).
- RSP, RIP, and RFLAGS (64 bits each; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture).¹
- The following fields for each of the registers CS, SS, DS, ES, FS, GS, LDTR, and TR:
 - Selector (16 bits).
 - Base address (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). The base-address fields for CS, SS, DS, and ES have only 32 architecturally-defined bits; nevertheless, the corresponding VMCS fields have 64 bits on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.
 - Segment limit (32 bits). The limit field is always a measure in bytes.
 - Access rights (32 bits). The format of this field is given in Table 25-2 and detailed as follows:
 - The low 16 bits correspond to bits 23:8 of the upper 32 bits of a 64-bit segment descriptor. While bits 19:16 of code-segment and data-segment descriptors correspond to the upper 4 bits of the segment limit, the corresponding bits (bits 11:8) are reserved in this VMCS field.
 - Bit 16 indicates an **unusable segment**. Attempts to use such a segment fault except in 64-bit mode. In general, a segment register is unusable if it has been loaded with a null selector.²
 - Bits 31:17 are reserved.

Table 25-2. Format of Access Rights

Bit Position(s)	Field
3:0	Segment type
4	S — Descriptor type (0 = system; 1 = code or data)
6:5	DPL — Descriptor privilege level
7	P — Segment present
11:8	Reserved
12	AVL — Available for use by system software

1. This chapter uses the notation RAX, RIP, RSP, RFLAGS, etc. for processor registers because most processors that support VMX operation also support Intel 64 architecture. For processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture, this notation refers to the 32-bit forms of those registers (EAX, EIP, ESP, EFLAGS, etc.). In a few places, notation such as EAX is used to refer specifically to lower 32 bits of the indicated register.

2. There are a few exceptions to this statement. For example, a segment with a non-null selector may be unusable following a task switch that fails after its commit point; see “Interrupt 10—Invalid TSS Exception (#TS)” in Section 6.14, “Exception and Interrupt Handling in 64-bit Mode,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A. In contrast, the TR register is usable after processor reset despite having a null selector; see Table 11-1 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

Table 25-2. Format of Access Rights (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Field
13	Reserved (except for CS) L — 64-bit mode active (for CS only)
14	D/B — Default operation size (0 = 16-bit segment; 1 = 32-bit segment)
15	G — Granularity
16	Segment unusable (0 = usable; 1 = unusable)
31:17	Reserved

The base address, segment limit, and access rights compose the “hidden” part (or “descriptor cache”) of each segment register. These data are included in the VMCS because it is possible for a segment register’s descriptor cache to be inconsistent with the segment descriptor in memory (in the GDT or the LDT) referenced by the segment register’s selector.

The value of the DPL field for SS is always equal to the logical processor’s current privilege level (CPL).¹

On some processors, executions of VMWRITE ignore attempts to write non-zero values to any of bits 11:8 or bits 31:17. On such processors, VMREAD always returns 0 for those bits, and VM entry treats those bits as if they were all 0 (see Section 27.3.1.2).

- The following fields for each of the registers GDTR and IDTR:
 - Base address (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture).
 - Limit (32 bits). The limit fields contain 32 bits even though these fields are specified as only 16 bits in the architecture.
- The following MSRs:
 - IA32_DEBUGCTL (64 bits)
 - IA32_SYSENTER_CS (32 bits)
 - IA32_SYSENTER_ESP and IA32_SYSENTER_EIP (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture)
 - IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL” VM-entry control.
 - IA32_PAT (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the “load IA32_PAT” VM-entry control or that of the “save IA32_PAT” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_EFER (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the “load IA32_EFER” VM-entry control or that of the “save IA32_EFER” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_BNDCFGS (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the “load IA32_BNDCFGS” VM-entry control or that of the “clear IA32_BNDCFGS” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_RTIT_CTL (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the “load IA32_RTIT_CTL” VM-entry control or that of the “clear IA32_RTIT_CTL” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_LBR_CTL (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the “load guest IA32_LBR_CTL” VM-entry control or that of the “clear IA32_LBR_CTL” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_S_CET (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load CET state” VM-entry control.
 - IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load CET state” VM-entry control.

1. In protected mode, CPL is also associated with the RPL field in the CS selector. However, the RPL fields are not meaningful in real-address mode or in virtual-8086 mode.

- IA32_PKRS (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load PKRS” VM-entry control.
- The shadow-stack pointer register SSP (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load CET state” VM-entry control.
- The register SMBASE (32 bits). This register contains the base address of the logical processor’s SMRAM image.

25.4.2 Guest Non-Register State

In addition to the register state described in Section 25.4.1, the guest-state area includes the following fields that characterize guest state but which do not correspond to processor registers:

- **Activity state** (32 bits). This field identifies the logical processor’s activity state. When a logical processor is executing instructions normally, it is in the **active state**. Execution of certain instructions and the occurrence of certain events may cause a logical processor to transition to an **inactive state** in which it ceases to execute instructions.

The following activity states are defined:¹

- 0: **Active**. The logical processor is executing instructions normally.
- 1: **HLT**. The logical processor is inactive because it executed the HLT instruction.
- 2: **Shutdown**. The logical processor is inactive because it incurred a **triple fault**² or some other serious error.
- 3: **Wait-for-SIPI**. The logical processor is inactive because it is waiting for a startup-IPI (SIPI).

Future processors may include support for other activity states. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC (see Appendix A.6) to determine what activity states are supported.

- **Interruptibility state** (32 bits). The IA-32 architecture includes features that permit certain events to be blocked for a period of time. This field contains information about such blocking. Details and the format of this field are given in Table 25-3.

Table 25-3. Format of Interruptibility State

Bit Position(s)	Bit Name	Notes
0	Blocking by STI	See the “STI—Set Interrupt Flag” section in Chapter 4 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2B. Execution of STI with RFLAGS.IF = 0 blocks maskable interrupts on the instruction boundary following its execution. ¹ Setting this bit indicates that this blocking is in effect.
1	Blocking by MOV SS	See Section 6.8.3, “Masking Exceptions and Interrupts When Switching Stacks,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A. Execution of a MOV to SS or a POP to SS blocks or suppresses certain debug exceptions as well as interrupts (maskable and nonmaskable) on the instruction boundary following its execution. Setting this bit indicates that this blocking is in effect. ² This document uses the term “blocking by MOV SS,” but it applies equally to POP SS.
2	Blocking by SMI	See Section 32.2, “System Management Interrupt (SMI).” System-management interrupts (SMIs) are disabled while the processor is in system-management mode (SMM). Setting this bit indicates that blocking of SMIs is in effect.

1. Execution of the MWAIT instruction may put a logical processor into an inactive state. However, this VMCS field never reflects this state. See Section 28.1.

2. A triple fault occurs when a logical processor encounters an exception while attempting to deliver a double fault.

Table 25-3. Format of Interruptibility State (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Bit Name	Notes
3	Blocking by NMI	See Section 6.7.1, “Handling Multiple NMIs,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A and Section 32.8, “NMI Handling While in SMM.” Delivery of a non-maskable interrupt (NMI) or a system-management interrupt (SMI) blocks subsequent NMIs until the next execution of IRET. See Section 26.3 for how this behavior of IRET may change in VMX non-root operation. Setting this bit indicates that blocking of NMIs is in effect. Clearing this bit does not imply that NMIs are not (temporarily) blocked for other reasons. If the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control (see Section 25.6.1) is 1, this bit does not control the blocking of NMIs. Instead, it refers to “virtual-NMI blocking” (the fact that guest software is not ready for an NMI).
4	Enclave interruption	Set to 1 if the VM exit occurred while the logical processor was in enclave mode. Such VM exits includes those caused by interrupts, non-maskable interrupts, system-management interrupts, INIT signals, and exceptions occurring in enclave mode as well as exceptions encountered during the delivery of such events incident to enclave mode. A VM exit that is incident to delivery of an event injected by VM entry leaves this bit unmodified.
31:5	Reserved	VM entry will fail if these bits are not 0. See Section 27.3.1.5.

NOTES:

1. Nonmaskable interrupts and system-management interrupts may also be inhibited on the instruction boundary following such an execution of STI.
 2. System-management interrupts may also be inhibited on the instruction boundary following such an execution of MOV or POP.
- **Pending debug exceptions** (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). IA-32 processors may recognize one or more debug exceptions without immediately delivering them.¹ This field contains information about such exceptions. This field is described in Table 25-4.

Table 25-4. Format of Pending-Debug-Exceptions

Bit Position(s)	Bit Name	Notes
3:0	B3 - B0	When set, each of these bits indicates that the corresponding breakpoint condition was met. Any of these bits may be set even if the corresponding enabling bit in DR7 is not set.
10:4	Reserved	VM entry fails if these bits are not 0. See Section 27.3.1.5.
11	BLD	When set, this bit indicates that a bus lock was asserted while OS bus-lock detection was enabled and CPL > 0 (see Section 18.3.1.6, “OS Bus-Lock Detection”). ¹
12	Enabled breakpoint	When set, this bit indicates that at least one data or I/O breakpoint was met and was enabled in DR7; the XBEGIN instruction was executed immediately before the VM exit and advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions had been enabled; or a bus lock was asserted while CPL > 0 and OS bus-lock detection had been enabled.
13	Reserved	VM entry fails if this bit is not 0. See Section 27.3.1.5.

1. For example, execution of a MOV to SS or a POP to SS may inhibit some debug exceptions for one instruction. See Section 6.8.3 of Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A. In addition, certain events incident to an instruction (for example, an INIT signal) may take priority over debug traps generated by that instruction. See Table 6-2 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

Table 25-4. Format of Pending-Debug-Exceptions (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Bit Name	Notes
14	BS	When set, this bit indicates that a debug exception would have been triggered by single-step execution mode.
15	Reserved	VM entry fails if this bit is not 0. See Section 27.3.1.5.
16	RTM	When set, this bit indicates that a debug exception (#DB) or a breakpoint exception (#BP) occurred inside an RTM region while advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions was enabled (see Section 16.3.7, "RTM-Enabled Debugger Support," of Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1). ²
63:17	Reserved	VM entry fails if these bits are not 0. See Section 27.3.1.5. Bits 63:32 exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

NOTES:

1. In general, the format of this field matches that of DR6. However, DR6 **clears** bit 11 to indicate detection of a bus lock, while this field **sets** the bit to indicate that condition.
2. In general, the format of this field matches that of DR6. However, DR6 **clears** bit 16 to indicate an RTM-related exception, while this field **sets** the bit to indicate that condition.

- **VMCS link pointer** (64 bits). If the "VMCS shadowing" VM-execution control is 1, the VMREAD and VMWRITE instructions access the VMCS referenced by this pointer (see Section 25.10). Otherwise, software should set this field to FFFFFFFF_FFFFFFFFH to avoid VM-entry failures (see Section 27.3.1.5).
- **VMX-preemption timer value** (32 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "activate VMX-preemption timer" VM-execution control. This field contains the value that the VMX-preemption timer will use following the next VM entry with that setting. See Section 26.5.1 and Section 27.7.4.
- **Page-directory-pointer-table entries** (PDPTes; 64 bits each). These four (4) fields (PDPTE0, PDPTE1, PDPTE2, and PDPTE3) are supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "enable EPT" VM-execution control. They correspond to the PDPTes referenced by CR3 when PAE paging is in use (see Section 4.4 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A). They are used only if the "enable EPT" VM-execution control is 1.
- **Guest interrupt status** (16 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "virtual-interrupt delivery" VM-execution control. It characterizes part of the guest’s virtual-APIC state and does not correspond to any processor or APIC registers. It comprises two 8-bit subfields:
 - **Requesting virtual interrupt (RVI)**. This is the low byte of the guest interrupt status. The processor treats this value as the vector of the highest priority virtual interrupt that is requesting service. (The value 0 implies that there is no such interrupt.)
 - **Servicing virtual interrupt (SVI)**. This is the high byte of the guest interrupt status. The processor treats this value as the vector of the highest priority virtual interrupt that is in service. (The value 0 implies that there is no such interrupt.)

See Chapter 30 for more information on the use of this field.
- **PML index** (16 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "enable PML" VM-execution control. It contains the logical index of the next entry in the page-modification log. Because the page-modification log comprises 512 entries, the PML index is typically a value in the range 0–511. Details of the page-modification log and use of the PML index are given in Section 29.3.6.

25.5 HOST-STATE AREA

This section describes fields contained in the host-state area of the VMCS. As noted earlier, processor state is loaded from these fields on every VM exit (see Section 28.5).

All fields in the host-state area correspond to processor registers:

- CR0, CR3, and CR4 (64 bits each; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture).
- RSP and RIP (64 bits each; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture).
- Selector fields (16 bits each) for the segment registers CS, SS, DS, ES, FS, GS, and TR. There is no field in the host-state area for the LDTR selector.
- Base-address fields for FS, GS, TR, GDTR, and IDTR (64 bits each; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture).
- The following MSRs:
 - IA32_SYSENTER_CS (32 bits)
 - IA32_SYSENTER_ESP and IA32_SYSENTER_EIP (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture).
 - IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_PAT (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load IA32_PAT” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_EFER (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load IA32_EFER” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_S_CET (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load CET state” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load CET state” VM-exit control.
 - IA32_PKRS (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load PKRS” VM-exit control.
- The shadow-stack pointer register SSP (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load CET state” VM-exit control.

In addition to the state identified here, some processor state components are loaded with fixed values on every VM exit; there are no fields corresponding to these components in the host-state area. See Section 28.5 for details of how state is loaded on VM exits.

25.6 VM-EXECUTION CONTROL FIELDS

The VM-execution control fields govern VMX non-root operation. These are described in Section 25.6.1 through Section 25.6.8.

25.6.1 Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls

The pin-based VM-execution controls constitute a 32-bit vector that governs the handling of asynchronous events (for example: interrupts).¹ Table 25-5 lists the controls. See Chapter 28 for how these controls affect processor behavior in VMX non-root operation.

1. Some asynchronous events cause VM exits regardless of the settings of the pin-based VM-execution controls (see Section 26.2).

Table 25-5. Definitions of Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
0	External-interrupt exiting	If this control is 1, external interrupts cause VM exits. Otherwise, they are delivered normally through the guest interrupt-descriptor table (IDT). If this control is 1, the value of RFLAGS.IF does not affect interrupt blocking.
3	NMI exiting	If this control is 1, non-maskable interrupts (NMIs) cause VM exits. Otherwise, they are delivered normally using descriptor 2 of the IDT. This control also determines interactions between IRET and blocking by NMI (see Section 26.3).
5	Virtual NMIs	If this control is 1, NMIs are never blocked and the “blocking by NMI” bit (bit 3) in the interruptibility-state field indicates “virtual-NMI blocking” (see Table 25-3). This control also interacts with the “NMI-window exiting” VM-execution control (see Section 25.6.2).
6	Activate VMX-preemption timer	If this control is 1, the VMX-preemption timer counts down in VMX non-root operation; see Section 26.5.1. A VM exit occurs when the timer counts down to zero; see Section 26.2.
7	Process posted interrupts	If this control is 1, the processor treats interrupts with the posted-interrupt notification vector (see Section 25.6.8) specially, updating the virtual-APIC page with posted-interrupt requests (see Section 30.6).

All other bits in this field are reserved, some to 0 and some to 1. Software should consult the VMX capability MSRs IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTLs and IA32_VMX_TRUE_PINBASED_CTLs (see Appendix A.3.1) to determine how to set reserved bits. Failure to set reserved bits properly causes subsequent VM entries to fail (see Section 27.2.1.1).

The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-settings of bits 1, 2, and 4. The VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTLs will always report that these bits must be 1. Logical processors that support the 0-settings of any of these bits will support the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_TRUE_PINBASED_CTLs MSR, and software should consult this MSR to discover support for the 0-settings of these bits. Software that is not aware of the functionality of any one of these bits should set that bit to 1.

25.6.2 Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls

The processor-based VM-execution controls constitute three vectors that govern the handling of synchronous events, mainly those caused by the execution of specific instructions.¹ These are the **primary processor-based VM-execution controls** (32 bits), the **secondary processor-based VM-execution controls** (32 bits), and the tertiary **VM-execution controls** (64 bits).

Table 25-6 lists the primary processor-based VM-execution controls. See Chapter 26 for more details of how these controls affect processor behavior in VMX non-root operation.

Table 25-6. Definitions of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
2	Interrupt-window exiting	If this control is 1, a VM exit occurs at the beginning of any instruction if RFLAGS.IF = 1 and there are no other blocking of interrupts (see Section 25.4.2).
3	Use TSC offsetting	This control determines whether executions of RDTSC, executions of RDTSCP, and executions of RDMSR that read from the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR return a value modified by the TSC offset field (see Section 25.6.5 and Section 26.3).
7	HLT exiting	This control determines whether executions of HLT cause VM exits.
9	INVLPG exiting	This determines whether executions of INVLPG cause VM exits.
10	MWAIT exiting	This control determines whether executions of MWAIT cause VM exits.
11	RDPIC exiting	This control determines whether executions of RDPIC cause VM exits.

1. Some instructions cause VM exits regardless of the settings of the processor-based VM-execution controls (see Section 26.1.2), as do task switches (see Section 26.2).

Table 25-6. Definitions of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
12	RDTSC exiting	This control determines whether executions of RDTSC and RDTSCP cause VM exits.
15	CR3-load exiting	In conjunction with the CR3-target controls (see Section 25.6.7), this control determines whether executions of MOV to CR3 cause VM exits. See Section 26.1.3. The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-setting of this control.
16	CR3-store exiting	This control determines whether executions of MOV from CR3 cause VM exits. The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-setting of this control.
17	Activate tertiary controls	This control determines whether the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls are used. If this control is 0, the logical processor operates as if all the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls were also 0.
19	CR8-load exiting	This control determines whether executions of MOV to CR8 cause VM exits.
20	CR8-store exiting	This control determines whether executions of MOV from CR8 cause VM exits.
21	Use TPR shadow	Setting this control to 1 enables TPR virtualization and other APIC-virtualization features. See Chapter 30.
22	NMI-window exiting	If this control is 1, a VM exit occurs at the beginning of any instruction if there is no virtual-NMI blocking (see Section 25.4.2).
23	MOV-DR exiting	This control determines whether executions of MOV DR cause VM exits.
24	Unconditional I/O exiting	This control determines whether executions of I/O instructions (IN, INS/INSB/INSW/INSD, OUT, and OUTS/OUTSB/OUTSW/OUTSD) cause VM exits.
25	Use I/O bitmaps	This control determines whether I/O bitmaps are used to restrict executions of I/O instructions (see Section 25.6.4 and Section 26.1.3). For this control, "0" means "do not use I/O bitmaps" and "1" means "use I/O bitmaps." If the I/O bitmaps are used, the setting of the "unconditional I/O exiting" control is ignored.
27	Monitor trap flag	If this control is 1, the monitor trap flag debugging feature is enabled. See Section 26.5.2.
28	Use MSR bitmaps	This control determines whether MSR bitmaps are used to control execution of the RDMSR and WRMSR instructions (see Section 25.6.9 and Section 26.1.3). For this control, "0" means "do not use MSR bitmaps" and "1" means "use MSR bitmaps." If the MSR bitmaps are not used, all executions of the RDMSR and WRMSR instructions cause VM exits.
29	MONITOR exiting	This control determines whether executions of MONITOR cause VM exits.
30	PAUSE exiting	This control determines whether executions of PAUSE cause VM exits.
31	Activate secondary controls	This control determines whether the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls are used. If this control is 0, the logical processor operates as if all the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls were also 0.

All other bits in this field are reserved, some to 0 and some to 1. Software should consult the VMX capability MSRs IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTLs and IA32_VMX_TRUE_PROCBASED_CTLs (see Appendix A.3.2) to determine how to set reserved bits. Failure to set reserved bits properly causes subsequent VM entries to fail (see Section 27.2.1.1).

The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-settings of bits 1, 4–6, 8, 13–16, and 26. The VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTLs will always report that these bits must be 1. Logical processors that support the 0-settings of any of these bits will support the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_TRUE_PROCBASED_CTLs MSR, and software should consult this MSR to discover support for the 0-settings of these bits. Software that is not aware of the functionality of any one of these bits should set that bit to 1.

Bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls determines whether the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls are used. If that bit is 0, VM entry and VMX non-root operation function as if all the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls were 0. Processors that support only the 0-setting of bit 31 of

the primary processor-based VM-execution controls do not support the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls.

Table 25-7 lists the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls. See Chapter 26 for more details of how these controls affect processor behavior in VMX non-root operation.

Table 25-7. Definitions of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
0	Virtualize APIC accesses	If this control is 1, the logical processor treats specially accesses to the page with the APIC-access address. See Section 30.4.
1	Enable EPT	If this control is 1, extended page tables (EPT) are enabled. See Section 29.3.
2	Descriptor-table exiting	This control determines whether executions of LGDT, LIDT, LLDT, LTR, SGDT, SIDT, SLDT, and STR cause VM exits.
3	Enable RDTSCP	If this control is 0, any execution of RDTSCP causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD).
4	Virtualize x2APIC mode	If this control is 1, the logical processor treats specially RDMSR and WRMSR to APIC MSRs (in the range 800H-8FFH). See Section 30.5.
5	Enable VPID	If this control is 1, cached translations of linear addresses are associated with a virtual-processor identifier (VPID). See Section 29.1.
6	WBINVD exiting	This control determines whether executions of WBINVD and WBNOINVD cause VM exits.
7	Unrestricted guest	This control determines whether guest software may run in unpagged protected mode or in real-address mode.
8	APIC-register virtualization	If this control is 1, the logical processor virtualizes certain APIC accesses. See Section 30.4 and Section 30.5.
9	Virtual-interrupt delivery	This controls enables the evaluation and delivery of pending virtual interrupts as well as the emulation of writes to the APIC registers that control interrupt prioritization.
10	PAUSE-loop exiting	This control determines whether a series of executions of PAUSE can cause a VM exit (see Section 25.6.13 and Section 26.1.3).
11	RDRAND exiting	This control determines whether executions of RDRAND cause VM exits.
12	Enable INVPCID	If this control is 0, any execution of INVPCID causes a #UD.
13	Enable VM functions	Setting this control to 1 enables use of the VMFUNC instruction in VMX non-root operation. See Section 26.5.6.
14	VMCS shadowing	If this control is 1, executions of VMREAD and VMWRITE in VMX non-root operation may access a shadow VMCS (instead of causing VM exits). See Section 25.10 and Section 31.3.
15	Enable ENCLS exiting	If this control is 1, executions of ENCLS consult the ENCLS-exiting bitmap to determine whether the instruction causes a VM exit. See Section 25.6.16 and Section 26.1.3.
16	RDSEED exiting	This control determines whether executions of RDSEED cause VM exits.
17	Enable PML	If this control is 1, an access to a guest-physical address that sets an EPT dirty bit first adds an entry to the page-modification log. See Section 29.3.6.
18	EPT-violation #VE	If this control is 1, EPT violations may cause virtualization exceptions (#VE) instead of VM exits. See Section 26.5.7.
19	Conceal VMX from PT	If this control is 1, Intel Processor Trace suppresses from PIPs an indication that the processor was in VMX non-root operation and omits a VMCS packet from any PSB+ produced in VMX non-root operation (see Chapter 33).
20	Enable XSAVES/XRSTORS	If this control is 0, any execution of XSAVES or XRSTORS causes a #UD.
21	PASID translation	If this control is 1, PASID translation is performed for executions of ENQCMD and ENQCMDs. See Section 26.5.8.
22	Mode-based execute control for EPT	If this control is 1, EPT execute permissions are based on whether the linear address being accessed is supervisor mode or user mode. See Chapter 29.

Table 25-7. Definitions of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
23	Sub-page write permissions for EPT	If this control is 1, EPT write permissions may be specified at the granularity of 128 bytes. See Section 29.3.4.
24	Intel PT uses guest physical addresses	If this control is 1, all output addresses used by Intel Processor Trace are treated as guest-physical addresses and translated using EPT. See Section 26.5.4.
25	Use TSC scaling	This control determines whether executions of RDTSC, executions of RDTSCP, and executions of RDMSR that read from the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR return a value modified by the TSC multiplier field (see Section 25.6.5 and Section 26.3).
26	Enable user wait and pause	If this control is 0, any execution of TPAUSE, UMONITOR, or UMWAIT causes a #UD.
27	Enable PCONFIG	If this control is 0, any execution of PCONFIG causes a #UD.
28	Enable ENCLV exiting	If this control is 1, executions of ENCLV consult the ENCLV-exiting bitmap to determine whether the instruction causes a VM exit. See Section 25.6.17 and Section 26.1.3.
30	VMM bus-lock detection	This control determines whether assertion of a bus lock causes a VM exit. See Section 26.2.
31	Instruction timeout	If this control is 1, a VM exit occurs if certain operations prevent the processor from reaching an instruction boundary within a specified amount of time. See Section 25.6.25 and Section 26.2.

All other bits in this field are reserved to 0. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL2 (see Appendix A.3.3) to determine which bits may be set to 1. Failure to clear reserved bits causes subsequent VM entries to fail (see Section 27.2.1.1).

Bit 17 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls determines whether the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls are used. If that bit is 0, VM entry and VMX non-root operation function as if all the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls were 0. Processors that support only the 0-setting of bit 17 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls do not support the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls.

Table 25-8 lists the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls. See Chapter 26 for more details of how these controls affect processor behavior in VMX non-root operation.

Table 25-8. Definitions of Tertiary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
0	LOADIWKEY exiting	This control determines whether executions of LOADIWKEY cause VM exits.
1	Enable HLAT	This control enables hypervisor-managed linear-address translation. See Section 4.5.1.
2	EPT paging-write control	If this control is 1, EPT permissions can be specified to allow writes only for paging-related updates. See Section 29.3.3.2.
3	Guest-paging verification	If this control is 1, EPT permissions can be specified to prevent accesses using linear addresses whose translation has certain properties. See Section 29.3.3.2.
4	IPI virtualization	If this control is 1, virtualization of interprocessor interrupts (IPIs) is enabled. See Section 30.1.6.
7	Virtualize IA32_SPEC_CTRL	If this control is 1, the operation of the RDMSR and WRMSR instructions is changed when accessing the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR. See Section 26.3.

All other bits in this field are reserved to 0. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL3 (see Appendix A.3.4) to determine which bits may be set to 1. Failure to clear reserved bits causes subsequent VM entries to fail (see Section 27.2.1.1).

25.6.3 Exception Bitmap

The **exception bitmap** is a 32-bit field that contains one bit for each exception. When an exception occurs, its vector is used to select a bit in this field. If the bit is 1, the exception causes a VM exit. If the bit is 0, the exception is delivered normally through the IDT, using the descriptor corresponding to the exception's vector.

Whether a page fault (exception with vector 14) causes a VM exit is determined by bit 14 in the exception bitmap as well as the error code produced by the page fault and two 32-bit fields in the VMCS (the **page-fault error-code mask** and **page-fault error-code match**). See Section 26.2 for details.

25.6.4 I/O-Bitmap Addresses

The VM-execution control fields include the 64-bit physical addresses of **I/O bitmaps** A and B (each of which are 4 KBytes in size). I/O bitmap A contains one bit for each I/O port in the range 0000H through 7FFFH; I/O bitmap B contains bits for ports in the range 8000H through FFFFH.

A logical processor uses these bitmaps if and only if the "use I/O bitmaps" control is 1. If the bitmaps are used, execution of an I/O instruction causes a VM exit if any bit in the I/O bitmaps corresponding to a port it accesses is 1. See Section 26.1.3 for details. If the bitmaps are used, their addresses must be 4-KByte aligned.

25.6.5 Time-Stamp Counter Offset and Multiplier

The VM-execution control fields include a 64-bit **TSC-offset** field. If the "RDTSC exiting" control is 0 and the "use TSC offsetting" control is 1, this field controls executions of the RDTSC and RDTSCP instructions. It also controls executions of the RDMSR instruction that read from the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR. For all of these, the value of the TSC offset is added to the value of the time-stamp counter, and the sum is returned to guest software in EDX:EAX.

Processors that support the 1-setting of the "use TSC scaling" control also support a 64-bit **TSC-multiplier** field. If this control is 1 (and the "RDTSC exiting" control is 0 and the "use TSC offsetting" control is 1), this field also affects the executions of the RDTSC, RDTSCP, and RDMSR instructions identified above. Specifically, the contents of the time-stamp counter is first multiplied by the TSC multiplier before adding the TSC offset.

See Chapter 26 for a detailed treatment of the behavior of RDTSC, RDTSCP, and RDMSR in VMX non-root operation.

25.6.6 Guest/Host Masks and Read Shadows for CR0 and CR4

VM-execution control fields include **guest/host masks** and **read shadows** for the CR0 and CR4 registers. These fields control executions of instructions that access those registers (including CLTS, LMSW, MOV CR, and SMSW). They are 64 bits on processors that support Intel 64 architecture and 32 bits on processors that do not.

In general, bits set to 1 in a guest/host mask correspond to bits "owned" by the host:

- Guest attempts to set them (using CLTS, LMSW, or MOV to CR) to values differing from the corresponding bits in the corresponding read shadow cause VM exits.
- Guest reads (using MOV from CR or SMSW) return values for these bits from the corresponding read shadow.

Bits cleared to 0 correspond to bits "owned" by the guest; guest attempts to modify them succeed and guest reads return values for these bits from the control register itself.

See Chapter 28 for details regarding how these fields affect VMX non-root operation.

25.6.7 CR3-Target Controls

The VM-execution control fields include a set of 4 **CR3-target values** and a **CR3-target count**. The CR3-target values each have 64 bits on processors that support Intel 64 architecture and 32 bits on processors that do not. The CR3-target count has 32 bits on all processors.

An execution of MOV to CR3 in VMX non-root operation does not cause a VM exit if its source operand matches one of these values. If the CR3-target count is n , only the first n CR3-target values are considered; if the CR3-target count is 0, MOV to CR3 always causes a VM exit.

There are no limitations on the values that can be written for the CR3-target values. VM entry fails (see Section 27.2) if the CR3-target count is greater than 4.

Future processors may support a different number of CR3-target values. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC (see Appendix A.6) to determine the number of values supported.

25.6.8 Controls for APIC Virtualization

There are three mechanisms by which software accesses registers of the logical processor's local APIC:

- If the local APIC is in xAPIC mode, it can perform memory-mapped accesses to addresses in the 4-KByte page referenced by the physical address in the IA32_APIC_BASE MSR (see Section 11.4.4, "Local APIC Status and Location," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3A, and the Intel® 64 Architecture Processor Topology Enumeration Technical Paper).¹
- If the local APIC is in x2APIC mode, it can access the local APIC's registers using the RDMSR and WRMSR instructions (see the Intel® 64 Architecture Processor Topology Enumeration Technical Paper).
- In 64-bit mode, it can access the local APIC's task-priority register (TPR) using the MOV CR8 instruction.

Several processor-based VM-execution controls (see Section 25.6.2) control such accesses. These are "use TPR shadow", "virtualize APIC accesses", "virtualize x2APIC mode", "virtual-interrupt delivery", "APIC-register virtualization", and "IPI virtualization". These controls interact with the following fields:

- **APIC-access address** (64 bits). This field contains the physical address of the 4-KByte **APIC-access page**. If the "virtualize APIC accesses" VM-execution control is 1, access to this page may cause VM exits or be virtualized by the processor. See Section 30.4.

The APIC-access address exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "virtualize APIC accesses" VM-execution control.

- **Virtual-APIC address** (64 bits). This field contains the physical address of the 4-KByte **virtual-APIC page**. The processor uses the virtual-APIC page to virtualize certain accesses to APIC registers and to manage virtual interrupts; see Chapter 30.

Depending on the setting of the controls indicated earlier, the virtual-APIC page may be accessed by the following operations:

- The MOV CR8 instructions (see Section 30.3).
- Accesses to the APIC-access page if, in addition, the "virtualize APIC accesses" VM-execution control is 1 (see Section 30.4).
- The RDMSR and WRMSR instructions if, in addition, the value of ECX is in the range 800H–8FFH (indicating an APIC MSR) and the "virtualize x2APIC mode" VM-execution control is 1 (see Section 30.5).

If the "use TPR shadow" VM-execution control is 1, VM entry ensures that the virtual-APIC address is 4-KByte aligned. The virtual-APIC address exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "use TPR shadow" VM-execution control.

- **TPR threshold** (32 bits). Bits 3:0 of this field determine the threshold below which bits 7:4 of VTPR (see Section 30.1.1) cannot fall. If the "virtual-interrupt delivery" VM-execution control is 0, a VM exit occurs after an operation (e.g., an execution of MOV to CR8) that reduces the value of those bits below the TPR threshold. See Section 30.1.2.

The TPR threshold exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "use TPR shadow" VM-execution control.

- **EOI-exit bitmap** (4 fields; 64 bits each). These fields are supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "virtual-interrupt delivery" VM-execution control. They are used to determine which virtualized writes to the APIC's EOI register cause VM exits:

1. If the local APIC does not support x2APIC mode, it is always in xAPIC mode.

- EOI_EXIT0 contains bits for vectors from 0 (bit 0) to 63 (bit 63).
- EOI_EXIT1 contains bits for vectors from 64 (bit 0) to 127 (bit 63).
- EOI_EXIT2 contains bits for vectors from 128 (bit 0) to 191 (bit 63).
- EOI_EXIT3 contains bits for vectors from 192 (bit 0) to 255 (bit 63).

See Section 30.1.4 for more information on the use of this field.

- **Posted-interrupt notification vector** (16 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “process posted interrupts” VM-execution control. Its low 8 bits contain the interrupt vector that is used to notify a logical processor that virtual interrupts have been posted. See Section 30.6 for more information on the use of this field.
- **Posted-interrupt descriptor address** (64 bits). This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “process posted interrupts” VM-execution control. It is the physical address of a 64-byte aligned posted interrupt descriptor. See Section 30.6 for more information on the use of this field.
- **PID-pointer table address** (64 bits). This field contains the physical address of the **PID-pointer table**. If the “IPI virtualization” VM-execution control is 1, the logical processor uses entries in this table to virtualize IPIs. See Section 30.1.6.
- **Last PID-pointer index** (16 bits). This field contains the index of the last entry in the PID-pointer table.

25.6.9 MSR-Bitmap Address

On processors that support the 1-setting of the “use MSR bitmaps” VM-execution control, the VM-execution control fields include the 64-bit physical address of four contiguous **MSR bitmaps**, which are each 1-KByte in size. This field does not exist on processors that do not support the 1-setting of that control. The four bitmaps are:

- **Read bitmap for low MSRs** (located at the MSR-bitmap address). This contains one bit for each MSR address in the range 00000000H to 00001FFFH. The bit determines whether an execution of RDMSR applied to that MSR causes a VM exit.
- **Read bitmap for high MSRs** (located at the MSR-bitmap address plus 1024). This contains one bit for each MSR address in the range C0000000H to C0001FFFH. The bit determines whether an execution of RDMSR applied to that MSR causes a VM exit.
- **Write bitmap for low MSRs** (located at the MSR-bitmap address plus 2048). This contains one bit for each MSR address in the range 00000000H to 00001FFFH. The bit determines whether an execution of WRMSR applied to that MSR causes a VM exit.
- **Write bitmap for high MSRs** (located at the MSR-bitmap address plus 3072). This contains one bit for each MSR address in the range C0000000H to C0001FFFH. The bit determines whether an execution of WRMSR applied to that MSR causes a VM exit.

A logical processor uses these bitmaps if and only if the “use MSR bitmaps” control is 1. If the bitmaps are used, an execution of RDMSR or WRMSR causes a VM exit if the value of RCX is in neither of the ranges covered by the bitmaps or if the appropriate bit in the MSR bitmaps (corresponding to the instruction and the RCX value) is 1. See Section 26.1.3 for details. If the bitmaps are used, their address must be 4-KByte aligned.

25.6.10 Executive-VMCS Pointer

The executive-VMCS pointer is a 64-bit field used in the dual-monitor treatment of system-management interrupts (SMIs) and system-management mode (SMM). SMM VM exits save this field as described in Section 32.15.2. VM entries that return from SMM use this field as described in Section 32.15.4.

25.6.11 Extended-Page-Table Pointer (EPTP)

The **extended-page-table pointer** (EPTP) contains the address of the base of EPT PML4 table (see Section 29.3.2), as well as other EPT configuration information. The format of this field is shown in Table 25-9.

Table 25-9. Format of Extended-Page-Table Pointer

Bit Position(s)	Field
2:0	EPT paging-structure memory type (see Section 29.3.7): 0 = Uncacheable (UC) 6 = Write-back (WB) Other values are reserved. ¹
5:3	This value is 1 less than the EPT page-walk length (see Section 29.3.2)
6	Setting this control to 1 enables accessed and dirty flags for EPT (see Section 29.3.5) ²
7	Setting this control to 1 enables enforcement of access rights for supervisor shadow-stack pages (see Section 29.3.3.2) ³
11:8	Reserved
N-1:12	Bits N-1:12 of the physical address of the 4-KByte aligned EPT PML4 table ⁴
63:N	Reserved

NOTES:

1. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP (see Appendix A.10) to determine what EPT paging-structure memory types are supported.
2. Not all processors support accessed and dirty flags for EPT. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP (see Appendix A.10) to determine whether the processor supports this feature.
3. Not all processors enforce access rights for shadow-stack pages. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP (see Appendix A.10) to determine whether the processor supports this feature.
4. N is the physical-address width supported by the logical processor. Software can determine a processor's physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

The EPTP exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "enable EPT" VM-execution control.

25.6.12 Virtual-Processor Identifier (VPID)

The **virtual-processor identifier** (VPID) is a 16-bit field. It exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "enable VPID" VM-execution control. See Section 29.1 for details regarding the use of this field.

25.6.13 Controls for PAUSE-Loop Exiting

On processors that support the 1-setting of the "PAUSE-loop exiting" VM-execution control, the VM-execution control fields include the following 32-bit fields:

- **PLE_Gap.** Software can configure this field as an upper bound on the amount of time between two successive executions of PAUSE in a loop.
- **PLE_Window.** Software can configure this field as an upper bound on the amount of time a guest is allowed to execute in a PAUSE loop.

These fields measure time based on a counter that runs at the same rate as the timestamp counter (TSC). See Section 26.1.3 for more details regarding PAUSE-loop exiting.

25.6.14 VM-Function Controls

The **VM-function controls** constitute a 64-bit vector that governs use of the VMFUNC instruction in VMX non-root operation. This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-settings of both the “activate secondary controls” primary processor-based VM-execution control and the “enable VM functions” secondary processor-based VM-execution control.

Table 25-10 lists the VM-function controls. See Section 26.5.6 for more details of how these controls affect processor behavior in VMX non-root operation.

Table 25-10. Definitions of VM-Function Controls

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
0	EPTP switching	The EPTP-switching VM function changes the EPT pointer to a value chosen from the EPTP list. See Section 26.5.6.3.

All other bits in this field are reserved to 0. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_VMFUNC (see Appendix A.11) to determine which bits are reserved. Failure to clear reserved bits causes subsequent VM entries to fail (see Section 27.2.1.1).

Processors that support the 1-setting of the “EPTP switching” VM-function control also support a 64-bit field called the **EPTP-list address**. This field contains the physical address of the 4-KByte **EPTP list**. The EPTP list comprises 512 8-Byte entries (each an EPTP value) and is used by the EPTP-switching VM function (see Section 26.5.6.3).

25.6.15 VMCS Shadowing Bitmap Addresses

On processors that support the 1-setting of the “VMCS shadowing” VM-execution control, the VM-execution control fields include the 64-bit physical addresses of the **VMREAD bitmap** and the **VMWRITE bitmap**. Each bitmap is 4 KBytes in size and thus contains 32 KBits. The addresses are the **VMREAD-bitmap address** and the **VMWRITE-bitmap address**.

If the “VMCS shadowing” VM-execution control is 1, executions of VMREAD and VMWRITE may consult these bitmaps (see Section 25.10 and Section 31.3).

25.6.16 ENCLS-Exiting Bitmap

The **ENCLS-exiting bitmap** is a 64-bit field. If the “enable ENCLS exiting” VM-execution control is 1, execution of ENCLS causes a VM exit if the bit in this field corresponding to the value of EAX is 1. If the bit is 0, the instruction executes normally. See Section 26.1.3 for more information.

25.6.17 ENCLV-Exiting Bitmap

The **ENCLV-exiting bitmap** is a 64-bit field. If the “enable ENCLV exiting” VM-execution control is 1, execution of ENCLV causes a VM exit if the bit in this field corresponding to the value of EAX is 1. If the bit is 0, the instruction executes normally. See Section 26.1.3 for more information.

25.6.18 PCONFIG-Exiting Bitmap

The **PCONFIG-exiting bitmap** is a 64-bit field. If the “enable PCONFIG” VM-execution control is 1, execution of PCONFIG causes a VM exit if the bit in this field corresponding to the value of EAX is 1. If the control is 0, any execution of PCONFIG causes a #UD. See Section 26.1.3 for more information.

25.6.19 Control Field for Page-Modification Logging

The **PML address** is a 64-bit field. It is the 4-KByte aligned address of the **page-modification log**. The page-modification log consists of 512 64-bit entries. It is used for the page-modification logging feature. Details of the page-modification logging are given in Section 29.3.6.

If the “enable PML” VM-execution control is 1, VM entry ensures that the PML address is 4-KByte aligned. The PML address exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable PML” VM-execution control.

25.6.20 Controls for Virtualization Exceptions

On processors that support the 1-setting of the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control, the VM-execution control fields include the following:

- **Virtualization-exception information address** (64 bits). This field contains the physical address of the **virtualization-exception information area**. When a logical processor encounters a virtualization exception, it saves virtualization-exception information at the virtualization-exception information address; see Section 26.5.7.2.
- **EPTP index** (16 bits). When an EPT violation causes a virtualization exception, the processor writes the value of this field to the virtualization-exception information area. The EPTP-switching VM function updates this field (see Section 26.5.6.3).

25.6.21 XSS-Exiting Bitmap

On processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control, the VM-execution control fields include a 64-bit **XSS-exiting bitmap**. If the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control is 1, executions of XSAVES and XRSTORS may consult this bitmap (see Section 26.1.3 and Section 26.3).

25.6.22 Sub-Page-Permission-Table Pointer (SPPTP)

If the sub-page write-permission feature of EPT is enabled, EPT write permissions may be determined at a 128-byte granularity (see Section 29.3.4). These permissions are determined using a hierarchy of sub-page-permission structures in memory.

The root of this hierarchy is referenced by a VM-execution control field called the **sub-page-permission-table pointer** (SPPTP). The SPPTP contains the address of the base of the root SPP table (see Section 29.3.4.2). The format of this field is shown in Table 25-9.

Table 25-11. Format of Sub-Page-Permission-Table Pointer

Bit Position(s)	Field
11:0	Reserved
N-1:12	Bits N-1:12 of the physical address of the 4-KByte aligned root SPP table
63:N ¹	Reserved

NOTES:

1. N is the processor’s physical-address width. Software can determine this width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

The SPPTP exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “sub-page write permissions for EPT” VM-execution control.

25.6.23 Fields Related to Hypervisor-Managed Linear-Address Translation

Two fields are used when the “enable HLAT” VM-execution control is 1, enabling HLAT paging:

- The **hypervisor-managed linear-address translation pointer** (HLAT pointer or HLATP) is used by HLAT paging to locate and access the first paging structure used for linear-address translation (see Section 4.5). The format of this field is shown in Table 25-12.

Table 25-12. Format of Hypervisor-Managed Linear-Address Translation Pointer

Bit Position(s)	Field
2:0	Reserved
3 (PWT)	Page-level write-through; indirectly determines the memory type used to access the first HLAT paging structure during linear-address translation.
4 (PCD)	Page-level cache disable; indirectly determines the memory type used to access the first HLAT paging structure during linear-address translation.
11:5	Reserved
N-1:12	Guest-physical address (4KB-aligned) of the first HLAT paging structure during linear-address translation. ¹
63:N	Reserved

NOTES:

1. N is the physical-address width supported by the logical processor. Software can determine a processor’s physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

- The HLAT prefix size. The value of this field determines which linear address are subject to HLAT paging. See Section 4.5.1.

These fields exist only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable HLAT” VM-execution control.

25.6.24 Fields Related to PASID Translation

Two 64-bit VM-execution control fields are used when the “PASID translation” VM-execution control is 1, enabling translation of PASIDs for executions of ENQCMD and ENQCMDS: the **low PASID directory address** and the **high PASID directory address**. These are the physical addresses of the low PASID directory and the high PASID directory, respectively. These fields exist only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “PASID translation” VM-execution control.

See Section 26.5.8 for information on the PASID-translation process for ENQCMD and ENQCMDS.

25.6.25 Instruction-Timeout Control

On processors that support the 1-setting of the “instruction timeout” VM-execution control, the VM-execution control fields include a 32-bit **instruction-timeout control**. The processor interprets the value of this field as an amount of time as measured in units of crystal clock cycles.¹ If the “instruction timeout” VM-execution control is 1, a VM exit occurs if certain operations prevent the processor from reaching an instruction boundary within this amount of time.

1. CPUID.15H:ECX enumerates the nominal frequency of the core crystal clock in Hz.

25.6.26 Fields Controlling Virtualization of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR

On processors that support the 1-setting of the “virtualize IA32_SPEC_CTRL” VM-execution control, the VM-execution control fields include the following 64-bit fields:

- **IA32_SPEC_CTRL mask.** Setting a bit in this field prevents guest software from modifying the corresponding bit in the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR.
- **IA32_SPEC_CTRL shadow.** This field contains the value that guest software expects to be in the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR.

Section 26.3 discusses how these fields are used in VMX non-root operation.

25.7 VM-EXIT CONTROL FIELDS

The VM-exit control fields govern the behavior of VM exits. They are discussed in Section 25.7.1 and Section 25.7.2.

25.7.1 VM-Exit Controls

The VM-exit controls constitute two vectors that govern the basic operation of VM exits. These are the **primary VM-exit controls** (32 bits) and the **secondary VM-exits controls** (64 bits).

Table 25-13 lists the primary VM-exit controls. See Chapter 28 for complete details of how these controls affect VM exits.

Table 25-13. Definitions of Primary VM-Exit Controls

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
2	Save debug controls	This control determines whether DR7 and the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR are saved on VM exit. The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-setting of this control.
9	Host address-space size	On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, this control determines whether a logical processor is in 64-bit mode after the next VM exit. Its value is loaded into CS.L, IA32_EFER.LME, and IA32_EFER.LMA on every VM exit. ¹ This control must be 0 on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture.
12	Load IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	This control determines whether the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL MSR is loaded on VM exit.
15	Acknowledge interrupt on exit	This control affects VM exits due to external interrupts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If such a VM exit occurs and this control is 1, the logical processor acknowledges the interrupt controller, acquiring the interrupt’s vector. The vector is stored in the VM-exit interruption-information field, which is marked valid. ▪ If such a VM exit occurs and this control is 0, the interrupt is not acknowledged and the VM-exit interruption-information field is marked invalid.
18	Save IA32_PAT	This control determines whether the IA32_PAT MSR is saved on VM exit.
19	Load IA32_PAT	This control determines whether the IA32_PAT MSR is loaded on VM exit.
20	Save IA32_EFER	This control determines whether the IA32_EFER MSR is saved on VM exit.
21	Load IA32_EFER	This control determines whether the IA32_EFER MSR is loaded on VM exit.
22	Save VMX-preemption timer value	This control determines whether the value of the VMX-preemption timer is saved on VM exit.
23	Clear IA32_BNDCFGS	This control determines whether the IA32_BNDCFGS MSR is cleared on VM exit.
24	Conceal VMX from PT	If this control is 1, Intel Processor Trace does not produce a paging information packet (PIP) on a VM exit or a VMCS packet on an SMM VM exit (see Chapter 33).

Table 25-13. Definitions of Primary VM-Exit Controls (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
25	Clear IA32_RTIT_CTL	This control determines whether the IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR is cleared on VM exit.
26	Clear IA32_LBR_CTL	This control determines whether the IA32_LBR_CTL MSR is cleared on VM exit.
27	Clear UINV	This control determines whether UINV is cleared on VM exit.
28	Load CET state	This control determines whether CET-related MSRs and SSP are loaded on VM exit.
29	Load PKRS	This control determines whether the IA32_PKRS MSR is loaded on VM exit.
30	Save IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTL	This control determines whether the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTL MSR is saved on VM exit.
31	Activate secondary controls	This control determines whether the secondary VM-exit controls are used. If this control is 0, the logical processor operates as if all the secondary VM-exit controls were also 0.

NOTES:

1. Since the Intel 64 architecture specifies that IA32_EFER.LMA is always set to the logical-AND of CRO.PG and IA32_EFER.LME, and since CRO.PG is always 1 in VMX root operation, IA32_EFER.LMA is always identical to IA32_EFER.LME in VMX root operation.

All other bits in this field are reserved, some to 0 and some to 1. Software should consult the VMX capability MSRs IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTLS and IA32_VMX_TRUE_EXIT_CTLS (see Appendix A.4) to determine how it should set the reserved bits. Failure to set reserved bits properly causes subsequent VM entries to fail (see Section 27.2.1.2).

The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-settings of bits 0–8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16, and 17. The VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTLS always reports that these bits must be 1. Logical processors that support the 0-settings of any of these bits will support the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_TRUE_EXIT_CTLS MSR, and software should consult this MSR to discover support for the 0-settings of these bits. Software that is not aware of the functionality of any one of these bits should set that bit to 1.

Bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-exit controls determines whether the secondary VM-exit controls are used. If that bit is 0, VM entries and VM exits function as if all the secondary VM-exit controls were 0. Processors that support only the 0-setting of bit 31 of the primary VM-exit controls do not support the secondary VM-exit controls.

Table 25-14 lists the secondary VM-exit controls. See Chapter 28 for more details of how these controls affect VM exits.

Table 25-14. Definitions of Secondary VM-Exit Controls

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
3	Prematurely busy shadow stack	If this control is 1, VM exits that cause a shadow stack to become prematurely busy (see Section 17.2.3, “Supervisor Shadow Stack Token,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1) indicate this fact and save additional information into the VMCS.

All other bits in this field are reserved to 0. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTLS2 (see Appendix A.4.2) to determine which bits may be set to 1. Failure to clear reserved bits causes subsequent VM entries to fail (see Section 27.2.1.2).

25.7.2 VM-Exit Controls for MSRs

A VMM may specify lists of MSRs to be stored and loaded on VM exits. The following VM-exit control fields determine how MSRs are stored on VM exits:

- **VM-exit MSR-store count** (32 bits). This field specifies the number of MSRs to be stored on VM exit. It is recommended that this count not exceed 512.¹ Otherwise, unpredictable processor behavior (including a machine check) may result during VM exit.

- **VM-exit MSR-store address** (64 bits). This field contains the physical address of the VM-exit MSR-store area. The area is a table of entries, 16 bytes per entry, where the number of entries is given by the VM-exit MSR-store count. The format of each entry is given in Table 25-15. If the VM-exit MSR-store count is not zero, the address must be 16-byte aligned.

Table 25-15. Format of an MSR Entry

Bit Position(s)	Contents
31:0	MSR index
63:32	Reserved
127:64	MSR data

See Section 28.4 for how this area is used on VM exits.

The following VM-exit control fields determine how MSR data is loaded on VM exits:

- **VM-exit MSR-load count** (32 bits). This field contains the number of MSRs to be loaded on VM exit. It is recommended that this count not exceed 512. Otherwise, unpredictable processor behavior (including a machine check) may result during VM exit.¹
- **VM-exit MSR-load address** (64 bits). This field contains the physical address of the VM-exit MSR-load area. The area is a table of entries, 16 bytes per entry, where the number of entries is given by the VM-exit MSR-load count (see Table 25-15). If the VM-exit MSR-load count is not zero, the address must be 16-byte aligned.

See Section 28.6 for how this area is used on VM exits.

25.8 VM-ENTRY CONTROL FIELDS

The VM-entry control fields govern the behavior of VM entries. They are discussed in Sections 25.8.1 through 25.8.3.

25.8.1 VM-Entry Controls

The **VM-entry controls** constitute a 32-bit vector that governs the basic operation of VM entries. Table 25-16 lists the controls supported. See Chapter 25 for how these controls affect VM entries.

Table 25-16. Definitions of VM-Entry Controls

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
2	Load debug controls	This control determines whether DR7 and the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR are loaded on VM entry. The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-setting of this control.
9	IA-32e mode guest	On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, this control determines whether the logical processor is in IA-32e mode after VM entry. Its value is loaded into IA32_EFER.LMA as part of VM entry. ¹ This control must be 0 on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture.
10	Entry to SMM	This control determines whether the logical processor is in system-management mode (SMM) after VM entry. This control must be 0 for any VM entry from outside SMM.
11	Deactivate dual-monitor treatment	If set to 1, the default treatment of SMIs and SMM is in effect after the VM entry (see Section 32.15.7). This control must be 0 for any VM entry from outside SMM.

1. Future implementations may allow more MSRs to be stored reliably. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC to determine the number supported (see Appendix A.6).

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Table 25-16. Definitions of VM-Entry Controls (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Name	Description
13	Load IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	This control determines whether the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL MSR is loaded on VM entry.
14	Load IA32_PAT	This control determines whether the IA32_PAT MSR is loaded on VM entry.
15	Load IA32_EFER	This control determines whether the IA32_EFER MSR is loaded on VM entry.
16	Load IA32_BNDCFGS	This control determines whether the IA32_BNDCFGS MSR is loaded on VM entry.
17	Conceal VMX from PT	If this control is 1, Intel Processor Trace does not produce a paging information packet (PIP) on a VM entry or a VMCS packet on a VM entry that returns from SMM (see Chapter 33).
18	Load IA32_RTIT_CTL	This control determines whether the IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR is loaded on VM entry.
19	Load UINV	This control determines whether UINV is loaded on VM entry.
20	Load CET state	This control determines whether CET-related MSRs and SSP are loaded on VM entry.
21	Load guest IA32_LBR_CTL	This control determines whether the IA32_LBR_CTL MSR is loaded on VM entry.
22	Load PKRS	This control determines whether the IA32_PKRS MSR is loaded on VM entry.

NOTES:

1. Bit 5 of the IA32_VMX_MISC MSR is read as 1 on any logical processor that supports the 1-setting of the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control. If it is read as 1, every VM exit stores the value of IA32_EFER.LMA into the “IA-32e mode guest” VM-entry control (see Section 28.2).

All other bits in this field are reserved, some to 0 and some to 1. Software should consult the VMX capability MSRs IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTLS and IA32_VMX_TRUE_ENTRY_CTLS (see Appendix A.5) to determine how it should set the reserved bits. Failure to set reserved bits properly causes subsequent VM entries to fail (see Section 27.2.1.3).

The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-settings of bits 0–8 and 12. The VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTLS always reports that these bits must be 1. Logical processors that support the 0-settings of any of these bits will support the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_TRUE_ENTRY_CTLS MSR, and software should consult this MSR to discover support for the 0-settings of these bits. Software that is not aware of the functionality of any one of these bits should set that bit to 1.

25.8.2 VM-Entry Controls for MSRs

A VMM may specify a list of MSRs to be loaded on VM entries. The following VM-entry control fields manage this functionality:

- **VM-entry MSR-load count** (32 bits). This field contains the number of MSRs to be loaded on VM entry. It is recommended that this count not exceed 512. Otherwise, unpredictable processor behavior (including a machine check) may result during VM entry.¹
- **VM-entry MSR-load address** (64 bits). This field contains the physical address of the VM-entry MSR-load area. The area is a table of entries, 16 bytes per entry, where the number of entries is given by the VM-entry MSR-load count. The format of entries is described in Table 25-15. If the VM-entry MSR-load count is not zero, the address must be 16-byte aligned.

See Section 27.4 for details of how this area is used on VM entries.

25.8.3 VM-Entry Controls for Event Injection

1. Future implementations may allow more MSRs to be loaded reliably. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC to determine the number supported (see Appendix A.6).

VM entry can be configured to conclude by delivering an event through the IDT (after all guest state and MSRs have been loaded). This process is called **event injection** and is controlled by the following three VM-entry control fields:

- **VM-entry interruption-information field** (32 bits). This field provides details about the event to be injected. Table 25-17 describes the field.

Table 25-17. Format of the VM-Entry Interruption-Information Field

Bit Position(s)	Content
7:0	Vector of interrupt or exception
10:8	Interruption type: 0: External interrupt 1: Reserved 2: Non-maskable interrupt (NMI) 3: Hardware exception (e.g., #PF) 4: Software interrupt (INT <i>n</i>) 5: Privileged software exception (INT1) 6: Software exception (INT3 or INTO) 7: Other event
11	Deliver error code (0 = do not deliver; 1 = deliver)
30:12	Reserved
31	Valid

- The **vector** (bits 7:0) determines which entry in the IDT is used or which other event is injected.
- The **interruption type** (bits 10:8) determines details of how the injection is performed. In general, a VMM should use the type hardware exception for all exceptions **other than** the following:
 - breakpoint exceptions (#BP; a VMM should use the type software exception);
 - overflow exceptions (#OF a VMM should use the use type software exception); and
 - those debug exceptions (#DB) that are generated by INT1 (a VMM should use the use type privileged software exception).¹

The type **other event** is used for injection of events that are not delivered through the IDT.²
- For exceptions, the **deliver-error-code bit** (bit 11) determines whether delivery pushes an error code on the guest stack.
- VM entry injects an event if and only if the **valid bit** (bit 31) is 1. The valid bit in this field is cleared on every VM exit (see Section 28.2).
- **VM-entry exception error code** (32 bits). This field is used if and only if the valid bit (bit 31) and the deliver-error-code bit (bit 11) are both set in the VM-entry interruption-information field.
- **VM-entry instruction length** (32 bits). For injection of events whose type is software interrupt, software exception, or privileged software exception, this field is used to determine the value of RIP that is pushed on the stack.

See Section 27.6 for details regarding the mechanics of event injection, including the use of the interruption type and the VM-entry instruction length.

VM exits clear the valid bit (bit 31) in the VM-entry interruption-information field.

25.9 VM-EXIT INFORMATION FIELDS

The VMCS contains a section of fields that contain information about the most recent VM exit.

1. The type hardware exception should be used for all other debug exceptions.
2. INT1 and INT3 refer to the instructions with opcodes F1 and CC, respectively, and not to INT *n* with values 1 or 3 for *n*.

On some processors, attempts to write to these fields with VMWRITE fail (see “VMWRITE—Write Field to Virtual-Machine Control Structure” in Chapter 31).¹

25.9.1 Basic VM-Exit Information

The following VM-exit information fields provide basic information about a VM exit:

- **Exit reason** (32 bits). This field encodes the reason for the VM exit and has the structure given in Table 25-18.

Table 25-18. Format of Exit Reason

Bit Position(s)	Contents
15:0	Basic exit reason
16	Always cleared to 0
26:17	Not currently defined
27	A VM exit saves this bit as 1 to indicate that the VM exit was incident to enclave mode.
28	Pending MTF VM exit
29	VM exit from VMX root operation
30	Not currently defined
31	VM-entry failure (0 = true VM exit; 1 = VM-entry failure)

- Bits 15:0 provide basic information about the cause of the VM exit (if bit 31 is clear) or of the VM-entry failure (if bit 31 is set). Appendix C enumerates the basic exit reasons.
- Bit 16 is always cleared to 0.
- Bit 27 is set to 1 if the VM exit occurred while the logical processor was in enclave mode.
A VM exit also sets this bit if it is incident to delivery of an event injected by VM entry and the guest interruptibility-state field indicates an enclave interrupt (bit 4 of the field is 1). See Section 28.2.1 for details.
- Bit 28 is set only by an SMM VM exit (see Section 32.15.2) that took priority over an MTF VM exit (see Section 26.5.2) that would have occurred had the SMM VM exit not occurred. See Section 32.15.2.3.
- Bit 29 is set if and only if the processor was in VMX root operation at the time the VM exit occurred. This can happen only for SMM VM exits. See Section 32.15.2.
- Because some VM-entry failures load processor state from the host-state area (see Section 27.8), software must be able to distinguish such cases from true VM exits. Bit 31 is used for that purpose.
- **Exit qualification** (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). This field contains additional information about the cause of VM exits due to the following: debug exceptions; page-fault exceptions; start-up IPIs (SIPIs); task switches; INVEPT; INVLPG; INVVPID; LGDT; LIDT; LLDT; LTR; SGDT; SIDT; SLDT; STR; VMCLEAR; VMPTRLD; VMPTRST; VMREAD; VMWRITE; VMXON; XRSTORS; XSAVES; control-register accesses; MOV DR; I/O instructions; and MWAIT. The format of the field depends on the cause of the VM exit. See Section 28.2.1 for details.
- **Guest-linear address** (64 bits; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). This field is used in the following cases:
 - VM exits due to attempts to execute LMSW with a memory operand.
 - VM exits due to attempts to execute INS or OUTS.
 - VM exits due to system-management interrupts (SMIs) that arrive immediately after retirement of I/O instructions.

1. Software can discover whether these fields can be written by reading the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC (see Appendix A.6).

— Certain VM exits due to EPT violations

See Section 28.2.1 and Section 32.15.2.3 for details of when and how this field is used.

- **Guest-physical address** (64 bits). This field is used by VM exits due to EPT violations and EPT misconfigurations. See Section 28.2.1 for details of when and how this field is used.

25.9.2 Information for VM Exits Due to Vectored Events

Event-specific information is provided for VM exits due to the following vectored events: exceptions (including those generated by the instructions INT3, INTO, INT1, BOUND, UD0, UD1, and UD2); external interrupts that occur while the “acknowledge interrupt on exit” VM-exit control is 1; and non-maskable interrupts (NMIs). This information is provided in the following fields:

- **VM-exit interruption information** (32 bits). This field receives basic information associated with the event causing the VM exit. Table 25-19 describes this field.

Table 25-19. Format of the VM-Exit Interruption-Information Field

Bit Position(s)	Content
7:0	Vector of interrupt or exception
10:8	Interruption type: 0: External interrupt 1: Not used 2: Non-maskable interrupt (NMI) 3: Hardware exception 4: Not used 5: Privileged software exception 6: Software exception 7: Not used
11	Error code valid (0 = invalid; 1 = valid)
12	NMI unblocking due to IRET
30:13	Not currently defined
31	Valid

- **VM-exit interruption error code** (32 bits). For VM exits caused by hardware exceptions that would have delivered an error code on the stack, this field receives that error code.

Section 28.2.2 provides details of how these fields are saved on VM exits.

25.9.3 Information for VM Exits That Occur During Event Delivery

Additional information is provided for VM exits that occur during event delivery in VMX non-root operation.¹ This information is provided in the following fields:

- **IDT-vectoring information** (32 bits). This field receives basic information associated with the event that was being delivered when the VM exit occurred. Table 25-20 describes this field.

Table 25-20. Format of the IDT-Vectoring Information Field

Bit Position(s)	Content
7:0	Vector of interrupt or exception

1. This includes cases in which the event delivery was caused by event injection as part of VM entry; see Section 27.6.1.2.

Table 25-20. Format of the IDT-Vectoring Information Field (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Content
10:8	Interruption type: 0: External interrupt 1: Not used 2: Non-maskable interrupt (NMI) 3: Hardware exception 4: Software interrupt 5: Privileged software exception 6: Software exception 7: Not used
11	Error code valid (0 = invalid; 1 = valid)
30:12	Not currently defined
31	Valid

- **IDT-vectoring error code** (32 bits). For VM exits that occur during delivery of hardware exceptions that would have delivered an error code on the stack, this field receives that error code.

See Section 28.2.4 provides details of how these fields are saved on VM exits.

25.9.4 Information for VM Exits Due to Instruction Execution

The following fields are used for VM exits caused by attempts to execute certain instructions in VMX non-root operation:

- **VM-exit instruction length** (32 bits). For VM exits resulting from instruction execution, this field receives the length in bytes of the instruction whose execution led to the VM exit.¹ See Section 28.2.5 for details of when and how this field is used.
- **VM-exit instruction information** (32 bits). This field is used for VM exits due to attempts to execute `INS`, `INVEPT`, `INVVPID`, `LIDT`, `LGDT`, `LLDT`, `LTR`, `OUTS`, `SIDT`, `SGDT`, `SLDT`, `STR`, `VMCLEAR`, `VMPTRLD`, `VMPTRST`, `VMREAD`, `VMWRITE`, or `VMXON`.² The format of the field depends on the cause of the VM exit. See Section 28.2.5 for details.

The following fields (64 bits each; 32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture) are used only for VM exits due to SMIs that arrive immediately after retirement of I/O instructions. They provide information about that I/O instruction:

- **I/O RCX**. The value of RCX before the I/O instruction started.
- **I/O RSI**. The value of RSI before the I/O instruction started.
- **I/O RDI**. The value of RDI before the I/O instruction started.
- **I/O RIP**. The value of RIP before the I/O instruction started (the RIP that addressed the I/O instruction).

25.9.5 VM-Instruction Error Field

The 32-bit **VM-instruction error field** does not provide information about the most recent VM exit. In fact, it is not modified on VM exits. Instead, it provides information about errors encountered by a non-faulting execution of one of the VMX instructions.

1. This field is also used for VM exits that occur during the delivery of a software interrupt or software exception.
 2. Whether the processor provides this information on VM exits due to attempts to execute `INS` or `OUTS` can be determined by consulting the VMX capability MSR `IA32_VMX_BASIC` (see Appendix A.1).

25.10 VMCS TYPES: ORDINARY AND SHADOW

Every VMCS is either an **ordinary VMCS** or a **shadow VMCS**. A VMCS's type is determined by the shadow-VMCS indicator in the VMCS region (this is the value of bit 31 of the first 4 bytes of the VMCS region; see Table 25-1): 0 indicates an ordinary VMCS, while 1 indicates a shadow VMCS. Shadow VMCSs are supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "VMCS shadowing" VM-execution control (see Section 25.6.2).

A shadow VMCS differs from an ordinary VMCS in two ways:

- An ordinary VMCS can be used for VM entry but a shadow VMCS cannot. Attempts to perform VM entry when the current VMCS is a shadow VMCS fail (see Section 27.1).
- The VMREAD and VMWRITE instructions can be used in VMX non-root operation to access a shadow VMCS but not an ordinary VMCS. This fact results from the following:
 - If the "VMCS shadowing" VM-execution control is 0, execution of the VMREAD and VMWRITE instructions in VMX non-root operation always cause VM exits (see Section 26.1.3).
 - If the "VMCS shadowing" VM-execution control is 1, execution of the VMREAD and VMWRITE instructions in VMX non-root operation can access the VMCS referenced by the VMCS link pointer (see Section 31.3).
 - If the "VMCS shadowing" VM-execution control is 1, VM entry ensures that any VMCS referenced by the VMCS link pointer is a shadow VMCS (see Section 27.3.1.5).

In VMX root operation, both types of VMCSs can be accessed with the VMREAD and VMWRITE instructions.

Software should not modify the shadow-VMCS indicator in the VMCS region of a VMCS that is active. Doing so may cause the VMCS to become corrupted (see Section 25.11.1). Before modifying the shadow-VMCS indicator, software should execute VMCLEAR for the VMCS to ensure that it is not active.

25.11 SOFTWARE USE OF THE VMCS AND RELATED STRUCTURES

This section details guidelines that software should observe when using a VMCS and related structures. It also provides descriptions of consequences for failing to follow guidelines.

25.11.1 Software Use of Virtual-Machine Control Structures

To ensure proper processor behavior, software should observe certain guidelines when using an active VMCS.

No VMCS should ever be active on more than one logical processor. If a VMCS is to be "migrated" from one logical processor to another, the first logical processor should execute VMCLEAR for the VMCS (to make it inactive on that logical processor and to ensure that all VMCS data are in memory) before the other logical processor executes VMPTRLD for the VMCS (to make it active on the second logical processor).¹ A VMCS that is made active on more than one logical processor may become **corrupted** (see below).

Software should not modify the shadow-VMCS indicator (see Table 25-1) in the VMCS region of a VMCS that is active. Doing so may cause the VMCS to become corrupted. Before modifying the shadow-VMCS indicator, software should execute VMCLEAR for the VMCS to ensure that it is not active.

Software should use the VMREAD and VMWRITE instructions to access the different fields in the current VMCS (see Section 25.11.2). Software should never access or modify the VMCS data of an active VMCS using ordinary memory operations, in part because the format used to store the VMCS data is implementation-specific and not architecturally defined, and also because a logical processor may maintain some VMCS data of an active VMCS on the processor and not in the VMCS region. The following items detail some of the hazards of accessing VMCS data using ordinary memory operations:

- Any data read from a VMCS with an ordinary memory read does not reliably reflect the state of the VMCS. Results may vary from time to time or from logical processor to logical processor.

1. As noted in Section 25.1, execution of the VMPTRLD instruction makes a VMCS active. In addition, VM entry makes active any shadow VMCS referenced by the VMCS link pointer in the current VMCS. If a shadow VMCS is made active by VM entry, it is necessary to execute VMCLEAR for that VMCS before allowing that VMCS to become active on another logical processor.

- Writing to a VMCS with an ordinary memory write is not guaranteed to have a deterministic effect on the VMCS. Doing so may cause the VMCS to become corrupted (see below).

(Software can avoid these hazards by removing any linear-address mappings to a VMCS region before executing a VMPTRLD for that region and by not remapping it until after executing VMCLEAR for that region.)

If a logical processor leaves VMX operation, any VMCSs active on that logical processor may be corrupted (see below). To prevent such corruption of a VMCS that may be used either after a return to VMX operation or on another logical processor, software should execute VMCLEAR for that VMCS before executing the VMXOFF instruction or removing power from the processor (e.g., as part of a transition to the S3 and S4 power states).

This section has identified operations that may cause a VMCS to become corrupted. These operations may cause the VMCS’s data to become undefined. Behavior may be unpredictable if that VMCS used subsequently on any logical processor. The following items detail some hazards of VMCS corruption:

- VM entries may fail for unexplained reasons or may load undesired processor state.
- The processor may not correctly support VMX non-root operation as documented in Chapter 26 and may generate unexpected VM exits.
- VM exits may load undesired processor state, save incorrect state into the VMCS, or cause the logical processor to transition to a shutdown state.

25.11.2 VMREAD, VMWRITE, and Encodings of VMCS Fields

Every field of the VMCS is associated with a 32-bit value that is its **encoding**. The encoding is provided in an operand to VMREAD and VMWRITE when software wishes to read or write that field. These instructions fail if given, in 64-bit mode, an operand that sets an encoding bit beyond bit 32. See Chapter 31 for a description of these instructions.

The structure of the 32-bit encodings of the VMCS components is determined principally by the width of the fields and their function in the VMCS. See Table 25-21.

Table 25-21. Structure of VMCS Component Encoding

Bit Position(s)	Contents
0	Access type (0 = full; 1 = high); must be full for 16-bit, 32-bit, and natural-width fields
9:1	Index
11:10	Type: 0: control 1: VM-exit information 2: guest state 3: host state
12	Reserved (must be 0)
14:13	Width: 0: 16-bit 1: 64-bit 2: 32-bit 3: natural-width
31:15	Reserved (must be 0)

The following items detail the meaning of the bits in each encoding:

- **Field width.** Bits 14:13 encode the width of the field.
 - A value of 0 indicates a 16-bit field.
 - A value of 1 indicates a 64-bit field.
 - A value of 2 indicates a 32-bit field.
 - A value of 3 indicates a **natural-width** field. Such fields have 64 bits on processors that support Intel 64 architecture and 32 bits on processors that do not.

Fields whose encodings use value 1 are specially treated to allow 32-bit software access to all 64 bits of the field. Such access is allowed by defining, for each such field, an encoding that allows direct access to the high 32 bits of the field. See below.
- **Field type.** Bits 11:10 encode the type of VMCS field: control, guest-state, host-state, or VM-exit information. (The last category also includes the VM-instruction error field.)
- **Index.** Bits 9:1 distinguish components with the same field width and type.
- **Access type.** Bit 0 must be 0 for all fields except for 64-bit fields (those with field-width 1; see above). A VMREAD or VMWRITE using an encoding with this bit cleared to 0 accesses the entire field. For a 64-bit field with field-width 1, a VMREAD or VMWRITE using an encoding with this bit set to 1 accesses only the high 32 bits of the field.

Appendix B gives the encodings of all fields in the VMCS.

The following describes the operation of VMREAD and VMWRITE based on processor mode, VMCS-field width, and access type:

- 16-bit fields:
 - A VMREAD returns the value of the field in bits 15:0 of the destination operand; other bits of the destination operand are cleared to 0.
 - A VMWRITE writes the value of bits 15:0 of the source operand into the VMCS field; other bits of the source operand are not used.
- 32-bit fields:
 - A VMREAD returns the value of the field in bits 31:0 of the destination operand; in 64-bit mode, bits 63:32 of the destination operand are cleared to 0.
 - A VMWRITE writes the value of bits 31:0 of the source operand into the VMCS field; in 64-bit mode, bits 63:32 of the source operand are not used.
- 64-bit fields and natural-width fields using the full access type outside IA-32e mode.
 - A VMREAD returns the value of bits 31:0 of the field in its destination operand; bits 63:32 of the field are ignored.
 - A VMWRITE writes the value of its source operand to bits 31:0 of the field and clears bits 63:32 of the field.
- 64-bit fields and natural-width fields using the full access type in 64-bit mode (only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture).
 - A VMREAD returns the value of the field in bits 63:0 of the destination operand
 - A VMWRITE writes the value of bits 63:0 of the source operand into the VMCS field.
- 64-bit fields using the high access type.
 - A VMREAD returns the value of bits 63:32 of the field in bits 31:0 of the destination operand; in 64-bit mode, bits 63:32 of the destination operand are cleared to 0.
 - A VMWRITE writes the value of bits 31:0 of the source operand to bits 63:32 of the field; in 64-bit mode, bits 63:32 of the source operand are not used.

Software seeking to read a 64-bit field outside IA-32e mode can use VMREAD with the full access type (reading bits 31:0 of the field) and VMREAD with the high access type (reading bits 63:32 of the field); the order of the two VMREAD executions is not important. Software seeking to modify a 64-bit field outside IA-32e mode should first

use VMWRITE with the full access type (establishing bits 31:0 of the field while clearing bits 63:32) and then use VMWRITE with the high access type (establishing bits 63:32 of the field).

25.11.3 Initializing a VMCS

Software should initialize fields in a VMCS (using VMWRITE) before using the VMCS for VM entry. Failure to do so may result in unpredictable behavior; for example, a VM entry may fail for unexplained reasons, or a successful transition (VM entry or VM exit) may load processor state with unexpected values.

It is not necessary to initialize fields that the logical processor will not use. (For example, it is not necessary to initialize the MSR-bitmap address if the “use MSR bitmaps” VM-execution control is 0.)

A processor maintains some VMCS information that cannot be modified with the VMWRITE instruction; this includes a VMCS’s launch state (see Section 25.1). Such information may be stored in the VMCS data portion of a VMCS region. Because the format of this information is implementation-specific, there is no way for software to know, when it first allocates a region of memory for use as a VMCS region, how the processor will determine this information from the contents of the memory region.

In addition to its other functions, the VMCLEAR instruction initializes any implementation-specific information in the VMCS region referenced by its operand. To avoid the uncertainties of implementation-specific behavior, software should execute VMCLEAR on a VMCS region before making the corresponding VMCS active with VMPTRLD for the first time. (Figure 25-1 illustrates how execution of VMCLEAR puts a VMCS into a well-defined state.)

The following software usage is consistent with these limitations:

- VMCLEAR should be executed for a VMCS before it is used for VM entry for the first time.
- VMLAUNCH should be used for the first VM entry using a VMCS after VMCLEAR has been executed for that VMCS.
- VMRESUME should be used for any subsequent VM entry using a VMCS (until the next execution of VMCLEAR for the VMCS).

It is expected that, in general, VMRESUME will have lower latency than VMLAUNCH. Since “migrating” a VMCS from one logical processor to another requires use of VMCLEAR (see Section 25.11.1), which sets the launch state of the VMCS to “clear”, such migration requires the next VM entry to be performed using VMLAUNCH. Software developers can avoid the performance cost of increased VM-entry latency by avoiding unnecessary migration of a VMCS from one logical processor to another.

25.11.4 Software Access to Related Structures

In addition to data in the VMCS region itself, VMX non-root operation can be controlled by data structures that are referenced by pointers in a VMCS (for example, the I/O bitmaps). While the pointers to these data structures are parts of the VMCS, the data structures themselves are not. They are not accessible using VMREAD and VMWRITE but by ordinary memory writes.

Software should ensure that each such data structure is modified only when no logical processor with a current VMCS that references it is in VMX non-root operation. Doing otherwise may lead to unpredictable behavior (including behaviors identified in Section 25.11.1). Exceptions are made for the following data structures (subject to detailed discussion in the sections indicated): EPT paging structures and the data structures used to locate SPP vectors (Section 29.4.3); the virtual-APIC page (Section 30.1); the posted interrupt descriptor (Section 30.6); and the virtualization-exception information area (Section 26.5.7.2).

25.11.5 VMXON Region

Before executing VMXON, software allocates a region of memory (called the VMXON region)¹ that the logical processor uses to support VMX operation. The physical address of this region (the VMXON pointer) is provided in an operand to VMXON. The VMXON pointer is subject to the limitations that apply to VMCS pointers:

1. The amount of memory required for the VMXON region is the same as that required for a VMCS region. This size is implementation specific and can be determined by consulting the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1).

- The VMXON pointer must be 4-KByte aligned (bits 11:0 must be zero).
- The VMXON pointer must not set any bits beyond the processor's physical-address width.^{1,2}

Before executing VMXON, software should write the VMCS revision identifier (see Section 25.2) to the VMXON region. (Specifically, it should write the 31-bit VMCS revision identifier to bits 30:0 of the first 4 bytes of the VMXON region; bit 31 should be cleared to 0.) It need not initialize the VMXON region in any other way. Software should use a separate region for each logical processor and should not access or modify the VMXON region of a logical processor between execution of VMXON and VMXOFF on that logical processor. Doing otherwise may lead to unpredictable behavior (including behaviors identified in Section 25.11.1).

1. Software can determine a processor's physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

2. If IA32_VMX_BASIC[48] is read as 1, the VMXON pointer must not set any bits in the range 63:32; see Appendix A.1.

12. Updates to Chapter 26, Volume 3C

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Changes to this chapter:

- Updates throughout the chapter for the virtualization of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR.
- Added a new section, Section 26.4.3, "Shadow-Stack Updates."
- Updates for clarity around shadow-stacks as necessary.

In a virtualized environment using VMX, the guest software stack typically runs on a logical processor in VMX non-root operation. This mode of operation is similar to that of ordinary processor operation outside of the virtualized environment. This chapter describes the differences between VMX non-root operation and ordinary processor operation with special attention to causes of VM exits (which bring a logical processor from VMX non-root operation to root operation). The differences between VMX non-root operation and ordinary processor operation are described in the following sections:

- Section 26.1, “Instructions That Cause VM Exits.”
- Section 26.2, “Other Causes of VM Exits.”
- Section 26.3, “Changes to Instruction Behavior in VMX Non-Root Operation.”
- Section 26.4, “Other Changes in VMX Non-Root Operation.”
- Section 26.5, “Features Specific to VMX Non-Root Operation.”
- Section 26.6, “Unrestricted Guests.”

Chapter 27, “VM Entries,” describes the data control structures that govern VMX non-root operation. Chapter 27, “VM Entries,” describes the operation of VM entries by which the processor transitions from VMX root operation to VMX non-root operation. Chapter 26, “VMX Non-Root Operation,” describes the operation of VM exits by which the processor transitions from VMX non-root operation to VMX root operation.

Chapter 29, “VMX Support for Address Translation,” describes two features that support address translation in VMX non-root operation. Chapter 30, “APIC Virtualization and Virtual Interrupts,” describes features that support virtualization of interrupts and the Advanced Programmable Interrupt Controller (APIC) in VMX non-root operation.

26.1 INSTRUCTIONS THAT CAUSE VM EXITS

Certain instructions may cause VM exits if executed in VMX non-root operation. Unless otherwise specified, such VM exits are “fault-like,” meaning that the instruction causing the VM exit does not execute and no processor state is updated by the instruction. Section 28.1 details architectural state in the context of a VM exit.

Section 26.1.1 defines the prioritization between faults and VM exits for instructions subject to both. Section 26.1.2 identifies instructions that cause VM exits whenever they are executed in VMX non-root operation (and thus can never be executed in VMX non-root operation). Section 26.1.3 identifies instructions that cause VM exits depending on the settings of certain VM-execution control fields (see Section 25.6).

26.1.1 Relative Priority of Faults and VM Exits

The following principles describe the ordering between existing faults and VM exits:

- Certain exceptions have priority over VM exits. These include invalid-opcode exceptions, faults based on privilege level,¹ and general-protection exceptions that are based on checking I/O permission bits in the task-state segment (TSS). For example, execution of RDMSR with CPL = 3 generates a general-protection exception and not a VM exit.²
- Faults incurred while fetching instruction operands have priority over VM exits that are conditioned based on the contents of those operands (see LMSW in Section 26.1.3).
- VM exits caused by execution of the INS and OUTS instructions (resulting either because the “unconditional I/O exiting” VM-execution control is 1 or because the “use I/O bitmaps control is 1”) have priority over the following faults:

1. These include faults generated by attempts to execute, in virtual-8086 mode, privileged instructions that are not recognized in that mode.
2. MOV DR is an exception to this rule; see Section 26.1.3.

- A general-protection fault due to the relevant segment (ES for INS; DS for OUTS unless overridden by an instruction prefix) being unusable
- A general-protection fault due to an offset beyond the limit of the relevant segment
- An alignment-check exception
- Fault-like VM exits have priority over exceptions other than those mentioned above. For example, RDMSR of a non-existent MSR with CPL = 0 generates a VM exit and not a general-protection exception.

When Section 26.1.2 or Section 26.1.3 (below) identify an instruction execution that may lead to a VM exit, it is assumed that the instruction does not incur a fault that takes priority over a VM exit.

26.1.2 Instructions That Cause VM Exits Unconditionally

The following instructions cause VM exits when they are executed in VMX non-root operation: CPUID, GETSEC,¹ INVDP, and XSETBV. This is also true of instructions introduced with VMX, which include: INVEPT, INVVPID, VMCALL,² VMCLEAR, VMLAUNCH, VMPTRLD, VMPTRST, VMRESUME, VMXOFF, and VMXON.

26.1.3 Instructions That Cause VM Exits Conditionally

Certain instructions cause VM exits in VMX non-root operation depending on the setting of the VM-execution controls. The following instructions can cause “fault-like” VM exits based on the conditions described:³

- **CLTS.** The CLTS instruction causes a VM exit if the bits in position 3 (corresponding to CR0.TS) are set in both the CR0 guest/host mask and the CR0 read shadow.
- **ENCLS.** The ENCLS instruction causes a VM exit if the “enable ENCLS exiting” VM-execution control is 1 and one of the following is true:
 - The value of EAX is less than 63 and the corresponding bit in the ENCLS-exiting bitmap is 1 (see Section 25.6.16).
 - The value of EAX is greater than or equal to 63 and bit 63 in the ENCLS-exiting bitmap is 1.
- **ENCLV.** The ENCLV instruction causes a VM exit if the “enable ENCLV exiting” VM-execution control is 1 and one of the following is true:
 - The value of EAX is less than 63 and the corresponding bit in the ENCLV-exiting bitmap is 1 (see Section 25.6.17).
 - The value of EAX is greater than or equal to 63 and bit 63 in the ENCLV-exiting bitmap is 1.
- **ENQCMD, ENQCMD.** The behavior of each of these instructions is determined by the setting of the “PASID translation” VM-execution control. If that control is 0, the instruction executes normally. If the control is 1, instruction behavior is modified and may cause a VM exit. See Section 26.5.8.
- **HLT.** The HLT instruction causes a VM exit if the “HLT exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **IN, INS/INSB/INSW/INSD, OUT, OUTS/OUTSB/OUTSW/OUTSD.** The behavior of each of these instructions is determined by the settings of the “unconditional I/O exiting” and “use I/O bitmaps” VM-execution controls:
 - If both controls are 0, the instruction executes normally.

1. An execution of GETSEC in VMX non-root operation causes a VM exit if CR4.SMXE[Bit 14] = 1 regardless of the value of CPL or RAX. An execution of GETSEC causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD) if CR4.SMXE[Bit 14] = 0.

2. Under the dual-monitor treatment of SMIs and SMM, executions of VMCALL cause SMM VM exits in VMX root operation outside SMM. See Section 32.15.2.

3. Items in this section may refer to secondary processor-based VM-execution controls and tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VMX non-root operation functions as if the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls were all 0; similarly, if bit 17 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VMX non-root operation functions as if the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls were all 0. See Section 25.6.2.

- If the “unconditional I/O exiting” VM-execution control is 1 and the “use I/O bitmaps” VM-execution control is 0, the instruction causes a VM exit.
- If the “use I/O bitmaps” VM-execution control is 1, the instruction causes a VM exit if it attempts to access an I/O port corresponding to a bit set to 1 in the appropriate I/O bitmap (see Section 25.6.4). If an I/O operation “wraps around” the 16-bit I/O-port space (accesses ports FFFFH and 0000H), the I/O instruction causes a VM exit (the “unconditional I/O exiting” VM-execution control is ignored if the “use I/O bitmaps” VM-execution control is 1).

See Section 26.1.1 for information regarding the priority of VM exits relative to faults that may be caused by the INS and OUTS instructions.

- **INVLPG.** The INVLPG instruction causes a VM exit if the “INVLPG exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **INVPCID.** The INVPCID instruction causes a VM exit if the “INVLPG exiting” and “enable INVPCID” VM-execution controls are both 1.
- **LGDT, LIDT, LLDT, LTR, SGDT, SIDT, SLDT, STR.** These instructions cause VM exits if the “descriptor-table exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **LMSW.** In general, the LMSW instruction causes a VM exit if it would write, for any bit set in the low 4 bits of the CR0 guest/host mask, a value different than the corresponding bit in the CR0 read shadow. LMSW never clears bit 0 of CR0 (CR0.PE); thus, LMSW causes a VM exit if either of the following are true:
 - The bits in position 0 (corresponding to CR0.PE) are set in both the CR0 guest/host mask and the source operand, and the bit in position 0 is clear in the CR0 read shadow.
 - For any bit position in the range 3:1, the bit in that position is set in the CR0 guest/host mask and the values of the corresponding bits in the source operand and the CR0 read shadow differ.
- **LOADIWKEY.** The LOADIWKEY instruction causes a VM exit if the “LOADIWKEY exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **MONITOR.** The MONITOR instruction causes a VM exit if the “MONITOR exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **MOV from CR3.** The MOV from CR3 instruction causes a VM exit if the “CR3-store exiting” VM-execution control is 1. The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-setting of this control.
- **MOV from CR8.** The MOV from CR8 instruction causes a VM exit if the “CR8-store exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **MOV to CR0.** The MOV to CR0 instruction causes a VM exit unless the value of its source operand matches, for the position of each bit set in the CR0 guest/host mask, the corresponding bit in the CR0 read shadow. (If every bit is clear in the CR0 guest/host mask, MOV to CR0 cannot cause a VM exit.)
- **MOV to CR3.** The MOV to CR3 instruction causes a VM exit unless the “CR3-load exiting” VM-execution control is 0 or the value of its source operand is equal to one of the CR3-target values specified in the VMCS. Only the first n CR3-target values are considered, where n is the CR3-target count. If the “CR3-load exiting” VM-execution control is 1 and the CR3-target count is 0, MOV to CR3 always causes a VM exit.

The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-setting of the “CR3-load exiting” VM-execution control. These processors always consult the CR3-target controls to determine whether an execution of MOV to CR3 causes a VM exit.

- **MOV to CR4.** The MOV to CR4 instruction causes a VM exit unless the value of its source operand matches, for the position of each bit set in the CR4 guest/host mask, the corresponding bit in the CR4 read shadow.
- **MOV to CR8.** The MOV to CR8 instruction causes a VM exit if the “CR8-load exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **MOV DR.** The MOV DR instruction causes a VM exit if the “MOV-DR exiting” VM-execution control is 1. Such VM exits represent an exception to the principles identified in Section 26.1.1 in that they take priority over the following: general-protection exceptions based on privilege level; and invalid-opcode exceptions that occur because CR4.DE=1 and the instruction specified access to DR4 or DR5.
- **MWAIT.** The MWAIT instruction causes a VM exit if the “MWAIT exiting” VM-execution control is 1. If this control is 0, the behavior of the MWAIT instruction may be modified (see Section 26.3).
- **PAUSE.** The behavior of each of this instruction depends on CPL and the settings of the “PAUSE exiting” and “PAUSE-loop exiting” VM-execution controls:
 - CPL = 0.

- If the “PAUSE exiting” and “PAUSE-loop exiting” VM-execution controls are both 0, the PAUSE instruction executes normally.
- If the “PAUSE exiting” VM-execution control is 1, the PAUSE instruction causes a VM exit (the “PAUSE-loop exiting” VM-execution control is ignored if CPL = 0 and the “PAUSE exiting” VM-execution control is 1).
- If the “PAUSE exiting” VM-execution control is 0 and the “PAUSE-loop exiting” VM-execution control is 1, the following treatment applies.

The processor determines the amount of time between this execution of PAUSE and the previous execution of PAUSE at CPL 0. If this amount of time exceeds the value of the VM-execution control field PLE_Gap, the processor considers this execution to be the first execution of PAUSE in a loop. (It also does so for the first execution of PAUSE at CPL 0 after VM entry.)

Otherwise, the processor determines the amount of time since the most recent execution of PAUSE that was considered to be the first in a loop. If this amount of time exceeds the value of the VM-execution control field PLE_Window, a VM exit occurs.

For purposes of these computations, time is measured based on a counter that runs at the same rate as the timestamp counter (TSC).

— CPL > 0.

- If the “PAUSE exiting” VM-execution control is 0, the PAUSE instruction executes normally.
- If the “PAUSE exiting” VM-execution control is 1, the PAUSE instruction causes a VM exit.

The “PAUSE-loop exiting” VM-execution control is ignored if CPL > 0.

- **PCONFIG.** The PCONFIG instruction causes a VM exit if the “enable PCONFIG” VM-execution control is 1 and one of the following is true:

- The value of EAX is less than 63 and the corresponding bit in the PCONFIG-exiting bitmap is 1 (see Section 25.6.18).
- The value of EAX is greater than or equal to 63 and bit 63 in the PCONFIG-exiting bitmap is 1.

If the “enable PCONFIG” VM-execution control is 1 and neither of the previous items hold, the PCONFIG instruction executes normally.

- **RDMSR.** The RDMSR instruction causes a VM exit if any of the following are true:
 - The “use MSR bitmaps” VM-execution control is 0.
 - The value of ECX is not in the ranges 00000000H – 00001FFFH and C0000000H – C0001FFFH.
 - The value of ECX is in the range 00000000H – 00001FFFH and bit *n* in read bitmap for low MSRs is 1, where *n* is the value of ECX.
 - The value of ECX is in the range C0000000H – C0001FFFH and bit *n* in read bitmap for high MSRs is 1, where *n* is the value of ECX & 00001FFFH.

See Section 25.6.9 for details regarding how these bitmaps are identified.

- **RDPMC.** The RDPMC instruction causes a VM exit if the “RDPMC exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **RDRAND.** The RDRAND instruction causes a VM exit if the “RDRAND exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **RDSEED.** The RDSEED instruction causes a VM exit if the “RDSEED exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **RDTSC.** The RDTSC instruction causes a VM exit if the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **RDTSCP.** The RDTSCP instruction causes a VM exit if the “RDTSC exiting” and “enable RDTSCP” VM-execution controls are both 1.
- **RSM.** The RSM instruction causes a VM exit if executed in system-management mode (SMM).¹
- **TPAUSE.** The TPAUSE instruction causes a VM exit if the “RDTSC exiting” and “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution controls are both 1.

1. Execution of the RSM instruction outside SMM causes an invalid-opcode exception regardless of whether the processor is in VMX operation. It also does so in VMX root operation in SMM; see Section 32.15.3.

- **UMWAIT.** The UMWAIT instruction causes a VM exit if the “RDTSC exiting” and “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution controls are both 1.
- **VMREAD.** The VMREAD instruction causes a VM exit if any of the following are true:
 - The “VMCS shadowing” VM-execution control is 0.
 - Bits 63:15 (bits 31:15 outside 64-bit mode) of the register source operand are not all 0.
 - Bit n in VMREAD bitmap is 1, where n is the value of bits 14:0 of the register source operand. See Section 25.6.15 for details regarding how the VMREAD bitmap is identified.

If the VMREAD instruction does not cause a VM exit, it reads from the VMCS referenced by the VMCS link pointer. See Chapter 31, “VMREAD—Read Field from Virtual-Machine Control Structure” for details of the operation of the VMREAD instruction.

- **VMWRITE.** The VMWRITE instruction causes a VM exit if any of the following are true:
 - The “VMCS shadowing” VM-execution control is 0.
 - Bits 63:15 (bits 31:15 outside 64-bit mode) of the register source operand are not all 0.
 - Bit n in VMWRITE bitmap is 1, where n is the value of bits 14:0 of the register source operand. See Section 25.6.15 for details regarding how the VMWRITE bitmap is identified.

If the VMWRITE instruction does not cause a VM exit, it writes to the VMCS referenced by the VMCS link pointer. See Chapter 31, “VMWRITE—Write Field to Virtual-Machine Control Structure” for details of the operation of the VMWRITE instruction.

- **WBINVD.** The WBINVD instruction causes a VM exit if the “WBINVD exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **WBNOINVD.** The WBNOINVD instruction causes a VM exit if the “WBINVD exiting” VM-execution control is 1.
- **WRMSR.** The WRMSR instruction causes a VM exit if any of the following are true:
 - The “use MSR bitmaps” VM-execution control is 0.
 - The value of ECX is not in the ranges 00000000H – 00001FFFH and C0000000H – C0001FFFH.
 - The value of ECX is in the range 00000000H – 00001FFFH and bit n in write bitmap for low MSRs is 1, where n is the value of ECX.
 - The value of ECX is in the range C0000000H – C0001FFFH and bit n in write bitmap for high MSRs is 1, where n is the value of ECX & 00001FFFH.

See Section 25.6.9 for details regarding how these bitmaps are identified.

- **XRSTORS.** The XRSTORS instruction causes a VM exit if the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control is 1 and any bit is set in the logical-AND of the following three values: EDX:EAX, the IA32_XSS MSR, and the XSS-exiting bitmap (see Section 25.6.21).
- **XSAVES.** The XSAVES instruction causes a VM exit if the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control is 1 and any bit is set in the logical-AND of the following three values: EDX:EAX, the IA32_XSS MSR, and the XSS-exiting bitmap (see Section 25.6.21).

26.2 OTHER CAUSES OF VM EXITS

In addition to VM exits caused by instruction execution, the following events can cause VM exits:¹

- **Exceptions.** Exceptions (faults, traps, and aborts) cause VM exits based on the exception bitmap (see Section 25.6.3). If an exception occurs, its vector (in the range 0–31) is used to select a bit in the exception bitmap. If the bit is 1, a VM exit occurs; if the bit is 0, the exception is delivered normally through the guest IDT. This use of the exception bitmap applies also to exceptions generated by the instructions INT1, INT3, INTO, BOUND, UD0, UD1, and UD2.²

1. Items in this section may refer to secondary processor-based VM-execution controls and tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VMX non-root operation functions as if the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls were all 0; similarly, if bit 17 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VMX non-root operation functions as if the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls were all 0. See Section 25.6.2.

Page faults (exceptions with vector 14) are specially treated. When a page fault occurs, a processor consults (1) bit 14 of the exception bitmap; (2) the error code produced with the page fault [PFEC]; (3) the page-fault error-code mask field [PFEC_MASK]; and (4) the page-fault error-code match field [PFEC_MATCH]. It checks if PFEC & PFEC_MASK = PFEC_MATCH. If there is equality, the specification of bit 14 in the exception bitmap is followed (for example, a VM exit occurs if that bit is set). If there is inequality, the meaning of that bit is reversed (for example, a VM exit occurs if that bit is clear).

Thus, if software desires VM exits on all page faults, it can set bit 14 in the exception bitmap to 1 and set the page-fault error-code mask and match fields each to 00000000H. If software desires VM exits on no page faults, it can set bit 14 in the exception bitmap to 1, the page-fault error-code mask field to 00000000H, and the page-fault error-code match field to FFFFFFFFH.

- **Triple fault.** A VM exit occurs if the logical processor encounters an exception while attempting to call the double-fault handler and that exception itself does not cause a VM exit due to the exception bitmap. This applies to the case in which the double-fault exception was generated within VMX non-root operation, the case in which the double-fault exception was generated during event injection by VM entry, and to the case in which VM entry is injecting a double-fault exception.
- **External interrupts.** An external interrupt causes a VM exit if the “external-interrupt exiting” VM-execution control is 1. (See Section 26.6 for an exception.) Otherwise, the processor handles the interrupt normally.¹ (If a logical processor is in the shutdown state or the wait-for-SIPI state, external interrupts are blocked. The processor does handle the interrupt and no VM exit occurs.)
- **Non-maskable interrupts (NMIs).** An NMI causes a VM exit if the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 1. Otherwise, it is delivered using descriptor 2 of the IDT. (If a logical processor is in the wait-for-SIPI state, NMIs are blocked. The NMI is not delivered through the IDT and no VM exit occurs.)
- **INIT signals.** INIT signals cause VM exits. A logical processor performs none of the operations normally associated with these events. Such exits do not modify register state or clear pending events as they would outside of VMX operation. (If a logical processor is in the wait-for-SIPI state, INIT signals are blocked. They do not cause VM exits in this case.)
- **Start-up IPIs (SIPIs). SIPIs cause VM exits.** If a logical processor is not in the wait-for-SIPI activity state when a SIPI arrives, no VM exit occurs and the SIPI is discarded. VM exits due to SIPIs do not perform any of the normal operations associated with those events: they do not modify register state as they would outside of VMX operation. (If a logical processor is not in the wait-for-SIPI state, SIPIs are blocked. They do not cause VM exits in this case.)
- **Task switches.** Task switches are not allowed in VMX non-root operation. Any attempt to effect a task switch in VMX non-root operation causes a VM exit. See Section 26.4.2.
- **System-management interrupts (SMIs).** If the logical processor is using the dual-monitor treatment of SMIs and system-management mode (SMM), SMIs cause SMM VM exits. See Section 32.15.2.²
- **VMX-preemption timer.** A VM exit occurs when the timer counts down to zero. See Section 26.5.1 for details of operation of the VMX-preemption timer.

Debug-trap exceptions and higher priority events take priority over VM exits caused by the VMX-preemption timer. VM exits caused by the VMX-preemption timer take priority over VM exits caused by the “NMI-window exiting” VM-execution control and lower priority events.

These VM exits wake a logical processor from the same inactive states as would a non-maskable interrupt. Specifically, they wake a logical processor from the shutdown state and from the states entered using the HLT and MWAIT instructions. These VM exits do not occur if the logical processor is in the wait-for-SIPI state.

- **Bus locks.** Assertion of a bus lock (see Section 9.1.2) causes a VM exit if the “VMM bus-lock detection” VM-execution control is 1. Such a VM exit is trap-like because it is generated after execution of an instruction that asserts a bus lock. The VM exit thus does not prevent assertion of the bus lock. These VM exits take priority over system-management interrupts (SMIs), INIT signals, and lower priority events.

2. INT1 and INT3 refer to the instructions with opcodes F1 and CC, respectively, and not to INT *n* with value 1 or 3 for *n*.

1. Normal handling usually means delivery through the IDT, but it could also mean treatment of the interrupt as a user-interrupt notification.

2. Under the dual-monitor treatment of SMIs and SMM, SMIs also cause SMM VM exits if they occur in VMX root operation outside SMM. If the processor is using the default treatment of SMIs and SMM, SMIs are delivered as described in Section 32.14.1.

- **Instruction timeout.** If the “instruction timeout” VM-execution control is 1, a VM exit occurs if certain operations prevent the processor from reaching an instruction boundary within the amount of time specified by the instruction-timeout control VM-execution control field (see Section 25.6.25).

In addition, there are controls that cause VM exits based on the readiness of guest software to receive interrupts:

- If the “interrupt-window exiting” VM-execution control is 1, a VM exit occurs before execution of any instruction if `RFLAGS.IF = 1` and there is no blocking of events by `STI` or by `MOV SS` (see Table 25-3). Such a VM exit occurs immediately after VM entry if the above conditions are true (see Section 27.7.5).

Non-maskable interrupts (NMIs) and higher priority events take priority over VM exits caused by this control. VM exits caused by this control take priority over external interrupts and lower priority events.

These VM exits wake a logical processor from the same inactive states as would an external interrupt. Specifically, they wake a logical processor from the states entered using the `HLT` and `MWAIT` instructions. These VM exits do not occur if the logical processor is in the shutdown state or the wait-for-SIPI state.

- If the “NMI-window exiting” VM-execution control is 1, a VM exit occurs before execution of any instruction if there is no virtual-NMI blocking and there is no blocking of events by `MOV SS` and no blocking of events by `STI` (see Table 25-3). Such a VM exit occurs immediately after VM entry if the above conditions are true (see Section 27.7.6).

VM exits caused by the VMX-preemption timer and higher priority events take priority over VM exits caused by this control. VM exits caused by this control take priority over non-maskable interrupts (NMIs) and lower priority events.

These VM exits wake a logical processor from the same inactive states as would an NMI. Specifically, they wake a logical processor from the shutdown state and from the states entered using the `HLT` and `MWAIT` instructions. These VM exits do not occur if the logical processor is in the wait-for-SIPI state.

26.3 CHANGES TO INSTRUCTION BEHAVIOR IN VMX NON-ROOT OPERATION

The behavior of some instructions is changed in VMX non-root operation. Some of these changes are determined by the settings of certain VM-execution control fields. The following items detail such changes:¹

- **CLTS.** Behavior of the `CLTS` instruction is determined by the bits in position 3 (corresponding to `CR0.TS`) in the `CR0` guest/host mask and the `CR0` read shadow:
 - If bit 3 in the `CR0` guest/host mask is 0, `CLTS` clears `CR0.TS` normally (the value of bit 3 in the `CR0` read shadow is irrelevant in this case), unless `CR0.TS` is fixed to 1 in VMX operation (see Section 24.8), in which case `CLTS` causes a general-protection exception.
 - If bit 3 in the `CR0` guest/host mask is 1 and bit 3 in the `CR0` read shadow is 0, `CLTS` completes but does not change the contents of `CR0.TS`.
 - If the bits in position 3 in the `CR0` guest/host mask and the `CR0` read shadow are both 1, `CLTS` causes a VM exit.
- **ENQCMD, ENQCMDs.** Each of these instructions performs a 64-byte enqueue store that includes a PASID value in bits 19:0. For `ENQCMD`, the PASID is normally the value of `IA32_PASID[19:0]`, while for `ENQCMDs`, the PASID is normally read from memory.

The behavior of each of these instructions (and in particular the PASID value used for the enqueue store) is determined by the setting of the “PASID translation” VM-execution control:

- If the “PASID translation” VM-execution control is 0, the instruction operates normally.
- If the “PASID translation” VM-execution control is 1, the PASID value used for the enqueue store is determined by the PASID-translation process described in Section 26.5.8. (Note the PASID translation may result in a VM exit, in which case the enqueue store is not performed.)

1. Items in this section may refer to secondary processor-based VM-execution controls and tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VMX non-root operation functions as if the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls were all 0; similarly, if bit 17 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VMX non-root operation functions as if the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls were all 0. See Section 25.6.2.

An execution of ENQCMD or ENQCMDs performs PASID translation only after checking for conditions that may result in general-protection exception (the check of IA32_PASID.Valid for ENQCMD; the privilege-level check for ENQCMDs), after loading the instruction's source operand from memory, and thus after any faults or VM exits that the loading may cause (e.g., page faults or EPT violations). PASID translation occurs before the actual enqueue store and thus before any faults or VM exits that it may cause.

- **INVPCID.** Behavior of the INVPCID instruction is determined first by the setting of the “enable INVPCID” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable INVPCID” VM-execution control is 0, INVPCID causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD). This exception takes priority over any other exception the instruction may incur.
 - If the “enable INVPCID” VM-execution control is 1, treatment is based on the setting of the “INVLPG exiting” VM-execution control:
 - If the “INVLPG exiting” VM-execution control is 0, INVPCID operates normally.
 - If the “INVLPG exiting” VM-execution control is 1, INVPCID causes a VM exit.
- **IRET.** Behavior of IRET with regard to NMI blocking (see Table 25-3) is determined by the settings of the “NMI exiting” and “virtual NMIs” VM-execution controls:
 - If the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 0, IRET operates normally and unblocks NMIs. (If the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 0, the “virtual NMIs” control must be 0; see Section 27.2.1.1.)
 - If the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 1, IRET does not affect blocking of NMIs. If, in addition, the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control is 1, the logical processor tracks virtual-NMI blocking. In this case, IRET removes any virtual-NMI blocking.

The unblocking of NMIs or virtual NMIs specified above occurs even if IRET causes a fault.

- **LMSW.** Outside of VMX non-root operation, LMSW loads its source operand into CR0[3:0], but it does not clear CR0.PE if that bit is set. In VMX non-root operation, an execution of LMSW that does not cause a VM exit (see Section 26.1.3) leaves unmodified any bit in CR0[3:0] corresponding to a bit set in the CR0 guest/host mask. An attempt to set any other bit in CR0[3:0] to a value not supported in VMX operation (see Section 24.8) causes a general-protection exception. Attempts to clear CR0.PE are ignored without fault.
- **MOV from CR0.** The behavior of MOV from CR0 is determined by the CR0 guest/host mask and the CR0 read shadow. For each position corresponding to a bit clear in the CR0 guest/host mask, the destination operand is loaded with the value of the corresponding bit in CR0. For each position corresponding to a bit set in the CR0 guest/host mask, the destination operand is loaded with the value of the corresponding bit in the CR0 read shadow. Thus, if every bit is cleared in the CR0 guest/host mask, MOV from CR0 reads normally from CR0; if every bit is set in the CR0 guest/host mask, MOV from CR0 returns the value of the CR0 read shadow.

Depending on the contents of the CR0 guest/host mask and the CR0 read shadow, bits may be set in the destination that would never be set when reading directly from CR0.
- **MOV from CR3.** If the “enable EPT” VM-execution control is 1 and an execution of MOV from CR3 does not cause a VM exit (see Section 26.1.3), the value loaded from CR3 is a guest-physical address; see Section 29.3.1.
- **MOV from CR4.** The behavior of MOV from CR4 is determined by the CR4 guest/host mask and the CR4 read shadow. For each position corresponding to a bit clear in the CR4 guest/host mask, the destination operand is loaded with the value of the corresponding bit in CR4. For each position corresponding to a bit set in the CR4 guest/host mask, the destination operand is loaded with the value of the corresponding bit in the CR4 read shadow. Thus, if every bit is cleared in the CR4 guest/host mask, MOV from CR4 reads normally from CR4; if every bit is set in the CR4 guest/host mask, MOV from CR4 returns the value of the CR4 read shadow.

Depending on the contents of the CR4 guest/host mask and the CR4 read shadow, bits may be set in the destination that would never be set when reading directly from CR4.
- **MOV from CR8.** If the MOV from CR8 instruction does not cause a VM exit (see Section 26.1.3), its behavior is modified if the “use TPR shadow” VM-execution control is 1; see Section 30.3.
- **MOV to CR0.** An execution of MOV to CR0 that does not cause a VM exit (see Section 26.1.3) leaves unmodified any bit in CR0 corresponding to a bit set in the CR0 guest/host mask. Treatment of attempts to modify other bits in CR0 depends on the setting of the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control:
 - If the control is 0, MOV to CR0 causes a general-protection exception if it attempts to set any bit in CR0 to a value not supported in VMX operation (see Section 24.8).

- If the control is 1, MOV to CR0 causes a general-protection exception if it attempts to set any bit in CR0 other than bit 0 (PE) or bit 31 (PG) to a value not supported in VMX operation. It remains the case, however, that MOV to CR0 causes a general-protection exception if it would result in CR0.PE = 0 and CR0.PG = 1 or if it would result in CR0.PG = 1, CR4.PAE = 0, and IA32_EFER.LME = 1.
- **MOV to CR3.** If the “enable EPT” VM-execution control is 1 and an execution of MOV to CR3 does not cause a VM exit (see Section 26.1.3), the value loaded into CR3 is treated as a guest-physical address; see Section 29.3.1.
 - If PAE paging is not being used, the instruction does not use the guest-physical address to access memory and it does not cause it to be translated through EPT.¹
 - If PAE paging is being used, the instruction translates the guest-physical address through EPT and uses the result to load the four (4) page-directory-pointer-table entries (PDPTEs). The instruction does not use the guest-physical addresses the PDPTEs to access memory and it does not cause them to be translated through EPT.
- **MOV to CR4.** An execution of MOV to CR4 that does not cause a VM exit (see Section 26.1.3) leaves unmodified any bit in CR4 corresponding to a bit set in the CR4 guest/host mask. Such an execution causes a general-protection exception if it attempts to set any bit in CR4 (not corresponding to a bit set in the CR4 guest/host mask) to a value not supported in VMX operation (see Section 24.8).
- **MOV to CR8.** If the MOV to CR8 instruction does not cause a VM exit (see Section 26.1.3), its behavior is modified if the “use TPR shadow” VM-execution control is 1; see Section 30.3.
- **MWAIT.** Behavior of the MWAIT instruction (which always causes an invalid-opcode exception—#UD—if CPL > 0) is determined by the setting of the “MWAIT exiting” VM-execution control:
 - If the “MWAIT exiting” VM-execution control is 1, MWAIT causes a VM exit.
 - If the “MWAIT exiting” VM-execution control is 0, MWAIT operates normally if one of the following are true: (1) ECX[0] is 0; (2) RFLAGS.IF = 1; or both of the following are true: (a) the “interrupt-window exiting” VM-execution control is 0; and (b) the logical processor has not recognized a pending virtual interrupt (see Section 29.2.1).
 - If the “MWAIT exiting” VM-execution control is 0, ECX[0] = 1, and RFLAGS.IF = 0, MWAIT does not cause the processor to enter an implementation-dependent optimized state if either the “interrupt-window exiting” VM-execution control is 1 or the logical processor has recognized a pending virtual interrupt; instead, control passes to the instruction following the MWAIT instruction.
- **PCONFIG.** Behavior of the PCONFIG instruction is determined by the setting of the “enable PCONFIG” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable PCONFIG” VM-execution control is 0, PCONFIG causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD). This exception takes priority over any exception the instruction may incur.
 - If the “enable PCONFIG” VM-execution control is 1, PCONFIG may cause a VM exit as specified in Section 26.1.3; if it does not cause such a VM exit, it operates normally.
- **RDMSR.** Section 26.1.3 identifies when executions of the RDMSR instruction cause VM exits. If such an execution causes neither a fault due to CPL > 0 nor a VM exit, the instruction’s behavior may be modified for certain values of ECX:
 - If ECX contains 10H (indicating the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR), the value returned by the instruction is determined by the setting of the “use TSC offsetting” VM-execution control:
 - If the control is 0, RDMSR operates normally, loading EAX:EDX with the value of the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR.
 - If the control is 1, the value returned is determined by the setting of the “use TSC scaling” VM-execution control:
 - If the control is 0, RDMSR loads EAX:EDX with the sum of the value of the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR and the value of the TSC offset.

1. A logical processor uses PAE paging if CR0.PG = 1, CR4.PAE = 1 and IA32_EFER.LMA = 0. See Section 4.4 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

- If the control is 1, RDMSR first computes the product of the value of the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR and the value of the TSC multiplier. It then shifts the value of the product right 48 bits and loads EAX:EDX with the sum of that shifted value and the value of the TSC offset.

The 1-setting of the “use TSC-offsetting” VM-execution control does not affect executions of RDMSR if ECX contains 6E0H (indicating the IA32_TSC_DEADLINE MSR). Such executions return the APIC-timer deadline relative to the actual timestamp counter without regard to the TSC offset.

- If ECX contains 48H (indicating the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR), the value returned by the instruction is determined by the setting of the “virtualize IA32_SPEC_CTRL” VM-execution control:
 - If the control is 0, RDMSR operates normally, loading EAX:EDX with the value of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR.
 - If the control is 1, the value returned is that of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL shadow field in the VMCS.
- If ECX is in the range 800H–8FFH (indicating an APIC MSR), instruction behavior may be modified if the “virtualize x2APIC mode” VM-execution control is 1; see Section 30.5.
- **RDPID.** Behavior of the RDPID instruction is determined first by the setting of the “enable RDTSCP” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable RDTSCP” VM-execution control is 0, RDPID causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD).
 - If the “enable RDTSCP” VM-execution control is 1, RDPID operates normally.
- **RDTSR.** Behavior of the RDTSR instruction is determined by the settings of the “RDTSC exiting” and “use TSC offsetting” VM-execution controls:
 - If both controls are 0, RDTSR operates normally.
 - If the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 0 and the “use TSC offsetting” VM-execution control is 1, the value returned is determined by the setting of the “use TSC scaling” VM-execution control:
 - If the control is 0, RDTSR loads EAX:EDX with the sum of the value of the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR and the value of the TSC offset.
 - If the control is 1, RDTSR first computes the product of the value of the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR and the value of the TSC multiplier. It then shifts the value of the product right 48 bits and loads EAX:EDX with the sum of that shifted value and the value of the TSC offset.
 - If the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 1, RDTSR causes a VM exit.
- **RDTSCP.** Behavior of the RDTSCP instruction is determined first by the setting of the “enable RDTSCP” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable RDTSCP” VM-execution control is 0, RDTSCP causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD). This exception takes priority over any other exception the instruction may incur.
 - If the “enable RDTSCP” VM-execution control is 1, treatment is based on the settings of the “RDTSC exiting” and “use TSC offsetting” VM-execution controls:
 - If both controls are 0, RDTSCP operates normally.
 - If the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 0 and the “use TSC offsetting” VM-execution control is 1, the value returned is determined by the setting of the “use TSC scaling” VM-execution control:
 - If the control is 0, RDTSCP loads EAX:EDX with the sum of the value of the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR and the value of the TSC offset.
 - If the control is 1, RDTSCP first computes the product of the value of the IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER MSR and the value of the TSC multiplier. It then shifts the value of the product right 48 bits and loads EAX:EDX with the sum of that shifted value and the value of the TSC offset.

In either case, RDTSCP also loads ECX with the value of bits 31:0 of the IA32_TSC_AUX MSR.

 - If the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 1, RDTSCP causes a VM exit.- **SMSW.** The behavior of SMSW is determined by the CR0 guest/host mask and the CR0 read shadow. For each position corresponding to a bit clear in the CR0 guest/host mask, the destination operand is loaded with the

value of the corresponding bit in CR0. For each position corresponding to a bit set in the CR0 guest/host mask, the destination operand is loaded with the value of the corresponding bit in the CR0 read shadow. Thus, if every bit is cleared in the CR0 guest/host mask, SMSW reads normally from CR0; if every bit is set in the CR0 guest/host mask, SMSW returns the value of the CR0 read shadow.

Note the following: (1) for any memory destination or for a 16-bit register destination, only the low 16 bits of the CR0 guest/host mask and the CR0 read shadow are used (bits 63:16 of a register destination are left unchanged); (2) for a 32-bit register destination, only the low 32 bits of the CR0 guest/host mask and the CR0 read shadow are used (bits 63:32 of the destination are cleared); and (3) depending on the contents of the CR0 guest/host mask and the CR0 read shadow, bits may be set in the destination that would never be set when reading directly from CR0.

- **TPAUSE.** Behavior of the TPAUSE instruction is determined first by the setting of the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control is 0, TPAUSE causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD). This exception takes priority over any exception the instruction may incur.
 - If the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control is 1, treatment is based on the setting of the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control:
 - If the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 0, the instruction delays for an amount of time called here the **physical delay**. The physical delay is first computed by determining the **virtual delay** (the time to delay relative to the guest’s timestamp counter).
If IA32_UWAIT_CONTROL[31:2] is zero, the virtual delay is the value in EDX:EAX minus the value that RDTSC would return (see above); if IA32_UWAIT_CONTROL[31:2] is not zero, the virtual delay is the minimum of that difference and AND(IA32_UWAIT_CONTROL,FFFFFFFFCH).
The physical delay depends upon the settings of the “use TSC offsetting” and “use TSC scaling” VM-execution controls:
 - If either control is 0, the physical delay is the virtual delay.
 - If both controls are 1, the virtual delay is multiplied by 2^{48} (using a shift) to produce a 128-bit integer. That product is then divided by the TSC multiplier to produce a 64-bit integer. The physical delay is that quotient.
 - If the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 1, TPAUSE causes a VM exit.
- **UMONITOR.** Behavior of the UMONITOR instruction is determined by the setting of the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control is 0, UMONITOR causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD). This exception takes priority over any exception the instruction may incur.
 - If the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control is 1, UMONITOR operates normally.
- **UWAIT.** Behavior of the UWAIT instruction is determined first by the setting of the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control is 0, UWAIT causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD). This exception takes priority over any exception the instruction may incur.
 - If the “enable user wait and pause” VM-execution control is 1, treatment is based on the setting of the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control:
 - If the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 0, and if the instruction causes a delay, the amount of time delayed is called here the **physical delay**. The physical delay is first computed by determining the **virtual delay** (the time to delay relative to the guest’s timestamp counter).
If IA32_UWAIT_CONTROL[31:2] is zero, the virtual delay is the value in EDX:EAX minus the value that RDTSC would return (see above); if IA32_UWAIT_CONTROL[31:2] is not zero, the virtual delay is the minimum of that difference and AND(IA32_UWAIT_CONTROL,FFFFFFFFCH).
The physical delay depends upon the settings of the “use TSC offsetting” and “use TSC scaling” VM-execution controls:
 - If either control is 0, the physical delay is the virtual delay.

- If both controls are 1, the virtual delay is multiplied by 2^{48} (using a shift) to produce a 128-bit integer. That product is then divided by the TSC multiplier to produce a 64-bit integer. The physical delay is that quotient.
 - If the “RDTSC exiting” VM-execution control is 1, UMWAIT causes a VM exit.
- **WRMSR.** Section 26.1.3 identifies when executions of the WRMSR instruction cause VM exits. If such an execution neither a fault due to CPL > 0 nor a VM exit, the instruction’s behavior may be modified for certain values of ECX:
 - If ECX contains 48H (indicating the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR), instruction behavior depends on the setting of the “virtualize IA32_SPEC_CTRL” VM-execution control:
 - If the control is 0, WRMSR operates normally, loading the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR with the value in EAX:EDX.
 - If the control is 1, instruction will attempt to write the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR using the instruction’s source operand, but it will attempt to modify only those bits in positions corresponding to bits cleared in the IA32_SPEC_CTRL mask field in the VMCS.

Specifically, the instruction attempts to write the MSR with the following value:

$$(MSR_VAL \& ISC_MASK) \text{ OR } (SRC \& \text{NOT } ISC_MASK),$$

where MSR_VAL is the original value of the MSR, ISC_MASK is the IA32_SPEC_CTRL mask, and SRC is the instruction’s source operand.

Any fault that would result from writing that value to the MSR (e.g., due to a reserved-bit violation) occurs normally. Otherwise, the value is written to the MSR.

Such a write to the MSR will have any side effects that would occur normally had the MSR been written with the value indicated above (including any side effects that may result from writing unchanged values to the masked bits).

If the write completes without a fault, the unmodified value of the source operand is written to the IA32_SPEC_CTRL shadow field in the VMCS.
 - If ECX contains 79H (indicating IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG MSR), no microcode update is loaded, and control passes to the next instruction. This implies that microcode updates cannot be loaded in VMX non-root operation.
 - On processors that support Intel PT but which do not allow it to be used in VMX operation, if ECX contains 570H (indicating the IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR), the instruction causes a general-protection exception.¹
 - If ECX contains 808H (indicating the TPR MSR), 80BH (the EOI MSR), 830H (the ICR MSR), or 83FH (the self-IPI MSR), instruction behavior may be modified if the “virtualize x2APIC mode” VM-execution control is 1; see Section 30.5.
- **XRSTORS.** Behavior of the XRSTORS instruction is determined first by the setting of the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control is 0, XRSTORS causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD).
 - If the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control is 1, treatment is based on the value of the XSS-exiting bitmap (see Section 25.6.21):
 - XRSTORS causes a VM exit if any bit is set in the logical-AND of the following three values: EDX:EAX, the IA32_XSS MSR, and the XSS-exiting bitmap.
 - Otherwise, XRSTORS operates normally.
- **XSAVES.** Behavior of the XSAVES instruction is determined first by the setting of the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control:
 - If the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control is 0, XSAVES causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD).

1. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC to determine whether the processor allows Intel PT to be used in VMX operation (see Appendix A.6).

- If the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control is 1, treatment is based on the value of the XSS-exiting bitmap (see Section 25.6.21):
 - XSAVES causes a VM exit if any bit is set in the logical-AND of the following three values: EDX:EAX, the IA32_XSS MSR, and the XSS-exiting bitmap.
 - Otherwise, XSAVES operates normally.

26.4 OTHER CHANGES IN VMX NON-ROOT OPERATION

Treatments of event blocking, task switches, and [certain shadow-stack updates](#) may differ in VMX non-root operation as described in the following sections.

26.4.1 Event Blocking

Event blocking is modified in VMX non-root operation as follows:

- If the “external-interrupt exiting” VM-execution control is 1, RFLAGS.IF does not control the blocking of external interrupts. In this case, an external interrupt that is not blocked for other reasons causes a VM exit (even if RFLAGS.IF = 0).
- If the “external-interrupt exiting” VM-execution control is 1, external interrupts may or may not be blocked by STI or by MOV SS (behavior is implementation-specific).
- If the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 1, non-maskable interrupts (NMIs) may or may not be blocked by STI or by MOV SS (behavior is implementation-specific).

26.4.2 Treatment of Task Switches

Task switches are not allowed in VMX non-root operation. Any attempt to effect a task switch in VMX non-root operation causes a VM exit. However, the following checks are performed (in the order indicated), possibly resulting in a fault, before there is any possibility of a VM exit due to task switch:

1. If a task gate is being used, appropriate checks are made on its P bit and on the proper values of the relevant privilege fields. The following cases detail the privilege checks performed:
 - a. If CALL, INT *n*, INT1, INT3, INTO, or JMP accesses a task gate in IA-32e mode, a general-protection exception occurs.
 - b. If CALL, INT *n*, INT3, INTO, or JMP accesses a task gate outside IA-32e mode, privilege-levels checks are performed on the task gate but, if they pass, privilege levels are not checked on the referenced task-state segment (TSS) descriptor.
 - c. If CALL or JMP accesses a TSS descriptor directly in IA-32e mode, a general-protection exception occurs.
 - d. If CALL or JMP accesses a TSS descriptor directly outside IA-32e mode, privilege levels are checked on the TSS descriptor.
 - e. If a non-maskable interrupt (NMI), an exception, or an external interrupt accesses a task gate in the IDT in IA-32e mode, a general-protection exception occurs.
 - f. If a non-maskable interrupt (NMI), an exception other than breakpoint exceptions (#BP) and overflow exceptions (#OF), or an external interrupt accesses a task gate in the IDT outside IA-32e mode, no privilege checks are performed.
 - g. If IRET is executed with RFLAGS.NT = 1 in IA-32e mode, a general-protection exception occurs.
 - h. If IRET is executed with RFLAGS.NT = 1 outside IA-32e mode, a TSS descriptor is accessed directly and no privilege checks are made.
2. Checks are made on the new TSS selector (for example, that is within GDT limits).
3. The new TSS descriptor is read. (A page fault results if a relevant GDT page is not present).
4. The TSS descriptor is checked for proper values of type (depends on type of task switch), P bit, S bit, and limit.

Only if checks 1–4 all pass (do not generate faults) might a VM exit occur. However, the ordering between a VM exit due to a task switch and a page fault resulting from accessing the old TSS or the new TSS is implementation-specific. Some processors may generate a page fault (instead of a VM exit due to a task switch) if accessing either TSS would cause a page fault. Other processors may generate a VM exit due to a task switch even if accessing either TSS would cause a page fault.

If an attempt at a task switch through a task gate in the IDT causes an exception (before generating a VM exit due to the task switch) and that exception causes a VM exit, information about the event whose delivery that accessed the task gate is recorded in the IDT-vectoring information fields and information about the exception that caused the VM exit is recorded in the VM-exit interruption-information fields. See Section 28.2. The fact that a task gate was being accessed is not recorded in the VMCS.

If an attempt at a task switch through a task gate in the IDT causes VM exit due to the task switch, information about the event whose delivery accessed the task gate is recorded in the IDT-vectoring fields of the VMCS. Since the cause of such a VM exit is a task switch and not an interruption, the valid bit for the VM-exit interruption information field is 0. See Section 28.2.

26.4.3 Shadow-Stack Updates

As noted in Section 17.2.3, “Supervisor Shadow Stack Token,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1, a switch of shadow stack may occur as part of IDT event delivery or an execution of far CALL that changes the CPL, or as part of IDT event delivery that uses the interrupt stack table (IST).

As part of the shadow-stack switch, the processor gains exclusive access to the new stack through manipulation of the **supervisor shadow stack token** located at the base of the new shadow stack. The processor reads the token and, among other things, confirms that bit 0 of the token (its **busy bit**) is 0. If the busy bit is already 1, the transition (event delivery or far CALL) cause a general-protection fault and does not complete. If the busy bit is 0, the transition sets the busy bit by writing to the token in memory. (The update is atomic with the original read of the token.)

If the transition commenced with $CPL < 3$, it will follow the token update by pushing three items on the new shadow stack (for the old values of the CS selector, instruction pointer, and shadow-stack pointer). As noted in Section 17.2.3 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1, if any of the pushes causes a VM exit, the processor will revert to the old shadow stack and the busy bit in the new shadow stack’s token remains set. The new shadow stack is said to be prematurely busy.

If the “prematurely busy shadow stack” VM-exit control is 1, a VM exit that results in a shadow stack becoming prematurely busy will indicate that fact through information saved in the VMCS. See Section 28.2.1.

26.5 FEATURES SPECIFIC TO VMX NON-ROOT OPERATION

Some VM-execution controls support features that are specific to VMX non-root operation. These are the VMX-preemption timer (Section 26.5.1) and the monitor trap flag (Section 26.5.2), translation of guest-physical addresses (Section 26.5.3 and Section 26.5.4), APIC virtualization (Section 26.5.5), VM functions (Section 26.5.6), and virtualization exceptions (Section 26.5.7).

26.5.1 VMX-Preemption Timer

If the last VM entry was performed with the 1-setting of “activate VMX-preemption timer” VM-execution control, the **VMX-preemption timer** counts down (from the value loaded by VM entry; see Section 27.7.4) in VMX non-root operation. When the timer counts down to zero, it stops counting down and a VM exit occurs (see Section 26.2).

The VMX-preemption timer counts down at rate proportional to that of the timestamp counter (TSC). Specifically, the timer counts down by 1 every time bit X in the TSC changes due to a TSC increment. The value of X is in the range 0–31 and can be determined by consulting the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC (see Appendix A.6).

The VMX-preemption timer operates in the C-states C0, C1, and C2; it also operates in the shutdown and wait-for-SIPI states. If the timer counts down to zero in any state other than the wait-for SIPI state, the logical processor

transitions to the C0 C-state and causes a VM exit; the timer does not cause a VM exit if it counts down to zero in the wait-for-SIPI state. The timer is not decremented in C-states deeper than C2.

Treatment of the timer in the case of system management interrupts (SMIs) and system-management mode (SMM) depends on whether the treatment of SMIs and SMM:

- If the default treatment of SMIs and SMM (see Section 32.14) is active, the VMX-preemption timer counts across an SMI to VMX non-root operation, subsequent execution in SMM, and the return from SMM via the RSM instruction. However, the timer can cause a VM exit only from VMX non-root operation. If the timer expires during SMI, in SMM, or during RSM, a timer-induced VM exit occurs immediately after RSM with its normal priority unless it is blocked based on activity state (Section 26.2).
- If the dual-monitor treatment of SMIs and SMM (see Section 32.15) is active, transitions into and out of SMM are VM exits and VM entries, respectively. The treatment of the VMX-preemption timer by those transitions is mostly the same as for ordinary VM exits and VM entries; Section 32.15.2 and Section 32.15.4 detail some differences.

26.5.2 Monitor Trap Flag

The **monitor trap flag** is a debugging feature that causes VM exits to occur on certain instruction boundaries in VMX non-root operation. Such VM exits are called **MTF VM exits**. An MTF VM exit may occur on an instruction boundary in VMX non-root operation as follows:

- If the “monitor trap flag” VM-execution control is 1 and VM entry is injecting a vectored event (see Section 27.6.1), an MTF VM exit is pending on the instruction boundary before the first instruction following the VM entry.
- If VM entry is injecting a pending MTF VM exit (see Section 27.6.2), an MTF VM exit is pending on the instruction boundary before the first instruction following the VM entry. This is the case even if the “monitor trap flag” VM-execution control is 0.
- If the “monitor trap flag” VM-execution control is 1, VM entry is not injecting an event, and a pending event (e.g., debug exception or interrupt) is delivered before an instruction can execute, an MTF VM exit is pending on the instruction boundary following delivery of the event (or any nested exception).
- Suppose that the “monitor trap flag” VM-execution control is 1, VM entry is not injecting an event, and the first instruction following VM entry is a REP-prefixed string instruction:
 - If the first iteration of the instruction causes a fault, an MTF VM exit is pending on the instruction boundary following delivery of the fault (or any nested exception).
 - If the first iteration of the instruction does not cause a fault, an MTF VM exit is pending on the instruction boundary after that iteration.
- Suppose that the “monitor trap flag” VM-execution control is 1, VM entry is not injecting an event, and the first instruction following VM entry is the XBEGIN instruction. In this case, an MTF VM exit is pending at the fallback instruction address of the XBEGIN instruction. This behavior applies regardless of whether advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions has been enabled (see Section 16.3.7, “RTM-Enabled Debugger Support,” of Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1).
- Suppose that the “monitor trap flag” VM-execution control is 1, VM entry is not injecting an event, and the first instruction following VM entry is neither a REP-prefixed string instruction or the XBEGIN instruction:
 - If the instruction causes a fault, an MTF VM exit is pending on the instruction boundary following delivery of the fault (or any nested exception).¹
 - If the instruction does not cause a fault, an MTF VM exit is pending on the instruction boundary following execution of that instruction. If the instruction is INT1, INT3, or INTO, this boundary follows delivery of any software exception. If the instruction is INT *n*, this boundary follows delivery of a software interrupt. If the instruction is HLT, the MTF VM exit will be from the HLT activity state.

No MTF VM exit occurs if another VM exit occurs before reaching the instruction boundary on which an MTF VM exit would be pending (e.g., due to an exception or triple fault).

1. This item includes the cases of an invalid opcode exception—#UD—generated by the UD0, UD1, and UD2 instructions and a BOUND-range exceeded exception—#BR—generated by the BOUND instruction.

An MTF VM exit occurs on the instruction boundary on which it is pending unless a higher priority event takes precedence or the MTF VM exit is blocked due to the activity state:

- System-management interrupts (SMIs), INIT signals, and higher priority events take priority over MTF VM exits. MTF VM exits take priority over debug-trap exceptions and lower priority events.
- No MTF VM exit occurs if the processor is in either the shutdown activity state or wait-for-SIPI activity state. If a non-maskable interrupt subsequently takes the logical processor out of the shutdown activity state without causing a VM exit, an MTF VM exit is pending after delivery of that interrupt.

Special treatment may apply to Intel SGX instructions or if the logical processor is in enclave mode. See Section 40.2 for details.

26.5.3 Translation of Guest-Physical Addresses Using EPT

The extended page-table mechanism (EPT) is a feature that can be used to support the virtualization of physical memory. When EPT is in use, certain physical addresses are treated as guest-physical addresses and are not used to access memory directly. Instead, guest-physical addresses are translated by traversing a set of EPT paging structures to produce physical addresses that are used to access memory.

Details of the EPT mechanism are given in Section 29.3.

26.5.4 Translation of Guest-Physical Addresses Used by Intel Processor Trace

As described in Chapter 33, Intel® Processor Trace (Intel PT) captures information about software execution using dedicated hardware facilities.

Intel PT can be configured so that the trace output is written to memory using physical addresses. For example, when the ToPA (table of physical addresses) output mechanism is used, the IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_BASE MSR contains the physical address of the base of the current ToPA. Each entry in that table contains the physical address of an output region in memory. When an output region becomes full, the ToPA output mechanism directs subsequent trace output to the next output region as indicated in the ToPA.

When the “Intel PT uses guest physical addresses” VM-execution control is 1, the logical processor treats the addresses used by Intel PT (the output addresses as well as those used to discover the output addresses) as guest-physical addresses, translating to physical addresses using EPT before trace output is written to memory.

Translating these addresses through EPT implies that the trace-output mechanism may cause EPT violations and VM exits; details are provided in Section 26.5.4.1. Section 26.5.4.2 describes a mechanism that ensures that these VM exits do not cause loss of trace data.

26.5.4.1 Guest-Physical Address Translation for Intel PT: Details

When the “Intel PT uses guest physical addresses” VM-execution control is 1, the addresses used by Intel PT are treated as guest-physical addresses and translated using EPT. These addresses include the addresses of the output regions as well as the addresses of the ToPA entries that contain the output-region addresses.

Translation of accesses by the trace-output process may result in EPT violations or EPT misconfigurations (Section 29.3.3), resulting in VM exits. EPT violations resulting for the trace-output process always cause VM exits and are never converted to virtualization exceptions (Section 26.5.7.1).

If no EPT violation or EPT misconfiguration occurs and if page-modification logging (Section 29.3.6) is enabled, the address of an output region may be added to the page-modification log. If the log is full, a page-modification log-full event occurs, resulting in a VM exit.

If the “virtualize APIC accesses” VM-execution control is 1, a guest-physical address used by the trace-output process may be translated to an address on the APIC-access page. In this case, the access by the trace-output process causes an APIC-access VM exit as discussed in Section 30.4.6.1.

26.5.4.2 Trace-Address Pre-Translation (TAPT)

Because it buffers trace data produced by Intel PT before it is written to memory, the processor ensures that buffered data is not lost when a VM exit disables Intel PT. Specifically, the processor ensures that there is sufficient space left in the current output page for the buffered data. If this were not done, buffered trace data could be lost and the resulting trace corrupted.

To prevent the loss of buffered trace data, the processor uses a mechanism called **trace-address pre-translation (TAPT)**. With TAPT, the processor translates using EPT the guest-physical address of the current output region before that address would be used to write buffered trace data to memory.

Because of TAPT, no translation (and thus no EPT violation) occurs at the time output is written to memory; the writes to memory use translations that were cached as part of TAPT. (The details given in Section 26.5.4.1 apply to TAPT.) TAPT ensures that, if a write to the output region would cause an EPT violation, the resulting VM exit is delivered at the time of TAPT, before the region would be used. This allows software to resolve the EPT violation at that time and ensures that, when it is necessary to write buffered trace data to memory, that data will not be lost due to an EPT violation.

TAPT (and resulting VM exits) may occur at any of the following times:

- When software in VMX non-root operation enables tracing by loading the IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR to set the TraceEn bit, using the WRMSR instruction or the XRSTORS instruction.
Any VM exit resulting from TAPT in this case is trap-like: the WRMSR or XRSTORS completes before the VM exit occurs (for example, the value of CS:RIP saved in the guest-state area of the VMCS references the next instruction).
- At an instruction boundary when one output region becomes full and Intel PT transitions to the next output region.
VM exits resulting from TAPT in this case take priority over any pending debug exceptions. Such a VM exit will save information about such exceptions in the guest-state area of the VMCS.
- As part of a VM entry that enables Intel PT. See Section 27.5 for details.

TAPT may translate not only the guest-physical address of the current output region but those of subsequent output regions as well. (Doing so may provide better protection of trace data.) This implies that any VM exits resulting from TAPT may result from the translation of output-region addresses other than that of the current output region.

26.5.5 APIC Virtualization

APIC virtualization is a collection of features that can be used to support the virtualization of interrupts and the Advanced Programmable Interrupt Controller (APIC). When APIC virtualization is enabled, the processor emulates many accesses to the APIC, tracks the state of the virtual APIC, and delivers virtual interrupts — all in VMX non-root operation without a VM exit.

Details of the APIC virtualization are given in Chapter 30.

26.5.6 VM Functions

A **VM function** is an operation provided by the processor that can be invoked from VMX non-root operation without a VM exit. VM functions are enabled and configured by the settings of different fields in the VMCS. Software in VMX non-root operation invokes a VM function with the **VMFUNC** instruction; the value of EAX selects the specific VM function being invoked.

Section 26.5.6.1 explains how VM functions are enabled. Section 26.5.6.2 specifies the behavior of the VMFUNC instruction. Section 26.5.6.3 describes a specific VM function called **EPTP switching**.

26.5.6.1 Enabling VM Functions

Software enables VM functions generally by setting the “enable VM functions” VM-execution control. A specific VM function is enabled by setting the corresponding VM-function control.

Suppose, for example, that software wants to enable EPTP switching (VM function 0; see Section 25.6.14). To do so, it must set the “activate secondary controls” VM-execution control (bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls), the “enable VM functions” VM-execution control (bit 13 of the secondary processor-based VM-execution controls) and the “EPTP switching” VM-function control (bit 0 of the VM-function controls).

26.5.6.2 General Operation of the VMFUNC Instruction

The VMFUNC instruction causes an invalid-opcode exception (#UD) if the “enable VM functions” VM-execution controls is 0¹ or the value of EAX is greater than 63 (only VM functions 0–63 can be enable). Otherwise, the instruction causes a VM exit if the bit at position EAX is 0 in the VM-function controls (the selected VM function is not enabled). If such a VM exit occurs, the basic exit reason used is 59 (3BH), indicating “VMFUNC”, and the length of the VMFUNC instruction is saved into the VM-exit instruction-length field. If the instruction causes neither an invalid-opcode exception nor a VM exit due to a disabled VM function, it performs the functionality of the VM function specified by the value in EAX.

Individual VM functions may perform additional fault checking (e.g., one might cause a general-protection exception if $CPL > 0$). In addition, specific VM functions may include checks that might result in a VM exit. If such a VM exit occurs, VM-exit information is saved as described in the previous paragraph. The specification of a VM function may indicate that additional VM-exit information is provided.

The specific behavior of the EPTP-switching VM function (including checks that result in VM exits) is given in Section 26.5.6.3.

26.5.6.3 EPTP Switching

EPTP switching is VM function 0. This VM function allows software in VMX non-root operation to load a new value for the EPT pointer (EPTP), thereby establishing a different EPT paging-structure hierarchy (see Section 29.3 for details of the operation of EPT). Software is limited to selecting from a list of potential EPTP values configured in advance by software in VMX root operation.

Specifically, the value of ECX is used to select an entry from the EPTP list, the 4-KByte structure referenced by the EPTP-list address (see Section 25.6.14; because this structure contains 512 8-Byte entries, VMFUNC causes a VM exit if $ECX \geq 512$). If the selected entry is a valid EPTP value (it would not cause VM entry to fail; see Section 27.2.1.1), it is stored in the EPTP field of the current VMCS and is used for subsequent accesses using guest-physical addresses. The following pseudocode provides details:

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IF ECX ≥ 512
    THEN VM exit;
ELSE
    tent_EPTP := 8 bytes from EPTP-list address + 8 * ECX;
    IF tent_EPTP is not a valid EPTP value (would cause VM entry to fail if in EPTP)
        THEN VM exit;
    ELSE
        write tent_EPTP to the EPTP field in the current VMCS;
        use tent_EPTP as the new EPTP value for address translation;
        IF processor supports the 1-setting of the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control
            THEN
                write ECX[15:0] to EPTP-index field in current VMCS;
                use ECX[15:0] as EPTP index for subsequent EPT-violation virtualization exceptions (see Section 26.5.7.2);
        FI;
    FI;
FI;

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Execution of the EPTP-switching VM function does not modify the state of any registers; no flags are modified.

1. “Enable VM functions” is a secondary processor-based VM-execution control. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VMX non-root operation functions as if the “enable VM functions” VM-execution control were 0. See Section 25.6.2.

If the “Intel PT uses guest physical addresses” VM-execution control is 1 and IA32_RTIT_CTL.TraceEn = 1, any execution of the EPTP-switching VM function causes a VM exit.¹

As noted in Section 26.5.6.2, an execution of the EPTP-switching VM function that causes a VM exit (as specified above), uses the basic exit reason 59, indicating “VMFUNC”. The length of the VMFUNC instruction is saved into the VM-exit instruction-length field. No additional VM-exit information is provided.

An execution of VMFUNC loads EPTP from the EPTP list (and thus does not cause a fault or VM exit) is called an **EPTP-switching VMFUNC**. After an EPTP-switching VMFUNC, control passes to the next instruction. The logical processor starts creating and using guest-physical and combined mappings associated with the new value of bits 51:12 of EPTP; the combined mappings created and used are associated with the current VPID and PCID (these are not changed by VMFUNC).² If the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 0, an EPTP-switching VMFUNC invalidates combined mappings associated with VPID 0000H (for all PCIDs and for all EP4TA values, where EP4TA is the value of bits 51:12 of EPTP).

Because an EPTP-switching VMFUNC may change the translation of guest-physical addresses, it may affect use of the guest-physical address in CR3. The EPTP-switching VMFUNC cannot itself cause a VM exit due to an EPT violation or an EPT misconfiguration due to the translation of that guest-physical address through the new EPT paging structures. The following items provide details that apply if CR0.PG = 1:

- If 32-bit paging or 4-level paging³ is in use (either CR4.PAE = 0 or IA32_EFER.LMA = 1), the next memory access with a linear address uses the translation of the guest-physical address in CR3 through the new EPT paging structures. As a result, this access may cause a VM exit due to an EPT violation or an EPT misconfiguration encountered during that translation.
- If PAE paging is in use (CR4.PAE = 1 and IA32_EFER.LMA = 0), an EPTP-switching VMFUNC **does not** load the four page-directory-pointer-table entries (PDPTes) from the guest-physical address in CR3. The logical processor continues to use the four guest-physical addresses already present in the PDPTes. The guest-physical address in CR3 is not translated through the new EPT paging structures (until some operation that would load the PDPTes).

The EPTP-switching VMFUNC cannot itself cause a VM exit due to an EPT violation or an EPT misconfiguration encountered during the translation of a guest-physical address in any of the PDPTes. A subsequent memory access with a linear address uses the translation of the guest-physical address in the appropriate PDPTE through the new EPT paging structures. As a result, such an access may cause a VM exit due to an EPT violation or an EPT misconfiguration encountered during that translation.

If an EPTP-switching VMFUNC establishes an EPTP value that enables accessed and dirty flags for EPT (by setting bit 6), subsequent memory accesses may fail to set those flags as specified if there has been no appropriate execution of INVEPT since the last use of an EPTP value that does not enable accessed and dirty flags for EPT (because bit 6 is clear) and that is identical to the new value on bits 51:12.

If the processor supports the 1-setting of the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control, an EPTP-switching VMFUNC loads the value in ECX[15:0] into to EPTP-index field in current VMCS. Subsequent EPT-violation virtualization exceptions will save this value into the virtualization-exception information area (see Section 26.5.7.2).

26.5.7 Virtualization Exceptions

A **virtualization exception** is a new processor exception. It uses vector 20 and is abbreviated #VE.

A virtualization exception can occur only in VMX non-root operation. Virtualization exceptions occur only with certain settings of certain VM-execution controls. Generally, these settings imply that certain conditions that would normally cause VM exits instead cause virtualization exceptions

In particular, the 1-setting of the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control causes some EPT violations to generate virtualization exceptions instead of VM exits. Section 26.5.7.1 provides the details of how the processor determines whether an EPT violation causes a virtualization exception or a VM exit.

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1. Such a VM exit ensures the proper recording of trace data that might otherwise be lost during the change of EPT paging-structure hierarchy. Software handling the VM exit can change emulate the VM function and then resume the guest.
 2. If the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 0, the current VPID is 0000H; if CR4.PCIDE = 0, the current PCID is 000H.
 3. Earlier versions of this manual used the term “IA-32e paging” to identify 4-level paging.

When the processor encounters a virtualization exception, it saves information about the exception to the virtualization-exception information area; see Section 26.5.7.2.

After saving virtualization-exception information, the processor delivers a virtualization exception as it would any other exception; see Section 26.5.7.3 for details.

26.5.7.1 Convertible EPT Violations

If the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 0 (e.g., on processors that do not support this feature), EPT violations always cause VM exits. If instead the control is 1, certain EPT violations may be converted to cause virtualization exceptions instead; such EPT violations are **convertible**.

The values of certain EPT paging-structure entries determine which EPT violations are convertible. Specifically, bit 63 of certain EPT paging-structure entries may be defined to mean **suppress #VE**:

- If bits 2:0 of an EPT paging-structure entry are all 0, the entry is not **present**.¹ If the processor encounters such an entry while translating a guest-physical address, it causes an EPT violation. The EPT violation is convertible if and only if bit 63 of the entry is 0.
- If an EPT paging-structure entry is present, the following cases apply:
 - If the value of the EPT paging-structure entry is not supported, the entry is **misconfigured**. If the processor encounters such an entry while translating a guest-physical address, it causes an EPT misconfiguration (not an EPT violation). EPT misconfigurations always cause VM exits.
 - If the value of the EPT paging-structure entry is supported, the following cases apply:
 - If bit 7 of the entry is 1, or if the entry is an EPT PTE, the entry maps a page. If the processor uses such an entry to translate a guest-physical address, and if an access to that address causes an EPT violation, the EPT violation is convertible if and only if bit 63 of the entry is 0.
 - If bit 7 of the entry is 0 and the entry is not an EPT PTE, the entry references another EPT paging structure. The processor does not use the value of bit 63 of the entry to determine whether any subsequent EPT violation is convertible.

If an access to a guest-physical address causes an EPT violation, bit 63 of exactly one of the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate that address is used to determine whether the EPT violation is convertible: either a entry that is not present (if the guest-physical address does not translate to a physical address) or an entry that maps a page (if it does).

A convertible EPT violation instead causes a virtualization exception if the following all hold:

- CR0.PE = 1;
- the logical processor is not in the process of delivering an event through the IDT;
- [the EPT violation did not cause a shadow stack to become prematurely busy \(see Section 26.4.3\)](#);
- the EPT violation does not result from the output process of Intel Processor Trace (Section 26.5.4); and
- the 32 bits at offset 4 in the virtualization-exception information area are all 0.

Delivery of virtualization exceptions writes the value FFFFFFFFH to offset 4 in the virtualization-exception information area (see Section 26.5.7.2). Thus, once a virtualization exception occurs, another can occur only if software clears this field.

26.5.7.2 Virtualization-Exception Information

Virtualization exceptions save data into the virtualization-exception information area (see Section 25.6.20). Table 26-1 enumerates the data saved and the format of the area.

A VMM may allow guest software to access the virtualization-exception information area. If it does, the guest software may modify that memory (e.g., to clear the 32-bit value at offset 4; see Section 26.5.7.1). (This is an exception to the general requirement given in Section 25.11.4.)

1. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, an EPT paging-structure entry is present if any of bits 2:0 or bit 10 is 1.

Table 26-1. Format of the Virtualization-Exception Information Area

Byte Offset	Contents
0	The 32-bit value that would have been saved into the VMCS as an exit reason had a VM exit occurred instead of the virtualization exception. For EPT violations, this value is 48 (00000030H)
4	FFFFFFFFH
8	The 64-bit value that would have been saved into the VMCS as an exit qualification had a VM exit occurred instead of the virtualization exception
16	The 64-bit value that would have been saved into the VMCS as a guest-linear address had a VM exit occurred instead of the virtualization exception
24	The 64-bit value that would have been saved into the VMCS as a guest-physical address had a VM exit occurred instead of the virtualization exception
32	The current 16-bit value of the EPTP index VM-execution control (see Section 25.6.20 and Section 26.5.6.3)

26.5.7.3 Delivery of Virtualization Exceptions

After saving virtualization-exception information, the processor treats a virtualization exception as it does other exceptions:

- If bit 20 (#VE) is 1 in the exception bitmap in the VMCS, a virtualization exception causes a VM exit (see below). If the bit is 0, the virtualization exception is delivered using gate descriptor 20 in the IDT.
- Virtualization exceptions produce no error code. Delivery of a virtualization exception pushes no error code on the stack.
- With respect to double faults, virtualization exceptions have the same severity as page faults. If delivery of a virtualization exception encounters a nested fault that is either contributory or a page fault, a double fault (#DF) is generated. See Chapter 6, “Interrupt 8—Double Fault Exception (#DF)” in Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

It is not possible for a virtualization exception to be encountered while delivering another exception (see Section 26.5.7.1).

If a virtualization exception causes a VM exit directly (because bit 20 is 1 in the exception bitmap), information about the exception is saved normally in the VM-exit interruption information field in the VMCS (see Section 28.2.2). Specifically, the event is reported as a hardware exception with vector 20 and no error code. Bit 12 of the field (NMI unblocking due to IRET) is set normally.

If a virtualization exception causes a VM exit indirectly (because bit 20 is 0 in the exception bitmap and delivery of the exception generates an event that causes a VM exit), information about the exception is saved normally in the IDT-vectoring information field in the VMCS (see Section 28.2.4). Specifically, the event is reported as a hardware exception with vector 20 and no error code.

26.5.8 PASID Translation

The ENQCMD and ENQCMDs instructions each performs a 64-byte enqueue store that includes a 20-bit PASID value in bits 19:0. For ENQCMD, the PASID is normally the value of IA32_PASID[19:0], while for ENQCMDs, the PASID is normally read from memory.

If the “PASID translation” VM-execution control is 1, the PASID value identified in the previous paragraph is treated as a **guest PASID**. PASID translation converts this guest PASID to a 20-bit **host PASID**. After this translation, the enqueue store is performed, using the host PASID in place of the guest PASID.

PASID translation is implemented by two hierarchies of data structures (**PASID-translation hierarchies**) configured by a VMM. Guest PASIDs 00000H to 7FFFFH are translated through the low PASID-translation hierarchy, while guest PASIDs 80000 to FFFFFH are translated through the high PASID-translation hierarchy.

The root of each PASID-translation hierarchy is a 4-KByte **PASID directory**. The low PASID directory is located at the low PASID directory address, and the high PASID directory is located at the high PASID directory address (these physical addresses are VM-execution control fields in the VMCS). A PASID directory comprises 512 8-byte entries, each of which has the following format:

- Bit 0 is the entry's present bit. The entry is used only if this bit is 1.
- Bits 11:1 are reserved and must be 0.
- Bits M-1:12 specify the 4-KByte aligned address of a PASID table (see below), where M is the processor's physical-address width.
- Bits 63:M are reserved and must be 0.

A PASID-translation hierarchy also includes up to 512 4-KByte **PASID tables**; each of these is referenced by a PASID directory entry (see above). A PASID table comprises 1024 4-byte entries, each of which has the following format:

- Bits 19:0 are the host PASID specified by the entry.
- Bits 30:20 are reserved and must be 0.
- Bit 31 is the entry's valid bit. The entry is used only if this bit is 1.

When PASID translation is enabled, the guest PASID determined by the instruction (see above) is converted to a host PASID using the following process:

- If bit 19 of guest PASID is clear, the low PASID directory is used; otherwise, the high PASID directory is used.
- Bits 18:10 of the guest PASID select an entry from the PASID directory. A VM exit occurs if the entry's present bit is clear or if any reserved bit is set. Otherwise, bits M:0 of the entry (with bit 0 cleared) contain the physical address of a PASID table.
- Bits 9:0 of the guest PASID select an entry from the PASID table. A VM exit occurs if the entry's valid bit is clear or if any reserved bit is set. Otherwise, bits 19:0 of the entry are the host PASID.

If PASID translation results in a VM exit (due to a present or valid bit being clear, or a reserved bit being set), the instruction does not complete and no enqueue store is performed.

26.6 UNRESTRICTED GUESTS

The first processors to support VMX operation require CR0.PE and CR0.PG to be 1 in VMX operation (see Section 24.8). This restriction implies that guest software cannot be run in unpagged protected mode or in real-address mode. Later processors support a VM-execution control called "unrestricted guest".¹ If this control is 1, CR0.PE and CR0.PG may be 0 in VMX non-root operation. Such processors allow guest software to run in unpagged protected mode or in real-address mode. The following items describe the behavior of such software:

- The MOV CR0 instructions does not cause a general-protection exception simply because it would set either CR0.PE and CR0.PG to 0. See Section 26.3 for details.
- A logical processor treats the values of CR0.PE and CR0.PG in VMX non-root operation just as it does outside VMX operation. Thus, if CR0.PE = 0, the processor operates as it does normally in real-address mode (for example, it uses the 16-bit **interrupt table** to deliver interrupts and exceptions). If CR0.PG = 0, the processor operates as it does normally when paging is disabled.
- Processor operation is modified by the fact that the processor is in VMX non-root operation and by the settings of the VM-execution controls just as it is in protected mode or when paging is enabled. Instructions, interrupts, and exceptions that cause VM exits in protected mode or when paging is enabled also do so in real-address mode or when paging is disabled. The following examples should be noted:
 - If CR0.PG = 0, page faults do not occur and thus cannot cause VM exits.
 - If CR0.PE = 0, invalid-TSS exceptions do not occur and thus cannot cause VM exits.

1. "Unrestricted guest" is a secondary processor-based VM-execution control. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VMX non-root operation functions as if the "unrestricted guest" VM-execution control were 0. See Section 25.6.2.

- If CR0.PE = 0, the following instructions cause invalid-opcode exceptions and do not cause VM exits: INVEPT, INVVPID, LLDT, LTR, SLDT, STR, VMCLEAR, VMLAUNCH, VMPTRLD, VMPTRST, VMREAD, VMRESUME, VMWRITE, VMXOFF, and VMXON.
- If CR0.PG = 0, each linear address is passed directly to the EPT mechanism for translation to a physical address.¹ The guest memory type passed on to the EPT mechanism is WB (writeback).

1. As noted in Section 27.2.1.1, the “enable EPT” VM-execution control must be 1 if the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control is 1.

13. Updates to Chapter 28, Volume 3C

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Changes to this chapter:

- Updates throughout the chapter for the “prematurely busy shadow stack” VM-exit control.
- Updates added to provide additional clarity regarding instruction timeouts.

VM exits occur in response to certain instructions and events in VMX non-root operation as detailed in Section 26.1 through Section 26.2. VM exits perform the following operations:

1. Information about the cause of the VM exit is recorded in the VM-exit information fields and VM-entry control fields are modified as described in Section 28.2.
2. Processor state is saved in the guest-state area (Section 28.3).
3. MSRs may be saved in the VM-exit MSR-store area (Section 28.4). This step is not performed for SMM VM exits that activate the dual-monitor treatment of SMIs and SMM.
4. The following may be performed in parallel and in any order (Section 28.5):
 - Processor state is loaded based in part on the host-state area and some VM-exit controls. This step is not performed for SMM VM exits that activate the dual-monitor treatment of SMIs and SMM. See Section 32.15.6 for information on how processor state is loaded by such VM exits.
 - Address-range monitoring is cleared.
5. MSRs may be loaded from the VM-exit MSR-load area (Section 28.6). This step is not performed for SMM VM exits that activate the dual-monitor treatment of SMIs and SMM.

VM exits are not logged with last-branch records, do not produce branch-trace messages, and do not update the branch-trace store.

Section 28.1 clarifies the nature of the architectural state before a VM exit begins. The steps described above are detailed in Section 28.2 through Section 28.6.

Section 32.15 describes the dual-monitor treatment of system-management interrupts (SMIs) and system-management mode (SMM). Under this treatment, ordinary transitions to SMM are replaced by VM exits to a separate SMM monitor. Called **SMM VM exits**, these are caused by the arrival of an SMI or the execution of VMCALL in VMX root operation. SMM VM exits differ from other VM exits in ways that are detailed in Section 32.15.2.

28.1 ARCHITECTURAL STATE BEFORE A VM EXIT

This section describes the architectural state that exists before a VM exit, especially for VM exits caused by events that would normally be delivered through the IDT. Note the following:

- An exception causes a VM exit **directly** if the bit corresponding to that exception is set in the exception bitmap. A non-maskable interrupt (NMI) causes a VM exit directly if the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 1. An external interrupt causes a VM exit directly if the “external-interrupt exiting” VM-execution control is 1. A start-up IPI (SIPI) that arrives while a logical processor is in the wait-for-SIPI activity state causes a VM exit directly. INIT signals that arrive while the processor is not in the wait-for-SIPI activity state cause VM exits directly.
- An exception, NMI, external interrupt, or software interrupt causes a VM exit **indirectly** if it does not do so directly but delivery of the event causes a nested exception, double fault, task switch, APIC access (see Section 30.4), EPT violation, EPT misconfiguration, page-modification log-full event (see Section 29.3.6), or SPP-related event (see Section 29.3.4) that causes a VM exit.
- An event **results** in a VM exit if it causes a VM exit (directly or indirectly).

The following bullets detail when architectural state is and is not updated in response to VM exits:

- If an event causes a VM exit directly, it does not update architectural state as it would have if it had it not caused the VM exit:
 - A debug exception does not update DR6, DR7, or IA32_DEBUGCTL. (Information about the nature of the debug exception is saved in the exit qualification field.)
 - A page fault does not update CR2. (The linear address causing the page fault is saved in the exit-qualification field.)

- An NMI causes subsequent NMIs to be blocked, but only after the VM exit completes.
 - An external interrupt does not acknowledge the interrupt controller and the interrupt remains pending, unless the “acknowledge interrupt on exit” VM-exit control is 1. In such a case, the interrupt controller is acknowledged and the interrupt is no longer pending.
 - The flags L0 – L3 in DR7 (bit 0, bit 2, bit 4, and bit 6) are not cleared when a task switch causes a VM exit.
 - If a task switch causes a VM exit, none of the following are modified by the task switch: old task-state segment (TSS); new TSS; old TSS descriptor; new TSS descriptor; RFLAGS.NT¹; or the TR register.
 - No last-exception record is made if the event that would do so directly causes a VM exit.
 - If a machine-check exception causes a VM exit directly, this does not prevent machine-check MSRs from being updated. These are updated by the machine-check event itself and not the resulting machine-check exception.
 - If the logical processor is in an inactive state (see Section 25.4.2) and not executing instructions, some events may be blocked but others may return the logical processor to the active state. Unblocked events may cause VM exits.² If an unblocked event causes a VM exit directly, a return to the active state occurs only after the VM exit completes.³ The VM exit generates any special bus cycle that is normally generated when the active state is entered from that activity state.
- MTF VM exits (see Section 26.5.2 and Section 27.7.8) are not blocked in the HLT activity state. If an MTF VM exit occurs in the HLT activity state, the logical processor returns to the active state only after the VM exit completes. MTF VM exits are blocked the shutdown state and the wait-for-SIPI state.
- If an event causes a VM exit indirectly, the event does update architectural state:
 - A debug exception updates DR6, DR7, and the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR. No debug exceptions are considered pending.
 - A page fault updates CR2.
 - An NMI causes subsequent NMIs to be blocked before the VM exit commences.
 - An external interrupt acknowledges the interrupt controller and the interrupt is no longer pending.
 - If the logical processor had been in an inactive state, it enters the active state and, before the VM exit commences, generates any special bus cycle that is normally generated when the active state is entered from that activity state.
 - There is no blocking by STI or by MOV SS when the VM exit commences.
 - Processor state that is normally updated as part of delivery through the IDT (CS, RIP, SS, RSP, RFLAGS) is not modified. However, the incomplete delivery of the event may write to the stack.
 - The treatment of last-exception records is implementation dependent:
 - Some processors make a last-exception record when beginning the delivery of an event through the IDT (before it can encounter a nested exception). Such processors perform this update even if the event encounters a nested exception that causes a VM exit (including the case where nested exceptions lead to a triple fault).
 - Other processors delay making a last-exception record until event delivery has reached some event handler successfully (perhaps after one or more nested exceptions). Such processors do not update the last-exception record if a VM exit or triple fault occurs before an event handler is reached.

1. This chapter uses the notation RAX, RIP, RSP, RFLAGS, etc. for processor registers because most processors that support VMX operation also support Intel 64 architecture. For processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture, this notation refers to the 32-bit forms of those registers (EAX, EIP, ESP, EFLAGS, etc.). In a few places, notation such as EAX is used to refer specifically to lower 32 bits of the indicated register.

2. If a VM exit takes the processor from an inactive state resulting from execution of a specific instruction (HLT or MWAIT), the value saved for RIP by that VM exit will reference the following instruction.

3. An exception is made if the logical processor had been inactive due to execution of MWAIT; in this case, it is considered to have become active before the VM exit.

- If the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control is 1, VM entry injects an NMI, and delivery of the NMI causes a nested exception, double fault, task switch, EPT violation, EPT misconfiguration, page-modification log-full event, or SPP-related event, or APIC access that causes a VM exit, virtual-NMI blocking is in effect before the VM exit commences.
- If a VM exit results from a fault, EPT violation, EPT misconfiguration, page-modification log-full event, or SPP-related event that is encountered during execution of IRET and the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 0, any blocking by NMI is cleared before the VM exit commences. However, the previous state of blocking by NMI may be recorded in the exit qualification or in the VM-exit interruption-information field; see Section 28.2.3.
- If a VM exit results from a fault, EPT violation, EPT misconfiguration, page-modification log-full event, or SPP-related event that is encountered during execution of IRET and the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control is 1, virtual-NMI blocking is cleared before the VM exit commences. However, the previous state of blocking by NMI may be recorded in the exit qualification or in the VM-exit interruption-information field; see Section 28.2.3.
- Suppose that a VM exit is caused directly by an x87 FPU Floating-Point Error (#MF) or by any of the following events if the event was unblocked due to (and given priority over) an x87 FPU Floating-Point Error: an INIT signal, an external interrupt, an NMI, an SMI; or a machine-check exception. In these cases, there is no blocking by STI or by MOV SS when the VM exit commences.
- Normally, a last-branch record may be made when an event is delivered through the IDT. However, if such an event results in a VM exit before delivery is complete, no last-branch record is made.
- If machine-check exception results in a VM exit, processor state is suspect and may result in suspect state being saved to the guest-state area. A VM monitor should consult the RIPV and EIPV bits in the IA32_MC_G_STATUS MSR before resuming a guest that caused a VM exit resulting from a machine-check exception.
- If a VM exit results from a fault, APIC access (see Section 30.4), EPT violation, EPT misconfiguration, page-modification log-full event, or SPP-related event that is encountered while executing an instruction, data breakpoints due to that instruction may have been recognized and information about them may be saved in the pending debug exceptions field (unless the VM exit clears that field; see Section 28.3.4).
- The following VM exits are considered to happen after an instruction is executed:
 - VM exits resulting from debug traps (single-step, I/O breakpoints, and data breakpoints).
 - VM exits resulting from debug exceptions (data breakpoints) whose recognition was delayed by blocking by MOV SS.
 - VM exits resulting from some machine-check exceptions.
 - Trap-like VM exits due to execution of MOV to CR8 when the “CR8-load exiting” VM-execution control is 0 and the “use TPR shadow” VM-execution control is 1 (see Section 30.3). (Such VM exits can occur only from 64-bit mode and thus only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.)
 - Trap-like VM exits due to execution of WRMSR when the “use MSR bitmaps” VM-execution control is 1; the value of ECX is in the range 800H–8FFH; and the bit corresponding to the ECX value in write bitmap for low MSRs is 0; and the “virtualize x2APIC mode” VM-execution control is 1. See Section 30.5.
 - VM exits caused by APIC-write emulation (see Section 30.4.3.2) that result from APIC accesses as part of instruction execution.

For these VM exits, the instruction’s modifications to architectural state complete before the VM exit occurs. Such modifications include those to the logical processor’s interruptibility state (see Table 25-3). If there had been blocking by MOV SS, POP SS, or STI before the instruction executed, such blocking is no longer in effect.

A VM exit that occurs in enclave mode sets bit 27 of the exit-reason field and bit 4 of the guest interruptibility-state field. Before such a VM exit is delivered, an Asynchronous Enclave Exit (AEX) occurs (see Chapter 37, “Enclave Exiting Events”). An AEX modifies architectural state (Section 37.3). In particular, the processor establishes the following architectural state as indicated:

- The following bits in RFLAGS are cleared: CF, PF, AF, ZF, SF, OF, and RF.
- FS and GS are restored to the values they had prior to the most recent enclave entry.
- RIP is loaded with the AEP of interrupted enclave thread.
- RSP is loaded from the URSP field in the enclave’s state-save area (SSA).

28.2 RECORDING VM-EXIT INFORMATION AND UPDATING VM-ENTRY CONTROL FIELDS

VM exits begin by recording information about the nature of and reason for the VM exit in the VM-exit information fields. Section 28.2.1 to Section 28.2.5 detail the use of these fields.

In addition to updating the VM-exit information fields, the valid bit (bit 31) is cleared in the VM-entry interruption-information field. If bit 5 of the IA32_VMX_MISC MSR (index 485H) is read as 1 (see Appendix A.6), the value of IA32_EFER.LMA is stored into the “IA-32e mode guest” VM-entry control.¹

28.2.1 Basic VM-Exit Information

Section 25.9.1 defines the basic VM-exit information fields. The following items detail their use.

- **Exit reason.**
 - Bits 15:0 of this field contain the basic exit reason. It is loaded with a number indicating the general cause of the VM exit. Appendix C lists the numbers used and their meaning.
 - Bit 25 is set if the “prematurely busy shadow stack” VM-exit control is 1 and the VM exit caused a shadow stack become prematurely busy (see Section 26.4.3). Otherwise, the bit is cleared.
 - Bit 26 of this field is set to 1 if the VM exit occurred after assertion of a bus lock while the “VMM bus-lock detection” VM-execution control was 1. Such VM exits include those that occur due to the 1-setting of that control as well as others that might occur during execution of an instruction that asserted a bus lock.
 - Bit 27 of this field is set to 1 if the VM exit occurred while the logical processor was in enclave mode. Such VM exits include those caused by interrupts, non-maskable interrupts, system-management interrupts, INIT signals, and exceptions occurring in enclave mode as well as exceptions encountered during the delivery of such events incident to enclave mode. A VM exit also sets this bit if it is incident to delivery of an event injected by VM entry and the guest interruptibility-state field indicates an enclave interruption (bit 4 of the field is 1).
 - The remainder of the field (bits 31:28 and bits 24:16) is cleared to 0 (certain SMM VM exits may set some of these bits; see Section 32.15.2.3).²
- **Exit qualification.** This field is saved for VM exits due to the following causes: debug exceptions; page-fault exceptions; start-up IPIs (SIPIs); system-management interrupts (SMIs) that arrive immediately after the execution of I/O instructions; task switches; INVEPT; INVLPG; INVPCID; INVVPID; LGDT; LIDT; LLDT; LTR; SGDT; SIDT; SLDT; STR; VMCLEAR; VMPTRLD; VMPTRST; VMREAD; VMWRITE; VMXON; WBINVD; WBNOINVD; XRSTORS; XSAVES; control-register accesses; MOV DR; I/O instructions; MWAIT; accesses to the APIC-access page (see Section 30.4); EPT violations (see Section 29.3.3.2); EOI virtualization (see Section 30.1.4); APIC-write emulation (see Section 30.4.3.3); page-modification log full (see Section 29.3.6); SPP-related events (see Section 29.3.4); and instruction timeout (see Section 26.2). For all other VM exits, this field is cleared. The following items provide details:
 - For a debug exception, the exit qualification contains information about the debug exception. The information has the format given in Table 28-1.

Table 28-1. Exit Qualification for Debug Exceptions

Bit Position(s)	Contents
3:0	B3 - B0. When set, each of these bits indicates that the corresponding breakpoint condition was met. Any of these bits may be set even if its corresponding enabling bit in DR7 is not set.
10:4	Not currently defined.

1. Bit 5 of the IA32_VMX_MISC MSR is read as 1 on any logical processor that supports the 1-setting of the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control.
 2. Bit 31 of this field is set on certain VM-entry failures; see Section 27.8.

Table 28-1. Exit Qualification for Debug Exceptions (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Contents
11	BLD. When set, this bit indicates that a bus lock was asserted while OS bus-lock detection was enabled and CPL > 0 (see Section 18.3.1.6 (“OS Bus-Lock Detection”)). ¹
12	Not currently defined.
13	BD. When set, this bit indicates that the cause of the debug exception is “debug register access detected.”
14	BS. When set, this bit indicates that the cause of the debug exception is either the execution of a single instruction (if RFLAGS.TF = 1 and IA32_DEBUGCTL.BTF = 0) or a taken branch (if RFLAGS.TF = DEBUGCTL.BTF = 1).
15	Not currently defined.
16	RTM. When set, this bit indicates that a debug exception (#DB) or a breakpoint exception (#BP) occurred inside an RTM region while advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions was enabled (see Section 16.3.7, “RTM-Enabled Debugger Support,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1). ²
63:17	Not currently defined. Bits 63:32 exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

NOTES:

1. In general, the format of this field matches that of DR6. However, DR6 **clears** bit 11 to indicate detection of a bus lock, while this field **sets** the bit to indicate that condition.
2. In general, the format of this field matches that of DR6. However, DR6 **clears** bit 16 to indicate an RTM-related exception, while this field **sets** the bit to indicate that condition.

- For a page-fault exception, the exit qualification contains the linear address that caused the page fault. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, bits 63:32 are cleared if the logical processor was not in 64-bit mode before the VM exit.

If the page-fault exception occurred during execution of an instruction in enclave mode (and not during delivery of an event incident to enclave mode), bits 11:0 of the exit qualification are cleared.

- For a start-up IPI (SIPI), the exit qualification contains the SIPI vector information in bits 7:0. Bits 63:8 of the exit qualification are cleared to 0.
- For a task switch, the exit qualification contains details about the task switch, encoded as shown in Table 28-2.
- For INVLPG, the exit qualification contains the linear-address operand of the instruction.
 - On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, bits 63:32 are cleared if the logical processor was not in 64-bit mode before the VM exit.
 - If the INVLPG source operand specifies an unusable segment, the linear address specified in the exit qualification will match the linear address that the INVLPG would have used if no VM exit occurred. This address is not architecturally defined and may be implementation-specific.

Table 28-2. Exit Qualification for Task Switches

Bit Position(s)	Contents
15:0	Selector of task-state segment (TSS) to which the guest attempted to switch
29:16	Not currently defined

Table 28-2. Exit Qualification for Task Switches (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Contents
31:30	Source of task switch initiation: 0: CALL instruction 1: IRET instruction 2: JMP instruction 3: Task gate in IDT
63:32	Not currently defined. These bits exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

- For INVEPT, INVPCID, INVVPID, LGDT, LIDT, LLDT, LTR, SGDT, SIDT, SLDT, STR, VMCLEAR, VMPTRLD, VMPTRST, VMREAD, VMWRITE, VMXON, XRSTORS, and XSAVES, the exit qualification receives the value of the instruction’s displacement field, which is sign-extended to 64 bits if necessary (32 bits on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture). If the instruction has no displacement (for example, has a register operand), zero is stored into the exit qualification.

On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, an exception is made for RIP-relative addressing (used only in 64-bit mode). Such addressing causes an instruction to use an address that is the sum of the displacement field and the value of RIP that references the following instruction. In this case, the exit qualification is loaded with the sum of the displacement field and the appropriate RIP value.

In all cases, bits of this field beyond the instruction’s address size are undefined. For example, suppose that the address-size field in the VM-exit instruction-information field (see Section 25.9.4 and Section 28.2.5) reports an *n*-bit address size. Then bits 63:*n* (bits 31:*n* on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture) of the instruction displacement are undefined.

- For a control-register access, the exit qualification contains information about the access and has the format given in Table 28-3.
- For MOV DR, the exit qualification contains information about the instruction and has the format given in Table 28-4.
- For an I/O instruction, the exit qualification contains information about the instruction and has the format given in Table 28-5.
- For MWAIT, the exit qualification contains a value that indicates whether address-range monitoring hardware was armed. The exit qualification is set either to 0 (if address-range monitoring hardware is not armed) or to 1 (if address-range monitoring hardware is armed).
- WBINVD and WBNOINVD use the same basic exit reason (see Appendix C). For WBINVD, the exit qualification is 0, while for WBNOINVD it is 1.
- For an APIC-access VM exit resulting from a linear access or a guest-physical access to the APIC-access page (see Section 30.4), the exit qualification contains information about the access and has the format given in Table 28-6.¹

If the access to the APIC-access page occurred during execution of an instruction in enclave mode (and not during delivery of an event incident to enclave mode), bits 11:0 of the exit qualification are cleared.

Such a VM exit that set bits 15:12 of the exit qualification to 0000b (data read during instruction execution) or 0001b (data write during instruction execution) set bit 12—which distinguishes data read from data write—to that which would have been stored in bit 1—W/R—of the page-fault error code had the access caused a page fault instead of an APIC-access VM exit. This implies the following:

- For an APIC-access VM exit caused by the CLFLUSH and CLFLUSHOPT instructions, the access type is “data read during instruction execution.”
- For an APIC-access VM exit caused by the ENTER instruction, the access type is “data write during instruction execution.”

1. The exit qualification is undefined if the access was part of the logging of a branch record or a processor-event-based-sampling (PEBS) record to the DS save area. It is recommended that software configure the paging structures so that no address in the DS save area translates to an address on the APIC-access page.

Table 28-3. Exit Qualification for Control-Register Accesses

Bit Positions	Contents
3:0	Number of control register (0 for CLTS and LMSW). Bit 3 is always 0 on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture as they do not support CR8.
5:4	Access type: 0 = MOV to CR 1 = MOV from CR 2 = CLTS 3 = LMSW
6	LMSW operand type: 0 = register 1 = memory For CLTS and MOV CR, cleared to 0
7	Not currently defined
11:8	For MOV CR, the general-purpose register: 0 = RAX 1 = RCX 2 = RDX 3 = RBX 4 = RSP 5 = RBP 6 = RSI 7 = RDI 8-15 represent R8-R15, respectively (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) For CLTS and LMSW, cleared to 0
15:12	Not currently defined
31:16	For LMSW, the LMSW source data For CLTS and MOV CR, cleared to 0
63:32	Not currently defined. These bits exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

- For an APIC-access VM exit caused by the MASKMOVQ instruction or the MASKMOVDQU instruction, the access type is “data write during instruction execution.”
- For an APIC-access VM exit caused by the MONITOR instruction, the access type is “data read during instruction execution.”
- For an APIC-access VM exit caused directly by an access to a linear address in the DS save area (BTS or PEBS), the access type is “linear access for monitoring.”
- For an APIC-access VM exit caused by a guest-physical access performed for an access to the DS save area (e.g., to access a paging structure to translate a linear address), the access type is “guest-physical access for monitoring or trace.”
- For an APIC-access VM exit caused by trace-address pre-translation (TAPT) when the “Intel PT uses guest physical addresses” VM-execution control is 1, the access type is “guest-physical access for monitoring or trace.”

Such a VM exit stores 1 for bit 31 for IDT-vectoring information field (see Section 28.2.4) if and only if it sets bits 15:12 of the exit qualification to 0011b (linear access during event delivery) or 1010b (guest-physical access during event delivery).

See Section 30.4.4 for further discussion of these instructions and APIC-access VM exits.

For APIC-access VM exits resulting from physical accesses to the APIC-access page (see Section 30.4.6), the exit qualification is undefined.

- For an EPT violation, the exit qualification contains information about the access causing the EPT violation and has the format given in Table 28-7.

As noted in that table, the format and meaning of the exit qualification depends on the setting of the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control and whether the processor supports advanced VM-exit information for EPT violations.¹

An EPT violation that occurs during as a result of execution of a read-modify-write operation sets bit 1 (data write). Whether it also sets bit 0 (data read) is implementation-specific and, for a given implementation, may differ for different kinds of read-modify-write operations.

Table 28-4. Exit Qualification for MOV DR

Bit Position(s)	Contents
2:0	Number of debug register
3	Not currently defined
4	Direction of access (0 = MOV to DR; 1 = MOV from DR)
7:5	Not currently defined
11:8	General-purpose register: 0 = RAX 1 = RCX 2 = RDX 3 = RBX 4 = RSP 5 = RBP 6 = RSI 7 = RDI 8 - 15 = R8 - R15, respectively
63:12	Not currently defined. Bits 63:32 exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

Table 28-5. Exit Qualification for I/O Instructions

Bit Position(s)	Contents
2:0	Size of access: 0 = 1-byte 1 = 2-byte 3 = 4-byte Other values not used
3	Direction of the attempted access (0 = OUT, 1 = IN)
4	String instruction (0 = not string; 1 = string)

1. Software can determine whether advanced VM-exit information for EPT violations is supported by consulting the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP (see Appendix A.10).

Table 28-5. Exit Qualification for I/O Instructions (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Contents
5	REP prefixed (0 = not REP; 1 = REP)
6	Operand encoding (0 = DX, 1 = immediate)
15:7	Not currently defined
31:16	Port number (as specified in DX or in an immediate operand)
63:32	Not currently defined. These bits exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

Table 28-6. Exit Qualification for APIC-Access VM Exits from Linear Accesses and Guest-Physical Accesses

Bit Position(s)	Contents
11:0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If the APIC-access VM exit is due to a linear access, the offset of access within the APIC page. ▪ Undefined if the APIC-access VM exit is due a guest-physical access
15:12	<p>Access type:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0 = linear access for a data read during instruction execution 1 = linear access for a data write during instruction execution 2 = linear access for an instruction fetch 3 = linear access (read or write) during event delivery 4 = linear access for monitoring 10 = guest-physical access during event delivery 11 = guest-physical access for monitoring or trace 15 = guest-physical access for an instruction fetch or during instruction execution <p>Other values not used</p>
16	This bit is set for certain accesses that are asynchronous to instruction execution and not part of event delivery. These includes guest-physical accesses related to trace output by Intel PT (see Section 26.5.4), accesses related to PEBS on processors with the “EPT-friendly” enhancement (see Section 20.9.5), and accesses that occur during user-interrupt delivery (see Section 7.4.2).
63:17	Not currently defined. Bits 63:32 exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

Bit 12 reports “NMI unblocking due to IRET”; see Section 28.2.3.

Bit 16 is set for certain accesses that are asynchronous to instruction execution and not part of event delivery. These include trace-address pre-translation (TAPT) for Intel PT (see Section 26.5.4), accesses related to PEBS on processors with the “EPT-friendly” enhancement (see Section 20.9.5), and accesses as part of user-interrupt delivery (see Section 7.4.2).

- For VM exits caused as part of EOI virtualization (Section 30.1.4), bits 7:0 of the exit qualification are set to vector of the virtual interrupt that was dismissed by the EOI virtualization. Bits above bit 7 are cleared.
- For APIC-write VM exits (Section 30.4.3.3), bits 11:0 of the exit qualification are set to the page offset of the write access that caused the VM exit.¹ Bits above bit 11 are cleared.
- For a VM exit due to a page-modification log-full event (Section 29.3.6), bit 12 of the exit qualification reports “NMI unblocking due to IRET” (see Section 28.2.3). Bit 16 is set if the VM exit occurs during TAPT, EPT-friendly PEBS, or user-interrupt delivery. All other bits of the exit qualification are undefined.
- For a VM exit due to an SPP-related event (Section 29.3.4), bit 11 of the exit qualification indicates the type of event: 0 indicates an SPP misconfiguration and 1 indicates an SPP miss. Bit 12 of the exit qualification

1. Execution of WRMSR with ECX = 83FH (self-IPI MSR) can lead to an APIC-write VM exit; the exit qualification for such an APIC-write VM exit is 3F0H.

- reports “NMI unblocking due to IRET” (see Section 28.2.3). Bit 16 is set if the VM exit occurs during TAPT EPT-friendly PEBS, or user-interrupt delivery. All other bits of the exit qualification are undefined.
- If the “PASID translation” VM-execution control, PASID translation is performed for executions of the ENQCMD and ENQCMLS instructions (see Section 26.5.8). PASID translation may fail, resulting in a VM exit. Such a VM exit saves an exit qualification specified in the following items:
 - For ENQCMD, the exit qualification is IA32_PASID[19:0].
 - For ENQCMLS, the exit qualification contains the low 32 bits of the instruction’s source operand (which had been read from memory prior to PASID translation).
- For a VM exit due to an instruction timeout (Section 26.2), bit 0 indicates (if set) that the context of the virtual machine is invalid and that the VM should not be resumed. Bit 12 of the exit qualification reports “NMI unblocking due to IRET” (see Section 28.2.3). All other bits of the exit qualification are undefined.
- **Guest linear address.** For some VM exits, this field receives a linear address that pertains to the VM exit. The field is set for different VM exits as follows:
 - VM exits due to attempts to execute LMSW with a memory operand. In these cases, this field receives the linear address of that operand. Bits 63:32 are cleared if the logical processor was not in 64-bit mode before the VM exit.
 - VM exits due to attempts to execute INS or OUTS for which the relevant segment is usable (if the relevant segment is not usable, the value is undefined). (ES is always the relevant segment for INS; for OUTS, the relevant segment is DS unless overridden by an instruction prefix.) The linear address is the base address of relevant segment plus (E)DI (for INS) or (E)SI (for OUTS). Bits 63:32 are cleared if the logical processor was not in 64-bit mode before the VM exit.

Table 28-7. Exit Qualification for EPT Violations

Bit Position(s)	Contents
0	Set if the access causing the EPT violation was a data read. ¹
1	Set if the access causing the EPT violation was a data write. ¹
2	Set if the access causing the EPT violation was an instruction fetch.
3	The logical-AND of bit 0 in the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the access causing the EPT violation (indicates whether the guest-physical address was readable). ²
4	The logical-AND of bit 1 in the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the access causing the EPT violation (indicates whether the guest-physical address was writeable).
5	The logical-AND of bit 2 in the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the access causing the EPT violation. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, this indicates whether the guest-physical address was executable. If that control is 1, this indicates whether the guest-physical address was executable for supervisor-mode linear addresses.
6	If the “mode-based execute control” VM-execution control is 0, the value of this bit is undefined. If that control is 1, this bit is the logical-AND of bit 10 in the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the access causing the EPT violation. In this case, it indicates whether the guest-physical address was executable for user-mode linear addresses.
7	Set if the guest linear-address field is valid. The guest linear-address field is valid for all EPT violations except those resulting from an attempt to load the guest PDPTes as part of the execution of the MOV CR instruction and those due to trace-address pre-translation (TAPT; Section 26.5.4).

Table 28-7. Exit Qualification for EPT Violations (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Contents
8	<p>If bit 7 is 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Set if the access causing the EPT violation is to a guest-physical address that is the translation of a linear address. Clear if the access causing the EPT violation is to a paging-structure entry as part of a page walk or the update of an accessed or dirty bit. <p>Reserved if bit 7 is 0 (cleared to 0).</p>
9	<p>If bit 7 is 1, bit 8 is 1, and the processor supports advanced VM-exit information for EPT violations,³ this bit is 0 if the linear address is a supervisor-mode linear address and 1 if it is a user-mode linear address. (If CRO.PG = 0, the translation of every linear address is a user-mode linear address and thus this bit will be 1.) Otherwise, this bit is undefined.</p>
10	<p>If bit 7 is 1, bit 8 is 1, and the processor supports advanced VM-exit information for EPT violations,³ this bit is 0 if paging translates the linear address to a read-only page and 1 if it translates to a read/write page. (If CRO.PG = 0, every linear address is read/write and thus this bit will be 1.) Otherwise, this bit is undefined.</p>
11	<p>If bit 7 is 1, bit 8 is 1, and the processor supports advanced VM-exit information for EPT violations,³ this bit is 0 if paging translates the linear address to an executable page and 1 if it translates to an execute-disable page. (If CRO.PG = 0, CR4.PAE = 0, or IA32_EFER.NXE = 0, every linear address is executable and thus this bit will be 0.) Otherwise, this bit is undefined.</p>
12	NMI unblocking due to IRET (see Section 28.2.3).
13	Set if the access causing the EPT violation was a shadow-stack access.
14	<p>If supervisor shadow-stack control is enabled (by setting bit 7 of EPTP), this bit is the same as bit 60 in the EPT paging-structure entry that maps the page of the guest-physical address of the access causing the EPT violation. Otherwise (or if translation of the guest-physical address terminates before reaching an EPT paging-structure entry that maps a page), this bit is undefined.</p>
15	This bit is set if the EPT violation was caused as a result of guest-paging verification. See Section 29.3.3.2.
16	<p>This bit is set if the access was asynchronous to instruction execution not the result of event delivery. The bit is set if the access is related to trace output by Intel PT (see Section 26.5.4), accesses related to PEBS on processors with the “EPT-friendly” enhancement (see Section 20.9.5), or to user-interrupt delivery (see Section 7.4.2). Otherwise, this bit is cleared.</p>
63:17	Not currently defined. Bits 63:32 exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

NOTES:

1. If accessed and dirty flags for EPT are enabled, processor accesses to guest paging-structure entries are treated as writes with regard to EPT violations (see Section 29.3.3.2). If such an access causes an EPT violation, the processor sets both bit 0 and bit 1 of the exit qualification.
2. Bits 5:3 are cleared to 0 if any of EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the access causing the EPT violation is not present (see Section 29.3.2).
3. Software can determine whether advanced VM-exit information for EPT violations is supported by consulting the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP (see Appendix A.10).

- VM exits due to EPT violations that set bit 7 of the exit qualification (see Table 28-7; these are all EPT violations except those resulting from an attempt to load the PDPTes as of execution of the MOV CR instruction and those due to TAPT). The linear address may translate to the guest-physical address whose access caused the EPT violation. Alternatively, translation of the linear address may reference a paging-structure entry whose access caused the EPT violation. Bits 63:32 are cleared if the logical processor was not in 64-bit mode before the VM exit.

If the EPT violation occurred during execution of an instruction in enclave mode (and not during delivery of an event incident to enclave mode), bits 11:0 of this field are cleared.

- VM exits due to SPP-related events.
- If the “prematurely busy shadow stack” VM-exit control is 1, certain VM exits (besides those noted above) save the linear address that pertains to the VM exit if the VM exit caused a shadow stack to become prematurely busy (see Section 26.4.3). This is true for VM exits due for these reasons: EPT misconfiguration, page-modification log-full event, and instruction timeout. (A VM exit due to instruction timeout that sets bit 0 of the exit qualification, indicating that VM context is invalid, does not save a valid linear address.)
- For all other VM exits, the field is undefined.
- **Guest-physical address.** For a VM exit due to an EPT violation, an EPT misconfiguration, or an SPP-related event, this field receives the guest-physical address that caused the EPT violation or EPT misconfiguration. For all other VM exits, the field is undefined.

If the EPT violation or EPT misconfiguration occurred during execution of an instruction in enclave mode (and not during delivery of an event incident to enclave mode), bits 11:0 of this field are cleared.

28.2.2 Information for VM Exits Due to Vectored Events

Section 25.9.2 defines fields containing information for VM exits due to the following events: exceptions (including those generated by the instructions INT1, INT3, INTO, BOUND, UD0, UD1, and UD2); external interrupts that occur while the “acknowledge interrupt on exit” VM-exit control is 1; and non-maskable interrupts (NMIs).¹ Such VM exits include those that occur on an attempt at a task switch that causes an exception before generating the VM exit due to the task switch that causes the VM exit.

The following items detail the use of these fields:

- **VM-exit interruption information** (format given in Table 25-19). The following items detail how this field is established for VM exits due to these events:
 - For an exception, bits 7:0 receive the exception vector (at most 31). For an NMI, bits 7:0 are set to 2. For an external interrupt, bits 7:0 receive the vector.
 - Bits 10:8 are set to 0 (external interrupt), 2 (non-maskable interrupt), 3 (hardware exception), 5 (privileged software exception), or 6 (software exception). Hardware exceptions comprise all exceptions except the following:
 - Debug exceptions (#DB) generated by the INT1 instruction; these are privileged software exceptions. (Other debug exceptions are considered hardware exceptions, as are those caused by executions of INT1 in enclave mode.)
 - Breakpoint exceptions (#BP; generated by INT3) and overflow exceptions (#OF; generated by INTO); these are software exceptions. (A #BP that occurs in enclave mode is considered a hardware exception.)

BOUND-range exceeded exceptions (#BR; generated by BOUND) and invalid opcode exceptions (#UD) generated by UD0, UD1, and UD2 are hardware exceptions.
 - Bit 11 is set to 1 if the VM exit is caused by a hardware exception that would have delivered an error code on the stack. This bit is always 0 if the VM exit occurred while the logical processor was in real-address mode (CR0.PE=0).² If bit 11 is set to 1, the error code is placed in the VM-exit interruption error code (see below).
 - Bit 12 reports “NMI unblocking due to IRET”; see Section 28.2.3. The value of this bit is undefined if the VM exit is due to a double fault (the interruption type is hardware exception and the vector is 8).
 - Bits 30:13 are always set to 0.
 - Bit 31 is always set to 1.

1. INT1 and INT3 refer to the instructions with opcodes F1 and CC, respectively, and not to INT *n* with value 1 or 3 for *n*.

2. If the capability MSR IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0 reports that CR0.PE must be 1 in VMX operation, a logical processor cannot be in real-address mode unless the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control and bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls are both 1.

For other VM exits (including those due to external interrupts when the “acknowledge interrupt on exit” VM-exit control is 0), the field is marked invalid (by clearing bit 31) and the remainder of the field is undefined.

- **VM-exit interruption error code.**

- For VM exits that set both bit 31 (valid) and bit 11 (error code valid) in the VM-exit interruption-information field, this field receives the error code that would have been pushed on the stack had the event causing the VM exit been delivered normally through the IDT. The EXT bit is set in this field exactly when it would be set normally. For exceptions that occur during the delivery of double fault (if the IDT-vectoring information field indicates a double fault), the EXT bit is set to 1, assuming that (1) that the exception would produce an error code normally (if not incident to double-fault delivery) and (2) that the error code uses the EXT bit (not for page faults, which use a different format).
- For other VM exits, the value of this field is undefined.

28.2.3 Information About NMI Unblocking Due to IRET

A VM exit may occur during execution of the IRET instruction for reasons including the following: faults, EPT violations, page-modification log-full events, SPP-related events, or instruction timeouts.

An execution of IRET that commences while non-maskable interrupts (NMIs) are blocked will unblock NMIs even if a fault or VM exit occurs; the state saved by such a VM exit will indicate that NMIs were not blocked.

VM exits for the reasons enumerated above provide more information to software by saving a bit called “NMI unblocking due to IRET.” This bit is defined if (1) either the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 0 or the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control is 1; (2) the VM exit does not set the valid bit in the IDT-vectoring information field (see Section 28.2.4); and (3) the VM exit is not due to a double fault. In these cases, the bit is defined as follows:

- The bit is 1 if the VM exit resulted from a memory access as part of execution of the IRET instruction and one of the following holds:
 - The “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control is 0 and blocking by NMI (see Table 25-3) was in effect before execution of IRET.
 - The “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control is 1 and virtual-NMI blocking was in effect before execution of IRET.
- The bit is 0 for all other relevant VM exits.

For VM exits due to faults, NMI unblocking due to IRET is saved in bit 12 of the VM-exit interruption-information field (Section 28.2.2). For VM exits due to EPT violations, page-modification log-full events, SPP-related events, and instruction timeouts, NMI unblocking due to IRET is saved in bit 12 of the exit qualification (Section 28.2.1).

(Executions of IRET may also incur VM exits due to APIC accesses and EPT misconfigurations. These VM exits do not report information about NMI unblocking due to IRET.)

28.2.4 Information for VM Exits During Event Delivery

Section 25.9.3 defined fields containing information for VM exits that occur while delivering an event through the IDT and as a result of any of the following cases:¹

- A fault occurs during event delivery and causes a VM exit (because the bit associated with the fault is set to 1 in the exception bitmap).
- A task switch is invoked through a task gate in the IDT. The VM exit occurs due to the task switch only after the initial checks of the task switch pass (see Section 26.4.2).
- Event delivery causes an APIC-access VM exit (see Section 30.4).
- An EPT violation, EPT misconfiguration, page-modification log-full event, or SPP-related event that occurs during event delivery.

1. This includes the case in which a VM exit occurs while delivering a software interrupt (INT *n*) through the 16-bit IVT (interrupt vector table) that is used in virtual-8086 mode with virtual-machine extensions (if RFLAGS.VM = CR4.VME = 1).

- Any of the above VM exits that occur during user-interrupt notification processing (see Section 7.5.2). Such VM exits will be treated as if they occurred during delivery of an external interrupt with the vector UINV.

These fields are used for VM exits that occur during delivery of events injected as part of VM entry (see Section 27.6.1.2).

A VM exit is not considered to occur during event delivery in any of the following circumstances:

- The original event causes the VM exit directly (for example, because the original event is a non-maskable interrupt (NMI) and the “NMI exiting” VM-execution control is 1).
- The original event results in a double-fault exception that causes the VM exit directly.
- The VM exit occurred as a result of fetching the first instruction of the handler invoked by the event delivery.
- The VM exit is caused by a triple fault.

The following items detail the use of these fields:

- IDT-vectoring information (format given in Table 25-20). The following items detail how this field is established for VM exits that occur during event delivery:
 - If the VM exit occurred during delivery of an exception, bits 7:0 receive the exception vector (at most 31). If the VM exit occurred during delivery of an NMI, bits 7:0 are set to 2. If the VM exit occurred during delivery of an external interrupt, bits 7:0 receive the vector.
 - Bits 10:8 are set to indicate the type of event that was being delivered when the VM exit occurred: 0 (external interrupt), 2 (non-maskable interrupt), 3 (hardware exception), 4 (software interrupt), 5 (privileged software interrupt), or 6 (software exception).

Hardware exceptions comprise all exceptions except the following:¹

- Debug exceptions (#DB) generated by the INT1 instruction; these are privileged software exceptions. (Other debug exceptions are considered hardware exceptions, as are those caused by executions of INT1 in enclave mode.)
- Breakpoint exceptions (#BP; generated by INT3) and overflow exceptions (#OF; generated by INTO); these are software exceptions. (A #BP that occurs in enclave mode is considered a hardware exception.)

BOUND-range exceeded exceptions (#BR; generated by BOUND) and invalid opcode exceptions (#UD) generated by UD0, UD1, and UD2 are hardware exceptions.

- Bit 11 is set to 1 if the VM exit occurred during delivery of a hardware exception that would have delivered an error code on the stack. This bit is always 0 if the VM exit occurred while the logical processor was in real-address mode (CR0.PE=0).² If bit 11 is set to 1, the error code is placed in the IDT-vectoring error code (see below).
- Bit 12 is undefined.
- Bits 30:13 are always set to 0.
- Bit 31 is always set to 1.

For other VM exits, the field is marked invalid (by clearing bit 31) and the remainder of the field is undefined.

- IDT-vectoring error code.
 - For VM exits that set both bit 31 (valid) and bit 11 (error code valid) in the IDT-vectoring information field, this field receives the error code that would have been pushed on the stack by the event that was being delivered through the IDT at the time of the VM exit. The EXT bit is set in this field when it would be set normally.
 - For other VM exits, the value of this field is undefined.

1. In the following items, INT1 and INT3 refer to the instructions with opcodes F1 and CC, respectively, and not to INT *n* with value 1 or 3 for *n*.

2. If the capability MSR IA32_VMX_CR0_FIXED0 reports that CR0.PE must be 1 in VMX operation, a logical processor cannot be in real-address mode unless the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control and bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls are both 1.

28.2.5 Information for VM Exits Due to Instruction Execution

Section 25.9.4 defined fields containing information for VM exits that occur due to instruction execution. (The VM-exit instruction length is also used for VM exits that occur during the delivery of a software interrupt or software exception.) The following items detail their use.

- **VM-exit instruction length.** This field is used in the following cases:
 - For fault-like VM exits due to attempts to execute one of the following instructions that cause VM exits unconditionally (see Section 26.1.2) or based on the settings of VM-execution controls (see Section 26.1.3): CLTS, CPUID, ENCLS, GETSEC, HLT, IN, INS, INVD, INVEPT, INVLPG, INVPCID, INVVPID, LGDT, LIDT, LLDT, LMSW, LOADIWKEY, LTR, MONITOR, MOV CR, MOV DR, MWAIT, OUT, OUTS, PAUSE, PCONFIG, RDMSR, RDPIC, RDRAND, RDSEED, RDTSC, RDTSCP, RSM, SGDT, SIDT, SLDT, STR, TPAUSE, UMWAIT, VMCALL, VMCLEAR, VMLAUNCH, VMPTRLD, VMPTRST, VMREAD, VMRESUME, VMWRITE, VMXOFF, VMXON, WBINVD, WBNOINVD, WRMSR, XRSTORS, XSETBV, and XSAVES.¹
 - For VM exits due to software exceptions (those generated by executions of INT3 or INTO) or privileged software exceptions (those generated by executions of INT1).
 - For VM exits due to faults encountered during delivery of a software interrupt, privileged software exception, or software exception.
 - For VM exits due to attempts to effect a task switch via instruction execution. These are VM exits that produce an exit reason indicating task switch and either of the following:
 - An exit qualification indicating execution of CALL, IRET, or JMP instruction.
 - An exit qualification indicating a task gate in the IDT and an IDT-vectoring information field indicating that the task gate was encountered during delivery of a software interrupt, privileged software exception, or software exception.
 - For APIC-access VM exits and for VM exits caused by EPT violations, page-modification log-full events, and SPP-related events encountered during delivery of a software interrupt, privileged software exception, or software exception.²
 - For VM exits due to executions of VMFUNC that fail because one of the following is true:
 - EAX indicates a VM function that is not enabled (the bit at position EAX is 0 in the VM-function controls; see Section 26.5.6.2).
 - EAX = 0 and either ECX ≥ 512 or the value of ECX selects an invalid tentative EPTP value (see Section 26.5.6.3).

In all the above cases, this field receives the length in bytes (1–15) of the instruction (including any instruction prefixes) whose execution led to the VM exit (see the next paragraph for one exception).

The cases of VM exits encountered during delivery of a software interrupt, privileged software exception, or software exception include those encountered during delivery of events injected as part of VM entry (see Section 27.6.1.2). If the original event was injected as part of VM entry, this field receives the value of the VM-entry instruction length.

All VM exits other than those listed in the above items leave this field undefined.

If the VM exit occurred in enclave mode, this field is cleared (none of the previous items apply).

Table 28-8. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for INS and OUTS

Bit Position(s)	Content
6:0	Undefined.

1. This item applies only to fault-like VM exits. It does not apply to trap-like VM exits following executions of the MOV to CR8 instruction when the “use TPR shadow” VM-execution control is 1 or to those following executions of the WRMSR instruction when the “virtualize x2APIC mode” VM-execution control is 1.

2. The VM-exit instruction-length field is not defined following APIC-access VM exits resulting from physical accesses (see Section 30.4.6) even if encountered during delivery of a software interrupt, privileged software exception, or software exception.

Table 28-8. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for INS and OUTS (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Content
9:7	Address size: 0: 16-bit 1: 32-bit 2: 64-bit (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Other values not used.
14:10	Undefined.
17:15	Segment register: 0: ES 1: CS 2: SS 3: DS 4: FS 5: GS Other values not used. Undefined for VM exits due to execution of INS.
31:18	Undefined.

- **VM-exit instruction information.** For VM exits due to attempts to execute INS, INVEPT, INVPCID, INVVPID, LIDT, LGDT, LLDT, LOADIWKEY, LTR, OUTS, RDRAND, RDSEED, SIDT, SGDT, SLDT, STR, VMCLEAR, VMPTRLD, VMPTRST, VMREAD, VMWRITE, VMXON, XRSTORS, or XSAVES, this field receives information about the instruction that caused the VM exit. The format of the field depends on the identity of the instruction causing the VM exit:
 - For VM exits due to attempts to execute INS or OUTS, the field has the format is given in Table 28-8.¹
 - For VM exits due to attempts to execute INVEPT, INVPCID, or INVVPID, the field has the format is given in Table 28-9.
 - For VM exits due to attempts to execute LIDT, LGDT, SIDT, or SGDT, the field has the format is given in Table 28-10.
 - For VM exits due to attempts to execute LLDT, LTR, SLDT, or STR, the field has the format is given in Table 28-11.
 - For VM exits due to attempts to execute RDRAND, RDSEED, TPAUSE, or UMWAIT, the field has the format is given in Table 28-12.
 - For VM exits due to attempts to execute VMCLEAR, VMPTRLD, VMPTRST, VMXON, XRSTORS, or XSAVES, the field has the format is given in Table 28-13.
 - For VM exits due to attempts to execute VMREAD or VMWRITE, the field has the format is given in Table 28-14.
 - For VM exits due to attempts to execute LOADIWKEY, the field has the format is given in Table 28-15.
 For all other VM exits, the field is undefined, unless the VM exit occurred in enclave mode, in which case the field is cleared.
- **I/O RCX, I/O RSI, I/O RDI, I/O RIP.** These fields are undefined except for SMM VM exits due to system-management interrupts (SMIs) that arrive immediately after retirement of I/O instructions. See Section 32.15.2.3. Note that, if the VM exit occurred in enclave mode, these fields are all cleared.

1. The format of the field was undefined for these VM exits on the first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions. Software can determine whether the format specified in Table 28-8 is used by consulting the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1).

Table 28-9. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for INVEPT, INVPCID, and INVVPID

Bit Position(s)	Content
1:0	Scaling: 0: no scaling 1: scale by 2 2: scale by 4 3: scale by 8 (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for instructions with no index register (bit 22 is set).
6:2	Undefined.
9:7	Address size: 0: 16-bit 1: 32-bit 2: 64-bit (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Other values not used.
10	Cleared to 0.
14:11	Undefined.
17:15	Segment register: 0: ES 1: CS 2: SS 3: DS 4: FS 5: GS Other values not used.
21:18	IndexReg: 0 = RAX 1 = RCX 2 = RDX 3 = RBX 4 = RSP 5 = RBP 6 = RSI 7 = RDI 8-15 represent R8-R15, respectively (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for instructions with no index register (bit 22 is set).
22	IndexReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid)
26:23	BaseReg (encoded as IndexReg above) Undefined for memory instructions with no base register (bit 27 is set).
27	BaseReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid)
31:28	Reg2 (same encoding as IndexReg above)

Table 28-10. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for LIDT, LGDT, SIDT, or SGDT

Bit Position(s)	Content
1:0	Scaling: 0: no scaling 1: scale by 2 2: scale by 4 3: scale by 8 (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for instructions with no index register (bit 22 is set).

Table 28-10. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for LIDT, LGDT, SIDT, or SGDT (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Content
6:2	Undefined.
9:7	Address size: 0: 16-bit 1: 32-bit 2: 64-bit (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Other values not used.
10	Cleared to 0.
11	Operand size: 0: 16-bit 1: 32-bit Undefined for VM exits from 64-bit mode.
14:12	Undefined.
17:15	Segment register: 0: ES 1: CS 2: SS 3: DS 4: FS 5: GS Other values not used.
21:18	IndexReg: 0 = RAX 1 = RCX 2 = RDX 3 = RBX 4 = RSP 5 = RBP 6 = RSI 7 = RDI 8-15 represent R8-R15, respectively (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for instructions with no index register (bit 22 is set).
22	IndexReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid)
26:23	BaseReg (encoded as IndexReg above) Undefined for instructions with no base register (bit 27 is set).
27	BaseReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid)
29:28	Instruction identity: 0: SGDT 1: SIDT 2: LGDT 3: LIDT
31:30	Undefined.

Table 28-11. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for LLDT, LTR, SLDT, and STR

Bit Position(s)	Content
1:0	Scaling: 0: no scaling 1: scale by 2 2: scale by 4 3: scale by 8 (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set) and for memory instructions with no index register (bit 10 is clear and bit 22 is set).
2	Undefined.
6:3	Reg1: 0 = RAX 1 = RCX 2 = RDX 3 = RBX 4 = RSP 5 = RBP 6 = RSI 7 = RDI 8-15 represent R8-R15, respectively (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for memory instructions (bit 10 is clear).
9:7	Address size: 0: 16-bit 1: 32-bit 2: 64-bit (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Other values not used. Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set).
10	Mem/Reg (0 = memory; 1 = register).
14:11	Undefined.
17:15	Segment register: 0: ES 1: CS 2: SS 3: DS 4: FS 5: GS Other values not used. Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set).
21:18	IndexReg (encoded as Reg1 above) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set) and for memory instructions with no index register (bit 10 is clear and bit 22 is set).
22	IndexReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set).
26:23	BaseReg (encoded as Reg1 above) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set) and for memory instructions with no base register (bit 10 is clear and bit 27 is set).
27	BaseReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set).

Table 28-11. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for LLDT, LTR, SLDT, and STR (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Content
29:28	Instruction identity: 0: SLDT 1: STR 2: LLDT 3: LTR
31:30	Undefined.

Table 28-12. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for RDRAND, RDSEED, TPAUSE, and UMWAIT

Bit Position(s)	Content
2:0	Undefined.
6:3	Operand register (destination for RDRAND and RDSEED; source for TPAUSE and UMWAIT): 0 = RAX 1 = RCX 2 = RDX 3 = RBX 4 = RSP 5 = RBP 6 = RSI 7 = RDI 8-15 represent R8-R15, respectively (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture)
10:7	Undefined.
12:11	Operand size: 0: 16-bit 1: 32-bit 2: 64-bit The value 3 is not used.
31:13	Undefined.

Table 28-13. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for VMCLEAR, VMPTRLD, VMPTRST, VMXON, XRSTORS, and XSAVES

Bit Position(s)	Content
1:0	Scaling: 0: no scaling 1: scale by 2 2: scale by 4 3: scale by 8 (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for instructions with no index register (bit 22 is set).
6:2	Undefined.
9:7	Address size: 0: 16-bit 1: 32-bit 2: 64-bit (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Other values not used.
10	Cleared to 0.

Table 28-13. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for VMCLEAR, VMPTRLD, VMPTRST, VMXON, XRSTORS, and XSAVES (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Content
14:11	Undefined.
17:15	Segment register: 0: ES 1: CS 2: SS 3: DS 4: FS 5: GS Other values not used.
21:18	IndexReg: 0 = RAX 1 = RCX 2 = RDX 3 = RBX 4 = RSP 5 = RBP 6 = RSI 7 = RDI 8-15 represent R8-R15, respectively (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for instructions with no index register (bit 22 is set).
22	IndexReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid)
26:23	BaseReg (encoded as IndexReg above) Undefined for instructions with no base register (bit 27 is set).
27	BaseReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid)
31:28	Undefined.

Table 28-14. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for VMREAD and VMWRITE

Bit Position(s)	Content
1:0	Scaling: 0: no scaling 1: scale by 2 2: scale by 4 3: scale by 8 (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set) and for memory instructions with no index register (bit 10 is clear and bit 22 is set).
2	Undefined.

Table 28-14. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for VMREAD and VMWRITE (Contd.)

Bit Position(s)	Content
6:3	Reg1: 0 = RAX 1 = RCX 2 = RDX 3 = RBX 4 = RSP 5 = RBP 6 = RSI 7 = RDI 8-15 represent R8-R15, respectively (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Undefined for memory instructions (bit 10 is clear).
9:7	Address size: 0: 16-bit 1: 32-bit 2: 64-bit (used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture) Other values not used. Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set).
10	Mem/Reg (0 = memory; 1 = register).
14:11	Undefined.
17:15	Segment register: 0: ES 1: CS 2: SS 3: DS 4: FS 5: GS Other values not used. Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set).
21:18	IndexReg (encoded as Reg1 above) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set) and for memory instructions with no index register (bit 10 is clear and bit 22 is set).
22	IndexReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set).
26:23	BaseReg (encoded as Reg1 above) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set) and for memory instructions with no base register (bit 10 is clear and bit 27 is set).
27	BaseReg invalid (0 = valid; 1 = invalid) Undefined for register instructions (bit 10 is set).
31:28	Reg2 (same encoding as Reg1 above)

Table 28-15. Format of the VM-Exit Instruction-Information Field as Used for LOADIWKEY

Bit Position(s)	Content
2:0	Undefined.
6:3	Reg1: identifies the first XMM register operand (XMM0-XMM15; values 8-15 are used only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture).
30:7	Undefined.
31:28	Reg2: identifies the second XMM register operand (see above).

28.3 SAVING GUEST STATE

VM exits save certain components of processor state into corresponding fields in the guest-state area of the VMCS (see Section 25.4). On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, the full value of each natural-width field (see Section 25.11.2) is saved regardless of the mode of the logical processor before and after the VM exit.

In general, the state saved is that which was in the logical processor at the time the VM exit commences. See Section 28.1 for a discussion of which architectural updates occur at that time.

Section 28.3.1 through Section 28.3.4 provide details for how various components of processor state are saved. These sections reference VMCS fields that correspond to processor state. Unless otherwise stated, these references are to fields in the guest-state area.

28.3.1 Saving Control Registers, Debug Registers, and MSRs

Contents of certain control registers, debug registers, and MSRs are saved as follows:

- The contents of CR0, CR3, CR4, and the IA32_SYSENTER_CS, IA32_SYSENTER_ESP, and IA32_SYSENTER_EIP MSRs are saved into the corresponding fields. Bits 63:32 of the IA32_SYSENTER_CS MSR are not saved. On processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture, bits 63:32 of the IA32_SYSENTER_ESP and IA32_SYSENTER_EIP MSRs are not saved.
- If the “save debug controls” VM-exit control is 1, the contents of DR7 and the IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR are saved into the corresponding fields. The first processors to support the virtual-machine extensions supported only the 1-setting of this control and thus always saved data into these fields.
- If the “save IA32_PAT” VM-exit control is 1, the contents of the IA32_PAT MSR are saved into the corresponding field.
- If the “save IA32_EFER” VM-exit control is 1, the contents of the IA32_EFER MSR are saved into the corresponding field.
- If the processor supports either the 1-setting of the “load IA32_BNDCFGS” VM-entry control or that of the “clear IA32_BNDCFGS” VM-exit control, the contents of the IA32_BNDCFGS MSR are saved into the corresponding field.
- If the processor supports either the 1-setting of the “load IA32_RTIT_CTL” VM-entry control or that of the “clear IA32_RTIT_CTL” VM-exit control, the contents of the IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR are saved into the corresponding field.
- If the processor supports the 1-setting of the “load CET” VM-entry control, the contents of the IA32_S_CET and IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR MSRs are saved into the corresponding fields. On processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture, bits 63:32 of these MSRs are not saved.
- If the processor supports either the 1-setting of the “load guest IA32_LBR_CTL” VM-entry control or that of the “clear IA32_LBR_CTL” VM-exit control, the contents of the IA32_LBR_CTL MSR are saved into the corresponding field.
- If the processor supports the 1-setting of the “load PKRS” VM-entry control, the contents of the IA32_PKRS MSR are saved into the corresponding field.
- If a processor supports user interrupts, every VM exit saves UINV into the guest UINV field in the VMCS (bits 15:8 of the field are cleared).
- If the “save IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTL” VM-exit control is 1, the contents of the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTL MSR are saved into the corresponding field.
- The value of the SMBASE field is undefined after all VM exits except SMM VM exits. See Section 32.15.2.

28.3.2 Saving Segment Registers and Descriptor-Table Registers

For each segment register (CS, SS, DS, ES, FS, GS, LDTR, or TR), the values saved for the base-address, segment-limit, and access rights are based on whether the register was unusable (see Section 25.4.1) before the VM exit:

- If the register was unusable, the values saved into the following fields are undefined: (1) base address; (2) segment limit; and (3) bits 7:0 and bits 15:12 in the access-rights field. The following exceptions apply:

- CS.
 - The base-address and segment-limit fields are saved.
 - The L, D, and G bits are saved in the access-rights field.
- SS.
 - DPL is saved in the access-rights field.
 - On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, bits 63:32 of the value saved for the base address are always zero.
- DS and ES. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, bits 63:32 of the values saved for the base addresses are always zero.
- FS and GS. The base-address field is saved.
- LDTR. The value saved for the base address is always canonical.
- If the register was not unusable, the values saved into the following fields are those which were in the register before the VM exit: (1) base address; (2) segment limit; and (3) bits 7:0 and bits 15:12 in access rights.
- Bits 31:17 and 11:8 in the access-rights field are always cleared. Bit 16 is set to 1 if and only if the segment is unusable.

The contents of the GDTR and IDTR registers are saved into the corresponding base-address and limit fields.

28.3.3 Saving RIP, RSP, RFLAGS, and SSP

The contents of the RIP, RSP, RFLAGS, and SSP (shadow-stack pointer) registers are saved as follows:

- The value saved in the RIP field is determined by the nature and cause of the VM exit:
 - If the VM exit occurred in enclave mode, the value saved is the AEP of interrupted enclave thread (the remaining items do not apply).
 - If the VM exit occurs due to by an attempt to execute an instruction that causes VM exits unconditionally or that has been configured to cause a VM exit via the VM-execution controls, the value saved references that instruction.
 - If the VM exit is caused by an occurrence of an INIT signal, a start-up IPI (SIPI), or system-management interrupt (SMI), the value saved is that which was in RIP before the event occurred.
 - If the VM exit occurs due to the 1-setting of either the “interrupt-window exiting” VM-execution control or the “NMI-window exiting” VM-execution control, the value saved is that which would be in the register had the VM exit not occurred.
 - If the VM exit is due to an external interrupt, non-maskable interrupt (NMI), or hardware exception (as defined in Section 28.2.2), the value saved is the return pointer that would have been saved (either on the stack had the event been delivered through a trap or interrupt gate,¹ or into the old task-state segment had the event been delivered through a task gate).
 - If the VM exit is due to a triple fault, the value saved is the return pointer that would have been saved (either on the stack had the event been delivered through a trap or interrupt gate, or into the old task-state segment had the event been delivered through a task gate) had delivery of the double fault not encountered the nested exception that caused the triple fault.
 - If the VM exit is due to a software exception (due to an execution of INT3 or INTO) or a privileged software exception (due to an execution of INT1), the value saved references the INT3, INTO, or INT1 instruction that caused that exception.
 - Suppose that the VM exit is due to a task switch that was caused by execution of CALL, IRET, or JMP or by execution of a software interrupt (INT *n*), software exception (due to execution of INT3 or INTO), or privileged software exception (due to execution of INT1) that encountered a task gate in the IDT. The value saved references the instruction that caused the task switch (CALL, IRET, JMP, INT *n*, INT3, INTO, INT1).

1. The reference here is to the full value of RIP before any truncation that would occur had the stack width been only 32 bits or 16 bits.

- Suppose that the VM exit is due to a task switch that was caused by a task gate in the IDT that was encountered for any reason except the direct access by a software interrupt or software exception. The value saved is that which would have been saved in the old task-state segment had the task switch completed normally.
- If the VM exit is due to an execution of MOV to CR8 or WRMSR that reduced the value of bits 7:4 of VTPR (see Section 30.1.1) below that of TPR threshold VM-execution control field (see Section 30.1.2), the value saved references the instruction following the MOV to CR8 or WRMSR.
- If the VM exit was caused by APIC-write emulation (see Section 30.4.3.2) that results from an APIC access as part of instruction execution, the value saved references the instruction following the one whose execution caused the APIC-write emulation.
- The contents of the RSP register are saved into the RSP field.
- With the exception of the resume flag (RF; bit 16), the contents of the RFLAGS register is saved into the RFLAGS field. RFLAGS.RF is saved as follows:
 - If the VM exit occurred in enclave mode, the value saved is 0 (the remaining items do not apply).
 - If the VM exit is caused directly by an event that would normally be delivered through the IDT, the value saved is that which would appear in the saved RFLAGS image (either that which would be saved on the stack had the event been delivered through a trap or interrupt gate¹ or into the old task-state segment had the event been delivered through a task gate) had the event been delivered through the IDT. See below for VM exits due to task switches caused by task gates in the IDT.
 - If the VM exit is caused by a triple fault, the value saved is that which the logical processor would have in RF in the RFLAGS register had the triple fault taken the logical processor to the shutdown state.
 - If the VM exit is caused by a task switch (including one caused by a task gate in the IDT), the value saved is that which would have been saved in the RFLAGS image in the old task-state segment (TSS) had the task switch completed normally without exception.
 - If the VM exit is caused by an attempt to execute an instruction that unconditionally causes VM exits or one that was configured to do with a VM-execution control, the value saved is 0.²
 - For APIC-access VM exits and for VM exits caused by EPT violations, EPT misconfigurations, page-modification log-full events, or SPP-related events, the value saved depends on whether the VM exit occurred during delivery of an event through the IDT:
 - If the VM exit stored 0 for bit 31 for IDT-vectoring information field (because the VM exit did not occur during delivery of an event through the IDT; see Section 28.2.4), the value saved is 1.
 - If the VM exit stored 1 for bit 31 for IDT-vectoring information field (because the VM exit did occur during delivery of an event through the IDT), the value saved is the value that would have appeared in the saved RFLAGS image had the event been delivered through the IDT (see above).
 - For all other VM exits, the value saved is the value RFLAGS.RF had before the VM exit occurred.
- If the processor supports the 1-setting of the “load CET” VM-entry control, the contents of the SSP register are saved into the SSP field.

28.3.4 Saving Non-Register State

Information corresponding to guest non-register state is saved as follows:

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1. The reference here is to the full value of RFLAGS before any truncation that would occur had the stack width been only 32 bits or 16 bits.
 2. This is true even if RFLAGS.RF was 1 before the instruction was executed. If, in response to such a VM exit, a VM monitor re-enters the guest to re-execute the instruction that caused the VM exit (for example, after clearing the VM-execution control that caused the VM exit), the instruction may encounter a code breakpoint that has already been processed. A VM monitor can avoid this by setting the guest value of RFLAGS.RF to 1 before resuming guest software.

- The activity-state field is saved with the logical processor's activity state before the VM exit.¹ See Section 28.1 for details of how events leading to a VM exit may affect the activity state. If the VM exit occurred during user-interrupt notification processing (see Section 7.5.2) and the logical processor would have entered the HLT state following user-interrupt notification processing, the saved activity state is "HLT".
- The interruptibility-state field is saved to reflect the logical processor's interruptibility before the VM exit.
 - See Section 28.1 for details of how events leading to a VM exit may affect this state.
 - VM exits that end outside system-management mode (SMM) save bit 2 (blocking by SMI) as 0 regardless of the state of such blocking before the VM exit.
 - Bit 3 (blocking by NMI) is treated specially if the "virtual NMIs" VM-execution control is 1. In this case, the value saved for this field does not indicate the blocking of NMIs but rather the state of virtual-NMI blocking.
 - Bit 4 (enclave interruption) is set to 1 if the VM exit occurred while the logical processor was in enclave mode.

Such VM exits includes those caused by interrupts, non-maskable interrupts, system-management interrupts, INIT signals, and exceptions occurring in enclave mode as well as exceptions encountered during the delivery of such events incident to enclave mode.

A VM exit that is incident to delivery of an event injected by VM entry leaves this bit unmodified.

- The pending debug exceptions field is saved as clear for all VM exits except the following:
 - A VM exit caused by an INIT signal, a machine-check exception, or a system-management interrupt (SMI).
 - A VM exit with basic exit reason "TPR below threshold",² "virtualized EOI", "APIC write", "monitor trap flag," or "bus-lock detected."
 - A VM exit due to trace-address pre-translation (TAPT; see Section 26.5.4) or due to accesses related to PEBS on processors with the "EPT-friendly" enhancement (see Section 20.9.5). Such VM exits can have basic exit reason "APIC access," "EPT violation," "EPT misconfiguration," "page-modification log full," or "SPP-related event." When due to TAPT or PEBS, these VM exits (with the exception of those due to EPT misconfigurations) set bit 16 of the exit qualification, indicating that they are asynchronous to instruction execution and not part of event delivery.
 - VM exits that are not caused by debug exceptions and that occur while there is MOV-SS blocking of debug exceptions.

For VM exits that do not clear the field, the value saved is determined as follows:

- Each of bits 3:0 may be set if it corresponds to a matched breakpoint. This may be true even if the corresponding breakpoint is not enabled in DR7.
- Suppose that a VM exit is due to an INIT signal, a machine-check exception, or an SMI; or that a VM exit has basic exit reason "TPR below threshold" or "monitor trap flag." In this case, the value saved sets bits corresponding to the causes of any debug exceptions that were pending at the time of the VM exit.

If the VM exit occurs immediately after VM entry, the value saved may match that which was loaded on VM entry (see Section 27.7.3). Otherwise, the following items apply:

- Bit 12 (enabled breakpoint) is set to 1 in any of the following cases:
 - If there was at least one matched data or I/O breakpoint that was enabled in DR7.
 - If it had been set on VM entry, causing there to be valid pending debug exceptions (see Section 27.7.3) and the VM exit occurred before those exceptions were either delivered or lost.
 - If the XBEGIN instruction was executed immediately before the VM exit and advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions had been enabled (see Section 16.3.7, "RTM-Enabled Debugger Support," of Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1). (This does not apply to VM exits with basic exit reason "monitor trap flag.")
 - If a bus lock was asserted while CPL > 0 and OS bus-lock detection was enabled.

1. If this activity state was an inactive state resulting from execution of a specific instruction (HLT or MWAIT), the value saved for RIP by that VM exit will reference the following instruction.

2. This item includes VM exits that occur as a result of certain VM entries (Section 27.7.7).

In other cases, bit 12 is cleared to 0.

- Bit 14 (BS) is set if RFLAGS.TF = 1 in either of the following cases:
 - IA32_DEBUGCTL.BTF = 0 and the cause of a pending debug exception was the execution of a single instruction.
 - IA32_DEBUGCTL.BTF = 1 and the cause of a pending debug exception was a taken branch.
- Bit 16 (RTM) is set if a debug exception (#DB) or a breakpoint exception (#BP) occurred inside an RTM region while advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions had been enabled. (This does not apply to VM exits with basic exit reason “monitor trap flag.”)
- Suppose that a VM exit is due to another reason (but not a debug exception) and occurs while there is MOV-SS blocking of debug exceptions. In this case, the value saved sets bits corresponding to the causes of any debug exceptions that were pending at the time of the VM exit. If the VM exit occurs immediately after VM entry (no instructions were executed in VMX non-root operation), the value saved may match that which was loaded on VM entry (see Section 27.7.3). Otherwise, the following items apply:
 - Bit 12 (enabled breakpoint) is set to 1 if there was at least one matched data or I/O breakpoint that was enabled in DR7. Bit 12 is also set if it had been set on VM entry, causing there to be valid pending debug exceptions (see Section 27.7.3) and the VM exit occurred before those exceptions were either delivered or lost. In other cases, bit 12 is cleared to 0.
 - The setting of bit 14 (BS) is implementation-specific. However, it is not set if RFLAGS.TF = 0 or IA32_DEBUGCTL.BTF = 1.
- The reserved bits in the field are cleared.
- If the “save VMX-preemption timer value” VM-exit control is 1, the value of timer is saved into the VMX-preemption timer-value field. This is the value loaded from this field on VM entry as subsequently decremented (see Section 26.5.1). VM exits due to timer expiration save the value 0. Other VM exits may also save the value 0 if the timer expired during VM exit. (If the “save VMX-preemption timer value” VM-exit control is 0, VM exit does not modify the value of the VMX-preemption timer-value field.)
- If the logical processor supports the 1-setting of the “enable EPT” VM-execution control, values are saved into the four (4) PDPTE fields as follows:
 - If the “enable EPT” VM-execution control is 1 and the logical processor was using PAE paging at the time of the VM exit, the PDPTE values currently in use are saved:¹
 - The values saved into bits 11:9 of each of the fields is undefined.
 - If the value saved into one of the fields has bit 0 (present) clear, the value saved into bits 63:1 of that field is undefined. That value need not correspond to the value that was loaded by VM entry or to any value that might have been loaded in VMX non-root operation.
 - If the value saved into one of the fields has bit 0 (present) set, the value saved into bits 63:12 of the field is a guest-physical address.
 - If the “enable EPT” VM-execution control is 0 or the logical processor was not using PAE paging at the time of the VM exit, the values saved are undefined.

28.4 SAVING MSRS

After processor state is saved to the guest-state area, values of MSRs may be stored into the VM-exit MSR-store area (see Section 25.7.2). Specifically each entry in that area (up to the number specified in the VM-exit MSR-store count) is processed in order by storing the value of the MSR indexed by bits 31:0 (as they would be read by RDMSR) into bits 127:64. Processing of an entry fails in either of the following cases:

1. A logical processor uses PAE paging if CR0.PG = 1, CR4.PAE = 1 and IA32_EFER.LMA = 0. See Section 4.4 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A. “Enable EPT” is a secondary processor-based VM-execution control. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VM exit functions as if the “enable EPT” VM-execution control were 0. See Section 25.6.2.

- The value of bits 31:8 is 000008H, meaning that the indexed MSR is one that allows access to an APIC register when the local APIC is in x2APIC mode.
- The value of bits 31:0 indicates an MSR that can be read only in system-management mode (SMM) and the VM exit will not end in SMM. (IA32_SMBASE is an MSR that can be read only in SMM.)
- The value of bits 31:0 indicates an MSR that cannot be saved on VM exits for model-specific reasons. A processor may prevent certain MSRs (based on the value of bits 31:0) from being stored on VM exits, even if they can normally be read by RDMSR. Such model-specific behavior is documented in Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4.
- Bits 63:32 of the entry are not all 0.
- An attempt to read the MSR indexed by bits 31:0 would cause a general-protection exception if executed via RDMSR with CPL = 0.

A VMX abort occurs if processing fails for any entry. See Section 28.7.

28.5 LOADING HOST STATE

Processor state is updated on VM exits in the following ways:

- Some state is loaded from or otherwise determined by the contents of the host-state area.
- Some state is determined by VM-exit controls.
- Some state is established in the same way on every VM exit.
- The page-directory pointers are loaded based on the values of certain control registers.

This loading may be performed in any order.

On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, the full values of each 64-bit field loaded (for example, the base address for GDTR) is loaded regardless of the mode of the logical processor before and after the VM exit.

The loading of host state is detailed in Section 28.5.1 to Section 28.5.5. These sections reference VMCS fields that correspond to processor state. Unless otherwise stated, these references are to fields in the host-state area.

A logical processor is in IA-32e mode after a VM exit only if the “host address-space size” VM-exit control is 1. If the logical processor was in IA-32e mode before the VM exit and this control is 0, a VMX abort occurs. See Section 28.7.

In addition to loading host state, VM exits clear address-range monitoring (Section 28.5.6).

After the state loading described in this section, VM exits may load MSRs from the VM-exit MSR-load area (see Section 28.6). This loading occurs only after the state loading described in this section.

28.5.1 Loading Host Control Registers, Debug Registers, MSRs

VM exits load new values for controls registers, debug registers, and some MSRs:

- CR0, CR3, and CR4 are loaded from the CR0 field, the CR3 field, and the CR4 field, respectively, with the following exceptions:
 - The following bits are not modified:
 - For CR0, ET, CD, NW; bits 63:32 (on processors that support Intel 64 architecture), 28:19, 17, and 15:6; and any bits that are fixed in VMX operation (see Section 24.8).¹
 - For CR3, bits 63:52 and bits in the range 51:32 beyond the processor’s physical-address width (they are cleared to 0).² (This item applies only to processors that support Intel 64 architecture.)

1. Bits 28:19, 17, and 15:6 of CR0 and CR0.ET are unchanged by executions of MOV to CR0. CR0.ET is always 1 and the other bits are always 0.

2. Software can determine a processor’s physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

- For CR4, any bits that are fixed in VMX operation (see Section 24.8).
 - CR4.PAE is set to 1 if the “host address-space size” VM-exit control is 1.
 - CR4.PCIDE is set to 0 if the “host address-space size” VM-exit control is 0.
- DR7 is set to 400H.
- If the “clear UINV” VM-exit control is 1, VM exit clears UINV.
- The following MSRs are established as follows:
 - The IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR is cleared to 00000000_00000000H.
 - The IA32_SYSENTER_CS MSR is loaded from the IA32_SYSENTER_CS field. Since that field has only 32 bits, bits 63:32 of the MSR are cleared to 0.
 - The IA32_SYSENTER_ESP and IA32_SYSENTER_EIP MSRs are loaded from the IA32_SYSENTER_ESP and IA32_SYSENTER_EIP fields, respectively.

If the processor does not support the Intel 64 architecture, these fields have only 32 bits; bits 63:32 of the MSRs are cleared to 0.

If the processor supports the Intel 64 architecture with $N < 64$ linear-address bits, each of bits 63:N is set to the value of bit $N-1$.¹
- The following steps are performed on processors that support Intel 64 architecture:
 - The MSRs FS.base and GS.base are loaded from the base-address fields for FS and GS, respectively (see Section 28.5.2).
 - The LMA and LME bits in the IA32_EFER MSR are each loaded with the setting of the “host address-space size” VM-exit control.
- If the “load IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL” VM-exit control is 1, the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL MSR is loaded from the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL field. Bits that are reserved in that MSR are maintained with their reserved values.
- If the “load IA32_PAT” VM-exit control is 1, the IA32_PAT MSR is loaded from the IA32_PAT field. Bits that are reserved in that MSR are maintained with their reserved values.
- If the “load IA32_EFER” VM-exit control is 1, the IA32_EFER MSR is loaded from the IA32_EFER field. Bits that are reserved in that MSR are maintained with their reserved values.
- If the “clear IA32_BNDCFGS” VM-exit control is 1, the IA32_BNDCFGS MSR is cleared to 00000000_00000000H; otherwise, it is not modified.
- If the “clear IA32_RTIT_CTL” VM-exit control is 1, the IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR is cleared to 00000000_00000000H; otherwise, it is not modified.
- If the “load CET” VM-exit control is 1, the IA32_S_CET and IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR MSRs are loaded from the IA32_S_CET and IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR fields, respectively.

If the processor does not support the Intel 64 architecture, these fields have only 32 bits; bits 63:32 of the MSRs are cleared to 0.

If the processor supports the Intel 64 architecture with $N < 64$ linear-address bits, each of bits 63:N is set to the value of bit $N-1$.
- If the “load PKRS” VM-exit control is 1, the IA32_PKRS MSR is loaded from the IA32_PKRS field. Bits 63:32 of that MSR are maintained with zeroes.

With the exception of FS.base and GS.base, any of these MSRs is subsequently overwritten if it appears in the VM-exit MSR-load area. See Section 28.6.

1. Software can determine the number N by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The number of linear-address bits supported is returned in bits 15:8 of EAX.

28.5.2 Loading Host Segment and Descriptor-Table Registers

Each of the registers CS, SS, DS, ES, FS, GS, and TR is loaded as follows (see below for the treatment of LDTR):

- The selector is loaded from the selector field. The segment is unusable if its selector is loaded with zero. The checks specified in Section 27.2.3 limit the selector values that may be loaded. In particular, CS and TR are never loaded with zero and are thus never unusable. SS can be loaded with zero only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture and only if the VM exit is to 64-bit mode (64-bit mode allows use of segments marked unusable).
- The base address is set as follows:
 - CS. Cleared to zero.
 - SS, DS, and ES. Undefined if the segment is unusable; otherwise, cleared to zero.
 - FS and GS. Undefined (but, on processors that support Intel 64 architecture, canonical) if the segment is unusable and the VM exit is not to 64-bit mode; otherwise, loaded from the base-address field.
 If the processor supports the Intel 64 architecture and the processor supports $N < 64$ linear-address bits, each of bits 63:N is set to the value of bit $N-1$.¹ The values loaded for base addresses for FS and GS are also manifest in the FS.base and GS.base MSRs.
 - TR. Loaded from the host-state area. If the processor supports the Intel 64 architecture and the processor supports $N < 64$ linear-address bits, each of bits 63:N is set to the value of bit $N-1$.
- The segment limit is set as follows:
 - CS. Set to FFFFFFFFH (corresponding to a descriptor limit of FFFFFFFH and a G-bit setting of 1).
 - SS, DS, ES, FS, and GS. Undefined if the segment is unusable; otherwise, set to FFFFFFFFH.
 - TR. Set to 00000067H.
- The type field and S bit are set as follows:
 - CS. Type set to 11 and S set to 1 (execute/read, accessed, non-conforming code segment).
 - SS, DS, ES, FS, and GS. Undefined if the segment is unusable; otherwise, type set to 3 and S set to 1 (read/write, accessed, expand-up data segment).
 - TR. Type set to 11 and S set to 0 (busy 32-bit task-state segment).
- The DPL is set as follows:
 - CS, SS, and TR. Set to 0. The current privilege level (CPL) will be 0 after the VM exit completes.
 - DS, ES, FS, and GS. Undefined if the segment is unusable; otherwise, set to 0.
- The P bit is set as follows:
 - CS, TR. Set to 1.
 - SS, DS, ES, FS, and GS. Undefined if the segment is unusable; otherwise, set to 1.
- On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, CS.L is loaded with the setting of the “host address-space size” VM-exit control. Because the value of this control is also loaded into IA32_EFER.LMA (see Section 28.5.1), no VM exit is ever to compatibility mode (which requires IA32_EFER.LMA = 1 and CS.L = 0).
- D/B.
 - CS. Loaded with the inverse of the setting of the “host address-space size” VM-exit control. For example, if that control is 0, indicating a 32-bit guest, CS.D/B is set to 1.
 - SS. Set to 1.
 - DS, ES, FS, and GS. Undefined if the segment is unusable; otherwise, set to 1.
 - TR. Set to 0.
- G.

1. Software can determine the number N by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The number of linear-address bits supported is returned in bits 15:8 of EAX.

- CS. Set to 1.
- SS, DS, ES, FS, and GS. Undefined if the segment is unusable; otherwise, set to 1.
- TR. Set to 0.

The host-state area does not contain a selector field for LDTR. LDTR is established as follows on all VM exits: the selector is cleared to 0000H, the segment is marked unusable and is otherwise undefined (although the base address is always canonical).

The base addresses for GDTR and IDTR are loaded from the GDTR base-address field and the IDTR base-address field, respectively. If the processor supports the Intel 64 architecture and the processor supports $N < 64$ linear-address bits, each of bits 63:N of each base address is set to the value of bit N-1 of that base address. The GDTR and IDTR limits are each set to FFFFH.

28.5.3 Loading Host RIP, RSP, RFLAGS, and SSP

RIP and RSP are loaded from the RIP field and the RSP field, respectively. RFLAGS is cleared, except bit 1, which is always set.

If the “load CET” VM-exit control is 1, SSP (shadow-stack pointer) is loaded from the SSP field.

28.5.4 Checking and Loading Host Page-Directory-Pointer-Table Entries

If $CR0.PG = 1$, $CR4.PAE = 1$, and $IA32_EFER.LMA = 0$, the logical processor uses **PAE paging**. See Section 4.4 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.¹ When in PAE paging is in use, the physical address in CR3 references a table of **page-directory-pointer-table entries** (PDPTEs). A MOV to CR3 when PAE paging is in use checks the validity of the PDPTes and, if they are valid, loads them into the processor (into internal, non-architectural registers).

A VM exit is to a VMM that uses PAE paging if (1) bit 5 (corresponding to CR4.PAE) is set in the CR4 field in the host-state area of the VMCS; and (2) the “host address-space size” VM-exit control is 0. Such a VM exit may check the validity of the PDPTes referenced by the CR3 field in the host-state area of the VMCS. Such a VM exit must check their validity if either (1) PAE paging was not in use before the VM exit; or (2) the value of CR3 is changing as a result of the VM exit. A VM exit to a VMM that does not use PAE paging must not check the validity of the PDPTes.

A VM exit that checks the validity of the PDPTes uses the same checks that are used when CR3 is loaded with MOV to CR3 when PAE paging is in use. If MOV to CR3 would cause a general-protection exception due to the PDPTes that would be loaded (e.g., because a reserved bit is set), a VMX abort occurs (see Section 28.7). If a VM exit to a VMM that uses PAE does not cause a VMX abort, the PDPTes are loaded into the processor as would MOV to CR3, using the value of CR3 being load by the VM exit.

28.5.5 Updating Non-Register State

VM exits affect the non-register state of a logical processor as follows:

- A logical processor is always in the active state after a VM exit.
- Event blocking is affected as follows:
 - There is no blocking by STI or by MOV SS after a VM exit.
 - VM exits caused directly by non-maskable interrupts (NMIs) cause blocking by NMI (see Table 25-3). Other VM exits do not affect blocking by NMI. (See Section 28.1 for the case in which an NMI causes a VM exit indirectly.)
- There are no pending debug exceptions after a VM exit.

1. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, the physical-address extension may support more than 36 physical-address bits. Software can determine a processor’s physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

Section 29.4 describes how the VMX architecture controls how a logical processor manages information in the TLBs and paging-structure caches. The following items detail how VM exits invalidate cached mappings:

- If the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 0, the logical processor invalidates linear mappings and combined mappings associated with VPID 0000H (for all PCIDs); combined mappings for VPID 0000H are invalidated for all EP4TA values (EP4TA is the value of bits 51:12 of EPTP).
- VM exits are not required to invalidate any guest-physical mappings, nor are they required to invalidate any linear mappings or combined mappings if the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 1.

28.5.6 Clearing Address-Range Monitoring

The Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures allow software to monitor a specified address range using the MONITOR and MWAIT instructions. See Section 9.10.4 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A. VM exits clear any address-range monitoring that may be in effect.

28.6 LOADING MSRS

VM exits may load MSRs from the VM-exit MSR-load area (see Section 25.7.2). Specifically each entry in that area (up to the number specified in the VM-exit MSR-load count) is processed in order by loading the MSR indexed by bits 31:0 with the contents of bits 127:64 as they would be written by WRMSR.

Processing of an entry fails in any of the following cases:

- The value of bits 31:0 is either C0000100H (the IA32_FS_BASE MSR) or C0000101H (the IA32_GS_BASE MSR).
- The value of bits 31:8 is 000008H, meaning that the indexed MSR is one that allows access to an APIC register when the local APIC is in x2APIC mode.
- The value of bits 31:0 indicates an MSR that can be written only in system-management mode (SMM) and the VM exit will not end in SMM. (IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL is an MSR that can be written only in SMM.)
- The value of bits 31:0 indicates an MSR that cannot be loaded on VM exits for model-specific reasons. A processor may prevent loading of certain MSRs even if they can normally be written by WRMSR. Such model-specific behavior is documented in Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4.
- Bits 63:32 are not all 0.
- An attempt to write bits 127:64 to the MSR indexed by bits 31:0 of the entry would cause a general-protection exception if executed via WRMSR with CPL = 0.¹

If processing fails for any entry, a VMX abort occurs. See Section 28.7.

If any MSR is being loaded in such a way that would architecturally require a TLB flush, the TLBs are updated so that, after VM exit, the logical processor does not use any translations that were cached before the transition.

28.7 VMX ABORTS

A problem encountered during a VM exit leads to a **VMX abort**. A VMX abort takes a logical processor into a shut-down state as described below.

A VMX abort does not modify the VMCS data in the VMCS region of any active VMCS. The contents of these data are thus suspect after the VMX abort.

On a VMX abort, a logical processor saves a nonzero 32-bit VMX-abort indicator field at byte offset 4 in the VMCS region of the VMCS whose misconfiguration caused the failure (see Section 25.2). The following values are used:

1. Note the following about processors that support Intel 64 architecture. If CRO.PG = 1, WRMSR to the IA32_EFER MSR causes a general-protection exception if it would modify the LME bit. Since CRO.PG is always 1 in VMX operation, the IA32_EFER MSR should not be included in the VM-exit MSR-load area for the purpose of modifying the LME bit.

1. There was a failure in saving guest MSRs (see Section 28.4).
2. Host checking of the page-directory-pointer-table entries (PDPTes) failed (see Section 28.5.4).
3. The current VMCS has been corrupted (through writes to the corresponding VMCS region) in such a way that the logical processor cannot complete the VM exit properly.
4. There was a failure on loading host MSRs (see Section 28.6).
5. There was a machine-check event during VM exit (see Section 28.8).
6. The logical processor was in IA-32e mode before the VM exit and the “host address-space size” VM-exit control was 0 (see Section 28.5).

Some of these causes correspond to failures during the loading of state from the host-state area. Because the loading of such state may be done in any order (see Section 28.5) a VM exit that might lead to a VMX abort for multiple reasons (for example, the current VMCS may be corrupt and the host PDPTes might not be properly configured). In such cases, the VMX-abort indicator could correspond to any one of those reasons.

A logical processor never reads the VMX-abort indicator in a VMCS region and writes it only with one of the non-zero values mentioned above. The VMX-abort indicator allows software on one logical processor to diagnose the VMX-abort on another. For this reason, it is recommended that software running in VMX root operation zero the VMX-abort indicator in the VMCS region of any VMCS that it uses.

After saving the VMX-abort indicator, operation of a logical processor experiencing a VMX abort depends on whether the logical processor is in SMX operation:¹

- If the logical processor is in SMX operation, an Intel[®] TXT shutdown condition occurs. The error code used is 000DH, indicating “VMX abort.” See the Intel[®] Trusted Execution Technology Measured Launched Environment Programming Guide.
- If the logical processor is outside SMX operation, it issues a special bus cycle (to notify the chipset) and enters the **VMX-abort shutdown state**. RESET is the only event that wakes a logical processor from the VMX-abort shutdown state. The following events do not affect a logical processor in this state: machine-check events; INIT signals; external interrupts; non-maskable interrupts (NMIs); start-up IPIs (SIPIs); and system-management interrupts (SMIs).

28.8 MACHINE-CHECK EVENTS DURING VM EXIT

If a machine-check event occurs during VM exit, one of the following occurs:

- The machine-check event is handled as if it occurred before the VM exit:
 - If CR4.MCE = 0, operation of the logical processor depends on whether the logical processor is in SMX operation:¹
 - If the logical processor is in SMX operation, an Intel[®] TXT shutdown condition occurs. The error code used is 000CH, indicating “unrecoverable machine-check condition.”
 - If the logical processor is outside SMX operation, it goes to the shutdown state.
 - If CR4.MCE = 1, a machine-check exception (#MC) is generated:
 - If bit 18 (#MC) of the exception bitmap is 0, the exception is delivered through the guest IDT.
 - If bit 18 of the exception bitmap is 1, the exception causes a VM exit.
- The machine-check event is handled after VM exit completes:
 - If the VM exit ends with CR4.MCE = 0, operation of the logical processor depends on whether the logical processor is in SMX operation:

1. A logical processor is in SMX operation if GETSEC[SEXIT] has not been executed since the last execution of GETSEC[SENDER]. A logical processor is outside SMX operation if GETSEC[SENDER] has not been executed or if GETSEC[SEXIT] was executed after the last execution of GETSEC[SENDER]. See Chapter 7, “Safer Mode Extensions Reference,” in Intel[®] 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2D.

- If the logical processor is in SMX operation, an Intel[®] TXT shutdown condition occurs with error code 000CH (unrecoverable machine-check condition).
- If the logical processor is outside SMX operation, it goes to the shutdown state.
- If the VM exit ends with CR4.MCE = 1, a machine-check exception (#MC) is delivered through the host IDT.
- A VMX abort is generated (see Section 28.7). The logical processor blocks events as done normally in VMX abort. The VMX abort indicator is 5, for “machine-check event during VM exit.”

The first option is not used if the machine-check event occurs after any host state has been loaded. The second option is used only if VM entry is able to load all host state.

28.9 USER-INTERRUPT RECOGNITION AFTER VM EXIT

A VM exit results in recognition of a pending user interrupt if it completes with CR4.UINTR = IA32_EFER.LMA = 1 and with UIRR ≠ 0; otherwise, no pending user interrupt is recognized.

14. Updates to Chapter 29, Volume 3C

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Changes to this chapter:

- Corrected two inaccurate cross-references.

CHAPTER 29

VMX SUPPORT FOR ADDRESS TRANSLATION

The architecture for VMX operation includes two features that support address translation: virtual-processor identifiers (VPIDs) and the extended page-table mechanism (EPT). VPIDs are a mechanism for managing translations of linear addresses. EPT defines a layer of address translation that augments the translation of linear addresses.

Section 29.1 details the architecture of VPIDs. Section 29.3 provides the details of EPT. Section 29.4 explains how a logical processor may cache information from the paging structures, how it may use that cached information, and how software can managed the cached information.

29.1 VIRTUAL PROCESSOR IDENTIFIERS (VPIDS)

The original architecture for VMX operation required VMX transitions to flush the TLBs and paging-structure caches. This ensured that translations cached for the old linear-address space would not be used after the transition.

Virtual-processor identifiers (**VPIDs**) introduce to VMX operation a facility by which a logical processor may cache information for multiple linear-address spaces. When VPIDs are used, VMX transitions may retain cached information and the logical processor switches to a different linear-address space.

Section 29.4 details the mechanisms by which a logical processor manages information cached for multiple address spaces. A logical processor may tag some cached information with a 16-bit VPID. This section specifies how the current VPID is determined at any point in time:

- The current VPID is 0000H in the following situations:
 - Outside VMX operation. (This includes operation in system-management mode under the default treatment of SMIs and SMM with VMX operation; see Section 32.14.)
 - In VMX root operation.
 - In VMX non-root operation when the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 0.
- If the logical processor is in VMX non-root operation and the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 1, the current VPID is the value of the VPID VM-execution control field in the VMCS. (VM entry ensures that this value is never 0000H; see Section 27.2.1.1.)

VPIDs and PCIDs (see Section 4.10.1) can be used concurrently. When this is done, the processor associates cached information with both a VPID and a PCID. Such information is used only if the current VPID and PCID **both** match those associated with the cached information.

29.2 HYPERVISOR-MANAGED LINEAR-ADDRESS TRANSLATION (HLAT)

Hypervisor-managed linear-address translation (HLAT) is a feature that changes the way in which linear addresses are translated in VMX non-root operation. Instead of ordinary paging, translation uses a modified process called **HLAT paging**.

HLAT paging is used only if the “enable HLAT” VM-execution control is 1. HLAT paging is used only for the paging modes 4-level paging and 5-level paging. Because HLAT paging is a modification of ordinary paging, details of the feature are given in Section 4.5, which describes the operation of 4-level paging and 5-level paging.

29.3 THE EXTENDED PAGE TABLE MECHANISM (EPT)

The extended page-table mechanism (**EPT**) is a feature that can be used to support the virtualization of physical memory. When EPT is in use, certain addresses that would normally be treated as physical addresses (and used to access memory) are instead treated as **guest-physical addresses**. Guest-physical addresses are translated by traversing a set of **EPT paging structures** to produce physical addresses that are used to access memory.

- Section 29.3.1 gives an overview of EPT.
- Section 29.3.2 describes operation of EPT-based address translation.
- Section 29.3.3 discusses VM exits that may be caused by EPT.
- Section 29.3.7 describes interactions between EPT and memory typing.

29.3.1 EPT Overview

EPT is used when the “enable EPT” VM-execution control is 1.¹ It translates the guest-physical addresses used in VMX non-root operation and those used by VM entry for event injection.

The translation from guest-physical addresses to physical addresses is determined by a set of **EPT paging structures**. The EPT paging structures are similar to those used to translate linear addresses while the processor is in IA-32e mode. Section 29.3.2 gives the details of the EPT paging structures.

If CR0.PG = 1, linear addresses are translated through paging structures referenced through control register CR3.² While the “enable EPT” VM-execution control is 1, these are called **guest paging structures**. There are no guest paging structures if CR0.PG = 0.³

When the “enable EPT” VM-execution control is 1, the identity of **guest-physical addresses** depends on the value of CR0.PG:

- If CR0.PG = 0, each linear address is treated as a guest-physical address.
- If CR0.PG = 1, guest-physical addresses are those derived from the contents of control register CR3 and the guest paging structures. (This includes the values of the PDPTes, which logical processors store in internal, non-architectural registers.) The latter includes (in page-table entries and in other paging-structure entries for which bit 7—PS—is 1) the addresses to which linear addresses are translated by the guest paging structures.

If CR0.PG = 1, the translation of a linear address to a physical address requires multiple translations of guest-physical addresses using EPT. Assume, for example, that CR4.PAE = CR4.PSE = 0. The translation of a 32-bit linear address then operates as follows:

- Bits 31:22 of the linear address select an entry in the guest page directory located at the guest-physical address in CR3. The guest-physical address of the guest page-directory entry (PDE) is translated through EPT to determine the guest PDE’s physical address.
- Bits 21:12 of the linear address select an entry in the guest page table located at the guest-physical address in the guest PDE. The guest-physical address of the guest page-table entry (PTE) is translated through EPT to determine the guest PTE’s physical address.
- Bits 11:0 of the linear address is the offset in the page frame located at the guest-physical address in the guest PTE. The guest-physical address determined by this offset is translated through EPT to determine the physical address to which the original linear address translates.

In addition to translating a guest-physical address to a physical address, EPT specifies the privileges that software is allowed when accessing the address. Attempts at disallowed accesses are called **EPT violations** and cause VM exits. See Section 29.3.3.

A processor uses EPT to translate guest-physical addresses only when those addresses are used to access memory. This principle implies the following:

- The MOV to CR3 instruction loads CR3 with a guest-physical address. Whether that address is translated through EPT depends on whether PAE paging is being used.⁴

1. “Enable EPT” is a secondary processor-based VM-execution control. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, the logical processor operates as if the “enable EPT” VM-execution control were 0. See Section 25.6.2.
2. If HLAT paging is enabled, the processor uses the HLATP VMCS field instead of CR3. See Section 4.5.1. For simplicity, the remainder of this section refers only to CR3.
3. If the capability MSR IA32_VMX_CR0_FIXED0 reports that CR0.PG must be 1 in VMX operation, CR0.PG can be 0 in VMX non-root operation only if the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control and bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls are both 1.
4. A logical processor uses PAE paging if CR0.PG = 1, CR4.PAE = 1 and IA32_EFER.LMA = 0. See Section 4.4 in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

- If PAE paging is not being used, the instruction does not use that address to access memory and does **not** cause it to be translated through EPT. (If CR0.PG = 1, the address will be translated through EPT on the next memory accessing using a linear address.)
- If PAE paging is being used, the instruction loads the four (4) page-directory-pointer-table entries (PDPTes) from that address and it **does** cause the address to be translated through EPT.
- Section 4.4.1 identifies executions of MOV to CR0 and MOV to CR4 that load the PDPTes from the guest-physical address in CR3. Such executions cause that address to be translated through EPT.
- The PDPTes contain guest-physical addresses. The instructions that load the PDPTes (see above) do not use those addresses to access memory and do **not** cause them to be translated through EPT. The address in a PDPTE will be translated through EPT on the next memory accessing using a linear address that uses that PDPTE.

29.3.2 EPT Translation Mechanism

The EPT translation mechanism uses only bits 47:0 of each guest-physical address.¹ It uses a page-walk length of 4, meaning that at most 4 EPT paging-structure entries are accessed to translate a guest-physical address.²

These 48 bits are partitioned by the logical processor to traverse the EPT paging structures:

- A 4-KByte naturally aligned EPT PML4 table is located at the physical address specified in bits 51:12 of the extended-page-table pointer (EPTP), a VM-execution control field (see Table 25-9 in Section 25.6.11). An EPT PML4 table comprises 512 64-bit entries (EPT PML4Es). An EPT PML4E is selected using the physical address defined as follows:
 - Bits 63:52 are all 0.
 - Bits 51:12 are from the EPTP.
 - Bits 11:3 are bits 47:39 of the guest-physical address.
 - Bits 2:0 are all 0.

Because an EPT PML4E is identified using bits 47:39 of the guest-physical address, it controls access to a 512-GByte region of the guest-physical-address space. The format of an EPT PML4E is given in Table 29-1.

- A 4-KByte naturally aligned EPT page-directory-pointer table is located at the physical address specified in bits 51:12 of the EPT PML4E. An EPT page-directory-pointer table comprises 512 64-bit entries (EPT PDPTes). An EPT PDPTE is selected using the physical address defined as follows:
 - Bits 63:52 are all 0.
 - Bits 51:12 are from the EPT PML4E.
 - Bits 11:3 are bits 38:30 of the guest-physical address.
 - Bits 2:0 are all 0.

Because an EPT PDPTE is identified using bits 47:30 of the guest-physical address, it controls access to a 1-GByte region of the guest-physical-address space. Use of the EPT PDPTE depends on the value of bit 7 in that entry:³

- If bit 7 of the EPT PDPTE is 1, the EPT PDPTE maps a 1-GByte page. The final physical address is computed as follows:
 - Bits 63:52 are all 0.
 - Bits 51:30 are from the EPT PDPTE.

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1. No processors supporting the Intel 64 architecture support more than 48 physical-address bits. Thus, no such processor can produce a guest-physical address with more than 48 bits. An attempt to use such an address causes a page fault. An attempt to load CR3 with such an address causes a general-protection fault. If PAE paging is being used, an attempt to load CR3 that would load a PDPTE with such an address causes a general-protection fault.
 2. Future processors may include support for other EPT page-walk lengths. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP (see Appendix A.10) to determine what EPT page-walk lengths are supported.
 3. Not all processors allow bit 7 of an EPT PDPTE to be set to 1. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP (see Appendix A.10) to determine whether this is allowed.

Table 29-1. Format of an EPT PML4 Entry (PML4E) that References an EPT Page-Directory-Pointer Table

Bit Position(s)	Contents
0	Read access; indicates whether reads are allowed from the 512-GByte region controlled by this entry
1	Write access; indicates whether writes are allowed to the 512-GByte region controlled by this entry
2	If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, execute access; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from the 512-GByte region controlled by this entry If that control is 1, execute access for supervisor-mode linear addresses; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from supervisor-mode linear addresses in the 512-GByte region controlled by this entry
7:3	Reserved (must be 0)
8	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, accessed flag for EPT; indicates whether software has accessed the 512-GByte region controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
9	Ignored
10	Execute access for user-mode linear addresses. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from user-mode linear addresses in the 512-GByte region controlled by this entry. If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
11	Ignored
(N-1):12	Physical address of 4-KByte aligned EPT page-directory-pointer table referenced by this entry ¹
51:N	Reserved (must be 0)
63:52	Ignored

NOTES:

1. N is the physical-address width supported by the processor. Software can determine a processor’s physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

— Bits 29:0 are from the original guest-physical address.

The format of an EPT PDPTE that maps a 1-GByte page is given in Table 29-2.

- If bit 7 of the EPT PDPTE is 0, a 4-KByte naturally aligned EPT page directory is located at the physical address specified in bits 51:12 of the EPT PDPTE. The format of an EPT PDPTE that references an EPT page directory is given in Table 29-3.

Table 29-2. Format of an EPT Page-Directory-Pointer-Table Entry (PDPTE) that Maps a 1-GByte Page

Bit Position(s)	Contents
0	Read access; indicates whether reads are allowed from the 1-GByte page referenced by this entry
1	Write access; indicates whether writes are allowed to the 1-GByte page referenced by this entry
2	If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, execute access; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from the 1-GByte page controlled by this entry If that control is 1, execute access for supervisor-mode linear addresses; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from supervisor-mode linear addresses in the 1-GByte page controlled by this entry
5:3	EPT memory type for this 1-GByte page (see Section 29.3.7)
6	Ignore PAT memory type for this 1-GByte page (see Section 29.3.7)
7	Must be 1 (otherwise, this entry references an EPT page directory)
8	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, accessed flag for EPT; indicates whether software has accessed the 1-GByte page referenced by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
9	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, dirty flag for EPT; indicates whether software has written to the 1-GByte page referenced by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
10	Execute access for user-mode linear addresses. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from user-mode linear addresses in the 1-GByte page controlled by this entry. If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
11	Ignored
29:12	Reserved (must be 0)
(N-1):30	Physical address of the 1-GByte page referenced by this entry ¹
51:N	Reserved (must be 0)
56:52	Ignored
57	Verify guest paging. If the “guest-paging verification” VM-execution control is 1, indicates limits on the guest paging structures used to access the 1-GByte page controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
58	Paging-write access. If the “EPT paging-write control” VM-execution control is 1, indicates that guest paging may update the 1-GByte page controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
59	Ignored
60	Supervisor shadow stack. If bit 7 of EPTP is 1, indicates whether supervisor shadow stack accesses are allowed to guest-physical addresses in the 1-GByte page mapped by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). Ignored if bit 7 of EPTP is 0
62:61	Ignored
63	Suppress #VE. If the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 1, EPT violations caused by accesses to this page are convertible to virtualization exceptions only if this bit is 0 (see Section 26.5.7.1). If “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 0, this bit is ignored.

NOTES:

1. N is the physical-address width supported by the logical processor.

Table 29-3. Format of an EPT Page-Directory-Pointer-Table Entry (PDPTE) that References an EPT Page Directory

Bit Position(s)	Contents
0	Read access; indicates whether reads are allowed from the 1-GByte region controlled by this entry
1	Write access; indicates whether writes are allowed to the 1-GByte region controlled by this entry
2	If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, execute access; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from the 1-GByte region controlled by this entry If that control is 1, execute access for supervisor-mode linear addresses; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from supervisor-mode linear addresses in the 1-GByte region controlled by this entry
7:3	Reserved (must be 0)
8	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, accessed flag for EPT; indicates whether software has accessed the 1-GByte region controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
9	Ignored
10	Execute access for user-mode linear addresses. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from user-mode linear addresses in the 1-GByte region controlled by this entry. If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
11	Ignored
(N-1):12	Physical address of 4-KByte aligned EPT page directory referenced by this entry ¹
51:N	Reserved (must be 0)
63:52	Ignored

NOTES:

1. N is the physical-address width supported by the logical processor.

An EPT page-directory comprises 512 64-bit entries (PDEs). An EPT PDE is selected using the physical address defined as follows:

- Bits 63:52 are all 0.
- Bits 51:12 are from the EPT PDPTE.
- Bits 11:3 are bits 29:21 of the guest-physical address.
- Bits 2:0 are all 0.

Because an EPT PDE is identified using bits 47:21 of the guest-physical address, it controls access to a 2-MByte region of the guest-physical-address space. Use of the EPT PDE depends on the value of bit 7 in that entry:

- If bit 7 of the EPT PDE is 1, the EPT PDE maps a 2-MByte page. The final physical address is computed as follows:
 - Bits 63:52 are all 0.
 - Bits 51:21 are from the EPT PDE.
 - Bits 20:0 are from the original guest-physical address.

The format of an EPT PDE that maps a 2-MByte page is given in Table 29-4.

- If bit 7 of the EPT PDE is 0, a 4-KByte naturally aligned EPT page table is located at the physical address specified in bits 51:12 of the EPT PDE. The format of an EPT PDE that references an EPT page table is given in Table 29-5.

An EPT page table comprises 512 64-bit entries (PTEs). An EPT PTE is selected using a physical address defined as follows:

- Bits 63:52 are all 0.

Table 29-4. Format of an EPT Page-Directory Entry (PDE) that Maps a 2-MByte Page

Bit Position(s)	Contents
0	Read access; indicates whether reads are allowed from the 2-MByte page referenced by this entry
1	Write access; indicates whether writes are allowed to the 2-MByte page referenced by this entry
2	If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, execute access; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from the 2-MByte page controlled by this entry If that control is 1, execute access for supervisor-mode linear addresses; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from supervisor-mode linear addresses in the 2-MByte page controlled by this entry
5:3	EPT memory type for this 2-MByte page (see Section 29.3.7)
6	Ignore PAT memory type for this 2-MByte page (see Section 29.3.7)
7	Must be 1 (otherwise, this entry references an EPT page table)
8	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, accessed flag for EPT; indicates whether software has accessed the 2-MByte page referenced by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
9	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, dirty flag for EPT; indicates whether software has written to the 2-MByte page referenced by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
10	Execute access for user-mode linear addresses. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from user-mode linear addresses in the 2-MByte page controlled by this entry. If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
11	Ignored
20:12	Reserved (must be 0)
(N-1):21	Physical address of the 2-MByte page referenced by this entry ¹
51:N	Reserved (must be 0)
56:52	Ignored
57	Verify guest paging. If the “guest-paging verification” VM-execution control is 1, indicates limits on the guest paging structures used to access the 2-MByte page controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
58	Paging-write access. If the “EPT paging-write control” VM-execution control is 1, indicates that guest paging may update the 2-MByte page controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
59	Ignored
60	Supervisor shadow stack. If bit 7 of EPTP is 1, indicates whether supervisor shadow stack accesses are allowed to guest-physical addresses in the 2-MByte page mapped by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). Ignored if bit 7 of EPTP is 0
62:61	Ignored
63	Suppress #VE. If the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 1, EPT violations caused by accesses to this page are convertible to virtualization exceptions only if this bit is 0 (see Section 26.5.7.1). If “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 0, this bit is ignored.

NOTES:

1. N is the physical-address width supported by the logical processor.

- Bits 51:12 are from the EPT PDE.

- Bits 11:3 are bits 20:12 of the guest-physical address.
- Bits 2:0 are all 0.
- Because an EPT PTE is identified using bits 47:12 of the guest-physical address, every EPT PTE maps a 4-KByte page. The final physical address is computed as follows:
 - Bits 63:52 are all 0.
 - Bits 51:12 are from the EPT PTE.
 - Bits 11:0 are from the original guest-physical address.

The format of an EPT PTE is given in Table 29-6.

An EPT paging-structure entry is **present** if any of bits 2:0 is 1; otherwise, the entry is **not present**. The processor ignores bits 62:3 and uses the entry neither to reference another EPT paging-structure entry nor to produce a physical address. A reference using a guest-physical address whose translation encounters an EPT paging-structure that is not present causes an EPT violation (see Section 29.3.3.2). (If the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 1, the EPT violation is convertible to a virtualization exception only if bit 63 is 0; see Section 26.5.7.1. If the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 0, this bit is ignored.)

Table 29-5. Format of an EPT Page-Directory Entry (PDE) that References an EPT Page Table

Bit Position(s)	Contents
0	Read access; indicates whether reads are allowed from the 2-MByte region controlled by this entry
1	Write access; indicates whether writes are allowed to the 2-MByte region controlled by this entry
2	If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, execute access; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from the 2-MByte region controlled by this entry If that control is 1, execute access for supervisor-mode linear addresses; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from supervisor-mode linear addresses in the 2-MByte region controlled by this entry
6:3	Reserved (must be 0)
7	Must be 0 (otherwise, this entry maps a 2-MByte page)
8	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, accessed flag for EPT; indicates whether software has accessed the 2-MByte region controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
9	Ignored
10	Execute access for user-mode linear addresses. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from user-mode linear addresses in the 2-MByte region controlled by this entry. If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
11	Ignored
(N-1):12	Physical address of 4-KByte aligned EPT page table referenced by this entry ¹
51:N	Reserved (must be 0)
63:52	Ignored

NOTES:

1. N is the physical-address width supported by the logical processor.

NOTE

If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, an EPT paging-structure entry is present if any of bits 2:0 **or bit 10** is 1. If bits 2:0 are all 0 but bit 10 is 1, the entry is used normally to reference another EPT paging-structure entry or to produce a physical address.

The discussion above describes how the EPT paging structures reference each other and how the logical processor traverses those structures when translating a guest-physical address. It does not cover all details of the translation process. Additional details are provided as follows:

- Situations in which the translation process may lead to VM exits (sometimes before the process completes) are described in Section 29.3.3.
- Interactions between the EPT translation mechanism and memory typing are described in Section 29.3.7.

Figure 29-1 gives a summary of the formats of the EPTP and the EPT paging-structure entries. For the EPT paging structure entries, it identifies separately the format of entries that map pages, those that reference other EPT paging structures, and those that do neither because they are not present; bits 2:0 and bit 7 are highlighted because they determine how a paging-structure entry is used. (Figure 29-1 does not comprehend the fact that, if the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, an entry is present if any of bits 2:0 or bit 10 is 1.)

29.3.3 EPT-Induced VM Exits

Accesses using guest-physical addresses may cause VM exits due to EPT misconfigurations, EPT violations, and page-modification log-full events. An **EPT misconfiguration** occurs when, in the course of translating a guest-physical address, the logical processor encounters an EPT paging-structure entry that contains an unsupported value (see Section 29.3.3.1). An **EPT violation** occurs when there is no EPT misconfiguration but the EPT paging-structure entries disallow an access using the guest-physical address (see Section 29.3.3.2). A **page-modification log-full event** occurs when the logical processor determines a need to create a page-modification log entry and the current log is full (see Section 29.3.6).

These events occur only due to an attempt to access memory with a guest-physical address. Loading CR3 with a guest-physical address with the MOV to CR3 instruction can cause neither an EPT configuration nor an EPT violation until that address is used to access a paging structure.¹

If the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 1, certain EPT violations may cause virtualization exceptions instead of VM exits. See Section 26.5.7.1.

29.3.3.1 EPT Misconfigurations

An EPT misconfiguration occurs if translation of a guest-physical address encounters an EPT paging-structure entry that meets any of the following conditions:

- Bit 0 of the entry is clear (indicating that data reads are not allowed) and any of the following hold:
 - Bit 1 is set (indicating that data writes are allowed).
 - The processor does not support execute-only translations and either of the following hold:
 - Bit 2 is set (indicating that instruction fetches are allowed).²
 - The “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1 and bit 10 is set (indicating that instruction fetches are allowed from user-mode linear addresses).

Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP to determine whether execute-only translations are supported (see Appendix A.10).

- The “EPT paging-write control” VM-execution control is 1, the entry maps a page, and bit 58 is set (indicating that paging writes are allowed).
- The entry is present (see Section 29.3.2) and of the following holds:

1. If the logical processor is using PAE paging—because CR0.PG = CR4.PAE = 1 and IA32_EFER.LMA = 0—the MOV to CR3 instruction loads the PDPTs from memory using the guest-physical address being loaded into CR3. In this case, therefore, the MOV to CR3 instruction may cause an EPT misconfiguration, an EPT violation, or a page-modification log-full event.

2. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, setting bit 2 indicates that instruction fetches are allowed from supervisor-mode linear addresses.

Table 29-6. Format of an EPT Page-Table Entry that Maps a 4-KByte Page

Bit Position(s)	Contents
0	Read access; indicates whether reads are allowed from the 4-KByte page referenced by this entry
1	Write access; indicates whether writes are allowed to the 4-KByte page referenced by this entry
2	If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, execute access; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from the 4-KByte page controlled by this entry If that control is 1, execute access for supervisor-mode linear addresses; indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from supervisor-mode linear addresses in the 4-KByte page controlled by this entry
5:3	EPT memory type for this 4-KByte page (see Section 29.3.7)
6	Ignore PAT memory type for this 4-KByte page (see Section 29.3.7)
7	Ignored
8	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, accessed flag for EPT; indicates whether software has accessed the 4-KByte page referenced by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
9	If bit 6 of EPTP is 1, dirty flag for EPT; indicates whether software has written to the 4-KByte page referenced by this entry (see Section 29.3.5). Ignored if bit 6 of EPTP is 0
10	Execute access for user-mode linear addresses. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, indicates whether instruction fetches are allowed from user-mode linear addresses in the 4-KByte page controlled by this entry. If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
11	Ignored
(N-1):12	Physical address of the 4-KByte page referenced by this entry ¹
51:N	Reserved (must be 0)
56:52	Ignored
57	Verify guest paging. If the “guest-paging verification” VM-execution control is 1, indicates limits on the guest paging structures used to access the 4-KByte page controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
58	Paging-write access. If the “EPT paging-write control” VM-execution control is 1, indicates that guest paging may update the 4-KByte page controlled by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). If that control is 0, this bit is ignored.
59	Ignored
60	Supervisor shadow stack. If bit 7 of EPTP is 1, indicates whether supervisor shadow stack accesses are allowed to guest-physical addresses in the 4-KByte page mapped by this entry (see Section 29.3.3.2). Ignored if bit 7 of EPTP is 0
61	Sub-page write permissions. If the “sub-page write permissions for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, writes to individual 128-byte regions of the 4-KByte page referenced by this entry may be allowed even if the page would normally not be writable (see Section 29.3.4). If “sub-page write permissions for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, this bit is ignored.
62	Ignored
63	Suppress #VE. If the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 1, EPT violations caused by accesses to this page are convertible to virtualization exceptions only if this bit is 0 (see Section 26.5.7.1). If “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control is 0, this bit is ignored.

NOTES:

1. N is the physical-address width supported by the logical processor.

- A reserved bit is set. This includes the setting of a bit in the range 51:12 that is beyond the logical processor's physical-address width.¹ See Section 29.3.2 for details of which bits are reserved in which EPT paging-structure entries.
- The entry is the last one used to translate a guest physical address (either an EPT PDE with bit 7 set to 1 or an EPT PTE) and the value of bits 5:3 (EPT memory type) is 2, 3, or 7 (these values are reserved).

EPT misconfigurations result when an EPT paging-structure entry is configured with settings reserved for future functionality. Software developers should be aware that such settings may be used in the future and that an EPT paging-structure entry that causes an EPT misconfiguration on one processor might not do so in the future.

29.3.3.2 EPT Violations

An EPT violation may occur during an access using a guest-physical address whose translation does not cause an EPT misconfiguration. An EPT violation occurs in any of the following situations:

- Translation of the guest-physical address encounters an EPT paging-structure entry that is not present (see Section 29.3.2).
- The access is a data read and, for any byte to be read, bit 0 (read access) was clear in any of the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the byte. Reads by the logical processor of guest paging structures to translate a linear address are considered to be data reads.

1. Software can determine a processor's physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.

11. Sub-page write permissions. If the “sub-page write permissions for EPT” VM-execution control is 0, this bit is ignored.

- The access is a data write and, for any byte to be written, bit 1 (write access) was clear in any of the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the byte. Writes by the logical processor to guest paging structures to update accessed and dirty flags are considered to be data writes.

If bit 6 of the EPT pointer (EPTP) is 1 (enabling accessed and dirty flags for EPT), processor accesses to guest paging-structure entries are treated as writes with regard to EPT violations. Thus, if bit 1 is clear in any of the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of a guest paging-structure entry, an attempt to use that entry to translate a linear address causes an EPT violation.

(This does not apply to loads of the PDPTTE registers by the MOV to CR instruction for PAE paging; see Section 4.4.1. Those loads of guest PDPTTEs are treated as reads and do not cause EPT violations due to a guest-physical address not being writable.)

Processor writes to guest paging structures to update accessed and dirty flags are called **paging writes**. (When accessed and dirty flags for EPT are enabled all processor accesses to guest paging structures are considered paging writes.) If the “EPT paging-write control” VM-execution control is 1, clearing the write-access bit in the EPT paging-structure entry that maps a page does not prevent a paging write if bit 58 (paging-write access) in that entry is 1. (EPT paging-structure entries that reference other EPT paging structures do not use bit 58, and it remains the case that they must set the write-access bit for paging writes to be allowed.)

If the “sub-page write permissions for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, data writes to a guest-physical address that would cause an EPT violation (as indicated above) do not do so in certain situations. If the guest-physical address is mapped using a 4-KByte page and bit 61 (sub-page write permissions) of the EPT PTE used to map the page is 1, writes to certain 128-byte sub-pages may be allowed. See Section 29.3.4 for details.
- The access is an instruction fetch and the EPT paging structures prevent execute access to any of the bytes being fetched. Whether this occurs depends upon the setting of the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control:
 - If the control is 0, an instruction fetch from a byte is prevented if bit 2 (execute access) was clear in any of the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the byte.
 - If the control is 1, an instruction fetch from a byte is prevented in either of the following cases:
 - Paging maps the linear address of the byte as a supervisor-mode address and bit 2 (execute access for supervisor-mode linear addresses) was clear in any of the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the byte.

Paging maps a linear address as a supervisor-mode address if the U/S flag (bit 2) is 0 in at least one of the paging-structure entries controlling the translation of the linear address.
 - Paging maps the linear address of the byte as a user-mode address and bit 10 (execute access for user-mode linear addresses) was clear in any of the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the byte.

Paging maps a linear address as a user-mode address if the U/S flag is 1 in all of the paging-structure entries controlling the translation of the linear address. If paging is disabled (CR0.PG = 0), every linear address is a user-mode address.
- If supervisor shadow-stack control is enabled (by setting bit 7 of EPTP), the access is a supervisor shadow-stack access, and the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address of the access disallow supervisor shadow-stack accesses. Such an access is disallowed if any of the following hold:
 - Bit 0 (read access) is clear in any EPT paging-structure entry used to translate the guest-physical address of the access.
 - Bit 1 (write access) is clear in any EPT paging-structure entry that references an EPT paging structure in the translation of the guest-physical address. (Clearing bit 1 in the EPT paging-structure entry that maps the page of the guest-physical address does not disallow shadow-stack reads and writes.)
 - Bit 60 (supervisor-shadow stack access) is clear in the EPT paging-structure entry that maps the page of the guest-physical address.

Supervisor shadow-stack control and the supervisor-shadow stack access bits in EPT paging-structure entries do not affect other accesses (including user shadow-stack accesses).

- If the “guest-paging verification” and “EPT paging-write control” VM-execution controls are both 1, **guest-paging verification** is performed for certain accesses related to translation of a linear address. Specifically, guest-paging verification may apply to an access using a guest-physical address to the guest paging-structure entry that maps a page for the linear address (see Chapter 4, “Paging”). It applies if bit 57 (verify guest paging) is set in the EPT paging-structure entry that maps a page for that guest-physical address. When guest-paging verification occurs, there is an EPT violation if bit 58 (paging-write access) is clear in the EPT paging-structure entry that was used to map a page for the guest-physical address of any guest paging-structure entry that was used during translation of the original linear address.¹ See Section 29.3.3.3 for details regarding the prioritization of such EPT violations relative to any page faults that may occur due to the original reference to the linear address being translated.

29.3.3.3 Prioritization of EPT Misconfigurations and EPT Violations

The translation of a linear address to a physical address requires one or more translations of guest-physical addresses using EPT (see Section 29.3.1). This section specifies the relative priority of EPT-induced VM exits with respect to each other and to other events that may be encountered when accessing memory using a linear address.

For an access to a guest-physical address, determination of whether an EPT misconfiguration or an EPT violation occurs is based on an iterative process:²

1. An EPT paging-structure entry is read (initially, this is an EPT PML4 entry):
 - a. If the entry is not present (see Section 29.3.2), an EPT violation occurs.
 - b. If the entry is present but its contents are not configured properly (see Section 29.3.3.1), an EPT misconfiguration occurs.
 - c. If the entry is present and its contents are configured properly, operation depends on whether the entry references another EPT paging structure (whether it is an EPT PDE with bit 7 set to 1 or an EPT PTE):
 - i) If the entry does reference another EPT paging structure, an entry from that structure is accessed; step 1 is executed for that other entry.
 - ii) Otherwise, the entry is used to produce the ultimate physical address (the translation of the original guest-physical address); step 2 is executed.
2. Once the ultimate physical address is determined, the privileges determined by the EPT paging-structure entries are evaluated:
 - a. If the access to the guest-physical address is not allowed by these privileges (see Section 29.3.3.2), an EPT violation occurs.
 - b. If the access to the guest-physical address is allowed by these privileges, memory is accessed using the ultimate physical address.

If CR0.PG = 1, the translation of a linear address is also an iterative process, with the processor first accessing an entry in the guest paging structure referenced by the guest-physical address in CR3,³ then accessing an entry in another guest paging structure referenced by the guest-physical address in the first guest paging-structure entry, etc. Each guest-physical address is itself translated using EPT and may cause an EPT-induced VM exit. The following items detail how page faults and EPT-induced VM exits are recognized during this iterative process:

1. An attempt is made to access a guest paging-structure entry with a guest-physical address (initially, the address in CR3).
 - a. If the access fails because of an EPT misconfiguration or an EPT violation (see above), an EPT-induced VM exit occurs.

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1. When there is a restart of HLAT paging (see Section 4.5), the guest paging-structure entries used by HLAT paging (prior to the restart) are not relevant to guest-paging verification.
 2. This is a simplification of the more detailed description given in Section 29.3.2.
 3. If PAE paging is in use, the processor instead uses the guest-physical address in the appropriate PDPTTE register. If HLAT paging is enabled, the processor instead uses the HLATP VMCS field. For simplicity, the remainder of this section refers only to CR3.

- b. If the access does not cause an EPT-induced VM exit, the translation continues. If guest-paging verification is enabled (see Section 29.3.3.2), the processor notes whether the EPT paging-structure entry used to map a page for the guest-physical address set bit 58 (paging write). Then, bit 0 (the present flag) of the guest paging-structure entry is consulted:
 - i) If the present flag is 0 or any reserved bit is set, a page fault occurs.
 - ii) If the present flag is 1, no reserved bit is set, operation depends on whether the entry references another guest paging structure (whether it is a guest PDE with PS = 1 or a guest PTE):
 - If the entry does reference another guest paging structure, an entry from that structure is accessed; step 1 is executed for that other entry.
 - Otherwise, the entry is used to produce the ultimate guest-physical address (the translation of the original linear address); step 2 is executed.
2. Once the ultimate guest-physical address is determined, the privileges determined by the guest paging-structure entries are evaluated:
- a. If the access to the linear address is not allowed by these privileges (e.g., it was a write to a read-only page), a page fault occurs.
 - b. If the access to the linear address is allowed by these privileges, an attempt is made to access memory at the ultimate guest-physical address:
 - i) If the access fails because of an EPT misconfiguration or an EPT violation (see above), an EPT-induced VM exit occurs. It is at this point that guest-paging verification occurs (if enabled), using the paging-write bits that were noted at occurrences of step 1b above (see Section 29.3.3.2 for details of guest-paging verification).
 - ii) If the access does not cause an EPT-induced VM exit, memory is accessed using the ultimate physical address (the translation, using EPT, of the ultimate guest-physical address).

If CR0.PG = 0, a linear address is treated as a guest-physical address and is translated using EPT (see above). This process, if it completes without an EPT violation or EPT misconfiguration, produces a physical address and determines the privileges allowed by the EPT paging-structure entries. If these privileges do not allow the access to the physical address (see Section 29.3.3.2), an EPT violation occurs. Otherwise, memory is accessed using the physical address.

29.3.4 Sub-Page Write Permissions

Section 29.3.3.2 explained how EPT enforces the access rights for guest-physical addresses using EPT violations. Since these access rights are determined using the EPT paging-structure entries that are used to translate a guest-physical address, their granularity is limited to that which is used to map pages (1-GByte, 2-MByte, or 4-KByte).

The **sub-page write-permission** feature allows the control of write accesses to guest-physical addresses to be controlled at finer granularity. Sub-page write permissions allow write accesses to be controlled at the granularity of naturally aligned 128-byte **sub-pages**. Specifically, the feature allows writes to selected sub-pages of 4-KByte page that would otherwise not be writable.

Sub-page write permissions are enabled setting the “sub-page write permissions for EPT” VM-execution control to 1. The remainder of this section describes changes to processor operation with this control setting.

Section 29.3.4.1 identifies the data accesses that are eligible for sub-page write permissions. Section 29.3.4.2 explains how the processor determines whether to allow such an access.

29.3.4.1 Write Accesses That Are Eligible for Sub-Page Write Permissions

A guest-physical address is eligible for sub-page write permissions if writes to it would be disallowed following Section 29.3.3.2: bit 1 (write access) is clear in any of the EPT paging-structure entries used to translate the guest-physical address. Guest-physical addresses to which writes would be disallowed for other reasons (e.g., the translation encounters an EPT paging-structure entry that is not present) are not eligible for sub-page write permissions.

In addition, a guest-physical address is eligible for sub-page write permissions only if it is mapped using a 4-KByte page and bit 61 (sub-page write permissions) of the EPT PTE used to map the page is 1. (Guest-physical addresses mapped with larger pages are not eligible for sub-page write permissions.)

For some memory accesses, the processor ignores bit 61 in an EPT PTE used to map a 4-KByte page and does not apply sub-page write permissions to the access. (In such a case, the access causes an EPT violation when indicated by the conditions given in Section 29.3.3.2.) Sub-page write permissions never apply to the following accesses:

- A write access performed within a transactional region.
- A write access by an enclave to an address within the enclave's ELRANGE. (Sub-page write permissions may apply to write accesses by an enclaves to addresses outside its ELRANGE.)
- A write access to the enclave page cache (EPC) by an Intel SGX instruction.
- A write access to a guest paging structure to update an accessed or dirty flag.
- Processor accesses to guest paging-structure entries when accessed and dirty flags for EPT are enabled (such accesses are treated as writes with regard to EPT violations).

There are additional accesses to which sub-page write permissions might not be applied (behavior is model-specific). The following items enumerate examples:

- A write access that crosses two 4-KByte pages. In this case, sub-page permissions may be applied to neither or to only one of the pages. (There is no write to either page unless the write is allowed to both pages.)
- A write access by an instruction that performs multiple write accesses (sub-page write permissions are intended principally for basic instructions such as AND, MOV, OR, TEST, XCHG, and XOR).

If a guest-physical address is eligible for sub-page write permissions, the processor determines whether to allow write to the address using the process described in Section 29.3.4.2.

If a guest-physical address is eligible for sub-page write permissions and that address translates to an address on the APIC-access page (see Section 30.4), the processor may treat a write access to the address as if the “virtualize APIC accesses” VM-execution control were 0. For that reason, it is recommended that software not configure any guest-physical address that translates to an address on the APIC-access page to be eligible for sub-page write permissions.

29.3.4.2 Determining an Access's Sub-Page Write Permission

Sub-page write permissions control write accesses individually to each of the 32 128-byte sub-pages of a 4-KByte page. Bits 11:7 of guest-physical address identify the sub-page.

For each guest-physical address eligible for sub-page write permissions, there is a 64-bit **sub-page permission vector (SPP vector)**. All addresses on a 4-KByte page use the same SPP vector. If an address's sub-page number (bits 11:7 of the address) is *S*, writes to address are allowed if and only if bit 2*S* of the sub-page permission is set to 1. (The bits at odd positions in a SPP vector are not used and must be zero.)

Each page's SPP vector is located in memory. For a write to a guest-physical address eligible for sub-page write permissions, the processor uses the following process to locate the address's SPP vector:

1. The SPPTP (sub-page-permission-table pointer) VM-execution control field contains the physical address of the 4-KByte root SPP table (SSPL4 table). Bits 47:39 of the guest-physical address identify a 64-bit entry in that table, called an SPPL4E.
2. A 4-KByte SPPL3 table is located at the physical address in the selected SPPL4E. Bits 38:30 of the guest-physical address identify a 64-bit entry in that table, called an SPPL3E.
3. A 4-KByte SPPL2 table is located at the physical address in the selected SPPL3E. Bits 29:21 of the guest-physical address identify a 64-bit entry in that table, called an SPPL2E.
4. A 4-KByte SPP-vector table (SSPL1 table) is located at the physical address in the selected SPPL2E. Bits 20:12 of the guest-physical address identify the 64-bit SPP vector for the address. As noted earlier, bit 2*S* of the sub-page permission vector determines whether the address may be written, where *S* is the value of address bits 11:7.

(The memory type used to access these tables is reported in bits 53:50 of the IA32_VMX_BASIC MSR. See Appendix A.1.)

A write access to multiple 128-byte sub-pages on a single 4-KByte page is allowed only if the indicated bit in the page's SPP vector for each of those sub-pages is set to 1. The following items apply to cases in which an access writes to two 4-KByte pages:

- If a write to either page would be disallowed according to [Section 29.3.3.2](#), the access might be disallowed even if the guest-physical address of that page is eligible for sub-page write permissions. (This behavior is model-specific.)
- The access is allowed only if, for each page, either (1) a write to the page would be allowed following [Section 29.3.3.2](#); or (2) both (a) the guest-physical address of that page is eligible for sub-page write permissions; and (b) the page's sub-page vector allows the write (as described above).

Bit 0 of each entry (SPPL4E, SPPL3E, or SPPL2E) is the entry's **valid** bit. If the process above accesses an entry in which this bit is 0, the process stops and the logical processor incurs an **SPP miss**.

In each entry (SPPL4E, SPPL3E, or SPPL2E), bits 11:1 are reserved, as are bits 63:N, where N is the processor's physical-address width. If the process above accesses an entry in which the valid bit is 1 and in which some reserved bit is set, the process stops and the logical processor incurs an **SPP misconfiguration**. Bits in an SPP vector in odd positions are also reserved; an SPP misconfiguration occurs also any of those bits are set in the final SPP vector.

SPP misses and SPP misconfigurations are called **SPP-related events** and cause VM exits.

29.3.5 Accessed and Dirty Flags for EPT

The Intel 64 architecture supports **accessed and dirty flags** in ordinary paging-structure entries (see Section 4.8). Some processors also support corresponding flags in EPT paging-structure entries. Software should read the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP (see Appendix A.10) to determine whether the processor supports this feature.

Software can enable accessed and dirty flags for EPT using bit 6 of the extended-page-table pointer (EPTP), a VM-execution control field (see Table 25-9 in Section 25.6.11). If this bit is 1, the processor will set the accessed and dirty flags for EPT as described below. In addition, setting this flag causes processor accesses to guest paging-structure entries to be treated as writes (see below and Section 29.3.3.2).

For any EPT paging-structure entry that is used during guest-physical-address translation, bit 8 is the accessed flag. For a EPT paging-structure entry that maps a page (as opposed to referencing another EPT paging structure), bit 9 is the dirty flag.

Whenever the processor uses an EPT paging-structure entry as part of guest-physical-address translation, it sets the accessed flag in that entry (if it is not already set).

Whenever there is a write to a guest-physical address, the processor sets the dirty flag (if it is not already set) in the EPT paging-structure entry that identifies the final physical address for the guest-physical address (either an EPT PTE or an EPT paging-structure entry in which bit 7 is 1).

When accessed and dirty flags for EPT are enabled, processor accesses to guest paging-structure entries are treated as writes (see Section 29.3.3.2). Thus, such an access will cause the processor to set the dirty flag in the EPT paging-structure entry that identifies the final physical address of the guest paging-structure entry.

(This does not apply to loads of the PDPT registers for PAE paging by the MOV to CR instruction; see Section 4.4.1. Those loads of guest PDPTs are treated as reads and do not cause the processor to set the dirty flag in any EPT paging-structure entry.)

These flags are "sticky," meaning that, once set, the processor does not clear them; only software can clear them.

A processor may cache information from the EPT paging-structure entries in TLBs and paging-structure caches (see Section 29.4). This fact implies that, if software changes an accessed flag or a dirty flag from 1 to 0, the processor might not set the corresponding bit in memory on a subsequent access using an affected guest-physical address.

29.3.6 Page-Modification Logging

When accessed and dirty flags for EPT are enabled, software can track writes to guest-physical addresses using a feature called **page-modification logging**.

Software can enable page-modification logging by setting the “enable PML” VM-execution control (see Table 25-7 in Section 25.6.2). When this control is 1, the processor adds entries to the **page-modification log** as described below. The page-modification log is a 4-KByte region of memory located at the physical address in the PML address VM-execution control field. The page-modification log consists of 512 64-bit entries; the PML index VM-execution control field indicates the next entry to use.

Before allowing a guest-physical access, the processor may determine that it first needs to set an accessed or dirty flag for EPT (see Section 29.3.5). When this happens, the processor examines the PML index. If the PML index is not in the range 0–511, there is a **page-modification log-full event** and a VM exit occurs. In this case, the accessed or dirty flag is not set, and the guest-physical access that triggered the event does not occur.

If instead the PML index is in the range 0–511, the processor proceeds to update accessed or dirty flags for EPT as described in Section 29.3.5. If the processor updated a dirty flag for EPT (changing it from 0 to 1), it then operates as follows:

1. The guest-physical address of the access is written to the page-modification log. Specifically, the guest-physical address is written to physical address determined by adding 8 times the PML index to the PML address. Bits 11:0 of the value written are always 0 (the guest-physical address written is thus 4-KByte aligned).
2. The PML index is decremented by 1 (this may cause the value to transition from 0 to FFFFH).

Because the processor decrements the PML index with each log entry, the value may transition from 0 to FFFFH. At that point, no further logging will occur, as the processor will determine that the PML index is not in the range 0–511 and will generate a page-modification log-full event (see above).

29.3.7 EPT and Memory Typing

This section specifies how a logical processor determines the memory type use for a memory access while EPT is in use. (See Chapter 12, “Memory Cache Control,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A, for details of memory typing in the Intel 64 architecture.) Section 29.3.7.1 explains how the memory type is determined for accesses to the EPT paging structures. Section 29.3.7.2 explains how the memory type is determined for an access using a guest-physical address that is translated using EPT.

29.3.7.1 Memory Type Used for Accessing EPT Paging Structures

This section explains how the memory type is determined for accesses to the EPT paging structures. The determination is based first on the value of bit 30 (cache disable—CD) in control register CR0:

- If CR0.CD = 0, the memory type used for any such reference is the EPT paging-structure memory type, which is specified in bits 2:0 of the extended-page-table pointer (EPTP), a VM-execution control field (see Section 25.6.11). A value of 0 indicates the uncacheable type (UC), while a value of 6 indicates the write-back type (WB). Other values are reserved.
- If CR0.CD = 1, the memory type used for any such reference is uncacheable (UC).

The MTRRs have no effect on the memory type used for an access to an EPT paging structure.

29.3.7.2 Memory Type Used for Translated Guest-Physical Addresses

The **effective memory type** of a memory access using a guest-physical address (an access that is translated using EPT) is the memory type that is used to access memory. The effective memory type is based on the value of bit 30 (cache disable—CD) in control register CR0; the **last** EPT paging-structure entry used to translate the guest-physical address (either an EPT PDE with bit 7 set to 1 or an EPT PTE); and the PAT memory type (see below):

- The **PAT memory type** depends on the value of CR0.PG:
 - If CR0.PG = 0, the PAT memory type is WB (writeback).¹

- If CR0.PG = 1, the PAT memory type is the memory type selected from the IA32_PAT MSR as specified in Section 12.12.3, “Selecting a Memory Type from the PAT.”¹
- The **EPT memory type** is specified in bits 5:3 of the last EPT paging-structure entry: 0 = UC; 1 = WC; 4 = WT; 5 = WP; and 6 = WB. Other values are reserved and cause EPT misconfigurations (see Section 29.3.3).
- If CR0.CD = 0, the effective memory type depends upon the value of bit 6 of the last EPT paging-structure entry:
 - If the value is 0, the effective memory type is the combination of the EPT memory type and the PAT memory type specified in Table 12-7 in Section 12.5.2.2, using the EPT memory type in place of the MTRR memory type.
 - If the value is 1, the memory type used for the access is the EPT memory type. The PAT memory type is ignored.
- If CR0.CD = 1, the effective memory type is UC.

The MTRRs have no effect on the memory type used for an access to a guest-physical address.

29.4 CACHING TRANSLATION INFORMATION

Processors supporting Intel[®] 64 and IA-32 architectures may accelerate the address-translation process by caching on the processor data from the structures in memory that control that process. Such caching is discussed in Section 4.10, “Caching Translation Information,” in the Intel[®] 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A. The current section describes how this caching interacts with the VMX architecture.

The VPID and EPT features of the architecture for VMX operation augment this caching architecture. EPT defines the guest-physical address space and defines translations to that address space (from the linear-address space) and from that address space (to the physical-address space). Both features control the ways in which a logical processor may create and use information cached from the paging structures.

Section 29.4.1 describes the different kinds of information that may be cached. Section 29.4.2 specifies when such information may be cached and how it may be used. Section 29.4.3 details how software can invalidate cached information.

29.4.1 Information That May Be Cached

Section 4.10, “Caching Translation Information,” in the Intel[®] 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A, identifies two kinds of translation-related information that may be cached by a logical processor: **translations**, which are mappings from linear page numbers to physical page frames, and **paging-structure caches**, which map the upper bits of a linear page number to information from the paging-structure entries used to translate linear addresses matching those upper bits.

The same kinds of information may be cached when VPIDs and EPT are in use. A logical processor may cache and use such information based on its function. Information with different functionality is identified as follows:

- **Linear mappings.**² There are two kinds:
 - Linear translations. Each of these is a mapping from a linear page number to the physical page frame to which it translates, along with information about access privileges and memory typing.

1. If the capability MSR IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0 reports that CR0.PG must be 1 in VMX operation, CR0.PG can be 0 in VMX non-root operation only if the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control and bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls are both 1.

1. Table 12-11 in Section 12.12.3, “Selecting a Memory Type from the PAT,” illustrates how the PAT memory type is selected based on the values of the PAT, PCD, and PWT bits in a page-table entry (or page-directory entry with PS = 1). For accesses to a guest paging-structure entry X, the PAT memory type is selected from the table by using a value of 0 for the PAT bit with the values of PCD and PWT from the paging-structure entry Y that references X (or from CR3 if X is in the root paging structure). With PAE paging, the PAT memory type for accesses to the PDPTes is WB.

2. Earlier versions of this manual used the term “VPID-tagged” to identify linear mappings.

- Linear paging-structure-cache entries. Each of these is a mapping from the upper portion of a linear address to the physical address of the paging structure used to translate the corresponding region of the linear-address space, along with information about access privileges. For example, bits 47:39 of a linear address would map to the address of the relevant page-directory-pointer table.

Linear mappings do not contain information from any EPT paging structure.

- **Guest-physical mappings.**¹ There are two kinds:

- Guest-physical translations. Each of these is a mapping from a guest-physical page number to the physical page frame to which it translates, along with information about access privileges and memory typing.
- Guest-physical paging-structure-cache entries. Each of these is a mapping from the upper portion of a guest-physical address to the physical address of the EPT paging structure used to translate the corresponding region of the guest-physical address space, along with information about access privileges.

The information in guest-physical mappings about access privileges and memory typing is derived from EPT paging structures.

- **Combined mappings.**² There are two kinds:

- Combined translations. Each of these is a mapping from a linear page number to the physical page frame to which it translates, along with information about access privileges and memory typing.
- Combined paging-structure-cache entries. Each of these is a mapping from the upper portion of a linear address to the physical address of the paging structure used to translate the corresponding region of the linear-address space, along with information about access privileges.

The information in combined mappings about access privileges and memory typing is derived from both guest paging structures and EPT paging structures.

Guest-physical mappings and combined mappings may also include SPP vectors and information about the data structures used to locate SPP vectors (see Section 29.3.4.2).

29.4.2 Creating and Using Cached Translation Information

The following items detail the creation of the mappings described in the previous section:³

- The following items describe the creation of mappings while EPT is not in use (including execution outside VMX non-root operation):
 - Linear mappings may be created. They are derived from the paging structures referenced (directly or indirectly) by the current value of CR3 and are associated with the current VPID and the current PCID.
 - No linear mappings are created with information derived from paging-structure entries that are not present (bit 0 is 0) or that set reserved bits. For example, if a PTE is not present, no linear mapping are created for any linear page number whose translation would use that PTE.
 - No guest-physical or combined mappings are created while EPT is not in use.
- The following items describe the creation of mappings while EPT is in use:
 - Guest-physical mappings may be created. They are derived from the EPT paging structures referenced (directly or indirectly) by bits 51:12 of the current EPTP. These 40 bits contain the address of the EPT-PML4-table. (the notation **EP4TA** refers to those 40 bits). Newly created guest-physical mappings are associated with the current EP4TA.
 - Combined mappings may be created. They are derived from the EPT paging structures referenced (directly or indirectly) by the current EP4TA. If CR0.PG = 1, they are also derived from the paging structures referenced (directly or indirectly) by the current value of CR3. They are associated with the current VPID,

1. Earlier versions of this manual used the term “EPTP-tagged” to identify guest-physical mappings.

2. Earlier versions of this manual used the term “dual-tagged” to identify combined mappings.

3. This section associated cached information with the current VPID and PCID. If PCIDs are not supported or are not being used (e.g., because CR4.PCIDE = 0), all the information is implicitly associated with PCID 000H; see Section 4.10.1, “Process-Context Identifiers (PCIDs),” in the Intel[®] 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

the current PCID, and the current EP4TA.¹ No combined paging-structure-cache entries are created if $CRO.PG = 0$.²

- No guest-physical mappings or combined mappings are created with information derived from EPT paging-structure entries that are not present (see Section 29.3.2) or that are misconfigured (see Section 29.3.3.1).
- No combined mappings are created with information derived from guest paging-structure entries that are not present or that set reserved bits.
- No linear mappings are created while EPT is in use.

The following items detail the use of the various mappings:

- If EPT is not in use (e.g., when outside VMX non-root operation), a logical processor may use cached mappings as follows:
 - For accesses using linear addresses, it may use linear mappings associated with the current VPID and the current PCID. It may also use global TLB entries (linear mappings) associated with the current VPID and any PCID.
 - No guest-physical or combined mappings are used while EPT is not in use.
- If EPT is in use, a logical processor may use cached mappings as follows:
 - For accesses using linear addresses, it may use combined mappings associated with the current VPID, the current PCID, and the current EP4TA. It may also use global TLB entries (combined mappings) associated with the current VPID, the current EP4TA, and any PCID.
 - For accesses using guest-physical addresses, it may use guest-physical mappings associated with the current EP4TA.
 - No linear mappings are used while EPT is in use.

29.4.3 Invalidating Cached Translation Information

Software modifications of paging structures (including EPT paging structures and the data structures used to locate SPP vectors) may result in inconsistencies between those structures and the mappings cached by a logical processor. Certain operations invalidate information cached by a logical processor and can be used to eliminate such inconsistencies.

29.4.3.1 Operations that Invalidate Cached Mappings

The following operations invalidate cached mappings as indicated:

- Operations that architecturally invalidate entries in the TLBs or paging-structure caches independent of VMX operation (e.g., the INVLPG and INVPCID instructions) invalidate linear mappings and combined mappings.³ They are required to do so only for the current VPID (but, for combined mappings, all EP4TAs). Linear mappings for the current VPID are invalidated even if EPT is in use.⁴ Combined mappings for the current VPID are invalidated even if EPT is not in use.⁵

1. At any given time, a logical processor may be caching combined mappings for a VPID and a PCID that are associated with different EP4TAs. Similarly, it may be caching combined mappings for an EP4TA that are associated with different VPIDs and PCIDs.
2. If the capability MSR IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0 reports that CRO.PG must be 1 in VMX operation, CRO.PG can be 0 in VMX non-root operation only if the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control and bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls are both 1.
3. See Section 4.10.4, “Invalidation of TLBs and Paging-Structure Caches,” in the Intel[®] 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A, for an enumeration of operations that architecturally invalidate entries in the TLBs and paging-structure caches independent of VMX operation.
4. While no linear mappings are created while EPT is in use, a logical processor may retain, while EPT is in use, linear mappings (for the same VPID as the current one) there were created earlier, when EPT was not in use.
5. While no combined mappings are created while EPT is not in use, a logical processor may retain, while EPT is in not use, combined mappings (for the same VPID as the current one) there were created earlier, when EPT was in use.

- An EPT violation invalidates any guest-physical mappings (associated with the current EP4TA) that would be used to translate the guest-physical address that caused the EPT violation. If that guest-physical address was the translation of a linear address, the EPT violation also invalidates any combined mappings for that linear address associated with the current PCID, the current VPID and the current EP4TA.
- If the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 0, VM entries and VM exits invalidate linear mappings and combined mappings associated with VPID 0000H (for all PCIDs). Combined mappings for VPID 0000H are invalidated for all EP4TAs.
- Execution of the INVVPID instruction invalidates linear mappings and combined mappings. Invalidation is based on instruction operands, called the INVVPID type and the INVVPID descriptor. Four INVVPID types are currently defined:
 - **Individual-address.** If the INVVPID type is 0, the logical processor invalidates linear mappings and combined mappings associated with the VPID specified in the INVVPID descriptor and that would be used to translate the linear address specified in of the INVVPID descriptor. Linear mappings and combined mappings for that VPID and linear address are invalidated for all PCIDs and, for combined mappings, all EP4TAs. (The instruction may also invalidate mappings associated with other VPIDs and for other linear addresses.)
 - **Single-context.** If the INVVPID type is 1, the logical processor invalidates all linear mappings and combined mappings associated with the VPID specified in the INVVPID descriptor. Linear mappings and combined mappings for that VPID are invalidated for all PCIDs and, for combined mappings, all EP4TAs. (The instruction may also invalidate mappings associated with other VPIDs.)
 - **All-context.** If the INVVPID type is 2, the logical processor invalidates linear mappings and combined mappings associated with all VPIDs except VPID 0000H and with all PCIDs. (The instruction may also invalidate linear mappings with VPID 0000H.) Combined mappings are invalidated for all EP4TAs.
 - **Single-context-retaining-globals.** If the INVVPID type is 3, the logical processor invalidates linear mappings and combined mappings associated with the VPID specified in the INVVPID descriptor. Linear mappings and combined mappings for that VPID are invalidated for all PCIDs and, for combined mappings, all EP4TAs. The logical processor is **not** required to invalidate information that was used for **global** translations (although it may do so). See Section 4.10, “Caching Translation Information,” for details regarding global translations. (The instruction may also invalidate mappings associated with other VPIDs.)

See Chapter 31 for details of the INVVPID instruction. See Section 29.4.3.3 for guidelines regarding use of this instruction.

- Execution of the INVEPT instruction invalidates guest-physical mappings and combined mappings. Invalidation is based on instruction operands, called the INVEPT type and the INVEPT descriptor. Two INVEPT types are currently defined:
 - **Single-context.** If the INVEPT type is 1, the logical processor invalidates all guest-physical mappings and combined mappings associated with the EP4TA specified in the INVEPT descriptor. Combined mappings for that EP4TA are invalidated for all VPIDs and all PCIDs. (The instruction may invalidate mappings associated with other EP4TAs.)
 - **All-context.** If the INVEPT type is 2, the logical processor invalidates guest-physical mappings and combined mappings associated with all EP4TAs (and, for combined mappings, for all VPIDs and PCIDs).

See Chapter 31 for details of the INVEPT instruction. See Section 29.4.3.4 for guidelines regarding use of this instruction.

- A power-up or a reset invalidates all linear mappings, guest-physical mappings, and combined mappings.

29.4.3.2 Operations that Need Not Invalidate Cached Mappings

The following items detail cases of operations that are not required to invalidate certain cached mappings:

- Operations that architecturally invalidate entries in the TLBs or paging-structure caches independent of VMX operation are not required to invalidate any guest-physical mappings.
- The INVVPID instruction is not required to invalidate any guest-physical mappings.
- The INVEPT instruction is not required to invalidate any linear mappings.

- VMX transitions are not required to invalidate any guest-physical mappings. If the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 1, VMX transitions are not required to invalidate any linear mappings or combined mappings.
- The VMXOFF and VMXON instructions are not required to invalidate any linear mappings, guest-physical mappings, or combined mappings.

A logical processor may invalidate any cached mappings at any time. For this reason, the operations identified above may invalidate the indicated mappings despite the fact that doing so is not required.

29.4.3.3 Guidelines for Use of the INVVPID Instruction

The need for VMM software to use the INVVPID instruction depends on how that software is virtualizing memory.

If EPT is not in use, it is likely that the VMM is virtualizing the guest paging structures. Such a VMM may configure the VMCS so that all or some of the operations that invalidate entries the TLBs and the paging-structure caches (e.g., the INVLPG instruction) cause VM exits. If VMM software is emulating these operations, it may be necessary to use the INVVPID instruction to ensure that the logical processor’s TLBs and the paging-structure caches are appropriately invalidated.

Requirements of when software should use the INVVPID instruction depend on the specific algorithm being used for page-table virtualization. The following items provide guidelines for software developers:

- Emulation of the INVLPG instruction may require execution of the INVVPID instruction as follows:
 - The INVVPID type is individual-address (0).
 - The VPID in the INVVPID descriptor is the one assigned to the virtual processor whose execution is being emulated.
 - The linear address in the INVVPID descriptor is that of the operand of the INVLPG instruction being emulated.
- Some instructions invalidate all entries in the TLBs and paging-structure caches—except for global translations. An example is the MOV to CR3 instruction. (See Section 4.10, “Caching Translation Information,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A, for details regarding global translations.) Emulation of such an instruction may require execution of the INVVPID instruction as follows:
 - The INVVPID type is single-context-retaining-globals (3).
 - The VPID in the INVVPID descriptor is the one assigned to the virtual processor whose execution is being emulated.
- Some instructions invalidate all entries in the TLBs and paging-structure caches—including for global translations. An example is the MOV to CR4 instruction if the value of value of bit 4 (page global enable—PGE) is changing. Emulation of such an instruction may require execution of the INVVPID instruction as follows:
 - The INVVPID type is single-context (1).
 - The VPID in the INVVPID descriptor is the one assigned to the virtual processor whose execution is being emulated.

If EPT is not in use, the logical processor associates all mappings it creates with the current VPID, and it will use such mappings to translate linear addresses. For that reason, a VMM should not use the same VPID for different non-EPT guests that use different page tables. Doing so may result in one guest using translations that pertain to the other.

If EPT is in use, the instructions enumerated above might not be configured to cause VM exits and the VMM might not be emulating them. In that case, executions of the instructions by guest software properly invalidate the required entries in the TLBs and paging-structure caches (see Section 29.4.3.1); execution of the INVVPID instruction is not required.

If EPT is in use, the logical processor associates all mappings it creates with the value of bits 51:12 of current EPTP. If a VMM uses different EPTP values for different guests, it may use the same VPID for those guests. Doing so cannot result in one guest using translations that pertain to the other.

The following guidelines apply more generally and are appropriate even if EPT is in use:

- As detailed in Section 30.4.5, an access to the APIC-access page might not cause an APIC-access VM exit if software does not properly invalidate information that may be cached from the paging structures. If, at one

time, the current VPID on a logical processor was a non-zero value X, it is recommended that software use the INVVPID instruction with the “single-context” INVVPID type and with VPID X in the INVVPID descriptor before a VM entry on the same logical processor that establishes VPID X and either (a) the “virtualize APIC accesses” VM-execution control was changed from 0 to 1; or (b) the value of the APIC-access address was changed.

- Software can use the INVVPID instruction with the “all-context” INVVPID type immediately after execution of the VMXON instruction or immediately prior to execution of the VMXOFF instruction. Either prevents potentially undesired retention of information cached from paging structures between separate uses of VMX operation.

29.4.3.4 Guidelines for Use of the INVEPT Instruction

The following items provide guidelines for use of the INVEPT instruction to invalidate information cached from the EPT paging structures.

- Software should use the INVEPT instruction with the “single-context” INVEPT type after making any of the following changes to an EPT paging-structure entry (the INVEPT descriptor should contain an EPTP value that references — directly or indirectly — the modified EPT paging structure):
 - Changing any of the privilege bits 2:0 from 1 to 0.¹
 - Changing the physical address in bits 51:12.
 - Clearing bit 8 (the accessed flag) if accessed and dirty flags for EPT will be enabled.
 - For an EPT PDPTTE or an EPT PDE, changing bit 7 (which determines whether the entry maps a page).
 - For the **last** EPT paging-structure entry used to translate a guest-physical address (an EPT PDPTTE with bit 7 set to 1, an EPT PDE with bit 7 set to 1, or an EPT PTE), changing either bits 5:3 or bit 6. (These bits determine the effective memory type of accesses using that EPT paging-structure entry; see Section 29.3.7.)
 - For the **last** EPT paging-structure entry used to translate a guest-physical address (an EPT PDPTTE with bit 7 set to 1, an EPT PDE with bit 7 set to 1, or an EPT PTE), clearing bit 9 (the dirty flag) if accessed and dirty flags for EPT will be enabled.
- Software should use the INVEPT instruction with the “single-context” INVEPT type before a VM entry with an EPTP value X such that $X[6] = 1$ (accessed and dirty flags for EPT are enabled) if the logical processor had earlier been in VMX non-root operation with an EPTP value Y such that $Y[6] = 0$ (accessed and dirty flags for EPT are not enabled) and $Y[51:12] = X[51:12]$.
- Software may use the INVEPT instruction after modifying a present EPT paging-structure entry (see Section 29.3.2) to change any of the privilege bits 2:0 from 0 to 1.² Failure to do so may cause an EPT violation that would not otherwise occur. Because an EPT violation invalidates any mappings that would be used by the access that caused the EPT violation (see Section 29.4.3.1), an EPT violation will not recur if the original access is performed again, even if the INVEPT instruction is not executed.
- Because a logical processor does not cache any information derived from EPT paging-structure entries that are not present (see Section 29.3.2) or misconfigured (see Section 29.3.3.1), it is not necessary to execute INVEPT following modification of an EPT paging-structure entry that had been not present or misconfigured.
- As detailed in Section 30.4.5, an access to the APIC-access page might not cause an APIC-access VM exit if software does not properly invalidate information that may be cached from the EPT paging structures. If EPT was in use on a logical processor at one time with EPTP X, it is recommended that software use the INVEPT instruction with the “single-context” INVEPT type and with EPTP X in the INVEPT descriptor before a VM entry on the same logical processor that enables EPT with EPTP X and either (a) the “virtualize APIC accesses” VM-execution control was changed from 0 to 1; or (b) the value of the APIC-access address was changed.
- Software can use the INVEPT instruction with the “all-context” INVEPT type immediately after execution of the VMXON instruction or immediately prior to execution of the VMXOFF instruction. Either prevents potentially undesired retention of information cached from EPT paging structures between separate uses of VMX operation.

1. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, software should use the INVEPT instruction after changing privilege bit 10 from 1 to 0.

2. If the “mode-based execute control for EPT” VM-execution control is 1, software may use the INVEPT instruction after modifying a present EPT paging-structure entry to change privilege bit 10 from 0 to 1.

In a system containing more than one logical processor, software must account for the fact that information from an EPT paging-structure entry may be cached on logical processors other than the one that modifies that entry. The process of propagating the changes to a paging-structure entry is commonly referred to as “TLB shutdown.” A discussion of TLB shutdown appears in Section 4.10.5, “Propagation of Paging-Structure Changes to Multiple Processors,” in the Intel[®] 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 3A.

15. Updates to Chapter 32, Volume 3C

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Changes to this chapter:

- Update to Section 32.11, "SMBASE Relocation," to remove an inaccurate statement regarding relocating SMRAM.

This chapter describes aspects of IA-64 and IA-32 architecture used in system management mode (SMM).

SMM provides an alternate operating environment that can be used to monitor and manage various system resources for more efficient energy usage, to control system hardware, and/or to run proprietary code. It was introduced into the IA-32 architecture in the Intel386 SL processor (a mobile specialized version of the Intel386 processor). It is also available in the Pentium M, Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, P6 family, and Pentium and Intel486 processors (beginning with the enhanced versions of the Intel486 SL and Intel486 processors).

32.1 SYSTEM MANAGEMENT MODE OVERVIEW

SMM is a special-purpose operating mode provided for handling system-wide functions like power management, system hardware control, or proprietary OEM-designed code. It is intended for use only by system firmware, not by applications software or general-purpose systems software. The main benefit of SMM is that it offers a distinct and easily isolated processor environment that operates transparently to the operating system or executive and software applications.

When SMM is invoked through a system management interrupt (SMI), the processor saves the current state of the processor (the processor's context), then switches to a separate operating environment defined by a new address space. The system management software executive (SMI handler) starts execution in that environment, and the critical code and data of the SMI handler reside in a physical memory region (SMRAM) within that address space. While in SMM, the processor executes SMI handler code to perform operations such as powering down unused disk drives or monitors, executing proprietary code, or placing the whole system in a suspended state. When the SMI handler has completed its operations, it executes a resume (RSM) instruction. This instruction causes the processor to reload the saved context of the processor, switch back to protected or real mode, and resume executing the interrupted application or operating-system program or task.

The following SMM mechanisms make it transparent to applications programs and operating systems:

- The only way to enter SMM is by means of an SMI.
- The processor executes SMM code in a separate address space that can be made inaccessible from the other operating modes.
- Upon entering SMM, the processor saves the context of the interrupted program or task.
- All interrupts normally handled by the operating system are disabled upon entry into SMM.
- The RSM instruction can be executed only in SMM.

Section 32.3 describes transitions into and out of SMM. The execution environment after entering SMM is in real-address mode with paging disabled ($CR0.PE = CR0.PG = 0$). In this initial execution environment, the SMI handler can address up to 4 GBytes of memory and can execute all I/O and system instructions. Section 32.5 describes in detail the initial SMM execution environment for an SMI handler and operation within that environment. The SMI handler may subsequently switch to other operating modes while remaining in SMM.

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Software developers should be aware that, even if a logical processor was using the physical-address extension (PAE) mechanism (introduced in the P6 family processors) or was in IA-32e mode before an SMI, this will not be the case after the SMI is delivered. This is because delivery of an SMI disables paging (see Table 32-4). (This does not apply if the dual-monitor treatment of SMIs and SMM is active; see Section 32.15.)

32.1.1 System Management Mode and VMX Operation

Traditionally, SMM services system management interrupts and then resumes program execution (back to the software stack consisting of executive and application software; see Section 32.2 through Section 32.13).

A virtual machine monitor (VMM) using VMX can act as a host to multiple virtual machines and each virtual machine can support its own software stack of executive and application software. On processors that support VMX, virtual-machine extensions may use system-management interrupts (SMIs) and system-management mode (SMM) in one of two ways:

- **Default treatment.** System firmware handles SMIs. The processor saves architectural states and critical states relevant to VMX operation upon entering SMM. When the firmware completes servicing SMIs, it uses RSM to resume VMX operation.
- **Dual-monitor treatment.** Two VM monitors collaborate to control the servicing of SMIs: one VMM operates outside of SMM to provide basic virtualization in support for guests; the other VMM operates inside SMM (while in VMX operation) to support system-management functions. The former is referred to as **executive monitor**, the latter **SMM-transfer monitor (STM)**.¹

The default treatment is described in Section 32.14, "Default Treatment of SMIs and SMM with VMX Operation and SMX Operation." Dual-monitor treatment of SMM is described in Section 32.15, "Dual-Monitor Treatment of SMIs and SMM."

32.2 SYSTEM MANAGEMENT INTERRUPT (SMI)

The only way to enter SMM is by signaling an SMI through the SMI# pin on the processor or through an SMI message received through the APIC bus. The SMI is a nonmaskable external interrupt that operates independently from the processor's interrupt- and exception-handling mechanism and the local APIC. The SMI takes precedence over an NMI and a maskable interrupt. SMM is non-reentrant; that is, the SMI is disabled while the processor is in SMM.

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In the Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, and P6 family processors, when a processor that is designated as an application processor during an MP initialization sequence is waiting for a startup IPI (SIPI), it is in a mode where SMIs are masked. However if a SMI is received while an application processor is in the wait for SIPI mode, the SMI will be pended. The processor then responds on receipt of a SIPI by immediately servicing the pended SMI and going into SMM before handling the SIPI.

An SMI may be blocked for one instruction following execution of STI, MOV to SS, or POP into SS.

32.3 SWITCHING BETWEEN SMM AND THE OTHER PROCESSOR OPERATING MODES

Figure 2-3 shows how the processor moves between SMM and the other processor operating modes (protected, real-address, and virtual-8086). Signaling an SMI while the processor is in real-address, protected, or virtual-8086 modes always causes the processor to switch to SMM. Upon execution of the RSM instruction, the processor always returns to the mode it was in when the SMI occurred.

32.3.1 Entering SMM

The processor always handles an SMI on an architecturally defined "interruptible" point in program execution (which is commonly at an IA-32 architecture instruction boundary). When the processor receives an SMI, it waits for all instructions to retire and for all stores to complete. The processor then saves its current context in SMRAM (see Section 32.4), enters SMM, and begins to execute the SMI handler.

1. The dual-monitor treatment may not be supported by all processors. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1) to determine whether it is supported.

Upon entering SMM, the processor signals external hardware that SMI handling has begun. The signaling mechanism used is implementation dependent. For the P6 family processors, an SMI acknowledge transaction is generated on the system bus and the multiplexed status signal EXF4 is asserted each time a bus transaction is generated while the processor is in SMM. For the Pentium and Intel486 processors, the SMIACK# pin is asserted.

An SMI has a greater priority than debug exceptions and external interrupts. Thus, if an NMI, maskable hardware interrupt, or a debug exception occurs at an instruction boundary along with an SMI, only the SMI is handled. Subsequent SMI requests are not acknowledged while the processor is in SMM. The first SMI interrupt request that occurs while the processor is in SMM (that is, after SMM has been acknowledged to external hardware) is latched and serviced when the processor exits SMM with the RSM instruction. The processor will latch only one SMI while in SMM.

See Section 32.5 for a detailed description of the execution environment when in SMM.

32.3.2 Exiting From SMM

The only way to exit SMM is to execute the RSM instruction. The RSM instruction is only available to the SMI handler; if the processor is not in SMM, attempts to execute the RSM instruction result in an invalid-opcode exception (#UD) being generated.

The RSM instruction restores the processor's context by loading the state save image from SMRAM back into the processor's registers. The processor then returns an SMIACK transaction on the system bus and returns program control back to the interrupted program.

NOTE

On processors that support the shadow-stack feature, RSM loads the SSP register from the state save image in SMRAM (see Table 32-3). The value is made canonical by sign-extension before loading it into SSP.

Upon successful completion of the RSM instruction, the processor signals external hardware that SMM has been exited. For the P6 family processors, an SMI acknowledge transaction is generated on the system bus and the multiplexed status signal EXF4 is no longer generated on bus cycles. For the Pentium and Intel486 processors, the SMIACK# pin is deserted.

If the processor detects invalid state information saved in the SMRAM, it enters the shutdown state and generates a special bus cycle to indicate it has entered shutdown state. Shutdown happens only in the following situations:

- A reserved bit in control register CR4 is set to 1 on a write to CR4. This error should not happen unless SMI handler code modifies reserved areas of the SMRAM saved state map (see Section 32.4.1). CR4 is saved in the state map in a reserved location and cannot be read or modified in its saved state.
- An illegal combination of bits is written to control register CR0, in particular PG set to 1 and PE set to 0, or NW set to 1 and CD set to 0.
- CR4.PCIDE would be set to 1 and IA32_EFER.LMA to 0.
- (For the Pentium and Intel486 processors only.) If the address stored in the SMBASE register when an RSM instruction is executed is not aligned on a 32-KByte boundary. This restriction does not apply to the P6 family processors.
- CR4.CET would be set to 1 and CR0.WP to 0.

In the shutdown state, Intel processors stop executing instructions until a RESET#, INIT# or NMI# is asserted. While Pentium family processors recognize the SMI# signal in shutdown state, P6 family and Intel486 processors do not. Intel does not support using SMI# to recover from shutdown states for any processor family; the response of processors in this circumstance is not well defined. On Pentium 4 and later processors, shutdown will inhibit INTR and A20M but will not change any of the other inhibits. On these processors, NMIs will be inhibited if no action is taken in the SMI handler to uninhibit them (see Section 32.8).

If the processor is in the HALT state when the SMI is received, the processor handles the return from SMM slightly differently (see Section 32.10). Also, the SMBASE address can be changed on a return from SMM (see Section 32.11).

32.4 SMRAM

Upon entering SMM, the processor switches to a new address space. Because paging is disabled upon entering SMM, this initial address space maps all memory accesses to the low 4 GBytes of the processor's physical address space. The SMI handler's critical code and data reside in a memory region referred to as system-management RAM (SMRAM). The processor uses a pre-defined region within SMRAM to save the processor's pre-SMI context. SMRAM can also be used to store system management information (such as the system configuration and specific information about powered-down devices) and OEM-specific information.

The default SMRAM size is 64 KBytes beginning at a base physical address in physical memory called the SMBASE (see Figure 32-1). The SMBASE default value following a hardware reset is 30000H. The processor looks for the first instruction of the SMI handler at the address [SMBASE + 8000H]. It stores the processor's state in the area from [SMBASE + FE00H] to [SMBASE + FFFFH]. See Section 32.4.1 for a description of the mapping of the state save area.

The system logic is minimally required to decode the physical address range for the SMRAM from [SMBASE + 8000H] to [SMBASE + FFFFH]. A larger area can be decoded if needed. The size of this SMRAM can be between 32 KBytes and 4 GBytes.

The location of the SMRAM can be changed by changing the SMBASE value (see Section 32.11). It should be noted that all processors in a multiple-processor system are initialized with the same SMBASE value (30000H). Initialization software must sequentially place each processor in SMM and change its SMBASE so that it does not overlap those of other processors.

The actual physical location of the SMRAM can be in system memory or in a separate RAM memory. The processor generates an SMI acknowledge transaction (P6 family processors) or asserts the SMIACK# pin (Pentium and Intel486 processors) when the processor receives an SMI (see Section 32.3.1).

System logic can use the SMI acknowledge transaction or the assertion of the SMIACK# pin to decode accesses to the SMRAM and redirect them (if desired) to specific SMRAM memory. If a separate RAM memory is used for SMRAM, system logic should provide a programmable method of mapping the SMRAM into system memory space when the processor is not in SMM. This mechanism will enable start-up procedures to initialize the SMRAM space (that is, load the SMI handler) before executing the SMI handler during SMM.

32.4.1 SMRAM State Save Map

When an IA-32 processor that does not support Intel 64 architecture initially enters SMM, it writes its state to the state save area of the SMRAM. The state save area begins at [SMBASE + 8000H + 7FFFH] and extends down to [SMBASE + 8000H + 7E00H]. Table 32-1 shows the state save map. The offset in column 1 is relative to the SMBASE value plus 8000H. Reserved spaces should not be used by software.

Some of the registers in the SMRAM state save area (marked YES in column 3) may be read and changed by the SMI handler, with the changed values restored to the processor registers by the RSM instruction. Some register images are read-only, and must not be modified (modifying these registers will result in unpredictable behavior). An SMI handler should not rely on any values stored in an area that is marked as reserved.

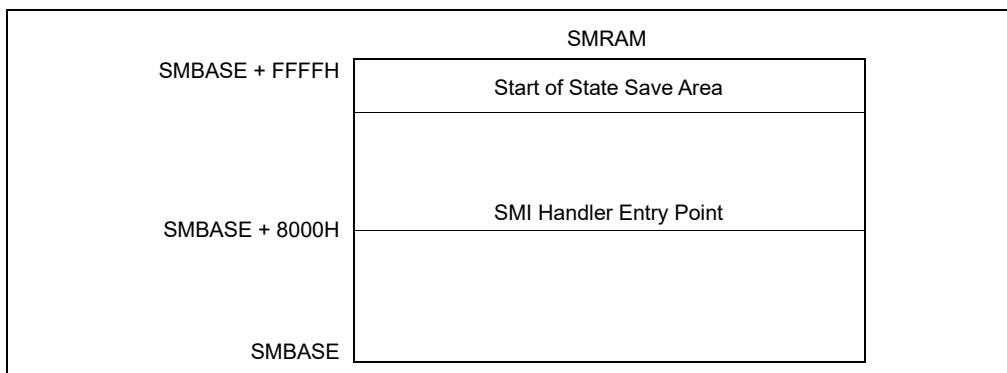


Figure 32-1. SMRAM Usage

Table 32-1. SMRAM State Save Map

Offset (Added to SMBASE + 8000H)	Register	Writable?
7FFCH	CR0	No
7FF8H	CR3	No
7FF4H	EFLAGS	Yes
7FF0H	EIP	Yes
7FECH	EDI	Yes
7FE8H	ESI	Yes
7FE4H	EBP	Yes
7FE0H	ESP	Yes
7FDCH	EBX	Yes
7FD8H	EDX	Yes
7FD4H	ECX	Yes
7FD0H	EAX	Yes
7FCCH	DR6	No
7FC8H	DR7	No
7FC4H	TR ¹	No
7FC0H	Reserved	No
7FBCH	GS ¹	No
7FB8H	FS ¹	No
7FB4H	DS ¹	No
7FB0H	SS ¹	No
7FACH	CS ¹	No
7FA8H	ES ¹	No
7FA4H	I/O State Field, see Section 32.7	No
7FA0H	I/O Memory Address Field, see Section 32.7	No
7F9FH-7F03H	Reserved	No
7F02H	Auto HALT Restart Field (Word)	Yes
7F00H	I/O Instruction Restart Field (Word)	Yes
7EFCH	SMM Revision Identifier Field (Doubleword)	No
7EF8H	SMBASE Field (Doubleword)	Yes
7EF7H - 7E00H	Reserved	No

NOTE:

1. The two most significant bytes are reserved.

The following registers are saved (but not readable) and restored upon exiting SMM:

- Control register CR4. (This register is cleared to all 0s when entering SMM).
- The hidden segment descriptor information stored in segment registers CS, DS, ES, FS, GS, and SS.

If an SMI request is issued for the purpose of powering down the processor, the values of all reserved locations in the SMM state save must be saved to nonvolatile memory.

The following state is not automatically saved and restored following an SMI and the RSM instruction, respectively:

- Debug registers DR0 through DR3.
- The x87 FPU registers.
- The MTRRs.
- Control register CR2.
- The model-specific registers (for the P6 family and Pentium processors) or test registers TR3 through TR7 (for the Pentium and Intel486 processors).
- The state of the trap controller.
- The machine-check architecture registers.
- The APIC internal interrupt state (ISR, IRR, etc.).
- The microcode update state.

If an SMI is used to power down the processor, a power-on reset will be required before returning to SMM, which will reset much of this state back to its default values. So an SMI handler that is going to trigger power down should first read these registers listed above directly, and save them (along with the rest of RAM) to nonvolatile storage. After the power-on reset, the continuation of the SMI handler should restore these values, along with the rest of the system's state. Anytime the SMI handler changes these registers in the processor, it must also save and restore them.

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A small subset of the MSRs (such as, the time-stamp counter and performance-monitoring counters) are not arbitrarily writable and therefore cannot be saved and restored. SMM-based power-down and restoration should only be performed with operating systems that do not use or rely on the values of these registers.

Operating system developers should be aware of this fact and ensure that their operating-system assisted power-down and restoration software is immune to unexpected changes in these register values.

32.4.1.1 SMRAM State Save Map and Intel 64 Architecture

When the processor initially enters SMM, it writes its state to the state save area of the SMRAM. The state save area on an Intel 64 processor at [SMBASE + 8000H + 7FFFH] and extends to [SMBASE + 8000H + 7C00H].

Support for Intel 64 architecture is reported by CPUID.80000001:EDX[29] = 1. The layout of the SMRAM state save map is shown in Table 32-3.

Additionally, the SMRAM state save map shown in Table 32-3 also applies to processors with the following CPUID signatures listed in Table 32-2, irrespective of the value in CPUID.80000001:EDX[29].

Table 32-2. Processor Signatures and 64-bit SMRAM State Save Map Format

DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Processor Families/Processor Number Series
06_17H	Intel Xeon Processor 5200, 5400 series, Intel Core 2 Quad processor Q9xxx, Intel Core 2 Duo processors E8000, T9000,
06_0FH	Intel Xeon Processor 3000, 3200, 5100, 5300, 7300 series, Intel Core 2 Quad, Intel Core 2 Extreme, Intel Core 2 Duo processors, Intel Pentium dual-core processors
06_1CH	45 nm Intel Atom® processors

Table 32-3. SMRAM State Save Map for Intel 64 Architecture

Offset (Added to SMBASE + 8000H)	Register	Writable?
7FF8H	CR0	No
7FF0H	CR3	No
7FE8H	RFLAGS	Yes
7FE0H	IA32_EFER	Yes
7FD8H	RIP	Yes
7FD0H	DR6	No
7FC8H	DR7	No
7FC4H	TR SEL ¹	No
7FC0H	LDTR SEL ¹	No
7FBCH	GS SEL ¹	No
7FB8H	FS SEL ¹	No
7FB4H	DS SEL ¹	No
7FB0H	SS SEL ¹	No
7FACH	CS SEL ¹	No
7FA8H	ES SEL ¹	No
7FA4H	IO_MISC	No
7F9CH	IO_MEM_ADDR	No
7F94H	RDI	Yes
7F8CH	RSI	Yes
7F84H	RBP	Yes
7F7CH	RSP	Yes
7F74H	RBX	Yes
7F6CH	RDX	Yes
7F64H	RCX	Yes
7F5CH	RAX	Yes
7F54H	R8	Yes
7F4CH	R9	Yes
7F44H	R10	Yes
7F3CH	R11	Yes
7F34H	R12	Yes
7F2CH	R13	Yes
7F24H	R14	Yes
7F1CH	R15	Yes
7F1BH-7F04H	Reserved	No
7F02H	Auto HALT Restart Field (Word)	Yes
7F00H	I/O Instruction Restart Field (Word)	Yes
7EFCH	SMM Revision Identifier Field (Doubleword)	No
7EF8H	SMBASE Field (Doubleword)	Yes

Table 32-3. SMRAM State Save Map for Intel 64 Architecture (Contd.)

Offset (Added to SMBASE + 8000H)	Register	Writable?
7EF7H - 7EE4H	Reserved	No
7EE0H	Setting of "enable EPT" VM-execution control	No
7ED8H	Value of EPTP VM-execution control field	No
7ED7H - 7ECC0H	Reserved	No
7EC8H	SSP	Yes
7EC7H - 7EA0H	Reserved	No
7E9CH	LDT Base (lower 32 bits)	No
7E98H	Reserved	No
7E94H	IDT Base (lower 32 bits)	No
7E90H	Reserved	No
7E8CH	GDT Base (lower 32 bits)	No
7E8BH - 7E48H	Reserved	No
7E40H	CR4 (64 bits)	No
7E3FH - 7DF0H	Reserved	No
7DE8H	IO_RIP	Yes
7DE7H - 7DDCH	Reserved	No
7DD8H	IDT Base (Upper 32 bits)	No
7DD4H	LDT Base (Upper 32 bits)	No
7DD0H	GDT Base (Upper 32 bits)	No
7DCFH - 7C00H	Reserved	No

NOTE:

1. The two most significant bytes are reserved.

32.4.2 SMRAM Caching

An IA-32 processor does not automatically write back and invalidate its caches before entering SMM or before exiting SMM. Because of this behavior, care must be taken in the placement of the SMRAM in system memory and in the caching of the SMRAM to prevent cache incoherence when switching back and forth between SMM and protected mode operation. Any of the following three methods of locating the SMRAM in system memory will guarantee cache coherency.

- Place the SMRAM in a dedicated section of system memory that the operating system and applications are prevented from accessing. Here, the SMRAM can be designated as cacheable (WB, WT, or WC) for optimum processor performance, without risking cache incoherence when entering or exiting SMM.
- Place the SMRAM in a section of memory that overlaps an area used by the operating system (such as the video memory), but designate the SMRAM as uncacheable (UC). This method prevents cache access when in SMM to maintain cache coherency, but the use of uncacheable memory reduces the performance of SMM code.
- Place the SMRAM in a section of system memory that overlaps an area used by the operating system and/or application code, but explicitly flush (write back and invalidate) the caches upon entering and exiting SMM mode. This method maintains cache coherency, but incurs the overhead of two complete cache flushes.

For Pentium 4, Intel Xeon, and P6 family processors, a combination of the first two methods of locating the SMRAM is recommended. Here the SMRAM is split between an overlapping and a dedicated region of memory. Upon entering SMM, the SMRAM space that is accessed overlaps video memory (typically located in low memory). This SMRAM section is designated as UC memory. The initial SMM code then jumps to a second SMRAM section that is

located in a dedicated region of system memory (typically in high memory). This SMRAM section can be cached for optimum processor performance.

For systems that explicitly flush the caches upon entering SMM (the third method described above), the cache flush can be accomplished by asserting the FLUSH# pin at the same time as the request to enter SMM (generally initiated by asserting the SMI# pin). The priorities of the FLUSH# and SMI# pins are such that the FLUSH# is serviced first. To guarantee this behavior, the processor requires that the following constraints on the interaction of FLUSH# and SMI# be met. In a system where the FLUSH# and SMI# pins are synchronous and the set up and hold times are met, then the FLUSH# and SMI# pins may be asserted in the same clock. In asynchronous systems, the FLUSH# pin must be asserted at least one clock before the SMI# pin to guarantee that the FLUSH# pin is serviced first.

Upon leaving SMM (for systems that explicitly flush the caches), the WBINVD instruction should be executed prior to leaving SMM to flush the caches.

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In systems based on the Pentium processor that use the FLUSH# pin to write back and invalidate cache contents before entering SMM, the processor will prefetch at least one cache line in between when the Flush Acknowledge cycle is run and the subsequent recognition of SMI# and the assertion of SMIACK#.

It is the obligation of the system to ensure that these lines are not cached by returning KEN# inactive to the Pentium processor.

32.4.2.1 System Management Range Registers (SMRR)

SMI handler code and data stored by SMM code resides in SMRAM. The SMRR interface is an enhancement in Intel 64 architecture to limit cacheable reference of addresses in SMRAM to code running in SMM. The SMRR interface can be configured only by code running in SMM. Details of SMRR is described in Section 12.11.2.4.

32.5 SMI HANDLER EXECUTION ENVIRONMENT

Section 32.5.1 describes the initial execution environment for an SMI handler. An SMI handler may re-configure its execution environment to other supported operating modes. Section 32.5.2 discusses modifications an SMI handler can make to its execution environment. Section 32.5.3 discusses Control-flow Enforcement Technology (CET) interactions in the environment.

32.5.1 Initial SMM Execution Environment

After saving the current context of the processor, the processor initializes its core registers to the values shown in Table 32-4. Upon entering SMM, the PE and PG flags in control register CR0 are cleared, which places the processor in an environment similar to real-address mode. The differences between the SMM execution environment and the real-address mode execution environment are as follows:

- The addressable address space ranges from 0 to FFFFFFFFH (4 GBytes).
- The normal 64-KByte segment limit for real-address mode is increased to 4 GBytes.
- The default operand and address sizes are set to 16 bits, which restricts the addressable SMRAM address space to the 1-MByte real-address mode limit for native real-address-mode code. However, operand-size and address-size override prefixes can be used to access the address space beyond the 1-MByte.

Table 32-4. Processor Register Initialization in SMM

Register	Contents
General-purpose registers	Undefined
EFLAGS	00000002H
EIP	00008000H
CS selector	SMM Base shifted right 4 bits (default 3000H)

Table 32-4. Processor Register Initialization in SMM

CS base	SMM Base (default 30000H)
DS, ES, FS, GS, SS Selectors	0000H
DS, ES, FS, GS, SS Bases	000000000H
DS, ES, FS, GS, SS Limits	0FFFFFFFFH
CR0	PE, EM, TS, and PG flags set to 0; others unmodified
CR4	Cleared to zero
DR6	Undefined
DR7	00000400H

- Near jumps and calls can be made to anywhere in the 4-GByte address space if a 32-bit operand-size override prefix is used. Due to the real-address-mode style of base-address formation, a far call or jump cannot transfer control to a segment with a base address of more than 20 bits (1 MByte). However, since the segment limit in SMM is 4 GBytes, offsets into a segment that go beyond the 1-MByte limit are allowed when using 32-bit operand-size override prefixes. Any program control transfer that does not have a 32-bit operand-size override prefix truncates the EIP value to the 16 low-order bits.
- Data and the stack can be located anywhere in the 4-GByte address space, but can be accessed only with a 32-bit address-size override if they are located above 1 MByte. As with the code segment, the base address for a data or stack segment cannot be more than 20 bits.

The value in segment register CS is automatically set to the default of 30000H for the SMBASE shifted 4 bits to the right; that is, 3000H. The EIP register is set to 8000H. When the EIP value is added to shifted CS value (the SMBASE), the resulting linear address points to the first instruction of the SMI handler.

The other segment registers (DS, SS, ES, FS, and GS) are cleared to 0 and their segment limits are set to 4 GBytes. In this state, the SMRAM address space may be treated as a single flat 4-GByte linear address space. If a segment register is loaded with a 16-bit value, that value is then shifted left by 4 bits and loaded into the segment base (hidden part of the segment register). The limits and attributes are not modified.

Maskable hardware interrupts, exceptions, NMI interrupts, SMI interrupts, A20M interrupts, single-step traps, breakpoint traps, and INIT operations are inhibited when the processor enters SMM. Maskable hardware interrupts, exceptions, single-step traps, and breakpoint traps can be enabled in SMM if the SMM execution environment provides and initializes an interrupt table and the necessary interrupt and exception handlers (see Section 32.6).

32.5.2 SMI Handler Operating Mode Switching

Within SMM, an SMI handler may change the processor's operating mode (e.g., to enable PAE paging, enter 64-bit mode, etc.) after it has made proper preparation and initialization to do so. For example, if switching to 32-bit protected mode, the SMI handler should follow the guidelines provided in Chapter 10, "Processor Management and Initialization." If the SMI handler does wish to change operating mode, it is responsible for executing the appropriate mode-transition code after each SMI.

It is recommended that the SMI handler make use of all means available to protect the integrity of its critical code and data. In particular, it should use the system-management range register (SMRR) interface if it is available (see Section 11.11.2.4). The SMRR interface can protect only the first 4 GBytes of the physical address space. The SMI handler should take that fact into account if it uses operating modes that allow access to physical addresses beyond that 4-GByte limit (e.g., PAE paging or 64-bit mode).

Execution of the RSM instruction restores the pre-SMI processor state from the SMRAM state-state map (see Section 32.4.1) into which it was stored when the processor entered SMM. (The SMBASE field in the SMRAM state-state map does not determine the state following RSM but rather the initial environment following the next entry to SMM.) Any required change to operating mode is performed by the RSM instruction; there is no need for the SMI handler to change modes explicitly prior to executing RSM.

32.5.3 Control-flow Enforcement Technology Interactions

On processors that support CET shadow stacks, when the processor enters SMM, the processor saves the SSP register to the SMRAM state save area (see Table 32-3) and clears CR4.CET to 0. Thus, the initial execution environment of the SMI handler has CET disabled and all of the CET state of the interrupted program is still in the machine. An SMM that uses CET is required to save the interrupted program's CET state and restore the CET state prior to exiting SMM.

32.6 EXCEPTIONS AND INTERRUPTS WITHIN SMM

When the processor enters SMM, all hardware interrupts are disabled in the following manner:

- The IF flag in the EFLAGS register is cleared, which inhibits maskable hardware interrupts from being generated.
- The TF flag in the EFLAGS register is cleared, which disables single-step traps.
- Debug register DR7 is cleared, which disables breakpoint traps. (This action prevents a debugger from accidentally breaking into an SMI handler if a debug breakpoint is set in normal address space that overlays code or data in SMRAM.)
- NMI, SMI, and A20M interrupts are blocked by internal SMM logic. (See Section 32.8 for more information about how NMIs are handled in SMM.)

Software-invoked interrupts and exceptions can still occur, and maskable hardware interrupts can be enabled by setting the IF flag. Intel recommends that SMM code be written in so that it does not invoke software interrupts (with the INT *n*, INTO, INT1, INT3, or BOUND instructions) or generate exceptions.

If the SMI handler requires interrupt and exception handling, an SMM interrupt table and the necessary exception and interrupt handlers must be created and initialized from within SMM. Until the interrupt table is correctly initialized (using the LIDT instruction), exceptions and software interrupts will result in unpredictable processor behavior.

The following restrictions apply when designing SMM interrupt and exception-handling facilities:

- The interrupt table should be located at linear address 0 and must contain real-address mode style interrupt vectors (4 bytes containing CS and IP).
- Due to the real-address mode style of base address formation, an interrupt or exception cannot transfer control to a segment with a base address of more than 20 bits.
- An interrupt or exception cannot transfer control to a segment offset of more than 16 bits (64 KBytes).
- When an exception or interrupt occurs, only the 16 least-significant bits of the return address (EIP) are pushed onto the stack. If the offset of the interrupted procedure is greater than 64 KBytes, it is not possible for the interrupt/exception handler to return control to that procedure. (One solution to this problem is for a handler to adjust the return address on the stack.)
- The SMBASE relocation feature affects the way the processor will return from an interrupt or exception generated while the SMI handler is executing. For example, if the SMBASE is relocated to above 1 MByte, but the exception handlers are below 1 MByte, a normal return to the SMI handler is not possible. One solution is to provide the exception handler with a mechanism for calculating a return address above 1 MByte from the 16-bit return address on the stack, then use a 32-bit far call to return to the interrupted procedure.
- If an SMI handler needs access to the debug trap facilities, it must ensure that an SMM accessible debug handler is available and save the current contents of debug registers DR0 through DR3 (for later restoration). Debug registers DR0 through DR3 and DR7 must then be initialized with the appropriate values.
- If an SMI handler needs access to the single-step mechanism, it must ensure that an SMM accessible single-step handler is available, and then set the TF flag in the EFLAGS register.
- If the SMI design requires the processor to respond to maskable hardware interrupts or software-generated interrupts while in SMM, it must ensure that SMM accessible interrupt handlers are available and then set the IF flag in the EFLAGS register (using the STI instruction). Software interrupts are not blocked upon entry to SMM, so they do not need to be enabled.

32.7 MANAGING SYNCHRONOUS AND ASYNCHRONOUS SYSTEM MANAGEMENT INTERRUPTS

When coding for a multiprocessor system or a system with Intel HT Technology, it was not always possible for an SMI handler to distinguish between a synchronous SMI (triggered during an I/O instruction) and an asynchronous SMI. To facilitate the discrimination of these two events, incremental state information has been added to the SMM state save map.

Processors that have an SMM revision ID of 30004H or higher have the incremental state information described below.

32.7.1 I/O State Implementation

Within the extended SMM state save map, a bit (IO_SMI) is provided that is set only when an SMI is either taken immediately after a *successful* I/O instruction or is taken after a *successful* iteration of a REP I/O instruction (the *successful* notion pertains to the processor point of view; not necessarily to the corresponding platform function). When set, the IO_SMI bit provides a strong indication that the corresponding SMI was synchronous. In this case, the SMM State Save Map also supplies the port address of the I/O operation. The IO_SMI bit and the I/O Port Address may be used in conjunction with the information logged by the platform to confirm that the SMI was indeed synchronous.

The IO_SMI bit by itself is a strong indication, not a guarantee, that the SMI is synchronous. This is because an asynchronous SMI might coincidentally be taken after an I/O instruction. In such a case, the IO_SMI bit would still be set in the SMM state save map.

Information characterizing the I/O instruction is saved in two locations in the SMM State Save Map (Table 32-5). The IO_SMI bit also serves as a valid bit for the rest of the I/O information fields. The contents of these I/O information fields are not defined when the IO_SMI bit is not set.

Table 32-5. I/O Instruction Information in the SMM State Save Map

State (SMM Rev. ID: 30004H or higher)	Format								
	31	16	15	8	7	4	3	1	0
I/O State Field SMRAM offset 7FA4		I/O Port	Reserved		I/O Type		I/O Length		IO_SMI
	31								0
I/O Memory Address Field SMRAM offset 7FA0	I/O Memory Address								

When IO_SMI is set, the other fields may be interpreted as follows:

- I/O length:
 - 001 – Byte
 - 010 – Word
 - 100 – Dword
- I/O instruction type (Table 32-6)

Table 32-6. I/O Instruction Type Encodings

Instruction	Encoding
IN Immediate	1001
IN DX	0001
OUT Immediate	1000

Table 32-6. I/O Instruction Type Encodings (Contd.)

Instruction	Encoding
OUT DX	0000
INS	0011
OUTS	0010
REP INS	0111
REP OUTS	0110

32.8 NMI HANDLING WHILE IN SMM

NMI interrupts are blocked upon entry to the SMI handler. If an NMI request occurs during the SMI handler, it is latched and serviced after the processor exits SMM. Only one NMI request will be latched during the SMI handler. If an NMI request is pending when the processor executes the RSM instruction, the NMI is serviced before the next instruction of the interrupted code sequence. This assumes that NMIs were not blocked before the SMI occurred. If NMIs were blocked before the SMI occurred, they are blocked after execution of RSM.

Although NMI requests are blocked when the processor enters SMM, they may be enabled through software by executing an IRET instruction. If the SMI handler requires the use of NMI interrupts, it should invoke a dummy interrupt service routine for the purpose of executing an IRET instruction. Once an IRET instruction is executed, NMI interrupt requests are serviced in the same "real mode" manner in which they are handled outside of SMM.

Also, for the Pentium processor, exceptions that invoke a trap or fault handler will enable NMI interrupts from inside of SMM. This behavior is implementation specific for the Pentium processor and is not part of the IA-32 architecture.

32.9 SMM REVISION IDENTIFIER

The SMM revision identifier field is used to indicate the version of SMM and the SMM extensions that are supported by the processor (see Figure 32-2). The SMM revision identifier is written during SMM entry and can be examined in SMRAM space at offset 7EFCH. The lower word of the SMM revision identifier refers to the version of the base SMM architecture.

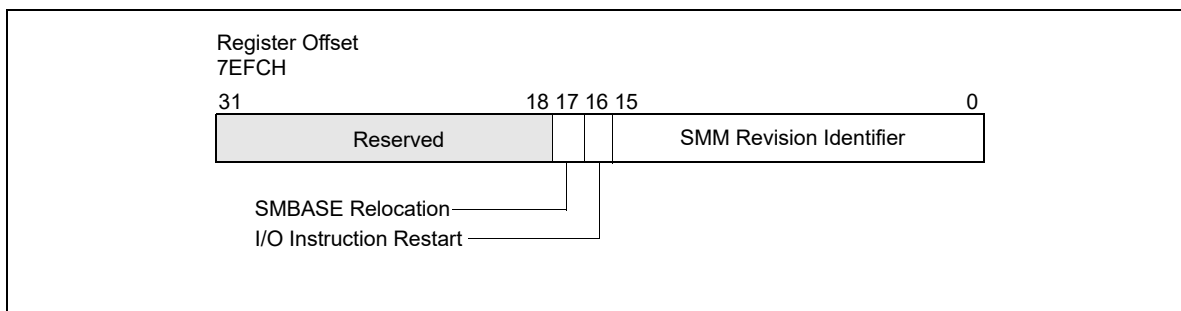


Figure 32-2. SMM Revision Identifier

The upper word of the SMM revision identifier refers to the extensions available. If the I/O instruction restart flag (bit 16) is set, the processor supports the I/O instruction restart (see Section 32.12); if the SMBASE relocation flag (bit 17) is set, SMRAM base address relocation is supported (see Section 32.11).

32.10 AUTO HALT RESTART

If the processor is in a HALT state (due to the prior execution of a HLT instruction) when it receives an SMI, the processor records the fact in the auto HALT restart flag in the saved processor state (see Figure 32-3). (This flag is located at offset 7F02H and bit 0 in the state save area of the SMRAM.)

If the processor sets the auto HALT restart flag upon entering SMM (indicating that the SMI occurred when the processor was in the HALT state), the SMI handler has two options:

- It can leave the auto HALT restart flag set, which instructs the RSM instruction to return program control to the HLT instruction. This option in effect causes the processor to re-enter the HALT state after handling the SMI. (This is the default operation.)
- It can clear the auto HALT restart flag, which instructs the RSM instruction to return program control to the instruction following the HLT instruction.

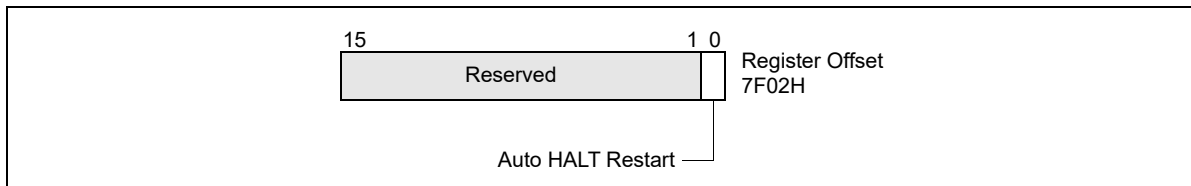


Figure 32-3. Auto HALT Restart Field

These options are summarized in Table 32-7. If the processor was not in a HALT state when the SMI was received (the auto HALT restart flag is cleared), setting the flag to 1 will cause unpredictable behavior when the RSM instruction is executed.

Table 32-7. Auto HALT Restart Flag Values

Value of Flag After Entry to SMM	Value of Flag When Exiting SMM	Action of Processor When Exiting SMM
0	0	Returns to next instruction in interrupted program or task.
0	1	Unpredictable.
1	0	Returns to next instruction after HLT instruction.
1	1	Returns to HALT state.

If the HLT instruction is restarted, the processor will generate a memory access to fetch the HLT instruction (if it is not in the internal cache), and execute a HLT bus transaction. This behavior results in multiple HLT bus transactions for the same HLT instruction.

32.10.1 Executing the HLT Instruction in SMM

The HLT instruction should not be executed during SMM, unless interrupts have been enabled by setting the IF flag in the EFLAGS register. If the processor is halted in SMM, the only event that can remove the processor from this state is a maskable hardware interrupt or a hardware reset.

32.11 SMBASE RELOCATION

The default base address for the SMRAM is 30000H. This value is contained in an internal processor register called the SMBASE register. **Software** can relocate the SMRAM by setting the SMBASE field in the saved state map (at offset 7EF8H) to a new value (see Figure 32-4). The RSM instruction reloads the internal SMBASE register with the value in the SMBASE field each time it exits SMM. All subsequent SMI requests will use the new SMBASE value to find the starting address for the SMI handler (at SMBASE + 8000H) and the SMRAM state save area (from SMBASE

+ FE00H to SMBASE + FFFFH). (The processor resets the value in its internal SMBASE register to 30000H on a RESET, but does not change it on an INIT.)

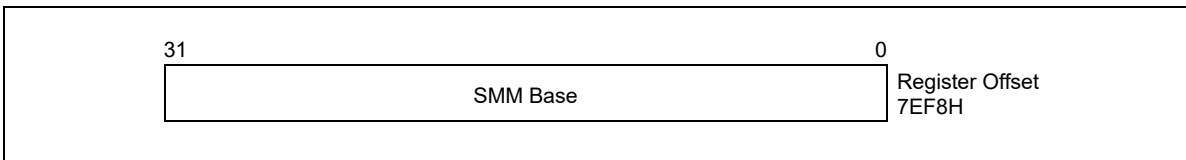


Figure 32-4. SMBASE Relocation Field

In multiple-processor systems, initialization software must adjust the SMBASE value for each processor so that the SMRAM state save areas for each processor do not overlap. (For Pentium and Intel486 processors, the SMBASE values must be aligned on a 32-KByte boundary or the processor will enter shutdown state during the execution of a RSM instruction.)

If the SMBASE relocation flag in the SMM revision identifier field is set, it indicates the ability to relocate the SMBASE (see Section 32.9).

32.12 I/O INSTRUCTION RESTART

If the I/O instruction restart flag in the SMM revision identifier field is set (see Section 32.9), the I/O instruction restart mechanism is present on the processor. This mechanism allows an interrupted I/O instruction to be re-executed upon returning from SMM mode. For example, if an I/O instruction is used to access a powered-down I/O device, a chipset supporting this device can intercept the access and respond by asserting SMI#. This action invokes the SMI handler to power-up the device. Upon returning from the SMI handler, the I/O instruction restart mechanism can be used to re-execute the I/O instruction that caused the SMI.

The I/O instruction restart field (at offset 7F00H in the SMM state-save area, see Figure 32-5) controls I/O instruction restart. When an RSM instruction is executed, if this field contains the value FFH, then the EIP register is modified to point to the I/O instruction that received the SMI request. The processor will then automatically re-execute the I/O instruction that the SMI trapped. (The processor saves the necessary machine state to ensure that re-execution of the instruction is handled coherently.)

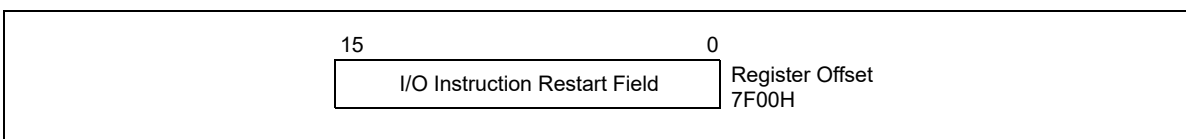


Figure 32-5. I/O Instruction Restart Field

If the I/O instruction restart field contains the value 00H when the RSM instruction is executed, then the processor begins program execution with the instruction following the I/O instruction. (When a repeat prefix is being used, the next instruction may be the next I/O instruction in the repeat loop.) Not re-executing the interrupted I/O instruction is the default behavior; the processor automatically initializes the I/O instruction restart field to 00H upon entering SMM. Table 32-8 summarizes the states of the I/O instruction restart field.

Table 32-8. I/O Instruction Restart Field Values

Value of Flag After Entry to SMM	Value of Flag When Exiting SMM	Action of Processor When Exiting SMM
00H	00H	Does not re-execute trapped I/O instruction.
00H	FFH	Re-executes trapped I/O instruction.

The I/O instruction restart mechanism does not indicate the cause of the SMI. It is the responsibility of the SMI handler to examine the state of the processor to determine the cause of the SMI and to determine if an I/O instruction was interrupted and should be restarted upon exiting SMM. If an SMI interrupt is signaled on a non-I/O instruction boundary, setting the I/O instruction restart field to FFH prior to executing the RSM instruction will likely result in a program error.

32.12.1 Back-to-Back SMI Interrupts When I/O Instruction Restart Is Being Used

If an SMI interrupt is signaled while the processor is servicing an SMI interrupt that occurred on an I/O instruction boundary, the processor will service the new SMI request before restarting the originally interrupted I/O instruction. If the I/O instruction restart field is set to FFH prior to returning from the second SMI handler, the EIP will point to an address different from the originally interrupted I/O instruction, which will likely lead to a program error. To avoid this situation, the SMI handler must be able to recognize the occurrence of back-to-back SMI interrupts when I/O instruction restart is being used and ensure that the handler sets the I/O instruction restart field to 00H prior to returning from the second invocation of the SMI handler.

32.13 SMM MULTIPLE-PROCESSOR CONSIDERATIONS

The following should be noted when designing multiple-processor systems:

- Any processor in a multiprocessor system can respond to an SMI.
- Each processor needs its own SMRAM space. This space can be in system memory or in a separate RAM.
- The SMRAMs for different processors can be overlapped in the same memory space. The only stipulation is that each processor needs its own state save area and its own dynamic data storage area. (Also, for the Pentium and Intel486 processors, the SMBASE address must be located on a 32-KByte boundary.) Code and static data can be shared among processors. Overlapping SMRAM spaces can be done more efficiently with the P6 family processors because they do not require that the SMBASE address be on a 32-KByte boundary.
- The SMI handler will need to initialize the SMBASE for each processor.
- Processors can respond to local SMIs through their SMI# pins or to SMIs received through the APIC interface. The APIC interface can distribute SMIs to different processors.
- Two or more processors can be executing in SMM at the same time.
- When operating Pentium processors in dual processing (DP) mode, the SMIACK# pin is driven only by the MRM processor and should be sampled with ADS#. For additional details, see Chapter 14 of the Pentium Processor Family User's Manual, Volume 1.

SMM is not re-entrant, because the SMRAM State Save Map is fixed relative to the SMBASE. If there is a need to support two or more processors in SMM mode at the same time then each processor should have dedicated SMRAM spaces. This can be done by using the SMBASE Relocation feature (see Section 32.11).

32.14 DEFAULT TREATMENT OF SMIS AND SMM WITH VMX OPERATION AND SMX OPERATION

Under the default treatment, the interactions of SMIs and SMM with VMX operation are few. This section details those interactions. It also explains how this treatment affects SMX operation.

32.14.1 Default Treatment of SMI Delivery

Ordinary SMI delivery saves processor state into SMRAM and then loads state based on architectural definitions. Under the default treatment, processors that support VMX operation perform SMI delivery as follows:

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enter SMM;
save the following internal to the processor:
    CR4.VMXE
        an indication of whether the logical processor was in VMX operation (root or non-root)
IF the logical processor is in VMX operation
    THEN
        save current VMCS pointer internal to the processor;
        leave VMX operation;
        save VMX-critical state defined below;
FI;
IF the logical processor supports SMX operation
    THEN
        save internal to the logical processor an indication of whether the Intel® TXT private space is locked;
        IF the TXT private space is unlocked
            THEN lock the TXT private space;
        FI;
FI;
CR4.VMXE := 0;
perform ordinary SMI delivery:
    save processor state in SMRAM;
    set processor state to standard SMM values;1
    invalidate linear mappings and combined mappings associated with VPID 0000H (for all PCIDs); combined mappings for VPID 0000H
are invalidated for all EP4TA values (EP4TA is the value of bits 51:12 of EPTP; see Section 29.4);

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The pseudocode above makes reference to the saving of **VMX-critical state**. This state consists of the following: (1) SS.DPL (the current privilege level); (2) RFLAGS.VM²; (3) the state of blocking by STI and by MOV SS (see Table 25-3 in Section 25.4.2); (4) the state of virtual-NMI blocking (only if the processor is in VMX non-root operation and the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control is 1); and (5) an indication of whether an MTF VM exit is pending (see Section 26.5.2). These data may be saved internal to the processor or in the VMCS region of the current VMCS. Processors that do not support SMI recognition while there is blocking by STI or by MOV SS need not save the state of such blocking.

If the logical processor supports the 1-setting of the “enable EPT” VM-execution control and the logical processor was in VMX non-root operation at the time of an SMI, it saves the value of that control into bit 0 of the 32-bit field at offset SMBASE + 8000H + 7EE0H (SMBASE + FEE0H; see Table 32-3).³ If the logical processor was not in VMX non-root operation at the time of the SMI, it saves 0 into that bit. If the logical processor saves 1 into that bit (it was in VMX non-root operation and the “enable EPT” VM-execution control was 1), it saves the value of the EPT pointer (EPTP) into the 64-bit field at offset SMBASE + 8000H + 7ED8H (SMBASE + FED8H).

Because SMI delivery causes a logical processor to leave VMX operation, all the controls associated with VMX non-root operation are disabled in SMM and thus cannot cause VM exits while the logical processor in SMM.

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1. This causes the logical processor to block INIT signals, NMIs, and SMIs.
 2. Section 32.14 and Section 32.15 use the notation RAX, RIP, RSP, RFLAGS, etc. for processor registers because most processors that support VMX operation also support Intel 64 architecture. For processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture, this notation refers to the 32-bit forms of these registers (EAX, EIP, ESP, EFLAGS, etc.). In a few places, notation such as EAX is used to refer specifically to the lower 32 bits of the register.
 3. “Enable EPT” is a secondary processor-based VM-execution control. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, SMI functions as the “enable EPT” VM-execution control were 0. See Section 25.6.2.

32.14.2 Default Treatment of RSM

Ordinary execution of RSM restores processor state from SMRAM. Under the default treatment, processors that support VMX operation perform RSM as follows:

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IF VMXE = 1 in CR4 image in SMRAM
    THEN fail and enter shutdown state;
    ELSE
        restore state normally from SMRAM;
        invalidate linear mappings and combined mappings associated with all VPIDs and all PCIDs; combined mappings are invalidated
        for all EP4TA values (EP4TA is the value of bits 51:12 of EPTP; see Section 29.4);
        IF the logical processor supports SMX operation and the Intel® TXT private space was unlocked at the time of the last SMI (as
        saved)
            THEN unlock the TXT private space;
        FI;
        CR4.VMXE := value stored internally;
        IF internal storage indicates that the logical processor
        had been in VMX operation (root or non-root)
            THEN
                enter VMX operation (root or non-root);
                restore VMX-critical state as defined in Section 32.14.1;
                set to their fixed values any bits in CR0 and CR4 whose values must be fixed in VMX operation (see Section 24.8);1
                IF RFLAGS.VM = 0 AND (in VMX root operation OR the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control is 0)2
                    THEN
                        CS.RPL := SS.DPL;
                        SS.RPL := SS.DPL;
                    FI;
                restore current VMCS pointer;
            FI;
        leave SMM;
        IF logical processor will be in VMX operation or in SMX operation after RSM
            THEN block A20M and leave A20M mode;
        FI;
    FI;

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RSM unblocks SMIs. It restores the state of blocking by NMI (see Table 25-3 in Section 25.4.2) as follows:

- If the RSM is not to VMX non-root operation or if the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control will be 0, the state of NMI blocking is restored normally.
- If the RSM is to VMX non-root operation and the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control will be 1, NMIs are not blocked after RSM. The state of virtual-NMI blocking is restored as part of VMX-critical state.

INIT signals are blocked after RSM if and only if the logical processor will be in VMX root operation.

If RSM returns a logical processor to VMX non-root operation, it re-establishes the controls associated with the current VMCS. If the “interrupt-window exiting” VM-execution control is 1, a VM exit occurs immediately after RSM if the enabling conditions apply. The same is true for the “NMI-window exiting” VM-execution control. Such VM exits occur with their normal priority. See Section 26.2.

If an MTF VM exit was pending at the time of the previous SMI, an MTF VM exit is pending on the instruction boundary following execution of RSM. The following items detail the treatment of MTF VM exits that may be pending following RSM:

1. If the RSM is to VMX non-root operation and both the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control and bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls will be 1, CR0.PE and CR0.PG retain the values that were loaded from SMRAM regardless of what is reported in the capability MSR IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0.
2. “Unrestricted guest” is a secondary processor-based VM-execution control. If bit 31 of the primary processor-based VM-execution controls is 0, VM entry functions as if the “unrestricted guest” VM-execution control were 0. See Section 25.6.2.

- System-management interrupts (SMIs), INIT signals, and higher priority events take priority over these MTF VM exits. These MTF VM exits take priority over debug-trap exceptions and lower priority events.
- These MTF VM exits wake the logical processor if RSM caused the logical processor to enter the HLT state (see Section 32.10). They do not occur if the logical processor just entered the shutdown state.

32.14.3 Protection of CR4.VMXE in SMM

Under the default treatment, CR4.VMXE is treated as a reserved bit while a logical processor is in SMM. Any attempt by software running in SMM to set this bit causes a general-protection exception. In addition, software cannot use VMX instructions or enter VMX operation while in SMM.

32.14.4 VMXOFF and SMI Unblocking

The VMXOFF instruction can be executed only with the default treatment (see Section 32.15.1) and only outside SMM. If SMIs are blocked when VMXOFF is executed, VMXOFF unblocks them unless IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL[bit 2] is 1 (see Section 32.15.5 for details regarding this MSR).¹ Section 32.15.7 identifies a case in which SMIs may be blocked when VMXOFF is executed.

Not all processors allow this bit to be set to 1. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC (see Appendix A.6) to determine whether this is allowed.

32.15 DUAL-MONITOR TREATMENT OF SMIs AND SMM

Dual-monitor treatment is activated through the cooperation of the **executive monitor** (the VMM that operates outside of SMM to provide basic virtualization) and the **SMM-transfer monitor (STM)**; the VMM that operates inside SMM—while in VMX operation—to support system-management functions). Control is transferred to the STM through VM exits; VM entries are used to return from SMM.

The dual-monitor treatment may not be supported by all processors. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1) to determine whether it is supported.

32.15.1 Dual-Monitor Treatment Overview

The dual-monitor treatment uses an executive monitor and an SMM-transfer monitor (STM). Transitions from the executive monitor or its guests to the STM are called **SMM VM exits** and are discussed in Section 32.15.2. SMM VM exits are caused by SMIs as well as executions of VMCALL in VMX root operation. The latter allow the executive monitor to call the STM for service.

The STM runs in VMX root operation and uses VMX instructions to establish a VMCS and perform VM entries to its own guests. This is done all inside SMM (see Section 32.15.3). The STM returns from SMM, not by using the RSM instruction, but by using a VM entry that returns from SMM. Such VM entries are described in Section 32.15.4.

Initially, there is no STM and the default treatment (Section 32.14) is used. The dual-monitor treatment is not used until it is enabled and activated. The steps to do this are described in Section 32.15.5 and Section 32.15.6.

It is not possible to leave VMX operation under the dual-monitor treatment; VMXOFF will fail if executed. The dual-monitor treatment must be deactivated first. The STM deactivates dual-monitor treatment using a VM entry that returns from SMM with the “deactivate dual-monitor treatment” VM-entry control set to 1 (see Section 32.15.7).

The executive monitor configures any VMCS that it uses for VM exits to the executive monitor. SMM VM exits, which transfer control to the STM, use a different VMCS. Under the dual-monitor treatment, each logical processor uses a separate VMCS called the **SMM-transfer VMCS**. When the dual-monitor treatment is active, the logical processor maintains another VMCS pointer called the **SMM-transfer VMCS pointer**. The SMM-transfer VMCS pointer is established when the dual-monitor treatment is activated.

1. Setting IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL[bit 2] to 1 prevents VMXOFF from unblocking SMIs regardless of the value of the register’s valid bit (bit 0).

32.15.2 SMM VM Exits

An SMM VM exit is a VM exit that begins outside SMM and that ends in SMM.

Unlike other VM exits, SMM VM exits can begin in VMX root operation. SMM VM exits result from the arrival of an SMI outside SMM or from execution of VMCALL in VMX root operation outside SMM. Execution of VMCALL in VMX root operation causes an SMM VM exit only if the valid bit is set in the IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR (see Section 32.15.5).

Execution of VMCALL in VMX root operation causes an SMM VM exit even under the default treatment. This SMM VM exit activates the dual-monitor treatment (see Section 32.15.6).

Differences between SMM VM exits and other VM exits are detailed in Sections 32.15.2.1 through 32.15.2.5. Differences between SMM VM exits that activate the dual-monitor treatment and other SMM VM exits are described in Section 32.15.6.

32.15.2.1 Architectural State Before a VM Exit

System-management interrupts (SMIs) that cause SMM VM exits always do so directly. They do not save state to SMRAM as they do under the default treatment.

32.15.2.2 Updating the Current-VMCS and Executive-VMCS Pointers

SMM VM exits begin by performing the following steps:

1. The executive-VMCS pointer field in the SMM-transfer VMCS is loaded as follows:
 - If the SMM VM exit commenced in VMX non-root operation, it receives the current-VMCS pointer.
 - If the SMM VM exit commenced in VMX root operation, it receives the VMXON pointer.
2. The current-VMCS pointer is loaded with the value of the SMM-transfer VMCS pointer.

The last step ensures that the current VMCS is the SMM-transfer VMCS. VM-exit information is recorded in that VMCS, and VM-entry control fields in that VMCS are updated. State is saved into the guest-state area of that VMCS. The VM-exit controls and host-state area of that VMCS determine how the VM exit operates.

32.15.2.3 Recording VM-Exit Information

SMM VM exits differ from other VM exit with regard to the way they record VM-exit information. The differences follow.

- **Exit reason.**
 - Bits 15:0 of this field contain the basic exit reason. The field is loaded with the reason for the SMM VM exit: I/O SMI (an SMI arrived immediately after retirement of an I/O instruction), other SMI, or VMCALL. See Appendix C, “VMX Basic Exit Reasons.”
 - SMM VM exits are the only VM exits that may occur in VMX root operation. Because the SMM-transfer monitor may need to know whether it was invoked from VMX root or VMX non-root operation, this information is stored in bit 29 of the exit-reason field (see Table 25-18 in Section 25.9.1). The bit is set by SMM VM exits from VMX root operation.
 - If the SMM VM exit occurred in VMX non-root operation and an MTF VM exit was pending, bit 28 of the exit-reason field is set; otherwise, it is cleared.
 - Bits 27:16 and bits 31:30 are cleared.
- **Exit qualification.** For an SMM VM exit due an SMI that arrives immediately after the retirement of an I/O instruction, the exit qualification contains information about the I/O instruction that retired immediately before the SMI. It has the format given in Table 32-9.
- **Guest linear address.** This field is used for VM exits due to SMIs that arrive immediately after the retirement of an INS or OUTS instruction for which the relevant segment (ES for INS; DS for OUTS unless overridden by an instruction prefix) is usable. The field receives the value of the linear address generated by ES:(E)DI (for INS) or segment:(E)SI (for OUTS; the default segment is DS but can be overridden by a segment override

Table 32-9. Exit Qualification for SMIs That Arrive Immediately After the Retirement of an I/O Instruction

Bit Position(s)	Contents
2:0	Size of access: 0 = 1-byte 1 = 2-byte 3 = 4-byte Other values not used.
3	Direction of the attempted access (0 = OUT, 1 = IN)
4	String instruction (0 = not string; 1 = string)
5	REP prefixed (0 = not REP; 1 = REP)
6	Operand encoding (0 = DX, 1 = immediate)
15:7	Reserved (cleared to 0)
31:16	Port number (as specified in the I/O instruction)
63:32	Reserved (cleared to 0). These bits exist only on processors that support Intel 64 architecture.

prefix) at the time the instruction started. If the relevant segment is not usable, the value is undefined. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, bits 63:32 are clear if the logical processor was not in 64-bit mode before the VM exit.

- **I/O RCX, I/O RSI, I/O RDI, and I/O RIP.** For an SMM VM exit due an SMI that arrives immediately after the retirement of an I/O instruction, these fields receive the values that were in RCX, RSI, RDI, and RIP, respectively, before the I/O instruction executed. Thus, the value saved for I/O RIP addresses the I/O instruction.

32.15.2.4 Saving Guest State

SMM VM exits save the contents of the SMBASE register into the corresponding field in the guest-state area.

The value of the VMX-preemption timer is saved into the corresponding field in the guest-state area if the “save VMX-preemption timer value” VM-exit control is 1. That field becomes undefined if, in addition, either the SMM VM exit is from VMX root operation or the SMM VM exit is from VMX non-root operation and the “activate VMX-preemption timer” VM-execution control is 0.

32.15.2.5 Updating State

If an SMM VM exit is from VMX non-root operation and the “Intel PT uses guest physical addresses” VM-execution control is 1, the IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR is cleared to 00000000_00000000H.¹ This is done even if the “clear IA32_RTIT_CTL” VM-exit control is 0.

SMM VM exits affect the non-register state of a logical processor as follows:

- SMM VM exits cause non-maskable interrupts (NMIs) to be blocked; they may be unblocked through execution of IRET or through a VM entry (depending on the value loaded for the interruptibility state and the setting of the “virtual NMIs” VM-execution control).
- SMM VM exits cause SMIs to be blocked; they may be unblocked by a VM entry that returns from SMM (see Section 32.15.4).

1. In this situation, the value of this MSR was saved earlier into the guest-state area. All VM exits save this MSR if the 1-setting of the “load IA32_RTIT_CTL” VM-entry control is supported (see Section 28.3.1), which must be the case if the “Intel PT uses guest physical addresses” VM-execution control is 1 (see Section 27.2.1.1).

SMM VM exits invalidate linear mappings and combined mappings associated with VPID 0000H for all PCIDs. Combined mappings for VPID 0000H are invalidated for all EP4TA values (EP4TA is the value of bits 51:12 of EPTP; see Section 29.4). (Ordinary VM exits are not required to perform such invalidation if the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 1; see Section 28.5.5.)

32.15.3 Operation of the SMM-Transfer Monitor

Once invoked, the SMM-transfer monitor (STM) is in VMX root operation and can use VMX instructions to configure VMCSs and to cause VM entries to virtual machines supported by those structures. As noted in Section 32.15.1, the VMXOFF instruction cannot be used under the dual-monitor treatment and thus cannot be used by the STM.

The RSM instruction also cannot be used under the dual-monitor treatment. As noted in Section 26.1.3, it causes a VM exit if executed in SMM in VMX non-root operation. If executed in VMX root operation, it causes an invalid-opcode exception. The STM uses VM entries to return from SMM (see Section 32.15.4).

32.15.4 VM Entries that Return from SMM

The SMM-transfer monitor (STM) returns from SMM using a VM entry with the “entry to SMM” VM-entry control clear. VM entries that return from SMM reverse the effects of an SMM VM exit (see Section 32.15.2).

VM entries that return from SMM may differ from other VM entries in that they do not necessarily enter VMX non-root operation. If the executive-VMCS pointer field in the current VMCS contains the VMXON pointer, the logical processor remains in VMX root operation after VM entry.

For differences between VM entries that return from SMM and other VM entries see Sections 32.15.4.1 through 32.15.4.10.

32.15.4.1 Checks on the Executive-VMCS Pointer Field

VM entries that return from SMM perform the following checks on the executive-VMCS pointer field in the current VMCS:

- Bits 11:0 must be 0.
- The pointer must not set any bits beyond the processor’s physical-address width.^{1,2}
- The 32 bits located in memory referenced by the physical address in the pointer must contain the processor’s VMCS revision identifier (see Section 25.2).

The checks above are performed before the checks described in Section 32.15.4.2 and before any of the following checks:

- If the “deactivate dual-monitor treatment” VM-entry control is 0 and the executive-VMCS pointer field does not contain the VMXON pointer, the launch state of the executive VMCS (the VMCS referenced by the executive-VMCS pointer field) must be launched (see Section 25.11.3).
- If the “deactivate dual-monitor treatment” VM-entry control is 1, the executive-VMCS pointer field must contain the VMXON pointer (see Section 32.15.7).³

32.15.4.2 Checks on VM-Execution Control Fields

VM entries that return from SMM differ from other VM entries with regard to the checks performed on the VM-execution control fields specified in Section 27.2.1.1. They do not apply the checks to the current VMCS. Instead, VM-entry behavior depends on whether the executive-VMCS pointer field contains the VMXON pointer:

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1. Software can determine a processor’s physical-address width by executing CPUID with 80000008H in EAX. The physical-address width is returned in bits 7:0 of EAX.
 2. If IA32_VMX_BASIC[48] is read as 1, this pointer must not set any bits in the range 63:32; see Appendix A.1.
 3. The STM can determine the VMXON pointer by reading the executive-VMCS pointer field in the current VMCS after the SMM VM exit that activates the dual-monitor treatment.

- If the executive-VMCS pointer field contains the VMXON pointer (the VM entry remains in VMX root operation), the checks are not performed at all.
- If the executive-VMCS pointer field does not contain the VMXON pointer (the VM entry enters VMX non-root operation), the checks are performed on the VM-execution control fields in the executive VMCS (the VMCS referenced by the executive-VMCS pointer field in the current VMCS). These checks are performed after checking the executive-VMCS pointer field itself (for proper alignment).

Other VM entries ensure that, if “activate VMX-preemption timer” VM-execution control is 0, the “save VMX-preemption timer value” VM-execution control is also 0. This check is not performed by VM entries that return from SMM.

32.15.4.3 Checks on VM-Entry Control Fields

VM entries that return from SMM differ from other VM entries with regard to the checks performed on the VM-entry control fields specified in Section 27.2.1.3.

Specifically, if the executive-VMCS pointer field contains the VMXON pointer (the VM entry remains in VMX root operation), the VM-entry interruption-information field must not indicate injection of a pending MTF VM exit (see Section 27.6.2). Specifically, the following cannot all be true for that field:

- the valid bit (bit 31) is 1
- the interruption type (bits 10:8) is 7 (other event); and
- the vector (bits 7:0) is 0 (pending MTF VM exit).

32.15.4.4 Checks on the Guest State Area

Section 27.3.1 specifies checks performed on fields in the guest-state area of the VMCS. Some of these checks are conditioned on the settings of certain VM-execution controls (e.g., “virtual NMIs” or “unrestricted guest”).

VM entries that return from SMM modify these checks based on whether the executive-VMCS pointer field contains the VMXON pointer:¹

- If the executive-VMCS pointer field contains the VMXON pointer (the VM entry remains in VMX root operation), the checks are performed as all relevant VM-execution controls were 0. (As a result, some checks may not be performed at all.)
- If the executive-VMCS pointer field does not contain the VMXON pointer (the VM entry enters VMX non-root operation), this check is performed based on the settings of the VM-execution controls in the executive VMCS (the VMCS referenced by the executive-VMCS pointer field in the current VMCS).

For VM entries that return from SMM, the activity-state field must not indicate the wait-for-SIPI state if the executive-VMCS pointer field contains the VMXON pointer (the VM entry is to VMX root operation).

32.15.4.5 Loading Guest State

VM entries that return from SMM load the SMBASE register from the SMBASE field.

VM entries that return from SMM invalidate linear mappings and combined mappings associated with all VPIDs. Combined mappings are invalidated for all EP4TA values (EP4TA is the value of bits 51:12 of EPTP; see Section 29.4). (Ordinary VM entries are required to perform such invalidation only for VPID 0000H and are not required to do even that if the “enable VPID” VM-execution control is 1; see Section 27.3.2.5.)

32.15.4.6 VMX-Preemption Timer

A VM entry that returns from SMM activates the VMX-preemption timer only if the executive-VMCS pointer field does not contain the VMXON pointer (the VM entry enters VMX non-root operation) and the “activate VMX-preemption timer” VM-execution control is 1 in the executive VMCS (the VMCS referenced by the executive-VMCS pointer field). In this case, VM entry starts the VMX-preemption timer with the value in the VMX-preemption timer-value field in the current VMCS.

1. The STM can determine the VMXON pointer by reading the executive-VMCS pointer field in the current VMCS after the SMM VM exit that activates the dual-monitor treatment.

32.15.4.7 Updating the Current-VMCS and SMM-Transfer VMCS Pointers

Successful VM entries (returning from SMM) load the SMM-transfer VMCS pointer with the current-VMCS pointer. Following this, they load the current-VMCS pointer from a field in the current VMCS:

- If the executive-VMCS pointer field contains the VMXON pointer (the VM entry remains in VMX root operation), the current-VMCS pointer is loaded from the VMCS-link pointer field.
- If the executive-VMCS pointer field does not contain the VMXON pointer (the VM entry enters VMX non-root operation), the current-VMCS pointer is loaded with the value of the executive-VMCS pointer field.

If the VM entry successfully enters VMX non-root operation, the VM-execution controls in effect after the VM entry are those from the new current VMCS. This includes any structures external to the VMCS referenced by VM-execution control fields.

The updating of these VMCS pointers occurs before event injection. Event injection is determined, however, by the VM-entry control fields in the VMCS that was current when the VM entry commenced.

32.15.4.8 VM Exits Induced by VM Entry

Section 27.6.1.2 describes how the event-delivery process invoked by event injection may lead to a VM exit. Section 27.7.3 to Section 27.7.7 describe other situations that may cause a VM exit to occur immediately after a VM entry.

Whether these VM exits occur is determined by the VM-execution control fields in the current VMCS. For VM entries that return from SMM, they can occur only if the executive-VMCS pointer field does not contain the VMXON pointer (the VM entry enters VMX non-root operation).

In this case, determination is based on the VM-execution control fields in the VMCS that is current after the VM entry. This is the VMCS referenced by the value of the executive-VMCS pointer field at the time of the VM entry (see Section 32.15.4.7). This VMCS also controls the delivery of such VM exits. Thus, VM exits induced by a VM entry returning from SMM are to the executive monitor and not to the STM.

32.15.4.9 SMI Blocking

VM entries that return from SMM determine the blocking of system-management interrupts (SMIs) as follows:

- If the “deactivate dual-monitor treatment” VM-entry control is 0, SMIs are blocked after VM entry if and only if the bit 2 in the interruptibility-state field is 1.
- If the “deactivate dual-monitor treatment” VM-entry control is 1, the blocking of SMIs depends on whether the logical processor is in SMX operation:¹
 - If the logical processor is in SMX operation, SMIs are blocked after VM entry.
 - If the logical processor is outside SMX operation, SMIs are unblocked after VM entry.

VM entries that return from SMM and that do not deactivate the dual-monitor treatment may leave SMIs blocked. This feature exists to allow the STM to invoke functionality outside of SMM without unblocking SMIs.

32.15.4.10 Failures of VM Entries That Return from SMM

Section 27.8 describes the treatment of VM entries that fail during or after loading guest state. Such failures record information in the VM-exit information fields and load processor state as would be done on a VM exit. The VMCS used is the one that was current before the VM entry commenced. Control is thus transferred to the STM and the logical processor remains in SMM.

1. A logical processor is in SMX operation if GETSEC[SEXIT] has not been executed since the last execution of GETSEC[SENDER]. A logical processor is outside SMX operation if GETSEC[SENDER] has not been executed or if GETSEC[SEXIT] was executed after the last execution of GETSEC[SENDER]. See Chapter 7, “Safer Mode Extensions Reference,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2D.

32.15.5 Enabling the Dual-Monitor Treatment

Code and data for the SMM-transfer monitor (STM) reside in a region of SMRAM called the **monitor segment** (MSEG). Code running in SMM determines the location of MSEG and establishes its content. This code is also responsible for enabling the dual-monitor treatment.

SMM code enables the dual-monitor treatment and specifies the location of MSEG by writing to the IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR (index 9BH). The MSR has the following format:

- Bit 0 is the register's valid bit. The STM may be invoked using VMCALL only if this bit is 1. Because VMCALL is used to activate the dual-monitor treatment (see Section 32.15.6), the dual-monitor treatment cannot be activated if the bit is 0. This bit is cleared when the logical processor is reset.
- Bit 1 is reserved.
- Bit 2 determines whether executions of VMXOFF unblock SMIs under the default treatment of SMIs and SMM. Executions of VMXOFF unblock SMIs unless bit 2 is 1 (the value of bit 0 is irrelevant). See Section 32.14.4. Certain leaf functions of the GETSEC instruction clear this bit (see Chapter 7, "Safer Mode Extensions Reference," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2D).
- Bits 11:3 are reserved.
- Bits 31:12 contain a value that, when shifted left 12 bits, is the physical address of MSEG (the MSEG base address).
- Bits 63:32 are reserved.

The following items detail use of this MSR:

- The IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR is supported only on processors that support the dual-monitor treatment.¹ On other processors, accesses to the MSR using RDMSR or WRMSR generate a general-protection fault (#GP(0)).
- A write to the IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR using WRMSR generates a general-protection fault (#GP(0)) if executed outside of SMM or if an attempt is made to set any reserved bit. An attempt to write to the IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR fails if made as part of a VM exit that does not end in SMM or part of a VM entry that does not begin in SMM.
- Reads from the IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR using RDMSR are allowed any time RDMSR is allowed. The MSR may be read as part of any VM exit.
- The dual-monitor treatment can be activated only if the valid bit in the MSR is set to 1.

The 32 bytes located at the MSEG base address are called the **MSEG header**. The format of the MSEG header is given in Table 32-10 (each field is 32 bits).

Table 32-10. Format of MSEG Header

Byte Offset	Field
0	MSEG-header revision identifier
4	SMM-transfer monitor features
8	GDTR limit
12	GDTR base offset
16	CS selector
20	EIP offset
24	ESP offset
28	CR3 offset

1. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1) to determine whether the dual-monitor treatment is supported.

To ensure proper behavior in VMX operation, software should maintain the MSEG header in writeback cacheable memory. Future implementations may allow or require a different memory type.¹ Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1).

SMM code should enable the dual-monitor treatment (by setting the valid bit in IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR) only after establishing the content of the MSEG header as follows:

- Bytes 3:0 contain the **MSEG revision identifier**. Different processors may use different MSEG revision identifiers. These identifiers enable software to avoid using an MSEG header formatted for one processor on a processor that uses a different format. Software can discover the MSEG revision identifier that a processor uses by reading the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_MISC (see Appendix A.6).
- Bytes 7:4 contain the **SMM-transfer monitor features** field. Bits 31:1 of this field are reserved and must be zero. Bit 0 of the field is the **IA-32e mode SMM feature bit**. It indicates whether the logical processor will be in IA-32e mode after the STM is activated (see Section 32.15.6).
- Bytes 31:8 contain fields that determine how processor state is loaded when the STM is activated (see Section 32.15.6.5). SMM code should establish these fields so that activating of the STM invokes the STM's initialization code.

32.15.6 Activating the Dual-Monitor Treatment

The dual-monitor treatment may be enabled by SMM code as described in Section 32.15.5. The dual-monitor treatment is activated only if it is enabled and only by the executive monitor. The executive monitor activates the dual-monitor treatment by executing VMCALL in VMX root operation.

When VMCALL activates the dual-monitor treatment, it causes an SMM VM exit. Differences between this SMM VM exit and other SMM VM exits are discussed in Sections 32.15.6.1 through 32.15.6.6. See also "VMCALL—Call to VM Monitor" in Chapter 31.

32.15.6.1 Initial Checks

An execution of VMCALL attempts to activate the dual-monitor treatment if (1) the processor supports the dual-monitor treatment;² (2) the logical processor is in VMX root operation; (3) the logical processor is outside SMM and the valid bit is set in the IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR; (4) the logical processor is not in virtual-8086 mode and not in compatibility mode; (5) CPL = 0; and (6) the dual-monitor treatment is not active.

Such an execution of VMCALL begins with some initial checks. These checks are performed before updating the current-VMCS pointer and the executive-VMCS pointer field (see Section 32.15.2.2).

The VMCS that manages SMM VM exit caused by this VMCALL is the current VMCS established by the executive monitor. The VMCALL performs the following checks on the current VMCS in the order indicated:

1. There must be a current VMCS pointer.
2. The launch state of the current VMCS must be clear.
3. The VM-exit controls in the current VMCS must be set properly:
 - Reserved bits in the primary VM-exit controls must be set properly. Software may consult the VMX capability MSRs to determine the proper setting (see Appendix A.4.1).
 - If the "activate secondary controls" primary VM-exit control is 1, reserved bits in the secondary VM-exit controls must be cleared. Software may consult the VMX capability MSRs to determine which bits are reserved (see Appendix A.4.2).

1. Alternatively, software may map the MSEG header with the UC memory type; this may be necessary, depending on how memory is organized. Doing so is strongly discouraged unless necessary as it will cause the performance of transitions using those structures to suffer significantly. In addition, the processor will continue to use the memory type reported in the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC with exceptions noted in Appendix A.1.

2. Software should consult the VMX capability MSR IA32_VMX_BASIC (see Appendix A.1) to determine whether the dual-monitor treatment is supported.

- If the “activate secondary controls” primary VM-exit control is 0 (or if the processor does not support the 1-setting of that control), no checks are performed on the secondary VM-exit controls. The logical processor operates as if all the secondary VM-exit controls were 0.

If any of these checks fail, subsequent checks are skipped and VMCALL fails. If all these checks succeed, the logical processor uses the IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL MSR to determine the base address of MSEG. The following checks are performed in the order indicated:

1. The logical processor reads the 32 bits at the base of MSEG and compares them to the processor’s MSEG revision identifier.
2. The logical processor reads the SMM-transfer monitor features field:
 - Bit 0 of the field is the IA-32e mode SMM feature bit, and it indicates whether the logical processor will be in IA-32e mode after the SMM-transfer monitor (STM) is activated.
 - If the VMCALL is executed on a processor that does not support Intel 64 architecture, the IA-32e mode SMM feature bit must be 0.
 - If the VMCALL is executed in 64-bit mode, the IA-32e mode SMM feature bit must be 1.
 - Bits 31:1 of this field are currently reserved and must be zero.

If any of these checks fail, subsequent checks are skipped and the VMCALL fails.

32.15.6.2 Updating the Current-VMCS and Executive-VMCS Pointers

Before performing the steps in Section 32.15.2.2, SMM VM exits that activate the dual-monitor treatment begin by loading the SMM-transfer VMCS pointer with the value of the current-VMCS pointer.

32.15.6.3 Saving Guest State

As noted in Section 32.15.2.4, SMM VM exits save the contents of the SMBASE register into the corresponding field in the guest-state area. While this is true also for SMM VM exits that activate the dual-monitor treatment, the VMCS used for those VM exits exists outside SMRAM.

The SMM-transfer monitor (STM) can also discover the current value of the SMBASE register by using the RDMSR instruction to read the IA32_SMBASE MSR (MSR address 9EH). The following items detail use of this MSR:

- The MSR is supported only if IA32_VMX_MISC[15] = 1 (see Appendix A.6).
- A write to the IA32_SMBASE MSR using WRMSR generates a general-protection fault (#GP(0)). An attempt to write to the IA32_SMBASE MSR fails if made as part of a VM exit or part of a VM entry.
- A read from the IA32_SMBASE MSR using RDMSR generates a general-protection fault (#GP(0)) if executed outside of SMM. An attempt to read from the IA32_SMBASE MSR fails if made as part of a VM exit that does not end in SMM.

32.15.6.4 Saving MSRs

The VM-exit MSR-store area is not used by SMM VM exits that activate the dual-monitor treatment. No MSRs are saved into that area.

32.15.6.5 Loading Host State

The VMCS that is current during an SMM VM exit that activates the dual-monitor treatment was established by the executive monitor. It does not contain the VM-exit controls and host state required to initialize the STM. For this reason, such SMM VM exits do not load processor state as described in Section 28.5. Instead, state is set to fixed values or loaded based on the content of the MSEG header (see Table 32-10):

- CR0 is set to as follows:
 - PG, NE, ET, MP, and PE are all set to 1.
 - CD and NW are left unchanged.

- All other bits are cleared to 0.
- CR3 is set as follows:
 - Bits 63:32 are cleared on processors that support IA-32e mode.
 - Bits 31:12 are set to bits 31:12 of the sum of the MSEG base address and the CR3-offset field in the MSEG header.
 - Bits 11:5 and bits 2:0 are cleared (the corresponding bits in the CR3-offset field in the MSEG header are ignored).
 - Bits 4:3 are set to bits 4:3 of the CR3-offset field in the MSEG header.
- CR4 is set as follows:
 - MCE, PGE, CET, and PCIDE are cleared.
 - PAE is set to the value of the IA-32e mode SMM feature bit.
 - If the IA-32e mode SMM feature bit is clear, PSE is set to 1 if supported by the processor; if the bit is set, PSE is cleared.
 - All other bits are unchanged.
- DR7 is set to 400H.
- The IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR is cleared to 00000000_00000000H.
- The registers CS, SS, DS, ES, FS, and GS are loaded as follows:
 - All registers are usable.
 - CS.selector is loaded from the corresponding field in the MSEG header (the high 16 bits are ignored), with bits 2:0 cleared to 0. If the result is 0000H, CS.selector is set to 0008H.
 - The selectors for SS, DS, ES, FS, and GS are set to CS.selector+0008H. If the result is 0000H (if the CS selector was FFF8H), these selectors are instead set to 0008H.
 - The base addresses of all registers are cleared to zero.
 - The segment limits for all registers are set to FFFFFFFFH.
 - The AR bytes for the registers are set as follows:
 - CS.Type is set to 11 (execute/read, accessed, non-conforming code segment).
 - For SS, DS, ES, FS, and GS, the Type is set to 3 (read/write, accessed, expand-up data segment).
 - The S bits for all registers are set to 1.
 - The DPL for each register is set to 0.
 - The P bits for all registers are set to 1.
 - On processors that support Intel 64 architecture, CS.L is loaded with the value of the IA-32e mode SMM feature bit.
 - CS.D is loaded with the inverse of the value of the IA-32e mode SMM feature bit.
 - For each of SS, DS, ES, FS, and GS, the D/B bit is set to 1.
 - The G bits for all registers are set to 1.
- LDTR is unusable. The LDTR selector is cleared to 0000H, and the register is otherwise undefined (although the base address is always canonical)
- GDTR.base is set to the sum of the MSEG base address and the GDTR base-offset field in the MSEG header (bits 63:32 are always cleared on processors that support IA-32e mode). GDTR.limit is set to the corresponding field in the MSEG header (the high 16 bits are ignored).
- IDTR.base is unchanged. IDTR.limit is cleared to 0000H.
- RIP is set to the sum of the MSEG base address and the value of the RIP-offset field in the MSEG header (bits 63:32 are always cleared on logical processors that support IA-32e mode).
- RSP is set to the sum of the MSEG base address and the value of the RSP-offset field in the MSEG header (bits 63:32 are always cleared on logical processor that supports IA-32e mode).

- RFLAGS is cleared, except bit 1, which is always set.
- The logical processor is left in the active state.
- Event blocking after the SMM VM exit is as follows:
 - There is no blocking by STI or by MOV SS.
 - There is blocking by non-maskable interrupts (NMIs) and by SMIs.
- There are no pending debug exceptions after the SMM VM exit.
- For processors that support IA-32e mode, the IA32_EFER MSR is modified so that LME and LMA both contain the value of the IA-32e mode SMM feature bit.

If any of CR3[63:5], CR4.PAE, CR4.PSE, or IA32_EFER.LMA is changing, the TLBs are updated so that, after VM exit, the logical processor does not use translations that were cached before the transition. This is not necessary for changes that would not affect paging due to the settings of other bits (for example, changes to CR4.PSE if IA32_EFER.LMA was 1 before and after the transition).

32.15.6.6 Loading MSRs

The VM-exit MSR-load area is not used by SMM VM exits that activate the dual-monitor treatment. No MSRs are loaded from that area.

32.15.7 Deactivating the Dual-Monitor Treatment

The SMM-transfer monitor may deactivate the dual-monitor treatment and return the processor to default treatment of SMIs and SMM (see Section 32.14). It does this by executing a VM entry with the “deactivate dual-monitor treatment” VM-entry control set to 1.

As noted in Section 27.2.1.3 and Section 32.15.4.1, an attempt to deactivate the dual-monitor treatment fails in the following situations: (1) the processor is not in SMM; (2) the “entry to SMM” VM-entry control is 1; or (3) the executive-VMCS pointer does not contain the VMXON pointer (the VM entry is to VMX non-root operation).

As noted in Section 32.15.4.9, VM entries that deactivate the dual-monitor treatment ignore the SMI bit in the interruptibility-state field of the guest-state area. Instead, the blocking of SMIs following such a VM entry depends on whether the logical processor is in SMX operation:¹

- If the logical processor is in SMX operation, SMIs are blocked after VM entry. SMIs may later be unblocked by the VMXOFF instruction (see Section 32.14.4) or by certain leaf functions of the GETSEC instruction (see Chapter 7, “Safer Mode Extensions Reference,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2D).
- If the logical processor is outside SMX operation, SMIs are unblocked after VM entry.

32.16 SMI AND PROCESSOR EXTENDED STATE MANAGEMENT

On processors that support processor extended states using XSAVE/XRSTOR (see Chapter 13, “Managing State Using the XSAVE Feature Set,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1), the processor does not save any XSAVE/XRSTOR related state on an SMI. It is the responsibility of the SMI handler code to properly preserve the state information (including CR4.OSXSAVE, XCR0, and possibly processor extended states using XSAVE/XRSTOR). Therefore, the SMI handler must follow the rules described in Chapter 13, “Managing State Using the XSAVE Feature Set,” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 1.

1. A logical processor is in SMX operation if GETSEC[SEXIT] has not been executed since the last execution of GETSEC[SENTER]. A logical processor is outside SMX operation if GETSEC[SENTER] has not been executed or if GETSEC[SEXIT] was executed after the last execution of GETSEC[SENTER]. See Chapter 7, “Safer Mode Extensions Reference,” in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2D.

32.17 MODEL-SPECIFIC SYSTEM MANAGEMENT ENHANCEMENT

This section describes enhancement of system management features that apply only to the 4th generation Intel Core processors. These features are model-specific. BIOS and SMM handler must use CPUID to enumerate Display-Family_DisplayModel signature when programming with these interfaces.

32.17.1 SMM Handler Code Access Control

The BIOS may choose to restrict the address ranges of code that SMM handler executes. When SMM handler code execution check is enabled, an attempt by the SMM handler to execute outside the ranges specified by SMRR (see Section 32.4.2.1) will cause the assertion of an unrecoverable machine check exception (MCE).

The interface to enable SMM handler code access check resides in a per-package scope model-specific register MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL at address 4E0H. An attempt to access MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL outside of SMM will cause a #GP. Writes to MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL is further protected by configuration interface of MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP at address 17DH.

Details of the interface of MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL and MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP are described in Table 2-29 in Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4.

32.17.2 SMI Delivery Delay Reporting

Entry into the system management mode occurs at instruction boundary. In situations where a logical processor is executing an instruction involving a long flow of internal operations, servicing an SMI by that logical processor will be delayed. Delayed servicing of SMI of each logical processor due to executing long flows of internal operation in a physical processor can be queried via a package-scope register MSR_SMM_DELAYED at address 4E2H.

The interface to enable reporting of SMI delivery delay due to long internal flows resides in a per-package scope model-specific register MSR_SMM_DELAYED. An attempt to access MSR_SMM_DELAYED outside of SMM will cause a #GP. Availability to MSR_SMM_DELAYED is protected by configuration interface of MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP at address 17DH.

Details of the interface of MSR_SMM_DELAYED and MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP are described in Table 2-29 in Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4.

32.17.3 Blocked SMI Reporting

A logical processor may have entered into a state and blocked from servicing other interrupts (including SMI). Logical processors in a physical processor that are blocked in servicing SMI can be queried in a package-scope register MSR_SMM_BLOCKED at address 4E3H. An attempt to access MSR_SMM_BLOCKED outside of SMM will cause a #GP.

Details of the interface of MSR_SMM_BLOCKED is described in Table 2-29 in Chapter 2, “Model-Specific Registers (MSRs),” of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 4.

16. Updates to Chapter 35, Volume 3D

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Changes to this chapter:

- Update in Table 35-21, "Layout of Enclave Signature Structure (SIGSTRUCT)," to remove an inaccurate footnote from the line describing the MISCMASK field.

CHAPTER 35

ENCLAVE ACCESS CONTROL AND DATA STRUCTURES

35.1 OVERVIEW OF ENCLAVE EXECUTION ENVIRONMENT

When an enclave is created, it has a range of linear addresses to which the processor applies enhanced access control. This range is called the ELRANGE (see Section 34.3). When an enclave generates a memory access, the existing IA32 segmentation and paging architecture are applied. Additionally, linear addresses inside the ELRANGE must map to an EPC page otherwise when an enclave attempts to access that linear address a fault is generated.

The EPC pages need not be physically contiguous. System software allocates EPC pages to various enclaves. Enclaves must abide by OS/VMM imposed segmentation and paging policies. OS/VMM-managed page tables and extended page tables provide address translation for the enclave pages. Hardware requires that these pages are properly mapped to EPC (any failure generates an exception).

Enclave entry must happen through specific enclave instructions:

- ENCLU[EENTER], ENCLU[ERESUME].

Enclave exit must happen through specific enclave instructions or events:

- ENCLU[EEXIT], Asynchronous Enclave Exit (AEX).

Attempts to execute, read, or write to linear addresses mapped to EPC pages when not inside an enclave will result in the processor altering the access to preserve the confidentiality and integrity of the enclave. The exact behavior may be different between implementations. As an example a read of an enclave page may result in the return of all one's or return of cyphertext of the cache line. Writing to an enclave page may result in a dropped write or a machine check at a later time. The processor will provide the protections as described in Section 35.4 and Section 35.5 on such accesses.

35.2 TERMINOLOGY

A memory access to the ELRANGE and initiated by an instruction executed by an enclave is called a Direct Enclave Access (Direct EA).

Memory accesses initiated by certain Intel® SGX instruction leaf functions such as ECREATE, EADD, EDBGRD, EDBGWR, ELDU/ELDB, EWB, EREMOVE, EENTER, and ERESUME to EPC pages are called Indirect Enclave Accesses (Indirect EA). Table 35-1 lists additional details of the indirect EA of SGX1 and SGX2 extensions.

Direct EAs and Indirect EAs together are called Enclave Accesses (EAs).

Any memory access that is not an Enclave Access is called a non-enclave access.

35.3 ACCESS-CONTROL REQUIREMENTS

Enclave accesses have the following access-control attributes:

- All memory accesses must conform to segmentation and paging protection mechanisms.
- Code fetches from inside an enclave to a linear address outside that enclave result in a #GP(0) exception.
- Shadow-stack-load or shadow-stack-store from inside an enclave to a linear address outside that enclave results in a #GP(0) exception.
- Non-enclave accesses to EPC memory result in undefined behavior. EPC memory is protected as described in Section 35.4 and Section 35.5 on such accesses.
- EPC pages of page types PT_REG, PT_TCS, and PT_TRIM must be mapped to ELRANGE at the linear address specified when the EPC page was allocated to the enclave using ENCLS[EADD] or ENCLS[EAUG] leaf functions. Enclave accesses through other linear address result in a #PF with the PFEC.SGX bit set.

- Direct EAs to any EPC pages must conform to the currently defined security attributes for that EPC page in the EPCM. These attributes may be defined at enclave creation time (EADD) or when the enclave sets them using SGX2 instructions. The failure of these checks results in a #PF with the PFEC.SGX bit set.
 - Target page must belong to the currently executing enclave.
 - Data may be written to an EPC page if the EPCM allow write access.
 - Data may be read from an EPC page if the EPCM allow read access.
 - Instruction fetches from an EPC page are allowed if the EPCM allows execute access.
 - Shadow-stack-load from an EPC page and shadow-stack-store to an EPC page are allowed only if the page type is PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST.
 - Data writes that are not shadow-stack-store are not allowed if the EPCM page type is PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST.
 - Target page must not have a restricted page type¹ (PT_SECS, PT_TCS, PT_VA, or PT_TRIM).
 - The EPC page must not be BLOCKED.
 - The EPC page must not be PENDING.
 - The EPC page must not be MODIFIED.

35.4 SEGMENT-BASED ACCESS CONTROL

Intel SGX architecture does not modify the segment checks performed by a logical processor. All memory accesses arising from a logical processor in protected mode (including enclave access) are subject to segmentation checks with the applicable segment register.

To ensure that outside entities do not modify the enclave's logical-to-linear address translation in an unexpected fashion, ENCLU[EENTER] and ENCLU[ERESUME] check that CS, DS, ES, and SS, if usable (i.e., not null), have segment base value of zero. A non-zero segment base value for these registers results in a #GP(0).

On enclave entry either via EENTER or ERESUME, the processor saves the contents of the external FS and GS registers, and loads these registers with values stored in the TCS at build time to enable the enclave's use of these registers for accessing the thread-local storage inside the enclave. On EEXIT and AEX, the contents at time of entry are restored. On AEX, the values of FS and GS are saved in the SSA frame. On ERESUME, FS and GS are restored from the SSA frame. The details of these operations can be found in the descriptions of EENTER, ERESUME, EEXIT, and AEX flows.

35.5 PAGE-BASED ACCESS CONTROL

35.5.1 Access-control for Accesses that Originate from Non-SGX Instructions

Intel SGX builds on the processor's paging mechanism to provide page-granular access-control for enclave pages. Enclave pages are designed to be accessible only from inside the currently executing enclave if they belong to that enclave. In addition, enclave accesses must conform to the access control requirements described in Section 35.3. or through certain Intel SGX instructions. Attempts to execute, read, or write to linear addresses mapped to EPC pages when not inside an enclave will result in the processor altering the access to preserve the confidentiality and integrity of the enclave. The exact behavior may be different between implementations.

35.5.2 Memory Accesses that Split Across ELRANGE

Memory data accesses are allowed to split across ELRANGE (i.e., a part of the access is inside ELRANGE and a part of the access is outside ELRANGE) while the processor is inside an enclave. If an access splits across ELRANGE, the

1. EPCM may allow write, read or execute access only for pages with page type PT_REG.

processor splits the access into two sub-accesses (one inside ELRANGE and the other outside ELRANGE), and each access is evaluated. A code-fetch access that splits across ELRANGE results in a #GP due to the portion that lies outside of the ELRANGE.

35.5.3 Implicit vs. Explicit Accesses

Memory accesses originating from Intel SGX instruction leaf functions are categorized as either explicit accesses or implicit accesses. Table 35-1 lists the implicit and explicit memory accesses made by Intel SGX leaf functions.

35.5.3.1 Explicit Accesses

Accesses to memory locations provided as explicit operands to Intel SGX instruction leaf functions, or their linked data structures are called explicit accesses.

Explicit accesses are always made using logical addresses. These accesses are subject to segmentation, paging, extended paging, and APIC-virtualization checks, and trigger any faults/exit associated with these checks when the access is made.

The interaction of explicit memory accesses with data breakpoints is leaf-function-specific, and is documented in Section 40.3.4.

35.5.3.2 Implicit Accesses

Accesses to data structures whose physical addresses are cached by the processor are called implicit accesses. These addresses are not passed as operands of the instruction but are implied by use of the instruction.

These accesses do not trigger any access-control faults/exits or data breakpoints. Table 35-1 lists memory objects that Intel SGX instruction leaf functions access either by explicit access or implicit access. The addresses of explicit access objects are passed via register operands with the second through fourth column of Table 35-1 matching implicitly encoded registers RBX, RCX, RDX.

Physical addresses used in different implicit accesses are cached via different instructions and for different durations. The physical address of SECS associated with each EPC page is cached at the time the page is added to the enclave via ENCLS[EADD] or ENCLS[EAUG], or when the page is loaded to EPC via ENCLS[ELDB] or ENCLS[ELDU]. This binding is severed when the corresponding page is removed from the EPC via ENCLS[EREMOVE] or ENCLS[EWB]. Physical addresses of TCS and SSA pages are cached at the time of most-recent enclave entry. Exit from an enclave (ENCLU[EEXIT] or AEX) flushes this caching. Details of Asynchronous Enclave Exit is described in Chapter 37.

The physical addresses that are cached for use by implicit accesses are derived from logical (or linear) addresses after checks such as segmentation, paging, EPT, and APIC virtualization checks. These checks may trigger exceptions or VM exits. Note, however, that such exception or VM exits may not occur after a physical address is cached and used for an implicit access.

Table 35-1. List of Implicit and Explicit Memory Access by Intel® SGX Enclave Instructions

Instr. Leaf	Enum.	Explicit 1	Explicit 2	Explicit 3	Implicit
EACCEPT	SGX2	SECINFO	EPCPAGE		SECS
EACCEPTCOPY	SGX2	SECINFO	EPCPAGE (Src)	EPCPAGE (Dst)	
EADD	SGX1	PAGEINFO and linked structures	EPCPAGE		
EAUG	SGX2	PAGEINFO and linked structures	EPCPAGE		SECS
EBLOCK	SGX1	EPCPAGE			SECS
ECREATE	SGX1	PAGEINFO and linked structures	EPCPAGE		
EDBGRD	SGX1	EPCADDR	Destination		SECS
EDBGWR	SGX1	EPCADDR	Source		SECS
EDECVIRTCHILD	OVERSUB	EPCPAGE	SECS		
EENTER	SGX1	TCS and linked SSA			SECS

Table 35-1. List of Implicit and Explicit Memory Access by Intel® SGX Enclave Instructions (Contd.)

Instr. Leaf	Enum.	Explicit 1	Explicit 2	Explicit 3	Implicit
EEXIT	SGX1				SECS, TCS
EEXTEND	SGX1	SECS	EPCPAGE		
EGETKEY	SGX1	KEYREQUEST	KEY		SECS
EINCVIRTCHILD	OVERSUB	EPCPAGE	SECS		
EINIT	SGX1	SIGSTRUCT	SECS	EINITTOKEN	
ELDB/ELDU	SGX1	PAGEINFO and linked structures, PCMD	EPCPAGE	VAPAGE	
ELDBC/ELDUC	OVERSUB	PAGEINFO and linked structures	EPCPAGE	VAPAGE	
EMODPE	SGX2	SECINFO	EPCPAGE		
EMODPR	SGX2	SECINFO	EPCPAGE		SECS
EMODT	SGX2	SECINFO	EPCPAGE		SECS
EPA	SGX1	EPCADDR			
ERDINFO	OVERSUB	RDINFO	EPCPAGE		
EREMOVE	SGX1	EPCPAGE			SECS
EREPORT	SGX1	TARGETINFO	REPORTDATA	OUTPUTDATA	SECS
ERESUME	SGX1	TCS and linked SSA			SECS
ESETCONTEXT	OVERSUB		SECS	ContextValue	
ETRACK	SGX1	EPCPAGE			
ETRACKC	OVERSUB		EPCPAGE		
EWB	SGX1	PAGEINFO and linked structures, PCMD	EPCPAGE	VAPAGE	SECS
Asynchronous Enclave Exit*					SECS, TCS, SSA

*Details of Asynchronous Enclave Exit (AEX) is described in Section 37.4

35.6 INTEL® SGX DATA STRUCTURES OVERVIEW

Enclave operation is managed via a collection of data structures. Many of the top-level data structures contain sub-structures. The top-level data structures relate to parameters that may be used in enclave setup/maintenance, by Intel SGX instructions, or AEX event. The top-level data structures are:

- SGX Enclave Control Structure (SECS)
- Thread Control Structure (TCS)
- State Save Area (SSA)
- Page Information (PAGEINFO)
- Security Information (SECINFO)
- Paging Crypto MetaData (PCMD)
- Enclave Signature Structure (SIGSTRUCT)
- EINIT Token Structure (EINITTOKEN)
- Report Structure (REPORT)
- Report Target Info (TARGETINFO)
- Key Request (KEYREQUEST)
- Version Array (VA)
- Enclave Page Cache Map (EPCM)
- Read Info (RDINFO)

Details of the top-level data structures and associated sub-structures are listed in Section 35.7 through Section 35.20.

35.7 SGX ENCLAVE CONTROL STRUCTURE (SECS)

The SECS data structure requires 4K-Bytes alignment.

Table 35-2. Layout of SGX Enclave Control Structure (SECS)

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
SIZE	0	8	Size of enclave in bytes; must be power of 2.
BASEADDR	8	8	Enclave Base Linear Address must be naturally aligned to size.
SSAFRAMESIZE	16	4	Size of one SSA frame in pages, including XSAVE, pad, GPR, and MISC (if CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX != 0).
MISCSELECT	20	4	Bit vector specifying which extended features are saved to the MISC region (see Section 35.7.2) of the SSA frame when an AEX occurs.
CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET	24	8	Page aligned offset of legacy code page bitmap from enclave base. Software is expected to program this offset such that the entire bitmap resides in the ELRANGE when legacy compatibility mode for indirect branch tracking is enabled. However this is not enforced by the hardware. This field exists when CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):EDX.CET_IBT[bit 20] is enumerated as 1, else it is reserved.
CET_ATTRIBUTES	32	1	CET feature attributes of the enclave; see Table 35-5. This field exists when CPUID.(EAX=12,ECX=1):EAX[6] is enumerated as 1, else it is reserved.
RESERVED	33	15	
ATTRIBUTES	48	16	Attributes of the Enclave, see Table 35-3.
MRENCLAVE	64	32	Measurement Register of enclave build process. See SIGSTRUCT for format.
RESERVED	96	32	
MRSIGNER	128	32	Measurement Register extended with the public key that verified the enclave. See SIGSTRUCT for format.
RESERVED	160	32	
CONFIGID	192	64	Post EINIT configuration identity.
ISVPRODID	256	2	Product ID of enclave.
ISVSVN	258	2	Security version number (SVN) of the enclave.
CONFIGSVN	260	2	Post EINIT configuration security version number (SVN).
RESERVED	262	3834	<p>The RESERVED field consists of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ EID: An 8 byte Enclave Identifier. Its location is implementation specific. ▪ PAD: A 352 bytes padding pattern from the Signature (used for key derivation strings). It's location is implementation specific. ▪ VIRTCHILDCNT: An 8 byte Count of virtual children that have been paged out by a VMM. Its location is implementation specific. ▪ ENCLAVECONTEXT: An 8 byte Enclave context pointer. Its location is implementation specific. ▪ ISVFAMILYID: A 16 byte value assigned to identify the family of products the enclave belongs to. ▪ ISVEXTPRODID: A 16 byte value assigned to identify the product identity of the enclave. ▪ The remaining 3226 bytes are reserved area. <p>The entire 3834 byte field must be cleared prior to executing ECREATE.</p>

35.7.1 ATTRIBUTES

The ATTRIBUTES data structure is comprised of bit-granular fields that are used in the SECS, the REPORT and the KEYREQUEST structures. CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1) enumerates a bitmap of permitted 1-setting of bits in ATTRIBUTES.

Table 35-3. Layout of ATTRIBUTES Structure

Field	Bit Position	Description
INIT	0	This bit indicates if the enclave has been initialized by EINIT. It must be cleared when loaded as part of ECREATE. For EREPORT instruction, TARGET_INFO.ATTRIBUTES[ENIT] must always be 1 to match the state after EINIT has initialized the enclave.
DEBUG	1	If 1, the enclave permit debugger to read and write enclave data using EDBGD and EDBGWR.
MODE64BIT	2	Enclave runs in 64-bit mode.
RESERVED	3	Must be Zero.
PROVISIONKEY	4	Provisioning Key is available from EGETKEY.
EINITTOKEN_KEY	5	EINIT token key is available from EGETKEY.
CET	6	Enable CET attributes. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0 this bit is reserved and must be 0.
KSS	7	Key Separation and Sharing Enabled.
RESERVED	9:8	Must be zero.
AEXNOTIFY	10	The bit indicates that threads within the enclave may receive AEX notifications.
RESERVED	63:11	Must be zero.
XFRM	127:64	XSAVE Feature Request Mask. See Section 39.7.

35.7.2 SECS.MISCSELECT Field

CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] enumerates which extended information that the processor can save into the MISC region of SSA when an AEX occurs. An enclave writer can specify via SIGSTRUCT how to set the SECS.MISCSELECT field. The bit vector of MISCSELECT selects which extended information is to be saved in the MISC region of the SSA frame when an AEX is generated. The bit vector definition of extended information is listed in Table 35-4.

If CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] = 0, SECS.MISCSELECT field must be all zeros.

The SECS.MISCSELECT field determines the size of MISC region of the SSA frame, see Section 35.9.2.

Table 35-4. Bit Vector Layout of MISCSELECT Field of Extended Information

Field	Bit Position	Description
EXINFO	0	Report information about page fault and general protection exception that occurred inside an enclave.
CPINFO	1	Report information about control protection exception that occurred inside an enclave. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[1] is 0, this bit is reserved.
Reserved	31:2	Reserved (0).

35.7.3 SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES Field

The SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES field can be used by the enclave writer to enable various CET attributes in an enclave. This field exists when CPUID.(EAX=12, ECX=1):EAX[6] is enumerated as 1. Bits 1:0 are defined when CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):ECX.CET_SS is 1, and bits 5:2 are defined when CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):EDX.CET_IBT is 1.

Table 35-5. Bit Vector Layout of CET_ATTRIBUTES Field of Extended Information

Field	Bit Position	Description
SH_STK_EN	0	When set to 1, enable shadow stacks.
WR_SHSTK_EN	1	When set to 1, enables the WRSS{D,Q}W instructions.
ENDBR_EN	2	When set to 1, enables indirect branch tracking.
LEG_IW_EN	3	Enable legacy compatibility treatment for indirect branch tracking.
NO_TRACK_EN	4	When set to 1, enables use of no-track prefix for indirect branch tracking.
SUPPRESS_DIS	5	When set to 1, disables suppression of CET indirect branch tracking on legacy compatibility.
Reserved	7:6	Reserved (0).

35.8 THREAD CONTROL STRUCTURE (TCS)

Each executing thread in the enclave is associated with a Thread Control Structure. It requires 4K-Bytes alignment.

Table 35-6. Layout of Thread Control Structure (TCS)

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
STAGE	0	8	Enclave execution state of the thread controlled by this TCS. A value of 0 indicates that this TCS is available for enclave entry. A value of 1 indicates that a logical processor is currently executing an enclave in the context of this TCS.
FLAGS	8	8	The thread's execution flags (see Section 35.8.1).
OSSA	16	8	Offset of the base of the State Save Area stack, relative to the enclave base. Must be page aligned.
CSSA	24	4	Current slot index of an SSA frame, cleared by EADD and EACCEPT.
NSSA	28	4	Number of available slots for SSA frames.
OENTRY	32	8	Offset in enclave to which control is transferred on EENTER relative to the base of the enclave.
AEP	40	8	The value of the Asynchronous Exit Pointer that was saved at EENTER time.
OFSBASE	48	8	Offset to add to the base address of the enclave for producing the base address of FS segment inside the enclave. Must be page aligned.
OGSBASE	56	8	Offset to add to the base address of the enclave for producing the base address of GS segment inside the enclave. Must be page aligned.
FSLIMIT	64	4	Size to become the new FS limit in 32-bit mode.
GSLIMIT	68	4	Size to become the new GS limit in 32-bit mode.
OCETSSA	72	8	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1);EAX[6] is 1, this field provides the offset of the CET state save area from enclave base. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1);EAX[6] is 0, this field is reserved and must be 0.
PREVSSP	80	8	When CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=00h);ECX[CET_SS] is 1, this field records the SSP at the time of AEX or EEXIT; used to setup SSP on entry. When CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=00h);ECX[CET_SS] is 0, this field is reserved and must be 0.
RESERVED	72	4024	Must be zero.

35.8.1 TCS.FLAGS

Table 35-7. Layout of TCS.FLAGS Field

Field	Bit Position	Description
DBGOPTIN	0	If set, allows debugging features (single-stepping, breakpoints, etc.) to be enabled and active while executing in the enclave on this TCS. Hardware clears this bit on EADD. A debugger may later modify it if the enclave's ATTRIBUTES.DEBUG is set.
AEXNOTIFY	1	A thread that enters the enclave cannot receive AEX notifications unless this flag is set to 1.
RESERVED	63:2	Must be zero.

35.8.2 State Save Area Offset (OSSA)

The OSSA points to a stack of State Save Area (SSA) frames (see Section 35.9) used to save the processor state when an interrupt or exception occurs while executing in the enclave.

35.8.3 Current State Save Area Frame (CSSA)

CSSA is the index of the current SSA frame that will be used by the processor to determine where to save the processor state on an interrupt or exception that occurs while executing in the enclave. It is an index into the array of frames addressed by OSSA. CSSA is incremented on an AEX and decremented on an ERESUME.

35.8.4 Number of State Save Area Frames (NSSA)

NSSA specifies the number of SSA frames available for this TCS. There must be at least one available SSA frame when EENTER-ing the enclave or the EENTER will fail.

35.9 STATE SAVE AREA (SSA) FRAME

When an AEX occurs while running in an enclave, the architectural state is saved in the thread's current SSA frame, which is pointed to by TCS.CSSA. An SSA frame must be page aligned, and contains the following regions:

- The XSAVE region starts at the base of the SSA frame, this region contains extended feature register state in an XSAVE/FXSAVE-compatible non-compacted format.
- A Pad region: software may choose to maintain a pad region separating the XSAVE region and the MISC region. Software choose the size of the pad region according to the sizes of the MISC and GPRSGX regions.
- The GPRSGX region. The GPRSGX region is the last region of an SSA frame (see Table 35-8). This is used to hold the processor general purpose registers (RAX ... R15), the RIP, the outside RSP and RBP, RFLAGS, and the AEX information.
- The MISC region (If CPUIDEAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] != 0). The MISC region is adjacent to the GRPSGX region, and may contain zero or more components of extended information that would be saved when an AEX occurs. If the MISC region is absent, the region between the GPRSGX and XSAVE regions is the pad region that software can use. If the MISC region is present, the region between the MISC and XSAVE regions is the pad region that software can use. See additional details in Section 35.9.2.

Table 35-8. Top-to-Bottom Layout of an SSA Frame

Region	Offset (Byte)	Size (Bytes)	Description
XSAVE	0	Calculate using CPUID leaf ODH information	The size of XSAVE region in SSA is derived from the enclave's support of the collection of processor extended states that would be managed by XSAVE. The enablement of those processor extended state components in conjunction with CPUID leaf ODH information determines the XSAVE region size in SSA.
Pad	End of XSAVE region	Chosen by enclave writer	Ensure the end of GPRSGX region is aligned to the end of a 4KB page.
MISC	base of GPRSGX - sizeof(MISC)	Calculate from highest set bit of SECS.MISCSELECT	See Section 35.9.2.
GPRSGX	SSAFRAMESIZE - 176	176	See Table 35-9 for layout of the GPRSGX region.

35.9.1 GPRSGX Region

The layout of the GPRSGX region is shown in Table 35-9.

Table 35-9. Layout of GPRSGX Portion of the State Save Area

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
RAX	0	8	
RCX	8	8	
RDX	16	8	
RBX	24	8	
RSP	32	8	
RBP	40	8	
RSI	48	8	
RDI	56	8	
R8	64	8	
R9	72	8	
R10	80	8	
R11	88	8	
R12	96	8	
R13	104	8	
R14	112	8	
R15	120	8	
RFLAGS	128	8	Flag register.
RIP	136	8	Instruction pointer.
URSP	144	8	Non-Enclave (outside) stack pointer. Saved by EENTER, restored on AEX.
URBP	152	8	Non-Enclave (outside) RBP pointer. Saved by EENTER, restored on AEX.
EXITINFO	160	4	Contains information about exceptions that cause AEXs, which might be needed by enclave software (see Section 35.9.1.1).
RESERVED	164	3	

Table 35-9. Layout of GPRSGX Portion of the State Save Area (Contd.)

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
AEXNOTIFY	167	1	Bit 0: This bit allows enclave software to dynamically enable/disable AEX notifications. An enclave thread cannot receive AEX notifications unless this bit is set to 1 in the thread's current SSA frame. All other bits are reserved.
FSBASE	168	8	FS BASE.
GSBASE	176	8	GS BASE.

35.9.1.1 EXITINFO

EXITINFO contains the information used to report exit reasons to software inside the enclave. It is a 4 byte field laid out as in Table 35-10. The VALID bit is set only for the exceptions conditions which are reported inside an enclave. See Table 35-11 for which exceptions are reported inside the enclave. If the exception condition is not one reported inside the enclave then VECTOR and EXIT_TYPE are cleared.

When a higher priority event, such as SMI, and a pending debug exception occur at the same time when executing inside an enclave, the higher priority event has precedence. As an example for an SMI, the SSA exit info is zero. The debug exception will be delivered upon return from the SMI. In such cases, the EXITINFO field will not contain the information of a debug exception.

Table 35-10. Layout of EXITINFO Field

Field	Bit Position	Description
VECTOR	7:0	Exception number of exceptions reported inside enclave.
EXIT_TYPE	10:8	011b: Hardware exceptions. 110b: Software exceptions. Other values: Reserved.
RESERVED	30:11	Reserved as zero.
VALID	31	0: unsupported exceptions. 1: Supported exceptions. Includes two categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unconditionally supported exceptions: #DE, #DB, #BP, #BR, #UD, #MF, #AC, #XM. • Conditionally supported exception: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – #PF, #GP if SECS.MISCSELECT.EXINFO = 1. – #CP if SECS.MISCSELECT.CPINFO=1.

35.9.1.2 VECTOR Field Definition

Table 35-11 contains the VECTOR field. This field contains information about some exceptions which occur inside the enclave. These vector values are the same as the values that would be used when vectoring into regular exception handlers. All values not shown are not reported inside an enclave.

Table 35-11. Exception Vectors

Name	Vector #	Description
#DE	0	Divider exception.
#DB	1	Debug exception.
#BP	3	Breakpoint exception.
#BR	5	Bound range exceeded exception.
#UD	6	Invalid opcode exception.
#GP	13	General protection exception. Only reported if SECS.MISCSELECT.EXINFO = 1.
#PF	14	Page fault exception. Only reported if SECS.MISCSELECT.EXINFO = 1.

Table 35-11. Exception Vectors (Contd.)

Name	Vector #	Description
#MF	16	x87 FPU floating-point error.
#AC	17	Alignment check exceptions.
#XM	19	SIMD floating-point exceptions.
#CP	21	Control protection exception. Only reported if SECS.MISCSELECT.CPINFO=1.

35.9.2 MISC Region

The layout of the MISC region is shown in Table 35-12. The number of components that the processor supports in the MISC region corresponds to the bits of CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] set to 1. Each set bit in CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] has a defined size for the corresponding component, as shown in Table 35-12. Enclave writers needs to do the following:

- Decide which MISC region components will be supported for the enclave.
- Allocate an SSA frame large enough to hold the components chosen above.
- Instruct each enclave builder software to set the appropriate bits in SECS.MISCSELECT.

The first component, EXINFO, starts next to the GPRSGX region. Additional components in the MISC region grow in ascending order within the MISC region towards the XSAVE region.

The size of the MISC region is calculated as follows:

- If CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] = 0, MISC region is not supported.
- If CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] != 0, the size of MISC region is derived from sum of the highest bit set in SECS.MISCSELECT and the size of the MISC component corresponding to that bit. Offset and size information of currently defined MISC components are listed in Table 35-12. For example, if the highest bit set in SECS.MISCSELECT is bit 0, the MISC region offset is OFFSET(GPRSGX)-16 and size is 16 bytes.
- The processor saves a MISC component *i* in the MISC region if and only if SECS.MISCSELECT[*i*] is 1.

Table 35-12. Layout of MISC region of the State Save Area

MISC Components	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
EXINFO	Offset(GPRSGX) -16	16	If CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[0] = 1, exception information on #GP or #PF that occurred inside an enclave can be written to the EXINFO structure if specified by SECS.MISCSELECT[0] = 1. If CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[1] = 1, exception information on #CP that occurred inside an enclave can be written to the EXINFO structure if specified by SECS.MISCSELECT[1] = 1.
Future Extension	Below EXINFO	TBD	Reserved. (Zero size if CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:1]=0).

35.9.2.1 EXINFO Structure

Table 35-13 contains the layout of the EXINFO structure that provides additional information.

Table 35-13. Layout of EXINFO Structure

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
MADDR	0	8	If #PF: contains the page fault linear address that caused a page fault. If #GP: the field is cleared. If #CP: the field is cleared.
ERRCD	8	4	Exception error code for either #GP or #PF.
RESERVED	12	4	

35.9.2.2 Page Fault Error Code

Table 35-14 contains page fault error code that may be reported in EXINFO.ERRCD.

Table 35-14. Page Fault Error Code

Name	Bit Position	Description
P	0	Same as non-SGX page fault exception P flag.
W/R	1	Same as non-SGX page fault exception W/R flag.
U/S ¹	2	Always set to 1 (user mode reference).
RSVD	3	Same as non-SGX page fault exception RSVD flag.
I/D	4	Same as non-SGX page fault exception I/D flag.
PK	5	Protection Key induced fault.
RSVD	14:6	Reserved.
SGX	15	EPCM induced fault.
RSVD	31:5	Reserved.

NOTES:

1. Page faults incident to enclave mode that report U/S=0 are not reported in EXINFO.

35.10 CET STATE SAVE AREA FRAME

The CET state save area consists of an array of CET state save frames. The number of CET state save frames is equal to the TCS.NSSA. The current CET SSA frame is indicated by TCS.CSSA. The offset of the CET state save area is specified by TCS.OCETSSA.

Table 35-15. Layout of CET State Save Area Frame

Field	Offset (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
SSP	0	8	Shadow Stack Pointer. This field is reserved when CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):ECX[CET_SS] is 0.
IB_TRACK_STATE	8	8	Indirect branch tracker state: Bit 0: SUPPRESS - suppressed(1), tracking(0) Bit 1: TRACKER - IDLE (0), WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH (1) Bits 63:2 - Reserved This field is reserved when CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):EDX[CET_IBT] is 0.

35.11 PAGE INFORMATION (PAGEINFO)

PAGEINFO is an architectural data structure that is used as a parameter to the EPC-management instructions. It requires 32-Byte alignment.

Table 35-16. Layout of PAGEINFO Data Structure

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
LINADDR	0	8	Enclave linear address.
SRCPGE	8	8	Effective address of the page where contents are located.
SECINFO/PCMD	16	8	Effective address of the SECINFO or PCMD (for ELDU, ELDB, EWB) structure for the page.
SECS	24	8	Effective address of EPC slot that currently contains the SECS.

35.12 SECURITY INFORMATION (SECINFO)

The SECINFO data structure holds meta-data about an enclave page.

Table 35-17. Layout of SECINFO Data Structure

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
FLAGS	0	8	Flags describing the state of the enclave page.
RESERVED	8	56	Must be zero.

35.12.1 SECINFO.FLAGS

The SECINFO.FLAGS are a set of fields describing the properties of an enclave page.

Table 35-18. Layout of SECINFO.FLAGS Field

Field	Bit Position	Description
R	0	If 1 indicates that the page can be read from inside the enclave; otherwise the page cannot be read from inside the enclave.
W	1	If 1 indicates that the page can be written from inside the enclave; otherwise the page cannot be written from inside the enclave.
X	2	If 1 indicates that the page can be executed from inside the enclave; otherwise the page cannot be executed from inside the enclave.
PENDING	3	If 1 indicates that the page is in the PENDING state; otherwise the page is not in the PENDING state.
MODIFIED	4	If 1 indicates that the page is in the MODIFIED state; otherwise the page is not in the MODIFIED state.
PR	5	If 1 indicates that a permission restriction operation on the page is in progress, otherwise a permission restriction operation is not in progress.
RESERVED	7:6	Must be zero.
PAGE_TYPE	15:8	The type of page that the SECINFO is associated with.
RESERVED	63:16	Must be zero.

35.12.2 PAGE_TYPE Field Definition

The SECINFO flags and EPC flags contain bits indicating the type of page.

Table 35-19. Supported PAGE_TYPE

TYPE	Value	Description
PT_SECS	0	Page is an SECS.
PT_TCS	1	Page is a TCS.
PT_REG	2	Page is a regular page.
PT_VA	3	Page is a Version Array.
PT_TRIM	4	Page is in trimmed state.
PT_SS_FIRST	5	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 1, Page is first page of a shadow stack. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0, this value is reserved.
PT_SS_REST	6	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 1, Page is not first page of a shadow stack. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0, this value is reserved.
	All others	Reserved.

35.13 PAGING CRYPTO METADATA (PCMD)

The PCMD structure is used to keep track of crypto meta-data associated with a paged-out page. Combined with PAGEINFO, it provides enough information for the processor to verify, decrypt, and reload a paged-out EPC page. The size of the PCMD structure (128 bytes) is architectural.

EWB calculates the Message Authentication Code (MAC) value and writes out the PCMD. ELDB/U reads the fields and checks the MAC.

The format of PCMD is as follows:

Table 35-20. Layout of PCMD Data Structure

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
SECINFO	0	64	Flags describing the state of the enclave page; R/W by software.
ENCLAVEID	64	8	Enclave Identifier used to establish a cryptographic binding between paged-out page and the enclave.
RESERVED	72	40	Must be zero.
MAC	112	16	Message Authentication Code for the page, page meta-data and reserved field.

35.14 ENCLAVE SIGNATURE STRUCTURE (SIGSTRUCT)

SIGSTRUCT is a structure created and signed by the enclave developer that contains information about the enclave. SIGSTRUCT is processed by the EINIT leaf function to verify that the enclave was properly built.

SIGSTRUCT includes ENCLAVEHASH as SHA256 digest, as defined in FIPS PUB 180-4. The digests are byte strings of length 32. Each of the 8 HASH dwords is stored in little-endian order.

SIGSTRUCT includes four 3072-bit integers (MODULUS, SIGNATURE, Q1, Q2). Each such integer is represented as a byte strings of length 384, with the most significant byte at the position "offset + 383", and the least significant byte at position "offset".

The (3072-bit integer) SIGNATURE should be an RSA signature, where: a) the RSA modulus (MODULUS) is a 3072-bit integer; b) the public exponent is set to 3; c) the signing procedure uses the EMSA-PKCS1-v1.5 format with DER encoding of the "DigestInfo" value as specified in of PKCS#1 v2.1/RFC 3447.

The 3072-bit integers Q1 and Q2 are defined by:

$q1 = \text{floor}(\text{Signature}^2 / \text{Modulus});$

$q2 = \text{floor}((\text{Signature}^3 - q1 * \text{Signature} * \text{Modulus}) / \text{Modulus});$

SIGSTRUCT must be page aligned

In column 5 of Table 35-21, 'Y' indicates that this field should be included in the signature generated by the developer.

Table 35-21. Layout of Enclave Signature Structure (SIGSTRUCT)

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description	Signed
HEADER	0	16	Must be byte stream 06000000E10000000000010000000000H	Y
VENDOR	16	4	Intel Enclave: 00008086H Non-Intel Enclave: 00000000H	Y
DATE	20	4	Build date is yyyyymmdd in hex: yyyy=4 digit year, mm=1-12, dd=1-31	Y
HEADER2	24	16	Must be byte stream 01010000600000006000000001000000H	Y
SWDEFINED	40	4	Available for software use.	Y

Table 35-21. Layout of Enclave Signature Structure (SIGSTRUCT)

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description	Signed
RESERVED	44	84	Must be zero.	Y
MODULUS	128	384	Module Public Key (keylength=3072 bits).	N
EXPONENT	512	4	RSA Exponent = 3.	N
SIGNATURE	516	384	Signature over Header and Body.	N
MISCSELECT ¹	900	4	Bit vector specifying Extended SSA frame feature set to be used.	Y
MISCMASK	904	4	Bit vector mask of MISCSELECT to enforce.	Y
CET_ATTRIBUTES	908	1	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 1, this field provides the Enclave CET attributes that must be set. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0, this field is reserved and must be 0.	Y
CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK	909	1	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 1, this field provides the Mask of CET attributes to enforce. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0, this field is reserved and must be 0.	Y
RESERVED	910	2	Must be zero.	Y
ISVFAMILYID	912	16	ISV assigned Product Family ID.	Y
ATTRIBUTES	928	16	Enclave Attributes that must be set.	Y
ATTRIBUTEMASK	944	16	Mask of Attributes to enforce.	Y
ENCLAVEHASH	960	32	MRENCLAVE of enclave this structure applies to.	Y
RESERVED	992	16	Must be zero.	Y
ISVEXTPRODID	1008	16	ISV assigned extended Product ID.	Y
ISVPRODID	1024	2	ISV assigned Product ID.	Y
ISVSVN	1026	2	ISV assigned SVN (security version number).	Y
RESERVED	1028	12	Must be zero.	N
Q1	1040	384	Q1 value for RSA Signature Verification.	N
Q2	1424	384	Q2 value for RSA Signature Verification.	N

NOTES:

1. If CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] = 0, MISCSELECT must be 0.

35.15 EINIT TOKEN STRUCTURE (EINITTOKEN)

The EINIT token is used by EINIT to verify that the enclave is permitted to launch. EINIT token is generated by an enclave in possession of the EINITTOKEN key (the Launch Enclave).

EINIT token must be 512-Byte aligned.

Table 35-22. Layout of EINIT Token (EINITTOKEN)

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	MACed	Description
Valid	0	4	Y	Bit 0: 1: Valid; 0: Invalid. All other bits reserved.
RESERVED	4	44	Y	Must be zero.
ATTRIBUTES	48	16	Y	ATTRIBUTES of the Enclave.
MRENCLAVE	64	32	Y	MRENCLAVE of the Enclave.
RESERVED	96	32	Y	Reserved.
MRSIGNER	128	32	Y	MRSIGNER of the Enclave.
RESERVED	160	32	Y	Reserved.
CPUSVNLE	192	16	N	Launch Enclave's CPUSVN.
ISVPRODIDLE	208	02	N	Launch Enclave's ISVPRODID.
ISVSVNLE	210	02	N	Launch Enclave's ISVSVN.
CET_MASKED_ATTRIBUTES_LE	212	1	N	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 1, this field provides the Launch enclaves masked CET attributes. This should be set to LE's CET_ATTRIBUTES masked with CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK of the LE's KEYREQUEST. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0, this field is reserved.
RESERVED	213	23	N	Reserved.
MASKEDMISCSELECTLE	236	4		Launch Enclave's MASKEDMISCSELECT: set by the LE to the resolved MISCSELECT value, used by EGETKEY (after applying KEYREQUEST's masking).
MASKEDATTRIBUTESLE	240	16	N	Launch Enclave's MASKEDATTRIBUTES: This should be set to the LE's ATTRIBUTES masked with ATTRIBUTEMASK of the LE's KEYREQUEST.
KEYID	256	32	N	Value for key wear-out protection.
MAC	288	16	N	Message Authentication Code on EINITTOKEN using EINITTOKEN_KEY.

35.16 REPORT (REPORT)

The REPORT structure is the output of the EREPORT instruction, and must be 512-Byte aligned.

Table 35-23. Layout of REPORT

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
CPUSVN	0	16	The security version number of the processor.
MISCSELECT	16	4	Bit vector specifying which extended features are saved to the MISC region of the SSA frame when an AEX occurs.
CET_ATTRIBUTES	20	1	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 1, this field reports the CET_ATTRIBUTES of the Enclave. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0, this field is reserved and must be 0.
RESERVED	21	11	Zero.
ISVEXTNPRODID	32	16	The value of SECS.ISVEXTPRODID.
ATTRIBUTES	48	16	ATTRIBUTES of the Enclave. See Section 35.7.1.
MRENCLAVE	64	32	The value of SECS.MRENCLAVE.
RESERVED	96	32	Zero.
MRSIGNER	128	32	The value of SECS.MRSIGNER.
RESERVED	160	32	Zero.

Table 35-23. Layout of REPORT

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
CONFIGID	192	64	Value provided by SW to identify enclave's post EINIT configuration.
ISVPRODID	256	2	Product ID of enclave.
ISVSVN	258	2	Security version number (SVN) of the enclave.
CONFIGSVN	260	2	Value provided by SW to indicate expected SVN of enclave's post EINIT configuration.
RESERVED	262	42	Zero.
ISVFAMILYID	304	16	The value of SECS.ISVFAMILYID.
REPORTDATA	320	64	Data provided by the user and protected by the REPORT's MAC, see Section 35.16.1.
KEYID	384	32	Value for key wear-out protection.
MAC	416	16	Message Authentication Code on the report using report key.

35.16.1 REPORTDATA

REPORTDATA is a 64-Byte data structure that is provided by the enclave and included in the REPORT. It can be used to securely pass information from the enclave to the target enclave.

35.17 REPORT TARGET INFO (TARGETINFO)

This structure is an input parameter to the EREPORT leaf function. The address of TARGETINFO is specified as an effective address in RBX. It is used to identify the target enclave which will be able to cryptographically verify the REPORT structure returned by EREPORT. TARGETINFO must be 512-Byte aligned.

Table 35-24. Layout of TARGETINFO Data Structure

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
MEASUREMENT	0	32	The MRENCLAVE of the target enclave.
ATTRIBUTES	32	16	The ATTRIBUTES field of the target enclave.
CET_ATTRIBUTES	48	1	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 1, this field provides the CET_ATTRIBUTES field of the target enclave. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0, this field is reserved.
RESERVED	49	1	Must be zero.
CONFIGSVN	50	2	CONFIGSVN of the target enclave.
MISCSELECT	52	4	The MISCSELECT of the target enclave.
RESERVED	56	8	Must be zero.
CONFIGID	64	64	CONFIGID of target enclave.
RESERVED	128	384	Must be zero.

35.18 KEY REQUEST (KEYREQUEST)

This structure is an input parameter to the EGETKEY leaf function. It is passed in as an effective address in RBX and must be 512-Byte aligned. It is used for selecting the appropriate key and any additional parameters required in the derivation of that key.

Table 35-25. Layout of KEYREQUEST Data Structure

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
KEYNAME	0	2	Identifies the Key Required.
KEYPOLICY	2	2	Identifies which inputs are required to be used in the key derivation.
ISVSVN	4	2	The ISV security version number that will be used in the key derivation.
CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK	6	1	When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 1, this field provides a mask that defines which CET_ATTRIBUTES bits will be included in key derivation. When CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0, then this field is reserved and must be 0.
RESERVED	7	1	Must be zero.
CPUSVN	8	16	The security version number of the processor used in the key derivation.
ATTRIBUTEMASK	24	16	A mask defining which ATTRIBUTES bits will be included in key derivation.
KEYID	40	32	Value for key wear-out protection.
MISCMASK	72	4	A mask defining which MISCSELECT bits will be included in key derivation.
CONFIGSVN	76	2	Identifies which enclave Configuration's Security Version should be used in key derivation.
RESERVED	78	434	

35.18.1 KEY REQUEST KeyNames

Table 35-26. Supported KEYName Values

Key Name	Value	Description
EINIT_TOKEN_KEY	0	EINIT_TOKEN key
PROVISION_KEY	1	Provisioning Key
PROVISION_SEAL_KEY	2	Provisioning Seal Key
REPORT_KEY	3	Report Key
SEAL_KEY	4	Seal Key
	All others	Reserved

35.18.2 Key Request Policy Structure

Table 35-27. Layout of KEYPOLICY Field

Field	Bit Position	Description
MRENCLAVE	0	If 1, derive key using the enclave's MRENCLAVE measurement register.
MRSIGNER	1	If 1, derive key using the enclave's MRSIGNER measurement register.
NOISVPRODID	2	If 1, derive key WITHOUT using the enclave' ISVPRODID value.
CONFIGID	3	If 1, derive key using the enclave's CONFIGID value.
ISVFAMILYID	4	If 1, derive key using the enclave ISVFAMILYID value.
ISVEXTPRODID	5	If 1, derive key using enclave's ISVEXTPRODID value.
RESERVED	15:6	Must be zero.

35.19 VERSION ARRAY (VA)

In order to securely store the versions of evicted EPC pages, Intel SGX defines a special EPC page type called a Version Array (VA). Each VA page contains 512 slots, each of which can contain an 8-byte version number for a page evicted from the EPC. When an EPC page is evicted, software chooses an empty slot in a VA page; this slot receives the unique version number of the page being evicted. When the EPC page is reloaded, there must be a VA slot that must hold the version of the page. If the page is successfully reloaded, the version in the VA slot is cleared.

VA pages can be evicted, just like any other EPC page. When evicting a VA page, a version slot in some other VA page must be used to hold the version for the VA being evicted. A Version Array Page must be 4K-Bytes aligned.

Table 35-28. Layout of Version Array Data Structure

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
Slot 0	0	8	Version Slot 0
Slot 1	8	8	Version Slot 1
...			
Slot 511	4088	8	Version Slot 511

35.20 ENCLAVE PAGE CACHE MAP (EPCM)

EPCM is a secure structure used by the processor to track the contents of the EPC. The EPCM holds exactly one entry for each page that is currently loaded into the EPC. EPCM is not accessible by software, and the layout of EPCM fields is implementation specific.

Table 35-29. Content of an Enclave Page Cache Map Entry

Field	Description
VALID	Indicates whether the EPCM entry is valid.
R	Read access; indicates whether enclave accesses for reads are allowed from the EPC page referenced by this entry.
W	Write access; indicates whether enclave accesses for writes are allowed to the EPC page referenced by this entry.
X	Execute access; indicates whether enclave accesses for instruction fetches are allowed from the EPC page referenced by this entry.
PT	EPCM page type (PT_SECS, PT_TCS, PT_REG, PT_VA, PT_TRIM, PT_SS_FIRST, PT_SS_REST).
ENCLAVESECS	SECS identifier of the enclave to which the EPC page belongs.
ENCLAVEADDRESS	Linear enclave address of the EPC page.
BLOCKED	Indicates whether the EPC page is in the blocked state.
PENDING	Indicates whether the EPC page is in the pending state.
MODIFIED	Indicates whether the EPC page is in the modified state.
PR	Indicates whether the EPC page is in a permission restriction state.

35.21 READ INFO (RDINFO)

The RDINFO structure contains status information about an EPC page. It must be aligned to 32-Bytes.

Table 35-30. Layout of RDINFO Structure

Field	OFFSET (Bytes)	Size (Bytes)	Description
STATUS	0	8	Page status information.
FLAGS	8	8	EPCM state of the page.
ENCLAVECONTEXT	16	8	Context pointer describing the page's parent location.

35.21.1 RDINFO Status Structure

Table 35-31. Layout of RDINFO STATUS Structure

Field	Bit Position	Description
CHILDPRESENT	0	Indicates that the page has one or more child pages present (always zero for non-SECS pages). In VMX non-root operation includes the presence of virtual children.
VIRTCHLDPRESENT	1	Indicates that the page has one or more virtual child pages present (always zero for non-SECS pages). In VMX non-root operation this value is always zero.
RESERVED	63:2	

35.21.2 RDINFO Flags Structure

Table 35-32. Layout of RDINFO FLAGS Structure

Field	Bit Position	Description
R	0	Read access; indicates whether enclave accesses for reads are allowed from the EPC page referenced by this entry.
W	1	Write access; indicates whether enclave accesses for writes are allowed to the EPC page referenced by this entry.
X	2	Execute access; indicates whether enclave accesses for instruction fetches are allowed from the EPC page referenced by this entry.
PENDING	3	Indicates whether the EPC page is in the pending state.
MODIFIED	4	Indicates whether the EPC page is in the modified state.
PR	5	Indicates whether the EPC page is in a permission restriction state.
RESERVED	7:6	
PAGE_TYPE	15:8	Indicates the page type of the EPC page.
RESERVED	62:16	
BLOCKED	63	Indicates whether the EPC page is in the blocked state.

17. Updates to Chapter 38, Volume 3D

Change bars and violet text show changes to Chapter 38 of the *Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3D: System Programming Guide, Part 4*.

Changes to this chapter:

- Correction to the Instruction Operand Encoding table for the EAUG instruction.

CHAPTER 38

INTEL® SGX INSTRUCTION REFERENCES

This chapter describes the supervisor and user level instructions provided by Intel® Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX). In general, various functionality is encoded as leaf functions within the ENCLS (supervisor), ENCLU (user), and the ENCLV (virtualization operation) instruction mnemonics. Different leaf functions are encoded by specifying an input value in the EAX register of the respective instruction mnemonic.

38.1 INTEL® SGX INSTRUCTION SYNTAX AND OPERATION

ENCLS, ENCLU, and ENCLV instruction mnemonics for all leaf functions are covered in this section.

For all instructions, the value of CS.D is ignored; addresses and operands are 64 bits in 64-bit mode and are otherwise 32 bits. Aside from EAX specifying the leaf number as input, each instruction leaf may require all or some subset of the RBX/RCX/RDX as input parameters. Some leaf functions may return data or status information in one or more of the general purpose registers.

38.1.1 ENCLS Register Usage Summary

Table 38-1 summarizes the implicit register usage of supervisor mode enclave instructions.

Table 38-1. Register Usage of Privileged Enclave Instruction Leaf Functions

Instr. Leaf	EAX	RBX	RCX	RDX
ECREATE	00H (In)	PAGEINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EADD	01H (In)	PAGEINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EINIT	02H (In)	SIGSTRUCT (In, EA)	SECS (In, EA)	EINITTOKEN (In, EA)
EREMOVE	03H (In)		EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EDBGGRD	04H (In)	Result Data (Out)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EDBGWR	05H (In)	Source Data (In)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EEXTEND	06H (In)	SECS (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
ELDB	07H (In)	PAGEINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	VERSION (In, EA)
ELDU	08H (In)	PAGEINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	VERSION (In, EA)
EBLOCK	09H (In)		EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EPA	0AH (In)	PT_VA (In)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EWB	0BH (In)	PAGEINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	VERSION (In, EA)
ETRACK	0CH (In)		EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EAUG	0DH (In)	PAGEINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EMODPR	0EH (In)	SECINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EMODT	0FH (In)	SECINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
ERDINFO	010H (In)	RDINFO (In, EA*)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
ETRACKC	011H (In)		EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
ELDBC	012H (In)	PAGEINFO (In, EA*)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	VERSION (In, EA)
ELDUC	013H (In)	PAGEINFO (In, EA*)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	VERSION (In, EA)

EA: Effective Address

38.1.2 ENCLU Register Usage Summary

Table 38-2 summarizes the implicit register usage of user mode enclave instructions.

Table 38-2. Register Usage of Unprivileged Enclave Instruction Leaf Functions

Instr. Leaf	EAX	RBX	RCX	RDX
EReport	00H (In)	TARGETINFO (In, EA)	REPORTDATA (In, EA)	OUTPUTDATA (In, EA)
EGetKey	01H (In)	KEYREQUEST (In, EA)	KEY (In, EA)	
EEnter	02H (In)	TCS (In, EA)	AEP (In, EA)	
	RBX.CSSA (Out)		Return (Out, EA)	
EResume	03H (In)	TCS (In, EA)	AEP (In, EA)	
EExit	04H (In)	Target (In, EA)	Current AEP (Out)	
EAccept	05H (In)	SECINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EModPE	06H (In)	SECINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	
EAcceptCopy	07H (In)	SECINFO (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)
EDeCSSA	09H (In)			

EA: Effective Address

38.1.3 ENCLV Register Usage Summary

Table 38-3 summarizes the implicit register usage of virtualization operation enclave instructions.

Table 38-3. Register Usage of Virtualization Operation Enclave Instruction Leaf Functions

Instr. Leaf	EAX	RBX	RCX	RDX
EDeVirtChild	00H (In)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	SECS (In, EA)	
EInVirtChild	01H (In)	EPCPAGE (In, EA)	SECS (In, EA)	
ESetContext	02H (In)		EPCPAGE (In, EA)	Context Value (In, EA)

EA: Effective Address

38.1.4 Information and Error Codes

Information and error codes are reported by various instruction leaf functions to show an abnormal termination of the instruction or provide information which may be useful to the developer. Table 38-4 shows the various codes and the instruction which generated the code. Details of the meaning of the code is provided in the individual instruction.

Table 38-4. Error or Information Codes for Intel® SGX Instructions

Name	Value	Returned By
No Error	0	
SGX_INVALID_SIG_STRUCT	1	EINIT
SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE	2	EINIT, EGETKEY
SGX_BLKSTATE	3	EBLOCK
SGX_INVALID_MEASUREMENT	4	EINIT
SGX_NOTBLOCKABLE	5	EBLOCK
SGX_PG_INVLD	6	EBLOCK, ERDINFO, ETRACKC

Table 38-4. Error or Information Codes for Intel® SGX Instructions

Name	Value	Returned By
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	7	EBLOCK, EMODPR, EMODT, ERDINFO, EDECVIRTCHILD, EINCVIRTCHILD, ELDBC, ELDUC, ESETCONTEXT, ETRACKC
SGX_INVALID_SIGNATURE	8	EINIT
SGX_MAC_COMPARE_FAIL	9	ELDB, ELDU, ELDBC, ELDUC
SGX_PAGE_NOT_BLOCKED	10	EWB
SGX_NOT_TRACKED	11	EWB, EACCEPT
SGX_VA_SLOT_OCCUPIED	12	EWB
SGX_CHILD_PRESENT	13	EWB, EREMOVE
SGX_ENCLAVE_ACT	14	EREMOVE
SGX_ENTRYEPOCH_LOCKED	15	EBLOCK
SGX_INVALID_EINITTOKEN	16	EINIT
SGX_PREV_TRK_INCMPL	17	ETRACK, ETRACKC
SGX_PG_IS_SECS	18	EBLOCK
SGX_PAGE_ATTRIBUTES_MISMATCH	19	EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY
SGX_PAGE_NOT_MODIFIABLE	20	EMODPR, EMODT
SGX_PAGE_NOT_DEBUGGABLE	21	EDBGRD, EDBGWR
SGX_INVALID_COUNTER	25	EDECVIRTCHILD
SGX_PG_NONEPC	26	ERDINFO
SGX_TRACK_NOT_REQUIRED	27	ETRACKC
SGX_INVALID_CPUSVN	32	EINIT, EGETKEY
SGX_INVALID_ISVSVN	64	EGETKEY
SGX_UNMASKED_EVENT	128	EINIT
SGX_INVALID_KEYNAME	256	EGETKEY

38.1.5 Internal CREGs

The CREGs as shown in Table 5-4 are hardware specific registers used in this document to indicate values kept by the processor. These values are used while executing in enclave mode or while executing an Intel SGX instruction. These registers are not software visible and are implementation specific. The values in Table 38-5 appear at various places in the pseudo-code of this document. They are used to enhance understanding of the operations.

Table 38-5. List of Internal CREG

Name	Size (Bits)	Scope
CR_ENCLAVE_MODE	1	LP
CR_DBGOPTIN	1	LP
CR_TCS_LA	64	LP
CR_TCS_PA	64	LP
CR_ACTIVE_SECS	64	LP
CR_ELRange	128	LP
CR_SAVE_TF	1	LP
CR_SAVE_FS	64	LP
CR_GPR_PA	64	LP
CR_XSAVE_PAGE_n	64	LP

Table 38-5. List of Internal CREG

Name	Size (Bits)	Scope
CR_SAVE_DR7	64	LP
CR_SAVE_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	64	LP
CR_SAVE_DEBUGCTL	64	LP
CR_SAVE_PEBS_ENABLE	64	LP
CR_CPUSVN	128	PACKAGE
CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH	128	PACKAGE
CR_SAVE_XCRO	64	LP
CR_SGX_ATTRIBUTES_MASK	128	LP
CR_PAGING_VERSION	64	PACKAGE
CR_VERSION_THRESHOLD	64	PACKAGE
CR_NEXT_EID	64	PACKAGE
CR_BASE_PK	128	PACKAGE
CR_SEAL_FUSES	128	PACKAGE
CR_CET_SAVE_AREA_PA	64	LP
CR_ENCLAVE_SS_TOKEN_PA	64	LP
CR_SAVE_IA32_U_CET	64	LP
CR_SAVE_SSP	64	LP

38.1.6 Concurrent Operation Restrictions

Under certain conditions, Intel SGX disallows certain leaf functions from operating concurrently. Listed below are some examples of concurrency that are not allowed.

- For example, Intel SGX disallows the following leaves to concurrently operate on the same EPC page.
 - ECREATE, EADD, and EREMOVE are not allowed to operate on the same EPC page concurrently with themselves.
 - EADD, EEXTEND, and EINIT leaves are not allowed to operate on the same SECS concurrently.
- Intel SGX disallows the EREMOVE leaf from removing pages from an enclave that is in use.
- Intel SGX disallows entry (EENTER and ERESUME) to an enclave while a page from that enclave is being removed.

When disallowed operation is detected, a leaf function may do one of the following:

- Return an SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT error code in RAX.
- Cause a #GP(0) exception.

To prevent such exceptions, software must serialize leaf functions or prevent these leaf functions from accessing the same EPC page.

38.1.6.1 Concurrency Tables of Intel® SGX Instructions

The tables below detail the concurrent operation restrictions of all SGX leaf functions. For each leaf function, the table has a separate line for each of the EPC pages the leaf function accesses.

For each such EPC page, the base concurrency requirements are detailed as follows:

- **Exclusive Access** means that no other leaf function that requires either shared or exclusive access to the same EPC page may be executed concurrently. For example, EADD requires an exclusive access to the target page it accesses.

- **Shared Access** means that no other leaf function that requires an exclusive access to the same EPC page may be executed concurrently. Other leaf functions that require shared access may run concurrently. For example, EADD requires a shared access to the SECS page it accesses.
- **Concurrent Access** means that any other leaf function that requires any access to the same EPC page may be executed concurrently. For example, EGETKEY has no concurrency requirements for the KEYREQUEST page.

In addition to the base concurrency requirements, additional concurrency requirements are listed, which apply only to specific sets of leaf functions. For example, there are additional requirements that apply for EADD, EXTEND, and EINIT. EADD and EEXTEND can't execute concurrently on the same SECS page.

The tables also detail the leaf function's behavior when a conflict happens, i.e., a concurrency requirement is not met. In this case, the leaf function may return an SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT error code in RAX, or it may cause an exception. In addition, the tables detail those conflicts where a VM Exit may be triggered, and list the Exit Qualification code that is provided in such cases.

Table 38-6. Base Concurrency Restrictions

Leaf	Parameter		Base Concurrency Restrictions		
			Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EACCEPT	Target	[DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	
	SECINFO	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		
EACCEPTCOPY	Target	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
	Source	[DS:RDX]	Concurrent		
	SECINFO	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		
EADD	Target	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
	SECS	[DS:RBX]PAGEINFO. SECS	Shared	#GP	
EAUG	Target	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
	SECS	[DS:RBX]PAGEINFO. SECS	Shared	#GP	
EBLOCK	Target	[DS:RCX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE _CONFLICT	
ECREATE	SECS	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
EDBGGRD	Target	[DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	
EDBGWR	Target	[DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	
EDECVIRTCHILD	Target	[DS:RBX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE _CONFLICT	
	SECS	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
EENTERTCS	SECS	[DS:RBX]	Shared	#GP	
EEXIT			Concurrent		
EEXTEND	Target	[DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	
	SECS	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		
EGETKEY	KEYREQUEST	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		
	OUTPUTDATA	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
EINCVIRTCHILD	Target	[DS:RBX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE _CONFLICT	
	SECS	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
EINIT	SECS	[DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-6. Base Concurrency Restrictions

Leaf	Parameter		Base Concurrency Restrictions		
			Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
ELDB/ELDU	Target	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
	VA	[DS:RDX]	Shared	#GP	
	SECS	[DS:RBX]PAGEINFO. SECS	Shared	#GP	
EDLBC/ELDUC	Target	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_ERROR
	VA	[DS:RDX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
	SECS	[DS:RBX]PAGEINFO. SECS	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
EMODPE	Target	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
	SECINFO	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		
EMODPR	Target	[DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	
EMODT	Target	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_ERROR
EPA	VA	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
ERDINFO	Target	[DS:RCX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
EREMOVE	Target	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
EREPOR	TARGETINFO	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		
	REPORTDATA	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
	OUTPUTDATA	[DS:RDX]	Concurrent		
ERESUME	TCS	[DS:RBX]	Shared	#GP	
ESETCONTEXT	SECS	[DS:RCX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
ETRACK	SECS	[DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	
ETRACKC	Target	[DS:RCX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
	SECS	Implicit	Concurrent		
EWB	Source	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
	VA	[DS:RDX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-7. Additional Concurrency Restrictions

Leaf	Parameter		Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
			vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
			Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EACCEPT	Target	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECINFO	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Table 38-7. Additional Concurrency Restrictions

Leaf	Parameter		Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
			vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
			Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EMODT	Target	[DS:RCX]	Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	Concurrent		Concurrent	
EPA	VA	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
ERDINFO	Target	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
EREMOVE	Target	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
EREPORT	TARGETINFO	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	REPORTDATA	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	OUTPUTDATA	[DS:RDX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
ERESUME	TCS	[DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
ESETCONTEXT	SECS	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
ETRACK	SECS	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT ¹
ETRACKC	Target	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS	Implicit	Concurrent		Concurrent		Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT ¹
EWB	Source	[DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	VA	[DS:RDX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

NOTES:

1. SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification =TRACKING_RESOURCE_CONFLICT.

38.2 INTEL® SGX INSTRUCTION REFERENCE

ENCLS—Execute an Enclave System Function of Specified Leaf Number

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
NP 0F 01 CF ENCLS	Z0	V/V	NA	This instruction is used to execute privileged Intel SGX leaf functions that are used for managing and debugging the enclaves.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Implicit Register Operands
Z0	NA	NA	NA	See Section 38.3

Description

The ENCLS instruction invokes the specified privileged Intel SGX leaf function for managing and debugging enclaves. Software specifies the leaf function by setting the appropriate value in the register EAX as input. The registers RBX, RCX, and RDX have leaf-specific purpose, and may act as input, as output, or may be unused. In 64-bit mode, the instruction ignores upper 32 bits of the RAX register.

The ENCLS instruction produces an invalid-opcode exception (#UD) if CR0.PE = 0 or RFLAGS.VM = 1, or if it is executed in system-management mode (SMM). Additionally, any attempt to execute the instruction when CPL > 0 results in #UD. The instruction produces a general-protection exception (#GP) if CR0.PG = 0 or if an attempt is made to invoke an undefined leaf function.

In VMX non-root operation, execution of ENCLS may cause a VM exit if the “enable ENCLS exiting” VM-execution control is 1. In this case, execution of individual leaf functions of ENCLS is governed by the ENCLS-exiting bitmap field in the VMCS. Each bit in that field corresponds to the index of an ENCLS leaf function (as provided in EAX).

Software in VMX root operation can thus intercept the invocation of various ENCLS leaf functions in VMX non-root operation by setting the “enable ENCLS exiting” VM-execution control and setting the corresponding bits in the ENCLS-exiting bitmap.

Addresses and operands are 32 bits outside 64-bit mode (IA32_EFER.LMA = 0 || CS.L = 0) and are 64 bits in 64-bit mode (IA32_EFER.LMA = 1 || CS.L = 1). CS.D value has no impact on address calculation. The DS segment is used to create linear addresses.

Segment override prefixes and address-size override prefixes are ignored, and is the REX prefix in 64-bit mode.

Operation

IF TSX_ACTIVE

THEN GOTO TSX_ABORT_PROCESSING; FI;

IF CR0.PE = 0 or RFLAGS.VM = 1 or in SMM or CPUID.SGX_LEAF.0:EAX.SE1 = 0

THEN #UD; FI;

IF (CPL > 0)

THEN #UD; FI;

IF in VMX non-root operation and the “enable ENCLS exiting” VM-execution control is 1

THEN

IF EAX < 63 and ENCLS_exiting_bitmap[EAX] = 1 or EAX > 62 and ENCLS_exiting_bitmap[63] = 1

THEN VM exit;

FI;

FI;

IF IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0 or IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0

THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (EAX is an invalid leaf number)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF CR0.PG = 0
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* DS must not be an expanded down segment *)
IF not in 64-bit mode and DS.Type is expand-down data
THEN #GP(0); FI;

Jump to leaf specific flow

Flags Affected

See individual leaf functions

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #UD
If any of the LOCK/66H/REP/VEX prefixes are used.
If current privilege level is not 0.
If CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0):EAX.SGX1 [bit 0] = 0.
If logical processor is in SMM.
- #GP(0)
If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0.
If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0.
If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf.
If data segment expand down.
If CR0.PG=0.

Real-Address Mode Exceptions

- #UD
ENCLS is not recognized in real mode.

Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions

- #UD
ENCLS is not recognized in virtual-8086 mode.

Compatibility Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #UD
If any of the LOCK/66H/REP/VEX prefixes are used.
If current privilege level is not 0.
If CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0):EAX.SGX1 [bit 0] = 0.
If logical processor is in SMM.
- #GP(0)
If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0.
If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0.
If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf.

ENCLU—Execute an Enclave User Function of Specified Leaf Number

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
NP 0F 01 D7 ENCLU	Z0	V/V	NA	This instruction is used to execute non-privileged Intel SGX leaf functions.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Implicit Register Operands
Z0	NA	NA	NA	See Section 38.4

Description

The ENCLU instruction invokes the specified non-privileged Intel SGX leaf functions. Software specifies the leaf function by setting the appropriate value in the register EAX as input. The registers RBX, RCX, and RDX have leaf-specific purpose, and may act as input, as output, or may be unused. In 64-bit mode, the instruction ignores upper 32 bits of the RAX register.

The ENCLU instruction produces an invalid-opcode exception (#UD) if CR0.PE = 0 or RFLAGS.VM = 1, or if it is executed in system-management mode (SMM). Additionally, any attempt to execute this instruction when CPL < 3 results in #UD. The instruction produces a general-protection exception (#GP) if either CR0.PG or CR0.NE is 0, or if an attempt is made to invoke an undefined leaf function. The ENCLU instruction produces a device not available exception (#NM) if CR0.TS = 1.

Addresses and operands are 32 bits outside 64-bit mode (IA32_EFER.LMA = 0 or CS.L = 0) and are 64 bits in 64-bit mode (IA32_EFER.LMA = 1 and CS.L = 1). CS.D value has no impact on address calculation. The DS segment is used to create linear addresses.

Segment override prefixes and address-size override prefixes are ignored, as is the REX prefix in 64-bit mode.

Operation

```
IN_64BIT_MODE := 0;
```

```
IF TSX_ACTIVE
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```
    THEN GOTO TSX_ABORT_PROCESSING; FI;
```

(* If enclosing app has CET indirect branch tracking enabled then if it is not ERESUME leaf cause a #CP fault *)

(* If the ERESUME is not successful it will leave tracker in WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH *)

```
TRACKER = (CPL == 3) ? IA32_U_CET.TRACKER : IA32_S_CET.TRACKER
```

```
IF EndbranchEnabledAndNotSuppressed(CPL) and TRACKER = WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH and  
(EAX != ERESUME or CR0.TS or (in SMM) or (CPUID.SGX_LEAF.0:EAX.SE1 = 0) or (CPL < 3))
```

```
    THEN
```

```
        Handle CET State machine violation          (* see Section 17.3.6, "Legacy Compatibility Treatment," in the  
                                                    Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1. *)
```

```
    FI;
```

```
IF CR0.PE= 0 or RFLAGS.VM = 1 or in SMM or CPUID.SGX_LEAF.0:EAX.SE1 = 0
```

```
    THEN #UD; FI;
```

```
IF CR0.TS = 1
```

```
    THEN #NM; FI;
```

```
IF CPL < 3
```

```
    THEN #UD; FI;
```

```
IF IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0 or IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

IF EAX is invalid leaf number
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF CR0.PG = 0 or CR0.NE = 0
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IN_64BIT_MODE := IA32_EFER.LMA AND CS.L ? 1 : 0;
(* Check not in 16-bit mode and DS is not a 16-bit segment *)
IF not in 64-bit mode and CS.D = 0
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF CR_ENCLAVE_MODE = 1 and (EAX = 2 or EAX = 3) (* EENTER or ERESUME *)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF CR_ENCLAVE_MODE = 0 and (EAX = 0 or EAX = 1 or EAX = 4 or EAX = 5 or EAX = 6 or EAX = 7 or EAX = 9)
(* EREPORT, EGETKEY, EEXIT, EACCEPT, EMODPE, EACCEPTCOPY, or EDECCSSA *)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

Jump to leaf specific flow

Flags Affected

See individual leaf functions

Protected Mode Exceptions

#UD	<p>If any of the LOCK/66H/REP/VEX prefixes are used. If current privilege level is not 3. If CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0):EAX.SGX1 [bit 0] = 0. If logical processor is in SMM.</p>
#GP(0)	<p>If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0. If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0. If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf. If input value in EAX encodes EENTER/ERESUME and ENCLAVE_MODE = 1. If input value in EAX encodes EGETKEY/EREPORT/EEXIT/EACCEPT/EACCEPTCOPY/EMODPE and ENCLAVE_MODE = 0. If operating in 16-bit mode. If data segment is in 16-bit mode. If CR0.PG = 0 or CR0.NE = 0.</p>
#NM	<p>If CR0.TS = 1.</p>

Real-Address Mode Exceptions

#UD	ENCLS is not recognized in real mode.
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Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions

#UD	ENCLS is not recognized in virtual-8086 mode.
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Compatibility Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#UD	If any of the LOCK/66H/REP/VEX prefixes are used. If current privilege level is not 3. If CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0):EAX.SGX1 [bit 0] = 0. If logical processor is in SMM.
#GP(0)	If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0. If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0. If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf. If input value in EAX encodes EENTER/ERESUME and ENCLAVE_MODE = 1. If input value in EAX encodes EGETKEY/EREPORT/EEXIT/EACCEPT/EACCEPTCOPY/EMODPE and ENCLAVE_MODE = 0. If CR0.NE = 0.
#NM	If CR0.TS = 1.

ENCLV—Execute an Enclave VMM Function of Specified Leaf Number

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
NP OF 01 C0 ENCLV	Z0	V/V	NA	This instruction is used to execute privileged SGX leaf functions that are reserved for VMM use. They are used for managing the enclaves.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Implicit Register Operands
Z0	NA	NA	NA	See Section 38.3

Description

The ENCLV instruction invokes the virtualization SGX leaf functions for managing enclaves in a virtualized environment. Software specifies the leaf function by setting the appropriate value in the register EAX as input. The registers RBX, RCX, and RDX have leaf-specific purpose, and may act as input, as output, or may be unused. In non 64-bit mode, the instruction ignores upper 32 bits of the RAX register.

The ENCLV instruction produces an invalid-opcode exception (#UD) if CR0.PE = 0 or RFLAGS.VM = 1, if it is executed in system-management mode (SMM), or not in VMX operation. Additionally, any attempt to execute the instruction when CPL > 0 results in #UD. The instruction produces a general-protection exception (#GP) if CR0.PG = 0 or if an attempt is made to invoke an undefined leaf function.

Software in VMX root mode of operation can enable execution of the ENCLV instruction in VMX non-root mode by setting enable ENCLV execution control in the VMCS. If enable ENCLV execution control in the VMCS is clear, execution of the ENCLV instruction in VMX non-root mode results in #UD.

When execution of ENCLV instruction in VMX non-root mode is enabled, software in VMX root operation can intercept the invocation of various ENCLV leaf functions in VMX non-root operation by setting the corresponding bits in the ENCLV-exiting bitmap.

Addresses and operands are 32 bits in 32-bit mode (IA32_EFER.LMA == 0 || CS.L == 0) and are 64 bits in 64-bit mode (IA32_EFER.LMA == 1 && CS.L == 1). CS.D value has no impact on address calculation.

Segment override prefixes and address-size override prefixes are ignored, as is the REX prefix in 64-bit mode.

Operation

IF TSX_ACTIVE

THEN GOTO TSX_ABORT_PROCESSING; FI;

IF CR0.PE = 0 or RFLAGS.VM = 1 or in SMM or CPUID.SGX_LEAF.0:EAX.OSS = 0

THEN #UD; FI;

IF not in VMX Operation or (IA32_EFER.LMA = 1 and CS.L = 0)

THEN #UD; FI;

IF (CPL > 0)

THEN #UD; FI;

IF in VMX non-root operation

IF “enable ENCLV exiting” VM-execution control is 1

THEN

IF EAX < 63 and ENCLV_exiting_bitmap[EAX] = 1 or EAX > 62 and ENCLV_exiting_bitmap[63] = 1

THEN VM exit;

FI;

ELSE

#UD; FI;

FI;

IF IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0 or IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (EAX is an invalid leaf number)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF CR0.PG = 0
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* DS must not be an expanded down segment *)
IF not in 64-bit mode and DS.Type is expand-down data
THEN #GP(0); FI;

Jump to leaf specific flow

Flags Affected

See individual leaf functions.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#UD	If any of the LOCK/66H/REP/VEX prefixes are used. If current privilege level is not 0. If CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0):EAX.OSS [bit 5] = 0. If logical processor is in SMM.
#GP(0)	If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0. If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0. If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf. If data segment expand down. If CR0.PG=0.

Real-Address Mode Exceptions

#UD	ENCLV is not recognized in real mode.
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Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions

#UD	ENCLV is not recognized in virtual-8086 mode.
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Compatibility Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#UD	If any of the LOCK/66H/REP/VEX prefixes are used. If current privilege level is not 0. If CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0):EAX.OSS [bit 5] = 0. If logical processor is in SMM.
#GP(0)	If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.LOCK = 0. If IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL.SGX_ENABLE = 0. If input value in EAX encodes an unsupported leaf.

38.3 INTEL® SGX SYSTEM LEAF FUNCTION REFERENCE

Leaf functions available with the ENCLS instruction mnemonic are covered in this section. In general, each instruction leaf requires EAX to specify the leaf function index and/or additional implicit registers specifying leaf-specific input parameters. An instruction operand encoding table provides details of each implicit register usage and associated input/output semantics.

In many cases, an input parameter specifies an effective address associated with a memory object inside or outside the EPC, the memory addressing semantics of these memory objects are also summarized in a separate table.

EADD—Add a Page to an Uninitialized Enclave

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 01H ENCLS[EADD]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function adds a page to an uninitialized enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX	RBX	RCX
IR	EADD (In)	Address of a PAGEINFO (In)	Address of the destination EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function copies a source page from non-enclave memory into the EPC, associates the EPC page with an SECS page residing in the EPC, and stores the linear address and security attributes in EPCM. As part of the association, the enclave offset and the security attributes are measured and extended into the SECS.MRENCLAVE. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0.

RBX contains the effective address of a PAGEINFO structure while RCX contains the effective address of an EPC page. The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of EADD leaf function.

EADD Memory Parameter Semantics

PAGEINFO	PAGEINFO.SECS	PAGEINFO.SRCPGE	PAGEINFO.SECINFO	EPCPAGE
Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read/Write access permitted by Enclave	Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Write access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EADD Faulting Conditions

The operands are not properly aligned.	Unsupported security attributes are set.
Refers to an invalid SECS.	Reference is made to an SECS that is locked by another thread.
The EPC page is locked by another thread.	RCX does not contain an effective address of an EPC page.
The EPC page is already valid.	If security attributes specifies a TCS and the source page specifies unsupported TCS values or fields.
The SECS has been initialized.	The specified enclave offset is outside of the enclave address space.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-8. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EADD

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EADD	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
	SECS [DS:RBX]PAGEINFO.SECS	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-9. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EADD

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EADD	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS [DS:RBX]PAGE-INFO.SECS	Concurrent		Exclusive	#GP	Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EADD Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SRCPGE	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of the source page.
TMP_SECS	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of the SECS destination page.
TMP_SECINFO	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of an SECINFO structure which contains security attributes of the page to be added.
SCRATCH_SECINFO	SECINFO	512	Scratch storage for holding the contents of DS:TMP_SECINFO.
TMP_LINADDR	Unsigned Integer	64	Holds the linear address to be stored in the EPCM and used to calculate TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET.
TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET	Enclave Offset	64	The page displacement from the enclave base address.
TMPUPDATEFIELD	SHA256 Buffer	512	Buffer used to hold data being added to TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE.

IF (DS:RBX is not 32Byte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

TMP_SRCPGE := DS:RBX.SRCPGE;
TMP_SECS := DS:RBX.SECS;
TMP_SECINFO := DS:RBX.SECINFO;
TMP_LINADDR := DS:RBX.LINADDR;

IF (DS:TMP_SRCPGE is not 4KByte aligned or DS:TMP_SECS is not 4KByte aligned or DS:TMP_SECINFO is not 64Byte aligned or TMP_LINADDR is not 4KByte aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:TMP_SECS does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SECS); FI;

SCRATCH_SECINFO := DS:TMP_SECINFO;

(* Check for misconfigured SECINFO flags*)
IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO reserved fields are not zero or

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!(SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_REG or SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_TCS or
(SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_SS_FIRST and CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1) or
(SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_SS_REST and CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

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(* If PT_SS_FIRST/PT_SS_REST page types are requested then CR4.CET must be 1 *)
IF ( (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_SS_FIRST OR
SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_SS_REST) AND CR4.CET == 0)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

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(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)
IF (EPC page is not available for EADD)
THEN
  IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
  THEN
    VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
    VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION;
    VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
    VMCS.Guest-physical_address := << translation of DS:RCX produced by paging >>;
    VMCS.Guest-linear_address := DS:RCX;
    Deliver VMEXIT;
  ELSE
    #GP(0);
  FI;
FI;

```

```

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID ≠ 0)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

```

```

(* Check the SECS for concurrency *)
IF (SECS is not available for EADD)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

```

IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).VALID = 0 or EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).PT ≠ PT_SECS)
THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SECS); FI;

```

```

(* Copy 4KBytes from source page to EPC page*)
DS:RCX[32767:0] := DS:TMP_SRCPGE[32767:0];

```

```

CASE (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT)

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PT_TCS:
  IF (DS:RCX.RESERVED ≠ 0) #GP(0); FI;
  IF ( (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT = 0) and
((DS:TCS.FSLIMIT & 0FFFH ≠ 0FFFH) or (DS:TCS.GSLIMIT & 0FFFH ≠ 0FFFH)) ) #GP(0); FI;
  (* Ensure TCS.PREVSSP is zero *)
  IF (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=00h):ECX[CET_SS] = 1) and (DS:RCX.PREVSSP != 0) #GP(0); FI;
  BREAK;

```

```

PT_REG:
  IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W = 1 and SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R = 0) #GP(0); FI;
  BREAK;

```

```

PT_SS_FIRST:

```

```

PT_SS_REST:

```

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(* SS pages cannot be created on first or last page of ELRANGE *)

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IF ( TMP_LINADDR = DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR or TMP_LINADDR = (DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE - 0x1000) )
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
IF ( DS:RCX[4087:0] != 0 ) #GP(0); FI;
IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT == PT_SS_FIRST)
  THEN
    (* Check that valid RSTORSSP token exists *)
    IF ( DS:RCX[4095:4088] != ((TMP_LINADDR + 0x1000) | DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT) ) #GP(0); FI;
    (* Check the 8 bytes are zero *)
    IF ( DS:RCX[4095:4088] != 0 ) #GP(0); FI;
  FI;
IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W = 0 OR SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R = 0 OR
  SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X = 1) #GP(0); FI;
  BREAK;
ESAC;

```

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(* Check the enclave offset is within the enclave linear address space *)
IF (TMP_LINADDR < DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR or TMP_LINADDR ≥ DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

```

(* Check concurrency of measurement resource*)
IF (Measurement being updated)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

```

(* Check if the enclave to which the page will be added is already in Initialized state *)
IF (DS:TMP_SECS already initialized)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

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(* For TCS pages, force EPCM.rwx bits to 0 and no debug access *)
IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT = PT_TCS)
  THEN
    SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R := 0;
    SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W := 0;
    SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X := 0;
    (DS:RCX).FLAGS.DBGOPTIN := 0; // force TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN off
    DS:RCX.CSSA := 0;
    DS:RCX.AEP := 0;
    DS:RCX.STATE := 0;
  FI;

```

```

(* Add enclave offset and security attributes to MRENCLAVE *)
TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET := TMP_LINADDR - DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
TMPUPDATEFIELD[63:0] := 0000000044444145H; // "EADD"
TMPUPDATEFIELD[127:64] := TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET;
TMPUPDATEFIELD[511:128] := SCRATCH_SECINFO[375:0]; // 48 bytes
DS:TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE := SHA256UPDATE(DS:TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE, TMPUPDATEFIELD)
INC enclave's MRENCLAVE update counter;

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```

(* Add enclave offset and security attributes to MRENCLAVE *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).R := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R;
EPCM(DS:RCX).W := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W;
EPCM(DS:RCX).X := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PT := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT;
EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS := TMP_LINADDR;

```

(* associate the EPCPAGE with the SECS by storing the SECS identifier of DS:TMP_SECS *)
 Update EPCM(DS:RCX) SECS identifier to reference DS:TMP_SECS identifier;

(* Set EPCM entry fields *)
 EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED := 0;
 EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING := 0;
 EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED := 0;
 EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID := 1;

Flags Affected

None

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0) If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If an enclave memory operand is outside of the EPC.
 If an enclave memory operand is the wrong type.
 If a memory operand is locked.
 If the enclave is initialized.
 If the enclave's MRENCLAVE is locked.
 If the TCS page reserved bits are set.
 If the TCS page PREVSSP field is not zero.
 If the PT_SS_REST or PT_SS_REST page is the first or last page in the enclave.
 If the PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST page is not initialized correctly.

#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If the EPC page is valid.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0) If a memory operand is non-canonical form.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If an enclave memory operand is outside of the EPC.
 If an enclave memory operand is the wrong type.
 If a memory operand is locked.
 If the enclave is initialized.
 If the enclave's MRENCLAVE is locked.
 If the TCS page reserved bits are set.
 If the TCS page PREVSSP field is not zero.
 If the PT_SS_REST or PT_SS_REST page is the first or last page in the enclave.
 If the PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST page is not initialized correctly.

#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If the EPC page is valid.

EAUG—Add a Page to an Initialized Enclave

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 0DH ENCLS[EAUG]	IR	V/V	SGX2	This leaf function adds a page to an initialized enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX	RBX	RCX
IR	EAUG (In)	Address of a PAGEINFO (In)	Address of the destination EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function zeroes a page of EPC memory, associates the EPC page with an SECS page residing in the EPC, and stores the linear address and security attributes in the EPCM. As part of the association, the security attributes are configured to prevent access to the EPC page until a corresponding invocation of the EACCEPT leaf or EACCEPT-COPY leaf confirms the addition of the new page into the enclave. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0.

RBX contains the effective address of a PAGEINFO structure while RCX contains the effective address of an EPC page. The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of the EAUG leaf function.

EAUG Memory Parameter Semantics

PAGEINFO	PAGEINFO.SECS	PAGEINFO.SRCPGE	PAGEINFO.SECINFO	EPCPAGE
Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read/Write access permitted by Enclave	Must be zero	Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Write access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EAUG Faulting Conditions

The operands are not properly aligned.	Unsupported security attributes are set.
Refers to an invalid SECS.	Reference is made to an SECS that is locked by another thread.
The EPC page is locked by another thread.	RCX does not contain an effective address of an EPC page.
The EPC page is already valid.	The specified enclave offset is outside of the enclave address space.
The SECS has been initialized.	

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-10. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EAUG

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EAUG	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
	SECS [DS:RBX]PAGEINFO.SECS	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-11. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EAUG

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EAUG	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS [DS:RBX]PAGE-INFO.SECS	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation**Temp Variables in EAUG Operational Flow**

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of the SECS destination page.
TMP_SECINFO	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of an SECINFO structure which contains security attributes of the page to be added.
SCRATCH_SECINFO	SECINFO	512	Scratch storage for holding the contents of DS:TMP_SECINFO.
TMP_LINADDR	Unsigned Integer	64	Holds the linear address to be stored in the EPCM and used to calculate TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET.

IF (DS:RBX is not 32Byte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

TMP_SECS := DS:RBX.SECS;
TMP_SECINFO := DS:RBX.SECINFO;
IF (DS:RBX.SECINFO is not 0)
THEN
 IF (DS:TMP_SECINFO is not 64B aligned)
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

FI;

TMP_LINADDR := DS:RBX.LINADDR;

IF (DS:TMP_SECS is not 4KByte aligned or TMP_LINADDR is not 4KByte aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF DS:RBX.SRCPAGE is not 0
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:TMP_SECS does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SECS); FI;

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)

```

IF (EPC page in use)
  THEN
    IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
      THEN
        VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
        VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION;
        VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
        VMCS.Guest-physical_address := << translation of DS:RCX produced by paging >>;
        VMCS.Guest-linear_address := DS:RCX;
        Deliver VMEXIT;
      ELSE
        #GP(0);
    FI;
  FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID ≠ 0)
  THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* copy SECINFO contents into a scratch SECINFO *)
IF (DS:RBX.SECINFO is 0)
  THEN
    (* allocate and initialize a new scratch SECINFO structure *)
    SCRATCH_SECINFO.PT := PT_REG;
    SCRATCH_SECINFO.R := 1;
    SCRATCH_SECINFO.W := 1;
    SCRATCH_SECINFO.X := 0;
    << zero out remaining fields of SCRATCH_SECINFO >>
  ELSE
    (* copy SECINFO contents into scratch SECINFO *)
    SCRATCH_SECINFO := DS:TMP_SECINFO;
    (* check SECINFO flags for misconfiguration *)
    (* reserved flags must be zero *)
    (* SECINFO.FLAGS.PT must either be PT_SS_FIRST, or PT_SS_REST *)
    IF ( (SCRATCH_SECINFO reserved fields are not 0) or
        CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] is 0) OR
        (SCRATCH_SECINFO.PT is not PT_SS_FIRST, or PT_SS_REST) OR
        ( (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R is 0) OR (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W is 0) OR (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X is 1) ) )
      THEN #GP(0); FI;
  FI;

(* Check if PT_SS_FIRST/PT_SS_REST page types are requested then CR4.CET must be 1 *)
IF ( (SCRATCH_SECINFO.PT is PT_SS_FIRST OR SCRATCH_SECINFO.PT is PT_SS_REST) AND CR4.CET == 0 )
  THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check the SECS for concurrency *)
IF (SECS is not available for EAUG)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).VALID = 0 or EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).PT ≠ PT_SECS)
  THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SECS); FI;

(* Check if the enclave to which the page will be added is in the Initialized state *)
IF (DS:TMP_SECS is not initialized)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

```
(* Check the enclave offset is within the enclave linear address space *)
IF ( (TMP_LINADDR < DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR) or (TMP_LINADDR ≥ DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE) )
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF ( (SCRATCH_SECINFO.PT is PT_SS_FIRST OR SCRATCH_SECINFO.PT is PT_SS_REST) )
  THEN
    (* SS pages cannot be created on first or last page of ELRANGE *)
    IF ( TMP_LINADDR == DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR OR
        TMP_LINADDR == (DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE - 0x1000) )
      THEN
        #GP(0); FI;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(* Clear the content of EPC page*)
DS:RCX[32767:0] := 0;
```

```
IF (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX[CET_SS] = 1)
  THEN
    (* set up shadow stack RSTORSSP token *)
    IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO.PT is PT_SS_FIRST)
      THEN
        DS:RCX[0xFF8] := (TMP_LINADDR + 0x1000) | TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT; FI;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(* Set EPCM security attributes *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).R := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R;
EPCM(DS:RCX).W := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W;
EPCM(DS:RCX).X := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PT := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT;
EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS := TMP_LINADDR;
EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING := 1;
EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PR := 0;
```

```
(* associate the EPCPAGE with the SECS by storing the SECS identifier of DS:TMP_SECS *)
Update EPCM(DS:RCX) SECS identifier to reference DS:TMP_SECS identifier;
```

```
(* Set EPCM valid fields *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID := 1;
```

Flags Affected

None

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If a memory operand is locked. If the enclave is not initialized.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If a memory operand is non-canonical form.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If a memory operand is locked.
 If the enclave is not initialized.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

EBLOCK—Mark a page in EPC as Blocked

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 09H ENCLS[EBLOCK]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function marks a page in the EPC as blocked.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RCX
IR	EBLOCK (In)	Return error code (Out)	Effective address of the EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function causes an EPC page to be marked as BLOCKED. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0.

The content of RCX is an effective address of an EPC page. The DS segment is used to create linear address. Segment override is not supported.

An error code is returned in RAX.

The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of EBLOCK leaf function.

EBLOCK Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCPAGE
Read/Write access permitted by Enclave

The error codes are:

Table 38-12. EBLOCK Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EBLOCK successful.
SGX_BLKSTATE	Page already blocked. This value is used to indicate to a VMM that the page was already in BLOCKED state as a result of EBLOCK and thus will need to be restored to this state when it is eventually reloaded (using ELDB).
SGX_ENTRYEPOCH_LOCKED	SECS locked for Entry Epoch update. This value indicates that an ETRACK is currently executing on the SECS. The EBLOCK should be reattempted.
SGX_NOTBLOCKABLE	Page type is not one which can be blocked.
SGX_PG_INVLD	Page is not valid and cannot be blocked.
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	Page is being written by EADD, EAUG, ECREATE, ELDU/B, EMODT, or EWB.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-13. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EBLOCK

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EBLOCK	Target [DS:RCX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	

Table 38-14. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EBLOCK

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EBLOCK	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EBLOCK Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_BLKSTATE	Integer	64	Page is already blocked.

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
 THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

RFLAGS.ZF,CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;
 RAX := 0;

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency*)

IF (EPC page in use)
 THEN
 RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
 RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
 GOTO DONE;

FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0)
 THEN
 RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
 RAX := SGX_PG_INVLD;
 GOTO DONE;

FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_REG) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_TCS) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_TRIM)
 and EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SS_FIRST) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SS_REST))
 THEN
 RFLAGS.CF := 1;
 IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_SECS)
 THEN RAX := SGX_PG_IS_SECS;
 ELSE RAX := SGX_NOTBLOCKABLE;
 FI;
 GOTO DONE;

FI;

(* Check if the page is already blocked and report blocked state *)

TMP_BLKSTATE := EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED;

```
(* at this point, the page must be valid and PT_TCS or PT_REG or PT_TRIM*)
IF (TMP_BLKSTATE = 1)
  THEN
    RFLAGS.CF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_BLKSTATE;
  ELSE
    EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED := 1
FI;
DONE:
```

Flags Affected

Sets ZF if SECS is in use or invalid, otherwise cleared. Sets CF if page is BLOCKED or not blockable, otherwise cleared. Clears PF, AF, OF, SF.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If the specified EPC resource is in use.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If a memory operand is not an EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand is non-canonical form. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If the specified EPC resource is in use.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If a memory operand is not an EPC page.

ECREATE—Create an SECS page in the Enclave Page Cache

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 00H ENCLS[ECREATE]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function begins an enclave build by creating an SECS page in EPC.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX	RBX	RCX
IR	ECREATE (In)	Address of a PAGEINFO (In)	Address of the destination SECS page (In)

Description

ENCLS[ECREATE] is the first instruction executed in the enclave build process. ECREATE copies an SECS structure outside the EPC into an SECS page inside the EPC. The internal structure of SECS is not accessible to software.

ECREATE will set up fields in the protected SECS and mark the page as valid inside the EPC. ECREATE initializes or checks unused fields.

Software sets the following fields in the source structure: SECS:BASEADDR, SECS:SIZE in bytes, ATTRIBUTES, CONFIGID, and CONFIGSVN. SECS:BASEADDR must be naturally aligned on an SECS.SIZE boundary. SECS.SIZE must be at least 2 pages (8192).

The source operand RBX contains an effective address of a PAGEINFO structure. PAGEINFO contains an effective address of a source SECS and an effective address of an SECINFO. The SECS field in PAGEINFO is not used.

The RCX register is the effective address of the destination SECS. It is an address of an empty slot in the EPC. The SECS structure must be page aligned. SECINFO flags must specify the page as an SECS page.

ECREATE Memory Parameter Semantics

PAGEINFO	PAGEINFO.SRCPGE	PAGEINFO.SECINFO	EPCPAGE
Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Write access permitted by Enclave

ECREATE will fault if the SECS target page is in use; already valid; outside the EPC. It will also fault if addresses are not aligned; unused PAGEINFO fields are not zero.

If the amount of space needed to store the SSA frame is greater than the amount specified in SECS.SSAFRAME-SIZE, a #GP(0) results. The amount of space needed for an SSA frame is computed based on DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM size. Details of computing the size can be found Section 39.7.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-15. Base Concurrency Restrictions of ECREATE

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
ECREATE	SECS [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION

Table 38-16. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of ECREATE

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
ECREATE	SECS [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in ECREATE Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_SRCPGE	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of the SECS source page.
TMP_SECS	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of the SECS destination page.
TMP_SECINFO	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of an SECINFO structure which contains security attributes of the SECS page to be added.
TMP_XSIZE	SSA Size	64	The size calculation of SSA frame.
TMP_MISC_SIZE	MISC Field Size	64	Size of the selected MISC field components.
TMPUPDATEFIELD	SHA256 Buffer	512	Buffer used to hold data being added to TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE.

IF (DS:RBX is not 32Byte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

TMP_SRCPGE := DS:RBX.SRCPGE;
TMP_SECINFO := DS:RBX.SECINFO;

IF (DS:TMP_SRCPGE is not 4KByte aligned or DS:TMP_SECINFO is not 64Byte aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RBX.LINADDR != 0 or DS:RBX.SECS != 0)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check for misconfigured SECINFO flags*)

IF (DS:TMP_SECINFO reserved fields are not zero or DS:TMP_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT != PT_SECS)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

TMP_SECS := RCX;

IF (EPC entry in use)
THEN

IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
THEN
VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;

```

        VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION;
        VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
        VMCS.Guest-physical_address :=
            << translation of DS:TMP_SECS produced by paging >>;
        VMCS.Guest-linear_address := DS:TMP_SECS;
    Deliver VMEXIT;
    ELSE
        #GP(0);
FI;

IF (EPC entry in use)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 1)
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* Copy 4KBytes from source page to EPC page*)
DS:RCX[32767:0] := DS:TMP_SRCPAGE[32767:0];

(* Check lower 2 bits of XFRM are set *)
IF ( ( DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM BitwiseAND 03H) ≠ 03H)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (XFRM is illegal)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check legality of CET_ATTRIBUTES *)
IF ((DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.CET = 0 and DS:TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES ≠ 0) ||
    (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.CET = 0 and DS:TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET ≠ 0) ||
    (CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):EDX[CET_IBT] = 0 and DS:TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET ≠ 0) ||
    (CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):EDX[CET_IBT] = 0 and DS:TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES[5:2] ≠ 0) ||
    (CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):ECX[CET_SS] = 0 and DS:TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES[1:0] ≠ 0) ||
    (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT = 1 and
    (DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + DS:TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET) not canonical) ||
    (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT = 0 and
    (DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + DS:TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET) & 0xFFFFFFFF00000000) ||
    (DS:TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.reserved fields not 0) or
    (DS:TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET) is not page aligned))
    THEN
        #GP(0);
FI;

(* Make sure that the SECS does not have any unsupported MISCSELECT options*)
IF ( !(CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EBX[31:0] & DS:TMP_SECS.MISCSELECT[31:0]) )
    THEN
        EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).EntryLock.Release();
        #GP(0);
FI;

(* Compute size of MISC area *)
TMP_MISC_SIZE := compute_misc_region_size();

(* Compute the size required to save state of the enclave on async exit, see Section 39.7.2.2*)

```

```
TMP_XSIZE := compute_xsave_size(DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM) + GPR_SIZE + TMP_MISC_SIZE;
```

```
(* Ensure that the declared area is large enough to hold XSAVE and GPR stat *)
```

```
IF ( DS:TMP_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE*4096 < TMP_XSIZE)
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF ( (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT = 1) and (DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR is not canonical) )
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF ( (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT = 0) and (DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR and 0FFFFFFFF00000000H) )
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF ( (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT = 0) and (DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE ≥ 2 ^ (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):.EDX[7:0] ) ) )
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF ( (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT = 1) and (DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE ≥ 2 ^ (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):.EDX[15:8] ) ) )
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Enclave size must be at least 8192 bytes and must be power of 2 in bytes*)
```

```
IF (DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE < 8192 or popcnt(DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE) > 1)
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Ensure base address of an enclave is aligned on size*)
```

```
IF ( ( DS:TMP_SECS.BASEADDR and (DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE-1) ) )
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Ensure the SECS does not have any unsupported attributes*)
```

```
IF ( DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES and (~CR_SGX_ATTRIBUTES_MASK) )
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF ( DS:TMP_SECS reserved fields are not zero)
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Verify that CONFIGID/CONFIGSVN are not set with attribute *)
```

```
IF ( ((DS:TMP_SECS.CONFIGID ≠ 0) or (DS:TMP_SECS.CONFIGSVN ≠ 0)) AND (DS:TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.KSS == 0) )
```

```
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
Clear DS:TMP_SECS to Uninitialized;
```

```
DS:TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE := SHA256INITIALIZE(DS:TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE);
```

```
DS:TMP_SECS.ISVSVN := 0;
```

```
DS:TMP_SECS.ISVPRODID := 0;
```

```
(* Initialize hash updates etc*)
```

```
Initialize enclave's MRENCLAVE update counter;
```

```
(* Add "ECREATE" string and SECS fields to MRENCLAVE *)
```

```
TMPUPDATEFIELD[63:0] := 0045544145524345H; // "ECREATE"
```

```
TMPUPDATEFIELD[95:64] := DS:TMP_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE;
```

```
TMPUPDATEFIELD[159:96] := DS:TMP_SECS.SIZE;
```

```
IF (CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):.EDX[CET_IBT] = 1)
```

```
    THEN
```

```
        TMPUPDATEFIELD[223:160] := DS:TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET;
```

```
    ELSE
```

```
        TMPUPDATEFIELD[223:160] := 0;
```

```

FI;
TMPUPDATEFIELD[511:160] := 0;
DS:TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE := SHA256UPDATE(DS:TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE, TMPUPDATEFIELD)
INC enclave's MRENCLAVE update counter;

```

(* Set EID *)

```
DS:TMP_SECS.EID := LockedXAdd(CR_NEXT_EID, 1);
```

(* Initialize the virtual child count to zero *)

```
DS:TMP_SECS.VIRTCHILDCNT := 0;
```

(* Load ENCLAVECONTEXT with Address out of paging of SECS *)

```
<< store translation of DS:RCX produced by paging in SECS(DS:RCX).ENCLAVECONTEXT >>
```

(* Set the EPCM entry, first create SECS identifier and store the identifier in EPCM *)

```

EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).PT := PT_SECS;
EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).ENCLAVEADDRESS := 0;
EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).R := 0;
EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).W := 0;
EPCM(DS:TMP_SECS).X := 0;

```

(* Set EPCM entry fields *)

```

EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PR := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID := 1;

```

Flags Affected

None

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If the reserved fields are not zero. If PAGEINFO.SECS is not zero. If PAGEINFO.LINADDR is not zero. If the SECS destination is locked. If SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE is insufficient.
#PF(error code)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If the SECS destination is outside the EPC.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a memory address is non-canonical form. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If the reserved fields are not zero. If PAGEINFO.SECS is not zero. If PAGEINFO.LINADDR is not zero. If the SECS destination is locked. If SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE is insufficient.
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#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
If the SECS destination is outside the EPC.

EDBGRD—Read From a Debug Enclave

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 04H ENCLS[EDBGRD]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function reads a dword/quadword from a debug enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	EDBGRD (In)	Return error code (Out)	Data read from a debug enclave (Out)	Address of source memory in the EPC (In)

Description

This leaf function copies a quadword/doubleword from an EPC page belonging to a debug enclave into the RBX register. Eight bytes are read in 64-bit mode, four bytes are read in non-64-bit modes. The size of data read cannot be overridden.

The effective address of the source location inside the EPC is provided in the register RCX.

EDBGRD Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCQW
Read access permitted by Enclave

The error codes are:

Table 38-17. EDBGRD Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EDBGRD successful.
SGX_PAGE_NOT_DEBUGGABLE	The EPC page cannot be accessed because it is in the PENDING or MODIFIED state.

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EDBGRD Faulting Conditions

RCX points into a page that is an SECS.	RCX does not resolve to a naturally aligned linear address.
RCX points to a page that does not belong to an enclave that is in debug mode.	RCX points to a location inside a TCS that is beyond the architectural size of the TCS (SGX_TCS_LIMIT).
An operand causing any segment violation.	May page fault.
CPL > 0.	

This instruction ignores the EPCM RWX attributes on the enclave page. Consequently, violation of EPCM RWX attributes via EDBGRD does not result in a #GP.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-18. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EDBGD

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EDBGD	Target [DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-19. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EDBGD

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EDBGD	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EDBGD Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_MODE64	Binary	1	((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1))
TMP_SECS		64	Physical address of SECS of the enclave to which source operand belongs.

TMP_MODE64 := ((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1));

IF ((TMP_MODE64 = 1) and (DS:RCX is not 8Byte Aligned))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF ((TMP_MODE64 = 0) and (DS:RCX is not 4Byte Aligned))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* make sure no other Intel SGX instruction is accessing the same EPCM entry *)

IF (Another instruction modifying the same EPCM entry is executing)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* make sure that DS:RCX (SOURCE) is pointing to a PT_REG or PT_TCS or PT_VA or PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST *)

IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_REG) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_TCS) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_VA)
and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SS_FIRST) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SS_REST))
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* make sure that DS:RCX points to an accessible EPC page *)

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING is not 0 or (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED is not 0))
THEN
RFLAGS.ZF := 1;

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    RAX := SGX_PAGE_NOT_DEBUGGABLE;
    GOTO DONE;
FI;

(* If source is a TCS, then make sure that the offset into the page is not beyond the TCS size*)
IF ( ( EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_TCS) and ((DS:RCX) & FFFH ≥ SGX_TCS_LIMIT) )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* make sure the enclave owning the PT_REG or PT_TCS page allow debug *)
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_TCS) )
    THEN
        TMP_SECS := GET_SECS_ADDRESS;
        IF (TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.DEBUG = 0)
            THEN #GP(0); FI;
        IF ( (TMP_MODE64 = 1) )
            THEN RBX[63:0] := (DS:RCX)[63:0];
            ELSE EBX[31:0] := (DS:RCX)[31:0];
        FI;
    ELSE
        TMP_64BIT_VAL[63:0] := (DS:RCX)[63:0] & (~07H); // Read contents from VA slot
        IF (TMP_MODE64 = 1)
            THEN
                IF (TMP_64BIT_VAL ≠ 0H)
                    THEN RBX[63:0] := 0FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFH;
                    ELSE RBX[63:0] := 0H;
                FI;
            ELSE
                IF (TMP_64BIT_VAL ≠ 0H)
                    THEN EBX[31:0] := 0FFFFFFFFH;
                    ELSE EBX[31:0] := 0H;
                FI;
            FI;
    FI;

(* clear EAX and ZF to indicate successful completion *)
RAX := 0;
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;

DONE:
(* clear flags *)
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

```

Flags Affected

ZF is set if the page is MODIFIED or PENDING; RAX contains the error code. Otherwise ZF is cleared and RAX is set to 0. CF, PF, AF, OF, SF are cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If the address in RCS violates DS limit or access rights. If DS segment is unusable. If RCX points to a memory location not 4Byte-aligned. If the address in RCX points to a page belonging to a non-debug enclave. If the address in RCX points to a page which is not PT_TCS, PT_REG or PT_VA. If the address in RCX points to a location inside TCS that is beyond SGX_TCS_LIMIT.
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#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
If the address in RCX points to a non-EPC page.
If the address in RCX points to an invalid EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0) If RCX is non-canonical form.
If RCX points to a memory location not 8Byte-aligned.
If the address in RCX points to a page belonging to a non-debug enclave.
If the address in RCX points to a page which is not PT_TCS, PT_REG or PT_VA.
If the address in RCX points to a location inside TCS that is beyond SGX_TCS_LIMIT.

#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
If the address in RCX points to a non-EPC page.
If the address in RCX points to an invalid EPC page.

EDBGWR—Write to a Debug Enclave

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 05H ENCLS[EDBGWR]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function writes a dword/quadword to a debug enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	EDBGWR (In)	Return error code (Out)	Data to be written to a debug enclave (In)	Address of Target memory in the EPC (In)

Description

This leaf function copies the content in EBX/RBX to an EPC page belonging to a debug enclave. Eight bytes are written in 64-bit mode, four bytes are written in non-64-bit modes. The size of data cannot be overridden. The effective address of the target location inside the EPC is provided in the register RCX.

EDBGWR Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCQW
Write access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EDBGWR Faulting Conditions

RCX points into a page that is an SECS.	RCX does not resolve to a naturally aligned linear address.
RCX points to a page that does not belong to an enclave that is in debug mode.	RCX points to a location inside a TCS that is not the FLAGS word.
An operand causing any segment violation.	May page fault.
CPL > 0.	

The error codes are:

Table 38-20. EDBGWR Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EDBGWR successful.
SGX_PAGE_NOT_DEBUGGABLE	The EPC page cannot be accessed because it is in the PENDING or MODIFIED state.

This instruction ignores the EPCM RWX attributes on the enclave page. Consequently, violation of EPCM RWX attributes via EDBGWR does not result in a #GP.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-21. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EDBGWR

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EDBGWR	Target [DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-22. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EDBGWR

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EDBGWR	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EDBGWR Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_MODE64	Binary	1	((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1)).
TMP_SECS		64	Physical address of SECS of the enclave to which source operand belongs.

TMP_MODE64 := ((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1));

IF ((TMP_MODE64 = 1) and (DS:RCX is not 8Byte Aligned))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF ((TMP_MODE64 = 0) and (DS:RCX is not 4Byte Aligned))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* make sure no other Intel SGX instruction is accessing the same EPCM entry *)

IF (Another instruction modifying the same EPCM entry is executing)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* make sure that DS:RCX (DST) is pointing to a PT_REG or PT_TCS or PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST *)

IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_REG) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_TCS)
and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SS_FIRST) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SS_REST))
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* make sure that DS:RCX points to an accessible EPC page *)

IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING is not 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED is not 0))
THEN
RFLAGS.ZF := 1;

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RAX := SGX_PAGE_NOT_DEBUGGABLE;
GOTO DONE;
FI;

(* If destination is a TCS, then make sure that the offset into the page can only point to the FLAGS field*)
IF ( ( EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_TCS) and ((DS:RCX) & FF8H ≠ offset_of_FLAGS & OFF8H) )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Locate the SECS for the enclave to which the DS:RCX page belongs *)
TMP_SECS := GET_SECS_PHYS_ADDRESS(EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS);

(* make sure the enclave owning the PT_REG or PT_TCS page allow debug *)
IF (TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.DEBUG = 0)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF ( (TMP_MODE64 = 1) )
    THEN (DS:RCX)[63:0] := RBX[63:0];
    ELSE (DS:RCX)[31:0] := EBX[31:0];
FI;

(* clear EAX and ZF to indicate successful completion *)
RAX := 0;
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;

DONE:
(* clear flags *)
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0
```

Flags Affected

ZF is set if the page is MODIFIED or PENDING; RAX contains the error code. Otherwise ZF is cleared and RAX is set to 0. CF, PF, AF, OF, SF are cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If the address in RCS violates DS limit or access rights. If DS segment is unusable. If RCX points to a memory location not 4Byte-aligned. If the address in RCX points to a page belonging to a non-debug enclave. If the address in RCX points to a page which is not PT_TCS or PT_REG. If the address in RCX points to a location inside TCS that is not the FLAGS word.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If the address in RCX points to a non-EPC page. If the address in RCX points to an invalid EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If RCX is non-canonical form. If RCX points to a memory location not 8Byte-aligned. If the address in RCX points to a page belonging to a non-debug enclave. If the address in RCX points to a page which is not PT_TCS or PT_REG. If the address in RCX points to a location inside TCS that is not the FLAGS word.
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#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If the address in RCX points to a non-EPC page.
 If the address in RCX points to an invalid EPC page.

EEXTEND—Extend Uninitialized Enclave Measurement by 256 Bytes

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 06H ENCLS[EEXTEND]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function measures 256 bytes of an uninitialized enclave page.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX	EBX	RCX
IR	EEXTEND (In)	Effective address of the SECS of the data chunk (In)	Effective address of a 256-byte chunk in the EPC (In)

Description

This leaf function updates the MRENCLAVE measurement register of an SECS with the measurement of an EXTEND string comprising of “EEXTEND” || ENCLAVEOFFSET || PADDING || 256 bytes of the enclave page. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0 and the enclave is uninitialized.

RBX contains the effective address of the SECS of the region to be measured. The address must be the same as the one used to add the page into the enclave.

RCX contains the effective address of the 256 byte region of an EPC page to be measured. The DS segment is used to create linear addresses. Segment override is not supported.

EEXTEND Memory Parameter Semantics

EPC[RCX]
Read access by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EEXTEND Faulting Conditions

RBX points to an address not 4KBytes aligned.	RBX does not resolve to an SECS.
RBX does not point to an SECS page.	RBX does not point to the SECS page of the data chunk.
RCX points to an address not 256B aligned.	RCX points to an unused page or a SECS.
RCX does not resolve in an EPC page.	If SECS is locked.
If the SECS is already initialized.	May page fault.
CPL > 0.	

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-23. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EEXTEND

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EEXTEND	Target [DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	
	SECS [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		

Table 38-24. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EEXTEND

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EEXTEND	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Exclusive	#GP	Concurrent	

Operation**Temp Variables in EEXTEND Operational Flow**

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_SECS		64	Physical address of SECS of the enclave to which source operand belongs.
TMP_ENCLAVEOFFS ET	Enclave Offset	64	The page displacement from the enclave base address.
TMPUPDATEFIELD	SHA256 Buffer	512	Buffer used to hold data being added to TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE.

```
TMP_MODE64 := ((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1));
```

```
IF (DS:RBX is not 4096 Byte Aligned)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF (DS:RBX does not resolve to an EPC page)
  THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;
```

```
IF (DS:RCX is not 256Byte Aligned)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
  THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

```
(* make sure no other Intel SGX instruction is accessing EPCM *)
IF (Other instructions accessing EPCM)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF (EPCM(DS:RCX). VALID = 0)
  THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

```
(* make sure that DS:RCX (DST) is pointing to a PT_REG or PT_TCS or PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST *)
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_REG) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_TCS)
  and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SS_FIRST) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SS_REST))
  THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

```
TMP_SECS := Get_SECS_ADDRESS();
```

```
IF (DS:RBX does not resolve to TMP_SECS)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* make sure no other instruction is accessing MRENCLAVE or ATTRIBUTES.INIT *)
IF ( (Other instruction accessing MRENCLAVE) or (Other instructions checking or updating the initialized state of the SECS))
```

```
THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Calculate enclave offset *)
```

```
TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET := EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS - TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
```

```
TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET := TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET + (DS:RCX & 0FFFH)
```

```
(* Add EEXTEND message and offset to MRENCLAVE *)
```

```
TMPUPDATEFIELD[63:0] := 00444E4554584545H; // "EEXTEND"
```

```
TMPUPDATEFIELD[127:64] := TMP_ENCLAVEOFFSET;
```

```
TMPUPDATEFIELD[511:128] := 0; // 48 bytes
```

```
TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE := SHA256UPDATE(TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE, TMPUPDATEFIELD)
```

```
INC enclave's MRENCLAVE update counter;
```

```
(*Add 256 bytes to MRENCLAVE, 64 byte at a time *)
```

```
TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE := SHA256UPDATE(TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE, DS:RCX[511:0] );
```

```
TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE := SHA256UPDATE(TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE, DS:RCX[1023: 512] );
```

```
TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE := SHA256UPDATE(TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE, DS:RCX[1535: 1024] );
```

```
TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE := SHA256UPDATE(TMP_SECS.MRENCLAVE, DS:RCX[2047: 1536] );
```

```
INC enclave's MRENCLAVE update counter by 4;
```

Flags Affected

None

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If the address in RBX is outside the DS segment limit.</p> <p>If RBX points to an SECS page which is not the SECS of the data chunk.</p> <p>If the address in RCX is outside the DS segment limit.</p> <p>If RCX points to a memory location not 256Byte-aligned.</p> <p>If another instruction is accessing MRENCLAVE.</p> <p>If another instruction is checking or updating the SECS.</p> <p>If the enclave is already initialized.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p> <p>If the address in RBX points to a non-EPC page.</p> <p>If the address in RCX points to a page which is not PT_TCS or PT_REG.</p> <p>If the address in RCX points to a non-EPC page.</p> <p>If the address in RCX points to an invalid EPC page.</p>

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If RBX is non-canonical form.</p> <p>If RBX points to an SECS page which is not the SECS of the data chunk.</p> <p>If RCX is non-canonical form.</p> <p>If RCX points to a memory location not 256 Byte-aligned.</p> <p>If another instruction is accessing MRENCLAVE.</p> <p>If another instruction is checking or updating the SECS.</p> <p>If the enclave is already initialized.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p> <p>If the address in RBX points to a non-EPC page.</p> <p>If the address in RCX points to a page which is not PT_TCS or PT_REG.</p> <p>If the address in RCX points to a non-EPC page.</p> <p>If the address in RCX points to an invalid EPC page.</p>

EINIT—Initialize an Enclave for Execution

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 02H ENCLS[EINIT]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function initializes the enclave and makes it ready to execute enclave code.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX	RDX
IR	EINIT (In)	Error code (Out)	Address of SIGSTRUCT (In)	Address of SECS (In)	Address of EINITOKEN (In)

Description

This leaf function is the final instruction executed in the enclave build process. After EINIT, the MRENCLAVE measurement is complete, and the enclave is ready to start user code execution using the EENTER instruction.

EINIT takes the effective address of a SIGSTRUCT and EINITOKEN. The SIGSTRUCT describes the enclave including MRENCLAVE, ATTRIBUTES, ISVSVN, a 3072 bit RSA key, and a signature using the included key. SIGSTRUCT must be populated with two values, q1 and q2. These are calculated using the formulas shown below:

$$q1 = \text{floor}(\text{Signature}^2 / \text{Modulus});$$

$$q2 = \text{floor}((\text{Signature}^3 - q1 * \text{Signature} * \text{Modulus}) / \text{Modulus});$$

The EINITOKEN contains the MRENCLAVE, MRSIGNER, and ATTRIBUTES. These values must match the corresponding values in the SECS. If the EINITOKEN was created with a debug launch key, the enclave must be in debug mode as well.

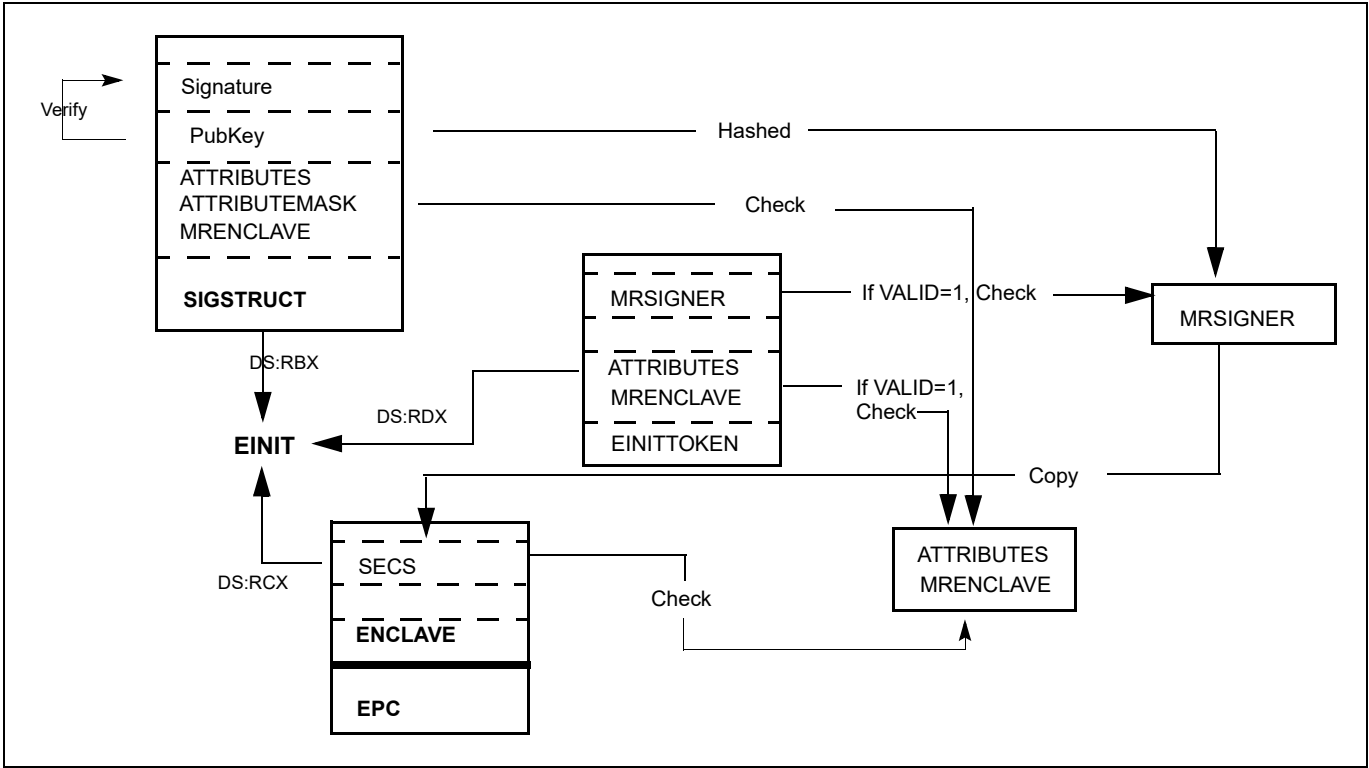


Figure 38-1. Relationships Between SECS, SIGSTRUCT, and EINITOKEN

EINIT Memory Parameter Semantics

SIGSTRUCT	SECS	EINITTOKEN
Access by non-Enclave	Read/Write access by Enclave	Access by non-Enclave

EINIT performs the following steps, which can be seen in Figure 38-1:

1. Validates that SIGSTRUCT is signed using the enclosed public key.
2. Checks that the completed computation of SECS.MRENCLAVE equals SIGSTRUCT.HASHENCLAVE.
3. Checks that no controlled ATTRIBUTES bits are set in SIGSTRUCT.ATTRIBUTES unless the SHA256 digest of SIGSTRUCT.MODULUS equals IA32_SGX_LEPUBKEYHASH.
4. Checks that the result of bitwise and-ing SIGSTRUCT.ATTRIBUTEMASK with SIGSTRUCT.ATTRIBUTES equals the result of bitwise and-ing SIGSTRUCT.ATTRIBUTEMASK with SECS.ATTRIBUTES.
5. If EINITTOKEN.VALID is 0, checks that the SHA256 digest of SIGSTRUCT.MODULUS equals IA32_SGX_LEPUBKEYHASH.
6. If EINITTOKEN.VALID is 1, checks the validity of EINITTOKEN.
7. If EINITTOKEN.VALID is 1, checks that EINITTOKEN.MRENCLAVE equals SECS.MRENCLAVE.
8. If EINITTOKEN.VALID is 1 and EINITTOKEN.ATTRIBUTES.DEBUG is 1, SECS.ATTRIBUTES.DEBUG must be 1.
9. Commits SECS.MRENCLAVE, and sets SECS.MRSIGNER, SECS.ISVSVN, and SECS.ISVPRODID based on SIGSTRUCT.
10. Update the SECS as Initialized.

Periodically, EINIT polls for certain asynchronous events. If such an event is detected, it completes with failure code (ZF=1 and RAX = SGX_UNMASKED_EVENT), and RIP is incremented to point to the next instruction. These events includes external interrupts, non-maskable interrupts, system-management interrupts, machine checks, INIT signals, and the VMX-preemption timer. EINIT does not fail if the pending event is inhibited (e.g., external interrupts could be inhibited due to blocking by MOV SS blocking or by STI).

The following bits in RFLAGS are cleared: CF, PF, AF, OF, and SF. When the instruction completes with an error, RFLAGS.ZF is set to 1, and the corresponding error bit is set in RAX. If no error occurs, RFLAGS.ZF is cleared and RAX is set to 0.

The error codes are:

Table 38-25. EINIT Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EINIT successful.
SGX_INVALID_SIG_STRUCT	If SIGSTRUCT contained an invalid value.
SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE	If SIGSTRUCT contains an unauthorized attributes mask.
SGX_INVALID_MEASUREMENT	If SIGSTRUCT contains an incorrect measurement. If EINITTOKEN contains an incorrect measurement.
SGX_INVALID_SIGNATURE	If signature does not validate with enclosed public key.
SGX_INVALID_LICENSE	If license is invalid.
SGX_INVALID_CPUSVN	If license SVN is unsupported.
SGX_UNMASKED_EVENT	If an unmasked event is received before the instruction completes its operation.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-26. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EINIT

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EINIT	SECS [DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-27. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EINIT

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EINIT	SECS [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Exclusive	#GP	Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EINIT Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size	Description
TMP_SIG	SIGSTRUCT	1808Bytes	Temp space for SIGSTRUCT.
TMP_TOKEN	EINITTOKEN	304Bytes	Temp space for EINITTOKEN.
TMP_MRENCLAVE		32Bytes	Temp space for calculating MRENCLAVE.
TMP_MRSIGNER		32Bytes	Temp space for calculating MRSIGNER.
CONTROLLED_ATTRIBUTES	ATTRIBUTES	16Bytes	Constant mask of all ATTRIBUTE bits that can only be set for authorized enclaves.
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES	Buffer	224Bytes	Temp space for key derivation.
TMP_EINITTOKENKEY		16Bytes	Temp space for the derived EINITTOKEN Key.
TMP_SIG_PADDING	PKCS Padding Buffer	352Bytes	The value of the top 352 bytes from the computation of Signature ³ modulo MRSIGNER.

(* make sure SIGSTRUCT and SECS are aligned *)

IF ((DS:RBX is not 4KByte Aligned) or (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* make sure the EINITTOKEN is aligned *)

IF (DS:RDX is not 512Byte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* make sure the SECS is inside the EPC *)

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

TMP_SIG[14463:0] := DS:RBX[14463:0]; // 1808 bytes

TMP_TOKEN[2423:0] := DS:RDX[2423:0]; // 304 bytes

(* Verify SIGSTRUCT Header. *)

```
IF ( (TMP_SIG.HEADER ≠ 06000000E10000000000010000000000h) or
    ((TMP_SIG.VENDOR ≠ 0) and (TMP_SIG.VENDOR ≠ 00008086h) ) or
    (TMP_SIG.HEADER2 ≠ 01010000600000006000000001000000h) or
    (TMP_SIG.EXPONENT ≠ 00000003h) or (Reserved space is not 0's) )
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_SIG_STRUCT;
        GOTO EXIT;
FI;
```

(* Open “Event Window” Check for Interrupts. Verify signature using embedded public key, q1, and q2. Save upper 352 bytes of the PKCS1.5 encoded message into the TMP_SIG_PADDING*)

```
IF (interrupt was pending) THEN
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_UNMASKED_EVENT;
    GOTO EXIT;
```

```
FI
IF (signature failed to verify) THEN
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_SIGNATURE;
    GOTO EXIT;
```

```
FI;
(*Close “Event Window” *)
```

(* make sure no other Intel SGX instruction is modifying SECS*)

```
IF (Other instructions modifying SECS)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SECS) )
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

(* Verify ISVFAMILYID is not used on an enclave with KSS disabled *)

```
IF ((TMP_SIG.ISVFAMILYID != 0) AND (DS:RCX.ATTRIBUTES.KSS == 0))
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_SIG_STRUCT;
        GOTO EXIT;
```

```
FI;
```

(* make sure no other instruction is accessing MRENCLAVE or ATTRIBUTES.INIT *)

```
IF ( (Other instruction modifying MRENCLAVE) or (Other instructions modifying the SECS’s Initialized state))
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

(* Calculate finalized version of MRENCLAVE *)

(* SHA256 algorithm requires one last update that compresses the length of the hashed message into the output SHA256 digest *)

```
TMP_ENCLAVE := SHA256FINAL( (DS:RCX).MRENCLAVE, enclave’s MRENCLAVE update count *512);
```

(* Verify MRENCLAVE from SIGSTRUCT *)

```
IF (TMP_SIG.ENCLAVEHASH ≠ TMP_MRENCLAVE)
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_MEASUREMENT;
    GOTO EXIT;
```

```
FI;
```

```
TMP_MRSIGNER := SHA256(TMP_SIG.MODULUS)
```

```
(* if controlled ATTRIBUTES are set, SIGSTRUCT must be signed using an authorized key *)
```

```
CONTROLLED_ATTRIBUTES := 0000000000000020H;
```

```
IF ( (DS:RCX.ATTRIBUTES & CONTROLLED_ATTRIBUTES) ≠ 0) and (TMP_MRSIGNER ≠ IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH) )
```

```
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE;
    GOTO EXIT;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(* Verify SIGSTRUCT.ATTRIBUTE requirements are met *)
```

```
IF ( (DS:RCX.ATTRIBUTES & TMP_SIG.ATTRIBUTEMASK) ≠ (TMP_SIG.ATTRIBUTE & TMP_SIG.ATTRIBUTEMASK) )
```

```
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE;
    GOTO EXIT;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(*Verify SIGSTRUCT.MISCSELECT requirements are met *)
```

```
IF ( (DS:RCX.MISCSELECT & TMP_SIG.MISCMASK) ≠ (TMP_SIG.MISCSELECT & TMP_SIG.MISCMASK) )
```

```
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE;
    GOTO EXIT
```

```
FI;
```

```
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
```

```
    IF ( DS:RCX.CET_ATTRIBUTES & TMP_SIG.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK ≠ TMP_SIG.CET_ATTRIBUTES &
        TMP_SIG.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK )
```

```
        THEN
            RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
            RAX := SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE;
            GOTO EXIT
```

```
    FI;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(* If EINITTOKEN.VALID[0] is 0, verify the enclave is signed by an authorized key *)
```

```
IF (TMP_TOKEN.VALID[0] = 0)
```

```
    IF (TMP_MRSIGNER ≠ IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH)
```

```
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_EINITTOKEN;
        GOTO EXIT;
```

```
    FI;
```

```
    GOTO COMMIT;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(* Debug Launch Enclave cannot launch Production Enclaves *)
```

```
IF ( (DS:RDX.MASKEDATTRIBUTESLE.DEBUG = 1) and (DS:RCX.ATTRIBUTES.DEBUG = 0) )
```

```
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_EINITTOKEN;
    GOTO EXIT;
```

```
FI;
```

(* Check reserve space in EINIT token includes reserved regions and upper bits in valid field *)

IF (TMP_TOKEN.reserved space is not clear)

```
RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
RAX := SGX_INVALID_EINITTOKEN;
GOTO EXIT;
```

FI;

(* EINIT token must not have been created by a configuration beyond the current CPU configuration *)

IF (TMP_TOKEN.CPUSVN must not be a configuration beyond CR_CPUSVN)

```
RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
RAX := SGX_INVALID_CPUSVN;
GOTO EXIT;
```

FI;

(* Derive Launch key used to calculate EINITTOKEN.MAC *)

```
HARDCODED_PKCS1_5_PADDING[15:0] := 0100H;
HARDCODED_PKCS1_5_PADDING[2655:16] := SignExtend330Byte(-1); // 330 bytes of 0FFH
HARDCODED_PKCS1_5_PADDING[2815:2656] := 2004000501020403650148866009060D30313000H;
```

```
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYNAME := EINITTOKEN_KEY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVFAMILYID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVEXTPRODID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVPRODID := TMP_TOKEN.ISVPRODIDLE;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVSVN := TMP_TOKEN.ISVSVNLE;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SGXOWNERPOUCH := CR_SGXOWNERPOUCH;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTES := TMP_TOKEN.MASKEDATTRIBUTESLE;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTESMASK := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRENCLAVE := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRSIGNER := IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYID := TMP_TOKEN.KEYID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SEAL_KEY_FUSES := CR_SEAL_FUSES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CPUSVN := TMP_TOKEN.CPUSVNLE;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCSELECT := TMP_TOKEN.MASKEDMISCSELECTLE;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCMASK := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.PADDING := HARDCODED_PKCS1_5_PADDING;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYPOLICY := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGSVN := 0;
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES := TMP_TOKEN.CET_MASKED_ATTRIBUTES_LE;
    TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK := 0;
```

FI;

(* Calculate the derived key*)

```
TMP_EINITTOKENKEY := derivekey(TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES);
```

(* Verify EINITTOKEN was generated using this CPU's Launch key and that it has not been modified since issuing by the Launch Enclave. Only 192 bytes of EINITTOKEN are CMACed *)

IF (TMP_TOKEN.MAC ≠ CMAC(TMP_EINITTOKENKEY, TMP_TOKEN[1535:0]))

```
RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
RAX := SGX_INVALID_EINITTOKEN;
GOTO EXIT;
```

FI;

```

(* Verify EINITTOKEN (RDX) is for this enclave *)
IF ( (TMP_TOKEN.MRENCLAVE ≠ TMP_MRENCLAVE) or (TMP_TOKEN.MRSIGNER ≠ TMP_MRSIGNER) )
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_MEASUREMENT;
    GOTO EXIT;
FI;

(* Verify ATTRIBUTES in EINITTOKEN are the same as the enclave's *)
IF (TMP_TOKEN.ATTRIBUTES ≠ DS:RCX.ATTRIBUTES)
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_EINIT_ATTRIBUTE;
    GOTO EXIT;
FI;

COMMIT:
(* Commit changes to the SECS; Set ISVPRODID, ISVSVN, MRSIGNER, INIT ATTRIBUTE fields in SECS (RCX) *)
DS:RCX.MRENCLAVE := TMP_MRENCLAVE;
(* MRSIGNER stores a SHA256 in little endian implemented natively on x86 *)
DS:RCX.MRSIGNER := TMP_MRSIGNER;
DS:RCX.ISVEXTPRODID := TMP_SIG.ISVEXTPRODID;
DS:RCX.ISVPRODID := TMP_SIG.ISVPRODID;
DS:RCX.ISVSVN := TMP_SIG.ISVSVN;
DS:RCX.ISVFAMILYID := TMP_SIG.ISVFAMILYID;
DS:RCX.PADDING := TMP_SIG.PADDING;

(* Mark the SECS as initialized *)
Update DS:RCX to initialized;

(* Set RAX and ZF for success*)
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RAX := 0;
EXIT:
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

```

Flags Affected

ZF is cleared if successful, otherwise ZF is set and RAX contains the error code. CF, PF, AF, OF, SF are cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If another instruction is modifying the SECS. If the enclave is already initialized. If the SECS.MRENCLAVE is in use.
#PF(error code)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If RCX does not resolve in an EPC page. If the memory address is not a valid, uninitialized SECS.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If another instruction is modifying the SECS. If the enclave is already initialized. If the SECS.MRENCLAVE is in use.
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#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If RCX does not resolve in an EPC page.
 If the memory address is not a valid, uninitialized SECS.

ELDB/ELDU/ELDBC/ELDUC—Load an EPC Page and Mark its State

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 07H ENCLS[ELDB]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function loads, verifies an EPC page and marks the page as blocked.
EAX = 08H ENCLS[ELDU]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function loads, verifies an EPC page and marks the page as unblocked.
EAX = 12H ENCLS[ELDBC]	IR	V/V	EAX[6]	This leaf function behaves like ELDB but with improved conflict handling for oversubscription.
EAX = 13H ENCLS[ELDUC]	IR	V/V	EAX[6]	This leaf function behaves like ELDU but with improved conflict handling for oversubscription.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX	RDX
IR	ELDB/ELDU (In)	Return error code (Out)	Address of the PAGEINFO (In)	Address of the EPC page (In)	Address of the version- array slot (In)

Description

This leaf function copies a page from regular main memory to the EPC. As part of the copying process, the page is cryptographically authenticated and decrypted. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0.

The ELDB leaf function sets the BLOCK bit in the EPCM entry for the destination page in the EPC after copying. The ELDU leaf function clears the BLOCK bit in the EPCM entry for the destination page in the EPC after copying.

RBX contains the effective address of a PAGEINFO structure; RCX contains the effective address of the destination EPC page; RDX holds the effective address of the version array slot that holds the version of the page.

The ELDBC/ELDUC leafs are very similar to ELDB and ELDU. They provide an error code on the concurrency conflict for any of the pages which need to acquire a lock. These include the destination, SECS, and VA slot.

The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of ELDB/ELDU leaf functions.

ELDB/ELDU/ELDBC/ELBUC Memory Parameter Semantics

PAGEINFO	PAGEINFO.SRCPGE	PAGEINFO.PCMD	PAGEINFO.SECS	EPCPAGE	Version-Array Slot
Non-enclave read access	Non-enclave read access	Non-enclave read access	Enclave read/write access	Read/Write access permitted by Enclave	Read/Write access per- mitted by Enclave

The error codes are:

Table 38-28. ELDB/ELDU/ELDBC/ELBUC Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	ELDB/ELDU successful.
SGX_MAC_COMPARE_FAIL	If the MAC check fails.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-29. Base Concurrency Restrictions of ELDB/ELDU/ELDBC/ELBUC

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
ELDB/ELDU	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
	VA [DS:RDX]	Shared	#GP	
	SECS [DS:RBX]PAGEINFO.SECS	Shared	#GP	
ELDBC/ELBUC	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_ERROR
	VA [DS:RDX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
	SECS [DS:RBX]PAGEINFO.SECS	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	

Table 38-30. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of ELDB/ELDU/ELDBC/ELBUC

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
ELDB/ELDU	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	VA [DS:RDX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS [DS:RBX]PAGEINFO.SECS	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
ELDBC/ELBUC	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	VA [DS:RDX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS [DS:RBX]PAGEINFO.SECS	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in ELDB/ELDU/ELDBC/ELBUC Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_SRCPGE	Memory page	4KBytes	
TMP_SECS	Memory page	4KBytes	
TMP_PCMD	PCMD	128 Bytes	
TMP_HEADER	MACHEADER	128 Bytes	
TMP_VER	UINT64	64	
TMP_MAC	UINT128	128	
TMP_PK	UINT128	128	Page encryption/MAC key.
SCRATCH_PCMD	PCMD	128 Bytes	

(* Check PAGEINFO and EPCPAGE alignment *)
 IF ((DS:RBX is not 32Byte Aligned) or (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned))
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

```
IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

```
(* Check VASLOT alignment *)
IF (DS:RDX is not 8Byte aligned)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF (DS:RDX does not resolve within an EPC)
    THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;
```

```
TMP_SRCPGE := DS:RBX.SRCPGE;
TMP_SECS := DS:RBX.SECONDS;
TMP_PCMD := DS:RBX.PCMD;
```

```
(* Check alignment of PAGEINFO (RBX) linked parameters. Note: PCMD pointer is overlaid on top of PAGEINFO.SECINFO field *)
IF ( (DS:TMP_PCMD is not 128Byte aligned) or (DS:TMP_SRCPGE is not 4KByte aligned) )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Check concurrency of EPC by other Intel SGX instructions *)
IF (other instructions accessing EPC)
    THEN
        IF ((EAX==07h) OR (EAX==08h)) (* ELDB/ELDU *)
            THEN
                IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND
                    <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
                    THEN
                        VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
                        VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION;
                        VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
                        VMCS.Guest-physical_address :=
                            << translation of DS:RCX produced by paging >>;
                        VMCS.Guest-linear_address := DS:RCX;
                        Deliver VMEXIT;
                    ELSE
                        #GP(0);
                FI;
            ELSE (* ELDBC/ELDUC *)
                IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND
                    <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
                    THEN
                        VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
                        VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_ERROR;
                        VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
                        VMCS.Guest-physical_address :=
                            << translation of DS:RCX produced by paging >>;
                        VMCS.Guest-linear_address := DS:RCX;
                        Deliver VMEXIT;
                    ELSE
                        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
                        RFLAGS.CF := 0;
                        RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
                        GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
                FI;
```

```

    FI;
FI;

(* Check concurrency of EPC and VASLOT by other Intel SGX instructions *)
IF (Other instructions modifying VA slot) THEN
    IF ((EAX==07h) OR (EAX==08h)) (* ELDB/ELDU *)
        THEN #GP(0);
    ELSE (* ELDBC/ELDUC *)
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RFLAGS.CF := 0;
        RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
        GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
    FI;
FI;

(* Verify EPCM attributes of EPC page, VA, and SECS *)
IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 1)
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

IF ( (EPCM(DS:RDX & ~OFFFH).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RDX & ~OFFFH).PT ≠ PT_VA) )
    THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;

(* Copy PCMD into scratch buffer *)
SCRATCH_PCMD[1023: 0] := DS:TMP_PCMD[1023:0];

(* Zero out TMP_HEADER*)
TMP_HEADER[sizeof(TMP_HEADER)-1: 0] := 0;

TMP_HEADER.SECINFO := SCRATCH_PCMD.SECINFO;
TMP_HEADER.RSVD := SCRATCH_PCMD.RSVD;
TMP_HEADER.LINADDR := DS:RBX.LINADDR;

(* Verify various attributes of SECS parameter *)
IF ( (TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT = PT_REG) or (TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT = PT_TCS) or
    (TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT = PT_TRIM) or
    (TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT = PT_SS_FIRST and CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1) or
    (TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT = PT_SS_REST and CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1) )
    THEN
        IF ( DS:TMP_SECS is not 4KByte aligned)
            THEN #GP(0) FI;
        IF (DS:TMP_SECS does not resolve within an EPC)
            THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SECS) FI;
        IF ( Another instruction is currently modifying the SECS) THEN
            IF ((EAX==07h) OR (EAX==08h)) (* ELDB/ELDU *)
                THEN #GP(0);
            ELSE (* ELDBC/ELDUC *)
                RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
                RFLAGS.CF := 0;
                RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
                GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
            FI;
        FI;
        TMP_HEADER.EID := DS:TMP_SECS.EID;
    ELSE

```

```

(* TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_SECS or PT_VA which do not have a parent SECS, and hence no EID binding *)
TMP_HEADER.EID := 0;
IF (DS:TMP_SECS ≠ 0)
    THEN #GP(0) FI;
FI;

(* Copy 4KBytes SRCPGE to secure location *)
DS:RCX[32767: 0] := DS:TMP_SRCPGE[32767: 0];
TMP_VER := DS:RDX[63:0];

(* Decrypt and MAC page. AES_GCM_DEC has 2 outputs, {plain text, MAC} *)
(* Parameters for AES_GCM_DEC {Key, Counter, ..} *)
{DS:RCX, TMP_MAC} := AES_GCM_DEC(CR_BASE_PK, TMP_VER << 32, TMP_HEADER, 128, DS:RCX, 4096);

IF ( (TMP_MAC ≠ DS:TMP_PCMD.MAC) )
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_MAC_COMPARE_FAIL;
        GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
FI;

(* Clear VA Slot *)
DS:RDX := 0

(* Commit EPCM changes *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).PT := TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT;
EPCM(DS:RCX).RWX := TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.RWX;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING := TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING;
EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED := TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PR := TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PR;
EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS := TMP_HEADER.LINADDR;

IF ( ((EAX = 07H) or (EAX = 12H)) and (TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is NOT PT_SECS or PT_VA) )
    THEN
        EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED := 1;
    ELSE
        EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED := 0;
FI;

IF (TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_SECS)
    << store translation of DS:RCX produced by paging in SECS(DS:RCX).ENCLAVECONTEXT >>
FI;

EPCM(DS:RCX). VALID := 1;

RAX := 0;
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;

ERROR_EXIT:
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

```

Flags Affected

Sets ZF if unsuccessful, otherwise cleared and RAX returns error code. Clears CF, PF, AF, OF, SF.

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If the instruction's EPC resource is in use by others.
 If the instruction fails to verify MAC.
 If the version-array slot is in use.
 If the parameters fail consistency checks.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If a memory operand expected to be in EPC does not resolve to an EPC page.
 If one of the EPC memory operands has incorrect page type.
 If the destination EPC page is already valid.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If a memory operand is non-canonical form.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If the instruction's EPC resource is in use by others.
 If the instruction fails to verify MAC.
 If the version-array slot is in use.
 If the parameters fail consistency checks.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If a memory operand expected to be in EPC does not resolve to an EPC page.
 If one of the EPC memory operands has incorrect page type.
 If the destination EPC page is already valid.

EMODPR—Restrict the Permissions of an EPC Page

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 0EH ENCLS[EMODPR]	IR	V/V	SGX2	This leaf function restricts the access rights associated with a EPC page in an initialized enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	EMODPR (In)	Return Error Code (Out)	Address of a SECINFO (In)	Address of the destination EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function restricts the access rights associated with an EPC page in an initialized enclave. THE RWX bits of the SECINFO parameter are treated as a permissions mask; supplying a value that does not restrict the page permissions will have no effect. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0.

RBX contains the effective address of a SECINFO structure while RCX contains the effective address of an EPC page. The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of the EMODPR leaf function.

EMODPR Memory Parameter Semantics

SECINFO	EPCPAGE
Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read/Write access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EMODPR Faulting Conditions

The operands are not properly aligned.	If unsupported security attributes are set.
The Enclave is not initialized.	SECS is locked by another thread.
The EPC page is locked by another thread.	RCX does not contain an effective address of an EPC page in the running enclave.
The EPC page is not valid.	

The error codes are:

Table 38-31. EMODPR Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EMODPR successful.
SGX_PAGE_NOT_MODIFIABLE	The EPC page cannot be modified because it is in the PENDING or MODIFIED state.
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	Page is being written by EADD, EAUG, ECREATE, ELDU/B, EMODT, or EWB.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-32. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EMODPR

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EMODPR	Target [DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-33. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EMODPR

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EMODPR	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EMODPR Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Effective Address	32/64	Physical address of SECS to which EPC operand belongs.
SCRATCH_SECINFO	SECINFO	512	Scratch storage for holding the contents of DS:RBX.

IF (DS:RBX is not 64Byte Aligned)
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
 THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

SCRATCH_SECINFO := DS:RBX;

(* Check for misconfigured SECINFO flags*)
 IF ((SCRATCH_SECINFO reserved fields are not zero) or
 (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R is 0 and SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W is not 0))
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check concurrency with SGX1 or SGX2 instructions on the EPC page *)
 IF (SGX1 or other SGX2 instructions accessing EPC page)
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID is 0)
 THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)
 IF (EPC page in use by another SGX2 instruction)
 THEN
 RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
 RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
 GOTO DONE;

FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING is not 0 or (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED is not 0))
 THEN
 RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
 RAX := SGX_PAGE_NOT_MODIFIABLE;


```

    GOTO DONE;
FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is not PT_REG)
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

TMP_SECS := GET_SECS_ADDRESS

IF (TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.INIT = 0)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Set the PR bit to indicate that permission restriction is in progress *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).PR := 1;

(* Update EPCM permissions *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).R := EPCM(DS:RCX).R & SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R;
EPCM(DS:RCX).W := EPCM(DS:RCX).W & SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W;
EPCM(DS:RCX).X := EPCM(DS:RCX).X & SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X;

RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RAX := 0;

DONE:
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

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Flags Affected

Sets ZF if page is not modifiable or if other SGX2 instructions are executing concurrently, otherwise cleared. Clears CF, PF, AF, OF, SF.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If a memory operand is locked.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If a memory operand is not an EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand is non-canonical form. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If a memory operand is locked.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If a memory operand is not an EPC page.

EMODT—Change the Type of an EPC Page

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 0FH ENCLS[EMODT]	IR	V/V	SGX2	This leaf function changes the type of an existing EPC page.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	EMODT (In)	Return Error Code (Out)	Address of a SECINFO (In)	Address of the destination EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function modifies the type of an EPC page. The security attributes are configured to prevent access to the EPC page at its new type until a corresponding invocation of the EACCEPT leaf confirms the modification. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0.

RBX contains the effective address of a SECINFO structure while RCX contains the effective address of an EPC page. The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of the EMODT leaf function.

EMODT Memory Parameter Semantics

SECINFO	EPCPAGE
Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read/Write access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EMODT Faulting Conditions

The operands are not properly aligned.	If unsupported security attributes are set.
The Enclave is not initialized.	SECS is locked by another thread.
The EPC page is locked by another thread.	RCX does not contain an effective address of an EPC page in the running enclave.
The EPC page is not valid.	

The error codes are:

Table 38-34. EMODT Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EMODT successful.
SGX_PAGE_NOT_MODIFIABLE	The EPC page cannot be modified because it is in the PENDING or MODIFIED state.
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	Page is being written by EADD, EAUG, ECREATE, ELDU/B, EMODPR, or EWB.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-35. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EMODT

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EMODT	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_ERROR

Table 38-36. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EMODT

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EMODT	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation**Temp Variables in EMODT Operational Flow**

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Effective Address	32/64	Physical address of SECS to which EPC operand belongs.
SCRATCH_SECINFO	SECINFO	512	Scratch storage for holding the contents of DS:RBX.

IF (DS:RBX is not 64Byte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

SCRATCH_SECINFO := DS:RBX;

(* Check for misconfigured SECINFO flags*)

IF ((SCRATCH_SECINFO reserved fields are not zero) or
!(SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_TCS or SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_TRIM))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check concurrency with SGX1 instructions on the EPC page *)

IF (other SGX1 instructions accessing EPC page)
THEN
RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
GOTO DONE;

FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID is 0)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)

IF (EPC page in use by another SGX2 instruction)
THEN
RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
GOTO DONE;

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FI;

IF (!(EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_REG or
    ((EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_TCS or PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST) and SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_TRIM)))
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING is not 0 or (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED is not 0) )
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_PAGE_NOT_MODIFIABLE;
        GOTO DONE;
FI;

TMP_SECS := GET_SECS_ADDRESS

IF (TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.INIT = 0)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Update EPCM fields *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).PR := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED := 1;
EPCM(DS:RCX).R := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).W := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).X := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PT := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT;

RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RAX := 0;

DONE:
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

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Flags Affected

Sets ZF if page is not modifiable or if other SGX2 instructions are executing concurrently, otherwise cleared. Clears CF, PF, AF, OF, SF.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If a memory operand is locked.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If a memory operand is not an EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand is non-canonical form. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If a memory operand is locked.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If a memory operand is not an EPC page.

EPA—Add Version Array

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 0AH ENCLS[EPA]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function adds a Version Array to the EPC.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX	RBX	RCX
IR	EPA (In)	PT_VA (In, Constant)	Effective address of the EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function creates an empty version array in the EPC page whose logical address is given by DS:RCX, and sets up EPCM attributes for that page. At the time of execution of this instruction, the register RBX must be set to PT_VA.

The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of EPA leaf function.

EPA Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCPAGE
Write access permitted by Enclave

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-37. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EPA

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EPA	VA [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION

Table 38-38. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EPA

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EPA	VA [DS:RCX]	Concurrent	L	Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

IF (RBX ≠ PT_VA or DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* Check concurrency with other Intel SGX instructions *)

IF (Other Intel SGX instructions accessing the page)
THEN

IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)

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    THEN
        VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
        VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION;
        VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
        VMCS.Guest-physical_address := << translation of DS:RCX produced by paging >>;
        VMCS.Guest-linear_address := DS:RCX;
    Deliver VMEXIT;
    ELSE
        #GP(0);
FI;
FI;

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(* Check EPC page must be empty *)

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IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID ≠ 0)
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

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(* Clears EPC page *)

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DS:RCX[32767:0] := 0;

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EPCM(DS:RCX).PT := PT_VA;
EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PR := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).RWX := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID := 1;

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Flags Affected

None

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not properly aligned.</p> <p>If another Intel SGX instruction is accessing the EPC page.</p> <p>If RBX is not set to PT_VA.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not an EPC page.</p> <p>If the EPC page is valid.</p>

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If a memory operand is non-canonical form.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not properly aligned.</p> <p>If another Intel SGX instruction is accessing the EPC page.</p> <p>If RBX is not set to PT_VA.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not an EPC page.</p> <p>If the EPC page is valid.</p>

ERDINFO—Read Type and Status Information About an EPC Page

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 10H ENCLS[ERDINFO]	IR	V/V	EAX[6]	This leaf function returns type and status information about an EPC page.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	ERDINFO (In)	Return error code (Out)	Address of a RDINFO structure (In)	Address of the destination EPC page (In)

Description

This instruction reads type and status information about an EPC page and returns it in a RDINFO structure. The STATUS field of the structure describes the status of the page and determines the validity of the remaining fields. The FLAGS field returns the EPCM permissions of the page; the page type; and the BLOCKED, PENDING, MODIFIED, and PR status of the page. For enclave pages, the ENCLAVECONTEXT field of the structure returns the value of SECS.ENCLAVECONTEXT. For non-enclave pages (e.g., VA) ENCLAVECONTEXT returns 0.

For invalid or non-EPC pages, the instruction returns an information code indicating the page's status, in addition to populating the STATUS field.

ERDINFO returns an error code if the destination EPC page is being modified by a concurrent SGX instruction.

RBX contains the effective address of a RDINFO structure while RCX contains the effective address of an EPC page. The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of ERDINFO leaf function.

ERDINFO Memory Parameter Semantics

RDINFO	EPCPAGE
Read/Write access permitted by Non Enclave	Read access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

ERDINFO Faulting Conditions

A memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit (32b mode).	A memory operand is not properly aligned.
DS segment is unusable (32b mode).	A page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
A memory address is in a non-canonical form (64b mode).	

The error codes are:

Table 38-39. ERDINFO Return Value in RAX

Error Code	Value	Description
No Error	0	ERDINFO successful.
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT		Failure due to concurrent operation of another SGX instruction.
SGX_PG_INVLD		Target page is not a valid EPC page.
SGX_PG_NONEPC		Page is not an EPC page.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-40. Base Concurrency Restrictions of ERDINFO

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
ERDINFO	Target [DS:RCX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	

Table 38-41. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of ERDINFO

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
ERDINFO	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in ERDINFO Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Physical Address	64	Physical address of the SECS of the page being modified.
TMP_RDINFO	Linear Address	64	Address of the RDINFO structure.

(* check alignment of RDINFO structure (RBX) *)
 IF (DS:RBX is not 32Byte Aligned) THEN
 #GP(0); FI;

(* check alignment of the EPCPAGE (RCX) *)
 IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned) THEN
 #GP(0); FI;

(* check that EPCPAGE (DS:RCX) is the address of an EPC page *)
 IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within EPC) THEN
 RFLAGS.CF := 1;
 RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
 RAX := SGX_PG_NONEPC;
 goto DONE;
 FI;

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)
 IF (EPC page is being modified) THEN
 RFLAGS.ZF = 1;
 RFLAGS.CF = 0;
 RAX = SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
 goto DONE;
 FI;

(* check page validity *)
 IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) THEN
 RFLAGS.CF = 1;


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RFLAGS.ZF = 0;
RAX = SGX_PG_INVLD;
goto DONE;
FI;

(* clear the fields of the RDINFO structure *)
TMP_RDINFO := DS:RBX;
TMP_RDINFO.STATUS := 0;
TMP_RDINFO.FLAGS := 0;
TMP_RDINFO.ENCLAVECONTEXT := 0;

(* store page info in RDINFO structure *)
TMP_RDINFO.FLAGS.RWX := EPCM(DS:RCX).RWX;
TMP_RDINFO.FLAGS.PENDING := EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING;
TMP_RDINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED := EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED;
TMP_RDINFO.FLAGS.PR := EPCM(DS:RCX).PR;
TMP_RDINFO.FLAGS.PAGE_TYPE := EPCM(DS:RCX).PAGE_TYPE;
TMP_RDINFO.FLAGS.BLOCKED := EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED;

(* read SECS.ENCLAVECONTEXT for enclave child pages *)
IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_REG) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_TCS) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_TRIM) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SS_FIRST) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SS_REST)
    ) THEN
    TMP_SECS := Address of SECS for (DS:RCX);
    TMP_RDINFO.ENCLAVECONTEXT := SECS(TMP_SECS).ENCLAVECONTEXT;
FI;

(* populate enclave information for SECS pages *)
IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SECS) THEN
    IF ((VMX non-root mode) and
        (ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS Execution Control = 1)
        ) THEN
        TMP_RDINFO.STATUS.CHILDPRESENT :=
            ((SECS(DS:RCX).CHLDCNT ≠ 0) or
             SECS(DS:RCX).VIRTCHILDCNT ≠ 0);
    ELSE
        TMP_RDINFO.STATUS.CHILDPRESENT := (SECS(DS:RCX).CHLDCNT ≠ 0);
        TMP_RDINFO.STATUS.VIRTCHILDPRESENT :=
            (SECS(DS:RCX).VIRTCHILDCNT ≠ 0);
        TMP_RDINFO.ENCLAVECONTEXT := SECS(DS:RCX).ENCLAVECONTEXT;
    FI;
FI;

RAX := 0;
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RFLAGS.CF := 0;

DONE:
(* clear flags *)
RFLAGS.PF := 0;
RFLAGS.AF := 0;

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RFLAGS.OF := 0;
RFLAGS.SF := 70;

Flags Affected

ZF is set if ERDINFO fails due to concurrent operation with another SGX instruction; otherwise cleared.

CF is set if page is not a valid EPC page or not an EPC page; otherwise cleared.

PF, AF, OF, and SF are cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0) If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.
 If DS segment is unusable.

 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.

#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0) If the memory address is in a non-canonical form.

 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.

#PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

EREMOVE—Remove a page from the EPC

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 03H ENCLS[EREMOVE]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function removes a page from the EPC.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RCX
IR	EREMOVE (In)	Return error code (Out)	Effective address of the EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function causes an EPC page to be un-associated with its SECS and be marked as unused. This instruction leaf can only be executed when the current privilege level is 0.

The content of RCX is an effective address of an EPC page. The DS segment is used to create linear address. Segment override is not supported.

The instruction fails if the operand is not properly aligned or does not refer to an EPC page or the page is in use by another thread, or other threads are running in the enclave to which the page belongs. In addition the instruction fails if the operand refers to an SECS with associations.

EREMOVE Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCPAGE
Write access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EREMOVE Faulting Conditions

The memory operand is not properly aligned.	The memory operand does not resolve in an EPC page.
Refers to an invalid SECS.	Refers to an EPC page that is locked by another thread.
Another Intel SGX instruction is accessing the EPC page.	RCX does not contain an effective address of an EPC page.
the EPC page refers to an SECS with associations.	

The error codes are:

Table 38-42. EREMOVE Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EREMOVE successful.
SGX_CHILD_PRESENT	If the SECS still have enclave pages loaded into EPC.
SGX_ENCLAVE_ACT	If there are still logical processors executing inside the enclave.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-43. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EREMOVE

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EREMOVE	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION

Table 38-44. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EREMOVE

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EREMOVE	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EREMOVE Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Effective Address	32/64	Effective address of the SECS destination page.

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve to an EPC page)
 THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

TMP_SECS := Get_SECS_ADDRESS();

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)

IF (EPC page being referenced by another Intel SGX instruction)
 THEN
 IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
 THEN
 VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
 VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION;
 VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
 VMCS.Guest-physical_address := << translation of DS:RCX produced by paging >>;
 VMCS.Guest-linear_address := DS:RCX;
 Deliver VMEXIT;
 ELSE
 #GP(0);
 FI;

FI;

(* if DS:RCX is already unused, nothing to do*)

IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_TRIM AND EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED = 0))
 THEN GOTO DONE;

FI;

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IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_VA) OR
      ((EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_TRIM) AND (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED = 0)) )
  THEN
    EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID := 0;
    GOTO DONE;
FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT = PT_SECS)
  THEN
    IF (DS:RCX has an EPC page associated with it)
      THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_CHILD_PRESENT;
        GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
      FI;
    (* treat SECS as having a child page when VIRTCHILDCNT is non-zero *)
    IF (<<in VMX non-root operation>> AND
        <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>> AND
        (SECS(DS:RCX).VIRTCHILDCNT ≠ 0))
      THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_CHILD_PRESENT;
        GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
      FI;
    EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID := 0;
    GOTO DONE;
FI;

IF (Other threads active using SECS)
  THEN
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_ENCLAVE_ACT;
    GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
FI;

IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_TCS) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_TRIM) or
      (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_SS_FIRST) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_SS_REST))
  THEN
    EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID := 0;
    GOTO DONE;
FI;

DONE:
RAX := 0;
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;

ERROR_EXIT:
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

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Flags Affected

Sets ZF if unsuccessful, otherwise cleared and RAX returns error code. Clears CF, PF, AF, OF, SF.

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If another Intel SGX instruction is accessing the page.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If the memory operand is not an EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If the memory operand is non-canonical form.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If another Intel SGX instruction is accessing the page.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If the memory operand is not an EPC page.

ETRAK—Activates EBLOCK Checks

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 0CH ENCLS[ETRAK]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function activates EBLOCK checks.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RCX
IR	ETRAK (In)	Return error code (Out)	Pointer to the SECS of the EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function provides the mechanism for hardware to track that software has completed the required TLB address clears successfully. The instruction can only be executed when the current privilege level is 0.

The content of RCX is an effective address of an EPC page.

The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of ETRAK leaf function.

ETRAK Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCPAGE
Read/Write access permitted by Enclave

The error codes are:

Table 38-45. ETRAK Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	ETRAK successful.
SGX_PREV_TRK_INCMPL	All processors did not complete the previous shoot-down sequence.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-46. Base Concurrency Restrictions of ETRAK

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
ETRAK	SECS [DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-47. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of ETRAK

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRAK, ETRAKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
ETRAK	SECS [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT

Operation

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* Check concurrency with other Intel SGX instructions *)

IF (Other Intel SGX instructions using tracking facility on this SECS)
THEN
IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
THEN
VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := TRACKING_RESOURCE_CONFLICT;
VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
VMCS.Guest-physical_address := SECS(TMP_SECS).ENCLAVECONTEXT;
VMCS.Guest-linear_address := 0;
Deliver VMEXIT;
ELSE
#GP(0);
FI;

FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_SECS)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* All processors must have completed the previous tracking cycle*)

IF ((DS:RCX).TRACKING ≠ 0)
THEN
IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
THEN
VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := TRACKING_REFERENCE_CONFLICT;
VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
VMCS.Guest-physical_address := SECS(TMP_SECS).ENCLAVECONTEXT;
VMCS.Guest-linear_address := 0;
Deliver VMEXIT;
FI;
RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
RAX := SGX_PREV_TRK_INCMPL;
GOTO DONE;
ELSE
RAX := 0;
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
FI;

DONE:
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

Flags Affected

Sets ZF if SECS is in use or invalid, otherwise cleared. Clears CF, PF, AF, OF, SF.

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If another thread is concurrently using the tracking facility on this SECS.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If a memory operand is not an EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If a memory operand is non-canonical form.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If the specified EPC resource is in use.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If a memory operand is not an EPC page.

ETRACKC—Activates EBLOCK Checks

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 11H ENCL[ETRACKC]	IR	V/V	EAX[6]	This leaf function activates EBLOCK checks.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RCX	
IR	ETRACK (In)	Return error code (Out)	Address of the destination EPC page (In, EA)	Address of the SECS page (In, EA)

Description

The ETRACKC instruction is thread safe variant of ETRACK leaf and can be executed concurrently with other CPU threads operating on the same SECS.

This leaf function provides the mechanism for hardware to track that software has completed the required TLB address clears successfully. The instruction can only be executed when the current privilege level is 0.

The content of RCX is an effective address of an EPC page.

The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of ETRACK leaf function.

ETRACKC Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCPAGE
Read/Write access permitted by Enclave

The error codes are:

Table 38-48. ETRACKC Return Value in RAX

Error Code	Value	Description
No Error	0	ETRACKC successful.
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	7	Failure due to concurrent operation of another SGX instruction.
SGX_PG_INVLD	6	Target page is not a VALID EPC page.
SGX_PREV_TRK_INCMPL	17	All processors did not complete the previous tracking sequence.
SGX_TRACK_NOT_REQUIRED	27	Target page type does not require tracking.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-49. Base Concurrency Restrictions of ETRACKC

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
ETRACKC	Target [DS:RCX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
	SECS implicit	Concurrent		

Table 38-50. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of ETRACKC

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
ETRACKC	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS implicit	Concurrent		Concurrent		Exclusive	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT

Operation**Temp Variables in ETRACKC Operational Flow**

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Physical Address	64	Physical address of the SECS of the page being modified.

(* check alignment of EPCPAGE (RCX) *)

```
IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned) THEN
  #GP(0); FI;
```

(* check that EPCPAGE (DS:RCX) is the address of an EPC page *)

```
IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC) THEN
  #PF(DS:RCX, PFEC.SGX); FI;
```

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)

```
IF (EPC page is being modified) THEN
  RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
  RFLAGS.CF := 0;
  RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
  goto DONE_POST_LOCK_RELEASE;
FI;
```

(* check to make sure the page is valid *)

```
IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) THEN
  RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
  RFLAGS.CF := 0;
  RAX := SGX_PG_INVLD;
  GOTO DONE;
FI;
```

(* find out the target SECS page *)

```
IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_REG or PT_TCS or PT_TRIM or PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST) THEN
  TMP_SECS := Obtain SECS through EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS;
ELSE IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_SECS) THEN
  TMP_SECS := Obtain SECS through (DS:RCX);
ELSE
  RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
  RFLAGS.CF := 1;
  RAX := SGX_TRACK_NOT_REQUIRED;
  GOTO DONE;
FI;
```

```

(* Check concurrency with other Intel SGX instructions *)
IF (Other Intel SGX instructions using tracking facility on this SECS) THEN
  IF ((VMX non-root mode) and
    (ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS Execution Control = 1)) THEN
    VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
    VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := TRACKING_RESOURCE_CONFLICT;
    VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
    VMCS.Guest-physical_address :=
      SECS(TMP_SECS).ENCLAVECONTEXT;
    VMCS.Guest-linear_address := 0;
    Deliver VMEXIT;
  FI;

  RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
  RFLAGS.CF := 0;
  RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
  GOTO DONE;
FI;

(* All processors must have completed the previous tracking cycle*)
IF ((TMP_SECS).TRACKING ≠ 0)
THEN
  IF ((VMX non-root mode) and
    (ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS Execution Control = 1)) THEN
    VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
    VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := TRACKING_REFERENCE_CONFLICT;
    VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
    VMCS.Guest-physical_address :=
      SECS(TMP_SECS).ENCLAVECONTEXT;
    VMCS.Guest-linear_address := 0;
    Deliver VMEXIT;
  FI;

  RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
  RFLAGS.CF := 0;
  RAX := SGX_PREV_TRK_INCMPL;
  GOTO DONE;
FI;

RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RFLAGS.CF := 0;
RAX := 0;

DONE:
(* clear flags *)
RFLAGS.PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

```

Flags Affected

ZF is set if ETRACKC fails due to concurrent operations with another SGX instructions or target page is an invalid EPC page or tracking is not completed on SECS page; otherwise cleared.

CF is set if target page is not of a type that requires tracking; otherwise cleared.

PF, AF, OF, and SF are cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If the memory operand violates access-control policies of DS segment.
 If DS segment is unusable.
- #PF(error code) If the memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If the memory operand expected to be in EPC does not resolve to an EPC page.
 If a page fault occurs in access memory operand.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If a memory address is in a non-canonical form.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
- #PF(error code) If the memory operand expected to be in EPC does not resolve to an EPC page.
 If a page fault occurs in access memory operand.

EWB—Invalidate an EPC Page and Write out to Main Memory

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 0BH ENCLS[EWB]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function invalidates an EPC page and writes it out to main memory.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX	RDX
IR	EWB (In)	Error code (Out)	Address of an PAGEINFO (In)	Address of the EPC page (In)	Address of a VA slot (In)

Description

This leaf function copies a page from the EPC to regular main memory. As part of the copying process, the page is cryptographically protected. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0.

The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of EPA leaf function.

EWB Memory Parameter Semantics

PAGEINFO	PAGEINFO.SRCPGE	PAGEINFO.PCMD	EPCPAGE	VASLOT
Non-EPC R/W access	Non-EPC R/W access	Non-EPC R/W access	EPC R/W access	EPC R/W access

The error codes are:

Table 38-51. EWB Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EWB successful.
SGX_PAGE_NOT_BLOCKED	If page is not marked as blocked.
SGX_NOT_TRACKED	If EWB is racing with ETRACK instruction.
SGX_VA_SLOT_OCCUPIED	Version array slot contained valid entry.
SGX_CHILD_PRESENT	Child page present while attempting to page out enclave.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-52. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EWB

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EWB	Source [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION
	VA [DS:RDX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-53. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EWB

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EWB	Source [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	VA [DS:RDX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Exclusive	

Operation

Temp Variables in EWB Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bytes)	Description
TMP_SRCPGE	Memory page	4096	
TMP_PCMD	PCMD	128	
TMP_SECS	SECS	4096	
TMP_BPEPOCH	UINT64	8	
TMP_BPREFCOUNT	UINT64	8	
TMP_HEADER	MAC Header	128	
TMP_PCMD_ENCLAVEID	UINT64	8	
TMP_VER	UINT64	8	
TMP_PK	UINT128	16	

```
IF ( (DS:RBX is not 32Byte Aligned) or (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned) )
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
  THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

```
IF (DS:RDX is not 8Byte Aligned)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF (DS:RDX does not resolve within an EPC)
  THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;
```

```
(* EPCPAGE and VASLOT should not resolve to the same EPC page*)
IF (DS:RCX and DS:RDX resolve to the same EPC page)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
TMP_SRCPGE := DS:RBX.SRCPGE;
(* Note PAGEINFO.PCMD is overlaid on top of PAGEINFO.SECINFO *)
TMP_PCMD := DS:RBX.PCMD;
```

```
If (DS:RBX.LINADDR ≠ 0) OR (DS:RBX.SECS ≠ 0)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF ( (DS:TMP_PCMD is not 128Byte Aligned) or (DS:TMP_SRCPGE is not 4KByte Aligned) )
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Check for concurrent Intel SGX instruction access to the page *)
IF (Other Intel SGX instruction is accessing page)
  THEN
    IF (<<VMX non-root operation>> AND <<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>>)
      THEN
        VMCS.Exit_reason := SGX_CONFLICT;
        VMCS.Exit_qualification.code := EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT_EXCEPTION;
        VMCS.Exit_qualification.error := 0;
        VMCS.Guest-physical_address := << translation of DS:RCX produced by paging >>;
```

```

        VMCS.Guest-linear_address := DS:RCX;
    Deliver VMEXIT;
    ELSE
        #GP(0);
    FI;
FI;

(*Check if the VA Page is being removed or changed*)
IF (VA Page is being modified)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Verify that EPCPAGE and VASLOT page are valid EPC pages and DS:RDX is VA *)
IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0)
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

IF ( (EPCM(DS:RDX & ~OFFFH).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RDX & ~FFFH).PT is not PT_VA) )
    THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;

(* Perform page-type-specific exception checks *)
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_TCS) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_TRIM) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_SS_FIRST) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_SS_REST))
    THEN
        TMP_SECS = Obtain SECS through EPCM(DS:RCX)
        (* Check that EBLOCK has occurred correctly *)
        IF (EBLOCK is not correct)
            THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;

RFLAGS.ZF,CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;
RAX := 0;

(* Zero out TMP_HEADER*)
TMP_HEADER[ sizeof(TMP_HEADER) - 1 : 0 ] := 0;

(* Perform page-type-specific checks *)
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_TCS) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_TRIM) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_SS_FIRST) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_SS_REST))
    THEN
        (* check to see if the page is evictable *)
        IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED = 0)
            THEN
                RAX := SGX_PAGE NOT_BLOCKED;
                RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
                GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
        FI;
        (* Check if tracking done correctly *)
        IF (Tracking not correct)
            THEN
                RAX := SGX_NOT_TRACKED;
                RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
                GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
        FI;

        (* Obtain EID to establish cryptographic binding between the paged-out page and the enclave *)

```



```
TMP_HEADER.EID := TMP_SECS.EID;
```

```
(* Obtain EID as an enclave handle for software *)
```

```
TMP_PCMD_ENCLAVEID := TMP_SECS.EID;
```

```
ELSE IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_SECS)
```

```
(*check that there are no child pages inside the enclave *)
```

```
IF (DS:RCX has an EPC page associated with it)
```

```
THEN
```

```
    RAX := SGX_CHILD_PRESENT;
```

```
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
```

```
    GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(* treat SECS as having a child page when VIRTCHILDCNT is non-zero *)
```

```
IF (<<in VMX non-root operation>> AND
```

```
<<ENABLE_EPC_VIRTUALIZATION_EXTENSIONS>> AND
```

```
(SECS(DS:RCX).VIRTCHILDCNT ≠ 0))
```

```
THEN
```

```
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
```

```
    RAX := SGX_CHILD_PRESENT;
```

```
    GOTO ERROR_EXIT;
```

```
FI;
```

```
TMP_HEADER.EID := 0;
```

```
(* Obtain EID as an enclave handle for software *)
```

```
TMP_PCMD_ENCLAVEID := (DS:RCX).EID;
```

```
ELSE IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is PT_VA)
```

```
TMP_HEADER.EID := 0; // Zero is not a special value
```

```
(* No enclave handle for VA pages*)
```

```
TMP_PCMD_ENCLAVEID := 0;
```

```
FI;
```

```
TMP_HEADER.LINADDR := EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS;
```

```
TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT := EPCM(DS:RCX).PT;
```

```
TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.RWX := EPCM(DS:RCX).RWX;
```

```
TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING := EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING;
```

```
TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED := EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED;
```

```
TMP_HEADER.SECINFO.FLAGS.PR := EPCM(DS:RCX).PR;
```

```
(* Encrypt the page, DS:RCX could be encrypted in place. AES-GCM produces 2 values, {ciphertext, MAC}. *)
```

```
(* AES-GCM input parameters: key, GCM Counter, MAC_HDR, MAC_HDR_SIZE, SRC, SRC_SIZE*)
```

```
{DS:TMP_SRCPGE, DS:TMP_PCMD.MAC} := AES_GCM_ENC(CR_BASE_PK), (TMP_VER << 32),
```

```
    TMP_HEADER, 128, DS:RCX, 4096);
```

```
(* Write the output *)
```

```
Zero out DS:TMP_PCMD.SECINFO
```

```
DS:TMP_PCMD.SECINFO.FLAGS.PT := EPCM(DS:RCX).PT;
```

```
DS:TMP_PCMD.SECINFO.FLAGS.RWX := EPCM(DS:RCX).RWX;
```

```
DS:TMP_PCMD.SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING := EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING;
```

```
DS:TMP_PCMD.SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED := EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED;
```

```
DS:TMP_PCMD.SECINFO.FLAGS.PR := EPCM(DS:RCX).PR;
```

```
DS:TMP_PCMD.RESERVED := 0;
```

```
DS:TMP_PCMD.ENCLAVEID := TMP_PCMD_ENCLAVEID;
```

```
DS:RBX.LINADDR := EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS;
```

```
(*Check if version array slot was empty *)
```

```

IF ([DS.RDX])
  THEN
    RAX := SGX_VA_SLOT_OCCUPIED
    RFLAGS.CF := 1;

```

```

FI;

```

(* Write version to Version Array slot *)

```

[DS.RDX] := TMP_VER;

```

(* Free up EPCM Entry *)

```

EPCM.(DS:RCX).VALID := 0;

```

```

ERROR_EXIT:

```

Flags Affected

ZF is set if page is not blocked, not tracked, or a child is present. Otherwise cleared.

CF is set if VA slot is previously occupied, Otherwise cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If the EPC page and VASLOT resolve to the same EPC page. If another Intel SGX instruction is concurrently accessing either the target EPC, VA, or SECS pages. If the tracking resource is in use. If the EPC page or the version array page is invalid. If the parameters fail consistency checks.
#PF(error code)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If a memory operand is not an EPC page. If one of the EPC memory operands has incorrect page type.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a memory operand is non-canonical form. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If the EPC page and VASLOT resolve to the same EPC page. If another Intel SGX instruction is concurrently accessing either the target EPC, VA, or SECS pages. If the tracking resource is in use. If the EPC page or the version array page in invalid. If the parameters fail consistency checks.
#PF(error code)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If a memory operand is not an EPC page. If one of the EPC memory operands has incorrect page type.

38.4 INTEL® SGX USER LEAF FUNCTION REFERENCE

Leaf functions available with the ENCLU instruction mnemonic are covered in this section. In general, each instruction leaf requires EAX to specify the leaf function index and/or additional registers specifying leaf-specific input parameters. An instruction operand encoding table provides details of the implicitly-encoded register usage and associated input/output semantics.

In many cases, an input parameter specifies an effective address associated with a memory object inside or outside the EPC, the memory addressing semantics of these memory objects are also summarized in a separate table.

EACCEPT—Accept Changes to an EPC Page

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 05H ENCLU[EACCEPT]	IR	V/V	SGX2	This leaf function accepts changes made by system software to an EPC page in the running enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	EACCEPT (In)	Return Error Code (Out)	Address of a SECINFO (In)	Address of the destination EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function accepts changes to a page in the running enclave by verifying that the security attributes specified in the SECINFO match the security attributes of the page in the EPCM. This instruction leaf can only be executed when inside the enclave.

RBX contains the effective address of a SECINFO structure while RCX contains the effective address of an EPC page. The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of the EACCEPT leaf function.

EACCEPT Memory Parameter Semantics

SECINFO	EPCPAGE (Destination)
Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EACCEPT Faulting Conditions

The operands are not properly aligned.	RBX does not contain an effective address in an EPC page in the running enclave.
The EPC page is locked by another thread.	RCX does not contain an effective address of an EPC page in the running enclave.
The EPC page is not valid.	Page type is PT_REG and MODIFIED bit is 0.
SECINFO contains an invalid request.	Page type is PT_TCS or PT_TRIM and PENDING bit is 0 and MODIFIED bit is 1.
If security attributes of the SECINFO page make the page inaccessible.	

The error codes are:

Table 38-54. EACCEPT Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EACCEPT successful.
SGX_PAGE_ATTRIBUTES_MISMATCH	The attributes of the target EPC page do not match the expected values.
SGX_NOT_TRACKED	The OS did not complete an ETRACK on the target page.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-55. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EACCEPT

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EACCEPT	Target [DS:RCX]	Shared	#GP	
	SECINFO [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		

Table 38-56. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EACCEPT

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EACCEPT	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECINFO [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EACCEPT Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Effective Address	32/64	Physical address of SECS to which EPC operands belongs.
SCRATCH_SECINFO	SECINFO	512	Scratch storage for holding the contents of DS:RBX.

IF (DS:RBX is not 64Byte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RBX is not within CR_ELRANGE)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RBX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).PENDING ≠ 0) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).MODIFIED ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).BLOCKED ≠ 0) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ (DS:RBX & FFFH)))
THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

(* Copy 64 bytes of contents *)
SCRATCH_SECINFO := DS:RBX;

(* Check for misconfigured SECINFO flags*)
IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO reserved fields are not zero)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

```
IF (DS:RCX is not within CR_ELRANGE)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

(* Check that the combination of requested PT, PENDING, and MODIFIED is legal *)

```
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 0)
    THEN
        IF (NOT (((SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_REG) and
            ((SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PR is 1) or
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING is 1)) and
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED is 0)) or
            ((SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_TCS or PT_TRIM) and
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PR is 0) and
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING is 0) and
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED is 1) )))
            THEN #GP(0); FI
        ELSE
            IF (NOT (((SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_REG) AND
            ((SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PR is 1) OR
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING is 1)) AND
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED is 0)) OR
            ((SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_TCS OR PT_TRIM) AND
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING is 0) AND
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED is 1) AND
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PR is 0)) OR
            ((SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is PT_SS_FIRST or PT_SS_REST) AND
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING is 1) AND
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED is 0) AND
            (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PR is 0))))
                THEN #GP(0); FI;
            FI;
```

(* Check security attributes of the destination EPC page *)

```
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID is 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED is not 0) or
    ((EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is not PT_REG) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is not PT_TCS) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is not PT_TRIM)
    and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is not PT_SS_FIRST) and (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is not PT_SS_REST)) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS))
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

(* Check the destination EPC page for concurrency *)

```
IF ( EPC page in use )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

(* Re-Check security attributes of the destination EPC page *)

```
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID is 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) )
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;
```

(* Verify that accept request matches current EPC page settings *)

```
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:RCX) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING ≠ SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PENDING) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED ≠ SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.MODIFIED) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).R ≠ SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).W ≠ SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).X ≠ SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT) )
```

```

THEN
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_PAGE_ATTRIBUTES_MISMATCH;
    GOTO DONE;
FI;
(* Check that all required threads have left enclave *)
IF (Tracking not correct)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_NOT_TRACKED;
        GOTO DONE;
FI;

(* Get pointer to the SECS to which the EPC page belongs *)
TMP_SECS = << Obtain physical address of SECS through EPCM(DS:RCX)>>
(* For TCS pages, perform additional checks *)
IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT = PT_TCS)
    THEN
        IF (DS:RCX.RESERVED ≠ 0) #GP(0); FI;

        (* Check that TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN, TCS stack, and TCS status are correctly initialized *)
        (* check that TCS.PREVSSP is 0 *)
        IF ( ((DS:RCX).FLAGS.DBGOPTIN is not 0) or ((DS:RCX).CSSA ≥ (DS:RCX).NSSA) or ((DS:RCX).AEP is not 0) or ((DS:RCX).STATE is not 0)
        or ((CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX[CET_SS] = 1) AND ((DS:RCX).PREVSSP != 0)))
            THEN #GP(0); FI;

        (* Check consistency of FS & GS Limit *)
        IF ( (TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT is 0) and ((DS:RCX.FSLIMIT & FFFH ≠ FFFH) or (DS:RCX.GSLIMIT & FFFH ≠ FFFH)) )
            THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;

(* Clear PENDING/MODIFIED flags to mark accept operation complete *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED := 0;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PR := 0;

(* Clear EAX and ZF to indicate successful completion *)
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RAX := 0;

DONE:
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;

```

Flags Affected

Sets ZF if page cannot be accepted, otherwise cleared. Clears CF, PF, AF, OF, SF

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
 If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If a memory operand is locked.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If a memory operand is not an EPC page.
 If EPC page has incorrect page type or security attributes.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
 If a memory operand is non-canonical form.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If a memory operand is locked.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 If a memory operand is not an EPC page.
 If EPC page has incorrect page type or security attributes.

EACCEPTCOPY—Initialize a Pending Page

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 07H ENCLU[EACCEPTCOPY]	IR	V/V	SGX2	This leaf function initializes a dynamically allocated EPC page from another page in the EPC.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX	RDX
IR	EACCEPTCOPY (In)	Return Error Code (Out)	Address of a SECINFO (In)	Address of the destination EPC page (In)	Address of the source EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function copies the contents of an existing EPC page into an uninitialized EPC page (created by EAUG). After initialization, the instruction may also modify the access rights associated with the destination EPC page. This instruction leaf can only be executed when inside the enclave.

RBX contains the effective address of a SECINFO structure while RCX and RDX each contain the effective address of an EPC page. The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of the EACCEPTCOPY leaf function.

EACCEPTCOPY Memory Parameter Semantics

SECINFO	EPCPAGE (Destination)	EPCPAGE (Source)
Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read/Write access permitted by Enclave	Read access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EACCEPTCOPY Faulting Conditions

The operands are not properly aligned.	If security attributes of the SECINFO page make the page inaccessible.
The EPC page is locked by another thread.	If security attributes of the source EPC page make the page inaccessible.
The EPC page is not valid.	RBX does not contain an effective address in an EPC page in the running enclave.
SECINFO contains an invalid request.	RCX/RDX does not contain an effective address of an EPC page in the running enclave.

The error codes are:

Table 38-57. EACCEPTCOPY Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Description
No Error	EACCEPTCOPY successful.
SGX_PAGE_ATTRIBUTES_MISMATCH	The attributes of the target EPC page do not match the expected values.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-58. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EACCEPTCOPY

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EACCEPTCOPY	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
	Source [DS:RDX]	Concurrent		
	SECINFO [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		

Table 38-59. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EACCEPTCOPY

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EACCEPTCOPY	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	Concurrent		Concurrent	
	Source [DS:RDX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECINFO [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EACCEPTCOPY Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
SCRATCH_SECINFO	SECINFO	512	Scratch storage for holding the contents of DS:RBX.

IF (DS:RBX is not 64Byte Aligned)
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF ((DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned) or (DS:RDX is not 4KByte Aligned))
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF ((DS:RBX is not within CR_ELRANGE) or (DS:RCX is not within CR_ELRANGE) or (DS:RDX is not within CR_ELRANGE))
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RBX does not resolve within an EPC)
 THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
 THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

IF (DS:RDX does not resolve within an EPC)
 THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).PENDING ≠ 0) or
 (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).MODIFIED ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).BLOCKED ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).PT ≠ PT_REG) or
 (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or
 (EPCM(DS:RBX &~FFFH).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:RBX))
 THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

```
(* Copy 64 bytes of contents *)
SCRATCH_SECINFO := DS:RBX;
```

```
(* Check for misconfigured SECINFO flags*)
IF ( (SCRATCH_SECINFO reserved fields are not zero ) or (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R=0) AND(SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W≠0) or
  (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT is not PT_REG) )
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Check security attributes of the source EPC page *)
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RDX).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RDX).PENDING ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RDX).MODIFIED ≠ 0) or
  (EPCM(DS:RDX).BLOCKED ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RDX).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RDX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or
  (EPCM(DS:RDX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:RDX))
  THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;
```

```
(* Check security attributes of the destination EPC page *)
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING ≠ 1) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED ≠ 0) or
  (EPCM(DS:RDX).BLOCKED ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) )
  THEN
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_PAGE_ATTRIBUTES_MISMATCH;
    GOTO DONE;
FI;
```

```
(* Check the destination EPC page for concurrency *)
IF (destination EPC page in use )
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Re-Check security attributes of the destination EPC page *)
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING ≠ 1) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED ≠ 0) or
  (EPCM(DS:RCX).R ≠ 1) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).W ≠ 1) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).X ≠ 0) or
  (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.PT) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or
  (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:RCX))
  THEN
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_PAGE_ATTRIBUTES_MISMATCH;
    GOTO DONE;
FI;
```

```
(* Copy 4Kbytes form the source to destination EPC page*)
DS:RCX[32767:0] := DS:RDX[32767:0];
```

```
(* Update EPCM permissions *)
EPCM(DS:RCX).R := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R;
EPCM(DS:RCX).W := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W;
EPCM(DS:RCX).X := SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X;
EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING := 0;
```

```
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RAX := 0;
```

```
DONE:
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;
```

Flags Affected

Sets ZF if page is not modifiable, otherwise cleared. Clears CF, PF, AF, OF, SF.

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.
If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
If a memory operand is locked.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
If a memory operand is not an EPC page.
If EPC page has incorrect page type or security attributes.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
If a memory operand is non-canonical form.
If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
If a memory operand is locked.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
If a memory operand is not an EPC page.
If EPC page has incorrect page type or security attributes.

EDECCSSA—Decrements TCS.CSSA

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 09H ENCLU[EDECCSSA]	IR	V/V	EDECCSSA	This leaf function decrements TCS.CSSA.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX
IR	EDECCSSA (In)

Description

This leaf function changes the current SSA frame by decrementing TCS.CSSA for the current enclave thread. If the enclave has enabled CET shadow stacks or indirect branch tracking, then EDECCSSA also changes the current CET state save frame. This instruction leaf can only be executed inside an enclave.

EDECCSSA Memory Parameter Semantics

TCS
Read/Write access by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EDECCSSA Faulting Conditions

TCS.CSSA is 0.	TCS is not valid or available or locked.
The SSA frame is not valid or in use.	

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-60. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EDECCSSA

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EDECCSSA	TCS [CR_TCS_PA]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-61. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EDECCSSA

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EDECCSSA	TCS [CR_TCS_PA]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EDECCSSA Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SSA	Effective Address	32/64	Address of current SSA frame.
TMP_XSIZE	Integer	64	Size of XSAVE area based on SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM.
TMP_SSA_PAGE	Effective Address	32/64	Pointer used to iterate over the SSA pages in the target frame.
TMP_GPR	Effective Address	32/64	Address of the GPR area within the target SSA frame.
TMP_XSAVE_PAGE_PA_n	Physical Address	32/64	Physical address of the nth page within the target SSA frame.
TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA	Effective Address	32/64	Address of the current CET save area.
TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE	Effective Address	32/64	Address of the current CET save area page.

```
IF (CR_TCS_PA.CSSA = 0)
  THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

```
(* Compute linear address of SSA frame *)
```

```
TMP_SSA := CR_TCS_PA.OSSA + CR_ACTIVE_SECS.BASEADDR + 4096 * CR_ACTIVE_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE * (CR_TCS_PA.CSSA - 1);
```

```
TMP_XSIZE := compute_XSAVE_frame_size(CR_ACTIVE_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM);
```

```
FOR EACH TMP_SSA_PAGE = TMP_SSA to TMP_SSA + TMP_XSIZE
```

```
  (* Check page is read/write accessible *)
```

```
  Check that DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE is read/write accessible;
```

```
  If a fault occurs, release locks, abort and deliver that fault;
```

```
  IF (DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE does not resolve to EPC page)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
  IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).VALID = 0)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
  IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).BLOCKED = 1)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
  IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).MODIFIED = 1))
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
  IF ( ( EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMPSSA_PAGE) or
```

```
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).PT ≠ PT_REG) or
```

```
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(CR_TCS_PA).ENCLAVESECS) or
```

```
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).W = 0))
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
  TMP_XSAVE_PAGE_PA_n := Physical_Address(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE);
```

```
ENDFOR
```

```
(* Compute address of GPR area*)
```

```
TMP_GPR := TMP_SSA + 4096 * CR_ACTIVE_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE - sizeof(GPRSGX_AREA);
```

```
Check that DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE is read/write accessible;
```

```
If a fault occurs, release locks, abort and deliver that fault;
```

```
IF (DS:TMP_GPR does not resolve to EPC page)
```

```
  THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
```

```

IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).VALID = 0)
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).BLOCKED = 1)
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).MODIFIED = 1))
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
IF ( ( EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_GPR) or
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).PT ≠ PT_REG) or
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(CR_TCS_PA).ENCLAVESECS) or
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).W = 0) )
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0)
    THEN
        IF (TMP_GPR + (sizeof(GPRSGX_AREA) - 1) is not in DS segment)
            THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;

IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN
        IF ((CR_ACTIVE_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.SH_STK_EN == 1) OR (CR_ACTIVE_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.ENDBR_EN == 1))
            THEN
                (* Compute linear address of what will become new CET state save area and cache its PA *)
                TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA := CR_TCS_PA.OCETSSA + CR_ACTIVE_SECS.BASEADDR + (CR_TCS_PA.CSSA - 1) * 16;
                TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE := TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA & ~0xFFF;
                Check the TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE page is read/write accessible
                If fault occurs release locks, abort and deliver fault

                (* read the EPCM VALID, PENDING, MODIFIED, BLOCKED and PT fields atomically *)
                IF ((DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE Does NOT RESOLVE TO EPC PAGE) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).VALID = 0) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).PENDING = 1) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).MODIFIED = 1) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).BLOCKED = 1) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).R = 0) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).W = 0) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).PT ≠ PT_SS_REST) OR
                    (EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(CR_TCS_PA).ENCLAVESECS))
                    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE); FI;
            FI;
        FI;

(* At this point, the instruction is guaranteed to complete *)
CR_TCS_PA.CSSA := CR_TCS_PA.CSSA - 1;

CR_GPR_PA := Physical_Address(DS:TMP_GPR);

FOR EACH TMP_XSAVE_PAGE_n
    CR_XSAVE_PAGE_n := TMP_XSAVE_PAGE_PA_n;
ENDFOR

IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN

```

```
IF ((TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.SH_STK_EN == 1) OR
(TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.ENDBR_EN == 1))
    THEN
        CR_CET_SAVE_AREA_PA := Physical_Address(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA);
FI;
```

Flags Affected

None

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
If CR_TCS_PA.CSSA = 0.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory.
If one or more pages of the target SSA frame are not readable/writable, or do not resolve to a valid PT_REG EPC page.
If CET is enabled for the enclave and the target CET SSA frame is not readable/writable, or does not resolve to a valid PT_REG EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
If CR_TCS_PA.CSSA = 0.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory.
If one or more pages of the target SSA frame are not readable/writable, or do not resolve to a valid PT_REG EPC page.
If CET is enabled for the enclave and the target CET SSA frame is not readable/writable, or does not resolve to a valid PT_REG EPC page.

EENTER—Enters an Enclave

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 02H ENCLU[EENTER]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function is used to enter an enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX	
IR	EENTER (In)	Content of RBX.CSSA (Out)	Address of a TCS (In)	Address of AEP (In)	Address of IP following EENTER (Out)

Description

The ENCLU[EENTER] instruction transfers execution to an enclave. At the end of the instruction, the logical processor is executing in enclave mode at the RIP computed as EnclaveBase + TCS.OENTRY. If the target address is not within the CS segment (32-bit) or is not canonical (64-bit), a #GP(0) results.

EENTER Memory Parameter Semantics

TCS
Enclave access

EENTER is a serializing instruction. The instruction faults if any of the following occurs:

Address in RBX is not properly aligned.	Any TCS.FLAGS's must-be-zero bit is not zero.
TCS pointed to by RBX is not valid or available or locked.	Current 32/64 mode does not match the enclave mode in SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64.
The SECS is in use.	Either of TCS-specified FS and GS segment is not a subsets of the current DS segment.
Any one of DS, ES, CS, SS is not zero.	If XSAVE available, CR4.OSXSAVE = 0, but SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM ≠ 3.
CR4.OSFXSR ≠ 1.	If CR4.OSXSAVE = 1, SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM is not a subset of XCRO.
If SECS.ATTRIBUTES.AEXNOTIFY ≠ TCS.FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY and TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN = 0.	

The following operations are performed by EENTER:

- RSP and RBP are saved in the current SSA frame on EENTER and are automatically restored on EEXIT or interrupt.
- The AEP contained in RCX is stored into the TCS for use by AEXs. FS and GS (including hidden portions) are saved and new values are constructed using TCS.OFSBASE/GSBASE (32 and 64-bit mode) and TCS.OFSLIMIT/GSLIMIT (32-bit mode only). The resulting segments must be a subset of the DS segment.
- If CR4.OSXSAVE == 1, XCRO is saved and replaced by SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM. The effect of RFLAGS.TF depends on whether the enclave entry is opt-in or opt-out (see Section 40.1.2):
 - On opt-out entry, TF is saved and cleared (it is restored on EEXIT or AEX). Any attempt to set TF via a POPF instruction while inside the enclave clears TF (see Section 40.2.5).
 - On opt-in entry, a single-step debug exception is pended on the instruction boundary immediately after EENTER (see Section 40.2.2).

- All code breakpoints that do not overlap with ELRANGE are also suppressed. If the entry is an opt-out entry, all code and data breakpoints that overlap with the ELRANGE are suppressed.
- On opt-out entry, a number of performance monitoring counters and behaviors are modified or suppressed (see Section 40.2.3):
 - All performance monitoring activity on the current thread is suppressed except for incrementing and firing of FIXED_CTR1 and FIXED_CTR2.
 - PEBS is suppressed.
 - AnyThread counting on other threads is demoted to MyThread mode and IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS[60] on that thread is set
 - If the opt-out entry on a hardware thread results in suppression of any performance monitoring, then the processor sets IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS[60] and IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS[63].

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-62. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EENTER

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EENTER	TCS [DS:RBX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-63. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EENTER

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EENTER	TCS [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EENTER Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_FSBASE	Effective Address	32/64	Proposed base address for FS segment.
TMP_GSBASE	Effective Address	32/64	Proposed base address for GS segment.
TMP_FSLIMIT	Effective Address	32/64	Highest legal address in proposed FS segment.
TMP_GSLIMIT	Effective Address	32/64	Highest legal address in proposed GS segment.
TMP_XSIZE	integer	64	Size of XSAVE area based on SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM.
TMP_SSA_PAGE	Effective Address	32/64	Pointer used to iterate over the SSA pages in the current frame.
TMP_GPR	Effective Address	32/64	Address of the GPR area within the current SSA frame.

TMP_MODE64 := ((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1));

(* Make sure DS is usable, expand up *)

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0 and (DS not usable or ((DS[S] = 1) and (DS[bit 11] = 0) and DS[bit 10] = 1)))
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check that CS, SS, DS, ES.base is 0 *)

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0)
 THEN

```

    IF(CS.base ≠ 0 or DS.base ≠ 0) #GP(0); FI;
    IF(ES usable and ES.base ≠ 0) #GP(0); FI;
    IF(SS usable and SS.base ≠ 0) #GP(0); FI;
    IF(SS usable and SS.B = 0) #GP(0); FI;
FI;

IF (DS:RBX is not 4KByte Aligned)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RBX does not resolve within an EPC)
    THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

(* Check AEP is canonical*)
IF (TMP_MODE64 = 1 and (CS:RCX is not canonical) )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check concurrency of TCS operation*)
IF (Other Intel SGX instructions are operating on TCS)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* TCS verification *)
IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).VALID = 0)
    THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).BLOCKED = 1)
    THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF ( (EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:RBX) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).PT ≠ PT_TCS) )
    THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).MODIFIED = 1))
    THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF ( (DS:RBX).OSSA is not 4KByte Aligned)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check proposed FS and GS *)
IF ( ( (DS:RBX).OFSBASE is not 4KByte Aligned) or ( (DS:RBX).OGSBASE is not 4KByte Aligned) )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Get the SECS for the enclave in which the TCS resides *)
TMP_SECS := Address of SECS for TCS;

(* Ensure that the FLAGS field in the TCS does not have any reserved bits set *)
IF ( ( (DS:RBX).FLAGS & FFFFFFFFCH) ≠ 0)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* SECS must exist and enclave must have previously been EINITted *)
IF (the enclave is not already initialized)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* make sure the logical processor's operating mode matches the enclave *)
IF ( (TMP_MODE64 ≠ TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT) )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

```
IF (CR4.OSFXSR = 0)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

(* Check for legal values of SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM *)

```
IF (CR4.OSXSAVE = 0)
    THEN
        IF (TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM ≠ 03H) THEN #GP(0); FI;
    ELSE
        IF ( (TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM & XCRO) ≠ TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM) THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;
```

```
IF ((DS:RBX).CSSA.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN = 0) and (DS:RBX).CSSA.FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY ≠ TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.AEXNOTIFY))
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

(* Make sure the SSA contains at least one more frame *)

```
IF ( (DS:RBX).CSSA ≥ (DS:RBX).NSSA)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
```

(* Compute linear address of SSA frame *)

```
TMP_SSA := (DS:RBX).OSSA + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + 4096 * TMP_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE * (DS:RBX).CSSA;
TMP_XSIZE := compute_XSAVE_frame_size(TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM);
```

```
FOR EACH TMP_SSA_PAGE = TMP_SSA to TMP_SSA + TMP_XSIZE
```

(* Check page is read/write accessible *)

Check that DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE is read/write accessible;
If a fault occurs, release locks, abort, and deliver that fault;

```
IF (DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE does not resolve to EPC page)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).VALID = 0)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).BLOCKED = 1)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).MODIFIED = 1))
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
IF ( ( EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).PT ≠ PT_REG) or
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS) or
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).W = 0) )
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
```

```
    CR_XSAVE_PAGE_n := Physical_Address(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE);
```

```
ENDFOR
```

(* Compute address of GPR area*)

```
TMP_GPR := TMP_SSA + 4096 * DS:TMP_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE - sizeof(GPRSGX_AREA);
```

If a fault occurs; release locks, abort, and deliver that fault;

```
IF (DS:TMP_GPR does not resolve to EPC page)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
```

```
IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).VALID = 0)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
```

```
IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).BLOCKED = 1)
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
```

```
IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).MODIFIED = 1))
```

```
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
```

```

IF ( ( EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_GPR) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).PT ≠ PT_REG) or
(EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).ENCLAVESECS EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS) or
(EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).W = 0) )
THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

```

```

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0)
THEN
    IF (TMP_GPR + (GPR_SIZE - 1) is not in DS segment) THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;

```

```

CR_GPR_PA := Physical_Address (DS: TMP_GPR);

```

```

(* Validate TCS.OENTRY *)
TMP_TARGET := (DS:RBX).OENTRY + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
IF (TMP_MODE64 = 1)
THEN
    IF (TMP_TARGET is not canonical) THEN #GP(0); FI;
ELSE
    IF (TMP_TARGET > CS limit) THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;

```

```

(* Check proposed FS/GS segments fall within DS *)
IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0)
THEN
    TMP_FSBASE := (DS:RBX).OFSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
    TMP_FSLIMIT := (DS:RBX).OFSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + (DS:RBX).FSLIMIT;
    TMP_GSBASE := (DS:RBX).OGSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
    TMP_GSLIMIT := (DS:RBX).OGSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + (DS:RBX).GSLIMIT;
    (* if FS wrap-around, make sure DS has no holes*)
    IF (TMP_FSLIMIT < TMP_FSBASE)
    THEN
        IF (DS.limit < 4GB) THEN #GP(0); FI;
    ELSE
        IF (TMP_FSLIMIT > DS.limit) THEN #GP(0); FI;
    FI;
    (* if GS wrap-around, make sure DS has no holes*)
    IF (TMP_GSLIMIT < TMP_GSBASE)
    THEN
        IF (DS.limit < 4GB) THEN #GP(0); FI;
    ELSE
        IF (TMP_GSLIMIT > DS.limit) THEN #GP(0); FI;
    FI;
ELSE
    TMP_FSBASE := (DS:RBX).OFSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
    TMP_GSBASE := (DS:RBX).OGSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
    IF ( (TMP_FSBASE is not canonical) or (TMP_GSBASE is not canonical))
    THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;

```

```

(* Ensure the enclave is not already active and this thread is the only one using the TCS*)
IF (DS:RBX.STATE = ACTIVE)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

```

TMP_IA32_U_CET := 0

```

TMP_SSP := 0

IF CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1

THEN

IF (CR4.CET = 0)

THEN

(* If part does not support CET or CET has not been enabled and enclave requires CET then fail *)

IF (TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES ≠ 0 OR TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET ≠ 0) #GP(0); FI;

FI;

(* If indirect branch tracking or shadow stacks enabled but CET state save area is not 16B aligned then fail #ENTER *)

IF (TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.SH_STK_EN = 1 OR TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.ENDBR_EN = 1)

THEN

IF (DS:RBX.OCETSSA is not 16B aligned) #GP(0); FI;

FI;

IF (TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.SH_STK_EN OR TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.ENDBR_EN)

THEN

(* Setup CET state from SECS, note tracker goes to IDLE *)

TMP_IA32_U_CET = TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES;

IF (TMP_IA32_U_CET.LEG_IW_EN = 1 AND TMP_IA32_U_CET.ENDBR_EN = 1)

THEN

TMP_IA32_U_CET := TMP_IA32_U_CET + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;

TMP_IA32_U_CET := TMP_IA32_U_CET + TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_BASE;

FI;

(* Compute linear address of what will become new CET state save area and cache its PA *)

TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA = DS:RBX.OCETSSA + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + (DS:RBX.CSSA) * 16

TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE = TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA & ~0xFFF;

Check the TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE page is read/write accessible

If fault occurs release locks, abort, and deliver fault

(* Read the EPCM VALID, PENDING, MODIFIED, BLOCKED, and PT fields atomically *)

IF ((DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE Does NOT RESOLVE TO EPC PAGE) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).VALID = 0) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).PENDING = 1) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).MODIFIED = 1) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).BLOCKED = 1) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).R = 0) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).W = 0) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).PT ≠ PT_SS_REST) OR

(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS))

THEN

#PF(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE);

FI;

CR_CET_SAVE_AREA_PA := Physical address(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA)

IF TMP_IA32_U_CET.SH_STK_EN = 1

THEN

TMP_SSP = TCS.PREVSSP;

FI;

FI;

```

FI;

CR_ENCLAVE_MODE := 1;
CR_ACTIVE_SECS := TMP_SECS;
CR_ELRANGE := (TMPSECS.BASEADDR, TMP_SECS.SIZE);

(* Save state for possible AEXs *)
CR_TCS_PA := Physical_Address (DS:RBX);
CR_TCS_LA := RBX;
CR_TCS_LA.AEP := RCX;

(* Save the hidden portions of FS and GS *)
CR_SAVE_FS_selector := FS.selector;
CR_SAVE_FS_base := FS.base;
CR_SAVE_FS_limit := FS.limit;
CR_SAVE_FS_access_rights := FS.access_rights;
CR_SAVE_GS_selector := GS.selector;
CR_SAVE_GS_base := GS.base;
CR_SAVE_GS_limit := GS.limit;
CR_SAVE_GS_access_rights := GS.access_rights;

(* If XSAVE is enabled, save XCRO and replace it with SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM*)
IF (CR4.OSXSAVE = 1)
    CR_SAVE_XCRO := XCRO;
    XCRO := TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM;
FI;

RCX := RIP;
RIP := TMP_TARGET;
RAX := (DS:RBX).CSSA;
(* Save the outside RSP and RBP so they can be restored on interrupt or EEXIT *)
DS:TMP_SSA.U_RSP := RSP;
DS:TMP_SSA.U_RBP := RBP;

(* Do the FS/GS swap *)
FS.base := TMP_FSBASE;
FS.limit := DS:RBX.FSLIMIT;
FS.type := 0001b;
FS.W := DS.W;
FS.S := 1;
FS.DPL := DS.DPL;
FS.G := 1;
FS.B := 1;
FS.P := 1;
FS.AVL := DS.AVL;
FS.L := DS.L;
FS.unusable := 0;
FS.selector := 0BH;

GS.base := TMP_GSBASE;
GS.limit := DS:RBX.GSLIMIT;
GS.type := 0001b;
GS.W := DS.W;
GS.S := 1;

```

```
GS.DPL := DS.DPL;
GS.G := 1;
GS.B := 1;
GS.P := 1;
GS.AVL := DS.AVL;
GS.L := DS.L;
GS.unusable := 0;
GS.selector := 0BH;
```

```
CR_DBGOPTIN := TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN;
Suppress_all_code_breakpoints_that_are_outside_ELRANGE;
```

```
IF (CR_DBGOPTIN = 0)
  THEN
    Suppress_all_code_breakpoints_that_overlap_with_ELRANGE;
    CR_SAVE_TF := RFLAGS.TF;
    RFLAGS.TF := 0;
    Suppress_monitor_trap_flag for the source of the execution of the enclave;
    Suppress any pending debug exceptions;
    Suppress any pending MTF VM exit;
  ELSE
    IF RFLAGS.TF = 1
      THEN pend a single-step #DB at the end of EENTER; FI;
    IF the "monitor trap flag" VM-execution control is set
      THEN pend an MTF VM exit at the end of EENTER; FI;
  FI;
```

```
IF ((CPUID.(EAX=7H, ECX=0):EDX[CET_IBT] = 1) OR (CPUID.(EAX=7H, ECX=0):ECX[CET_SS] = 1))
  THEN
    (* Save enclosing application CET state into save registers *)
    CR_SAVE_IA32_U_CET := IA32_U_CET
    (* Setup enclave CET state *)
    IF CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=00h):ECX[CET_SS] = 1
      THEN
        CR_SAVE_SSP := SSP
        SSP := TMP_SSP
      FI;

    IA32_U_CET := TMP_IA32_U_CET;
```

```
FI;
```

```
Flush_linear_context;
Allow_front_end_to_begin_fetch_at_new_RIP;
```

Flags Affected

RFLAGS.TF is cleared on opt-out entry.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If DS:RBX is not page aligned.</p> <p>If the enclave is not initialized.</p> <p>If part or all of the FS or GS segment specified by TCS is outside the DS segment or not properly aligned.</p> <p>If the thread is not in the INACTIVE state.</p> <p>If CS, DS, ES or SS bases are not all zero.</p> <p>If executed in enclave mode.</p> <p>If any reserved field in the TCS FLAG is set.</p> <p>If the target address is not within the CS segment.</p> <p>If CR4.OSFXSR = 0.</p> <p>If CR4.OSXSAVE = 0 and SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM ≠ 3.</p> <p>If CR4.OSXSAVE = 1 and SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM is not a subset of XCR0.</p> <p>If SECS.ATTRIBUTES.AEXNOTIFY ≠ TCS.FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY and TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN = 0.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory.</p> <p>If DS:RBX does not point to a valid TCS.</p> <p>If one or more pages of the current SSA frame are not readable/writable, or do not resolve to a valid PT_REG EPC page.</p>

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If DS:RBX is not page aligned.</p> <p>If the enclave is not initialized.</p> <p>If the thread is not in the INACTIVE state.</p> <p>If CS, DS, ES or SS bases are not all zero.</p> <p>If executed in enclave mode.</p> <p>If part or all of the FS or GS segment specified by TCS is outside the DS segment or not properly aligned.</p> <p>If the target address is not canonical.</p> <p>If CR4.OSFXSR = 0.</p> <p>If CR4.OSXSAVE = 0 and SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM ≠ 3.</p> <p>If CR4.OSXSAVE = 1 and SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM is not a subset of XCR0.</p> <p>If SECS.ATTRIBUTES.AEXNOTIFY ≠ TCS.FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY and TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN = 0.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p> <p>If DS:RBX does not point to a valid TCS.</p> <p>If one or more pages of the current SSA frame are not readable/writable, or do not resolve to a valid PT_REG EPC page.</p>

EEXIT—Exits an Enclave

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 04H ENCLU[EEXIT]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function is used to exit an enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX	RBX	RCX
IR	EEXIT (In)	Target address outside the enclave (In)	Address of the current AEP (Out)

Description

The ENCLU[EEXIT] instruction exits the currently executing enclave and branches to the location specified in RBX. RCX receives the current AEP. If RBX is not within the CS (32-bit mode) or is not canonical (64-bit mode) a #GP(0) results.

EEXIT Memory Parameter Semantics

Target Address
Non-Enclave read and execute access

If RBX specifies an address that is inside the enclave, the instruction will complete normally. The fetch of the next instruction will occur in non-enclave mode, but will attempt to fetch from inside the enclave. This fetch returns a fixed data pattern.

If secrets are contained in any registers, it is responsibility of enclave software to clear those registers.

If XCR0 was modified on enclave entry, it is restored to the value it had at the time of the most recent EENTER or ERESUME.

If the enclave is opt-out, RFLAGS.TF is loaded from the value previously saved on EENTER.

Code and data breakpoints are unsuppressed.

Performance monitoring counters are unsuppressed.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-64. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EEXIT

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EEXIT		Concurrent		

Table 38-65. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EEXIT

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EEXIT		Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EEXIT Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_RIP	Effective Address	32/64	Saved copy of CRIP for use when creating LBR.

```
TMP_MODE64 := ((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1));
```

```
IF (TMP_MODE64 = 1)
  THEN
    IF (RBX is not canonical) THEN #GP(0); FI;
  ELSE
    IF (RBX > CS limit) THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;
```

```
TMP_RIP := CRIP;
RIP := RBX;
```

```
(* Return current AEP in RCX *)
RCX := CR_TCS_PA.AEP;
```

```
(* Do the FS/GS swap *)
FS.selector := CR_SAVE_FS.selector;
FS.base := CR_SAVE_FS.base;
FS.limit := CR_SAVE_FS.limit;
FS.access_rights := CR_SAVE_FS.access_rights;
GS.selector := CR_SAVE_GS.selector;
GS.base := CR_SAVE_GS.base;
GS.limit := CR_SAVE_GS.limit;
GS.access_rights := CR_SAVE_GS.access_rights;
```

```
(* Restore XCRO if needed *)
IF (CR4.OSXSAVE = 1)
  XCRO := CR_SAVE__XCRO;
FI;
```

```
Unsuppress_all_code_breakpoints_that_are_outside_ELRange;
```

```
IF (CR_DBGOPTIN = 0)
  THEN
    Unsuppress_all_code_breakpoints_that_overlap_with_ELRange;
    Restore suppressed breakpoint matches;
    RFLAGS.TF := CR_SAVE_TF;
    Unsuppress_monitor_trap_flag;
    Unsuppress_LBR_Generation;
    Unsuppress_performance_monitoring_activity;
    Restore performance monitoring counter AnyThread demotion to MyThread in enclave back to AnyThread
  FI;
```

```
IF RFLAGS.TF = 1
  THEN Pend Single-Step #DB at the end of EEXIT;
FI;
```

```

IF the "monitor trap flag" VM-execution control is set
  THEN pend a MTF VM exit at the end of EEXIT;
FI;

IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
  THEN
    (* Record PREVSSP *)
    IF (IA32_U_CET.SH_STK_EN == 1)
      THEN CR_TCS_PA.PREVSSP = SSP; FI;
  FI;

IF ((CPUID.(EAX=7H, ECX=0):EDX[CET_IBT] = 1) OR (CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):ECX[CET_SS] = 1)
  THEN
    (* Restore enclosing app's CET state from the save registers *)
    IA32_U_CET := CR_SAVE_IA32_U_CET;
    IF (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=00h):ECX[CET_SS] = 1)
      THEN SSP := CR_SAVE_SSP; FI;

    (* Update enclosing app's TRACKER if enclosing app has indirect branch tracking enabled *)
    IF (CR4.CET = 1 AND IA32_U_CET.ENDBR_EN = 1)
      THEN
        IA32_U_CET.TRACKER := WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH;
        IA32_U_CET.SUPPRESS := 0;
      FI;
  FI;

CR_ENCLAVE_MODE := 0;
CR_TCS_PA.STATE := INACTIVE;

(* Assure consistent translations *)
Flush_linear_context;

```

Flags Affected

RFLAGS.TF is restored from the value previously saved in EENTER or ERESUME.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If executed outside an enclave. If RBX is outside the CS segment.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If executed outside an enclave. If RBX is not canonical.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

EGETKEY—Retrieves a Cryptographic Key

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 01H ENCLU[EGETKEY]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function retrieves a cryptographic key.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	EGETKEY (In)	Return error code (Out)	Address to a KEYREQUEST (In)	Address of the OUTPUTDATA (In)

Description

The ENCLU[EGETKEY] instruction returns a 128-bit secret key from the processor specific key hierarchy. The register RBX contains the effective address of a KEYREQUEST structure, which the instruction interprets to determine the key being requested. The Requesting Keys section below provides a description of the keys that can be requested. The RCX register contains the effective address where the key will be returned. Both the addresses in RBX & RCX should be locations inside the enclave.

EGETKEY derives keys using a processor unique value to create a specific key based on a number of possible inputs. This instruction leaf can only be executed inside an enclave.

EGETKEY Memory Parameter Semantics

KEYREQUEST	OUTPUTDATA
Enclave read access	Enclave write access

After validating the operands, the instruction determines which key is to be produced and performs the following actions:

- The instruction assembles the derivation data for the key based on the Table 38-66.
- Computes derived key using the derivation data and package specific value.
- Outputs the calculated key to the address in RCX.

The instruction fails with #GP(0) if the operands are not properly aligned. Successful completion of the instruction will clear RFLAGS.{ZF, CF, AF, OF, SF, PF}. The instruction returns an error code if the user tries to request a key based on an invalid CPUSVN or ISVSVN (when the user request is accepted, see the table below), requests a key for which it has not been granted the attribute to request, or requests a key that is not supported by the hardware. These checks may be performed in any order. Thus, an indication by error number of one cause (for example, invalid attribute) does not imply that there are not also other errors. Different processors may thus give different error numbers for the same Enclave. The correctness of software should not rely on the order resulting from the checks documented in this section. In such cases the ZF flag is set and the corresponding error bit (SGX_INVALID_SVN, SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE, SGX_INVALID_KEYNAME) is set in RAX and the data at the address specified by RCX is unmodified.

Requesting Keys

The KEYREQUEST structure (see Section 35.18.1) identifies the key to be provided. The Keyrequest.KeyName field identifies which type of key is requested.

Deriving Keys

Key derivation is based on a combination of the enclave specific values (see Table 38-66) and a processor key. Depending on the key being requested a field may either be included by definition or the value may be included from the KeyRequest. A “yes” in Table 38-66 indicates the value for the field is included from its default location, identified in the source row, and a “request” indicates the values for the field is included from its corresponding KeyRequest field.

Table 38-66. Key Derivation

	Key Name	Attributes	Owner Epoch	CPU SVN	ISV SVN	ISV PRODIG	ISVEXT PRODIG	ISVFAM ILYID	MRENCLAVE	MRSIGNER	CONFIG ID	CONFIGS VN	RAND
Source	Key Dependent Constant	Y := SECS.ATTRIBUTES and SECS.MISCSELECT and SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES;	CR_SGX_OWNER EPOCH	Y := CPUSVN Register;	R := Req.ISV SVN;	SECS.ISVID	SECS.IS VEXTPR ODID	SECS.IS VFAMIL YID	SECS.MRENCLAVE	SECS.MRSIGNER	SECS.CONFIGID	SECS.CONFIGSVN	Req. KEYID
		R := AttribMask & SECS.ATTRIBUTES and SECS.MISCSELECT and SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES;		R := Req.CPU SVN;									
EINITTOKEN	Yes	Request	Yes	Request	Request	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	Request
Report	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Request
Seal	Yes	Request	Yes	Request	Request	Request	Request	Request	Request	Request	Request	Request	Request
Provisioning	Yes	Request	No	Request	Request	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes
Provisioning Seal	Yes	Request	No	Request	Request	Request	Request	Request	No	Yes	Request	Request	Yes

Keys that permit the specification of a CPU or ISV's code's, or enclave configuration's SVNs have additional requirements. The caller may not request a key for an SVN beyond the current CPU, ISV or enclave configuration's SVN, respectively.

Several keys are access controlled. Access to the Provisioning Key and Provisioning Seal key requires the enclave's ATTRIBUTES.PROVISIONKEY be set. The EINITTOKEN Key requires ATTRIBUTES.EINITTOKEN_KEY be set and SECS.MRSIGNER equal IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH.

Some keys are derived based on a hardcoded PKCS padding constant (352 byte string):

HARDCODED_PKCS1_5_PADDING[15:0] := 0100H;

HARDCODED_PKCS1_5_PADDING[2655:16] := SignExtend330Byte(-1); // 330 bytes of 0FFH

HARDCODED_PKCS1_5_PADDING[2815:2656] := 2004000501020403650148866009060D30313000H;

The error codes are:

Table 38-67. EGETKEY Return Value in RAX

Error Code (see Table 38-4)	Value	Description
No Error	0	EGETKEY successful.
SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE		The KEYREQUEST contains a KEYNAME for which the enclave is not authorized.
SGX_INVALID_CPUSVN		If KEYREQUEST.CPUSVN is an unsupported platforms CPUSVN value.
SGX_INVALID_ISVSVN		If KEYREQUEST software SVN (ISVSVN or CONFIGSVN) is greater than the enclave's corresponding SVN.
SGX_INVALID_KEYNAME		If KEYREQUEST.KEYNAME is an unsupported value.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-68. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EGETKEY

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EGETKEY	KEYREQUEST [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		
	OUTPUTDATA [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		

Table 38-69. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EGETKEY

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EGETKEY	KEYREQUEST [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	OUTPUTDATA [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EGETKEY Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (Bits)	Description
TMP_CURRENTSECS			Address of the SECS for the currently executing enclave.
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES			Temp space for key derivation.
TMP_ATTRIBUTES		128	Temp Space for the calculation of the sealable Attributes.
TMP_ISVEXTPRODID		16 bytes	Temp Space for ISVEXTPRODID.
TMP_ISVPRODID		2 bytes	Temp Space for ISVPRODID.
TMP_ISVFAMILYID		16 bytes	Temp Space for ISVFAMILYID.
TMP_CONFIGID		64 bytes	Temp Space for CONFIGID.
TMP_CONFIGSVN		2 bytes	Temp Space for CONFIGSVN.
TMP_OUTPUTKEY		128	Temp Space for the calculation of the key.

(* Make sure KEYREQUEST is properly aligned and inside the current enclave *)
 IF ((DS:RBX is not 512Byte aligned) or (DS:RBX is not within CR_ELRANGE))
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Make sure DS:RBX is an EPC address and the EPC page is valid *)
 IF ((DS:RBX does not resolve to an EPC address) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).VALID = 0))
 THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).BLOCKED = 1)
 THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

(* Check page parameters for correctness *)
 IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).PENDING = 1) or
 (EPCM(DS:RBX).MODIFIED = 1) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ (DS:RBX & ~0FFFH)) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).R = 0))
 THEN #PF(DS:RBX);
 FI;

(* Make sure OUTPUTDATA is properly aligned and inside the current enclave *)
 IF ((DS:RCX is not 16Byte aligned) or (DS:RCX is not within CR_ELRANGE))
 THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Make sure DS:RCX is an EPC address and the EPC page is valid *)
 IF ((DS:RCX does not resolve to an EPC address) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0))

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THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED = 1)
  THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* Check page parameters for correctness *)
IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING = 1) or
  (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED = 1) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ (DS:RCX & ~0FFFH) ) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).W = 0) )
  THEN #PF(DS:RCX);
FI;

(* Verify RESERVED spaces in KEYREQUEST are valid *)
IF ( (DS:RBX).RESERVED ≠ 0) or (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.RESERVED ≠ 0) )
  THEN #GP(0); FI;

TMP_CURRENTSECS := CR_ACTIVE_SECS;

(* Verify that CONFIGSVN & New Policy bits are not used if KSS is not enabled *)
IF ((TMP_CURRENTSECS.ATTRIBUTES.KSS == 0) AND ((DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY & 0x003C ≠ 0) OR (DS:RBX.CONFIGSVN > 0)))
  THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Determine which enclave attributes that must be included in the key. Attributes that must always be include INIT & DEBUG *)
REQUIRED_SEALING_MASK[127:0] := 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000003H;
TMP_ATTRIBUTES := (DS:RBX.ATTRIBUTEMASK | REQUIRED_SEALING_MASK) & TMP_CURRENTSECS.ATTRIBUTES;

(* Compute MISCSELECT fields to be included *)
TMP_MISCSELECT := DS:RBX.MISCMASK & TMP_CURRENTSECS.MISCSELECT

(* Compute CET_ATTRIBUTES fields to be included *)
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
  THEN TMP_CET_ATTRIBUTES := DS:RBX.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK & TMP_CURRENTSECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES; FI;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES := 0;

CASE (DS:RBX.KEYNAME)
  SEAL_KEY:
    IF (DS:RBX.CPUSVN is beyond current CPU configuration)
      THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_CPUSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
    FI;
    IF (DS:RBX.ISVSVN > TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVSVN)
      THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ISVSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
    FI;
    IF (DS:RBX.CONFIGSVN > TMP_CURRENTSECS.CONFIGSVN)
      THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ISVSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
    FI;

    (*Include enclave identity?*)

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TMP_MRENCLAVE := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.MRENCLAVE = 1)
    THEN TMP_MRENCLAVE := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MRENCLAVE;
FI;
(*Include enclave author?*)
TMP_MRSIGNER := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.MRSIGNER = 1)
    THEN TMP_MRSIGNER := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MRSIGNER;
FI;
(* Include enclave product family ID? *)
TMP_ISVFAMILYID := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.ISVFAMILYID = 1)
    THEN TMP_ISVFAMILYID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVFAMILYID;
FI;

(* Include enclave product ID? *)
TMP_ISVPRODID := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.NOISVPRODID = 0)
    THEN TMP_ISVPRODID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVPRODID;
FI;

(* Include enclave Config ID? *)
TMP_CONFIGID := 0;
TMP_CONFIGSVN := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.CONFIGID = 1)
    THEN TMP_CONFIGID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.CONFIGID;
    TMP_CONFIGSVN := DS:RBX.CONFIGSVN;
FI;

(* Include enclave extended product ID? *)
TMP_ISVEXTPRODID := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.ISVEXTPRODID = 1)
    THEN TMP_ISVEXTPRODID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVEXTPRODID;
FI;

//Determine values key is based on
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYNAME := SEAL_KEY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVFAMILYID := TMP_ISVFAMILYID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVEXTPRODID := TMP_ISVEXTPRODID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVPRODID := TMP_ISVPRODID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVSVN := DS:RBX.ISVSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SGXOWNEREPOCH := CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTES := TMP_ATTRIBUTES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTESMASK := DS:RBX.ATTRIBUTESMASK;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRENCLAVE := TMP_MRENCLAVE;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRSIGNER := TMP_MRSIGNER;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYID := DS:RBX.KEYID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SEAL_KEY_FUSES := CR_SEAL_FUSES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CPUSVN := DS:RBX.CPUSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.PADDING := TMP_CURRENTSECS.PADDING;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCSELECT := TMP_MISCSELECT;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCMASK := ~DS:RBX.MISCMASK;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYPOLICY := DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGID := TMP_CONFIGID;

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TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGSVN := TMP_CONFIGSVN;
IF CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1
    THEN
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES := TMP_CET_ATTRIBUTES;
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK := DS:RBX.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK;
    FI;
BREAK;
REPORT_KEY:
//Determine values key is based on
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYNAME := REPORT_KEY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVFAMILYID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVEXTPRODID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVPRODID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVSVN := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SGXOWNEREPOCH := CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTES := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ATTRIBUTES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTESMASK := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRENCLAVE := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MRENCLAVE;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRSIGNER := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYID := DS:RBX.KEYID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SEAL_KEY_FUSES := CR_SEAL_FUSES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CPUSVN := CR_CPUSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.PADDING := HARDCODED_PKCS1_5_PADDING;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCSELECT := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MISCSELECT;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCMASK := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYPOLICY := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.CONFIGID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGSVN := TMP_CURRENTSECS.CONFIGSVN;
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES := TMP_CURRENTSECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES;
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK := 0;
    FI;
BREAK;
EINITTOKEN_KEY:
(* Check ENCLAVE has EINITTOKEN Key capability *)
IF (TMP_CURRENTSECS.ATTRIBUTES.EINITTOKEN_KEY = 0)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE;
        GOTO EXIT;
    FI;
IF (DS:RBX.CPUSVN is beyond current CPU configuration)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_CPUSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
    FI;
IF (DS:RBX.ISVSVN > TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVSVN)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ISVSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
    FI;
FI;

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(* Determine values key is based on *)
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYNAME := EINITTOKEN_KEY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVFAMILYID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVEXTPRODID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVPRODID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVPRODID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVSVN := DS:RBX.ISVSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SGXOWNEREPOCH := CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTES := TMP_ATTRIBUTES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTESMASK := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRENCLAVE := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRSIGNER := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MRSIGNER;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYID := DS:RBX.KEYID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SEAL_KEY_FUSES := CR_SEAL_FUSES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CPUSVN := DS:RBX.CPUSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.PADDING := TMP_CURRENTSECS.PADDING;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCSELECT := TMP_MISCSELECT;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCMASK := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYPOLICY := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGSVN := 0;
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES := TMP_CET_ATTRIBUTES;
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK := 0;
FI;
BREAK;
PROVISION_KEY:
(* Check ENCLAVE has PROVISIONING capability *)
IF (TMP_CURRENTSECS.ATTRIBUTES.PROVISIONKEY = 0)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE;
        GOTO EXIT;
FI;
IF (DS:RBX.CPUSVN is beyond current CPU configuration)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_CPUSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
FI;
IF (DS:RBX.ISVSVN > TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVSVN)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ISVSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
FI;
(* Determine values key is based on *)
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYNAME := PROVISION_KEY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVFAMILYID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVEXTPRODID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVPRODID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVPRODID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVSVN := DS:RBX.ISVSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SGXOWNEREPOCH := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTES := TMP_ATTRIBUTES;

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TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTESMASK := DS:RBX.ATTRIBUTESMASK;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRENCLAVE := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRSIGNER := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MRSIGNER;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SEAL_KEY_FUSES := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CPUSVN := DS:RBX.CPUSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.PADDING := TMP_CURRENTSECS.PADDING;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCSELECT := TMP_MISCSELECT;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCMASK := ~DS:RBX.MISCMASK;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYPOLICY := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGID := 0;
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES := TMP_CET_ATTRIBUTES;
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK := 0;
FI;
BREAK;
PROVISION_SEAL_KEY:
(* Check ENCLAVE has PROVISIONING capability *)
IF (TMP_CURRENTSECS.ATTRIBUTES.PROVISIONKEY = 0)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE;
        GOTO EXIT;
FI;
IF (DS:RBX.CPUSVN is beyond current CPU configuration)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_CPUSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
FI;
IF (DS:RBX.ISVSVN > TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVSVN)
    THEN
        RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
        RAX := SGX_INVALID_ISVSVN;
        GOTO EXIT;
FI;
(* Include enclave product family ID? *)
TMP_ISVFAMILYID := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.ISVFAMILYID = 1)
    THEN TMP_ISVFAMILYID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVFAMILYID;
FI;

(* Include enclave product ID? *)
TMP_ISVPRODID := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.NOISVPRODID = 0)
    THEN TMP_ISVPRODID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVPRODID;
FI;

(* Include enclave Config ID? *)
TMP_CONFIGID := 0;
TMP_CONFIGSVN := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.CONFIGID = 1)
    THEN TMP_CONFIGID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.CONFIGID;

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TMP_CONFIGSVN := DS:RBX.CONFIGSVN;
FI;

(* Include enclave extended product ID? *)
TMP_ISVEXTPRODID := 0;
IF (DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY.ISVEXTPRODID = 1)
    TMP_ISVEXTPRODID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVEXTPRODID;
FI;

(* Determine values key is based on *)
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYNAME := PROVISION_SEAL_KEY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVFAMILYID := TMP_ISVFAMILYID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVEXTPRODID := TMP_ISVEXTPRODID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVPRODID := TMP_ISVPRODID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVSVN := DS:RBX.ISVSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SGXOWNEREPOCH := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTES := TMP_ATTRIBUTES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTESMASK := DS:RBX.ATTRIBUTESMASK;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRENCLAVE := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRSIGNER := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MRSIGNER;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SEAL_KEY_FUSES := CR_SEAL_FUSES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CPUSVN := DS:RBX.CPUSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.PADDING := TMP_CURRENTSECS.PADDING;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCSELECT := TMP_MISCSELECT;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCMASK := ~DS:RBX.MISCMASK;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYPOLICY := DS:RBX.KEYPOLICY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGID := TMP_CONFIGID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGSVN := TMP_CONFIGSVN;
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES := TMP_CET_ATTRIBUTES;
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK := 0;
    FI;
BREAK;
DEFAULT:
    (* The value of KEYNAME is invalid *)
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_KEYNAME;
    GOTO EXIT;
ESAC;

(* Calculate the final derived key and output to the address in RCX *)
TMP_OUTPUTKEY := derivekey(TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES);
DS:RCX[15:0] := TMP_OUTPUTKEY;
RAX := 0;
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;

EXIT:
RFLAGS.CF := 0;
RFLAGS.PF := 0;
RFLAGS.AF := 0;
RFLAGS.OF := 0;
RFLAGS.SF := 0;

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Flags Affected

ZF is cleared if successful, otherwise ZF is set. CF, PF, AF, OF, SF are cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
If a memory operand effective address is outside the current enclave.
If an effective address is not properly aligned.
If an effective address is outside the DS segment limit.
If KEYREQUEST format is invalid.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
If a memory operand effective address is outside the current enclave.
If an effective address is not properly aligned.
If an effective address is not canonical.
If KEYREQUEST format is invalid.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

EMODPE—Extend an EPC Page Permissions

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 06H ENCLU[EMODPE]	IR	V/V	SGX2	This leaf function extends the access rights of an existing EPC page.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX	RBX	RCX
IR	EMODPE (In)	Address of a SECINFO (In)	Address of the destination EPC page (In)

Description

This leaf function extends the access rights associated with an existing EPC page in the running enclave. THE RWX bits of the SECINFO parameter are treated as a permissions mask; supplying a value that does not extend the page permissions will have no effect. This instruction leaf can only be executed when inside the enclave.

RBX contains the effective address of a SECINFO structure while RCX contains the effective address of an EPC page. The table below provides additional information on the memory parameter of the EMODPE leaf function.

EMODPE Memory Parameter Semantics

SECINFO	EPCPAGE
Read access permitted by Non Enclave	Read access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EMODPE Faulting Conditions

The operands are not properly aligned.	If security attributes of the SECINFO page make the page inaccessible.
The EPC page is locked by another thread.	RBX does not contain an effective address in an EPC page in the running enclave.
The EPC page is not valid.	RCX does not contain an effective address of an EPC page in the running enclave.
SECINFO contains an invalid request.	

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-70. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EMODPE

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EMODPE	Target [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
	SECINFO [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		

Table 38-71. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EMODPE

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EMODPE	Target [DS:RCX]	Exclusive	#GP	Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECINFO [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EMODPE Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
SCRATCH_SECINFO	SECINFO	512	Scratch storage for holding the contents of DS:RBX.

IF (DS:RBX is not 64Byte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF ((DS:RBX is not within CR_ELRANGE) or (DS:RCX is not within CR_ELRANGE))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RBX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).PENDING ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).MODIFIED ≠ 0) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).BLOCKED ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ (DS:RBX & ~0xFFF)))
THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

SCRATCH_SECINFO := DS:RBX;

(* Check for misconfigured SECINFO flags*)
IF (SCRATCH_SECINFO reserved fields are not zero)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check security attributes of the EPC page *)
IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED ≠ 0) or
(EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS))
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)
IF (EPC page in use by another SGX2 instruction)
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Re-Check security attributes of the EPC page *)
IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING ≠ 0) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED ≠ 0) or
(EPCM(DS:RCX).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or
(EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:RCX))
THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

(* Check for misconfigured SECINFO flags*)
IF ((EPCM(DS:RCX).R = 0) and (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R = 0) and (SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W ≠ 0))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Update EPCM permissions *)

EPCM(DS:RCX).R := EPCM(DS:RCX).R | SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.R;

EPCM(DS:RCX).W := EPCM(DS:RCX).W | SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.W;

EPCM(DS:RCX).X := EPCM(DS:RCX).X | SCRATCH_SECINFO.FLAGS.X;

Flags Affected

None

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If executed outside an enclave.</p> <p>If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not properly aligned.</p> <p>If a memory operand is locked.</p>
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If executed outside an enclave.</p> <p>If a memory operand is non-canonical form.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not properly aligned.</p> <p>If a memory operand is locked.</p>
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

EReport—Create a Cryptographic Report of the Enclave

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 00H ENCLU[EReport]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function creates a cryptographic report of the enclave.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX	RBX	RCX	RDX
IR	EReport (In)	Address of TARGETINFO (In)	Address of REPORTDATA (In)	Address where the REPORT is written to in an OUTPUTDATA (In)

Description

This leaf function creates a cryptographic REPORT that describes the contents of the enclave. This instruction leaf can only be executed when inside the enclave. The cryptographic report can be used by other enclaves to determine that the enclave is running on the same platform.

RBX contains the effective address of the MRENCLAVE value of the enclave that will authenticate the REPORT output, using the REPORT key delivered by EGETKEY command for that enclave. RCX contains the effective address of a 64-byte REPORTDATA structure, which allows the caller of the instruction to associate data with the enclave from which the instruction is called. RDX contains the address where the REPORT will be output by the instruction.

EReport Memory Parameter Semantics

TARGETINFO	REPORTDATA	OUTPUTDATA
Read access by Enclave	Read access by Enclave	Read/Write access by Enclave

This instruction leaf perform the following:

1. Validate the 3 operands (RBX, RCX, RDX) are inside the enclave.
2. Compute a report key for the target enclave, as indicated by the value located in RBX(TARGETINFO).
3. Assemble the enclave SECS data to complete the REPORT structure (including the data provided using the RCX (REPORTDATA) operand).
4. Computes a cryptographic hash over REPORT structure.
5. Add the computed hash to the REPORT structure.
6. Output the completed REPORT structure to the address in RDX (OUTPUTDATA).

The instruction fails if the operands are not properly aligned.

CR_REPORT_KEYID, used to provide key wearout protection, is populated with a statistically unique value on boot of the platform by a trusted entity within the SGX TCB.

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EReport Faulting Conditions

An effective address not properly aligned.	An memory address does not resolve in an EPC page.
If accessing an invalid EPC page.	If the EPC page is blocked.
May page fault.	

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-72. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EREPORT

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EREPORT	TARGETINFO [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		
	REPORTDATA [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		
	OUTPUTDATA [DS:RDX]	Concurrent		

Table 38-73. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EREPORT

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EREPORT	TARGETINFO [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	REPORTDATA [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	OUTPUTDATA [DS:RDX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in EREPORT Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_ATTRIBUTES		32	Physical address of SECS of the enclave to which source operand belongs.
TMP_CURRENTSECS			Address of the SECS for the currently executing enclave.
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES			Temp space for key derivation.
TMP_REPORTKEY		128	REPORTKEY generated by the instruction.
TMP_REPORT		3712	

TMP_MODE64 := ((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1));

(* Address verification for TARGETINFO (RBX) *)

IF ((DS:RBX is not 512Byte Aligned) or (DS:RBX is not within CR_ELRange))
THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RBX does not resolve within an EPC)
THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).VALID = 0)
THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).BLOCKED = 1)
THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

(* Check page parameters for correctness *)

IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX).PT ≠ PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS ≠ CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).PENDING = 1) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).MODIFIED = 1) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ (DS:RBX & ~0FFFH)) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).R = 0))

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THEN #PF(DS:RBX);
FI;

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(* Verify RESERVED spaces in TARGETINFO are valid *)

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IF (DS:RBX.RESERVED != 0)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

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(* Address verification for REPORTDATA (RCX) *)

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IF ( (DS:RCX is not 128Byte Aligned) or (DS:RCX is not within CR_ELRANGE) )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

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IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC)

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    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

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IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0)

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    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

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IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).BLOCKED = 1)

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```

    THEN #PF(DS:RCX); FI;

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(* Check page parameters for correctness *)

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IF ( (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT != PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVESECS != CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).PENDING = 1) or
    (EPCM(DS:RCX).MODIFIED = 1) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).ENCLAVEADDRESS != (DS:RCX & ~0FFFH) ) or (EPCM(DS:RCX).R = 0) )
    THEN #PF(DS:RCX);

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FI;

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```

(* Address verification for OUTPUTDATA (RDX) *)

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```

IF ( (DS:RDX is not 512Byte Aligned) or (DS:RDX is not within CR_ELRANGE) )
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

```

```

IF (DS:RDX does not resolve within an EPC)

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```

    THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;

```

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IF (EPCM(DS:RDX).VALID = 0)

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```

    THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;

```

```

IF (EPCM(DS:RDX).BLOCKED = 1)

```

```

    THEN #PF(DS:RDX); FI;

```

```

(* Check page parameters for correctness *)

```

```

IF ( (EPCM(DS:RDX).PT != PT_REG) or (EPCM(DS:RDX).ENCLAVESECS != CR_ACTIVE_SECS) or (EPCM(DS:RDX).PENDING = 1) or
    (EPCM(DS:RDX).MODIFIED = 1) or (EPCM(DS:RDX).ENCLAVEADDRESS != (DS:RDX & ~0FFFH) ) or (EPCM(DS:RDX).W = 0) )
    THEN #PF(DS:RDX);

```

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FI;

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```

(* REPORT MAC needs to be computed over data which cannot be modified *)

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```

TMP_REPORT.CPUSVN := CR_CPUSVN;

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TMP_REPORT.ISVFAMILYID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVFAMILYID;

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TMP_REPORT.ISVEXTPRODID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVEXTPRODID;

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TMP_REPORT.ISVPRODID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVPRODID;

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TMP_REPORT.ISVSVN := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ISVSVN;

```

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TMP_REPORT.ATTRIBUTES := TMP_CURRENTSECS.ATTRIBUTES;

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TMP_REPORT.REPORTDATA := DS:RCX[511:0];

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TMP_REPORT.MRENCLAVE := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MRENCLAVE;

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TMP_REPORT.MRSIGNER := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MRSIGNER;
TMP_REPORT.MRRESERVED := 0;
TMP_REPORT.KEYID[255:0] := CR_REPORT_KEYID;
TMP_REPORT.MISCSELECT := TMP_CURRENTSECS.MISCSELECT;
TMP_REPORT.CONFIGID := TMP_CURRENTSECS.CONFIGID;
TMP_REPORT.CONFIGSVN := TMP_CURRENTSECS.CONFIGSVN;
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN TMP_REPORT.CET_ATTRIBUTES := TMP_CURRENTSECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES; FI;

```

(* Derive the report key *)

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TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYNAME := REPORT_KEY;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVFAMILYID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVEXTPRODID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVPRODID := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ISVSVN := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SGXOWNEREPOCH := CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTES := DS:RBX.ATTRIBUTES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.ATTRIBUTESMASK := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRENCLAVE := DS:RBX.MEASUREMENT;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MRSIGNER := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYID := TMP_REPORT.KEYID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.SEAL_KEY_FUSES := CR_SEAL_FUSES;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CPUSVN := CR_CPUSVN;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.PADDING := TMP_CURRENTSECS.PADDING;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCSELECT := DS:RBX.MISCSELECT;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.MISCMASK := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.KEYPOLICY := 0;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGID := DS:RBX.CONFIGID;
TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CONFIGSVN := DS:RBX.CONFIGSVN;
IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES := DS:RBX.CET_ATTRIBUTES;
        TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES.CET_ATTRIBUTES_MASK := 0;
FI;

```

(* Calculate the derived key*)

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TMP_REPORTKEY := derivekey(TMP_KEYDEPENDENCIES);

```

(* call cryptographic CMAC function, CMAC data are not including MAC&KEYID *)

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TMP_REPORT.MAC := cmac(TMP_REPORTKEY, TMP_REPORT[3071:0] );
DS:RDX[3455: 0] := TMP_REPORT;

```

Flags Affected

None

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If executed outside an enclave. If the address in RCS is outside the DS segment limit. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. If a memory operand is not in the current enclave.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0) If executed outside an enclave.
 If RCX is non-canonical form.
 If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
 If a memory operand is not in the current enclave.
- #PF(error code) If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

ERESUME—Re-Enters an Enclave

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 03H ENCLU[ERESUME]	IR	V/V	SGX1	This leaf function is used to re-enter an enclave after an interrupt.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	RAX	RBX	RCX
IR	ERESUME (In)	Address of a TCS (In)	Address of AEP (In)

Description

The ENCLU[ERESUME] instruction resumes execution of an enclave that was interrupted due to an exception or interrupt, using the machine state previously stored in the SSA.

ERESUME Memory Parameter Semantics

TCS
Enclave read/write access

The instruction faults if any of the following occurs:

Address in RBX is not properly aligned.	Any TCS.FLAGS's must-be-zero bit is not zero.
TCS pointed to by RBX is not valid or available or locked.	Current 32/64 mode does not match the enclave mode in SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64.
The SECS is in use by another enclave.	Either of TCS-specified FS and GS segment is not a subset of the current DS segment.
Any one of DS, ES, CS, SS is not zero.	If XSAVE available, CR4.OSXSAVE = 0, but SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM ≠ 3.
CR4.OSFXSR ≠ 1.	If CR4.OSXSAVE = 1, SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM is not a subset of XCRO.
Offsets 520-535 of the XSAVE area not 0.	The bit vector stored at offset 512 of the XSAVE area must be a subset of SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM.
The SSA frame is not valid or in use.	If SECS.ATTRIBUTES.AEXNOTIFY ≠ TCS.FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY and TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN = 0.

The following operations are performed by ERESUME:

- RSP and RBP are saved in the current SSA frame on EENTER and are automatically restored on EEXIT or an asynchronous exit due to any Interrupt event.
- The AEP contained in RCX is stored into the TCS for use by AEXs. FS and GS (including hidden portions) are saved and new values are constructed using TCS.OFSBASE/GSBASE (32 and 64-bit mode) and TCS.OFSLIMIT/GSLIMIT (32-bit mode only). The resulting segments must be a subset of the DS segment.
- If CR4.OSXSAVE == 1, XCRO is saved and replaced by SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM. The effect of RFLAGS.TF depends on whether the enclave entry is opt-in or opt-out (see Section 40.1.2):
 - On opt-out entry, TF is saved and cleared (it is restored on EEXIT or AEX). Any attempt to set TF via a POPF instruction while inside the enclave clears TF (see Section 40.2.5).
 - On opt-in entry, a single-step debug exception is pending on the instruction boundary immediately after EENTER (see Section 40.2.3).
- All code breakpoints that do not overlap with ELRANGE are also suppressed. If the entry is an opt-out entry, all code and data breakpoints that overlap with the ELRANGE are suppressed.

- On opt-out entry, a number of performance monitoring counters and behaviors are modified or suppressed (see Section 40.2.3):
 - All performance monitoring activity on the current thread is suppressed except for incrementing and firing of FIXED_CTR1 and FIXED_CTR2.
 - PEBS is suppressed.
 - AnyThread counting on other threads is demoted to MyThread mode and IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS[60] on that thread is set.
 - If the opt-out entry on a hardware thread results in suppression of any performance monitoring, then the processor sets IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS[60] and IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS[63].

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-74. Base Concurrency Restrictions of ERESUME

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
ERESUME	TCS [DS:RBX]	Shared	#GP	

Table 38-75. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of ERESUME

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
ERESUME	TCS [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in ERESUME Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size	Description
TMP_FSBASE	Effective Address	32/64	Proposed base address for FS segment.
TMP_GSBASE	Effective Address	32/64	Proposed base address for GS segment.
TMP_FSLIMIT	Effective Address	32/64	Highest legal address in proposed FS segment.
TMP_GSLIMIT	Effective Address	32/64	Highest legal address in proposed GS segment.
TMP_TARGET	Effective Address	32/64	Address of first instruction inside enclave at which execution is to resume.
TMP_SECS	Effective Address	32/64	Physical address of SECS for this enclave.
TMP_SSA	Effective Address	32/64	Address of current SSA frame.
TMP_XSIZE	integer	64	Size of XSAVE area based on SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM.
TMP_SSA_PAGE	Effective Address	32/64	Pointer used to iterate over the SSA pages in the current frame.
TMP_GPR	Effective Address	32/64	Address of the GPR area within the current SSA frame.
TMP_BRANCH_RECORD	LBR Record		From/to addresses to be pushed onto the LBR stack.
TMP_NOTIFY	Boolean	1	When set to 1, deliver an AEX notification.

TMP_MODE64 := ((IA32_EFER.LMA = 1) && (CS.L = 1));

(* Make sure DS is usable, expand up *)

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0 and (DS not usable or ((DS[S] = 1) and (DS[bit 11] = 0) and DS[bit 10] = 1))))

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check that CS, SS, DS, ES.base is 0 *)

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0)

THEN

IF(CS.base \neq 0 or DS.base \neq 0) #GP(0); FI;

IF(ES usable and ES.base \neq 0) #GP(0); FI;

IF(SS usable and SS.base \neq 0) #GP(0); FI;

IF(SS usable and SS.B = 0) #GP(0); FI;

FI;

IF (DS:RBX is not 4KByte Aligned)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (DS:RBX does not resolve within an EPC)

THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

(* Check AEP is canonical*)

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 1 and (CS:RCX is not canonical))

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check concurrency of TCS operation*)

IF (Other Intel SGX instructions are operating on TCS)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* TCS verification *)

IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).VALID = 0)

THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).BLOCKED = 1)

THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).MODIFIED = 1))

THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVEADDRESS \neq DS:RBX) or (EPCM(DS:RBX).PT \neq PT_TCS))

THEN #PF(DS:RBX); FI;

IF ((DS:RBX).OSSA is not 4KByte Aligned)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check proposed FS and GS *)

IF (((DS:RBX).OFSBASE is not 4KByte Aligned) or ((DS:RBX).OGSBASE is not 4KByte Aligned))

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Get the SECS for the enclave in which the TCS resides *)

TMP_SECS := Address of SECS for TCS;

(* Make sure that the FLAGS field in the TCS does not have any reserved bits set *)

IF (((DS:RBX).FLAGS & FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFCH) \neq 0)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* SECS must exist and enclave must have previously been EINITted *)

IF (the enclave is not already initialized)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* make sure the logical processor's operating mode matches the enclave *)

IF ((TMP_MODE64 ≠ TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.MODE64BIT))

THEN #GP(0); FI;

IF (CR4.OSFXSR = 0)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Check for legal values of SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM *)

IF (CR4.OSXSAVE = 0)

THEN

IF (TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM ≠ 03H) THEN #GP(0); FI;

ELSE

IF ((TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM & XCRO) ≠ TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM) THEN #GP(0); FI;

FI;

IF ((DS:RBX).CSSA.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN = 0) and (DS:RBX).CSSA.FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY ≠ TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.AEXNOTIFY)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Make sure the SSA contains at least one active frame *)

IF ((DS:RBX).CSSA = 0)

THEN #GP(0); FI;

(* Compute linear address of SSA frame *)

TMP_SSA := (DS:RBX).OSSA + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + 4096 * TMP_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE * ((DS:RBX).CSSA - 1);

TMP_XSIZE := compute_XSAVE_frame_size(TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM);

FOR EACH TMP_SSA_PAGE = TMP_SSA to TMP_SSA + TMP_XSIZE

(* Check page is read/write accessible *)

Check that DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE is read/write accessible;

If a fault occurs, release locks, abort and deliver that fault;

IF (DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE does not resolve to EPC page)

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).VALID = 0)

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).BLOCKED = 1)

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).MODIFIED = 1))

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).PT ≠ PT_REG) or

(EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS) or

(EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).W = 0))

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;

CR_XSAVE_PAGE_n := Physical_Address(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE);

ENDFOR

(* Compute address of GPR area*)

TMP_GPR := TMP_SSA + 4096 * DS:TMP_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE - sizeof(GPRSGX_AREA);

Check that DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE is read/write accessible;

If a fault occurs, release locks, abort and deliver that fault;

IF (DS:TMP_GPR does not resolve to EPC page)

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).VALID = 0)

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    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).BLOCKED = 1)
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).MODIFIED = 1))
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;
IF ( ( EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_GPR) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).PT ≠ PT_REG) or
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS) or
    (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).W = 0))
    THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0)
    THEN
        IF (TMP_GPR + (GPR_SIZE - 1) is not in DS segment) THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;

CR_GPR_PA := Physical_Address (DS: TMP_GPR);

IF ((DS:RBX).FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY = 1) and (DS:TMP_GPR.AEXNOTIFY[0] = 1))
    THEN
        TMP_NOTIFY := 1;
    ELSE
        TMP_NOTIFY := 0;
FI;

IF (TMP_NOTIFY = 1)
    THEN
        (* Make sure the SSA contains at least one more frame *)
        IF ((DS:RBX).CSSA ≥ (DS:RBX).NSSA)
            THEN #GP(0); FI;

        TMP_SSA := TMP_SSA + 4096 * TMP_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE;
        TMP_XSIZE := compute_XSAVE_frame_size(TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM);

        FOR EACH TMP_SSA_PAGE = TMP_SSA to TMP_SSA + TMP_XSIZE
            (* Check page is read/write accessible *)
            Check that DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE is read/write accessible;
            If a fault occurs, release locks, abort and deliver that fault;

            IF (DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE does not resolve to EPC page)
                THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
            IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).VALID = 0)
                THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
            IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).BLOCKED = 1)
                THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
            IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).PENDING = 1) or
                (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).MODIFIED = 1))
                THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
            IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE) or
                (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).PT ≠ PT_REG) or
                (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS) or
                (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE).W = 0))
                THEN #PF(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE); FI;
            CR_XSAVE_PAGE_n := Physical_Address(DS:TMP_SSA_PAGE);
        ENDFOR

```

(* Compute address of GPR area*)

TMP_GPR := TMP_SSA + 4096 * DS:TMP_SECS.SSAFRAMESIZE - sizeof(GPRSGX_AREA);

If a fault occurs; release locks, abort and deliver that fault;

IF (DS:TMP_GPR does not resolve to EPC page)

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).VALID = 0)

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

IF (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).BLOCKED = 1)

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).PENDING = 1) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).MODIFIED = 1))

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

IF ((EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_GPR) or

(EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).PT ≠ PT_REG) or

(EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).ENCLAVESECS EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS) or

(EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).R = 0) or (EPCM(DS:TMP_GPR).W = 0))

THEN #PF(DS:TMP_GPR); FI;

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0)

THEN

IF (TMP_GPR + (GPR_SIZE - 1) is not in DS segment) THEN #GP(0); FI;

FI;

CR_GPR_PA := Physical_Address (DS: TMP_GPR);

TMP_TARGET := (DS:RBX).OENTRY + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;

ELSE

TMP_TARGET := (DS:TMP_GPR).RIP;

FI;

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 1)

THEN

IF (TMP_TARGET is not canonical) THEN #GP(0); FI;

ELSE

IF (TMP_TARGET > CS limit) THEN #GP(0); FI;

FI;

(* Check proposed FS/GS segments fall within DS *)

IF (TMP_MODE64 = 0)

THEN

TMP_FSBASE := (DS:RBX).OFSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;

TMP_FSLIMIT := (DS:RBX).OFSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + (DS:RBX).FSLIMIT;

TMP_GSBASE := (DS:RBX).OGSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;

TMP_GSLIMIT := (DS:RBX).OGSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + (DS:RBX).GSLIMIT;

(* if FS wrap-around, make sure DS has no holes*)

IF (TMP_FSLIMIT < TMP_FSBASE)

THEN

IF (DS.limit < 4GB) THEN #GP(0); FI;

ELSE

IF (TMP_FSLIMIT > DS.limit) THEN #GP(0); FI;

FI;

(* if GS wrap-around, make sure DS has no holes*)

IF (TMP_GSLIMIT < TMP_GSBASE)

THEN

```

        IF (DS.limit < 4GB) THEN #GP(0); FI;
    ELSE
        IF (TMP_GSLIMIT > DS.limit) THEN #GP(0); FI;
    FI;
ELSE
    IF (TMP_NOTIFY = 1)
        THEN
            TMP_FSBASE := (DS:RBX).OFSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
            TMP_GSBASE := (DS:RBX).OGSBASE + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
        ELSE
            TMP_FSBASE := DS:TMP_GPR.FSBASE;
            TMP_GSBASE := DS:TMP_GPR.GSBASE;
        FI;
    IF ((TMP_FSBASE is not canonical) or (TMP_GSBASE is not canonical))
        THEN #GP(0); FI;
FI;

(* Ensure the enclave is not already active and this thread is the only one using the TCS*)
IF (DS:RBX.STATE = ACTIVE)
    THEN #GP(0); FI;

TMP_IA32_U_CET := 0
TMP_SSP := 0

IF (CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=1):EAX[6] = 1)
    THEN
        IF ( CR4.CET = 0 )
            THEN
                (* If part does not support CET or CET has not been enabled and enclave requires CET then fail *)
                IF (TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES ≠ 0 OR TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_OFFSET ≠ 0) #GP(0); FI;
            FI;
        (* If indirect branch tracking or shadow stacks enabled but CET state save area is not 16B aligned then fail ERESUME *)
        IF (TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.SH_STK_EN = 1 OR TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.ENDBR_EN = 1)
            THEN
                IF (DS:RBX.OCETSSA is not 16B aligned) #GP(0); FI;
            FI;
    FI;

IF (TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.SH_STK_EN OR TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES.ENDBR_EN)
    THEN
        (* Setup CET state from SECS, note tracker goes to IDLE *)
        TMP_IA32_U_CET = TMP_SECS.CET_ATTRIBUTES;
        IF (TMP_IA32_U_CET.LEG_IW_EN = 1 AND TMP_IA32_U_CET.ENDBR_EN = 1)
            THEN
                TMP_IA32_U_CET := TMP_IA32_U_CET + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR;
                TMP_IA32_U_CET := TMP_IA32_U_CET + TMP_SECS.CET_LEG_BITMAP_BASE;
            FI;

        (* Compute linear address of what will become new CET state save area and cache its PA *)
        IF (TMP_NOTIFY = 1)
            THEN
                TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA = DS:RBX.OCETSSA + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + (DS:RBX.CSSA) * 16;
            ELSE
                TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA = DS:RBX.OCETSSA + TMP_SECS.BASEADDR + (DS:RBX.CSSA - 1) * 16;
            FI;
    FI;

```

```
TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE = TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA & ~0xFFF;
```

Check the TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE page is read/write accessible
If fault occurs release locks, abort and deliver fault

```
(* read the EPCM VALID, PENDING, MODIFIED, BLOCKED and PT fields atomically *)
IF ((DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE Does NOT RESOLVE TO EPC PAGE) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).VALID = 0) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).PENDING = 1) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).MODIFIED = 1) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).BLOCKED = 1) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).R = 0) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).W = 0) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).ENCLAVEADDRESS ≠ DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).PT ≠ PT_SS_REST) OR
(EPCM(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE).ENCLAVESECS ≠ EPCM(DS:RBX).ENCLAVESECS))
THEN
    #PF(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_PAGE);
FI;
```

```
CR_CET_SAVE_AREA_PA := Physical address(DS:TMP_CET_SAVE_AREA)
```

```
IF (TMP_NOTIFY = 1)
THEN
    IF TMP_IA32_U_CET.SH_STK_EN = 1
    THEN TMP_SSP = TCS.PREVSSP; FI;
ELSE
    TMP_SSP = CR_CET_SAVE_AREA_PA.SSP
    TMP_IA32_U_CET.TRACKER = CR_CET_SAVE_AREA_PA.TRACKER;
    TMP_IA32_U_CET.SUPPRESS = CR_CET_SAVE_AREA_PA.SUPPRESS;
    IF ( (TMP_MODE64 = 1 AND TMP_SSP is not canonical) OR
        (TMP_MODE64 = 0 AND (TMP_SSP & 0xFFFFFFFFF0000000) ≠ 0) OR
        (TMP_SSP is not 4 byte aligned) OR
        (TMP_IA32_U_CET.TRACKER = WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH AND TMP_IA32_U_CET.SUPPRESS = 1) OR
        (CR_CET_SAVE_AREA_PA.Reserved ≠ 0) ) #GP(0); FI;
FI;
FI;
```

```
IF (TMP_NOTIFY = 0)
```

```
THEN
    (* SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM selects the features to be saved. *)
    (* CR_XSAVE_PAGE_n: A list of 1 or more physical address of pages that contain the XSAVE area. *)
    XRSTOR(TMP_MODE64, SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM, CR_XSAVE_PAGE_n);
```

```
IF (XRSTOR failed with #GP)
THEN
    DS:RBX.STATE := INACTIVE;
    #GP(0);
FI;
```

```
FI;
```

```
CR_ENCLAVE_MODE := 1;
CR_ACTIVE_SECS := TMP_SECS;
CR_ELRange := (TMP_SECS.BASEADDR, TMP_SECS.SIZE);
```

(* Save state for possible AEXs *)

CR_TCS_PA := Physical_Address (DS:RBX);

CR_TCS_LA := RBX;

CR_TCS_LA.AEP := RCX;

(* Save the hidden portions of FS and GS *)

CR_SAVE_FS_selector := FS.selector;

CR_SAVE_FS_base := FS.base;

CR_SAVE_FS_limit := FS.limit;

CR_SAVE_FS_access_rights := FS.access_rights;

CR_SAVE_GS_selector := GS.selector;

CR_SAVE_GS_base := GS.base;

CR_SAVE_GS_limit := GS.limit;

CR_SAVE_GS_access_rights := GS.access_rights;

IF (TMP_NOTIFY = 1)

THEN

(* If XSAVE is enabled, save XCRO and replace it with SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM*)

IF (CR4.OSXSAVE = 1)

THEN

CR_SAVE_XCRO := XCRO;

XCRO := TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM;

FI;

FI;

RIP := TMP_TARGET;

IF (TMP_NOTIFY = 1)

THEN

RCX := RIP;

RAX := (DS:RBX).CSSA;

(* Save the outside RSP and RBP so they can be restored on interrupt or EEXIT *)

DS:TMP_SSA.U_RSP := RSP;

DS:TMP_SSA.U_RBP := RBP;

ELSE

Restore_GPRs from DS:TMP_GPR;

(*Restore the RFLAGS values from SSA*)

RFLAGS.CF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.CF;

RFLAGS.PF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.PF;

RFLAGS.AF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.AF;

RFLAGS.ZF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.ZF;

RFLAGS.SF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.SF;

RFLAGS.DF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.DF;

RFLAGS.OF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.OF;

RFLAGS.NT := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.NT;

RFLAGS.AC := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.AC;

RFLAGS.ID := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.ID;

RFLAGS.RF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.RF;

RFLAGS.VM := 0;

IF (RFLAGS.IOPL = 3)

THEN RFLAGS.IF := DS:TMP_GPR.RFLAGS.IF; FI;

IF (TCS.FLAGS.OPTIN = 0)

```
THEN RFLAGS.TF := 0; FI;
```

```
(* If XSAVE is enabled, save XCRO and replace it with SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM*)
```

```
IF (CR4.OSXSAVE = 1)
```

```
THEN
```

```
CR_SAVE_XCRO := XCRO;
```

```
XCRO := TMP_SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(* Pop the SSA stack*)
```

```
(DS:RBX).CSSA := (DS:RBX).CSSA - 1;
```

```
FI;
```

```
(* Do the FS/GS swap *)
```

```
FS.base := TMP_FSBASE;
```

```
FS.limit := DS:RBX.FSLIMIT;
```

```
FS.type := 0001b;
```

```
FS.W := DS.W;
```

```
FS.S := 1;
```

```
FS.DPL := DS.DPL;
```

```
FS.G := 1;
```

```
FS.B := 1;
```

```
FS.P := 1;
```

```
FS.AVL := DS.AVL;
```

```
FS.L := DS.L;
```

```
FS.unusable := 0;
```

```
FS.selector := 0BH;
```

```
GS.base := TMP_GSBASE;
```

```
GS.limit := DS:RBX.GSLIMIT;
```

```
GS.type := 0001b;
```

```
GS.W := DS.W;
```

```
GS.S := 1;
```

```
GS.DPL := DS.DPL;
```

```
GS.G := 1;
```

```
GS.B := 1;
```

```
GS.P := 1;
```

```
GS.AVL := DS.AVL;
```

```
GS.L := DS.L;
```

```
GS.unusable := 0;
```

```
GS.selector := 0BH;
```

```
CR_DBGOPTIN := TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN;
```

```
Suppress all code breakpoints that are outside ELRANGE;
```

```
IF (CR_DBGOPTIN = 0)
```

```
THEN
```

```
Suppress all code breakpoints that overlap with ELRANGE;
```

```
CR_SAVE_TF := RFLAGS.TF;
```

```
RFLAGS.TF := 0;
```

```
Suppress any MTF VM exits during execution of the enclave;
```

```
Clear all pending debug exceptions;
```

```
Clear any pending MTF VM exit;
```

```
ELSE
```



```

IF (TMP_NOTIFY = 1)
    THEN
        IF RFLAGS.TF = 1
            THEN pend a single-step #DB at the end of ERESUME; FI;
            IF the "monitor trap flag" VM-execution control is set
                THEN pend an MTF VM exit at the end of ERESUME; FI;
        ELSE
            Clear all pending debug exceptions;
            Clear pending MTF VM exits;
        FI;
FI;

IF ((CPUID.(EAX=7H, ECX=0):EDX[CET_IBT] = 1) OR (CPUID.(EAX=7, ECX=0):ECX[CET_SS] = 1)
    THEN
        (* Save enclosing application CET state into save registers *)
        CR_SAVE_IA32_U_CET := IA32_U_CET
        (* Setup enclave CET state *)
        IF CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=00h):ECX[CET_SS] = 1
            THEN
                CR_SAVE_SSP := SSP
                SSP := TMP_SSP;
            FI;
        IA32_U_CET := TMP_IA32_U_CET;
FI;

(* Assure consistent translations *)
Flush_linear_context;
Clear_Monitor_FSM;
Allow_front_end_to_begin_fetch_at_new_RIP;

```

Flags Affected

RFLAGS.TF is cleared on opt-out entry

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If DS:RBX is not page aligned. If the enclave is not initialized. If the thread is not in the INACTIVE state. If CS, DS, ES or SS bases are not all zero. If executed in enclave mode. If part or all of the FS or GS segment specified by TCS is outside the DS segment. If any reserved field in the TCS FLAG is set. If the target address is not within the CS segment. If CR4.OSFXSR = 0. If CR4.OSXSAVE = 0 and SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM ≠ 3. If CR4.OSXSAVE = 1 and SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM is not a subset of XCR0. If SECS.ATTRIBUTES.AEXNOTIFY ≠ TCS.FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY and TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN = 0.
#PF(error code)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a page fault occurs in accessing memory. If DS:RBX does not point to a valid TCS. If one or more pages of the current SSA frame are not readable/writable, or do not resolve to a valid PT_REG EPC page.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

- #GP(0)
 - If DS:RBX is not page aligned.
 - If the enclave is not initialized.
 - If the thread is not in the INACTIVE state.
 - If CS, DS, ES or SS bases are not all zero.
 - If executed in enclave mode.
 - If part or all of the FS or GS segment specified by TCS is outside the DS segment.
 - If any reserved field in the TCS FLAG is set.
 - If the target address is not canonical.
 - If CR4.OSFXSR = 0.
 - If CR4.OSXSAVE = 0 and SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM ≠ 3.
 - If CR4.OSXSAVE = 1 and SECS.ATTRIBUTES.XFRM is not a subset of XCR0.
 - If SECS.ATTRIBUTES.AEXNOTIFY ≠ TCS.FLAGS.AEXNOTIFY and TCS.FLAGS.DBGOPTIN = 0.
- #PF(error code)
 - If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
 - If DS:RBX does not point to a valid TCS.
 - If one or more pages of the current SSA frame are not readable/writable, or do not resolve to a valid PT_REG EPC page.

38.5 INTEL® SGX VIRTUALIZATION LEAF FUNCTION REFERENCE

Leaf functions available with the ENCLV instruction mnemonic are covered in this section. In general, each instruction leaf requires EAX to specify the leaf function index and/or additional implicit registers specifying leaf-specific input parameters. An instruction operand encoding table provides details of each implicit register usage and associated input/output semantics.

In many cases, an input parameter specifies an effective address associated with a memory object inside or outside the EPC, the memory addressing semantics of these memory objects are also summarized in a separate table.

EDECVIRTCHILD—Decrement VIRTCHILDCNT in SECS

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 00H ENCLV[EDECVIRTCHILD]	IR	V/V	EAX[5]	This leaf function decrements the SECS VIRTCHILDCNT field.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	EDECVIRTCHILD (In)	Return error code (Out)	Address of an enclave page (In)	Address of an SECS page (In)

Description

This instruction decrements the SECS VIRTCHILDCNT field. This instruction can only be executed when current privilege level is 0.

The content of RCX is an effective address of an EPC page. The DS segment is used to create linear address. Segment override is not supported.

EDECVIRTCHILD Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCPAGE	SECS
Read/Write access permitted by Non Enclave	Read access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EDECVIRTCHILD Faulting Conditions

A memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit (32b mode).	A page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
DS segment is unusable (32b mode).	RBX does not refer to an enclave page (REG, TCS, TRIM, SECS).
A memory address is in a non-canonical form (64b mode).	RCX does not refer to an SECS page.
A memory operand is not properly aligned.	RBX does not refer to an enclave page associated with SECS referenced in RCX.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-76. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EDECVIRTCHILD

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EDECVIRTCHILD	Target [DS:RBX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
	SECS [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		

Table 38-77. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EDECVIRTCHILD

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EDECVIRTCHILD	Target [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation**Temp Variables in EDECVIRTCHILD Operational Flow**

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Physical Address	64	Physical address of the SECS of the page being modified.
TMP_VIRTCHILDCNT	Integer	64	Number of virtual child pages.

EDECVIRTCHILD Return Value in RAX

Error	Value	Description
No Error	0	EDECVIRTCHILD Successful.
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT		Failure due to concurrent operation of another SGX instruction.
SGX_INVALID_COUNTER		Attempt to decrement counter that is already zero.

(* check alignment of DS:RBX *)

```
IF (DS:RBX is not 4K aligned) THEN
  #GP(0); FI;
```

(* check DS:RBX is a linear address of an EPC page *)

```
IF (DS:RBX does not resolve within an EPC) THEN
  #PF(DS:RBX, PFEC.SGX); FI;
```

(* check DS:RCX is a linear address of an EPC page *)

```
IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC) THEN
  #PF(DS:RCX, PFEC.SGX); FI;
```

(* Check the EPCPAGE for concurrency *)

```
IF (EPCPAGE is being modified) THEN
  RFLAGS.ZF = 1;
  RAX = SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
  goto DONE;
FI;
```

(* check that the EPC page is valid *)

```
IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).VALID = 0) THEN
  #PF(DS:RBX, PFEC.SGX); FI;
```

(* check that the EPC page has the correct type and that the back pointer matches the pointer passed as the pointer to parent *)

```
IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_REG) or
    (EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_TCS) or
```

```

(EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_TRIM) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SS_FIRST) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SS_REST))
  THEN
    (* get the SECS of DS:RBX *)
    TMP_SECS := Address of SECS for (DS:RBX);
ELSE IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SECS) THEN
    (* get the physical address of DS:RBX *)
    TMP_SECS := Physical_Address(DS:RBX);
ELSE
    (* EDECVIRTUALD called on page of incorrect type *)
    #PF(DS:RBX, PFEC.SGX); FI;

IF (TMP_SECS ≠ Physical_Address(DS:RCX)) THEN
    #GP(0); FI;

(* Atomically decrement virtchild counter and check for underflow *)
Locked_Decrement(SECS(TMP_SECS).VIRTCHILDCNT);
IF (There was an underflow) THEN
    Locked_Increment(SECS(TMP_SECS).VIRTCHILDCNT);
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RAX := SGX_INVALID_COUNTER;
    goto DONE;
FI;

RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RAX := 0;

DONE:
(* clear flags *)
RFLAGS.CF := 0;
RFLAGS.PF := 0;
RFLAGS.AF := 0;
RFLAGS.OF := 0;
RFLAGS.SF := 0;

```

Flags Affected

ZF is set if EDECVIRTUALD fails due to concurrent operation with another SGX instruction, or if there is a VIRTCHILDCNT underflow. Otherwise cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.</p> <p>If DS segment is unusable.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not properly aligned.</p> <p>RBX does not refer to an enclave page associated with SECS referenced in RCX.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p> <p>If RBX does not refer to an enclave page (REG, TCS, TRIM, SECS).</p> <p>If RCX does not refer to an SECS page.</p>

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory address is in a non-canonical form. If a memory operand is not properly aligned. RBX does not refer to an enclave page associated with SECS referenced in RCX.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands. If RBX does not refer to an enclave page (REG, TCS, TRIM, SECS). If RCX does not refer to an SECS page.

EINCVIRTCHILD—Increment VIRTCHILDCNT in SECS

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 01H ENCLV[EINCVIRTCHILD]	IR	V/V	EAX[5]	This leaf function increments the SECS VIRTCHILDCNT field.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RBX	RCX
IR	EINCVIRTCHILD (In)	Return error code (Out)	Address of an enclave page (In)	Address of an SECS page (In)

Description

This instruction increments the SECS VIRTCHILDCNT field. This instruction can only be executed when the current privilege level is 0.

The content of RCX is an effective address of an EPC page. The DS segment is used to create a linear address. Segment override is not supported.

EINCVIRTCHILD Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCPAGE	SECS
Read/Write access permitted by Non Enclave	Read access permitted by Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

EINCVIRTCHILD Faulting Conditions

A memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit (32b mode).	A page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
DS segment is unusable (32b mode).	RBX does not refer to an enclave page (REG, TCS, TRIM, SECS).
A memory address is in a non-canonical form (64b mode).	RCX does not refer to an SECS page.
A memory operand is not properly aligned.	RBX does not refer to an enclave page associated with SECS referenced in RCX.

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-78. Base Concurrency Restrictions of EINCVIRTCHILD

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
EINCVIRTCHILD	Target [DS:RBX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	
	SECS [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		

Table 38-79. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of EINCVRTCHILD

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
EINCVRTCHILD	Target [DS:RBX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	
	SECS [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation**Temp Variables in EINCVRTCHILD Operational Flow**

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Physical Address	64	Physical address of the SECS of the page being modified.

EINCVRTCHILD Return Value in RAX

Error	Value	Description
No Error	0	EINCVRTCHILD Successful.
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT		Failure due to concurrent operation of another SGX instruction.

(* check alignment of DS:RBX *)
IF (DS:RBX is not 4K aligned) THEN
 #GP(0); FI;

(* check DS:RBX is an linear address of an EPC page *)
IF (DS:RBX does not resolve within an EPC) THEN
 #PF(DS:RBX, PFEC.SGX); FI;

(* check DS:RCX is an linear address of an EPC page *)
IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC) THEN
 #PF(DS:RCX, PFEC.SGX); FI;

(* Check the EPCPAGE for concurrency *)
IF (EPCPAGE is being modified) THEN
 RFLAGS.ZF = 1;
 RAX = SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
 goto DONE;
FI;

(* check that the EPC page is valid *)
IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).VALID = 0) THEN
 #PF(DS:RBX, PFEC.SGX); FI;

(* check that the EPC page has the correct type and that the back pointer matches the pointer passed as the pointer to parent *)
IF ((EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_REG) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_TCS) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_TRIM) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SS_FIRST) or
(EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SS_REST))

```

THEN
  (* get the SECS of DS:RBX *)
  TMP_SECS := Address of SECS for (DS:RBX);
ELSE IF (EPCM(DS:RBX).PAGE_TYPE = PT_SECS) THEN
  (* get the physical address of DS:RBX *)
  TMP_SECS := Physical_Address(DS:RBX);
ELSE
  (* EINCVIRTCHILD called on page of incorrect type *)
  #PF(DS:RBX, PFEC.SGX); FI;

IF (TMP_SECS ≠ Physical_Address(DS:RCX)) THEN
  #GP(0); FI;

(* Atomically increment vrtchild counter *)
Locked_Increment(SECS(TMP_SECS).VIRTCHILDCNT);

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RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
RAX := 0;

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```

DONE:
(* clear flags *)
RFLAGS.CF := 0;
RFLAGS.PF := 0;
RFLAGS.AF := 0;
RFLAGS.OF := 0;
RFLAGS.SF := 0;

```

Flags Affected

ZF is set if EINCVIRTCHILD fails due to concurrent operation with another SGX instruction; otherwise cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit.</p> <p>If DS segment is unusable.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not properly aligned.</p> <p>RBX does not refer to an enclave page associated with SECS referenced in RCX.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p> <p>If RBX does not refer to an enclave page (REG, TCS, TRIM, SECS).</p> <p>If RCX does not refer to an SECS page.</p>

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	<p>If a memory address is in a non-canonical form.</p> <p>If a memory operand is not properly aligned.</p> <p>RBX does not refer to an enclave page associated with SECS referenced in RCX.</p>
#PF(error code)	<p>If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.</p> <p>If RBX does not refer to an enclave page (REG, TCS, TRIM, SECS).</p> <p>If RCX does not refer to an SECS page.</p>

ESETCONTEXT—Set the ENCLAVECONTEXT Field in SECS

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EAX = 02H ENCLV[ESETCONTEXT]	IR	V/V	EAX[5]	This leaf function sets the ENCLAVECONTEXT field in SECS.

Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	EAX		RCX	RDX
IR	ESETCONTEXT (In)	Return error code (Out)	Address of the destination EPC page (In, EA)	Context Value (In, EA)

Description

The ESETCONTEXT leaf overwrites the ENCLAVECONTEXT field in the SECS. ECREATE and ELD of an SECS set the ENCLAVECONTEXT field in the SECS to the address of the SECS (for access later in ERDINFO). The ESETCONTEXT instruction allows a VMM to overwrite the default context value if necessary, for example, if the VMM is emulating ECREATE or ELD on behalf of the guest.

The content of RCX is an effective address of the SECS page to be updated, RDX contains the address pointing to the value to be stored in the SECS. The DS segment is used to create linear address. Segment override is not supported.

The instruction fails if:

- The operand is not properly aligned.
- RCX does not refer to an SECS page.

ESETCONTEXT Memory Parameter Semantics

EPCPAGE	CONTEXT
Read access permitted by Enclave	Read/Write access permitted by Non Enclave

The instruction faults if any of the following:

ESETCONTEXT Faulting Conditions

A memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit (32b mode).	A memory operand is not properly aligned.
DS segment is unusable (32b mode).	A page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.
A memory address is in a non-canonical form (64b mode).	

Concurrency Restrictions

Table 38-80. Base Concurrency Restrictions of ESETCONTEXT

Leaf	Parameter	Base Concurrency Restrictions		
		Access	On Conflict	SGX_CONFLICT VM Exit Qualification
ESETCONTEXT	SECS [DS:RCX]	Shared	SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT	

Table 38-81. Additional Concurrency Restrictions of ESETCONTEXT

Leaf	Parameter	Additional Concurrency Restrictions					
		vs. EACCEPT, EACCEPTCOPY, EMODPE, EMODPR, EMODT		vs. EADD, EEXTEND, EINIT		vs. ETRACK, ETRACKC	
		Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict	Access	On Conflict
ESETCONTEXT	SECS [DS:RCX]	Concurrent		Concurrent		Concurrent	

Operation

Temp Variables in ESETCONTEXT Operational Flow

Name	Type	Size (bits)	Description
TMP_SECS	Physical Address	64	Physical address of the SECS of the page being modified.
TMP_CONTEXT	CONTEXT	64	Data Value of CONTEXT.

ESETCONTEXT Return Value in RAX

Error	Value	Description
No Error	0	ESETCONTEXT Successful.
SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT		Failure due to concurrent operation of another SGX instruction.

(* check alignment of the EPCPAGE (RCX) *)

```
IF (DS:RCX is not 4KByte Aligned) THEN
    #GP(0); FI;
```

(* check that EPCPAGE (DS:RCX) is the address of an EPC page *)

```
IF (DS:RCX does not resolve within an EPC) THEN
    #PF(DS:RCX, PFEC.SGX); FI;
```

(* check alignment of the CONTEXT field (RDX) *)

```
IF (DS:RDX is not 8Byte Aligned) THEN
    #GP(0); FI;
```

(* Load CONTEXT into local variable *)

```
TMP_CONTEXT := DS:RDX
```

(* Check the EPC page for concurrency *)

```
IF (EPC page is being modified) THEN
    RFLAGS.ZF := 1;
    RFLAGS.CF := 0;
    RAX := SGX_EPC_PAGE_CONFLICT;
    goto DONE;
FI;
```

(* check page validity *)

```
IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).VALID = 0) THEN
    #PF(DS:RCX, PFEC.SGX);
FI;
```

(* check EPC page is an SECS page *)

```
IF (EPCM(DS:RCX).PT is not PT_SECS) THEN
  #PF(DS:RCX, PFEC.SGX);
FI;
```

```
(* load the context value into SECS(DS:RCX).ENCLAVECONTEXT *)
SECS(DS:RCX).ENCLAVECONTEXT := TMP_CONTEXT;
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```
RAX := 0;
RFLAGS.ZF := 0;
```

```
DONE:
(* clear flags *)
RFLAGS.CF,PF,AF,OF,SF := 0;
```

Flags Affected

ZF is set if ESETCONTEXT fails due to concurrent operation with another SGX instruction; otherwise cleared. CF, PF, AF, OF, and SF are cleared.

Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand effective address is outside the DS segment limit. If DS segment is unusable. If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

64-Bit Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory address is in a non-canonical form. If a memory operand is not properly aligned.
#PF(error code)	If a page fault occurs in accessing memory operands.

18. Updates to Appendix B, Volume 3D

Change bars and violet text show changes to Appendix B of the *Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3D: System Programming Guide, Part 4*.

Changes to this chapter:

- Updates throughout the appendix for the virtualization of the IA32_SPEC_CTRL MSR.

APPENDIX B FIELD ENCODING IN VMCS

Every component of the VMCS is encoded by a 32-bit field that can be used by VMREAD and VMWRITE. Section 25.11.2 describes the structure of the encoding space (the meanings of the bits in each 32-bit encoding).

This appendix enumerates all fields in the VMCS and their encodings. Fields are grouped by width (16-bit, 32-bit, etc.) and type (guest-state, host-state, etc.).

B.1 16-BIT FIELDS

A value of 0 in bits 14:13 of an encoding indicates a 16-bit field. Only guest-state areas and the host-state area contain 16-bit fields. As noted in Section 25.11.2, each 16-bit field allows only full access, meaning that bit 0 of its encoding is 0. Each such encoding is thus an even number.

B.1.1 16-Bit Control Fields

A value of 0 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a control field. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-1 enumerates the 16-bit control fields.

Table B-1. Encoding for 16-Bit Control Fields (0000_00xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Virtual-processor identifier (VPID) ¹	00000000B	00000000H
Posted-interrupt notification vector ²	00000001B	00000002H
EPTP index ³	00000010B	00000004H
HLAT prefix size ⁴	00000011B	00000006H
Last PID-pointer index ⁵	00000100B	00000008H

NOTES:

1. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable VPID” VM-execution control.
2. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “process posted interrupts” VM-execution control.
3. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control.
4. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable HLAT” VM-execution control.
5. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “IPI virtualization” VM-execution control.

B.1.2 16-Bit Guest-State Fields

A value of 2 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a field in the guest-state area. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-2 enumerates 16-bit guest-state fields.

Table B-2. Encodings for 16-Bit Guest-State Fields (0000_10xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Guest ES selector	00000000B	0000800H
Guest CS selector	00000001B	0000802H
Guest SS selector	00000010B	0000804H
Guest DS selector	00000011B	0000806H
Guest FS selector	00000100B	0000808H

Table B-2. Encodings for 16-Bit Guest-State Fields (0000_10xx_xxxx_xxx0B) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Guest GS selector	000000101B	0000080AH
Guest LDTR selector	000000110B	0000080CH
Guest TR selector	000000111B	0000080EH
Guest interrupt status ¹	000001000B	00000810H
PML index ²	000001001B	00000812H
Guest UINV ³	000001010B	00000814H

NOTES:

1. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “virtual-interrupt delivery” VM-execution control.
2. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable PML” VM-execution control.
3. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of either the “clear UINV” VM-exit control or the “load UINV” VM-entry control.

B.1.3 16-Bit Host-State Fields

A value of 3 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a field in the host-state area. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-3 enumerates the 16-bit host-state fields.

Table B-3. Encodings for 16-Bit Host-State Fields (0000_11xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Host ES selector	000000000B	00000C00H
Host CS selector	000000001B	00000C02H
Host SS selector	000000010B	00000C04H
Host DS selector	000000011B	00000C06H
Host FS selector	000000100B	00000C08H
Host GS selector	000000101B	00000C0AH
Host TR selector	000000110B	00000C0CH

B.2 64-BIT FIELDS

A value of 1 in bits 14:13 of an encoding indicates a 64-bit field. There are 64-bit fields only for controls and for guest state. As noted in Section 25.11.2, every 64-bit field has two encodings, which differ on bit 0, the access type. Thus, each such field has an even encoding for full access and an odd encoding for high access.

B.2.1 64-Bit Control Fields

A value of 0 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a control field. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-4 enumerates the 64-bit control fields.

Table B-4. Encodings for 64-Bit Control Fields (0010_00xx_xxxx_xxxAb)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Address of I/O bitmap A (full)	000000000B	00002000H
Address of I/O bitmap A (high)		00002001H
Address of I/O bitmap B (full)	000000001B	00002002H
Address of I/O bitmap B (high)		00002003H

Table B-4. Encodings for 64-Bit Control Fields (0010_00xx_xxxx_xxxAb) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Address of MSR bitmaps (full) ¹	000000010B	00002004H
Address of MSR bitmaps (high) ¹		00002005H
VM-exit MSR-store address (full)	000000011B	00002006H
VM-exit MSR-store address (high)		00002007H
VM-exit MSR-load address (full)	000000100B	00002008H
VM-exit MSR-load address (high)		00002009H
VM-entry MSR-load address (full)	000000101B	0000200AH
VM-entry MSR-load address (high)		0000200BH
Executive-VMCS pointer (full)	000000110B	0000200CH
Executive-VMCS pointer (high)		0000200DH
PML address (full) ²	000000111B	0000200EH
PML address (high) ²		0000200FH
TSC offset (full)	000001000B	00002010H
TSC offset (high)		00002011H
Virtual-APIC address (full) ³	000001001B	00002012H
Virtual-APIC address (high) ³		00002013H
APIC-access address (full) ⁴	000001010B	00002014H
APIC-access address (high) ⁴		00002015H
Posted-interrupt descriptor address (full) ⁵	000001011B	00002016H
Posted-interrupt descriptor address (high) ⁵		00002017H
VM-function controls (full) ⁶	000001100B	00002018H
VM-function controls (high) ⁶		00002019H
EPT pointer (EPTP; full) ⁷	000001101B	0000201AH
EPT pointer (EPTP; high) ⁷		0000201BH
EOI-exit bitmap 0 (EOI_EXIT0; full) ⁸	000001110B	0000201CH
EOI-exit bitmap 0 (EOI_EXIT0; high) ⁸		0000201DH
EOI-exit bitmap 1 (EOI_EXIT1; full) ⁸	000001111B	0000201EH
EOI-exit bitmap 1 (EOI_EXIT1; high) ⁸		0000201FH
EOI-exit bitmap 2 (EOI_EXIT2; full) ⁸	000010000B	00002020H
EOI-exit bitmap 2 (EOI_EXIT2; high) ⁸		00002021H
EOI-exit bitmap 3 (EOI_EXIT3; full) ⁸	000010001B	00002022H
EOI-exit bitmap 3 (EOI_EXIT3; high) ⁸		00002023H
EPTP-list address (full) ⁹	000010010B	00002024H
EPTP-list address (high) ⁹		00002025H
VMREAD-bitmap address (full) ¹⁰	000010011B	00002026H
VMREAD-bitmap address (high) ¹⁰		00002027H
VMWRITE-bitmap address (full) ¹⁰	000010100B	00002028H
VMWRITE-bitmap address (high) ¹⁰		00002029H

Table B-4. Encodings for 64-Bit Control Fields (0010_00xx_xxxx_xxxAb) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Virtualization-exception information address (full) ¹¹	000010101B	0000202AH
Virtualization-exception information address (high) ¹¹		0000202BH
XSS-exiting bitmap (full) ¹²	000010110B	0000202CH
XSS-exiting bitmap (high) ¹²		0000202DH
ENCLS-exiting bitmap (full) ¹³	000010111B	0000202EH
ENCLS-exiting bitmap (high) ¹³		0000202FH
Sub-page-permission-table pointer (full) ¹⁴	000011000B	00002030H
Sub-page-permission-table pointer (high) ¹⁴		00002031H
TSC multiplier (full) ¹⁵	000011001B	00002032H
TSC multiplier (high) ¹⁵		00002033H
Tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls (full) ¹⁶	000011010B	00002034H
Tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls (high) ¹⁶		00002035H
ENCLV-exiting bitmap (full) ¹⁷	000011011B	00002036H
ENCLV-exiting bitmap (high) ¹⁷		00002037H
Low PASID directory address (full) ¹⁸	000011100B	00002038H
Low PASID directory address (high) ¹⁸		00002039H
High PASID directory address (full) ¹⁸	000011101B	0000203AH
High PASID directory address (high) ¹⁸		0000203BH
Shared EPT pointer (full) ¹⁹	000011110B	0000203CH
Shared EPT pointer (high) ¹⁹		0000203DH
PCONFIG-exiting bitmap (full) ²⁰	000011111B	0000203EH
PCONFIG-exiting bitmap (high) ²⁰		0000203FH
Hypervisor-managed linear-address translation pointer (HLATP; full) ²¹	000100000B	00002040H
HLATP (high) ²¹		00002041H
PID-pointer table address (full) ²²	000100001B	00002042H
PID-pointer table address (high) ²²		00002043H
Secondary VM-exit controls (full) ²³	000100010B	00002044H
Secondary VM-exit controls (high) ²³		00002045H
IA32_SPEC_CTRL mask (full) ²⁴	000100101B	0000204AH
IA32_SPEC_CTRL mask (high) ²⁴		0000204BH
IA32_SPEC_CTRL shadow (full) ²⁴	000100110B	0000204CH
IA32_SPEC_CTRL shadow (high) ²⁴		0000204DH

NOTES:

1. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “use MSR bitmaps” VM-execution control.
2. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable PML” VM-execution control.
3. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “use TPR shadow” VM-execution control.
4. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “virtualize APIC accesses” VM-execution control.
5. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “process posted interrupts” VM-execution control.
6. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable VM functions” VM-execution control.
7. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable EPT” VM-execution control.

8. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “virtual-interrupt delivery” VM-execution control.
9. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “EPTP switching” VM-function control.
10. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “VMCS shadowing” VM-execution control.
11. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “EPT-violation #VE” VM-execution control.
12. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable XSAVES/XRSTORS” VM-execution control.
13. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable ENCLS exiting” VM-execution control.
14. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “sub-page write permissions for EPT” VM-execution control.
15. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “use TSC scaling” VM-execution control.
16. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “activate tertiary controls” VM-execution control.
17. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable ENCLV exiting” VM-execution control.
18. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “PASID translation” VM-execution control.
19. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “shared-EPTP” VM-execution control.
20. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable PCONFIG” VM-execution control.
21. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable HLAT” VM-execution control.
22. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “IPI virtualization” VM-execution control.
23. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “activate secondary controls” VM-execution control.
24. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “virtualize IA32_SPEC_CTRL” VM-execution control.

B.2.2 64-Bit Read-Only Data Field

A value of 1 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a read-only data field. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. There is only one such 64-bit field as given in Table B-5. (As with other 64-bit fields, this one has two encodings.)

Table B-5. Encodings for 64-Bit Read-Only Data Field (0010_01xx_xxxx_xxxAb)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Guest-physical address (full) ¹	000000000B	00002400H
Guest-physical address (high) ¹		00002401H

NOTES:

1. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “enable EPT” VM-execution control.

B.2.3 64-Bit Guest-State Fields

A value of 2 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a field in the guest-state area. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-6 enumerates the 64-bit guest-state fields.

Table B-6. Encodings for 64-Bit Guest-State Fields (0010_10xx_xxxx_xxxAb)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
VMCS link pointer (full)	000000000B	00002800H
VMCS link pointer (high)		00002801H
Guest IA32_DEBUGCTL (full)	000000001B	00002802H
Guest IA32_DEBUGCTL (high)		00002803H
Guest IA32_PAT (full) ¹	000000010B	00002804H
Guest IA32_PAT (high) ¹		00002805H
Guest IA32_EFER (full) ²	000000011B	00002806H
Guest IA32_EFER (high) ²		00002807H

Table B-6. Encodings for 64-Bit Guest-State Fields (0010_10xx_xxxx_xxxAb) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Guest IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL (full) ³	000000100B	00002808H
Guest IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL (high) ³		00002809H
Guest PDPTE0 (full) ⁴	000000101B	0000280AH
Guest PDPTE0 (high) ⁴		0000280BH
Guest PDPTE1 (full) ⁴	000000110B	0000280CH
Guest PDPTE1 (high) ⁴		0000280DH
Guest PDPTE2 (full) ⁴	000000111B	0000280EH
Guest PDPTE2 (high) ⁴		0000280FH
Guest PDPTE3 (full) ⁴	000001000B	00002810H
Guest PDPTE3 (high) ⁴		00002811H
Guest IA32_BNDCFGS (full) ⁵	000001001B	00002812H
Guest IA32_BNDCFGS (high) ⁵		00002813H
Guest IA32_RTIT_CTL (full) ⁶	000001010B	00002814H
Guest IA32_RTIT_CTL (high) ⁶		00002815H
Guest IA32_LBR_CTL (full) ⁷	000001011B	00002816H
Guest IA32_LBR_CTL (high) ⁷		00002817H
Guest IA32_PKRS (full) ⁸	000001100B	00002818H
Guest IA32_PKRS (high) ⁸		00002819H

NOTES:

1. This field exists only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the "load IA32_PAT" VM-entry control or that of the "save IA32_PAT" VM-exit control.
2. This field exists only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the "load IA32_EFER" VM-entry control or that of the "save IA32_EFER" VM-exit control.
3. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "load IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL" VM-entry control.
4. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "enable EPT" VM-execution control.
5. This field exists only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the "load IA32_BNDCFGS" VM-entry control or that of the "clear IA32_BNDCFGS" VM-exit control.
6. This field exists only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the "load IA32_RTIT_CTL" VM-entry control or that of the "clear IA32_RTIT_CTL" VM-exit control.
7. This field exists only on processors that support either the 1-setting of the "load IA32_LBR_CTL" VM-entry control or that of the "clear IA32_LBR_CTL" VM-exit control.
8. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "load PKRS" VM-entry control.

B.2.4 64-Bit Host-State Fields

A value of 3 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a field in the host-state area. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-7 enumerates the 64-bit control fields.

Table B-7. Encodings for 64-Bit Host-State Fields (0010_11xx_xxxx_xxxAb)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Host IA32_PAT (full) ¹	000000000B	00002C00H
Host IA32_PAT (high) ¹		00002C01H

Table B-7. Encodings for 64-Bit Host-State Fields (0010_11xx_xxxx_xxxAb) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Host IA32_EFER (full) ²	000000001B	00002C02H
Host IA32_EFER (high) ²		00002C03H
Host IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL (full) ³	000000010B	00002C04H
Host IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL (high) ³		00002C05H
Host IA32_PKRS (full) ⁴	000000011B	00002C06H
Host IA32_PKRS (high) ⁴		00002C07H

NOTES:

1. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "load IA32_PAT" VM-exit control.
2. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "load IA32_EFER" VM-exit control.
3. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "load IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL" VM-exit control.
4. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the "load PKRS" VM-exit control.

B.3 32-BIT FIELDS

A value of 2 in bits 14:13 of an encoding indicates a 32-bit field. As noted in Section 25.11.2, each 32-bit field allows only full access, meaning that bit 0 of its encoding is 0. Each such encoding is thus an even number.

B.3.1 32-Bit Control Fields

A value of 0 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a control field. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-8 enumerates the 32-bit control fields.

Table B-8. Encodings for 32-Bit Control Fields (0100_00xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Pin-based VM-execution controls	000000000B	00004000H
Primary processor-based VM-execution controls	000000001B	00004002H
Exception bitmap	000000010B	00004004H
Page-fault error-code mask	000000011B	00004006H
Page-fault error-code match	000000100B	00004008H
CR3-target count	000000101B	0000400AH
Primary VM-exit controls	000000110B	0000400CH
VM-exit MSR-store count	000000111B	0000400EH
VM-exit MSR-load count	000001000B	00004010H
VM-entry controls	000001001B	00004012H
VM-entry MSR-load count	000001010B	00004014H
VM-entry interruption-information field	000001011B	00004016H
VM-entry exception error code	000001100B	00004018H
VM-entry instruction length	000001101B	0000401AH
TPR threshold ¹	000001110B	0000401CH
Secondary processor-based VM-execution controls ²	000001111B	0000401EH
PLE_Gap ³	000010000B	00004020H

Table B-8. Encodings for 32-Bit Control Fields (0100_00xx_xxxx_xxx0B) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
PLE_Window ³	000010001B	00004022H
Instruction-timeout control ⁴	000010010B	00004024H

NOTES:

1. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “use TPR shadow” VM-execution control.
2. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “activate secondary controls” VM-execution control.
3. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “PAUSE-loop exiting” VM-execution control.
4. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “instruction timeout” VM-execution control.

B.3.2 32-Bit Read-Only Data Fields

A value of 1 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a read-only data field. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-9 enumerates the 32-bit read-only data fields.

Table B-9. Encodings for 32-Bit Read-Only Data Fields (0100_01xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
VM-instruction error	00000000B	00004400H
Exit reason	00000001B	00004402H
VM-exit interruption information	00000010B	00004404H
VM-exit interruption error code	00000011B	00004406H
IDT-vectoring information field	00000100B	00004408H
IDT-vectoring error code	00000101B	0000440AH
VM-exit instruction length	00000110B	0000440CH
VM-exit instruction information	00000111B	0000440EH

B.3.3 32-Bit Guest-State Fields

A value of 2 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a field in the guest-state area. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-10 enumerates the 32-bit guest-state fields.

Table B-10. Encodings for 32-Bit Guest-State Fields (0100_10xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Guest ES limit	00000000B	00004800H
Guest CS limit	00000001B	00004802H
Guest SS limit	00000010B	00004804H
Guest DS limit	00000011B	00004806H
Guest FS limit	00000100B	00004808H
Guest GS limit	00000101B	0000480AH
Guest LDTR limit	00000110B	0000480CH
Guest TR limit	00000111B	0000480EH
Guest GDTR limit	00001000B	00004810H
Guest IDTR limit	00001001B	00004812H
Guest ES access rights	00001010B	00004814H

Table B-10. Encodings for 32-Bit Guest-State Fields (0100_10xx_xxxx_xxx0B) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Guest CS access rights	000001011B	00004816H
Guest SS access rights	000001100B	00004818H
Guest DS access rights	000001101B	0000481AH
Guest FS access rights	000001110B	0000481CH
Guest GS access rights	000001111B	0000481EH
Guest LDTR access rights	000010000B	00004820H
Guest TR access rights	000010001B	00004822H
Guest interruptibility state	000010010B	00004824H
Guest activity state	000010011B	00004826H
Guest SMBASE	000010100B	00004828H
Guest IA32_SYSENTER_CS	000010101B	0000482AH
VMX-preemption timer value ¹	000010111B	0000482EH

NOTES:

1. This field exists only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “activate VMX-preemption timer” VM-execution control.

The limit fields for GDTR and IDTR are defined to be 32 bits in width even though these fields are only 16-bits wide in the Intel 64 and IA-32 architectures. VM entry ensures that the high 16 bits of both these fields are cleared to 0.

B.3.4 32-Bit Host-State Field

A value of 3 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a field in the host-state area. There is only one such 32-bit field as given in Table B-11.

Table B-11. Encoding for 32-Bit Host-State Field (0100_11xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Host IA32_SYSENTER_CS	000000000B	00004C00H

B.4 NATURAL-WIDTH FIELDS

A value of 3 in bits 14:13 of an encoding indicates a natural-width field. As noted in Section 25.11.2, each of these fields allows only full access, meaning that bit 0 of its encoding is 0. Each such encoding is thus an even number.

B.4.1 Natural-Width Control Fields

A value of 0 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a control field. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-12 enumerates the natural-width control fields.

Table B-12. Encodings for Natural-Width Control Fields (0110_00xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
CR0 guest/host mask	000000000B	00006000H
CR4 guest/host mask	000000001B	00006002H
CR0 read shadow	000000010B	00006004H
CR4 read shadow	000000011B	00006006H

Table B-12. Encodings for Natural-Width Control Fields (0110_00xx_xxxx_xxx0B) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
CR3-target value 0	000000100B	00006008H
CR3-target value 1	000000101B	0000600AH
CR3-target value 2	000000110B	0000600CH
CR3-target value 3 ¹	000000111B	0000600EH

NOTES:

1. If a future implementation supports more than 4 CR3-target values, they will be encoded consecutively following the 4 encodings given here.

B.4.2 Natural-Width Read-Only Data Fields

A value of 1 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a read-only data field. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-13 enumerates the natural-width read-only data fields.

Table B-13. Encodings for Natural-Width Read-Only Data Fields (0110_01xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Exit qualification	000000000B	00006400H
I/O RCX	000000001B	00006402H
I/O RSI	000000010B	00006404H
I/O RDI	000000011B	00006406H
I/O RIP	000000100B	00006408H
Guest-linear address	000000101B	0000640AH

B.4.3 Natural-Width Guest-State Fields

A value of 2 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a field in the guest-state area. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-14 enumerates the natural-width guest-state fields.

Table B-14. Encodings for Natural-Width Guest-State Fields (0110_10xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Guest CR0	000000000B	00006800H
Guest CR3	000000001B	00006802H
Guest CR4	000000010B	00006804H
Guest ES base	000000011B	00006806H
Guest CS base	000000100B	00006808H
Guest SS base	000000101B	0000680AH
Guest DS base	000000110B	0000680CH
Guest FS base	000000111B	0000680EH
Guest GS base	000001000B	00006810H
Guest LDTR base	000001001B	00006812H
Guest TR base	000001010B	00006814H
Guest GDTR base	000001011B	00006816H

Table B-14. Encodings for Natural-Width Guest-State Fields (0110_10xx_xxxx_xxx0B) (Contd.)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Guest IDTR base	000001100B	00006818H
Guest DR7	000001101B	0000681AH
Guest RSP	000001110B	0000681CH
Guest RIP	000001111B	0000681EH
Guest RFLAGS	000010000B	00006820H
Guest pending debug exceptions	000010001B	00006822H
Guest IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	000010010B	00006824H
Guest IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	000010011B	00006826H
Guest IA32_S_CET ¹	000010100B	00006828H
Guest SSP ¹	000010101B	0000682AH
Guest IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR ¹	000010110B	0000682CH

NOTES:

1. This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load CET state” VM-entry control.

The base-address fields for ES, CS, SS, and DS in the guest-state area are defined to be natural-width (with 64 bits on processors supporting Intel 64 architecture) even though these fields are only 32-bits wide in the Intel 64 architecture. VM entry ensures that the high 32 bits of these fields are cleared to 0.

B.4.4 Natural-Width Host-State Fields

A value of 3 in bits 11:10 of an encoding indicates a field in the host-state area. These fields are distinguished by their index value in bits 9:1. Table B-15 enumerates the natural-width host-state fields.

Table B-15. Encodings for Natural-Width Host-State Fields (0110_11xx_xxxx_xxx0B)

Field Name	Index	Encoding
Host CR0	000000000B	00006C00H
Host CR3	000000001B	00006C02H
Host CR4	000000010B	00006C04H
Host FS base	000000011B	00006C06H
Host GS base	000000100B	00006C08H
Host TR base	000000101B	00006C0AH
Host GDTR base	000000110B	00006C0CH
Host IDTR base	000000111B	00006C0EH
Host IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	000001000B	00006C10H
Host IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	000001001B	00006C12H
Host RSP	000001010B	00006C14H
Host RIP	000001011B	00006C16H
Host IA32_S_CET ¹	000001100B	00006C18H
Host SSP ¹	000001101B	00006C1AH
Host IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR ¹	000001110B	00006C1CH

NOTES:

1. This field is supported only on processors that support the 1-setting of the “load CET state” VM-exit control.

19. Updates to Chapter 2, Volume 4

Change bars and violet text show changes to Chapter 2 of the *Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 4: Model-Specific Registers*.

Changes to this chapter:

- Updated Table 2-1, "CPUID Signature Values of DisplayFamily_DisplayModel," to remove an incorrect value.
- Updated the "MKTME" name to its updated name of "TME-MK" throughout chapter.

CHAPTER 2 MODEL-SPECIFIC REGISTERS (MSRS)

This chapter lists MSRs across Intel processor families. All MSRs listed can be read with the RDMSR and written with the WRMSR instructions. The scope of an MSR defines the set of processors that access the same MSR with RDMSR and WRMSR. Thread-scope MSRs are unique to every logical processor. Core-scope MSRs are shared by the threads in the same core; similarly for module-scope, die-scope, and package-scope.

When a processor package contains a single die, die-scope and package-scope are synonymous. When a package contains multiple die, they are distinct.

NOTE

For information on hierarchical level types supported, refer to the CPUID Leaf 1FH definition for the actual level type numbers: "V2 Extended Topology Enumeration Leaf" in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2A. Also see Section 9.9.1, "Hierarchical Mapping of Shared Resources," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3A.

Register addresses are given in both hexadecimal and decimal. The register name is the mnemonic register name and the bit description describes individual bits in registers.

Model specific registers and its bit-fields may be supported for a finite range of processor families/models. To distinguish between different processor family and/or models, software must use CPUID.01H leaf function to query the combination of DisplayFamily and DisplayModel to determine model-specific availability of MSRs (see CPUID instruction in Chapter 3, "Instruction Set Reference, A-L," in the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2A). Table 2-1 lists the signature values of DisplayFamily and DisplayModel for various processor families or processor number series.

Table 2-1. CPUID Signature Values of DisplayFamily_DisplayModel

DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Processor Families/Processor Number Series
06_85H	Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 7215, 7285, 7295 Series based on Knights Mill microarchitecture
06_57H	Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 3200, 5200, 7200 Series based on Knights Landing microarchitecture
06_8FH	4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture
06_BAH, 06_B7H, 06_BFH	13th generation Intel® Core™ processors supporting Raptor Lake performance hybrid architecture
06_97H, 06_9AH	12th generation Intel® Core™ processors supporting Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture
06_8CH, 06_8DH	11th generation Intel® Core™ processors based on Tiger Lake microarchitecture
06_A7H	11th generation Intel® Core™ processors based on Rocket Lake microarchitecture
06_7DH, 06_7EH	10th generation Intel® Core™ processors based on Ice Lake microarchitecture
06_A5H, 06_A6H	10th generation Intel® Core™ processors based on Comet Lake microarchitecture
06_66H	Intel® Core™ processors based on Cannon Lake microarchitecture
06_8EH, 06_9EH	7th generation Intel® Core™ processors based on Kaby Lake microarchitecture, 8th and 9th generation Intel® Core™ processors based on Coffee Lake microarchitecture, Intel® Xeon® E processors based on Coffee Lake microarchitecture
06_6AH, 06_6CH	3rd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture
06_55H	Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Skylake microarchitecture, 2nd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Cascade Lake product, and 3rd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Cooper Lake product
06_4EH, 06_5EH	6th generation Intel Core processors and Intel Xeon processor E3-1500m v5 product family and E3-1200 v5 product family based on Skylake microarchitecture

Table 2-1. CPUID Signature Values of DisplayFamily_DisplayModel (Contd.)

DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Processor Families/Processor Number Series
06_56H	Intel Xeon processor D-1500 product family based on Broadwell microarchitecture
06_4FH	Intel Xeon processor E5 v4 Family based on Broadwell microarchitecture, Intel Xeon processor E7 v4 Family, Intel Core i7-69xx Processor Extreme Edition
06_47H	5th generation Intel Core processors, Intel Xeon processor E3-1200 v4 product family based on Broadwell microarchitecture
06_3DH	Intel Core M-5xxx Processor, 5th generation Intel Core processors based on Broadwell microarchitecture
06_3FH	Intel Xeon processor E5-4600/2600/1600 v3 product families, Intel Xeon processor E7 v3 product families based on Haswell-E microarchitecture, Intel Core i7-59xx Processor Extreme Edition
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	4th Generation Intel Core processor and Intel Xeon processor E3-1200 v3 product family based on Haswell microarchitecture
06_3EH	Intel Xeon processor E7-8800/4800/2800 v2 product families based on Ivy Bridge-E microarchitecture
06_3EH	Intel Xeon processor E5-2600/1600 v2 product families and Intel Xeon processor E5-2400 v2 product family based on Ivy Bridge-E microarchitecture, Intel Core i7-49xx Processor Extreme Edition
06_3AH	3rd Generation Intel Core Processor and Intel Xeon processor E3-1200 v2 product family based on Ivy Bridge microarchitecture
06_2DH	Intel Xeon processor E5 Family based on Sandy Bridge microarchitecture, Intel Core i7-39xx Processor Extreme Edition
06_2FH	Intel Xeon Processor E7 Family
06_2AH	Intel Xeon processor E3-1200 product family; 2nd Generation Intel Core i7, i5, i3 Processors 2xxx Series
06_2EH	Intel Xeon processor 7500, 6500 series
06_25H, 06_2CH	Intel Xeon processors 3600, 5600 series, Intel Core i7, i5, and i3 Processors
06_1EH, 06_1FH	Intel Core i7 and i5 Processors
06_1AH	Intel Core i7 Processor, Intel Xeon processor 3400, 3500, 5500 series
06_1DH	Intel Xeon processor MP 7400 series
06_17H	Intel Xeon processor 3100, 3300, 5200, 5400 series, Intel Core 2 Quad processors 8000, 9000 series
06_0FH	Intel Xeon processor 3000, 3200, 5100, 5300, 7300 series, Intel Core 2 Quad processor 6000 series, Intel Core 2 Extreme 6000 series, Intel Core 2 Duo 4000, 5000, 6000, 7000 series processors, Intel Pentium dual-core processors
06_0EH	Intel Core Duo, Intel Core Solo processors
06_0DH	Intel Pentium M processor
06_86H, 06_96H, 06_9CH	Intel Atom® processors, Intel® Celeron® processors, Intel® Pentium® processors, and Intel® Pentium® Silver processors based on Tremont Microarchitecture
06_7AH	Intel Atom processors based on Goldmont Plus microarchitecture
06_5FH	Intel Atom processors based on Goldmont microarchitecture (Denverton)
06_5CH	Intel Atom processors based on Goldmont microarchitecture
06_4CH	Intel Atom processor X7-Z8000 and X5-Z8000 series based on Airmont microarchitecture
06_5DH	Intel Atom processor X3-C3000 based on Silvermont microarchitecture
06_5AH	Intel Atom processor Z3500 series
06_4AH	Intel Atom processor Z3400 series
06_37H	Intel Atom processor E3000 series, Z3600 series, Z3700 series
06_4DH	Intel Atom processor C2000 series

Table 2-1. CPUID Signature Values of DisplayFamily_DisplayModel (Contd.)

DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Processor Families/Processor Number Series
06_36H	Intel Atom processor S1000 Series
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	Intel Atom processor family, Intel Atom processor D2000, N2000, E2000, Z2000, C1000 series
0F_06H	Intel Xeon processor 7100, 5000 Series, Intel Xeon Processor MP, Intel Pentium 4, Pentium D processors
0F_03H, 0F_04H	Intel Xeon processor, Intel Xeon processor MP, Intel Pentium 4, Pentium D processors
06_09H	Intel Pentium M processor
0F_02H	Intel Xeon Processor, Intel Xeon processor MP, Intel Pentium 4 processors
0F_0H, 0F_01H	Intel Xeon Processor, Intel Xeon processor MP, Intel Pentium 4 processors
06_7H, 06_08H, 06_0AH, 06_0BH	Intel Pentium III Xeon processor, Intel Pentium III processor
06_03H, 06_05H	Intel Pentium II Xeon processor, Intel Pentium II processor
06_01H	Intel Pentium Pro processor
05_01H, 05_02H, 05_04H	Intel Pentium processor, Intel Pentium processor with MMX Technology

The Intel® Quark™ SoC X1000 processor can be identified by the signature of DisplayFamily_DisplayModel = 05_09H and SteppingID = 0

2.1 ARCHITECTURAL MSRS

Many MSRs have carried over from one generation of IA-32 processors to the next and to Intel 64 processors. A subset of MSRs and associated bit fields, which do not change on future processor generations, are now considered architectural MSRs. For historical reasons (beginning with the Pentium 4 processor), these “architectural MSRs” were given the prefix “IA32_”. Table 2-2 lists the architectural MSRs, their addresses, their current names, their names in previous IA-32 processors, and bit fields that are considered architectural. MSR addresses outside Table 2-2 and certain bit fields in an MSR address that may overlap with architectural MSR addresses are model-specific. Code that accesses a model-specific MSR and that is executed on a processor that does not support that MSR will generate an exception.

Architectural MSR or individual bit fields in an architectural MSR may be introduced or transitioned at the granularity of certain processor family/model or the presence of certain CPUID feature flags. The right-most column of Table 2-2 provides information on the introduction of each architectural MSR or its individual fields. This information is expressed either as signature values of “DF_DM” (see Table 2-1) or via CPUID flags.

Certain bit field position may be related to the maximum physical address width, the value of which is expressed as “MAXPHYADDR” in Table 2-2. “MAXPHYADDR” is reported by CPUID.8000_0008H leaf.

MSR address range between 40000000H - 4000FFFFH is marked as a specially reserved range. All existing and future processors will not implement any features using any MSR in this range.

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
0H	0	IA32_P5_MC_ADDR (P5_MC_ADDR)	See Section 2.23, “MSRs in Pentium Processors.”	Pentium Processor (05_01H)
1H	1	IA32_P5_MC_TYPE (P5_MC_TYPE)	See Section 2.23, “MSRs in Pentium Processors.”	DF_DM = 05_01H
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_SIZE	See Section 9.10.5, “Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination.”	0F_03H

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment	
Hex	Decimal				
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER (TSC)	See Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter."	05_01H	
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID (MSR_PLATFORM_ID)	Platform ID (R/O) The operating system can use this MSR to determine "slot" information for the processor and the proper microcode update to load.	06_01H	
		49:0	Reserved		
		52:50	Platform Id (R/O) Contains information concerning the intended platform for the processor. 52 51 50 0 0 0 Processor Flag 0 0 0 1 Processor Flag 1 0 1 0 Processor Flag 2 0 1 1 Processor Flag 3 1 0 0 Processor Flag 4 1 0 1 Processor Flag 5 1 1 0 Processor Flag 6 1 1 1 Processor Flag 7		
		63:53	Reserved		
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE (APIC_BASE)	This register holds the APIC base address, permitting the relocation of the APIC memory map. See Section 11.4.4, "Local APIC Status and Location," and Section 11.4.5, "Relocating the Local APIC Registers."	06_01H	
		7:0	Reserved		
		8	BSP flag (R/W)		
		9	Reserved		
		10	Enable x2APIC mode.		06_1AH
		11	APIC Global Enable (R/W)		
		(MAXPHYADDR - 1):12	APIC Base (R/W)		
63: MAXPHYADDR	Reserved				
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Control Features in Intel 64 Processor (R/W)	If any one enumeration condition for defined bit field holds.	

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		0	Lock bit (R/WO): (1 = locked). When set, locks this MSR from being written; writes to this bit will result in GP(0). Note: Once the Lock bit is set, the contents of this register cannot be modified. Therefore the lock bit must be set after configuring support for Intel Virtualization Technology and prior to transferring control to an option ROM or the OS. Hence, once the Lock bit is set, the entire IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL contents are preserved across RESET when PWRGOOD is not deasserted.	If any one enumeration condition for defined bit field position greater than bit 0 holds.
		1	Enable VMX inside SMX operation (R/WL) This bit enables a system executive to use VMX in conjunction with SMX to support Intel® Trusted Execution Technology. BIOS must set this bit only when the CPUID function 1 returns VMX feature flag and SMX feature flag set (ECX bits 5 and 6 respectively).	If CPUID.01H:ECX[5] = 1 && CPUID.01H:ECX[6] = 1
		2	Enable VMX outside SMX operation (R/WL) This bit enables VMX for a system executive that does not require SMX. BIOS must set this bit only when the CPUID function 1 returns the VMX feature flag set (ECX bit 5).	If CPUID.01H:ECX[5] = 1
		7:3	Reserved	
		14:8	SENTER Local Function Enables (R/WL) When set, each bit in the field represents an enable control for a corresponding SENTER function. This field is supported only if CPUID.1:ECX.[bit 6] is set.	If CPUID.01H:ECX[6] = 1
		15	SENTER Global Enable (R/WL) This bit must be set to enable SENTER leaf functions. This bit is supported only if CPUID.1:ECX.[bit 6] is set.	If CPUID.01H:ECX[6] = 1
		16	Reserved	
		17	SGX Launch Control Enable (R/WL) This bit must be set to enable runtime re-configuration of SGX Launch Control via the IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASHn MSR.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H): ECX[30] = 1
		18	SGX Global Enable (R/WL) This bit must be set to enable SGX leaf functions.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H): EBX[2] = 1
		19	Reserved	

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		20	LMCE On (R/W) When set, system software can program the MSRs associated with LMCE to configure delivery of some machine check exceptions to a single logical processor.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[27] = 1
		63:21	Reserved	
3BH	59	IA32_TSC_ADJUST	Per Logical Processor TSC Adjust (R/Write to clear)	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H): EBX[1] = 1
		63:0	THREAD_ADJUST Local offset value of the IA32_TSC for a logical processor. Reset value is zero. A write to IA32_TSC will modify the local offset in IA32_TSC_ADJUST and the content of IA32_TSC, but does not affect the internal invariant TSC hardware.	
48H	72	IA32_SPEC_CTRL	Speculation Control (R/W) The MSR bits are defined as logical processor scope. On some core implementations, the bits may impact sibling logical processors on the same core. This MSR has a value of 0 after reset and is unaffected by INIT# or SIPI#.	If any one of the enumeration conditions for defined bit field positions holds.
		0	Indirect Branch Restricted Speculation (IBRS). Restricts speculation of indirect branch.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[26]=1
		1	Single Thread Indirect Branch Predictors (STIBP). Prevents indirect branch predictions on all logical processors on the core from being controlled by any sibling logical processor in the same core.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[27]=1
		2	Speculative Store Bypass Disable (SSBD) delays speculative execution of a load until the addresses for all older stores are known.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[31]=1
		3	IPRED_DIS_U If 1, enables IPRED_DIS control for CPL3.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=2):EDX[1]=1
		4	IPRED_DIS_S If 1, enables IPRED_DIS control for CPL0/1/2.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=2):EDX[1]=1
		5	RRSBA_DIS_U If 1, disables RRSBA behavior for CPL3.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=2):EDX[2]=1
		6	RRSBA_DIS_S If 1, disables RRSBA behavior for CPL0/1/2.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=2):EDX[2]=1

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		7	PSFD If 1, disables Fast Store Forwarding Predictor. Note that setting bit 2 (SSBD) also disables this.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=2):EDX[0]=1
		8	DDPD_U If 1, disables the Data Dependent Prefetcher that examines data values in memory while CPL = 3. Note that setting bit 2 (SSBD) also disables this.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=2):EDX[3]=1
		9	Reserved	
		10	BHI_DIS_S When '1, enables BHI_DIS_S behavior.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=2):EDX[4]=1
		63:11	Reserved	
49H	73	IA32_PRED_CMD	Prediction Command (WO) Gives software a way to issue commands that affect the state of predictors.	If any one of the enumeration conditions for defined bit field positions holds.
		0	Indirect Branch Prediction Barrier (IBPB)	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[26]=1
		63:1	Reserved	
4EH	78	IA32_PPIN_CTL	Protected Processor Inventory Number Enable Control (R/W)	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=01H):EBX[0]=1 ¹
		0	LockOut (R/W) If 0, indicates that further writes to IA32_PPIN_CTL is allowed. If 1, indicates that further writes to IA32_PPIN_CTL is disallowed. Writing 1 to this bit is only permitted if the Enable_PPIN bit is clear. The Privileged System Software Inventory Agent should read IA32_PPIN_CTL[bit 1] to determine if IA32_PPIN is accessible. The Privileged System Software Inventory Agent is not expected to write to this MSR.	
		1	Enable_PPIN (R/W) If 1, indicates that IA32_PPIN is accessible using RDMSR. If 0, indicates that IA32_PPIN is inaccessible using RDMSR. Any attempt to read IA32_PPIN will cause #GP.	
		63:2	Reserved	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
4FH	79	IA32_PPIN	Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O)	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=01H):EBX[0]=1 ¹
		63:0	Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O) A unique value within a given CPUID family/model/stepping signature that a privileged inventory initialization agent can access to identify each physical processor, when access to IA32_PPIN is enabled. Access to IA32_PPIN is permitted only if IA32_PPIN_CTL[bits 1:0] = '10b'.	
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG (BIOS_UPDT_TRIG)	BIOS Update Trigger (W) Executing a WRMSR instruction to this MSR causes a microcode update to be loaded into the processor. See Section 10.11.6, "Microcode Update Loader." A processor may prevent writing to this MSR when loading guest states on VM entries or saving guest states on VM exits.	06_01H
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID (BIOS_SIGN/BBL_CR_D3)	BIOS Update Signature (R/W) Returns the microcode update signature following the execution of CPUID.01H. A processor may prevent writing to this MSR when loading guest states on VM entries or saving guest states on VM exits.	06_01H
		31:0	Reserved	
		63:32	It is recommended that this field be pre-loaded with zero prior to executing CPUID. If the field remains zero following the execution of CPUID, this indicates that no microcode update is loaded. Any non-zero value is the microcode update signature.	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
8CH	140	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH0	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH[63:0] (R/W) Bits 63:0 of the SHA256 digest of the SIGSTRUCT.MODULUS for SGX Launch Enclave. On reset, the default value is the digest of Intel's signing key.	Read permitted If CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0H): EAX[0]=1 && CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX[30]=1. Write permitted if CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0H): EAX[0]=1 && IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL[17] = 1 && IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL[0] = 1.
8DH	141	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH1	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH[127:64] (R/W) Bits 127:64 of the SHA256 digest of the SIGSTRUCT.MODULUS for SGX Launch Enclave. On reset, the default value is the digest of Intel's signing key.	
8EH	142	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH2	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH[191:128] (R/W) Bits 191:128 of the SHA256 digest of the SIGSTRUCT.MODULUS for SGX Launch Enclave. On reset, the default value is the digest of Intel's signing key.	
8FH	143	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH3	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH[255:192] (R/W) Bits 255:192 of the SHA256 digest of the SIGSTRUCT.MODULUS for SGX Launch Enclave. On reset, the default value is the digest of Intel's signing key.	
9BH	155	IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL	SMM Monitor Configuration (R/W)	If CPUID.01H: ECX[5]=1 CPUID.01H: ECX[6] = 1
		0	Valid (R/W)	
		1	Reserved	
		2	Controls SMI unblocking by VMXOFF (see Section 32.14.4).	If IA32_VMX_MISC[28]
		11:3	Reserved	
		31:12	MSEG Base (R/W)	
		63:32	Reserved	
9EH	158	IA32_SMBASE	Base address of the logical processor's SMRAM image (R/O, SMM only).	If IA32_VMX_MISC[15]
BCH	188	IA32_MISC_PACKAGE_CTL	Power Filtering Control (R/W) This MSR has a value of 0 after reset and is unaffected by INIT# or SIPI#.	If IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES [10] = 1
		0	ENERGY_FILTERING_ENABLE (R/W) If set, RAPL MSRs report filtered processor power consumption data. This bit can be changed from 0 to 1, but cannot be changed from 1 to 0. After setting, all attempts to clear it are ignored until the next processor reset.	If IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES [11] = 1
		63:1	Reserved.	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
BDH	189	IA32_XAPIC_DISABLE_STATUS	xAPIC Disable Status (R/O)	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EDX[29]=1 and IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES [21] = 1
		0	LEGACY_XAPIC_DISABLED When set, indicates that the local APIC is in x2APIC mode (IA32_APIC_BASE.EXTD = 1) and that attempts to clear IA32_APIC_BASE.EXTD will fail (e.g., WRMSR will #GP).	
		63:1	Reserved	
C1H	193	IA32_PMC0 (PERFCTR0)	General Performance Counter 0 (R/w)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 0
C2H	194	IA32_PMC1 (PERFCTR1)	General Performance Counter 1 (R/w)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 1
C3H	195	IA32_PMC2	General Performance Counter 2 (R/w)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 2
C4H	196	IA32_PMC3	General Performance Counter 3 (R/w)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 3
C5H	197	IA32_PMC4	General Performance Counter 4 (R/w)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 4
C6H	198	IA32_PMC5	General Performance Counter 5 (R/w)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 5
C7H	199	IA32_PMC6	General Performance Counter 6 (R/w)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 6
C8H	200	IA32_PMC7	General Performance Counter 7 (R/w)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 7
		CFH	207	IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES
		63:0	Reserved.	No architecturally defined bits.
E1H	225	IA32_UMWAIT_CONTROL	UMWAIT Control (R/w)	
		0	C0.2 is not allowed by the OS. Value of "1" means all C0.2 requests revert to C0.1.	
		1	Reserved	
		31:2	Determines the maximum time in TSC-quanta that the processor can reside in either C0.1 or C0.2. A zero value indicates no maximum time. The maximum time value is a 32-bit value where the upper 30 bits come from this field and the lower two bits are zero.	
E7H	231	IA32_MPERF	TSC Frequency Clock Counter (R/Write to clear)	If CPUID.06H: ECX[0] = 1

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		63:0	CO_MCNT: CO TSC Frequency Clock Count Increments at fixed interval (relative to TSC freq.) when the logical processor is in CO. Cleared upon overflow / wrap-around of IA32_APERF.	
E8H	232	IA32_APERF	Actual Performance Clock Counter (R/Write to clear)	If CPUID.06H: ECX[0] = 1
		63:0	CO_ACNT: CO Actual Frequency Clock Count Accumulates core clock counts at the coordinated clock frequency, when the logical processor is in CO. Cleared upon overflow / wrap-around of IA32_MPERF.	
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP (MTRRcap)	MTRR Capability (R/O) See Section 12.11.2.1, "IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE MSR."	06_01H
		7:0	VCNT: The number of variable memory type ranges in the processor.	
		8	Fixed range MTRRs are supported when set.	
		9	Reserved	
		10	WC Supported when set.	
		11	SMRR Supported when set.	
		12	PRMRR supported when set.	
		63:13	Reserved	
10AH	266	IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES	Enumeration of Architectural Features (R/O)	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[29]=1
		0	RDCL_NO: The processor is not susceptible to Rogue Data Cache Load (RDCL).	
		1	IBRS_ALL: The processor supports enhanced IBRS.	
		2	RSBA: The processor supports RSB Alternate. Alternative branch predictors may be used by RET instructions when the RSB is empty. SW using retpoline may be affected by this behavior.	
		3	SKIP_L1DFL_VMENTRY: A value of 1 indicates the hypervisor need not flush the L1D on VM entry.	
		4	SSB_NO: Processor is not susceptible to Speculative Store Bypass.	
		5	MDS_NO: Processor is not susceptible to Microarchitectural Data Sampling (MDS).	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		6	IF_PSCCHANGE_MC_NO: The processor is not susceptible to a machine check error due to modifying the size of a code page without TLB invalidation.	
		7	TSX_CTRL: If 1, indicates presence of IA32_TSX_CTRL MSR.	
		8	TAA_NO: If 1, processor is not affected by TAA.	
		9	MCU_CONTROL: If 1, the processor supports the IA32_MCU_CONTROL MSR.	
		10	MISC_PACKAGE_CTL: The processor supports IA32_MISC_PACKAGE_CTL MSR.	
		11	ENERGY_FILTERING_CTL: The processor supports setting and reading the IA32_MISC_PACKAGE_CTL[0] (ENERGY_FILTERING_ENABLE) bit.	
		12	DOITM: If 1, the processor supports Data Operand Independent Timing Mode.	
		13	SBDR_SSDP_NO: The processor is not affected by either the Shared Buffers Data Read (SBDR) vulnerability or the Sideband Stale Data Propagator (SSDP).	
		14	FBSDP_NO: The processor is not affected by the Fill Buffer Stale Data Propagator (FBSDP).	
		15	PSDP_NO: The processor is not affected by vulnerabilities involving the Primary Stale Data Propagator (PSDP).	
		16	Reserved	
		17	FB_CLEAR: If 1, the processor supports overwrite of fill buffer values as part of MD_CLEAR operations with the VERW instruction.	
		18	FB_CLEAR_CTRL: If 1, the processor supports the IA32_MCU_OPT_CTRL MSR and allows software to set bit 3 of that MSR (FB_CLEAR_DIS).	
		19	RRSBA: A value of 1 indicates the processor may have the RRSBA alternate prediction behavior, if not disabled by RRSBA_DIS_U or RRSBA_DIS_S.	
		20	BHI_NO: A value of 1 indicates BHI_NO branch prediction behavior, regardless of the value of IA32_SPEC_CTRL[BHI_DIS_S] MSR bit.	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		21	XAPIC_DISABLE_STATUS: Enumerates that the IA32_XAPIC_DISABLE_STATUS MSR exists, and that bit 0 specifies whether the legacy xAPIC is disabled and APIC state is locked to x2APIC.	
		22	Reserved	
		23	OVERCLOCKING_STATUS: If set, the IA32_OVERCLOCKING_STATUS MSR exists.	
		24	PBRBSB_NO: If 1, the processor is not affected by issues related to Post-Barrier Return Stack Buffer Predictions.	
		63:25	Reserved	
10BH	267	IA32_FLUSH_CMD	Flush Command (wO) Gives software a way to invalidate structures with finer granularity than other architectural methods.	If any one of the enumeration conditions for defined bit field positions holds.
		0	L1D_FLUSH: Writeback and invalidate the L1 data cache.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[28]=1
		63:1	Reserved	
10FH	271	IA32_TSX_FORCE_ABORT	TSX Force Abort	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[13]=1
		0	RTM_FORCE_ABORT If 1, all RTM transactions abort with EAX code 0.	R/W, Default: 0 If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[11]=1, bit 0 is always 1 and writes to change it are ignored. If SDV_ENABLE_RTM is 1, bit 0 is always 0 and writes to change it are ignored.
		1	TSX_CPUID_CLEAR When set, CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[11]=0 and CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[4]=0.	R/W, Default: 0 Can be set only if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[11]=1 or if SDV_ENABLE_RTM is 1.
		2	SDV_ENABLE_RTM When set, CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[11]=0 and the processor may not force abort RTM. This unsupported mode should only be used for software development and not for production usage.	R/W, Default: 0 If 0, can be set only if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[11]=1.
		63:3	Reserved	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
122H	290	IA32_TSX_CTRL	IA32_TSX_CTRL	Thread scope. Not architecturally serializing. Available when CPUID.ARCH_CAP(EAX=7H, ECX = 0):EDX[29] = 1 and IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES.bit 7 = 1.
		0	RTM_DISABLE When set to 1, XBEGIN will always abort with EAX code 0.	
		1	TSX_CPUID_CLEAR When set to 1, CPUID.07H.EBX.RTM [bit 11] and CPUID.07H.EBX.HLE [bit 4] report 0. When set to 0 and the SKU supports TSX, these bits will return 1.	
		63:2	Reserved	
123H	291	IA32_MCU_OPT_CTRL	Microcode Update Option Control (R/W)	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[9]=1 or IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES [18] = 1 or IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES.FB_CLEAR_CTRL=1
		0	RNGDS_MITG_DIS (R/W) If 0 (default), SRBDS mitigation is enabled for RDRAND and RDSEED. If 1, SRBDS mitigation is disabled for RDRAND and RDSEED executed outside of Intel SGX enclaves.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[9]=1
		1	RTM_ALLOW If 0, XBEGIN will always abort with EAX code 0. If 1, XBEGIN behavior depends on the value of IA32_TSX_CTRL[RTM_DISABLE].	Read/Write Setting RTM_LOCKED prevents writes to this bit.
		2	RTM_LOCKED When 1, RTM_ALLOW is locked at zero, writes to RTM_ALLOW will be ignored.	Read-Only status bit
		3	FB_CLEAR_DIS If 1, prevents the VERW instruction from performing an FB_CLEAR action.	If IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES.FB_CLEAR_CTRL=1
		63:4	Reserved	
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	SYSENTER_CS_MSR (R/W)	06_01H
		15:0	CS Selector.	
		31:16	Not used.	Can be read and written.

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		63:32	Not used.	Writes ignored; reads return zero.
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	SYSENTER_ESP_MSR (R/W)	06_01H
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	SYSENTER_EIP_MSR (R/W)	06_01H
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP (MCG_CAP)	Global Machine Check Capability (R/O)	06_01H
		7:0	Count: Number of reporting banks.	
		8	MCG_CTL_P: IA32_MCG_CTL is present if this bit is set.	
		9	MCG_EXT_P: Extended machine check state registers are present if this bit is set.	
		10	MCP_CMCI_P: Support for corrected MC error event is present.	06_01H
		11	MCG_TES_P: Threshold-based error status register are present if this bit is set.	
		15:12	Reserved	
		23:16	MCG_EXT_CNT: Number of extended machine check state registers present.	
		24	MCG_SER_P: The processor supports software error recovery if this bit is set.	
		25	Reserved	
		26	MCG_ELOG_P: Indicates that the processor allows platform firmware to be invoked when an error is detected so that it may provide additional platform specific information in an ACPI format "Generic Error Data Entry" that augments the data included in machine check bank registers.	06_3EH
		27	MCG_LMCE_P: Indicates that the processor supports extended state in IA32_MCG_STATUS and associated MSR necessary to configure Local Machine Check Exception (LMCE).	06_3EH
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS (MCG_STATUS)	Global Machine Check Status (R/W0)	06_01H
		0	RIPV. Restart IP valid.	06_01H
		1	EIPV. Error IP valid.	06_01H
		2	MCIP. Machine check in progress.	06_01H
		3	LMCE_S	If IA32_MCG_CAP.LMCE_P[27] = 1
		63:4	Reserved	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
17BH	379	IA32_MCG_CTL (MCG_CTL)	Global Machine Check Control (R/W)	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CTL_P[8] = 1
180H-185H	384-389	Reserved		06_0EH ²
186H	390	IA32_PERFEVTSELO (PERFEVTSELO)	Performance Event Select Register 0 (R/W)	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > 0
		7:0	Event Select: Selects a performance event logic unit.	
		15:8	UMask: Qualifies the microarchitectural condition to detect on the selected event logic.	
		16	USR: Counts while in privilege level is not ring 0.	
		17	OS: Counts while in privilege level is ring 0.	
		18	Edge: Enables edge detection if set.	
		19	PC: Enables pin control.	
		20	INT: Enables interrupt on counter overflow.	
		21	AnyThread: When set to 1, it enables counting the associated event conditions occurring across all logical processors sharing a processor core. When set to 0, the counter only increments the associated event conditions occurring in the logical processor which programmed the MSR.	
		22	EN: Enables the corresponding performance counter to commence counting when this bit is set.	
		23	INV: Invert the CMASK.	
	31:24	CMASK: When CMASK is not zero, the corresponding performance counter increments each cycle if the event count is greater than or equal to the CMASK.		
	63:32	Reserved		
187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1 (PERFEVTSEL1)	Performance Event Select Register 1 (R/W)	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > 1
188H	392	IA32_PERFEVTSEL2	Performance Event Select Register 2 (R/W)	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > 2
189H	393	IA32_PERFEVTSEL3	Performance Event Select Register 3 (R/W)	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > 3
18AH	394	IA32_PERFEVTSEL4	Performance Event Select Register 4 (R/W)	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > 4
18BH	395	IA32_PERFEVTSEL5	Performance Event Select Register 5 (R/W)	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > 5

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
18CH	396	IA32_PERFEVTSEL6	Performance Event Select Register 6 (R/W)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 6
18DH	397	IA32_PERFEVTSEL7	Performance Event Select Register 7 (R/W)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 7
18AH-194H	394-404	Reserved		06_0EH ³
195H	405	IA32_OVERCLOCKING_STATUS	Overclocking Status (R/O) IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES[bit 23] enumerates support for this MSR.	
		0	Overclocking Utilized Indicates if specific forms of overclocking have been enabled on this boot or reset cycle: 0 indicates no, 1 indicates yes.	
		1	Undervolt Protection Indicates if the "Dynamic OC Undervolt Protection" security feature is active: 0 indicates disabled, 1 indicates enabled.	
		2	Overclocking Secure Status Indicates that overclocking capabilities have been unlocked by BIOS, with or without overclocking: 0 indicates Not Secured, 1 indicates Secure.	
		63:4	Reserved	
196H-197H	406-407	Reserved		06_0EH ³
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	Current Performance Status (R/O) See Section 15.1.1, "Software Interface For Initiating Performance State Transitions."	0F_03H
		15:0	Current Performance State Value.	
		63:16	Reserved	
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	Performance Control MSR (R/W) Software makes a request for a new Performance state (P-State) by writing this MSR. See Section 15.1.1, "Software Interface For Initiating Performance State Transitions."	0F_03H
		15:0	Target performance State Value.	
		31:16	Reserved	
		32	Intel® Dynamic Acceleration Technology Engage (R/W) When set to 1: Disengages Intel Dynamic Acceleration Technology.	06_0FH (Mobile only)
		63:33	Reserved	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Clock Modulation Control (R/W) See Section 15.8.3, "Software Controlled Clock Modulation."	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		0	Extended On-Demand Clock Modulation Duty Cycle.	If CPUID.06H:EAX[5] = 1
		3:1	On-Demand Clock Modulation Duty Cycle: Specific encoded values for target duty cycle modulation.	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		4	On-Demand Clock Modulation Enable: Set 1 to enable modulation.	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		63:5	Reserved	
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) Enables and disables the generation of an interrupt on temperature transitions detected with the processor's thermal sensors and thermal monitor. See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor."	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		0	High-Temperature Interrupt Enable	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		1	Low-Temperature Interrupt Enable	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		2	PROCHOT# Interrupt Enable	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		3	FORCEPR# Interrupt Enable	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		4	Critical Temperature Interrupt Enable	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		7:5	Reserved	
		14:8	Threshold #1 Value	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		15	Threshold #1 Interrupt Enable	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		22:16	Threshold #2 Value	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		23	Threshold #2 Interrupt Enable	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		24	Power Limit Notification Enable	If CPUID.06H:EAX[4] = 1
		25	Hardware Feedback Notification Enable	If CPUID.06H:EAX[24] = 1
63:26	Reserved			
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Thermal Status Information (R/O) Contains status information about the processor's thermal sensor and automatic thermal monitoring facilities. See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor."	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		0	Thermal Status (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		1	Thermal Status Log (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		2	PROCHOT # or FORCEPR# event (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		3	PROCHOT # or FORCEPR# log (R/WCO)	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		4	Critical Temperature Status (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1

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Hex	Decimal			
		5	Critical Temperature Status log (R/WCO)	If CPUID.01H:EDX[22] = 1
		6	Thermal Threshold #1 Status (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX[8] = 1
		7	Thermal Threshold #1 log (R/WCO)	If CPUID.01H:ECX[8] = 1
		8	Thermal Threshold #2 Status (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX[8] = 1
		9	Thermal Threshold #2 log (R/WCO)	If CPUID.01H:ECX[8] = 1
		10	Power Limitation Status (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[4] = 1
		11	Power Limitation log (R/WCO)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[4] = 1
		12	Current Limit Status (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[7] = 1
		13	Current Limit log (R/WCO)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[7] = 1
		14	Cross Domain Limit Status (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[7] = 1
		15	Cross Domain Limit log (R/WCO)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[7] = 1
		22:16	Digital Readout (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[0] = 1
		26:23	Reserved	
		30:27	Resolution in Degrees Celsius (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[0] = 1
		31	Reading Valid (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX[0] = 1
		63:32	Reserved	
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE	Enable Misc. Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.	
		0	Fast-Strings Enable When set, the fast-strings feature (for REP MOVS and REP STORS) is enabled (default). When clear, fast-strings are disabled.	OF_OH
		2:1	Reserved	
		3	Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W) 1 = Setting this bit enables the thermal control circuit (TCC) portion of the Intel Thermal Monitor feature. This allows the processor to automatically reduce power consumption in response to TCC activation. 0 = Disabled. Note: In some products clearing this bit might be ignored in critical thermal conditions, and TM1, TM2, and adaptive thermal throttling will still be activated. The default value of this field varies with product. See respective tables where default value is listed.	OF_OH
		6:4	Reserved	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		7	Performance Monitoring Available (R) 1 = Performance monitoring enabled. 0 = Performance monitoring disabled.	0F_0H
		10:8	Reserved	
		11	Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) 1 = Processor doesn't support branch trace storage (BTS). 0 = BTS is supported.	0F_0H
		12	Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS) Unavailable (R/O) 1 = PEBS is not supported. 0 = PEBS is supported.	06_0FH
		15:13	Reserved	
		16	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) 0= Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology disabled. 1 = Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology enabled.	If CPUID.01H: ECX[7] =1
		17	Reserved	
		18	ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W) When this bit is set to 0, the MONITOR feature flag is not set (CPUID.01H:ECX[bit 3] = 0). This indicates that MONITOR/MWAIT are not supported. Software attempts to execute MONITOR/MWAIT will cause #UD when this bit is 0. When this bit is set to 1 (default), MONITOR/MWAIT are supported (CPUID.01H:ECX[bit 3] = 1). If the SSE3 feature flag ECX[0] is not set (CPUID.01H:ECX[bit 0] = 0), the OS must not attempt to alter this bit. BIOS must leave it in the default state. Writing this bit when the SSE3 feature flag is set to 0 may generate a #GP exception.	0F_03H
		21:19	Reserved	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		22	<p>Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W)</p> <p>When this bit is set to 1, CPUID.00H returns a maximum value in EAX[7:0] of 2.</p> <p>BIOS should contain a setup question that allows users to specify when the installed OS does not support CPUID functions greater than 2.</p> <p>Before setting this bit, BIOS must execute the CPUID.0H and examine the maximum value returned in EAX[7:0]. If the maximum value is greater than 2, this bit is supported.</p> <p>Otherwise, this bit is not supported. Setting this bit when the maximum value is not greater than 2 may generate a #GP exception.</p> <p>Setting this bit may cause unexpected behavior in software that depends on the availability of CPUID leaves greater than 2.</p>	0F_03H
		23	<p>xTPR Message Disable (R/W)</p> <p>When set to 1, xTPR messages are disabled. xTPR messages are optional messages that allow the processor to inform the chipset of its priority.</p>	If CPUID.01H:ECX[14] = 1
		33:24	Reserved	
		34	<p>XD Bit Disable (R/W)</p> <p>When set to 1, the Execute Disable Bit feature (XD Bit) is disabled and the XD Bit extended feature flag will be clear (CPUID.80000001H: EDX[20]=0).</p> <p>When set to a 0 (default), the Execute Disable Bit feature (if available) allows the OS to enable PAE paging and take advantage of data only pages.</p> <p>BIOS must not alter the contents of this bit location, if XD bit is not supported. Writing this bit to 1 when the XD Bit extended feature flag is set to 0 may generate a #GP exception.</p>	If CPUID.80000001H:EDX[20] = 1
		63:35	Reserved	
1B0H	432	IA32_ENERGY_PERF_BIAS	Performance Energy Bias Hint (R/W)	If CPUID.6H:ECX[3] = 1
		3:0	<p>Power Policy Preference:</p> <p>0 indicates preference to highest performance.</p> <p>15 indicates preference to maximize energy saving.</p>	
		63:4	Reserved	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
1B1H	433	IA32_PACKAGE_THERM_STATUS	Package Thermal Status Information (R/O) Contains status information about the package's thermal sensor. See Section 15.9, "Package Level Thermal Management."	If CPUID.06H: EAX[6] = 1
		0	Pkg Thermal Status (R/O)	
		1	Pkg Thermal Status Log (R/W)	
		2	Pkg PROCHOT # event (R/O)	
		3	Pkg PROCHOT # log (R/WCO)	
		4	Pkg Critical Temperature Status (R/O)	
		5	Pkg Critical Temperature Status Log (R/WCO)	
		6	Pkg Thermal Threshold #1 Status (R/O)	
		7	Pkg Thermal Threshold #1 Log (R/WCO)	
		8	Pkg Thermal Threshold #2 Status (R/O)	
		9	Pkg Thermal Threshold #1 Log (R/WCO)	
		10	Pkg Power Limitation Status (R/O)	
		11	Pkg Power Limitation Log (R/WCO)	
		15:12	Reserved	
		22:16	Pkg Digital Readout (R/O)	
		25:23	Reserved	
		26	Hardware Feedback Interface Structure Change Status	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[19] = 1
63:27	Reserved			
1B2H	434	IA32_PACKAGE_THERM_INTERRUPT	Pkg Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) Enables and disables the generation of an interrupt on temperature transitions detected with the package's thermal sensor. See Section 15.9, "Package Level Thermal Management."	If CPUID.06H: EAX[6] = 1
		0	Pkg High-Temperature Interrupt Enable	
		1	Pkg Low-Temperature Interrupt Enable	
		2	Pkg PROCHOT# Interrupt Enable	
		3	Reserved	
		4	Pkg Overheat Interrupt Enable	
		7:5	Reserved	
		14:8	Pkg Threshold #1 Value	
		15	Pkg Threshold #1 Interrupt Enable	
22:16	Pkg Threshold #2 Value			

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		23	Pkg Threshold #2 Interrupt Enable	
		24	Pkg Power Limit Notification Enable	
		25	Hardware Feedback Interrupt Enable	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[19] = 1
		63:26	Reserved	
1C4H	452	IA32_XFD	Extended Feature Disable Control (R/W) Controls which XSAVE-enabled features are temporarily disabled. See Section 13.14 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1.	If CPUID.(EAX=0DH,ECX=1): EAX[4] = 1
1C5H	453	IA32_XFD_ERR	Extended Feature Disable Error Code (R/W) Reports which XSAVE-enabled features caused a fault due to being disabled. See Section 13.14 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1.	If CPUID.(EAX=0DH,ECX=1): EAX[4] = 1
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL (MSR_DEBUGCTLA, MSR_DEBUGCTLB)	Trace/Profile Resource Control (R/W)	06_0EH
		0	LBR: Setting this bit to 1 enables the processor to record a running trace of the most recent branches taken by the processor in the LBR stack.	06_01H
		1	BTF: Setting this bit to 1 enables the processor to treat EFLAGS.TF as single-step on branches instead of single-step on instructions.	06_01H
		2	BLD: Enable OS bus-lock detection. See Section 18.3.1.6 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3B.	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):ECX[24] = 1)
		5:3	Reserved	
		6	TR: Setting this bit to 1 enables branch trace messages to be sent.	06_0EH
		7	BTS: Setting this bit enables branch trace messages (BTMs) to be logged in a BTS buffer.	06_0EH
		8	BTINT: When clear, BTMs are logged in a BTS buffer in circular fashion. When this bit is set, an interrupt is generated by the BTS facility when the BTS buffer is full.	06_0EH
		9	1: BTS_OFF_OS: When set, BTS or BTM is skipped if CPL = 0.	06_0FH
		10	BTS_OFF_USR: When set, BTS or BTM is skipped if CPL > 0.	06_0FH

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		11	FREEZE_LBRS_ON_PMI: When set, the LBR stack is frozen on a PMI request.	If CPUID.01H: ECX[15] = 1 && CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 1
		12	FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI: When set, each ENABLE bit of the global counter control MSR are frozen (address 38FH) on a PMI request.	If CPUID.01H: ECX[15] = 1 && CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 1
		13	ENABLE_UNCORE_PMI: When set, enables the logical processor to receive and generate PMI on behalf of the uncore.	06_1AH
		14	FREEZE_WHILE_SMM: When set, freezes perfmon and trace messages while in SMM.	If IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[12] = 1
		15	RTM_DEBUG: When set, enables DR7 debug bit on XBEGIN.	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[11] = 1)
		63:16	Reserved	
1DDH	477	IA32_LER_FROM_IP	Last Event Record Source IP Register (R/W)	
		63:0	FROM_IP The source IP of the recorded branch or event, in canonical form.	Reset Value: 0
1DEH	478	IA32_LER_TO_IP	Last Event Record Destination IP Register (R/W)	
		63:0	TO_IP The destination IP of the recorded branch or event, in canonical form.	Reset Value: 0
1E0H	480	IA32_LER_INFO	Last Event Record Info Register (R/W)	
		55:0	Undefined, may be zero or non-zero. Writes of non- zero values do not fault, but reads may return a different value.	Reset Value: 0
		59:56	BR_TYPE The branch type recorded by this LBR. Encodings match those of IA32_LBR_x_INFO.	Reset Value: 0
		60	Undefined, may be zero or non-zero. Writes of non- zero values do not fault, but reads may return a different value.	Reset Value: 0
		61	TSX_ABORT This LBR record is a TSX abort. On processors that do not support Intel® TSX (CPUID.07H.EBX.HLE[bit 4]=0 and CPUID.07H.EBX.RTM[bit 11]=0), this bit is undefined.	Reset Value: 0

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Hex	Decimal			
		62	IN_TSX This LBR record records a branch that retired during a TSX transaction. On processors that do not support Intel® TSX (CPUID.07H.EBX.HLE[bit 4]=0 and CPUID.07H.EBX.RTM[bit 11]=0), this bit is undefined.	Reset Value: 0
		63	MISPRED The recorded branch taken/not-taken resolution (for conditional branches) or target (for any indirect branch, including RETs) was mispredicted.	Reset Value: 0
1F2H	498	IA32_SMRR_PHYSBASE	SMRR Base Address (Writeable only in SMM) Base address of SMM memory range.	If IA32_MTRRCAP.SMRR[11] = 1
		7:0	Type. Specifies memory type of the range.	
		11:8	Reserved	
		31:12	PhysBase SMRR physical Base Address.	
		63:32	Reserved	
1F3H	499	IA32_SMRR_PHYSMASK	SMRR Range Mask (Writeable only in SMM) Range Mask of SMM memory range.	If IA32_MTRRCAP[SMRR] = 1
		10:0	Reserved	
		11	Valid Enable range mask.	
		31:12	PhysMask SMRR address range mask.	
		63:32	Reserved	
1F8H	504	IA32_PLATFORM_DCA_CAP	DCA Capability (R)	If CPUID.01H: ECX[18] = 1
1F9H	505	IA32_CPU_DCA_CAP	If set, CPU supports Prefetch-Hint type.	If CPUID.01H: ECX[18] = 1
1FAH	506	IA32_DCA_0_CAP	DCA type 0 Status and Control register.	If CPUID.01H: ECX[18] = 1
		0	DCA_ACTIVE: Set by HW when DCA is fuse-enabled and no defeatures are set.	
		2:1	TRANSACTION	
		6:3	DCA_TYPE	
		10:7	DCA_QUEUE_SIZE	
		12:11	Reserved	
		16:13	DCA_DELAY: Writes will update the register but have no HW side-effect.	
		23:17	Reserved	

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Hex	Decimal			
		24	SW_BLOCK: SW can request DCA block by setting this bit.	
		25	Reserved	
		26	HW_BLOCK: Set when DCA is blocked by HW (e.g., CR0.CD = 1).	
		31:27	Reserved	
200H	512	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE0 (MTRRphysBase0)	See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 0
201H	513	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK0	MTRRphysMask0	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 0
202H	514	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE1	MTRRphysBase1	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 1
203H	515	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK1	MTRRphysMask1	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 1
204H	516	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE2	MTRRphysBase2	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 2
205H	517	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK2	MTRRphysMask2	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 2
206H	518	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE3	MTRRphysBase3	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 3
207H	519	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK3	MTRRphysMask3	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 3
208H	520	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE4	MTRRphysBase4	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 4
209H	521	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK4	MTRRphysMask4	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 4
20AH	522	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE5	MTRRphysBase5	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 5
20BH	523	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK5	MTRRphysMask5	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 5
20CH	524	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE6	MTRRphysBase6	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 6
20DH	525	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK6	MTRRphysMask6	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 6
20EH	526	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE7	MTRRphysBase7	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 7
20FH	527	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK7	MTRRphysMask7	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 7
210H	528	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE8	MTRRphysBase8	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 8
211H	529	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK8	MTRRphysMask8	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 8
212H	530	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE9	MTRRphysBase9	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 9
213H	531	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK9	MTRRphysMask9	If IA32_MTRRCAP[7:0] > 9
250H	592	IA32_MTRR_FIX64K_00000	MTRRfix64K_00000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
258H	600	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_80000	MTRRfix16K_80000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
259H	601	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_A0000	MTRRfix16K_A0000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
268H	616	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C0000 (MTRRfix4K_C0000)	See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
269H	617	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C8000	MTRRfix4K_C8000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
26AH	618	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D0000	MTRRfix4K_D0000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1

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Hex	Decimal			
26BH	619	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D8000	MTRRfix4K_D8000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
26CH	620	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E0000	MTRRfix4K_E0000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
26DH	621	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E8000	MTRRfix4K_E8000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
26EH	622	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F0000	MTRRfix4K_F0000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
26FH	623	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F8000	MTRRfix4K_F8000	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
277H	631	IA32_PAT	IA32_PAT (R/W)	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[16] = 1
		2:0	PA0	
		7:3	Reserved	
		10:8	PA1	
		15:11	Reserved	
		18:16	PA2	
		23:19	Reserved	
		26:24	PA3	
		31:27	Reserved	
		34:32	PA4	
		39:35	Reserved	
		42:40	PA5	
		47:43	Reserved	
		50:48	PA6	
		55:51	Reserved	
58:56	PA7			
63:59	Reserved			
280H	640	IA32_MCO_CTL2	MSR to enable/disable CMCI capability for bank 0. (R/W) See Section 16.3.2.5, "IA32_MCi_CTL2 MSRs."	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 0
		14:0	Corrected error count threshold.	
		29:15	Reserved	
		30	CMCI_EN	
		63:31	Reserved	
281H	641	IA32_MC1_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 1

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Hex	Decimal			
282H	642	IA32_MC2_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 2
283H	643	IA32_MC3_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 3
284H	644	IA32_MC4_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 4
285H	645	IA32_MC5_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 5
286H	646	IA32_MC6_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 6
287H	647	IA32_MC7_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 7
288H	648	IA32_MC8_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 8
289H	649	IA32_MC9_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 9
28AH	650	IA32_MC10_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 10
28BH	651	IA32_MC11_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 11
28CH	652	IA32_MC12_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 12
28DH	653	IA32_MC13_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 13
28EH	654	IA32_MC14_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 14
28FH	655	IA32_MC15_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 15
290H	656	IA32_MC16_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 16

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Hex	Decimal			
291H	657	IA32_MC17_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 17
292H	658	IA32_MC18_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 18
293H	659	IA32_MC19_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 19
294H	660	IA32_MC20_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 20
295H	661	IA32_MC21_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 21
296H	662	IA32_MC22_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 22
297H	663	IA32_MC23_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 23
298H	664	IA32_MC24_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 24
299H	665	IA32_MC25_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 25
29AH	666	IA32_MC26_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 26
29BH	667	IA32_MC27_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 27
29CH	668	IA32_MC28_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 28
29DH	669	IA32_MC29_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 29
29EH	670	IA32_MC30_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 30
29FH	671	IA32_MC31_CTL2	(R/W) Same fields as IA32_MCO_CTL2.	If IA32_MCG_CAP[10] = 1 && IA32_MCG_CAP[7:0] > 31

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Hex	Decimal			
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	MTRRdefType (R/W)	If CPUID.01H: EDX.MTRR[12] = 1
		2:0	Default Memory Type	
		9:3	Reserved	
		10	Fixed Range MTRR Enable	
		11	MTRR Enable	
		63:12	Reserved	
309H	777	IA32_FIXED_CTR0	Fixed-Function Performance Counter 0 (R/W): Counts Instr_Retired.Any.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 0
30AH	778	IA32_FIXED_CTR1	Fixed-Function Performance Counter 1 (R/W): Counts CPU_CLK_Unhalted.Core.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 1
30BH	779	IA32_FIXED_CTR2	Fixed-Function Performance Counter 2 (R/W): Counts CPU_CLK_Unhalted.Ref.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 2
345H	837	IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES	Read Only MSR that enumerates the existence of performance monitoring features. (R/O)	If CPUID.01H: ECX[15] = 1
		5:0	LBR format	
		6	PEBS Trap	
		7	PEBSSaveArchRegs	
		11:8	PEBS Record Format	
		12	1: Freeze while SMM is supported.	
		13	1: Full width of counter writable via IA32_A_PMCx.	
		14	PEBS_BASELINE	
		15	1: Performance metrics available.	
		16	1: PEBS output will be written into the Intel PT trace stream.	If CPUID.0x7.0.EBX[25]=1
		63:17	Reserved	
38DH	909	IA32_FIXED_CTR_CTRL	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Control (R/W) Counter increments while the results of ANDing respective enable bit in IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL with the corresponding OS or USR bits in this MSR is true.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 1
		0	ENO_OS: Enable Fixed Counter 0 to count while CPL = 0.	
		1	ENO_Usr: Enable Fixed Counter 0 to count while CPL > 0.	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		2	AnyThr0: When set to 1, it enables counting the associated event conditions occurring across all logical processors sharing a processor core. When set to 0, the counter only increments the associated event conditions occurring in the logical processor which programmed the MSR.	If CPUID.0AH:EAX[7:0] > 2 && CPUID.0AH:EDX[15]=0
		3	EN0_PMI: Enable PMI when fixed counter 0 overflows.	
		4	EN1_OS: Enable Fixed Counter 1 to count while CPL = 0.	
		5	EN1_Usr: Enable Fixed Counter 1 to count while CPL > 0.	
		6	AnyThr1: When set to 1, it enables counting the associated event conditions occurring across all logical processors sharing a processor core. When set to 0, the counter only increments the associated event conditions occurring in the logical processor which programmed the MSR.	If CPUID.0AH:EAX[7:0] > 2 && CPUID.0AH:EDX[15]=0
		7	EN1_PMI: Enable PMI when fixed counter 1 overflows.	
		8	EN2_OS: Enable Fixed Counter 2 to count while CPL = 0.	
		9	EN2_Usr: Enable Fixed Counter 2 to count while CPL > 0.	
		10	AnyThr2: When set to 1, it enables counting the associated event conditions occurring across all logical processors sharing a processor core. When set to 0, the counter only increments the associated event conditions occurring in the logical processor which programmed the MSR.	If CPUID.0AH:EAX[7:0] > 2 && CPUID.0AH:EDX[15]=0
		11	EN2_PMI: Enable PMI when fixed counter 2 overflows.	
		12	EN3_OS: Enable Fixed Counter 3 to count while CPL = 0.	
		13	EN3_Usr: Enable Fixed Counter 3 to count while CPL > 0.	
		14	Reserved	
		15	EN3_PMI: Enable PMI when fixed counter 3 overflows.	
		63:16	Reserved	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Global Performance Counter Status (R/O)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0 (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[25] = 1 && CPUID.(EAX=014H, ECX=0);ECX[0] = 1)
		0	Ovf_PMC0: Overflow status of IA32_PMC0.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 0
		1	Ovf_PMC1: Overflow status of IA32_PMC1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 1
		2	Ovf_PMC2: Overflow status of IA32_PMC2.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 2
		3	Ovf_PMC3: Overflow status of IA32_PMC3.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 3
		n	Ovf_PMCn: Overflow status of IA32_PMCn.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > n
		31:n+1	Reserved	
		32	Ovf_FixedCtr0: Overflow status of IA32_FIXED_CTR0.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 1
		33	Ovf_FixedCtr1: Overflow status of IA32_FIXED_CTR1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 1
		34	Ovf_FixedCtr2: Overflow status of IA32_FIXED_CTR2.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 1
		47:35	Reserved	
		48	Ovf_PERF_METRICS: If this bit is set, it indicates that PERF_METRIC counter has overflowed and a PMI is triggered; however, an overflow of fixed counter 3 should normally happen first. If this bit is clear no overflow occurred.	
		54:49	Reserved	
		55	Trace_ToPA_PMI: A PMI occurred due to a ToPA entry memory buffer that was completely filled.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[25] = 1 && CPUID.(EAX=014H, ECX=0);ECX[0] = 1
		57:56	Reserved	
		58	LBR_Frz. LBRs are frozen due to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ IA32_DEBUGCTL.FREEZE_LBR_ON_PMI=1. ▪ The LBR stack overflowed. 	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		59	CTR_Frz. Performance counters in the core PMU are frozen due to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ IA32_DEBUGCTL.FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI=1. ▪ One or more core PMU counters overflowed. 	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		60	ASCI: Data in the performance counters in the core PMU may include contributions from the direct or indirect operation Intel SGX to protect an enclave.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[2] = 1
		61	Ovf_Uncore: Uncore counter overflow status.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 2
		62	OvfBuf: DS SAVE area Buffer overflow status.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0
		63	CondChgd: Status bits of this register have changed.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0
38FH	911	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Global Performance Counter Control (R/W) Counter increments while the result of ANDing the respective enable bit in this MSR with the corresponding OS or USR bits in the general-purpose or fixed counter control MSR is true.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0
		0	EN_PMC0	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 0
		1	EN_PMC1	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 1
		2	EN_PMC2	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 2
		n	EN_PMCn	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > n
		31:n+1	Reserved	
		32	EN_FIXED_CTR0	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 0
		33	EN_FIXED_CTR1	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 1
		34	EN_FIXED_CTR2	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 2
		47:35	Reserved	
		48	EN_PERF_METRICS: If this bit is set and fixed counter 3 is effectively enabled, built-in performance metrics are enabled.	
		63:49	Reserved	
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Global Performance Counter Overflow Control (R/W)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0 && CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] <= 3
		0	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_PMC0 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 0
		1	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_PMC1 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 1
		2	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_PMC2 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 2
		n	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_PMCn bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > n

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		31:n	Reserved	
		32	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_FIXED_CTR0 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 0
		33	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_FIXED_CTR1 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 1
		34	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_FIXED_CTR2 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 2
		54:35	Reserved	
		55	Set 1 to Clear Trace_ToPA_PMI bit.	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[25] = 1) && IA32_RTIT_CTL.ToPA = 1
		60:56	Reserved	
		61	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_Uncore bit.	06_2EH
		62	Set 1 to Clear OvfBuf bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0
		63	Set 1 to clear CondChgd bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_RESET	Global Performance Counter Overflow Reset Control (R/W)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3 (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[25] = 1 && CPUID.(EAX=014H, ECX=0);ECX[0] = 1)
		0	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_PMC0 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 0
		1	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_PMC1 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 1
		2	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_PMC2 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 2
		n	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_PMCn bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > n
		31:n	Reserved	
		32	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_FIXED_CTR0 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 0
		33	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_FIXED_CTR1 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 1
		34	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_FIXED_CTR2 bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EDX[4:0] > 2
		47:35	Reserved	
		48	RESET_OVF_PERF_METRICS: If this bit is set, it will clear the status bit in the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS register for the PERF_METRICS counters.	
		54:49	Reserved	
		55	Set 1 to Clear Trace_ToPA_PMI bit.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[25] = 1 && CPUID.(EAX=014H, ECX=0);ECX[0] = 1
		57:56	Reserved	
		58	Set 1 to Clear LBR_Frz bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
59	Set 1 to Clear CTR_Frz bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3		

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		58	Set 1 to Clear ASCII bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		61	Set 1 to Clear Ovf_Uncore bit.	06_2EH
		62	Set 1 to Clear OvfBuf bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0
		63	Set 1 to clear CondChgd bit.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 0
391H	913	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_SET	Global Performance Counter Overflow Set Control (R/W)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3 (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[25] = 1 && CPUID.(EAX=014H, ECX=0):ECX[0] = 1)
		0	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC0 = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		1	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC1 = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 1
		2	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC2 = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 2
		n	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMCn = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > n
		31:n	Reserved	
		32	Set 1 to cause Ovf_FIXED_CTR0 = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		33	Set 1 to cause Ovf_FIXED_CTR1 = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		34	Set 1 to cause Ovf_FIXED_CTR2 = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		47:35	Reserved	
		48	SET_OVF_PERF_METRICS: If this bit is set, it will set the status bit in the IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS register for the PERF_METRICS counters.	
		54:49	Reserved	
		55	Set 1 to cause Trace_ToPA_PMI = 1.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[25] = 1 && CPUID.(EAX=014H, ECX=0):ECX[0] = 1
		57:56	Reserved	
		58	Set 1 to cause LBR_Frz = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		59	Set 1 to cause CTR_Frz = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		58	Set 1 to cause ASCII = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		61	Set 1 to cause Ovf_Uncore = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		62	Set 1 to cause OvfBuf = 1.	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		63	Reserved	
392H	914	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_INUSE	Indicator that core perfmon interface is in use. (R/O)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[7:0] > 3
		0	IA32_PERFEVTSEL0 in use.	

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Hex	Decimal			
		1	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1 in use.	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > 1
		2	IA32_PERFEVTSEL2 in use.	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > 2
		n	IA32_PERFEVTSELn in use.	If CPUID.OAH: EAX[15:8] > n
		31:n+1	Reserved	
		32	IA32_FIXED_CTR0 in use.	
		33	IA32_FIXED_CTR1 in use.	
		34	IA32_FIXED_CTR2 in use.	
		62:35	Reserved or model specific.	
		63	PMI in use.	
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBBS_ENABLE	PEBS Control (R/W)	
		0	Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC0.	06_0FH
		3:1	Reserved or model specific.	
		31:4	Reserved	
		35:32	Reserved or model specific.	
		63:36	Reserved	
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	MCO_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 0
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	MCO_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 0
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR ¹	MCO_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 0
403H	1027	IA32_MCO_MISC	MCO_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 0
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	MC1_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 1
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	MC1_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 1
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR ²	MC1_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 1
407H	1031	IA32_MC1_MISC	MC1_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 1
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	MC2_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 2
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	MC2_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 2
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR ¹	MC2_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 2
40BH	1035	IA32_MC2_MISC	MC2_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 2
40CH	1036	IA32_MC3_CTL	MC3_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 3
40DH	1037	IA32_MC3_STATUS	MC3_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 3
40EH	1038	IA32_MC3_ADDR ¹	MC3_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 3
40FH	1039	IA32_MC3_MISC	MC3_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 3
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	MC4_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 4
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	MC4_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 4
412H	1042	IA32_MC4_ADDR ¹	MC4_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 4
413H	1043	IA32_MC4_MISC	MC4_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT > 4

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	MC5_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >5
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	MC5_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >5
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR ¹	MC5_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >5
417H	1047	IA32_MC5_MISC	MC5_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >5
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	MC6_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >6
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	MC6_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >6
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR ¹	MC6_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >6
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	MC6_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >6
41CH	1052	IA32_MC7_CTL	MC7_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >7
41DH	1053	IA32_MC7_STATUS	MC7_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >7
41EH	1054	IA32_MC7_ADDR ¹	MC7_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >7
41FH	1055	IA32_MC7_MISC	MC7_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >7
420H	1056	IA32_MC8_CTL	MC8_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >8
421H	1057	IA32_MC8_STATUS	MC8_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >8
422H	1058	IA32_MC8_ADDR ¹	MC8_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >8
423H	1059	IA32_MC8_MISC	MC8_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >8
424H	1060	IA32_MC9_CTL	MC9_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >9
425H	1061	IA32_MC9_STATUS	MC9_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >9
426H	1062	IA32_MC9_ADDR ¹	MC9_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >9
427H	1063	IA32_MC9_MISC	MC9_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >9
428H	1064	IA32_MC10_CTL	MC10_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >10
429H	1065	IA32_MC10_STATUS	MC10_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >10
42AH	1066	IA32_MC10_ADDR ¹	MC10_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >10
42BH	1067	IA32_MC10_MISC	MC10_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >10
42CH	1068	IA32_MC11_CTL	MC11_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >11
42DH	1069	IA32_MC11_STATUS	MC11_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >11
42EH	1070	IA32_MC11_ADDR ¹	MC11_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >11
42FH	1071	IA32_MC11_MISC	MC11_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >11
430H	1072	IA32_MC12_CTL	MC12_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >12
431H	1073	IA32_MC12_STATUS	MC12_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >12
432H	1074	IA32_MC12_ADDR ¹	MC12_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >12
433H	1075	IA32_MC12_MISC	MC12_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >12
434H	1076	IA32_MC13_CTL	MC13_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >13
435H	1077	IA32_MC13_STATUS	MC13_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >13
436H	1078	IA32_MC13_ADDR ¹	MC13_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >13
437H	1079	IA32_MC13_MISC	MC13_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >13
438H	1080	IA32_MC14_CTL	MC14_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >14

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Hex	Decimal			
439H	1081	IA32_MC14_STATUS	MC14_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >14
43AH	1082	IA32_MC14_ADDR ¹	MC14_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >14
43BH	1083	IA32_MC14_MISC	MC14_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >14
43CH	1084	IA32_MC15_CTL	MC15_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >15
43DH	1085	IA32_MC15_STATUS	MC15_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >15
43EH	1086	IA32_MC15_ADDR ¹	MC15_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >15
43FH	1087	IA32_MC15_MISC	MC15_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >15
440H	1088	IA32_MC16_CTL	MC16_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >16
441H	1089	IA32_MC16_STATUS	MC16_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >16
442H	1090	IA32_MC16_ADDR ¹	MC16_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >16
443H	1091	IA32_MC16_MISC	MC16_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >16
444H	1092	IA32_MC17_CTL	MC17_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >17
445H	1093	IA32_MC17_STATUS	MC17_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >17
446H	1094	IA32_MC17_ADDR ¹	MC17_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >17
447H	1095	IA32_MC17_MISC	MC17_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >17
448H	1096	IA32_MC18_CTL	MC18_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >18
449H	1097	IA32_MC18_STATUS	MC18_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >18
44AH	1098	IA32_MC18_ADDR ¹	MC18_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >18
44BH	1099	IA32_MC18_MISC	MC18_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >18
44CH	1100	IA32_MC19_CTL	MC19_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >19
44DH	1101	IA32_MC19_STATUS	MC19_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >19
44EH	1102	IA32_MC19_ADDR ¹	MC19_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >19
44FH	1103	IA32_MC19_MISC	MC19_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >19
450H	1104	IA32_MC20_CTL	MC20_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >20
451H	1105	IA32_MC20_STATUS	MC20_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >20
452H	1106	IA32_MC20_ADDR ¹	MC20_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >20
453H	1107	IA32_MC20_MISC	MC20_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >20
454H	1108	IA32_MC21_CTL	MC21_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >21
455H	1109	IA32_MC21_STATUS	MC21_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >21
456H	1110	IA32_MC21_ADDR ¹	MC21_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >21
457H	1111	IA32_MC21_MISC	MC21_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >21
458H	1112	IA32_MC22_CTL	MC22_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >22
459H	1113	IA32_MC22_STATUS	MC22_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >22
45AH	1114	IA32_MC22_ADDR ¹	MC22_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >22
45BH	1115	IA32_MC22_MISC	MC22_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >22
45CH	1116	IA32_MC23_CTL	MC23_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >23
45DH	1117	IA32_MC23_STATUS	MC23_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >23

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
45EH	1118	IA32_MC23_ADDR ¹	MC23_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >23
45FH	1119	IA32_MC23_MISC	MC23_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >23
460H	1120	IA32_MC24_CTL	MC24_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >24
461H	1121	IA32_MC24_STATUS	MC24_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >24
462H	1122	IA32_MC24_ADDR ¹	MC24_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >24
463H	1123	IA32_MC24_MISC	MC24_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >24
464H	1124	IA32_MC25_CTL	MC25_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >25
465H	1125	IA32_MC25_STATUS	MC25_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >25
466H	1126	IA32_MC25_ADDR ¹	MC25_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >25
467H	1127	IA32_MC25_MISC	MC25_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >25
468H	1128	IA32_MC26_CTL	MC26_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >26
469H	1129	IA32_MC26_STATUS	MC26_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >26
46AH	1130	IA32_MC26_ADDR ¹	MC26_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >26
46BH	1131	IA32_MC26_MISC	MC26_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >26
46CH	1132	IA32_MC27_CTL	MC27_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >27
46DH	1133	IA32_MC27_STATUS	MC27_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >27
46EH	1134	IA32_MC27_ADDR ¹	MC27_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >27
46FH	1135	IA32_MC27_MISC	MC27_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >27
470H	1136	IA32_MC28_CTL	MC28_CTL	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >28
471H	1137	IA32_MC28_STATUS	MC28_STATUS	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >28
472H	1138	IA32_MC28_ADDR ¹	MC28_ADDR	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >28
473H	1139	IA32_MC28_MISC	MC28_MISC	If IA32_MCG_CAP.CNT >28
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Appendix A.1, "Basic VMX Information."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3.1, "Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3.2, "Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL	Capability Reporting Register of Primary VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.4.1, "Primary VM-Exit Controls."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL5	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Appendix A.6, "Miscellaneous Data."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED1	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Appendix A.9, "VMCS Enumeration."	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] = 1
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL52	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3.3, "Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls."	If (CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL5[63])
48CH	1164	IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_CAP	Capability Reporting Register of EPT and VPID (R/O) See Appendix A.10, "VPID and EPT Capabilities."	If (CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL5[63] && (IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL52[33] IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL52[37]))
48DH	1165	IA32_VMX_TRUE_PINBASED_CTL5	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Flex Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3.1, "Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls."	If (CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_BASIC[55])
48EH	1166	IA32_VMX_TRUE_PROCBASED_CTL5	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Flex Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3.2, "Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls."	If(CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_BASIC[55])
48FH	1167	IA32_VMX_TRUE_EXIT_CTL5	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Flex Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.4, "VM-Exit Controls."	If(CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_BASIC[55])

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
490H	1168	IA32_VMX_TRUE_ENTRY_CTL5	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Flex Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls."	If (CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_BASIC[55])
491H	1169	IA32_VMX_VMFUNC	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Function Controls (R/O)	If (CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL5[63] && IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL52[45])
492H	1170	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL53	Capability Reporting Register of Tertiary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3.4, "Tertiary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls."	If (CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL5[49])
493H	1171	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL52	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.4.2, "Secondary VM-Exit Controls."	If (CPUID.01H:ECX.[5] && IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL5[63])
4C1H	1217	IA32_A_PMC0	Full Width Writable IA32_PMC0 Alias (R/W)	(If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 0) && IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[13] = 1
4C2H	1218	IA32_A_PMC1	Full Width Writable IA32_PMC1 Alias (R/W)	(If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 1) && IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[13] = 1
4C3H	1219	IA32_A_PMC2	Full Width Writable IA32_PMC2 Alias (R/W)	(If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 2) && IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[13] = 1
4C4H	1220	IA32_A_PMC3	Full Width Writable IA32_PMC3 Alias (R/W)	(If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 3) && IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[13] = 1
4C5H	1221	IA32_A_PMC4	Full Width Writable IA32_PMC4 Alias (R/W)	(If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 4) && IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[13] = 1
4C6H	1222	IA32_A_PMC5	Full Width Writable IA32_PMC5 Alias (R/W)	(If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 5) && IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[13] = 1
4C7H	1223	IA32_A_PMC6	Full Width Writable IA32_PMC6 Alias (R/W)	(If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 6) && IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[13] = 1

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
4C8H	1224	IA32_A_PMC7	Full Width Writable IA32_PMC7 Alias (R/W)	If CPUID.0AH: EAX[15:8] > 7) && IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES[13] = 1
4D0H	1232	IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL	Allows software to signal some MCEs to only a single logical processor in the system. (R/W) See Section 16.3.1.4, "IA32_MCG_EXT_CTL MSR."	If IA32_MCG_CAP.LMCE_P = 1
		0	LMCE_EN	
		63:1	Reserved	
500H	1280	IA32_SGX_SVN_STATUS	Status and SVN Threshold of SGX Support for ACM (R/O).	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H): EBX[2] = 1
		0	Lock	See Section 39.11.3, "Interactions with Authenticated Code Modules (ACMs)."
		15:1	Reserved	
		23:16	SGX_SVN_SINIT	See Section 39.11.3, "Interactions with Authenticated Code Modules (ACMs)."
		63:24	Reserved	
560H	1376	IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_BASE	Trace Output Base Register (R/W)	If ((CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[25] = 1) && (CPUID.(EAX=14H,ECX=0):ECX[0] = 1) (CPUID.(EAX=14H,ECX=0):ECX[2] = 1))
		6:0	Reserved	
		MAXPHYADDR ⁴ -1:7	Base physical address.	
		63:MAXPHYADDR	Reserved	
561H	1377	IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_MASK_PTRS	Trace Output Mask Pointers Register (R/W)	If ((CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[25] = 1) && (CPUID.(EAX=14H,ECX=0):ECX[0] = 1) (CPUID.(EAX=14H,ECX=0):ECX[2] = 1))
		6:0	Reserved	
		31:7	MaskOrTableOffset	
		63:32	Output Offset	
570H	1392	IA32_RTIT_CTL	Trace Control Register (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[25] = 1)
		0	TraceEn	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		1	CYCEn	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[1] = 1)
		2	OS	
		3	User	
		4	PwrEvtEn	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EBX[5] = 1)
		5	FUPonPTW	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EBX[4] = 1)
		6	FabricEn	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):ECX[3] = 1)
		7	CR3Filter	If (CPUID.(EAX=14H, ECX=0):EBX[0] = 1)
		8	ToPA	
		9	MTCEn	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[3] = 1)
		10	TSCEn	
		11	DisRETC	
		12	PTWEn	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EBX[4] = 1)
		13	BranchEn	
		17:14	MTCFreq	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[3] = 1)
		18	Reserved, must be zero.	
		22:19	CycThresh	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[1] = 1)
		23	Reserved, must be zero.	
		27:24	PSBFreq	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[1] = 1)
		30:28	Reserved, must be zero.	
		31	EventEn	If (CPUID.(EAX=14H, ECX=0):EBX[7] = 1)
		35:32	ADDR0_CFG	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EAX[2:0] > 0)
		39:36	ADDR1_CFG	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EAX[2:0] > 1)
		43:40	ADDR2_CFG	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EAX[2:0] > 2)
		47:44	ADDR3_CFG	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EAX[2:0] > 3)
		54:48	Reserved, must be zero.	
		55	DisTNT	If (CPUID.(EAX=14H, ECX=0):EBX[8] = 1)

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		56	InjectPsbPmiOnEnable	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1);EBX[6] = 1)
		63:57	Reserved, must be zero.	
571H	1393	IA32_RTIT_STATUS	Tracing Status Register (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[25] = 1)
		0	FilterEn (writes ignored)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[2] = 1)
		1	ContexEn (writes ignored)	
		2	TriggerEn (writes ignored)	
		3	Reserved	
		4	Error	
		5	Stopped	
		6	PendPSB	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[6] = 1)
		7	PendToPAPMI	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[6] = 1)
		31:8	Reserved, must be zero.	
		48:32	PacketByteCnt	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[1] > 3)
		63:49	Reserved	
572H	1394	IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH	Trace Filter CR3 Match Register (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0);EBX[25] = 1)
		4:0	Reserved	
		63:5	CR3[63:5] value to match.	
580H	1408	IA32_RTIT_ADDR0_A	Region 0 Start Address (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1);EAX[2:0] > 0)
		47:0	Virtual Address	
		63:48	SignExt_VA	
581H	1409	IA32_RTIT_ADDR0_B	Region 0 End Address (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1);EAX[2:0] > 0)
		47:0	Virtual Address	
		63:48	SignExt_VA	
582H	1410	IA32_RTIT_ADDR1_A	Region 1 Start Address (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1);EAX[2:0] > 1)
		47:0	Virtual Address	
		63:48	SignExt_VA	
583H	1411	IA32_RTIT_ADDR1_B	Region 1 End Address (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1);EAX[2:0] > 1)
		47:0	Virtual Address	
		63:48	SignExt_VA	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
584H	1412	IA32_RTIT_ADDR2_A	Region 2 Start Address (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EAX[2:0] > 2)
		47:0	Virtual Address	
		63:48	SignExt_VA	
585H	1413	IA32_RTIT_ADDR2_B	Region 2 End Address (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EAX[2:0] > 2)
		47:0	Virtual Address	
		63:48	SignExt_VA	
586H	1414	IA32_RTIT_ADDR3_A	Region 3 Start Address (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EAX[2:0] > 3)
		47:0	Virtual Address	
		63:48	SignExt_VA	
587H	1415	IA32_RTIT_ADDR3_B	Region 3 End Address (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=1):EAX[2:0] > 3)
		47:0	Virtual Address	
		63:48	SignExt_VA	
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	DS Save Area (R/W) Points to the linear address of the first byte of the DS buffer management area, which is used to manage the BTS and PEBS buffers. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."	If (CPUID.01H:EDX.DS[21] = 1)
		63:0	The linear address of the first byte of the DS buffer management area, if IA-32e mode is active.	
		31:0	The linear address of the first byte of the DS buffer management area, if not in IA-32e mode.	
		63:32	Reserved if not in IA-32e mode.	
6A0H	1696	IA32_U_CET	Configure User Mode CET (R/W)	Bits 1:0 are defined if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX.CET_SS[07] = 1. Bits 5:2 and bits 63:10 are defined if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EDX.CET_IBT[20] = 1.
		0	SH_STK_EN: When set to 1, enable shadow stacks at CPL3.	
		1	WR_SHSTK_EN: When set to 1, enables the WRSSD/WRSSQ instructions.	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		2	ENDBR_EN: When set to 1, enables indirect branch tracking.	
		3	LEG_IW_EN: Enable legacy compatibility treatment for indirect branch tracking.	
		4	NO_TRACK_EN: When set to 1, enables use of no-track prefix for indirect branch tracking.	
		5	SUPPRESS_DIS: When set to 1, disables suppression of CET indirect branch tracking on legacy compatibility.	
		9:6	Reserved; must be zero.	
		10	SUPPRESS: When set to 1, indirect branch tracking is suppressed. This bit can be written to 1 only if TRACKER is written as IDLE.	
		11	TRACKER: Value of the indirect branch tracking state machine. Values: IDLE (0), WAIT_FOR_ENDBRANCH(1).	
		63:12	EB_LEG_BITMAP_BASE: Linear address bits 63:12 of a legacy code page bitmap used for legacy compatibility when indirect branch tracking is enabled. If the processor does not support Intel 64 architecture, these fields have only 32 bits; bits 63:32 of the MSRs are reserved. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture this value cannot represent a non-canonical address. In protected mode, only 31:0 are loaded. The linear address written must be aligned to 8 bytes and bits 2:0 must be 0 (hardware requires bits 1:0 to be 0).	
6A2H	1698	IA32_S_CET	Configure Supervisor Mode CET (R/W)	See IA32_U_CET (6A0H) for reference; similar format.
6A4H	1700	IA32_PLO_SSP	Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 0. (R/W) If the processor does not support Intel 64 architecture, these fields have only 32 bits; bits 63:32 of the MSRs are reserved. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture this value cannot represent a non-canonical address. In protected mode, only 31:0 are loaded. The linear address written must be aligned to 8 bytes and bits 2:0 must be 0 (hardware requires bits 1:0 to be 0).	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX.CET_SS[07] = 1

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
6A5H	1701	IA32_PL1_SSP	Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 1. (R/W) If the processor does not support Intel 64 architecture, these fields have only 32 bits; bits 63:32 of the MSRs are reserved. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture this value cannot represent a non-canonical address. In protected mode, only 31:0 are loaded. The linear address written must be aligned to 8 bytes and bits 2:0 must be 0 (hardware requires bits 1:0 to be 0).	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX.CET_SS[07] = 1
6A6H	1702	IA32_PL2_SSP	Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 2. (R/W) If the processor does not support Intel 64 architecture, these fields have only 32 bits; bits 63:32 of the MSRs are reserved. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture this value cannot represent a non-canonical address. In protected mode, only 31:0 are loaded. The linear address written must be aligned to 8 bytes and bits 2:0 must be 0 (hardware requires bits 1:0 to be 0).	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX.CET_SS[07] = 1
6A7H	1703	IA32_PL3_SSP	Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 3. (R/W) If the processor does not support Intel 64 architecture, these fields have only 32 bits; bits 63:32 of the MSRs are reserved. On processors that support Intel 64 architecture this value cannot represent a non-canonical address. In protected mode, only 31:0 are loaded. The linear address written must be aligned to 8 bytes and bits 2:0 must be 0 (hardware requires bits 1:0 to be 0).	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX.CET_SS[07] = 1
6A8H	1704	IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR	Linear address of a table of seven shadow stack pointers that are selected in IA-32e mode using the IST index (when not 0) from the interrupt gate descriptor. (R/W) This MSR is not present on processors that do not support Intel 64 architecture. This field cannot represent a non-canonical address.	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX.CET_SS[07] = 1
6E0H	1760	IA32_TSC_DEADLINE	TSC Target of Local APIC's TSC Deadline Mode (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[24] = 1

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
6E1H	1761	IA32_PKRS	Specifies the PK permissions associated with each protection domain for supervisor pages (R/W)	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX.PKS [31] = 1
		31:0	For domain i (i between 0 and 15), bits 2i and 2i+1 contain the AD and WD permissions, respectively.	
		63:32	Reserved.	
770H	1904	IA32_PM_ENABLE	Enable/disable HWP (R/W)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		0	HWP_ENABLE (R/W1-Once) See Section 15.4.2, "Enabling HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		63:1	Reserved	
771H	1905	IA32_HWP_CAPABILITIES	HWP Performance Range Enumeration (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		7:0	Highest_Performance See Section 15.4.3, "HWP Performance Range and Dynamic Capabilities."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		15:8	Guaranteed_Performance See Section 15.4.3, "HWP Performance Range and Dynamic Capabilities."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		23:16	Most_Efficient_Performance See Section 15.4.3, "HWP Performance Range and Dynamic Capabilities".	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		31:24	Lowest_Performance See Section 15.4.3, "HWP Performance Range and Dynamic Capabilities."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		63:32	Reserved	
772H	1906	IA32_HWP_REQUEST_PKG	Power Management Control Hints for All Logical Processors in a Package (R/W)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[11] = 1
		7:0	Minimum_Performance See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[11] = 1
		15:8	Maximum_Performance See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[11] = 1
		23:16	Desired_Performance See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[11] = 1
		31:24	Energy_Performance_Preference See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[11] = 1 && CPUID.06H:EAX.[10] = 1
		41:32	Activity_Window See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[11] = 1 && CPUID.06H:EAX.[9] = 1
		63:42	Reserved	
773H	1907	IA32_HWP_INTERRUPT	Control HWP Native Interrupts (R/W)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[8] = 1

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		0	EN_Guaranteed_Performance_Change See Section 15.4.6, "HWP Notifications."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[8] = 1
		1	EN_Excursion_Minimum See Section 15.4.6, "HWP Notifications."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[8] = 1
		63:2	Reserved	
774H	1908	IA32_HWP_REQUEST	Power Management Control Hints to a Logical Processor (R/W)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		7:0	Minimum_Performance See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		15:8	Maximum_Performance See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		23:16	Desired_Performance See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		31:24	Energy_Performance_Preference See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1 && CPUID.06H:EAX.[10] = 1
		41:32	Activity_Window See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1 && CPUID.06H:EAX.[9] = 1
		42	Package_Control See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1 && CPUID.06H:EAX.[11] = 1
		63:43	Reserved	
775H	1909	IA32_PECI_HWP_REQUEST_INFO	IA32_PECI_HWP_REQUEST_INFO	
		7:0	Minimum Performance (MINIMUM_PERFORMANCE): Used by OS to read the latest value of Peci minimum performance input. Default value is 0.	
		15:8	Maximum Performance (MAXIMUM_PERFORMANCE): Used by OS to read the latest value of Peci maximum performance input. Default value is 0.	
		23:16	Reserved.	
		31:24	Energy Performance Preference (ENERGY_PERFORMANCE_PREFERENCE): Used by OS to read the latest value of Peci Energy Performance Preference input. Default value is 0.	
		59:32	Reserved.	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		60	EPP PECL Override (EPP_PECL_OVERRIDE): Indicates whether PECL is currently overriding the Energy Performance Preference input. If set to '1', PECL is overriding the Energy Performance Preference input. If clear (0), OS has control over Energy Performance Preference input. Default value is 0.	
		61	Reserved.	
		62	Max PECL Override (MAX_PECL_OVERRIDE): Indicates whether PECL is currently overriding the Maximum Performance input. If set to '1', PECL is overriding the Maximum Performance input. If clear (0), OS has control over Maximum Performance input. Default value is 0.	
		63	Min PECL Override (MIN_PECL_OVERRIDE): Indicates whether PECL is currently overriding the Minimum Performance input. If set to '1', PECL is overriding the Minimum Performance input. If clear (0), OS has control over Minimum Performance input. Default value is 0.	
776H	1910	IA32_HWP_CTL	IA32_HWP_CTL	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[22] = 1
		0	PKG_CTL_POLARITY Defines which HWP Request MSR is used whether Thread level or package level. When package MSR is used, the thread MSR valid bits define which thread MSR fields override the package. Default value is 0.	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[22] = 1
		63:1	Reserved	
777H	1911	IA32_HWP_STATUS	Log bits indicating changes to Guaranteed & excursions to Minimum (R/W)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		0	Guaranteed_Performance_Change (R/WCO) See Section 15.4.5, "HWP Feedback."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		1	Reserved	
		2	Excursion_To_Minimum (R/WCO) See Section 15.4.5, "HWP Feedback."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[7] = 1
		63:3	Reserved	
802H	2050	IA32_X2APIC_APICID	x2APIC ID Register (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1

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Hex	Decimal			
803H	2051	IA32_X2APIC_VERSION	x2APIC Version Register (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
808H	2056	IA32_X2APIC_TPR	x2APIC Task Priority Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
80AH	2058	IA32_X2APIC_PPR	x2APIC Processor Priority Register (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
80BH	2059	IA32_X2APIC_EOI	x2APIC EOI Register (W/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
80DH	2061	IA32_X2APIC_LDR	x2APIC Logical Destination Register (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
80FH	2063	IA32_X2APIC_SIVR	x2APIC Spurious Interrupt Vector Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
810H	2064	IA32_X2APIC_ISR0	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits 31:0 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
811H	2065	IA32_X2APIC_ISR1	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits 63:32 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
812H	2066	IA32_X2APIC_ISR2	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits 95:64 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
813H	2067	IA32_X2APIC_ISR3	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits 127:96 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
814H	2068	IA32_X2APIC_ISR4	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits 159:128 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
815H	2069	IA32_X2APIC_ISR5	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits 191:160 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
816H	2070	IA32_X2APIC_ISR6	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits 223:192 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
817H	2071	IA32_X2APIC_ISR7	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits 255:224 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
818H	2072	IA32_X2APIC_TMRO	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits 31:0 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1

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Hex	Decimal			
819H	2073	IA32_X2APIC_TMR1	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits 63:32 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
81AH	2074	IA32_X2APIC_TMR2	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits 95:64 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
81BH	2075	IA32_X2APIC_TMR3	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits 127:96 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
81CH	2076	IA32_X2APIC_TMR4	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits 159:128 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
81DH	2077	IA32_X2APIC_TMR5	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits 191:160 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
81EH	2078	IA32_X2APIC_TMR6	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits 223:192 (R/O)	If (CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1)
81FH	2079	IA32_X2APIC_TMR7	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits 255:224 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
820H	2080	IA32_X2APIC_IRR0	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits 31:0 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
821H	2081	IA32_X2APIC_IRR1	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits 63:32 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
822H	2082	IA32_X2APIC_IRR2	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits 95:64 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
823H	2083	IA32_X2APIC_IRR3	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits 127:96 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
824H	2084	IA32_X2APIC_IRR4	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits 159:128 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
825H	2085	IA32_X2APIC_IRR5	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits 191:160 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
826H	2086	IA32_X2APIC_IRR6	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits 223:192 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
827H	2087	IA32_X2APIC_IRR7	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits 255:224 (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
828H	2088	IA32_X2APIC_ESR	x2APIC Error Status Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
82FH	2095	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_CMCI	x2APIC LVT Corrected Machine Check Interrupt Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
830H	2096	IA32_X2APIC_ICR	x2APIC Interrupt Command Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
832H	2098	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_TIMER	x2APIC LVT Timer Interrupt Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
833H	2099	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_THERMAL	x2APIC LVT Thermal Sensor Interrupt Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
834H	2100	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_PMI	x2APIC LVT Performance Monitor Interrupt Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
835H	2101	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_LINT0	x2APIC LVT LINT0 Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
836H	2102	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_LINT1	x2APIC LVT LINT1 Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
837H	2103	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_ERROR	x2APIC LVT Error Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
838H	2104	IA32_X2APIC_INIT_COUNT	x2APIC Initial Count Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
839H	2105	IA32_X2APIC_CUR_COUNT	x2APIC Current Count Register (R/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
83EH	2110	IA32_X2APIC_DIV_CONF	x2APIC Divide Configuration Register (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
83FH	2111	IA32_X2APIC_SELF_IPI	x2APIC Self IPI Register (w/O)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[21] = 1 && IA32_APIC_BASE.[10] = 1
981H	2433	IA32_TME_CAPABILITY	Memory Encryption Capability MSR	If CPUID.07H:ECX.[13] = 1
		0	Support for AES-XTS 128-bit encryption algorithm. (NIST standard)	
		1	Support for AES-XTS 128-bit encryption with integrity algorithm.	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		2	Support for AES-XTS 256-bit encryption algorithm.	
		30:3	Reserved.	
		31	TME encryption bypass supported.	
		35:32	MK_TME_MAX_KEYID_BITS Number of bits which can be allocated for usage as key identifiers for multi-key memory encryption. 4 bits allow for a maximum value of 15, which could address 32K keys. Zero if TME-MK is not supported.	
		50:36	MK_TME_MAX_KEYS Indicates the maximum number of keys which are available for usage. This value may not be a power of 2. KeyID 0 is specially reserved and is not accounted for in this field.	
		63:51	Reserved.	
982H	2434	IA32_TME_ACTIVATE	Memory Encryption Activation MSR This MSR is used to lock the MSRs listed below. Any write to the following MSRs will be ignored after they are locked. The lock is reset when CPU is reset. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ IA32_TME_ACTIVATE ▪ IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_MASK ▪ IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_BASE Note that IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_MASK and IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_BASE must be configured before IA32_TME_ACTIVATE.	If CPUID.07H:ECX.[13] = 1
		0	Lock R/O - Will be set upon successful WRMSR (or first SMI); written value ignored.	
		1	Hardware Encryption Enable This bit also enables TME-MK; TME-MK cannot be enabled without enabling encryption hardware.	
		2	Key Select 0: Create a new TME key (expected cold/warm boot). 1: Restore the TME key from storage (Expected when resume from standby).	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		3	Save TME Key for Standby Save key into storage to be used when resume from standby. Note: This may not be supported in all processors.	
		7:4	TME Policy/Encryption Algorithm Only algorithms enumerated in IA32_TME_CAPABILITY are allowed. For example: 0000 - AES-XTS-128. 0001 - AES-XTS-128 with integrity. 0010 - AES-XTS-256. Other values are invalid.	
		30:8	Reserved.	
		31	TME Encryption Bypass Enable When encryption hardware is enabled: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Total Memory Encryption is enabled using a CPU generated ephemeral key based on a hardware random number generator when this bit is set to 0. ▪ Total Memory Encryption is bypassed (no encryption/decryption for KeyID0) when this bit is set to 1. Software must inspect Hardware Encryption Enable (bit 1) and TME encryption bypass Enable (bit 31) to determine if TME encryption is enabled.	
		35:32	MK_TME_KEYID_BITS Reserved if TME-MK is not enumerated, otherwise: The number of key identifier bits to allocate to TME-MK usage. Similar to enumeration, this is an encoded value. Writing a value greater than MK_TME_MAX_KEYID_BITS will result in #GP. Writing a non-zero value to this field will #GP if bit 1 of EAX (Hardware Encryption Enable) is not also set to '1, as encryption hardware must be enabled to use TME-MK. Example: To support 255 keys, this field would be set to a value of 8.	
		47:36	Reserved.	

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		63:48	MK_TME_CRYPTO_ALGS Reserved if TME-MK is not enumerated, otherwise: Bit 48: AES-XTS 128. Bit 49: AES-XTS 128 with integrity. Bit 50: AES-XTS 256. Bit 63:51: Reserved (#GP) Bitmask for BIOS to set which encryption algorithms are allowed for TME-MK, would be later enforced by the key loading ISA ('1 = allowed).	
983H	2435	IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_MASK	Memory Encryption Exclude Mask	If CPUID.07H:ECX.[13] = 1
		10:0	Reserved.	
		11	Enable: When set to '1', then TME_EXCLUDE_BASE and TME_EXCLUDE_MASK are used to define an exclusion region for TME/TME-MK (for KeyID=0).	
		MAXPHYSADDR-1:12	TMEEMASK: This field indicates the bits that must match TMEEBASE in order to qualify as a TME/TME-MK (for KeyID=0) exclusion memory range access.	
		63:MAXPHYSADDR	Reserved; must be zero.	
984H	2436	IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_BASE	Memory Encryption Exclude Base	IF CPUID.07H:ECX.[13] = 1
		11:0	Reserved.	
		MAXPHYSADDR-1:12	TMEEBASE: Base physical address to be excluded for TME/TME-MK (for KeyID=0) encryption.	
		63:MAXPHYSADDR	Reserved; must be zero.	
985H	2437	IA32_UINTR_RR	User Interrupt Request Register (R/W)	IF CPUID.07H.01H:EDX[13]=1
		63:0	UIRR Bitmap of requested user interrupt vectors.	
986H	2438	IA32_UINTR_HANDLER	User Interrupt Handler Address (R/W)	IF CPUID.07H.01H:EDX[13]=1
		63:0	UIHANDLER User interrupt handler linear address.	
987H	2439	IA32_UINTR_STACKADJUST	User Interrupt Stack Adjustment (R/W)	IF CPUID.07H.01H:EDX[13]=1
		0	LOAD_RSP User interrupt stack mode.	
		2:1	Reserved.	

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Hex	Decimal			
		63:3	STACK_ADJUST Stack adjust value.	
988H	2440	IA32_UINTR_MISC	User-Interrupt Target-Table Size and Notification Vector (R/W)	If CPUID.07H.01H:EDX[13]=1
		31:0	UITTSZ The highest index of a valid entry in the user-interrupt target table. Valid entries are indices 0..UITTSZ (inclusive).	
		39:32	UINV User-interrupt notification vector.	
		63:40	Reserved.	
989H	2441	IA32_UINTR_PD	User Interrupt PID Address (R/W)	If CPUID.07H.01H:EDX[13]=1
		5:0	Reserved.	
		63:6	UPIDADDR User-interrupt notification processing accesses a UPID at this linear address.	
98AH	2442	IA32_UINTR_TT	User-Interrupt Target Table (R/W)	If CPUID.07H.01H:EDX[13]=1
		0	SENDUIPI_ENABLE User-interrupt target table is valid.	
		3:1	Reserved.	
		63:4	UITTADDR User-interrupt target table base linear address.	
990H	2448	IA32_COPY_STATUS ⁵	Status of Most Recent Platform to Local or Local to Platform Copies (R/O)	If ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(07H,0).ECX[23] = 1))
		0	IWKEY_COPY_SUCCESSFUL Status of most recent copy to or from IwKeyBackup	If ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(07H,0).ECX[23] = 1))
		63:1	Reserved	
991H	2449	IA32_IWKEYBACKUP_STATUS ⁵	Information about IwKeyBackup Register (R/O)	If ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(07H,0).ECX[23] = 1))

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Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		0	Backup/Restore Valid Cleared when a write to <code>lWKeyBackup</code> is initiated, and then set when the latest write of <code>lWKeyBackup</code> has been written to storage that persists across S3/S4 sleep state. If S3/S4 is entered between when an <code>lWKeyBackup</code> write occurs and when this bit is set, then <code>lWKeyBackup</code> may not be recovered after S3/S4 exit. During S3/S4 sleep state exit (system wake up), this bit is cleared. It is set again when <code>lWKeyBackup</code> is restored from persistent storage and thus available to be copied to <code>lWKey</code> using <code>IA32_COPY_PLATFORM_TO_LOCAL</code> MSR. Another write to <code>lWKeyBackup</code> (via <code>IA32_COPY_LOCAL_TO_PLATFORM</code> MSR) may fail if a previous write has not yet set this bit.	IF ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(07H,0).ECX[23] = 1))
		1	Reserved	
		2	Backup Key Storage Read/Write Error Updated prior to backup/restore valid being set. Set when an error is encountered while backing up or restoring a key to persistent storage.	IF ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(07H,0).ECX[23] = 1))
		3	<code>lWKeyBackup</code> Consumed Set after the previous backup operation has been consumed by the platform. This does not indicate that the system is ready for a second <code>lWKeyBackup</code> write as the previous <code>lWKeyBackup</code> write may still need to set Backup/restore valid.	IF ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(07H,0).ECX[23] = 1))
		63:4	Reserved	
C80H	3200	IA32_DEBUG_INTERFACE	Silicon Debug Feature Control (R/W)	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[11] = 1
		0	Enable (R/W) BIOS set 1 to enable Silicon debug features. Default is 0.	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[11] = 1
		29:1	Reserved	
		30	Lock (R/W): If 1, locks any further change to the MSR. The lock bit is set automatically on the first SMI assertion even if not explicitly set by BIOS. Default is 0.	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[11] = 1
		31	Debug Occurred (R/O): This “sticky bit” is set by hardware to indicate the status of bit 0. Default is 0.	If CPUID.01H:ECX.[11] = 1
		63:32	Reserved	
C81H	3201	IA32_L3_QOS_CFG	L3 QOS Configuration (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);ECX.[2] = 1)

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		0	Enable (R/W) Set 1 to enable L3 CAT masks and COS to operate in Code and Data Prioritization (CDP) mode.	
		63:1	Reserved. Attempts to write to reserved bits result in a #GP(0).	
C82H	3202	IA32_L2_QOS_CFG	L2 QOS Configuration (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2):ECX.[2] = 1)
		0	Enable (R/W) Set 1 to enable L2 CAT masks and COS to operate in Code and Data Prioritization (CDP) mode.	
		63:1	Reserved. Attempts to write to reserved bits result in a #GP(0).	
C8DH	3213	IA32_QM_EVTSEL	Monitoring Event Select Register (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.[12] = 1)
		7:0	Event ID: ID of a supported monitoring event to report via IA32_QM_CTR.	
		31: 8	Reserved	
		N+31:32	Resource Monitoring ID: ID for monitoring hardware to report monitored data via IA32_QM_CTR.	N = Ceil (Log ₂ (CPUID.(EAX= 0FH, ECX=0H):EBX[31:0] + 1))
		63:N+32	Reserved	
C8EH	3214	IA32_QM_CTR	Monitoring Counter Register (R/O)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.[12] = 1)
		61:0	Resource Monitored Data	
		62	Unavailable: If 1, indicates data for this RMID is not available or not monitored for this resource or RMID.	
		63	Error: If 1, indicates an unsupported RMID or event type was written to IA32_PQR_QM_EVTSEL.	
C8FH	3215	IA32_PQR_ASSOC	Resource Association Register (R/W)	If ((CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[12] = 1) or (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX[15] = 1))
		N-1:0	Resource Monitoring ID (R/W): ID for monitoring hardware to track internal operation, e.g., memory access.	N = Ceil (Log ₂ (CPUID.(EAX= 0FH, ECX=0H):EBX[31:0] + 1))
		31:N	Reserved	
		63:32	COS (R/W): The class of service (COS) to enforce (on writes); returns the current COS when read.	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.[15] = 1)

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
C90H - D8FH	3216 - 3471	Reserved MSR Address Space for CAT Mask Registers	See Section 18.19.4.1, "Enumeration and Detection Support of Cache Allocation Technology."	
C90H	3216	IA32_L3_MASK_0	L3 CAT Mask for COS0 (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=0H):EBX[1] != 0)
		31:0	Capacity Bit Mask (R/W)	
		63:32	Reserved	
C90H+n	3216+n	IA32_L3_MASK_n	L3 CAT Mask for COSn (R/W)	n = CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1H):EDX[15:0]
		31:0	Capacity Bit Mask (R/W)	
		63:32	Reserved	
D10H - D4FH	3344 - 3407	Reserved MSR Address Space for L2 CAT Mask Registers	See Section 18.19.4.1, "Enumeration and Detection Support of Cache Allocation Technology."	
D10H	3344	IA32_L2_MASK_0	L2 CAT Mask for COS0 (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=0H):EBX[2] != 0)
		31:0	Capacity Bit Mask (R/W)	
		63:32	Reserved	
D10H+n	3344+n	IA32_L2_MASK_n	L2 CAT Mask for COSn (R/W)	n = CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=2H):EDX[15:0]
		31:0	Capacity Bit Mask (R/W)	
		63:32	Reserved	
D90H	3472	IA32_BNDCFGS	Supervisor State of MPX Configuration (R/W)	If (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):EBX[14] = 1)
		0	EN: Enable Intel MPX in supervisor mode.	
		1	BNDPRESERVE: Preserve the bounds registers for near branch instructions in the absence of the BND prefix.	
		11:2	Reserved, must be zero.	
		63:12	Base Address of Bound Directory.	
D91H	3473	IA32_COPY_LOCAL_TO_PLATFORM ⁵	Copy Local State to Platform State (w)	If ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H):ECX[23] = 1))

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		0	IAKeyBackup Copy IAKey to IAKeyBackup	IF ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H).ECX[23] = 1))
		63:1	Reserved	
D92H	3474	IA32_COPY_PLATFORM_TO_LOCAL ⁵	Copy Platform State to Local State (W)	IF ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H).ECX[23] = 1))
		0	IAKeyBackup Copy IAKeyBackup to IAKey	IF ((CPUID.19H:EBX[4] = 1) && (CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H).ECX[23] = 1))
		63:1	Reserved	
D93H	3475	IA32_PASID	Process Address Space Identifier (R/W)	
		19:0	Process address space identifier (PASID). Specifies the PASID of the currently running software thread.	
		30:20	Reserved	
		31	Valid. Execution of ENQCMD causes a #GP if this bit is clear.	
		63:32	Reserved	
DA0H	3488	IA32_XSS	Extended Supervisor State Mask (R/W)	If (CPUID.(0DH, 1):EAX.[3] = 1)
		7:0	Reserved.	
		8	PT State (R/W)	
		9	Reserved.	
		10	PASID State (R/W)	
		11	CET_U State (R/W)	
		12	CET_S State (R/W)	
		13	HDC State (R/W)	
		14	UINTR State (R/W)	
		15	LBR State (R/W)	
		16	HWP State (R/W)	
		63:17	Reserved.	
DB0H	3504	IA32_PKG_HDC_CTL	Package Level Enable/disable HDC (R/W)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[13] = 1
		0	HDC_Pkg_Enable (R/W) Force HDC idling or wake up HDC-idled logical processors in the package. See Section 15.5.2, "Package level Enabling HDC."	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[13] = 1
		63:1	Reserved	
DB1H	3505	IA32_PM_CTL1	Enable/disable HWP (R/W)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[13] = 1

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		0	HDC_Allow_Block (R/W) Allow/Block this logical processor for package level HDC control. See Section 15.5.3.	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[13] = 1
		63:1	Reserved	
DB2H	3506	IA32_THREAD_STALL	Per-Logical_Processor_ID HDC Idle Residency (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[13] = 1
		63:0	Stall_Cycle_Cnt (R/W) Stalled cycles due to HDC forced idle on this logical processor. See Section 15.5.4.1.	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[13] = 1
1200H - 121FH	4608 - 4639	IA32_LBR_x_INFO	Last Branch Record Entry X Info Register (R/W) An attempt to read or write IA32_LBR_x_INFO such that x ≥ IA32_LBR_DEPTH.DEPTH will #GP.	
		15:0	CYC_CNT The elapsed CPU cycles (saturating) since the last LBR was recorded. See Section 18.1.3.3.	Reset Value: 0
		55:16	Undefined, may be zero or non-zero. Writes of non-zero values do not fault, but reads may return a different value.	Reset Value: 0
		59:56	BR_TYPE The branch type recorded by this LBR. Encodings: 0000B: COND 0001B: JMP Indirect 0010B: JMP Direct 0011B: CALL Indirect 0100B: CALL Direct 0101B: RET 011xB: Reserved 1xxxB: Other Branch	Reset Value: 0
		60	CYC_CNT_VALID CYC_CNT value is valid. See Section 19.1.3.3.	Reset Value: 0
		61	TSX_ABORT This LBR record is a TSX abort. On processors that do not support Intel TSX (CPUID.07H:EBX.HLE[bit 4]=0 and CPUID.07H:EBX.RTM[bit 11]=0), this bit is undefined.	Reset Value: 0

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		62	IN_TSX This LBR record records a branch that retired during a TSX transaction. On processors that do not support Intel TSX (CPUID.07H.EBX.HLE[bit 4]=0 and CPUID.07H.EBX.RTM[bit 11]=0), this bit is undefined.	Reset Value: 0
		63	MISPRED The recorded branch direction (conditional branch) or target (indirect branch) was mispredicted.	Reset Value: 0
1406H	5126	IA32_MCU_CONTROL	MCU Control (R/W) Controls the behavior of the Microcode Update Trigger MSR, IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG.	If CPUID.07H.0H:EDX[29]=1 && MSR.IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES.MCU_CONTROL=1
		0	LOCK Once set, further writes to this MSR will cause a #GP(0) fault. Bypassed during SMM if EN_SMM_BYPASS (bit 2) is set.	
		1	DIS_MCU_LOAD If this bit is set on a given logical processor, then any subsequent attempts to load a microcode update by that logical processor will be silently dropped (WRMSR 0x79 has no effect).	
		2	EN_SMM_BYPASS If set, then writes to IA32_MCU_CONTROL are allowed during SMM regardless of the LOCK bit. This enables BIOS to Opt-In to the SMM Bypass functionality.	
		63:3	Reserved.	
14CEH	5326	IA32_LBR_CTL	Last Branch Record Enabling and Configuration Register (R/W)	
		0	LBREn When set, enables LBR recording.	Reset Value: 0
		1	OS When set, allows LBR recording when CPL == 0.	Reset Value: 0
		2	USR When set, allows LBR recording when CPL != 0.	Reset Value: 0
		3	CALL_STACK When set, records branches in call-stack mode. See Section 19.1.2.4.	Reset Value: 0

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		15:4	Reserved	Reset Value: 0
		16	COND When set, records taken conditional branches. See Section 19.1.2.3.	
		17	NEAR_REL_JMP When set, records near relative JMPs. See Section 19.1.2.3.	
		18	NEAR_IND_JMP When set, records near indirect JMPs. See Section 19.1.2.3.	
		19	NEAR_REL_CALL When set, records near relative CALLs. See Section 19.1.2.3.	
		20	NEAR_IND_CALL When set, records near indirect CALLs. See Section 19.1.2.3.	
		21	NEAR_RET When set, records near RETs. See Section 19.1.2.3.	
		22	OTHER_BRANCH When set, records other branches. See Section 19.1.2.3.	
		63:23	Reserved	
14CFH	5327	IA32_LBR_DEPTH	Last Branch Record Maximum Stack Depth Register (R/W)	
		N:0	DEPTH The number of LBRs to be used for recording. Supported values are indicated by the bitmap in CPUID.(EAX=01CH,ECX=0):EAX[7:0]. The reset value will match the maximum supported by the CPU. Writes of unsupported values will #GP fault.	Reset Value: Varies
		63:N+1	Reserved	Reset Value: 0
1500H - 151FH	5376 - 5407	IA32_LBR_x_FROM_IP	Last Branch Record entry X source IP register (R/W). An attempt to read or write IA32_LBR_x_FROM_IP such that $x \geq$ IA32_LBR_DEPTH.DEPTH will #GP.	
		63:0	FROM_IP The source IP of the recorded branch or event, in canonical form. Writes to bits above MAXLINADDR-1 are ignored.	Reset Value: 0

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
1600H - 161FH	5632 -	IA32_LBR_x_TO_IP	Last Branch Record Entry X Destination IP Register (R/W) An attempt to read or write IA32_LBR_x_TO_IP such that $x \geq$ IA32_LBR_DEPTH.DEPTH will #GP.	
	5663	63:0	TO_IP The destination IP of the recorded branch or event, in canonical form. Writes to bits above MAXLINADDR-1 are ignored.	Reset Value: 0
17D0H	6096	IA32_HW_FEEDBACK_PTR	Hardware Feedback Interface Pointer	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[19] = 1
		0	Valid (R/W) When set to 1, indicates a valid pointer is programmed into the ADDR field of the MSR.	
		11:1	Reserved	
		(MAXPHYADDR-1):12	ADDR (R/W) Physical address of the page frame of the first page of the hardware feedback interface structure.	
		63:MAXPHYADDR	Reserved	
17D1H	6097	IA32_HW_FEEDBACK_CONFIG	Hardware Feedback Interface Configuration	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[19] = 1
		0	Enable (R/W) When set to 1, enables the hardware feedback interface.	
		63:1	Reserved	
17D2H	6098	IA32_THREAD_FEEDBACK_CHAR	Thread Feedback Characteristics (R/O)	If CPUID.06H:EAX.[23] = 1
		7:0	Application Class ID, pointing into the Intel Thread Director structure.	
		62:8	Reserved	
		63	Valid bit. When set to 1 the OS Scheduler can use the Class ID (in bits 7:0) for its scheduling decisions. If this bit is 0, the Class ID field should be ignored. It is recommended that the OS uses the last known Class ID of the software thread for its scheduling decisions.	
17D4H	6100	IA32_HW_FEEDBACK_THREAD_CONFIG	Hardware Feedback Thread Configuration (R/W)	
		0	Enables Intel Thread Director. When set to 1, logical processor scope Intel Thread Director is enabled. Default is 0 (disabled).	
		63:1	Reserved	
17DAH	6106	IA32_HRESET_ENABLE	History Reset Enable (R/W)	

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
		0	Enable reset of the Intel Thread Director history.	
		31:1	Reserved for other capabilities that can be reset by the HRESET instruction.	
		63:32	Reserved	
1B01H	6913	IA32_UARCH_MISC_CTL	IA32_UARCH_MISC_CTL	If IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES[12]=1
		0	Data Operand Independent Timing Mode (DOITM)	If IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES[12]=1
		63:1	Reserved	
4000_0000H - 4000_00FFH		Reserved MSR Address Space	All existing and future processors will not implement MSRs in this range.	
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	Extended Feature Enables	If (CPUID.80000001H:EDX.[20] CPUID.80000001H:EDX.[29])
		0	SYSCALL Enable: IA32_EFER.SCE (R/W) Enables SYSCALL/SYSRET instructions in 64-bit mode.	
		7:1	Reserved	
		8	IA-32e Mode Enable: IA32_EFER.LME (R/W) Enables IA-32e mode operation.	
		9	Reserved	
		10	IA-32e Mode Active: IA32_EFER.LMA (R) Indicates IA-32e mode is active when set.	
		11	Execute Disable Bit Enable: IA32_EFER.NXE (R/W)	
		63:12	Reserved	
C000_0081H		IA32_STAR	System Call Target Address (R/W)	If CPUID.80000001:EDX.[29] = 1
C000_0082H		IA32_LSTAR	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) Target RIP for the called procedure when SYSCALL is executed in 64-bit mode.	If CPUID.80000001:EDX.[29] = 1

Table 2-2. IA-32 Architectural MSRs (Contd.)

Register Address		Architectural MSR Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	MSR/Bit Description	Comment
Hex	Decimal			
C000_0083H		IA32_CSTAR	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) Not used, as the SYSCALL instruction is not recognized in compatibility mode.	If CPUID.80000001:EDX.[29] = 1
C000_0084H		IA32_FMASK	System Call Flag Mask (R/W)	If CPUID.80000001:EDX.[29] = 1
C000_0100H		IA32_FS_BASE	Map of BASE Address of FS (R/W)	If CPUID.80000001:EDX.[29] = 1
C000_0101H		IA32_GS_BASE	Map of BASE Address of GS (R/W)	If CPUID.80000001:EDX.[29] = 1
C000_0102H		IA32_KERNEL_GS_BASE	Swap Target of BASE Address of GS (R/W)	If CPUID.80000001:EDX.[29] = 1
C000_0103H		IA32_TSC_AUX	Auxiliary TSC (R/W)	If CPUID.80000001H: EDX[27] = 1 or CPUID.(EAX=7,ECX=0):ECX[bit 22] = 1
		31:0	AUX: Auxiliary signature of TSC.	
		63:32	Reserved	

NOTES:

1. Some older processors may have supported this MSR as model-specific and do not enumerate it with CPUID.
2. In processors based on Intel NetBurst® microarchitecture, MSR addresses 180H-197H are supported, software must treat them as model-specific. Starting with Intel Core Duo processors, MSR addresses 180H-185H, 188H-197H are reserved.
3. The *_ADDR MSRs may or may not be present; this depends on flag settings in IA32_MCI_STATUS. See Section 16.3.2.3 and Section 16.3.2.4 for more information.
4. MAXPHYADDR is reported by CPUID.80000008H:EAX[7:0].
5. Further details on Key Locker and usage of this MSR can be found here:

<https://software.intel.com/content/www/us/en/develop/download/intel-key-locker-specification.html>.

2.2 MSRS IN THE INTEL® CORE™ 2 PROCESSOR FAMILY

Table 2-3 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) for the Intel Core 2 processor family and for Intel Xeon processors based on Intel Core microarchitecture, architectural MSR addresses are also included in Table 2-3. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_0FH, see Table 2-1.

MSRs listed in Table 2-2 and Table 2-3 are also supported by processors based on the Enhanced Intel Core microarchitecture. Processors based on the Enhanced Intel Core microarchitecture have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_17H.

The column “Shared/Unique” applies to multi-core processors based on Intel Core microarchitecture. “Unique” means each processor core has a separate MSR, or a bit field in an MSR governs only a core independently. “Shared” means the MSR or the bit field in an MSR address governs the operation of both processor cores.

Table 2-3. MSRs in Processors Based on Intel® Core™ Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
0H	0	IA32_P5_MC_ADDR	Unique	See Section 2.23, “MSRs in Pentium Processors.”
1H	1	IA32_P5_MC_TYPE	Unique	See Section 2.23, “MSRs in Pentium Processors.”
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_SIZE	Unique	See Section 9.10.5, “Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination,” and Table 2-2.
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	Unique	See Section 18.17, “Time-Stamp Counter,” and see Table 2-2.
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	Shared	Platform ID (R) See Table 2-2.
17H	23	MSR_PLATFORM_ID	Shared	Model Specific Platform ID (R)
		7:0		Reserved
		12:8		Maximum Qualified Ratio (R) The maximum allowed bus ratio.
		49:13		Reserved
		52:50		See Table 2-2.
		63:53		Reserved
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE	Unique	See Section 11.4.4, “Local APIC Status and Location,” and Table 2-2.
2AH	42	MSR_EBL_CR_POWERON	Shared	Processor Hard Power-On Configuration (R/W) Enables and disables processor features; (R) indicates current processor configuration.
		0		Reserved
		1		Data Error Checking Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processors implement R/W.
		2		Response Error Checking Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processor implements R/W.
		3		MCERR# Drive Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processors implement R/W.
		4		Address Parity Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processors implement R/W.
		5		Reserved
		6		Reserved

Table 2-3. MSRs in Processors Based on Intel® Core™ Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		7		BINIT# Driver Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processors implement R/W.
		8		Output Tri-state Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		9		Execute BIST (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		10		MCERR# Observation Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		11		Intel TXT Capable Chipset. (R/O) 1 = Present; 0 = Not Present
		12		BINIT# Observation Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		13		Reserved
		14		1 MByte Power on Reset Vector (R/O) 1 = 1 MByte; 0 = 4 GBytes
		15		Reserved
		17:16		APIC Cluster ID (R/O)
		18		N/2 Non-Integer Bus Ratio (R/O) 0 = Integer ratio; 1 = Non-integer ratio
		19		Reserved
		21:20		Symmetric Arbitration ID (R/O)
		26:22		Integer Bus Frequency Ratio (R/O)
3AH	58	MSR_FEATURE_CONTROL	Unique	Control Features in Intel 64 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		3	Unique	SMRR Enable (R/WL) When this bit is set and the lock bit is set, this makes the SMRR_PHYS_BASE and SMRR_PHYS_MASK registers read visible and writeable while in SMM.
40H	64	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 0 From IP (R/W) One of four pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. The From_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.5.
41H	65	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 1 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
42H	66	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 2 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.

Table 2-3. MSRs in Processors Based on Intel® Core™ Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
43H	67	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 3 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
60H	96	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 0 To IP (R/W) One of four pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. This To_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the destination instruction.
61H	97	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 1 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
62H	98	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 2 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
63H	99	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 3 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	Unique	BIOS Update Trigger Register (W) See Table 2-2.
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID	Unique	BIOS Update Signature ID (R/W) See Table 2-2.
A0H	160	MSR_SMRR_PHYSBASE	Unique	System Management Mode Base Address register (WO in SMM) Model-specific implementation of SMRR-like interface, read visible and write only in SMM.
		11:0		Reserved
		31:12		PhysBase: SMRR physical Base Address.
		63:32		Reserved
A1H	161	MSR_SMRR_PHYSMASK	Unique	System Management Mode Physical Address Mask register (WO in SMM) Model-specific implementation of SMRR-like interface, read visible and write only in SMM.
		10:0		Reserved
		11		Valid: Physical address base and range mask are valid.
		31:12		PhysMask: SMRR physical address range mask.
		63:32		Reserved
C1H	193	IA32_PMC0	Unique	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C2H	194	IA32_PMC1	Unique	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
CDH	205	MSR_FSB_FREQ	Shared	Scaleable Bus Speed (R/O) This field indicates the intended scaleable bus clock speed for processors based on Intel Core microarchitecture.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2:0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 101B: 100 MHz (FSB 400) ▪ 001B: 133 MHz (FSB 533) ▪ 011B: 167 MHz (FSB 667) ▪ 010B: 200 MHz (FSB 800) ▪ 000B: 267 MHz (FSB 1067) ▪ 100B: 333 MHz (FSB 1333)
				<p>133.33 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 001B.</p> <p>166.67 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 011B.</p> <p>266.67 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 000B.</p> <p>333.33 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 100B.</p>
		63:3		Reserved
CDH	205	MSR_FSB_FREQ	Shared	<p>Scaleable Bus Speed (R/O)</p> <p>This field indicates the intended scaleable bus clock speed for processors based on Enhanced Intel Core microarchitecture.</p>
		2:0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 101B: 100 MHz (FSB 400) ▪ 001B: 133 MHz (FSB 533) ▪ 011B: 167 MHz (FSB 667) ▪ 010B: 200 MHz (FSB 800) ▪ 000B: 267 MHz (FSB 1067) ▪ 100B: 333 MHz (FSB 1333) ▪ 110B: 400 MHz (FSB 1600)
				<p>133.33 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 001B.</p> <p>166.67 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 011B.</p> <p>266.67 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 110B.</p> <p>333.33 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 111B.</p>
		63:3		Reserved
E7H	231	IA32_MPERF	Unique	<p>Maximum Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W)</p> <p>See Table 2-2.</p>
E8H	232	IA32_APERF	Unique	<p>Actual Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W)</p> <p>See Table 2-2.</p>
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
		11	Unique	SMRR Capability Using MSR OAOH and OA1H (R)
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	Unique	See Table 2-2.
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	Unique	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Unique	Global Machine Check Status
		0		RIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) can be used to restart the program. If cleared, the program cannot be reliably restarted.
		1		EIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) is directly associated with the error.
		2		MCIP When set, bit indicates that a machine check has been generated. If a second machine check is detected while this bit is still set, the processor enters a shutdown state. Software should write this bit to 0 after processing a machine check exception.
		63:3		Reserved
186H	390	IA32_PERFEVTSELO	Unique	See Table 2-2.
187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1	Unique	See Table 2-2.
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	Shared	See Table 2-2.
198H	408	MSR_PERF_STATUS	Shared	Current performance status. See Section 15.1.1, "Software Interface For Initiating Performance State Transitions."
		15:0		Current Performance State Value
		30:16		Reserved
		31		XE Operation (R/O). If set, XE operation is enabled. Default is cleared.
		39:32		Reserved
		44:40		Maximum Bus Ratio (R/O) Indicates maximum bus ratio configured for the processor.
		45		Reserved
		46		Non-Integer Bus Ratio (R/O) Indicates non-integer bus ratio is enabled. Applies processors based on Enhanced Intel Core microarchitecture.
		63:47		Reserved
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	Unique	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Unique	Clock Modulation (R/W) See Table 2-2. IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION MSR was originally named IA32_THERM_CONTROL MSR.
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Unique	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Unique	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19DH	413	MSR_THERM2_CTL	Unique	Thermal Monitor 2 Control
		15:0		Reserved
		16		TM_SELECT (R/W) Mode of automatic thermal monitor: 0 = Thermal Monitor 1 (thermally-initiated on-die modulation of the stop-clock duty cycle). 1 = Thermal Monitor 2 (thermally-initiated frequency transitions). If bit 3 of the IA32_MISC_ENABLE register is cleared, TM_SELECT has no effect. Neither TM1 nor TM2 are enabled.
		63:16		Reserved
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE		Enable Misc. Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		0		Fast-Strings Enable See Table 2-2.
		2:1		Reserved
		3	Unique	Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		6:4		Reserved
		7	Shared	Performance Monitoring Available (R) See Table 2-2.
		8		Reserved
		9		Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) When set, disables the hardware prefetcher operation on streams of data. When clear (default), enables the prefetch queue. Disabling of the hardware prefetcher may impact processor performance.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		10	Shared	FERR# Multiplexing Enable (R/W) 1 = FERR# asserted by the processor to indicate a pending break event within the processor. 0 = Indicates compatible FERR# signaling behavior. This bit must be set to 1 to support XAPIC interrupt model usage.
		11	Shared	Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		12	Shared	Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		13	Shared	TM2 Enable (R/W) When this bit is set (1) and the thermal sensor indicates that the die temperature is at the pre-determined threshold, the Thermal Monitor 2 mechanism is engaged. TM2 will reduce the bus to core ratio and voltage according to the value last written to MSR_THERM2_CTL bits 15:0.
				When this bit is clear (0, default), the processor does not change the VID signals or the bus to core ratio when the processor enters a thermally managed state. The BIOS must enable this feature if the TM2 feature flag (CPUID.1:ECX[8]) is set; if the TM2 feature flag is not set, this feature is not supported and BIOS must not alter the contents of the TM2 bit location. The processor is operating out of specification if both this bit and the TM1 bit are set to 0.
		15:14		Reserved
		16	Shared	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		18	Shared	ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		19	Shared	Adjacent Cache Line Prefetch Disable (R/W) When set to 1, the processor fetches the cache line that contains data currently required by the processor. When set to 0, the processor fetches cache lines that comprise a cache line pair (128 bytes). Single processor platforms should not set this bit. Server platforms should set or clear this bit based on platform performance observed in validation and testing. BIOS may contain a setup option that controls the setting of this bit.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		20	Shared	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Select Lock (R/W/O) When set, this bit causes the following bits to become read-only: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Select Lock (this bit). Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable bit. The bit must be set before an Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology transition is requested. This bit is cleared on reset.
		21		Reserved
		22	Shared	Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		23	Shared	xTPR Message Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		33:24		Reserved
		34	Unique	XD Bit Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		36:35		Reserved
		37	Unique	DCU Prefetcher Disable (R/W) When set to 1, the DCU L1 data cache prefetcher is disabled. The default value after reset is 0. BIOS may write '1' to disable this feature. The DCU prefetcher is an L1 data cache prefetcher. When the DCU prefetcher detects multiple loads from the same line done within a time limit, the DCU prefetcher assumes the next line will be required. The next line is prefetched in to the L1 data cache from memory or L2.
		38	Shared	IDA Disable (R/W) When set to 1 on processors that support IDA, the Intel Dynamic Acceleration feature (IDA) is disabled and the IDA_Enable feature flag will be cleared (CPUID.06H: EAX[1]=0). When set to a 0 on processors that support IDA, CPUID.06H: EAX[1] reports the processor's support of IDA is enabled. Note: The power-on default value is used by BIOS to detect hardware support of IDA. If the power-on default value is 1, IDA is available in the processor. If the power-on default value is 0, IDA is not available.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		39	Unique	IP Prefetcher Disable (R/W) When set to 1, the IP prefetcher is disabled. The default value after reset is 0. BIOS may write '1' to disable this feature. The IP prefetcher is an L1 data cache prefetcher. The IP prefetcher looks for sequential load history to determine whether to prefetch the next expected data into the L1 cache from memory or L2.
		63:40		Reserved
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Unique	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-3) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record. See MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (at 40H).
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL	Unique	Debug Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1DDH	477	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	Unique	Last Exception Record From Linear IP (R/W) Contains a pointer to the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
1DEH	478	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	Unique	Last Exception Record To Linear IP (R/W) This area contains a pointer to the target of the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
200H	512	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE0	Unique	See Table 2-2.
201H	513	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK0	Unique	See Table 2-2.
202H	514	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE1	Unique	See Table 2-2.
203H	515	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK1	Unique	See Table 2-2.
204H	516	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE2	Unique	See Table 2-2.
205H	517	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK2	Unique	See Table 2-2.
206H	518	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE3	Unique	See Table 2-2.
207H	519	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK3	Unique	See Table 2-2.
208H	520	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE4	Unique	See Table 2-2.
209H	521	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK4	Unique	See Table 2-2.
20AH	522	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE5	Unique	See Table 2-2.
20BH	523	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK5	Unique	See Table 2-2.
20CH	524	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE6	Unique	See Table 2-2.
20DH	525	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK6	Unique	See Table 2-2.
20EH	526	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE7	Unique	See Table 2-2.
20FH	527	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK7	Unique	See Table 2-2.

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Hex	Dec			
250H	592	IA32_MTRR_FIX64K_00000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
258H	600	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_80000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
259H	601	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_A0000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
268H	616	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C0000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
269H	617	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C8000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
26AH	618	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D0000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
26BH	619	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D8000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
26CH	620	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E0000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
26DH	621	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E8000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
26EH	622	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F0000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
26FH	623	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F8000	Unique	See Table 2-2.
277H	631	IA32_PAT	Unique	See Table 2-2.
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	Unique	Default Memory Types (R/W) See Table 2-2.
309H	777	IA32_FIXED_CTR0	Unique	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 0 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30AH	778	IA32_FIXED_CTR1	Unique	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 1 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30BH	779	IA32_FIXED_CTR2	Unique	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 2 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
345H	837	IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 18.4.1, "IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR."
345H	837	MSR_PERF_CAPABILITIES	Unique	R/O. This applies to processors that do not support architectural perfmon version 2.
		5:0		LBR Format. See Table 2-2.
		6		PEBS Record Format
		7		PEBSSaveArchRegs. See Table 2-2.
		63:8		Reserved
38DH	909	IA32_FIXED_CTR_CTRL	Unique	Fixed-Function-Counter Control Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
38EH	910	MSR_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Unique	See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
38FH	911	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
38FH	911	MSR_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Unique	See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
390H	912	MSR_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Unique	See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.4, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		0		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC0. (R/W)
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MCO_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCO_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC1_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC1_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40CH	1036	IA32_MC4_CTL	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	IA32_MC4_STATUS	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
40EH	1038	IA32_MC4_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC4_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
410H	1040	IA32_MC3_CTL		See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
411H	1041	IA32_MC3_STATUS		See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
412H	1042	IA32_MC3_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC3_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC3_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
413H	1043	IA32_MC3_MISC	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register: Contains additional information describing the machine-check error if the MISC_V flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set.
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register: Controls signaling of #MC for errors produced by a particular hardware unit (or group of hardware units).
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register: Contains information related to a machine-check error if its VAL (valid) flag is set. Software is responsible for clearing IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs by explicitly writing 0s to them; writing 1s to them causes a general-protection exception.
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register: Contains the address of the code or data memory location that produced the machine-check error if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set.
417H	1047	IA32_MC5_MISC	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register: Contains additional information describing the machine-check error if the MISC_V flag in the IA32_MCi_STATUS register is set.
419H	1045	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Unique	Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 24.
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	Unique	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.1, "Basic VMX Information."
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.4, "VM-Exit Controls."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL5	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls."
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	Unique	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.6, "Miscellaneous Data."
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED1	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.9, "VMCS Enumeration."
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL52	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	Unique	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."
107C H	67532	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL0	Unique	GBUSQ Event Control/Counter Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.
107C D H	67533	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL1	Unique	GBUSQ Event Control/Counter Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.
107C E H	67534	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL2	Unique	GSNPQ Event Control/Counter Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
107CF H	67535	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL3	Unique	GSNPQ Event Control/Counter Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.
107D0 H	67536	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL4	Unique	FSB Event Control/Counter Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.
107D1 H	67537	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL5	Unique	FSB Event Control/Counter Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.
107D2 H	67538	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL6	Unique	FSB Event Control/Counter Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.
107D3 H	67539	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL7	Unique	FSB Event Control/Counter Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.
107D8 H	67544	MSR_EMON_L3_GL_CTL	Unique	L3/FSB Common Control Register (R/W) Applies to Intel Xeon processor 7400 series (processor signature 06_1D) only. See Section 18.2.2.
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	Unique	Extended Feature Enables See Table 2-2.
C000_0081H		IA32_STAR	Unique	System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0082H		IA32_LSTAR	Unique	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0084H		IA32_FMASK	Unique	System Call Flag Mask (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0100H		IA32_FS_BASE	Unique	Map of BASE Address of FS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0101H		IA32_GS_BASE	Unique	Map of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0102H		IA32_KERNEL_GS_BASE	Unique	Swap Target of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.

2.3 MSRS IN THE 45 NM AND 32 NM INTEL ATOM® PROCESSOR FAMILY

Table 2-4 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) for 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom processors, architectural MSR addresses are also included in Table 2-4. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, or 06_36H; see Table 2-1.

The column “Shared/Unique” applies to logical processors sharing the same core in processors based on the Intel Atom microarchitecture. “Unique” means each logical processor has a separate MSR, or a bit field in an MSR

governs only a logical processor. “Shared” means the MSR or the bit field in an MSR address governs the operation of both logical processors in the same core.

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
0H	0	IA32_P5_MC_ADDR	Shared	See Section 2.23, “MSRs in Pentium Processors.”
1H	1	IA32_P5_MC_TYPE	Shared	See Section 2.23, “MSRs in Pentium Processors.”
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_SIZE	Unique	See Section 9.10.5, “Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination,” and Table 2-2.
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	Unique	See Section 18.17, “Time-Stamp Counter,” and see Table 2-2.
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	Shared	Platform ID (R) See Table 2-2.
17H	23	MSR_PLATFORM_ID	Shared	Model Specific Platform ID (R)
		7:0		Reserved
		12:8		Maximum Qualified Ratio (R) The maximum allowed bus ratio.
		63:13		Reserved
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE	Unique	See Section 11.4.4, “Local APIC Status and Location,” and Table 2-2.
2AH	42	MSR_EBL_CR_POWERON	Shared	Processor Hard Power-On Configuration (R/W) Enables and disables processor features; (R) indicates current processor configuration.
		0		Reserved
		1		Data Error Checking Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0.
		2		Response Error Checking Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0.
		3		AERR# Drive Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0.
		4		BERR# Enable for initiator bus requests (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0.
		5		Reserved
		6		Reserved
		7		BINIT# Driver Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0.
		8		Reserved

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		9		Execute BIST (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		10		AERR# Observation Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0.
		11		Reserved
		12		BINIT# Observation Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0.
		13		Reserved
		14		1 MByte Power on Reset Vector (R/O) 1 = 1 MByte; 0 = 4 GBytes
		15		Reserved
		17:16		APIC Cluster ID (R/O) Always 00B.
		19: 18		Reserved
		21: 20		Symmetric Arbitration ID (R/O) Always 00B.
		26:22		Integer Bus Frequency Ratio (R/O)
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Unique	Control Features in Intel 64Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
40H	64	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 0 From IP (R/W) One of eight pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. The From_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.5.
41H	65	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 1 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
42H	66	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 2 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
43H	67	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 3 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
44H	68	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 4 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
45H	69	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 5 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
46H	70	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 6 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
47H	71	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 7 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
60H	96	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 0 To IP (R/W) One of eight pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. The To_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the destination instruction.
61H	97	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 1 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
62H	98	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 2 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
63H	99	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 3 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
64H	100	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 4 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
65H	101	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 5 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
66H	102	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 6 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
67H	103	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP	Unique	Last Branch Record 7 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	Shared	BIOS Update Trigger Register (W) See Table 2-2.
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID	Unique	BIOS Update Signature ID (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C1H	193	IA32_PMC0	Unique	Performance counter register See Table 2-2.
C2H	194	IA32_PMC1	Unique	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
CDH	205	MSR_FSB_FREQ	Shared	Scaleable Bus Speed (R/O) This field indicates the intended scalable bus clock speed for processors based on Intel Atom microarchitecture.
		2:0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 111B: 083 MHz (FSB 333) ▪ 101B: 100 MHz (FSB 400) ▪ 001B: 133 MHz (FSB 533) ▪ 011B: 167 MHz (FSB 667)
				133.33 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 001B. 166.67 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 011B.
		63:3		Reserved

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E7H	231	IA32_MPERF	Unique	Maximum Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
E8H	232	IA32_APERF	Unique	Actual Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	Shared	Memory Type Range Register (R) See Table 2-2.
11EH	281	MSR_BBL_CR_CTL3	Shared	Control Register 3 Used to configure the L2 Cache.
		0		L2 Hardware Enabled (R/O) 1 = Indicates the L2 is hardware-enabled. 0 = Indicates the L2 is hardware-disabled.
		7:1		Reserved
		8		L2 Enabled (R/W) 1 = L2 cache has been initialized. 0 = Disabled (default). Until this bit is set, the processor will not respond to the WBINVD instruction or the assertion of the FLUSH# input.
		22:9		Reserved
		23		L2 Not Present (R/O) 0 = L2 Present 1 = L2 Not Present
		63:24		Reserved
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	Unique	See Table 2-2.
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Unique	Global Machine Check Status
		0		RIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) can be used to restart the program. If cleared, the program cannot be reliably restarted.
		1		EIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) is directly associated with the error.

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2		MCIP When set, bit indicates that a machine check has been generated. If a second machine check is detected while this bit is still set, the processor enters a shutdown state. Software should write this bit to 0 after processing a machine check exception.
		63:3		Reserved
186H	390	IA32_PERFEVTSELO	Unique	See Table 2-2.
187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1	Unique	See Table 2-2.
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	Shared	See Table 2-2.
198H	408	MSR_PERF_STATUS	Shared	Performance Status
		15:0		Current Performance State Value
		39:16		Reserved
		44:40		Maximum Bus Ratio (R/O) Indicates maximum bus ratio configured for the processor.
		63:45		Reserved
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	Unique	See Table 2-2.
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Unique	Clock Modulation (R/W) See Table 2-2. IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION MSR was originally named IA32_THERM_CONTROL MSR.
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Unique	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Unique	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19DH	413	MSR_THERM2_CTL	Shared	Thermal Monitor 2 Control
		15:0		Reserved
		16		TM_SELECT (R/W) Mode of automatic thermal monitor: 0 = Thermal Monitor 1 (thermally-initiated on-die modulation of the stop-clock duty cycle). 1 = Thermal Monitor 2 (thermally-initiated frequency transitions). If bit 3 of the IA32_MISC_ENABLE register is cleared, TM_SELECT has no effect. Neither TM1 nor TM2 are enabled.
		63:17		Reserved
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE	Unique	Enable Misc. Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		0		Fast-Strings Enable See Table 2-2.

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2:1		Reserved
		3	Unique	Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2. Default value is 0.
		6:4		Reserved
		7	Shared	Performance Monitoring Available (R) See Table 2-2.
		8		Reserved
		9		Reserved
		10	Shared	FERR# Multiplexing Enable (R/W) 1 = FERR# asserted by the processor to indicate a pending break event within the processor. 0 = Indicates compatible FERR# signaling behavior. This bit must be set to 1 to support XAPIC interrupt model usage.
		11	Shared	Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		12	Shared	Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		13	Shared	TM2 Enable (R/W) When this bit is set (1) and the thermal sensor indicates that the die temperature is at the pre-determined threshold, the Thermal Monitor 2 mechanism is engaged. TM2 will reduce the bus to core ratio and voltage according to the value last written to MSR_THERM2_CTL bits 15:0.
				When this bit is cleared (0, default), the processor does not change the VID signals or the bus to core ratio when the processor enters a thermally managed state. The BIOS must enable this feature if the TM2 feature flag (CPUID.1:ECX[8]) is set; if the TM2 feature flag is not set, this feature is not supported and BIOS must not alter the contents of the TM2 bit location. The processor is operating out of specification if both this bit and the TM1 bit are set to 0.
		15:14		Reserved
		16	Shared	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		18	Shared	ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		19		Reserved

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		20	Shared	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Select Lock (R/WO) When set, this bit causes the following bits to become read-only: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Select Lock (this bit). ▪ Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable bit. The bit must be set before an Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology transition is requested. This bit is cleared on reset.
		21		Reserved
		22	Unique	Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		23	Shared	xTPR Message Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		33:24		Reserved
		34	Unique	XD Bit Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		63:35		Reserved
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Unique	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-2) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record. See MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (at 40H).
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL	Unique	Debug Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1DDH	477	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	Unique	Last Exception Record From Linear IP (R) Contains a pointer to the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
1DEH	478	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	Unique	Last Exception Record To Linear IP (R) This area contains a pointer to the target of the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
200H	512	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE0	Shared	See Table 2-2.
201H	513	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK0	Shared	See Table 2-2.
202H	514	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE1	Shared	See Table 2-2.
203H	515	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK1	Shared	See Table 2-2.
204H	516	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE2	Shared	See Table 2-2.
205H	517	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK2	Shared	See Table 2-2.
206H	518	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE3	Shared	See Table 2-2.
207H	519	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK3	Shared	See Table 2-2.

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
208H	520	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE4	Shared	See Table 2-2.
209H	521	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK4	Shared	See Table 2-2.
20AH	522	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE5	Shared	See Table 2-2.
20BH	523	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK5	Shared	See Table 2-2.
20CH	524	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE6	Shared	See Table 2-2.
20DH	525	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK6	Shared	See Table 2-2.
20EH	526	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE7	Shared	See Table 2-2.
20FH	527	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK7	Shared	See Table 2-2.
250H	592	IA32_MTRR_FIX64K_00000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
258H	600	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_80000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
259H	601	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_A0000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
268H	616	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C0000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
269H	617	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C8000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
26AH	618	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D0000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
26BH	619	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D8000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
26CH	620	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E0000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
26DH	621	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E8000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
26EH	622	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F0000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
26FH	623	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F8000	Shared	See Table 2-2.
277H	631	IA32_PAT	Unique	See Table 2-2.
309H	777	IA32_FIXED_CTR0	Unique	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 0 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30AH	778	IA32_FIXED_CTR1	Unique	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 1 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30BH	779	IA32_FIXED_CTR2	Unique	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 2 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
345H	837	IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES	Shared	See Table 2-2. See Section 18.4.1, "IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR."
38DH	909	IA32_FIXED_CTR_CTRL	Unique	Fixed-Function-Counter Control Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
38FH	911	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.4, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		0		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC0 (R/W)

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MCO_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDRVL flag in the IA32_MCO_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDRVL flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40CH	1036	IA32_MC3_CTL	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	IA32_MC3_STATUS	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
40EH	1038	IA32_MC3_ADDR	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC3_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDRVL flag in the MSR_MC3_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
412H	1042	IA32_MC4_ADDR	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC4_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDRVL flag in the MSR_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	Unique	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.1, "Basic VMX Information."

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL5	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL5	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL5	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.4, "VM-Exit Controls."
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL5	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls."
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	Unique	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.6, "Miscellaneous Data."
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED1	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.9, "VMCS Enumeration."
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL52	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	Unique	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	Unique	Extended Feature Enables See Table 2-2.

Table 2-4. MSRs in the 45 nm and 32 nm Intel Atom® Processor Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C000_0081H		IA32_STAR	Unique	System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0082H		IA32_LSTAR	Unique	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0084H		IA32_FMASK	Unique	System Call Flag Mask (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0100H		IA32_FS_BASE	Unique	Map of BASE Address of FS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0101H		IA32_GS_BASE	Unique	Map of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0102H		IA32_KERNEL_GS_BASE	Unique	Swap Target of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-5 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) that are specific to Intel Atom® processor with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_27H.

Table 2-5. MSRs Supported by Intel Atom® Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_27H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3F8H	1016	MSR_PKG_C2_RESIDENCY	Package	Package C2 Residency Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0	Package	Package C2 Residency Counter (R/O) Time that this package is in processor-specific C2 states since last reset. Counts at 1 Mhz frequency.
3F9H	1017	MSR_PKG_C4_RESIDENCY	Package	Package C4 Residency Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0	Package	Package C4 Residency Counter. (R/O) Time that this package is in processor-specific C4 states since last reset. Counts at 1 Mhz frequency.
3FAH	1018	MSR_PKG_C6_RESIDENCY	Package	Package C6 Residency Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0	Package	Package C6 Residency Counter. (R/O) Time that this package is in processor-specific C6 states since last reset. Counts at 1 Mhz frequency.

2.4 MSRS IN INTEL PROCESSORS BASED ON SILVERMONT MICROARCHITECTURE

Table 2-6 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) common to Intel processors based on the Silvermont microarchitecture. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, or 06_5DH; see Table 2-1. The MSRs listed in Table 2-6 are also common to processors based on the Airmont microarchitecture and newer microarchitectures for next generation Intel Atom processors.

Table 2-7 lists MSRs common to processors based on the Silvermont and Airmont microarchitectures, but not newer microarchitectures.

Table 2-8, Table 2-9, and Table 2-10 lists MSRs that are model-specific across processors based on the Silvermont microarchitecture.

In the Silvermont microarchitecture, the scope column indicates the following: "Core" means each processor core has a separate MSR, or a bit field not shared with another processor core. "Module" means the MSR or the bit field is shared by a subset of the processor cores in the physical package. The number of processor cores in this subset is model specific and may differ between different processors. For all processors based on Silvermont microarchitecture, the L2 cache is also shared between cores in a module and thus CPUID leaf 04H enumeration can be used to figure out which processors are in the same module. "Package" means all processor cores in the physical package share the same MSR or bit interface.

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
0H	0	IA32_P5_MC_ADDR	Module	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
1H	1	IA32_P5_MC_TYPE	Module	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_SIZE	Core	See Section 9.10.5, "Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination," and Table 2-2.
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	Core	See Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter," and Table 2-2.
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE	Core	See Section 11.4.4, "Local APIC Status and Location," and Table 2-2.
2AH	42	MSR_EBL_CR_POWERON	Module	Processor Hard Power-On Configuration (R/W) Writes ignored.
		63:0		Reserved
34H	52	MSR_SMI_COUNT	Core	SMI Counter (R/O)
		31:0		SMI Count (R/O) Running count of SMI events since last RESET.
		63:32		Reserved
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	Core	BIOS Update Trigger Register (W) See Table 2-2.
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID	Core	BIOS Update Signature ID (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C1H	193	IA32_PMC0	Core	Performance counter register See Table 2-2.

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C2H	194	IA32_PMC1	Core	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
E4H	228	MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE	Module	Power Management IO Redirection in C-state (R/W) See http://biosbits.org .
		15:0		LVL_2 Base Address (R/W) Specifies the base address visible to software for IO redirection. If IO MWAIT Redirection is enabled, reads to this address will be consumed by the power management logic and decoded to MWAIT instructions. When IO port address redirection is enabled, this is the IO port address reported to the OS/software.
		18:16		C-state Range (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of the maximum C-State code name to be included when IO read to MWAIT redirection is enabled by MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL[bit10]: 100b - C4 is the max C-State to include 110b - C6 is the max C-State to include 111b - C7 is the max C-State to include
		63:19		Reserved
E7H	231	IA32_MPERF	Core	Maximum Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
E8H	232	IA32_APERF	Core	Actual Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	Core	Memory Type Range Register (R) See Table 2-2.
13CH	316	MSR_FEATURE_CONFIG	Core	AES Configuration (RW-L) Privileged post-BIOS agent must provide a #GP handler to handle unsuccessful read of this MSR.
		1:0		AES Configuration (RW-L) Upon a successful read of this MSR, the configuration of AES instruction sets availability is as follows: 11b: AES instructions are not available until next RESET. Otherwise, AES instructions are available. Note: AES instruction set is not available if read is unsuccessful. If the configuration is not 01b, AES instructions can be mis-configured if a privileged agent unintentionally writes 11b.
		63:2		Reserved
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	Core	See Table 2-2.
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	Core	See Table 2-2.

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	Core	See Table 2-2.
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Core	See Table 2-2.
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Core	Global Machine Check Status
		0		RIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) can be used to restart the program. If cleared, the program cannot be reliably restarted.
		1		EIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) is directly associated with the error.
		2		MCIP When set, bit indicates that a machine check has been generated. If a second machine check is detected while this bit is still set, the processor enters a shutdown state. Software should write this bit to 0 after processing a machine check exception.
		63:3		Reserved
186H	390	IA32_PERFEVTSELO	Core	See Table 2-2.
		7:0		Event Select
		15:8		UMask
		16		USR
		17		OS
		18		Edge
		19		PC
		20		INT
		21		Reserved
		22		EN
		23		INV
		31:24		CMASK
		63:32		Reserved
187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1	Core	See Table 2-2.
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	Module	See Table 2-2.
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	Core	See Table 2-2.

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Core	Clock Modulation (R/W) See Table 2-2. IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION MSR was originally named IA32_THERM_CONTROL MSR.
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Core	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Core	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1A2H	418	MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET	Package	Temperature Target
		15:0		Reserved
		23:16		Temperature Target (R) The default thermal throttling or PROCHOT# activation temperature in degrees C. The effective temperature for thermal throttling or PROCHOT# activation is "Temperature Target" + "Target Offset".
		29:24		Target Offset (R/W) Specifies an offset in degrees C to adjust the throttling and PROCHOT# activation temperature from the default target specified in TEMPERATURE_TARGET (bits 23:16).
	63:30			Reserved
1A6H	422	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_0	Module	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)
1A7H	423	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_1	Module	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)
1B0H	432	IA32_ENERGY_PERF_BIAS	Core	See Table 2-2.
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL	Core	Debug Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1DDH	477	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	Core	Last Exception Record From Linear IP (R/W) Contains a pointer to the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
1DEH	478	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	Core	Last Exception Record To Linear IP (R/W) This area contains a pointer to the target of the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
1F2H	498	IA32_SMRR_PHYSBASE	Core	See Table 2-2.
1F3H	499	IA32_SMRR_PHYSMASK	Core	See Table 2-2.
200H	512	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE0	Core	See Table 2-2.
201H	513	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK0	Core	See Table 2-2.
202H	514	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE1	Core	See Table 2-2.
203H	515	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK1	Core	See Table 2-2.

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
204H	516	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE2	Core	See Table 2-2.
205H	517	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK2	Core	See Table 2-2.
206H	518	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE3	Core	See Table 2-2.
207H	519	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK3	Core	See Table 2-2.
208H	520	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE4	Core	See Table 2-2.
209H	521	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK4	Core	See Table 2-2.
20AH	522	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE5	Core	See Table 2-2.
20BH	523	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK5	Core	See Table 2-2.
20CH	524	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE6	Core	See Table 2-2.
20DH	525	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK6	Core	See Table 2-2.
20EH	526	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE7	Core	See Table 2-2.
20FH	527	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK7	Core	See Table 2-2.
250H	592	IA32_MTRR_FIX64K_00000	Core	See Table 2-2.
258H	600	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_80000	Core	See Table 2-2.
259H	601	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_A0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
268H	616	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
269H	617	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C8000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26AH	618	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26BH	619	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D8000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26CH	620	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26DH	621	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E8000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26EH	622	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26FH	623	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F8000	Core	See Table 2-2.
277H	631	IA32_PAT	Core	See Table 2-2.
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	Core	Default Memory Types (R/W) See Table 2-2.
309H	777	IA32_FIXED_CTR0	Core	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 0 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30AH	778	IA32_FIXED_CTR1	Core	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 1 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30BH	779	IA32_FIXED_CTR2	Core	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 2 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
345H	837	IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 18.4.1, "IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR."
38DH	909	IA32_FIXED_CTR_CTRL	Core	Fixed-Function-Counter Control Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
38FH	911	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
3FDH	1021	MSR_CORE_C6_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		CORE C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this core is in processor-specific C6 states. Counts at the TSC Frequency.
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	Module	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	Module	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs."
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR	Module	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MCO_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCO_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	Module	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	Module	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs."
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	Module	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	Module	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs."
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	Module	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40CH	1036	IA32_MC3_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	IA32_MC3_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs."
40EH	1038	IA32_MC3_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC3_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC3_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs."

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
412H	1042	IA32_MC4_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC4_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC4_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	Core	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.1, "Basic VMX Information."
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.4, "VM-Exit Controls."
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls."
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	Core	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.6, "Miscellaneous Data."
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0	Core	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CR0_FIXED1	Core	Capability Reporting Register of CR0 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR0."
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	Core	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	Core	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.9, "VMCS Enumeration."
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTLSS2	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
48CH	1164	IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_ENUM	Core	Capability Reporting Register of EPT and VPID (R/O) See Table 2-2
48DH	1165	IA32_VMX_TRUE_PINBASED_CTLSS	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
48EH	1166	IA32_VMX_TRUE_PROCBASED_CTLSS	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-based VM-Execution Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
48FH	1167	IA32_VMX_TRUE_EXIT_CTLSS	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
490H	1168	IA32_VMX_TRUE_ENTRY_CTLSS	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
491H	1169	IA32_VMX_FMFUNC	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Function Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
4C1H	1217	IA32_A_PMC0	Core	See Table 2-2.
4C2H	1218	IA32_A_PMC1	Core	See Table 2-2.
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	Core	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."

Table 2-6. MSRs Common to the Silvermont Microarchitecture and Newer Microarchitectures for Intel Atom® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
660H	1632	MSR_CORE_C1_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		CORE C1 Residency Counter. (R/O) Value since last reset that this core is in processor-specific C1 states. Counts at the TSC frequency.
6E0H	1760	IA32_TSC_DEADLINE	Core	TSC Target of Local APIC's TSC Deadline Mode (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	Core	Extended Feature Enables See Table 2-2.
C000_0081H		IA32_STAR	Core	System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0082H		IA32_LSTAR	Core	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0084H		IA32_FMASK	Core	System Call Flag Mask (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0100H		IA32_FS_BASE	Core	Map of BASE Address of FS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0101H		IA32_GS_BASE	Core	Map of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0102H		IA32_KERNEL_GS_BASE	Core	Swap Target of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0103H		IA32_TSC_AUX	Core	AUXILIARY TSC Signature (R/W) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-7 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) that are common to Intel Atom® processors based on the Silvermont and Airmont microarchitectures but not newer microarchitectures.

Table 2-7. MSRs Common to the Silvermont and Airmont Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
17H	23	MSR_PLATFORM_ID	Module	Model Specific Platform ID (R)
		7:0		Reserved
		13:8		Maximum Qualified Ratio (R) The maximum allowed bus ratio.
		49:13		Reserved
		52:50		See Table 2-2.
		63:33		Reserved

Table 2-7. MSRs Common to the Silvermont and Airmont Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Core	Control Features in Intel 64Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Lock (R/WL)
		1		Reserved
		2		Enable VMX outside SMX operation (R/WL)
40H	64	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 0 From IP (R/W) One of eight pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. The From_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.5 and record format in Section 18.4.8.1.
41H	65	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 1 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
42H	66	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 2 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
43H	67	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 3 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
44H	68	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 4 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
45H	69	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 5 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
46H	70	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 6 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
47H	71	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 7 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
60H	96	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 0 To IP (R/W) One of eight pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. The To_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the destination instruction.
61H	97	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 1 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
62H	98	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 2 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
63H	99	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 3 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
64H	100	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 4 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
65H	101	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 5 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
66H	102	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 6 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.

Table 2-7. MSRs Common to the Silvermont and Airmont Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
67H	103	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 7 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information: Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) This is the ratio of the maximum frequency that does not require turbo. Frequency = ratio * Scalable Bus Frequency.
		63:16		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Module	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: C0 (no package C-sate support) 001b: C1 (Behavior is the same as 000b) 100b: C4 110b: C6 111b: C7 (Silvermont only).
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W) When set, will map IO_read instructions sent to IO register specified by MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE to MWAIT instructions.
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO) When set, locks bits 15:0 of this register until next reset.
		63:16		Reserved
11EH	281	MSR_BBL_CR_CTL3	Module	Control Register 3 Used to configure the L2 Cache.
		0		L2 Hardware Enabled (R/O) 1 = If the L2 is hardware-enabled. 0 = Indicates if the L2 is hardware-disabled.
		7:1		Reserved

Table 2-7. MSRs Common to the Silvermont and Airmont Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		8		L2 Enabled (R/W) 1 = L2 cache has been initialized. 0 = Disabled (default). Until this bit is set the processor will not respond to the WBINVD instruction or the assertion of the FLUSH# input.
		22:9		Reserved
		23		L2 Not Present (R/O) 0 = L2 Present. 1 = L2 Not Present.
		63:24		Reserved
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE		Enable Misc. Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		0	Core	Fast-Strings Enable See Table 2-2.
		2:1		Reserved
		3	Module	Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2. Default value is 0.
		6:4		Reserved
		7	Core	Performance Monitoring Available (R) See Table 2-2.
		10:8		Reserved
		11	Core	Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		12	Core	Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		15:13		Reserved
		16	Module	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		18	Core	ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		21:19		Reserved
		22	Core	Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		23	Module	xTPR Message Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
33:24		Reserved		
34	Core	XD Bit Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.		

Table 2-7. MSRs Common to the Silvermont and Airmont Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		37:35		Reserved
		38	Module	<p>Turbo Mode Disable (R/W)</p> <p>When set to 1 on processors that support Intel Turbo Boost Technology, the turbo mode feature is disabled and the IDA_Enable feature flag will be cleared (CPUID.06H: EAX[1]=0).</p> <p>When set to a 0 on processors that support IDA, CPUID.06H: EAX[1] reports the processor's support of turbo mode is enabled.</p> <p>Note: The power-on default value is used by BIOS to detect hardware support of turbo mode. If the power-on default value is 1, turbo mode is available in the processor. If the power-on default value is 0, turbo mode is not available.</p>
		63:39		Reserved
1C8H	456	MSR_LBR_SELECT	Core	Last Branch Record Filtering Select Register (R/W) See Section 18.9.2, "Filtering of Last Branch Records."
		0		CPL_EQ_0
		1		CPL_NEQ_0
		2		JCC
		3		NEAR_REL_CALL
		4		NEAR_IND_CALL
		5		NEAR_RET
		6		NEAR_IND_JMP
		7		NEAR_REL_JMP
		8		FAR_BRANCH
		63:9		Reserved
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Core	<p>Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W)</p> <p>Contains an index (bits 0-2) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record.</p> <p>See MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.</p>
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.4, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		0		Enable PEBS for precise event on IA32_PMC0 (R/W)
3FAH	1018	MSR_PKG_C6_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.

Table 2-7. MSRs Common to the Silvermont and Airmont Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:0		Package C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C6 states. Counts at the TSC Frequency.
664H	1636	MSR_MC6_RESIDENCY_COUNTER	Module	Module C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Time that this module is in module-specific C6 states since last reset. Counts at 1 Mhz frequency.

2.4.1 MSRs with Model-Specific Behavior in the Silvermont Microarchitecture

Table 2-8 lists MSRs that are specific to the Intel Atom[®] processor E3000 Series (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_37H) and Intel Atom processors (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_4AH, 06_5AH, or 06_5DH).

Table 2-8. Specific MSRs Supported by Intel Atom[®] Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_5AH, or 06_5DH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
CDH	205	MSR_FSB_FREQ	Module	Scaleable Bus Speed (R/O) This field indicates the intended scalable bus clock speed for processors based on Silvermont microarchitecture.
		2:0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 100B: 080.0 MHz ▪ 000B: 083.3 MHz ▪ 001B: 100.0 MHz ▪ 010B: 133.3 MHz ▪ 011B: 116.7 MHz
		63:3		Reserved
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O) See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		3:0		Power Units Power related information (in milliWatts) is based on the multiplier, 2 ^{PU} ; where PU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 3:0. Default value is 0101b, indicating power unit is in 32 milliWatts increment.
		7:4		Reserved
		12:8		Energy Status Units Energy related information (in microJoules) is based on the multiplier, 2 ^{ESU} ; where ESU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 12:8. Default value is 00101b, indicating energy unit is in 32 microJoules increment.
		15:13		Reserved

Table 2-8. Specific MSRs Supported by Intel Atom® Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_5AH, or 06_5DH (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		19:16		Time Unit The value is 0000b, indicating time unit is in one second.
		63:20		Reserved
610H	1552	MSR_PKG_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PKG RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W)
		14:0		Package Power Limit #1 (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain," and MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT in Table 2-8.
		15		Enable Power Limit #1 (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
		16		Package Clamping Limitation #1 (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
		23:17		Time Window for Power Limit #1 (R/W) In unit of second. If 0 is specified in bits [23:17], defaults to 1 second window.
		63:24		Reserved
611H	1553	MSR_PKG_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PKG Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain," and MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT in Table 2-8.
639H	1593	MSR_PP0_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PP0 Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains," and MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT in Table 2-8.

Table 2-9 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) that are specific to the Intel Atom® processor E3000 Series (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_37H).

Table 2-9. Specific MSRs Supported by the Intel Atom® Processor E3000 Series with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_37H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
668H	1640	MSR_CC6_DEMOTION_POLICY_CONFIG	Package	Core C6 Demotion Policy Config MSR
		63:0		Controls per-core C6 demotion policy. Writing a value of 0 disables core level HW demotion policy.
669H	1641	MSR_MC6_DEMOTION_POLICY_CONFIG	Package	Module C6 Demotion Policy Config MSR
		63:0		Controls module (i.e., two cores sharing the second-level cache) C6 demotion policy. Writing a value of 0 disables module level HW demotion policy.
664H	1636	MSR_MC6_RESIDENCY_COUNTER	Module	Module C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.

Table 2-9. Specific MSRs Supported by the Intel Atom® Processor E3000 Series (Contd.)with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_37H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:0		Time that this module is in module-specific C6 states since last reset. Counts at 1 Mhz frequency.

Table 2-10 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) that are specific to Intel Atom® processor C2000 Series (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_4DH).

Table 2-10. Specific MSRs Supported by Intel Atom® Processor C2000 Series with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_4DH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1A4H	420	MSR_MISC_FEATURE_CONTROL		Miscellaneous Feature Control (R/W)
		0	Core	L2 Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L2 hardware prefetcher, which fetches additional lines of code or data into the L2 cache.
		1		Reserved
		2	Core	DCU Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L1 data cache prefetcher, which fetches the next cache line into L1 data cache.
		63:3		Reserved
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode (R/W)
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 core active.
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 5C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 5 core active.
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 6C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 6 core active.
		55:48	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 7C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 7 core active.
		63:56	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 8C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 8 core active.
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O) See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."

Table 2-10. Specific MSRs Supported by Intel Atom® Processor C2000 Series (Contd.)with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_4DH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		3:0		Power Units Power related information (in milliwatts) is based on the multiplier, 2^{PU} ; where PU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 3:0. Default value is 0101b, indicating power unit is in 32 milliwatts increment.
		7:4		Reserved
		12:8		Energy Status Units. Energy related information (in microJoules) is based on the multiplier, 2^{ESU} ; where ESU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 12:8. Default value is 00101b, indicating energy unit is in 32 microJoules increment.
		15:13		Reserved
		19:16		Time Unit The value is 0000b, indicating time unit is in one second.
		63:20		Reserved
610H	1552	MSR_PKG_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PKG RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
66EH	1646	MSR_PKG_POWER_INFO	Package	PKG RAPL Parameter (R/O)
		14:0		Thermal Spec Power (R/O) The unsigned integer value is the equivalent of the thermal specification power of the package domain. The unit of this field is specified by the "Power Units" field of MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT.
		63:15		Reserved

2.4.2 MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Airmont Microarchitecture

Intel Atom processor X7-Z8000 and X5-Z8000 series are based on the Airmont microarchitecture. These processors support MSRs listed in Table 2-6, Table 2-7, Table 2-8, and Table 2-11. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_4CH; see Table 2-1.

Table 2-11. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Airmont Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
CDH	205	MSR_FSB_FREQ	Module	Scaleable Bus Speed (R/O) This field indicates the intended scalable bus clock speed for processors based on Airmont microarchitecture.

Table 2-11. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Airmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		3:0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 0000B: 083.3 MHz ▪ 0001B: 100.0 MHz ▪ 0010B: 133.3 MHz ▪ 0011B: 116.7 MHz ▪ 0100B: 080.0 MHz ▪ 0101B: 093.3 MHz ▪ 0110B: 090.0 MHz ▪ 0111B: 088.9 MHz ▪ 1000B: 087.5 MHz
		63:5		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Module	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: No limit 001b: C1 010b: C2 110b: C6 111b: C7
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W) When set, will map IO_read instructions sent to IO register specified by MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE to MWAIT instructions.
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO) When set, locks bits 15:0 of this register until next reset.
		63:16		Reserved
E4H	228	MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE	Module	Power Management IO Redirection in C-state (R/W) See http://biosbits.org .
		15:0		LVL_2 Base Address (R/W) Specifies the base address visible to software for IO redirection. If IO MWAIT Redirection is enabled, reads to this address will be consumed by the power management logic and decoded to MWAIT instructions. When IO port address redirection is enabled, this is the IO port address reported to the OS/software.

Table 2-11. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Airmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		18:16		C-state Range (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of the maximum C-State code name to be included when IO read to MWAIT redirection is enabled by MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL[bit10]: 000b - C3 is the max C-State to include. 001b - Deep Power Down Technology is the max C-State. 010b - C7 is the max C-State to include.
		63:19		Reserved
638H	1592	MSR_PPO_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PPO RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W)
		14:0		PPO Power Limit #1 (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains," and MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT in Table 2-8.
		15		Enable Power Limit #1 (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."
		16		Reserved
		23:17		Time Window for Power Limit #1 (R/W) Specifies the time duration over which the average power must remain below PPO_POWER_LIMIT #1(14:0). Supported Encodings: 0x0: 1 second time duration. 0x1: 5 second time duration (Default). 0x2: 10 second time duration. 0x3: 15 second time duration. 0x4: 20 second time duration. 0x5: 25 second time duration. 0x6: 30 second time duration. 0x7: 35 second time duration. 0x8: 40 second time duration. 0x9: 45 second time duration. 0xA: 50 second time duration. 0xB-0x7F - reserved.
		63:24		Reserved

2.5 MSRS IN INTEL ATOM® PROCESSORS BASED ON GOLDMONT MICROARCHITECTURE

Intel Atom processors based on the Goldmont microarchitecture support MSRs listed in Table 2-6 and Table 2-12. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_5CH; see Table 2-1.

In the Goldmont microarchitecture, the scope column indicates the following: "Core" means each processor core has a separate MSR, or a bit field not shared with another processor core. "Module" means the MSR or the bit field is shared by a subset of the processor cores in the physical package. The number of processor cores in this subset

is model specific and may differ between different processors. For all processors based on Goldmont microarchitecture, the L2 cache is also shared between cores in a module and thus CPUID leaf 04H enumeration can be used to figure out which processors are in the same module. "Package" means all processor cores in the physical package share the same MSR or bit interface.

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
17H	23	MSR_PLATFORM_ID	Module	Model Specific Platform ID (R)
		49:0		Reserved
		52:50		See Table 2-2.
		63:33		Reserved
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Core	Control Features in Intel 64 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Lock (R/WL)
		1		Enable VMX inside SMX operation (R/WL)
		2		Enable VMX outside SMX operation (R/WL)
		14:8		SENTER local functions enables (R/WL)
		15		SENTER global functions enable (R/WL)
		18		SGX global functions enable (R/WL)
		63:19		Reserved
3BH	59	IA32_TSC_ADJUST	Core	Per-Core TSC ADJUST (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C3H	195	IA32_PMC2	Core	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C4H	196	IA32_PMC3	Core	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) This is the ratio of the maximum frequency that does not require turbo. Frequency = ratio * 100 MHz.
		27:16		Reserved
		28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is enabled. When set to 0, indicates Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is disabled.

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		29	Package	Programmable TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that TDP Limit for Turbo mode is programmable. When set to 0, indicates TDP Limit for Turbo mode is not programmable.
		30	Package	Programmable TJ OFFSET (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET.[27:24] is valid and writable to specify a temperature offset.
		39:31		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) This is the minimum ratio (maximum efficiency) that the processor can operate, in units of 100MHz.
		63:48		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States. See http://biosbits.org .
		3:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 0000b: No limit 0001b: C1 0010b: C3 0011b: C6 0100b: C7 0101b: C7S 0110b: C8 0111b: C9 1000b: C10
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W) When set, will map IO_read instructions sent to IO register specified by MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE to MWAIT instructions.
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO) When set, locks bits 15:0 of this register until next reset.

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:16		Reserved
17DH	381	MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP	Core	Enhanced SMM Capabilities (SMM-RO) Reports SMM capability enhancement. Accessible only while in SMM.
		57:0		Reserved
		58		SMM_Code_Access_Chk (SMM-RO) If set to 1 indicates that the SMM code access restriction is supported and the MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL is supported.
		59		Long_Flow_Indication (SMM-RO) If set to 1 indicates that the SMM long flow indicator is supported and the MSR_SMM_DELAYED is supported.
		63:60		Reserved
188H	392	IA32_PERFEVTSEL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
189H	393	IA32_PERFEVTSEL3	Core	See Table 2-2.
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE		Enable Misc. Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		0	Core	Fast-Strings Enable See Table 2-2.
		2:1		Reserved
		3	Package	Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2. Default value is 1.
		6:4		Reserved
		7	Core	Performance Monitoring Available (R) See Table 2-2.
		10:8		Reserved
		11	Core	Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		12	Core	Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		15:13		Reserved
		16	Package	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		18	Core	ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		21:19		Reserved
22	Core	Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W) See Table 2-2.		

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		23	Package	xTPR Message Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		33:24		Reserved
		34	Core	XD Bit Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		37:35		Reserved
		38	Package	Turbo Mode Disable (R/W) When set to 1 on processors that support Intel Turbo Boost Technology, the turbo mode feature is disabled and the IDA_Enable feature flag will be clear (CPUID.06H: EAX[1]=0). When set to a 0 on processors that support IDA, CPUID.06H: EAX[1] reports the processor's support of turbo mode is enabled. Note: The power-on default value is used by BIOS to detect hardware support of turbo mode. If the power-on default value is 1, turbo mode is available in the processor. If the power-on default value is 0, turbo mode is not available.
		63:39		Reserved
1A4H	420	MSR_MISC_FEATURE_CONTROL		Miscellaneous Feature Control (R/W)
		0	Core	L2 Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L2 hardware prefetcher, which fetches additional lines of code or data into the L2 cache.
		1		Reserved
		2	Core	DCU Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L1 data cache prefetcher, which fetches the next cache line into L1 data cache.
		63:3		Reserved
1AAH	426	MSR_MISC_PWR_MGMT	Package	Miscellaneous Power Management Control Various model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		0		EIST Hardware Coordination Disable (R/W) When 0, enables hardware coordination of Enhanced Intel Speedstep Technology request from processor cores. When 1, disables hardware coordination of Enhanced Intel Speedstep Technology requests.
		21:1		Reserved
		22		Thermal Interrupt Coordination Enable (R/W) If set, then thermal interrupt on one core is routed to all cores.
		63:23		Reserved

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode by Core Groups (R/W) Specifies Maximum Ratio Limit for each Core Group. Max ratio for groups with more cores must decrease monotonically. For groups with less than 4 cores, the max ratio must be 32 or less. For groups with 4-5 cores, the max ratio must be 22 or less. For groups with more than 5 cores, the max ratio must be 16 or less.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Active Cores in Group 0 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores is less than or equal to the Group 0 threshold.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Active Cores in Group 1 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores is less than or equal to the Group 1 threshold, and greater than the Group 0 threshold.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Active Cores in Group 2 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores is less than or equal to the Group 2 threshold, and greater than the Group 1 threshold.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Active Cores in Group 3 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores is less than or equal to the Group 3 threshold, and greater than the Group 2 threshold.
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Active Cores in Group 4 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores is less than or equal to the Group 4 threshold, and greater than the Group 3 threshold.
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Active Cores in Group 5 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores is less than or equal to the Group 5 threshold, and greater than the Group 4 threshold.
		55:48	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Active Cores in Group 6 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores is less than or equal to the Group 6 threshold, and greater than the Group 5 threshold.
		63:56	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Active Cores in Group 7 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores is less than or equal to the Group 7 threshold, and greater than the Group 6 threshold.
1AEH	430	MSR_TURBO_GROUP_CORECNT	Package	Group Size of Active Cores for Turbo Mode Operation (R/W) Writes of 0 threshold is ignored.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		7:0	Package	Group 0 Core Count Threshold Maximum number of active cores to operate under the Group 0 Max Turbo Ratio limit.
		15:8	Package	Group 1 Core Count Threshold Maximum number of active cores to operate under the Group 1 Max Turbo Ratio limit. Must be greater than the Group 0 Core Count.
		23:16	Package	Group 2 Core Count Threshold Maximum number of active cores to operate under the Group 2 Max Turbo Ratio limit. Must be greater than the Group 1 Core Count.
		31:24	Package	Group 3 Core Count Threshold Maximum number of active cores to operate under the Group 3 Max Turbo Ratio limit. Must be greater than the Group 2 Core Count.
		39:32	Package	Group 4 Core Count Threshold Maximum number of active cores to operate under the Group 4 Max Turbo Ratio limit. Must be greater than the Group 3 Core Count.
		47:40	Package	Group 5 Core Count Threshold Maximum number of active cores to operate under the Group 5 Max Turbo Ratio limit. Must be greater than the Group 4 Core Count.
		55:48	Package	Group 6 Core Count Threshold Maximum number of active cores to operate under the Group 6 Max Turbo Ratio limit. Must be greater than the Group 5 Core Count.
		63:56	Package	Group 7 Core Count Threshold Maximum number of active cores to operate under the Group 7 Max Turbo Ratio limit. Must be greater than the Group 6 Core Count, and not less than the total number of processor cores in the package. E.g., specify 255.
1C8H	456	MSR_LBR_SELECT	Core	Last Branch Record Filtering Select Register (R/W) See Section 18.9.2, "Filtering of Last Branch Records."
		0		CPL_EQ_0
		1		CPL_NEQ_0
		2		JCC
		3		NEAR_REL_CALL
		4		NEAR_IND_CALL
		5		NEAR_RET
		6		NEAR_IND_JMP
7		NEAR_REL_JMP		

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		8		FAR_BRANCH
		9		EN_CALL_STACK
		63:10		Reserved
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Core	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-4) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record. See MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
1FCH	508	MSR_POWER_CTL	Core	Power Control Register. See http://biosbits.org .
		0		Reserved
		1	Package	C1E Enable (R/W) When set to '1', will enable the CPU to switch to the Minimum Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology operating point when all execution cores enter MWAIT (C1).
		63:2		Reserved
210H	528	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE8	Core	See Table 2-2.
211H	529	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK8	Core	See Table 2-2.
212H	530	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE9	Core	See Table 2-2.
213H	531	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK9	Core	See Table 2-2.
280H	640	IA32_MC0_CTL2	Module	See Table 2-2.
281H	641	IA32_MC1_CTL2	Module	See Table 2-2.
282H	642	IA32_MC2_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
283H	643	IA32_MC3_CTL2	Module	See Table 2-2.
284H	644	IA32_MC4_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
285H	645	IA32_MC5_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
286H	646	IA32_MC6_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
300H	768	MSR_SGXOWNEREPOCH0	Package	Lower 64 Bit CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH (W) Writes do not update CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH if CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EAX.SGX1 is 1 on any thread in the package.
		63:0		Lower 64 bits of an 128-bit external entropy value for key derivation of an enclave.
301H	769	MSR_SGXOWNEREPOCH1	Package	Upper 64 Bit CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH (W) Writes do not update CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH if CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EAX.SGX1 is 1 on any thread in the package.
		63:0		Upper 64 bits of an 128-bit external entropy value for key derivation of an enclave.
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.2.4, "Architectural Performance Monitoring Version 4."
		0		Ovf_PMCO

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		1		Ovf_PMC1
		2		Ovf_PMC2
		3		Ovf_PMC3
		31:4		Reserved
		32		Ovf_FixedCtr0
		33		Ovf_FixedCtr1
		34		Ovf_FixedCtr2
		54:35		Reserved
		55		Trace_ToPA_PMI
		57:56		Reserved
		58		LBR_Frz.
		59		CTR_Frz.
		60		ASCI
		61		Ovf_Uncore
		62		Ovf_BufDSSAVE
63		CondChgd		
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_RESET	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.2.4, "Architectural Performance Monitoring Version 4."
		0		Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC0.
		1		Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC1.
		2		Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC2.
		3		Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC3.
		31:4		Reserved
		32		Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr0.
		33		Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr1.
		34		Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr2.
		54:35		Reserved
		55		Set 1 to clear Trace_ToPA_PMI.
		57:56		Reserved
		58		Set 1 to clear LBR_Frz.
		59		Set 1 to clear CTR_Frz.
		60		Set 1 to clear ASCI.
61		Set 1 to clear Ovf_Uncore.		
62		Set 1 to clear Ovf_BufDSSAVE.		
63		Set 1 to clear CondChgd.		
391H	913	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_SET	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.2.4, "Architectural Performance Monitoring Version 4."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		0		Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC0 = 1.
		1		Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC1 = 1.
		2		Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC2 = 1.
		3		Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC3 = 1.
		31:4		Reserved
		32		Set 1 to cause Ovf_FixedCtr0 = 1.
		33		Set 1 to cause Ovf_FixedCtr1 = 1.
		34		Set 1 to cause Ovf_FixedCtr2 = 1.
		54:35		Reserved
		55		Set 1 to cause Trace_ToPA_PMI = 1.
		57:56		Reserved
		58		Set 1 to cause LBR_Frz = 1.
		59		Set 1 to cause CTR_Frz = 1.
		60		Set 1 to cause ASCII = 1.
		61		Set 1 to cause Ovf_Uncore.
		62		Set 1 to cause Ovf_BufDSSAVE.
		63		Reserved
392H	914	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_INUSE	Core	See Table 2-2.
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Core	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.4, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		0		
3F8H	1016	MSR_PKG_C3_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Package C3 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C3 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3F9H	1017	MSR_PKG_C6_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Package C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C6 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3FCH	1020	MSR_CORE_C3_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:0		CORE C3 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this core is in processor-specific C3 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR	Module	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
4C3H	1219	IA32_A_PMC2	Core	See Table 2-2.
4C4H	1220	IA32_A_PMC3	Core	See Table 2-2.
4E0H	1248	MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL	Package	Enhanced SMM Feature Control (SMM-RW) Reports SMM capability Enhancement. Accessible only while in SMM.
		0		Lock (SMM-RW0) When set to '1' locks this register from further changes.
		1		Reserved
		2		SMM_Code_Chk_En (SMM-RW) This control bit is available only if MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP[58] == 1. When set to '0' (default) none of the logical processors are prevented from executing SMM code outside the ranges defined by the SMRR. When set to '1' any logical processor in the package that attempts to execute SMM code not within the ranges defined by the SMRR will assert an unrecoverable MCE.
		63:3		Reserved
4E2H	1250	MSR_SMM_DELAYED	Package	SMM Delayed (SMM-RO) Reports the interruptible state of all logical processors in the package. Available only while in SMM and MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP[LONG_FLOW_INDICATION] == 1.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		N-1:0		LOG_PROC_STATE (SMM-RO) Each bit represents a processor core of its state in a long flow of internal operation which delays servicing an interrupt. The corresponding bit will be set at the start of long events such as: Microcode Update Load, C6, WBINVD, Ratio Change, Throttle. The bit is automatically cleared at the end of each long event. The reset value of this field is 0. Only bit positions below N = CPUID.(EAX=0BH, ECX=PKG_LVL):EBX[15:0] can be updated.
		63:N		Reserved
4E3H	1251	MSR_SMM_BLOCKED	Package	SMM Blocked (SMM-RO) Reports the blocked state of all logical processors in the package. Available only while in SMM.
		N-1:0		LOG_PROC_STATE (SMM-RO) Each bit represents a processor core of its blocked state to service an SMI. The corresponding bit will be set if the logical processor is in one of the following states: Wait For SIPI or SENTER Sleep. The reset value of this field is OFFFH. Only bit positions below N = CPUID.(EAX=0BH, ECX=PKG_LVL):EBX[15:0] can be updated.
		63:N		Reserved
500H	1280	IA32_SGX_SVN_STATUS	Core	Status and SVN Threshold of SGX Support for ACM (R/O)
		0		Lock See Section 39.1.1.3, "Interactions with Authenticated Code Modules (ACMs)."
		15:1		Reserved
		23:16		SGX_SVN_SINIT See Section 39.1.1.3, "Interactions with Authenticated Code Modules (ACMs)."
		63:24		Reserved
560H	1376	IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_BASE	Core	Trace Output Base Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
561H	1377	IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_MASK_PTRS	Core	Trace Output Mask Pointers Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
570H	1392	IA32_RTIT_CTL	Core	Trace Control Register (R/W)
		0		TraceEn
		1		CYCEn
		2		OS
		3		User
		6:4		Reserved, must be zero.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		7		CR3Filter
		8		ToPA Writing 0 will #GP if also setting TraceEn.
		9		MTCEn
		10		TSCEn
		11		DisRETC
		12		Reserved, must be zero.
		13		BranchEn
		17:14		MTCFreq
		18		Reserved, must be zero.
		22:19		CycThresh
		23		Reserved, must be zero.
		27:24		PSBFreq
		31:28		Reserved, must be zero.
		35:32		ADDRO_CFG
		39:36		ADDR1_CFG
		63:40		Reserved, must be zero.
571H	1393	IA32_RTIT_STATUS	Core	Tracing Status Register (R/W)
		0		FilterEn Writes ignored.
		1		ContexEn Writes ignored.
		2		TriggerEn Writes ignored.
		3		Reserved
		4		Error (R/W)
		5		Stopped
		31:6		Reserved, must be zero.
		48:32		PacketByteCnt
		63:49		Reserved, must be zero.
572H	1394	IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH	Core	Trace Filter CR3 Match Register (R/W)
		4:0		Reserved
		63:5		CR3[63:5] value to match.
580H	1408	IA32_RTIT_ADDRO_A	Core	Region 0 Start Address (R/W)
		63:0		See Table 2-2.
581H	1409	IA32_RTIT_ADDRO_B	Core	Region 0 End Address (R/W)
		63:0		See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
582H	1410	IA32_RTIT_ADDR1_A	Core	Region 1 Start Address (R/W)
		63:0		See Table 2-2.
583H	1411	IA32_RTIT_ADDR1_B	Core	Region 1 End Address (R/W)
		63:0		See Table 2-2.
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O) See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		3:0		Power Units Power related information (in Watts) is in unit of $1W/2^{PU}$; where PU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 3:0. Default value is 1000b, indicating power unit is in 3.9 milliWatts increment.
		7:4		Reserved
		12:8		Energy Status Units Energy related information (in Joules) is in unit of $1Joule/2^{ESU}$; where ESU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 12:8. Default value is 01110b, indicating energy unit is in 61 microJoules.
		15:13		Reserved
		19:16		Time Unit Time related information (in seconds) is in unit of $1S/2^{TU}$; where TU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 19:16. Default value is 1010b, indicating power unit is in 0.977 millisecond.
		63:20		Reserved
60AH	1546	MSR_PKG_C3_IRT_L	Package	Package C3 Interrupt Response Limit (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		9:0		Interrupt Response Time Limit (R/W) Specifies the limit that should be used to decide if the package should be put into a package C3 state.
		12:10		Time Unit (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of time unit of the interrupt response time limit. See Table 2-20 for supported time unit encodings.
		14:13		Reserved
		15		Valid (R/W) Indicates whether the values in bits 12:0 are valid and can be used by the processor for package C-state management.
		63:16		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
60BH	1547	MSR_PKG_C2_IRTL1	Package	Package C6/C7S Interrupt Response Limit 1 (R/W) This MSR defines the interrupt response time limit used by the processor to manage a transition to a package C6 or C7S state. Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
		9:0		Interrupt Response Time Limit (R/W) Specifies the limit that should be used to decide if the package should be put into a package C6 or C7S state.
		12:10		Time Unit (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of time unit of the interrupt response time limit. See Table 2-20 for supported time unit encodings.
		14:13		Reserved
		15		Valid (R/W) Indicates whether the values in bits 12:0 are valid and can be used by the processor for package C-state management.
		63:16		Reserved
60CH	1548	MSR_PKG_C2_IRTL2	Package	Package C7 Interrupt Response Limit 2 (R/W) This MSR defines the interrupt response time limit used by the processor to manage a transition to a package C7 state. Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		9:0		Interrupt Response Time Limit (R/W) Specifies the limit that should be used to decide if the package should be put into a package C7 state.
		12:10		Time Unit (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of time unit of the interrupt response time limit. See Table 2-20 for supported time unit encodings.
		14:13		Reserved
		15		Valid (R/W) Indicates whether the values in bits 12:0 are valid and can be used by the processor for package C-state management.
		63:16		Reserved
60DH	1549	MSR_PKG_C2_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:0		Package C2 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C2 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
610H	1552	MSR_PKG_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PKG RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
611H	1553	MSR_PKG_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PKG Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
613H	1555	MSR_PKG_PERF_STATUS	Package	PKG Perf Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
614H	1556	MSR_PKG_POWER_INFO	Package	PKG RAPL Parameters (R/W)
		14:0		Thermal Spec Power (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
		15		Reserved
		30:16		Minimum Power (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
		31		Reserved
		46:32		Maximum Power (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
		47		Reserved
		54:48		Maximum Time Window (R/W) Specified by $2^Y * (1.0 + Z/4.0) * \text{Time_Unit}$, where "Y" is the unsigned integer value represented by bits 52:48, "Z" is an unsigned integer represented by bits 54:53. "Time_Unit" is specified by the "Time Units" field of MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT.
63:55		Reserved		
618H	1560	MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	Package	DRAM RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61CH	1564	MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	Package	DRAM RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
632H	1586	MSR_PKG_C10_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
		63:0		Package C10 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that the entire SOC is in an S0i3 state. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
639H	1593	MSR_PP0_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PP0 Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
641H	1601	MSR_PP1_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PP1 Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
64CH	1612	MSR_TURBO_ACTIVATION_RATIO	Package	ConfigTDP Control (R/W)
		7:0		MAX_NON_TURBO_RATIO (RW/L) System BIOS can program this field.
		30:8		Reserved
		31		TURBO_ACTIVATION_RATIO_Lock (RW/L) When this bit is set, the content of this register is locked until a reset.
		63:32		Reserved
64FH	1615	MSR_CORE_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in Processor Cores (R/W) (Frequency refers to processor core frequency.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (R0) When set, processor core frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal event.
		2		Package-Level Power Limiting PL1 Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package-level power limiting PL1.
		3		Package-Level PL2 Power Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package-level power limiting PL2.
		8:4		Reserved
		9		Core Power Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to domain-level power limiting.
		10		VR Therm Alert Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal alert from the Voltage Regulator.
		11		Max Turbo Limit Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to multi-core turbo limits.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		12		Electrical Design Point Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to electrical design point constraints (e.g., maximum electrical current consumption).
		13		Turbo Transition Attenuation Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to Turbo transition attenuation. This prevents performance degradation due to frequent operating ratio changes.
		14		Maximum Efficiency Frequency Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the maximum efficiency frequency.
		15		Reserved
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		18		Package-Level PL1 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package Level PL1 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		19		Package-Level PL2 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package Level PL2 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		24:20		Reserved
		25		Core Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Core Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		26		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		27		Max Turbo Limit Log When set, indicates that the Max Turbo Limit Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		28		Electrical Design Point Log When set, indicates that the EDP Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		29		Turbo Transition Attenuation Log When set, indicates that the Turbo Transition Attenuation Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		30		Maximum Efficiency Frequency Log When set, indicates that the Maximum Efficiency Frequency Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:31		Reserved
680H	1664	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 0 From IP (R/W) One of 32 pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. The From_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction . See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.6 and record format in Section 18.4.8.1.
		0:47		From Linear Address (R/W)
		62:48		Signed extension of bits 47:0.
		63		Mispred
681H	1665	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 1 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
682H	1666	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 2 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
683H	1667	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 3 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
684H	1668	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 4 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
685H	1669	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 5 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
686H	1670	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 6 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
687H	1671	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 7 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
688H	1672	MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 8 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
689H	1673	MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 9 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68AH	1674	MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 10 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68BH	1675	MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 11 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68CH	1676	MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 12 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68DH	1677	MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 13 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68EH	1678	MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 14 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68FH	1679	MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 15 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
690H	1680	MSR_LASTBRANCH_16_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 16 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
691H	1681	MSR_LASTBRANCH_17_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 17 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
692H	1682	MSR_LASTBRANCH_18_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 18 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
693H	1683	MSR_LASTBRANCH_19_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 19 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
694H	1684	MSR_LASTBRANCH_20_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 20 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
695H	1685	MSR_LASTBRANCH_21_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 21 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
696H	1686	MSR_LASTBRANCH_22_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 22 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
697H	1687	MSR_LASTBRANCH_23_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 23 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
698H	1688	MSR_LASTBRANCH_24_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 24 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
699H	1689	MSR_LASTBRANCH_25_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 25 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69AH	1690	MSR_LASTBRANCH_26_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 26 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69BH	1691	MSR_LASTBRANCH_27_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 27 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69CH	1692	MSR_LASTBRANCH_28_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 28 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69DH	1693	MSR_LASTBRANCH_29_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 29 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69EH	1694	MSR_LASTBRANCH_30_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 30 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69FH	1695	MSR_LASTBRANCH_31_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 31 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
6C0H	1728	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 0 To IP (R/W) One of 32 pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. The To_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the Destination instruction and elapsed cycles from last LBR update. See Section 18.6.
		0:47		Target Linear Address (R/W)
		63:48		Elapsed cycles from last update to the LBR.
6C1H	1729	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 1 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C2H	1730	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 2 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C3H	1731	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 3 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C4H	1732	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 4 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C5H	1733	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 5 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C6H	1734	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 6 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C7H	1735	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 7 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
6C8H	1736	MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 8 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C9H	1737	MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 9 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CAH	1738	MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 10 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CBH	1739	MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 11 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CCH	1740	MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 12 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CDH	1741	MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 13 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CEH	1742	MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 14 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CFH	1743	MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 15 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DOH	1744	MSR_LASTBRANCH_16_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 16 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D1H	1745	MSR_LASTBRANCH_17_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 17 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D2H	1746	MSR_LASTBRANCH_18_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 18 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D3H	1747	MSR_LASTBRANCH_19_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 19 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D4H	1748	MSR_LASTBRANCH_20_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 20 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D5H	1749	MSR_LASTBRANCH_21_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 21 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D6H	1750	MSR_LASTBRANCH_22_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 22 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D7H	1751	MSR_LASTBRANCH_23_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 23 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D8H	1752	MSR_LASTBRANCH_24_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 24 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D9H	1753	MSR_LASTBRANCH_25_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 25 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DAH	1754	MSR_LASTBRANCH_26_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 26 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
6DBH	1755	MSR_LASTBRANCH_27_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 27 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DCH	1756	MSR_LASTBRANCH_28_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 28 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DDH	1757	MSR_LASTBRANCH_29_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 29 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DEH	1758	MSR_LASTBRANCH_30_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 30 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DFH	1759	MSR_LASTBRANCH_31_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 31 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
802H	2050	IA32_X2APIC_APICID	Core	x2APIC ID register (R/O)
803H	2051	IA32_X2APIC_VERSION	Core	x2APIC Version register (R/O)
808H	2056	IA32_X2APIC_TPR	Core	x2APIC Task Priority register (R/W)
80AH	2058	IA32_X2APIC_PPR	Core	x2APIC Processor Priority register (R/O)
80BH	2059	IA32_X2APIC_EOI	Core	x2APIC EOI register (W/O)
80DH	2061	IA32_X2APIC_LDR	Core	x2APIC Logical Destination register (R/O)
80FH	2063	IA32_X2APIC_SIVR	Core	x2APIC Spurious Interrupt Vector register (R/W)
810H	2064	IA32_X2APIC_ISR0	Core	x2APIC In-Service register bits [31:0] (R/O)
811H	2065	IA32_X2APIC_ISR1	Core	x2APIC In-Service register bits [63:32] (R/O)
812H	2066	IA32_X2APIC_ISR2	Core	x2APIC In-Service register bits [95:64] (R/O)
813H	2067	IA32_X2APIC_ISR3	Core	x2APIC In-Service register bits [127:96] (R/O)
814H	2068	IA32_X2APIC_ISR4	Core	x2APIC In-Service register bits [159:128] (R/O)
815H	2069	IA32_X2APIC_ISR5	Core	x2APIC In-Service register bits [191:160] (R/O)
816H	2070	IA32_X2APIC_ISR6	Core	x2APIC In-Service register bits [223:192] (R/O)
817H	2071	IA32_X2APIC_ISR7	Core	x2APIC In-Service register bits [255:224] (R/O)
818H	2072	IA32_X2APIC_TMR0	Core	x2APIC Trigger Mode register bits [31:0] (R/O)
819H	2073	IA32_X2APIC_TMR1	Core	x2APIC Trigger Mode register bits [63:32] (R/O)
81AH	2074	IA32_X2APIC_TMR2	Core	x2APIC Trigger Mode register bits [95:64] (R/O)
81BH	2075	IA32_X2APIC_TMR3	Core	x2APIC Trigger Mode register bits [127:96] (R/O)
81CH	2076	IA32_X2APIC_TMR4	Core	x2APIC Trigger Mode register bits [159:128] (R/O)
81DH	2077	IA32_X2APIC_TMR5	Core	x2APIC Trigger Mode register bits [191:160] (R/O)
81EH	2078	IA32_X2APIC_TMR6	Core	x2APIC Trigger Mode register bits [223:192] (R/O)
81FH	2079	IA32_X2APIC_TMR7	Core	x2APIC Trigger Mode register bits [255:224] (R/O)
820H	2080	IA32_X2APIC_IRR0	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Request register bits [31:0] (R/O)
821H	2081	IA32_X2APIC_IRR1	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Request register bits [63:32] (R/O)
822H	2082	IA32_X2APIC_IRR2	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Request register bits [95:64] (R/O)
823H	2083	IA32_X2APIC_IRR3	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Request register bits [127:96] (R/O)

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
824H	2084	IA32_X2APIC_IRR4	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Request register bits [159:128] (R/O)
825H	2085	IA32_X2APIC_IRR5	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Request register bits [191:160] (R/O)
826H	2086	IA32_X2APIC_IRR6	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Request register bits [223:192] (R/O)
827H	2087	IA32_X2APIC_IRR7	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Request register bits [255:224] (R/O)
828H	2088	IA32_X2APIC_ESR	Core	x2APIC Error Status register (R/W)
82FH	2095	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_CMCI	Core	x2APIC LVT Corrected Machine Check Interrupt register (R/W)
830H	2096	IA32_X2APIC_ICR	Core	x2APIC Interrupt Command register (R/W)
832H	2098	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_TIMER	Core	x2APIC LVT Timer Interrupt register (R/W)
833H	2099	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_THERMAL	Core	x2APIC LVT Thermal Sensor Interrupt register (R/W)
834H	2100	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_PMI	Core	x2APIC LVT Performance Monitor register (R/W)
835H	2101	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_LINT0	Core	x2APIC LVT LINT0 register (R/W)
836H	2102	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_LINT1	Core	x2APIC LVT LINT1 register (R/W)
837H	2103	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_ERROR	Core	x2APIC LVT Error register (R/W)
838H	2104	IA32_X2APIC_INIT_COUNT	Core	x2APIC Initial Count register (R/W)
839H	2105	IA32_X2APIC_CUR_COUNT	Core	x2APIC Current Count register (R/O)
83EH	2110	IA32_X2APIC_DIV_CONF	Core	x2APIC Divide Configuration register (R/W)
83FH	2111	IA32_X2APIC_SELF_IPI	Core	x2APIC Self IPI register (W/O)
C8FH	3215	IA32_PQR_ASSOC	Core	Resource Association Register (R/W)
		31:0		Reserved
		33:32		COS (R/W)
		63: 34		Reserved
D10H	3344	IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_0	Module	L2 Class Of Service Mask - COS 0 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=0.
		0:7		CBM: Bit vector of available L2 ways for COS 0 enforcement.
		63:8		Reserved
D11H	3345	IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_1	Module	L2 Class Of Service Mask - COS 1 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=1.
		0:7		CBM: Bit vector of available L2 ways for COS 0 enforcement.
		63:8		Reserved
D12H	3346	IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_2	Module	L2 Class Of Service Mask - COS 2 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=2.
		0:7		CBM: Bit vector of available L2 ways for COS 0 enforcement.

Table 2-12. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:8		Reserved
D13H	3347	IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_3	Package	L2 Class Of Service Mask - COS 3 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=3.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L2 ways for COS 3 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
D90H	3472	IA32_BNDCFGS	Core	See Table 2-2.
DA0H	3488	IA32_XSS	Core	See Table 2-2.

See Table 2-6, and Table 2-12 for MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_5CH.

2.6 MSRS IN INTEL ATOM® PROCESSORS BASED ON GOLDMONT PLUS MICROARCHITECTURE

Intel Atom processors based on the Goldmont Plus microarchitecture support MSRs listed in Table 2-6, Table 2-12, and Table 2-13. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_7AH; see Table 2-1. For an MSR listed in Table 2-13 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-13 supersedes prior generation tables.

In the Goldmont Plus microarchitecture, the scope column indicates the following: “Core” means each processor core has a separate MSR, or a bit field not shared with another processor core. “Module” means the MSR or the bit field is shared by a subset of the processor cores in the physical package. The number of processor cores in this subset is model specific and may differ between different processors. For all processors based on Goldmont Plus microarchitecture, the L2 cache is also shared between cores in a module and thus CPUID leaf 04H enumeration can be used to figure out which processors are in the same module. “Package” means all processor cores in the physical package share the same MSR or bit interface.

Table 2-13. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Plus Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Core	Control Features in Intel 64Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Lock (R/WL)
		1		Enable VMX inside SMX operation (R/WL)
		2		Enable VMX outside SMX operation (R/WL)
		14:8		SENTER local functions enables (R/WL)
		15		SENTER global functions enable (R/WL)
		17		SGX Launch Control Enable (R/WL) This bit must be set to enable runtime reconfiguration of SGX Launch Control via IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASHn MSR. Valid if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H): ECX[30] = 1.

Table 2-13. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Plus Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		18		SGX global functions enable (R/WL)
		63:19		Reserved
8CH	140	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH0	Core	See Table 2-2.
8DH	141	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH1	Core	See Table 2-2.
8EH	142	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH2	Core	See Table 2-2.
8FH	143	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH3	Core	See Table 2-2.
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Core	(R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.4, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		0		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for the programmed event (precise or otherwise) on IA32_PMC0.
		1		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for the programmed event (precise or otherwise) on IA32_PMC1.
		2		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for the programmed event (precise or otherwise) on IA32_PMC2.
		3		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for the programmed event (precise or otherwise) on IA32_PMC3.
		31:4		Reserved
		32		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for IA32_FIXED_CTR0.
		33		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for IA32_FIXED_CTR1.
		34		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for IA32_FIXED_CTR2.
		63:35		Reserved
570H	1392	IA32_RTIT_CTL	Core	Trace Control Register (R/W)
		0		TraceEn
		1		CYCEn
		2		OS
		3		User
		4		PwrEvtEn
		5		FUPonPTW
		6		FabricEn
		7		CR3Filter
		8		ToPA Writing 0 will #GP if also setting TraceEn.
9		MTCEn		

Table 2-13. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Plus Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		10		TSCEn
		11		DisRETC
		12		PTWEn
		13		BranchEn
		17:14		MTCFreq
		18		Reserved, must be zero.
		22:19		CycThresh
		23		Reserved, must be zero.
		27:24		PSBFreq
		31:28		Reserved, must be zero.
		35:32		ADDRO_CFG
		39:36		ADDR1_CFG
		63:40		Reserved, must be zero.
680H	1664	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 0 From IP (R/W) One of the three MSRs that make up the first entry of the 32-entry LBR stack. The From_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.7, "Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Goldmont Plus Microarchitecture."
681H - 69FH	1665 - 1695	MSR_LASTBRANCH_ <i>i</i> _FROM_IP	Core	Last Branch Record <i>i</i> From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP; <i>i</i> = 1-31.
6C0H	1728	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record 0 To IP (R/W) One of the three MSRs that make up the first entry of the 32-entry LBR stack. The To_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the Destination instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Section 18.7, "Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Goldmont Plus Microarchitecture."
6C1H - 6DFH	1729 - 1759	MSR_LASTBRANCH_ <i>i</i> _TO_IP	Core	Last Branch Record <i>i</i> To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP; <i>i</i> = 1-31.
DC0H	3520	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0	Core	Last Branch Record 0 Additional Information (R/W) One of the three MSRs that make up the first entry of the 32-entry LBR stack. This part of the stack contains flag and elapsed cycle information. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.9.1, "LBR Stack."
DC1H	3521	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_1	Core	Last Branch Record 1 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.

Table 2-13. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Plus Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
DC2H	3522	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_2	Core	Last Branch Record 2 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DC3H	3523	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_3	Core	Last Branch Record 3 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DC4H	3524	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_4	Core	Last Branch Record 4 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DC5H	3525	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_5	Core	Last Branch Record 5 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DC6H	3526	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_6	Core	Last Branch Record 6 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DC7H	3527	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_7	Core	Last Branch Record 7 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DC8H	3528	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_8	Core	Last Branch Record 8 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DC9H	3529	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_9	Core	Last Branch Record 9 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DCAH	3530	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_10	Core	Last Branch Record 10 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DCBH	3531	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_11	Core	Last Branch Record 11 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DCCH	3532	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_12	Core	Last Branch Record 12 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DCDH	3533	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_13	Core	Last Branch Record 13 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DCEH	3534	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_14	Core	Last Branch Record 14 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DCFH	3535	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_15	Core	Last Branch Record 15 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD0H	3536	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_16	Core	Last Branch Record 16 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD1H	3537	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_17	Core	Last Branch Record 17 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD2H	3538	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_18	Core	Last Branch Record 18 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD3H	3539	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_19	Core	Last Branch Record 19 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD4H	3520	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_20	Core	Last Branch Record 20 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.

Table 2-13. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Goldmont Plus Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
DD5H	3521	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_21	Core	Last Branch Record 21 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD6H	3522	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_22	Core	Last Branch Record 22 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD7H	3523	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_23	Core	Last Branch Record 23 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD8H	3524	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_24	Core	Last Branch Record 24 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DD9H	3525	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_25	Core	Last Branch Record 25 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DDAH	3526	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_26	Core	Last Branch Record 26 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DDBH	3527	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_27	Core	Last Branch Record 27 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DDCH	3528	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_28	Core	Last Branch Record 28 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DDDH	3529	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_29	Core	Last Branch Record 29 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DDEH	3530	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_30	Core	Last Branch Record 30 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.
DDFH	3531	MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_31	Core	Last Branch Record 31 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0.

See Table 2-6, Table 2-12, and Table 2-13 for MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_7AH.

2.7 MSRS IN INTEL ATOM® PROCESSORS BASED ON TREMONT MICROARCHITECTURE

Processors based on the Tremont microarchitecture support MSRs listed in Table 2-6, Table 2-12, Table 2-13, and Table 2-14. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_86H, 06_96H, or 06_9CH; see Table 2-1. For an MSR listed in Table 2-14 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-14 supersedes prior generation tables.

In the Tremont microarchitecture, the scope column indicates the following: “Core” means each processor core has a separate MSR, or a bit field not shared with another processor core. “Module” means the MSR or the bit field is shared by a subset of the processor cores in the physical package. The number of processor cores in this subset is model specific and may differ between different processors. For all processors based on Tremont microarchitecture, the L2 cache is also shared between cores in a module and thus CPUID leaf 04H enumeration can be used to figure out which processors are in the same module. “Package” means all processor cores in the physical package share the same MSR or bit interface.

Table 2-14. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Tremont Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
33H	51	MSR_MEMORY_CTRL	Core	Memory Control Register
		28:0		Reserved.
		29		SPLIT_LOCK_DISABLE If set to 1, a split lock will cause an #AC(0) exception. See Section 9.1.2.3, "Features to Disable Bus Locks."
		30		Reserved.
		31		Reserved.
CFH	207	IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES	Core	IA32 Core Capabilities Register If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[30] = 1.
		4:0		Reserved.
		5		SPLIT_LOCK_DISABLE_SUPPORTED When read as 1, software can set bit 29 of MSR_MEMORY_CTRL (MSR address 33H).
		63:6		Reserved.
2A0H	672	MSR_PRMRR_BASE_0	Core	Processor Reserved Memory Range Register - Physical Base Control Register (R/W)
		2:0		MEMTYPE: PRMRR BASE Memory Type.
		3		CONFIGURED: PRMRR BASE Configured.
		11:4		Reserved.
		51:12		BASE: PRMRR Base Address.
		63:52		Reserved.
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Core	(R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.4, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		<i>n</i> :0		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for the programmed event (precise or otherwise) on IA32_PMCx. The maximum value <i>n</i> can be determined from CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8].
		31: <i>n</i> +1		Reserved.
		32+ <i>m</i> :32		Enable PEBS trigger and recording for IA32_FIXED_CTRx. The maximum value <i>m</i> can be determined from CPUID.0AH:EDX[4:0].
		59:33+ <i>m</i>		Reserved.
		60		Pend a PerfMon Interrupt (PMI) after each PEBS event.
		62:61		Specifies PEBS output destination. Encodings: 00B: DS Save Area 01B: Intel PT trace output. Supported if IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES.PEBS_OUTPUT_PT_AVAIL[16] and CPUID.07H.0.EBX[25] are set. 10B: Reserved 11B: Reserved

Table 2-14. MSRs in Intel Atom® Processors Based on Tremont Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63		Reserved.
1309H -	4873 -	MSR_RELOAD_FIXED_CTRx		Reload value for IA32_FIXED_CTRx (R/W)
130BH	4875	47:0		Value loaded into IA32_FIXED_CTRx when a PEBS record is generated while PEBS_EN_FIXEDx = 1 and PEBS_OUTPUT = 01B in IA32_PEBS_ENABLE, and FIXED_CTRx is overflowed.
		63:48		Reserved.
14C1H -	5313 -	MSR_RELOAD_PMCx	Core	Reload value for IA32_PMCx (R/W)
14C4H	5316	47:0		Value loaded into IA32_PMCx when a PEBS record is generated while PEBS_EN_PMCx = 1 and PEBS_OUTPUT = 01B in IA32_PEBS_ENABLE, and PMCx is overflowed.
		63:48		Reserved.

See Table 2-6, Table 2-12, Table 2-13, and Table 2-14 for MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_86H.

2.8 MSRS IN PROCESSORS BASED ON NEHALEM MICROARCHITECTURE

Table 2-15 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) that are common for Nehalem microarchitecture. These include the Intel Core i7 and i5 processor family. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, or 06_2EH; see Table 2-1. Additional MSRs specific to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_1AH, 06_1EH, or 06_1FH are listed in Table 2-16. Some MSRs listed in these tables are used by BIOS. More information about these MSR can be found at <http://biosbits.org>.

The column "Scope" represents the package/core/thread scope of individual bit field of an MSR. "Thread" means this bit field must be programmed on each logical processor independently. "Core" means the bit field must be programmed on each processor core independently, logical processors in the same core will be affected by change of this bit on the other logical processor in the same core. "Package" means the bit field must be programmed once for each physical package. Change of a bit filed with a package scope will affect all logical processors in that physical package.

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
0H	0	IA32_P5_MC_ADDR	Thread	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
1H	1	IA32_P5_MC_TYPE	Thread	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_SIZE	Thread	See Section 9.10.5, "Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination," and Table 2-2.
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	Thread	See Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter," and see Table 2-2.
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	Package	Platform ID (R) See Table 2-2.
17H	23	MSR_PLATFORM_ID	Package	Model Specific Platform ID (R)

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		49:0		Reserved
		52:50		See Table 2-2.
		63:53		Reserved
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE	Thread	See Section 11.4.4, "Local APIC Status and Location," and Table 2-2.
34H	52	MSR_SMI_COUNT	Thread	SMI Counter (R/O)
		31:0		SMI Count (R/O) Running count of SMI events since last RESET.
		63:32		Reserved
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Thread	Control Features in Intel 64Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	Core	BIOS Update Trigger Register (W) See Table 2-2.
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID	Thread	BIOS Update Signature ID (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C1H	193	IA32_PMC0	Thread	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C2H	194	IA32_PMC1	Thread	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C3H	195	IA32_PMC2	Thread	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C4H	196	IA32_PMC3	Thread	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) This is the ratio of the frequency that invariant TSC runs at. The invariant TSC frequency can be computed by multiplying this ratio by 133.33 MHz.
		27:16		Reserved
		28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is enabled. When set to 0, indicates Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is disabled.

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		29	Package	Programmable TDC-TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that TDC and TDP Limits for Turbo mode are programmable. When set to 0, indicates TDC and TDP Limits for Turbo mode are not programmable.
		39:30		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) This is the minimum ratio (maximum efficiency) that the processor can operate, in units of 133.33MHz.
		63:48		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: C0 (no package C-sate support) 001b: C1 (Behavior is the same as 000b) 010b: C3 011b: C6 100b: C7 101b and 110b: Reserved 111: No package C-state limit. Note: This field cannot be used to limit package C-state to C3.
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W) When set, will map IO_read instructions sent to IO register specified by MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE to MWAIT instructions.
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO) When set, locks bits 15:0 of this register until next reset.
		23:16		Reserved

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		24		Interrupt filtering enable (R/W) When set, processor cores in a deep C-State will wake only when the event message is destined for that core. When 0, all processor cores in a deep C-State will wake for an event message.
		25		C3 state auto demotion enable (R/W) When set, the processor will conditionally demote C6/C7 requests to C3 based on uncore auto-demote information.
		26		C1 state auto demotion enable (R/W) When set, the processor will conditionally demote C3/C6/C7 requests to C1 based on uncore auto-demote information.
		27		Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W)
		28		Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W)
		29		Package C State Demotion Enable (R/W)
		30		Package C State UnDemotion Enable (R/W)
		63:31		Reserved
E4H	228	MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE	Core	Power Management IO Redirection in C-state (R/W) See http://biosbits.org .
		15:0		LVL_2 Base Address (R/W) Specifies the base address visible to software for IO redirection. If IO MWAIT Redirection is enabled, reads to this address will be consumed by the power management logic and decoded to MWAIT instructions. When IO port address redirection is enabled, this is the IO port address reported to the OS/software.
		18:16		C-state Range (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of the maximum C-State code name to be included when IO read to MWAIT redirection is enabled by MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL[bit10]: 000b - C3 is the max C-State to include. 001b - C6 is the max C-State to include. 010b - C7 is the max C-State to include.
		63:19		Reserved
E7H	231	IA32_MPERF	Thread	Maximum Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
E8H	232	IA32_APERF	Thread	Actual Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	Thread	See Table 2-2.
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	Thread	See Table 2-2.

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Thread	Global Machine Check Status
		0		RIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) can be used to restart the program. If cleared, the program cannot be reliably restarted.
		1		EIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) is directly associated with the error.
		2		MCIP When set, bit indicates that a machine check has been generated. If a second machine check is detected while this bit is still set, the processor enters a shutdown state. Software should write this bit to 0 after processing a machine check exception.
		63:3		Reserved
186H	390	IA32_PERFEVTSELO	Thread	See Table 2-2.
		7:0		Event Select
		15:8		UMask
		16		USR
		17		OS
		18		Edge
		19		PC
		20		INT
		21		AnyThread
		22		EN
		23		INV
		31:24		CMASK
		63:32		Reserved
		187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1
188H	392	IA32_PERFEVTSEL2	Thread	See Table 2-2.
189H	393	IA32_PERFEVTSEL3	Thread	See Table 2-2.
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	Core	See Table 2-2.
		15:0		Current Performance State Value.
		63:16		Reserved
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	Thread	See Table 2-2.

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Thread	Clock Modulation (R/W) See Table 2-2. IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION MSR was originally named IA32_THERM_CONTROL MSR.
		0		Reserved
		3:1		On demand Clock Modulation Duty Cycle (R/W)
		4		On demand Clock Modulation Enable (R/W)
		63:5		Reserved
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Core	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Core	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE		Enable Misc. Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		0	Thread	Fast-Strings Enable See Table 2-2.
		2:1		Reserved
		3	Thread	Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2. Default value is 1.
		6:4		Reserved
		7	Thread	Performance Monitoring Available (R) See Table 2-2.
		10:8		Reserved
		11	Thread	Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		12	Thread	Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		15:13		Reserved
		16	Package	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		18	Thread	ENABLE MONITOR FSM. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		21:19		Reserved
		22	Thread	Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W) See Table 2-2.
23	Thread	xTPR Message Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.		
33:24		Reserved		

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		34	Thread	XD Bit Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		37:35		Reserved
		38	Package	Turbo Mode Disable (R/W) When set to 1 on processors that support Intel Turbo Boost Technology, the turbo mode feature is disabled and the IDA_Enable feature flag will be clear (CPUID.06H: EAX[1]=0). When set to a 0 on processors that support IDA, CPUID.06H: EAX[1] reports the processor's support of turbo mode is enabled. Note: The power-on default value is used by BIOS to detect hardware support of turbo mode. If the power-on default value is 1, turbo mode is available in the processor. If the power-on default value is 0, turbo mode is not available.
		63:39		Reserved
1A2H	418	MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET	Thread	Temperature Target
		15:0		Reserved
		23:16		Temperature Target (R) The minimum temperature at which PROCHOT# will be asserted. The value is degrees C.
		63:24		Reserved
1A4H	420	MSR_MISC_FEATURE_CONTROL		Miscellaneous Feature Control (R/W)
		0	Core	L2 Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L2 hardware prefetcher, which fetches additional lines of code or data into the L2 cache.
		1	Core	L2 Adjacent Cache Line Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the adjacent cache line prefetcher, which fetches the cache line that comprises a cache line pair (128 bytes).
		2	Core	DCU Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L1 data cache prefetcher, which fetches the next cache line into L1 data cache.
		3	Core	DCU IP Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L1 data cache IP prefetcher, which uses sequential load history (based on instruction pointer of previous loads) to determine whether to prefetch additional lines.
		63:4		Reserved
1A6H	422	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_0	Thread	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)
1AAH	426	MSR_MISC_PWR_MGMT		Miscellaneous Power Management Control Various model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		0	Package	EIST Hardware Coordination Disable (R/W) When 0, enables hardware coordination of Enhanced Intel Speedstep Technology request from processor cores. When 1, disables hardware coordination of Enhanced Intel Speedstep Technology requests.
		1	Thread	Energy/Performance Bias Enable (R/W) This bit makes the IA32_ENERGY_PERF_BIAS register (MSR 1B0h) visible to software with Ring 0 privileges. This bit's status (1 or 0) is also reflected by CPUID.(EAX=06h):ECX[3].
		63:2		Reserved
1ACH	428	MSR_TURBO_POWER_CURRENT_LIMIT		See http://biosbits.org .
		14:0	Package	TDP Limit (R/W) TDP limit in 1/8 Watt granularity.
		15	Package	TDP Limit Override Enable (R/W) A value = 0 indicates override is not active; a value = 1 indicates override is active.
		30:16	Package	TDC Limit (R/W) TDC limit in 1/8 Amp granularity.
		31	Package	TDC Limit Override Enable (R/W) A value = 0 indicates override is not active; a value = 1 indicates override is active.
		63:32		Reserved
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 core active.
		63:32		Reserved
1C8H	456	MSR_LBR_SELECT	Core	Last Branch Record Filtering Select Register (R/W) See Section 18.9.2, "Filtering of Last Branch Records."
		0		CPL_EQ_0
		1		CPL_NEQ_0
		2		JCC
		3		NEAR_REL_CALL

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		4		NEAR_IND_CALL
		5		NEAR_RET
		6		NEAR_IND_JMP
		7		NEAR_REL_JMP
		8		FAR_BRANCH
		63:9		Reserved
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Thread	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-3) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record. See MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (at 680H).
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL	Thread	Debug Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1DDH	477	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	Thread	Last Exception Record From Linear IP (R) Contains a pointer to the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
1DEH	478	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	Thread	Last Exception Record To Linear IP (R) This area contains a pointer to the target of the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
1F2H	498	IA32_SMRR_PHYSBASE	Core	See Table 2-2.
1F3H	499	IA32_SMRR_PHYSMASK	Core	See Table 2-2.
1FCH	508	MSR_POWER_CTL	Core	Power Control Register See http://biosbits.org .
		0		Reserved
		1	Package	C1E Enable (R/W) When set to '1', will enable the CPU to switch to the Minimum Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology operating point when all execution cores enter MWAIT (C1).
		63:2		Reserved
200H	512	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE0	Thread	See Table 2-2.
201H	513	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK0	Thread	See Table 2-2.
202H	514	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
203H	515	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
204H	516	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE2	Thread	See Table 2-2.
205H	517	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK2	Thread	See Table 2-2.
206H	518	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE3	Thread	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
207H	519	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK3	Thread	See Table 2-2.
208H	520	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE4	Thread	See Table 2-2.
209H	521	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK4	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20AH	522	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE5	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20BH	523	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK5	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20CH	524	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE6	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20DH	525	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK6	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20EH	526	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE7	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20FH	527	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK7	Thread	See Table 2-2.
210H	528	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE8	Thread	See Table 2-2.
211H	529	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK8	Thread	See Table 2-2.
212H	530	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE9	Thread	See Table 2-2.
213H	531	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK9	Thread	See Table 2-2.
250H	592	IA32_MTRR_FIX64K_00000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
258H	600	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_80000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
259H	601	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_A0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
268H	616	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
269H	617	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C8000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26AH	618	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26BH	619	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D8000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26CH	620	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26DH	621	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E8000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26EH	622	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26FH	623	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F8000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
277H	631	IA32_PAT	Thread	See Table 2-2.
280H	640	IA32_MC0_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
281H	641	IA32_MC1_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
282H	642	IA32_MC2_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
283H	643	IA32_MC3_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
284H	644	IA32_MC4_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
285H	645	IA32_MC5_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
286H	646	IA32_MC6_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
287H	647	IA32_MC7_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
288H	648	IA32_MC8_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	Thread	Default Memory Types (R/W) See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
309H	777	IA32_FIXED_CTR0	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 0 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30AH	778	IA32_FIXED_CTR1	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 1 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30BH	779	IA32_FIXED_CTR2	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 2 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
345H	837	IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES	Thread	See Table 2-2. See Section 18.4.1, "IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR."
		5:0		LBR Format See Table 2-2.
		6		PEBS Record Format
		7		PEBSSaveArchRegs See Table 2-2.
		11:8		PEBS_REC_FORMAT See Table 2-2.
		12		SMM_FREEZE See Table 2-2.
		63:13		Reserved
38DH	909	IA32_FIXED_CTR_CTRL	Thread	Fixed-Function-Counter Control Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Thread	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
38EH	910	MSR_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Thread	Provides single-bit status used by software to query the overflow condition of each performance counter. (R/O)
		61		UNC_Ovf Uncore overflowed if 1.
38FH	911	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Thread	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Thread	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities." Allows software to clear counter overflow conditions on any combination of fixed-function PMCs (IA32_FIXED_CTRx) or general-purpose PMCs via a single WRMSR.
390H	912	MSR_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Thread	(R/W)
		61		CLR_UNC_Ovf Set 1 to clear UNC_Ovf.
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Thread	See Section 20.3.1.1.1, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		0		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC0 (R/W)
		1		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC1 (R/W)

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC2 (R/W)
		3		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC3 (R/W)
		31:4		Reserved
		32		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMC0 (R/W)
		33		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMC1 (R/W)
		34		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMC2 (R/W)
		35		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMC3 (R/W)
		63:36		Reserved
3F6H	1014	MSR_PEBS_LD_LAT	Thread	See Section 20.3.1.1.2, "Load Latency Performance Monitoring Facility."
		15:0		Minimum threshold latency value of tagged load operation that will be counted. (R/W)
		63:36		Reserved
3F8H	1016	MSR_PKG_C3_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Package C3 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C3 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3F9H	1017	MSR_PKG_C6_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Package C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C6 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3FAH	1018	MSR_PKG_C7_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Package C7 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C7 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3FCH	1020	MSR_CORE_C3_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		CORE C3 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this core is in processor-specific C3 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3FDH	1021	MSR_CORE_C6_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.

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Hex	Dec			
		63:0		CORE C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this core is in processor-specific C6 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MCO_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCO_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
403H	1027	IA32_MCO_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC1_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC1_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
407H	1031	IA32_MC1_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40BH	1035	IA32_MC2_MISC	Core	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
40CH	1036	IA32_MC3_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	IA32_MC3_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
40EH	1038	IA32_MC3_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC4_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40FH	1039	IA32_MC3_MISC	Core	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
412H	1042	IA32_MC4_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC3_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC3_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
413H	1043	IA32_MC4_MISC	Core	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
417H	1047	IA32_MC5_MISC	Core	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs," and Chapter 17.
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
41CH	1052	IA32_MC7_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
41DH	1053	IA32_MC7_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs," and Chapter 17.
41EH	1054	IA32_MC7_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
41FH	1055	IA32_MC7_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
420H	1056	IA32_MC8_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
421H	1057	IA32_MC8_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs," and Chapter 17.
422H	1058	IA32_MC8_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
423H	1059	IA32_MC8_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	Thread	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.1, "Basic VMX Information."
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-based VM-execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL5	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.4, "VM-Exit Controls."
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL5	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls."
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	Thread	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.6, "Miscellaneous Data."
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED1	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.9, "VMCS Enumeration."
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL52	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	Thread	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
680H	1664	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 0 From IP (R/W) One of sixteen pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. The From_IP part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. Section 18.9.1 and record format in Section 18.4.8.1.
681H	1665	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 1 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
682H	1666	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 2 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
683H	1667	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 3 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
684H	1668	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 4 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
685H	1669	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 5 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
686H	1670	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 6 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
687H	1671	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 7 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
688H	1672	MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 8 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
689H	1673	MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 9 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68AH	1674	MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 10 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68BH	1675	MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 11 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68CH	1676	MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 12 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68DH	1677	MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 13 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68EH	1678	MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 14 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68FH	1679	MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 15 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
6C0H	1728	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 0 To Ip (R/W) One of sixteen pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. This part of the stack contains pointers to the destination instruction.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
6C1H	1729	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 1 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C2H	1730	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 2 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C3H	1731	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 3 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C4H	1732	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 4 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C5H	1733	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 5 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C6H	1734	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 6 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C7H	1735	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 7 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C8H	1736	MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 8 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C9H	1737	MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 9 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CAH	1738	MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 10 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CBH	1739	MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 11 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CCH	1740	MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 12 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CDH	1741	MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 13 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CEH	1742	MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 14 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CFH	1743	MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 15 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
802H	2050	IA32_X2APIC_APICID	Thread	x2APIC ID Register (R/O)
803H	2051	IA32_X2APIC_VERSION	Thread	x2APIC Version Register (R/O)
808H	2056	IA32_X2APIC_TPR	Thread	x2APIC Task Priority Register (R/W)
80AH	2058	IA32_X2APIC_PPR	Thread	x2APIC Processor Priority Register (R/O)
80BH	2059	IA32_X2APIC_EOI	Thread	x2APIC EOI Register (W/O)
80DH	2061	IA32_X2APIC_LDR	Thread	x2APIC Logical Destination Register (R/O)
80FH	2063	IA32_X2APIC_SIVR	Thread	x2APIC Spurious Interrupt Vector Register (R/W)
810H	2064	IA32_X2APIC_ISR0	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [31:0] (R/O)
811H	2065	IA32_X2APIC_ISR1	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [63:32] (R/O)

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
812H	2066	IA32_X2APIC_ISR2	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [95:64] (R/O)
813H	2067	IA32_X2APIC_ISR3	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [127:96] (R/O)
814H	2068	IA32_X2APIC_ISR4	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [159:128] (R/O)
815H	2069	IA32_X2APIC_ISR5	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [191:160] (R/O)
816H	2070	IA32_X2APIC_ISR6	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [223:192] (R/O)
817H	2071	IA32_X2APIC_ISR7	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [255:224] (R/O)
818H	2072	IA32_X2APIC_TMR0	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [31:0] (R/O)
819H	2073	IA32_X2APIC_TMR1	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [63:32] (R/O)
81AH	2074	IA32_X2APIC_TMR2	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [95:64] (R/O)
81BH	2075	IA32_X2APIC_TMR3	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [127:96] (R/O)
81CH	2076	IA32_X2APIC_TMR4	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [159:128] (R/O)
81DH	2077	IA32_X2APIC_TMR5	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [191:160] (R/O)
81EH	2078	IA32_X2APIC_TMR6	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [223:192] (R/O)
81FH	2079	IA32_X2APIC_TMR7	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [255:224] (R/O)
820H	2080	IA32_X2APIC_IRR0	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [31:0] (R/O)
821H	2081	IA32_X2APIC_IRR1	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [63:32] (R/O)
822H	2082	IA32_X2APIC_IRR2	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [95:64] (R/O)
823H	2083	IA32_X2APIC_IRR3	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [127:96] (R/O)
824H	2084	IA32_X2APIC_IRR4	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [159:128] (R/O)
825H	2085	IA32_X2APIC_IRR5	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [191:160] (R/O)
826H	2086	IA32_X2APIC_IRR6	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [223:192] (R/O)
827H	2087	IA32_X2APIC_IRR7	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [255:224] (R/O)
828H	2088	IA32_X2APIC_ESR	Thread	x2APIC Error Status Register (R/W)
82FH	2095	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_CMCI	Thread	x2APIC LVT Corrected Machine Check Interrupt Register (R/W)
830H	2096	IA32_X2APIC_ICR	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Command Register (R/W)
832H	2098	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_TIMER	Thread	x2APIC LVT Timer Interrupt Register (R/W)
833H	2099	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_THERMAL	Thread	x2APIC LVT Thermal Sensor Interrupt Register (R/W)
834H	2100	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_PMI	Thread	x2APIC LVT Performance Monitor Register (R/W)
835H	2101	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_LINT0	Thread	x2APIC LVT LINT0 Register (R/W)
836H	2102	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_LINT1	Thread	x2APIC LVT LINT1 Register (R/W)
837H	2103	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_ERROR	Thread	x2APIC LVT Error Register (R/W)
838H	2104	IA32_X2APIC_INIT_COUNT	Thread	x2APIC Initial Count Register (R/W)
839H	2105	IA32_X2APIC_CUR_COUNT	Thread	x2APIC Current Count Register (R/O)
83EH	2110	IA32_X2APIC_DIV_CONF	Thread	x2APIC Divide Configuration Register (R/W)
83FH	2111	IA32_X2APIC_SELF_IPI	Thread	x2APIC Self IPI Register (w/O)

Table 2-15. MSRs in Processors Based on Nehalem Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	Thread	Extended Feature Enables See Table 2-2.
C000_0081H		IA32_STAR	Thread	System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0082H		IA32_LSTAR	Thread	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0084H		IA32_FMASK	Thread	System Call Flag Mask (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0100H		IA32_FS_BASE	Thread	Map of BASE Address of FS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0101H		IA32_GS_BASE	Thread	Map of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0102H		IA32_KERNEL_GS_BASE	Thread	Swap Target of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0103H		IA32_TSC_AUX	Thread	AUXILIARY TSC Signature (R/W) See Table 2-2 and Section 18.17.2, "IA32_TSC_AUX Register and RDTSCP Support."

2.8.1 Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 5500 and 3400 Series

The Intel Xeon Processor 5500 and 3400 series supports additional model-specific registers listed in Table 2-16. These MSRs also apply to the Intel Core i7 and i5 processor family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_1AH, 06_1EH, or 06_1FH; see Table 2-1.

Table 2-16. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 5500 and 3400 Series

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Actual maximum turbo frequency is multiplied by 133.33MHz. (Not available in model 06_2EH.)
		7:0		Maximum Turbo Ratio Limit 1C (R/O) Maximum Turbo mode ratio limit with 1 core active.
		15:8		Maximum Turbo Ratio Limit 2C (R/O) Maximum Turbo mode ratio limit with 2 cores active.
		23:16		Maximum Turbo Ratio Limit 3C (R/O) Maximum Turbo mode ratio limit with 3 cores active.
		31:24		Maximum Turbo Ratio Limit 4C (R/O) Maximum Turbo mode ratio limit with 4 cores active.
		63:32		Reserved
301H	769	MSR_GQ_SNOOP_MESF	Package	

Table 2-16. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 5500 and 3400 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		0		From M to S (R/W)
		1		From E to S (R/W)
		2		From S to S (R/W)
		3		From F to S (R/W)
		4		From M to I (R/W)
		5		From E to I (R/W)
		6		From S to I (R/W)
		7		From F to I (R/W)
		63:8		Reserved
391H	913	MSR_UNCORE_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.1, "Uncore Performance Monitoring Management Facility."
392H	914	MSR_UNCORE_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.1, "Uncore Performance Monitoring Management Facility."
393H	915	MSR_UNCORE_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.1, "Uncore Performance Monitoring Management Facility."
394H	916	MSR_UNCORE_FIXED_CTRL0	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.1, "Uncore Performance Monitoring Management Facility."
395H	917	MSR_UNCORE_FIXED_CTRL_CTRL	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.1, "Uncore Performance Monitoring Management Facility."
396H	918	MSR_UNCORE_ADDR_OPCODE_MATCH	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.3, "Uncore Address/Opcode Match MSR."
3B0H	960	MSR_UNCORE_PMC0	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3B1H	961	MSR_UNCORE_PMC1	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3B2H	962	MSR_UNCORE_PMC2	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3B3H	963	MSR_UNCORE_PMC3	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3B4H	964	MSR_UNCORE_PMC4	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3B5H	965	MSR_UNCORE_PMC5	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3B6H	966	MSR_UNCORE_PMC6	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3B7H	967	MSR_UNCORE_PMC7	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3C0H	944	MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSELO	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3C1H	945	MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSSEL1	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."

Table 2-16. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 5500 and 3400 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3C2H	946	MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL2	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3C3H	947	MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL3	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3C4H	948	MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL4	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3C5H	949	MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL5	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3C6H	950	MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL6	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."
3C7H	951	MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL7	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."

2.8.2 Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series

The Intel Xeon Processor 7500 series supports MSRs listed in Table 2-15 (except MSR address 1ADH) and additional model-specific registers listed in Table 2-17. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2EH.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Reserved Attempt to read/write will cause #UD.
289H	649	IA32_MC9_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28AH	650	IA32_MC10_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28BH	651	IA32_MC11_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28CH	652	IA32_MC12_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28DH	653	IA32_MC13_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28EH	654	IA32_MC14_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28FH	655	IA32_MC15_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
290H	656	IA32_MC16_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
291H	657	IA32_MC17_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
292H	658	IA32_MC18_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
293H	659	IA32_MC19_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
294H	660	IA32_MC20_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
295H	661	IA32_MC21_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
394H	816	MSR_W_PMON_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon fixed counter.
395H	817	MSR_W_PMON_FIXED_CTR_CTL	Package	Uncore U-box perfmon fixed counter control MSR.
424H	1060	IA32_MC9_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
425H	1061	IA32_MC9_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
426H	1062	IA32_MC9_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs."
427H	1063	IA32_MC9_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCI_MISC MSRs."
428H	1064	IA32_MC10_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
429H	1065	IA32_MC10_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
42AH	1066	IA32_MC10_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs."
42BH	1067	IA32_MC10_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCI_MISC MSRs."
42CH	1068	IA32_MC11_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
42DH	1069	IA32_MC11_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
42EH	1070	IA32_MC11_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs."
42FH	1071	IA32_MC11_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCI_MISC MSRs."
430H	1072	IA32_MC12_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
431H	1073	IA32_MC12_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
432H	1074	IA32_MC12_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs."
433H	1075	IA32_MC12_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCI_MISC MSRs."
434H	1076	IA32_MC13_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
435H	1077	IA32_MC13_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
436H	1078	IA32_MC13_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs."
437H	1079	IA32_MC13_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCI_MISC MSRs."
438H	1080	IA32_MC14_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
439H	1081	IA32_MC14_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
43AH	1082	IA32_MC14_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs."
43BH	1083	IA32_MC14_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCI_MISC MSRs."
43CH	1084	IA32_MC15_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
43DH	1085	IA32_MC15_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
43EH	1086	IA32_MC15_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs."
43FH	1087	IA32_MC15_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCI_MISC MSRs."
440H	1088	IA32_MC16_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCI_CTL MSRs."
441H	1089	IA32_MC16_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
442H	1090	IA32_MC16_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCI_ADDR MSRs."
443H	1091	IA32_MC16_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCI_MISC MSRs."

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
444H	1092	IA32_MC17_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
445H	1093	IA32_MC17_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
446H	1094	IA32_MC17_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
447H	1095	IA32_MC17_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
448H	1096	IA32_MC18_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
449H	1097	IA32_MC18_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
44AH	1098	IA32_MC18_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
44BH	1099	IA32_MC18_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
44CH	1100	IA32_MC19_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
44DH	1101	IA32_MC19_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
44EH	1102	IA32_MC19_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
44FH	1103	IA32_MC19_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
450H	1104	IA32_MC20_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
451H	1105	IA32_MC20_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
452H	1106	IA32_MC20_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
453H	1107	IA32_MC20_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
454H	1108	IA32_MC21_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
455H	1109	IA32_MC21_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
456H	1110	IA32_MC21_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
457H	1111	IA32_MC21_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
C00H	3072	MSR_U_PMON_GLOBAL_CTRL	Package	Uncore U-box perfmon global control MSR.
C01H	3073	MSR_U_PMON_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	Uncore U-box perfmon global status MSR.
C02H	3074	MSR_U_PMON_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore U-box perfmon global overflow control MSR.
C10H	3088	MSR_U_PMON_EVNT_SEL	Package	Uncore U-box perfmon event select MSR.
C11H	3089	MSR_U_PMON_CTR	Package	Uncore U-box perfmon counter MSR.
C20H	3104	MSR_B0_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon local box control MSR.
C21H	3105	MSR_B0_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon local box status MSR.
C22H	3106	MSR_B0_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
C30H	3120	MSR_B0_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C31H	3121	MSR_B0_PMON_CTRL0	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
C32H	3122	MSR_B0_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
C33H	3123	MSR_B0_PMON_CTRL1	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
C34H	3124	MSR_B0_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
C35H	3125	MSR_B0_PMON_CTRL2	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
C36H	3126	MSR_B0_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
C37H	3127	MSR_B0_PMON_CTRL3	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
C40H	3136	MSR_S0_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon local box control MSR.
C41H	3137	MSR_S0_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon local box status MSR.
C42H	3138	MSR_S0_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
C50H	3152	MSR_S0_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
C51H	3153	MSR_S0_PMON_CTRL0	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
C52H	3154	MSR_S0_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
C53H	3155	MSR_S0_PMON_CTRL1	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
C54H	3156	MSR_S0_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
C55H	3157	MSR_S0_PMON_CTRL2	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
C56H	3158	MSR_S0_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
C57H	3159	MSR_S0_PMON_CTRL3	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
C60H	3168	MSR_B1_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon local box control MSR.
C61H	3169	MSR_B1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon local box status MSR.
C62H	3170	MSR_B1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
C70H	3184	MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
C71H	3185	MSR_B1_PMON_CTRL0	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
C72H	3186	MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
C73H	3187	MSR_B1_PMON_CTRL1	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C74H	3188	MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
C75H	3189	MSR_B1_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
C76H	3190	MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore B-box 1vperfmon event select MSR.
C77H	3191	MSR_B1_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
C80H	3120	MSR_W_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon local box control MSR.
C81H	3121	MSR_W_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon local box status MSR.
C82H	3122	MSR_W_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
C90H	3136	MSR_W_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon event select MSR.
C91H	3137	MSR_W_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon counter MSR.
C92H	3138	MSR_W_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon event select MSR.
C93H	3139	MSR_W_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon counter MSR.
C94H	3140	MSR_W_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon event select MSR.
C95H	3141	MSR_W_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon counter MSR.
C96H	3142	MSR_W_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon event select MSR.
C97H	3143	MSR_W_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon counter MSR.
CA0H	3232	MSR_M0_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon local box control MSR.
CA1H	3233	MSR_M0_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon local box status MSR.
CA2H	3234	MSR_M0_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
CA4H	3236	MSR_M0_PMON_TIMESTAMP	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon time stamp unit select MSR.
CA5H	3237	MSR_M0_PMON_DSP	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon DSP unit select MSR.
CA6H	3238	MSR_M0_PMON_ISS	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon ISS unit select MSR.
CA7H	3239	MSR_M0_PMON_MAP	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon MAP unit select MSR.
CA8H	3240	MSR_M0_PMON_MSC_THR	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon MIC THR select MSR.
CA9H	3241	MSR_M0_PMON_PGT	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon PGT unit select MSR.
CAAH	3242	MSR_M0_PMON_PLD	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon PLD unit select MSR.
CABH	3243	MSR_M0_PMON_ZDP	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon ZDP unit select MSR.
CB0H	3248	MSR_M0_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
CB1H	3249	MSR_M0_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
CB2H	3250	MSR_M0_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
CB3H	3251	MSR_M0_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
CB4H	3252	MSR_M0_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
CB5H	3253	MSR_M0_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
CB6H	3254	MSR_M0_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
CB7H	3255	MSR_M0_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
CB8H	3256	MSR_M0_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
CB9H	3257	MSR_M0_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
CBAH	3258	MSR_M0_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
CBBH	3259	MSR_M0_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
CC0H	3264	MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon local box control MSR.
CC1H	3265	MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon local box status MSR.
CC2H	3266	MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
CDOH	3280	MSR_S1_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CD1H	3281	MSR_S1_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CD2H	3282	MSR_S1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CD3H	3283	MSR_S1_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CD4H	3284	MSR_S1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CD5H	3285	MSR_S1_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CD6H	3286	MSR_S1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CD7H	3287	MSR_S1_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CE0H	3296	MSR_M1_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon local box control MSR.
CE1H	3297	MSR_M1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon local box status MSR.
CE2H	3298	MSR_M1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
CE4H	3300	MSR_M1_PMON_TIMESTAMP	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon time stamp unit select MSR.
CE5H	3301	MSR_M1_PMON_DSP	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon DSP unit select MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
CE6H	3302	MSR_M1_PMON_ISS	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon ISS unit select MSR.
CE7H	3303	MSR_M1_PMON_MAP	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon MAP unit select MSR.
CE8H	3304	MSR_M1_PMON_MSC_THR	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon MIC THR select MSR.
CE9H	3305	MSR_M1_PMON_PGT	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon PGT unit select MSR.
CEAH	3306	MSR_M1_PMON_PLD	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon PLD unit select MSR.
CEBH	3307	MSR_M1_PMON_ZDP	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon ZDP unit select MSR.
CF0H	3312	MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL0	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CF1H	3313	MSR_M1_PMON_CTRL0	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CF2H	3314	MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CF3H	3315	MSR_M1_PMON_CTRL1	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CF4H	3316	MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CF5H	3317	MSR_M1_PMON_CTRL2	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CF6H	3318	MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CF7H	3319	MSR_M1_PMON_CTRL3	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CF8H	3320	MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CF9H	3321	MSR_M1_PMON_CTRL4	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
CFAH	3322	MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
CFBH	3323	MSR_M1_PMON_CTRL5	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
D00H	3328	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon local box control MSR.
D01H	3329	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon local box status MSR.
D02H	3330	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
D10H	3344	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SEL0	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
D11H	3345	MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL0	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
D12H	3346	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
D13H	3347	MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL1	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
D14H	3348	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
D15H	3349	MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL2	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
D16H	3350	MSR_C0_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
D17H	3351	MSR_C0_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
D18H	3352	MSR_C0_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
D19H	3353	MSR_C0_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
D1AH	3354	MSR_C0_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
D1BH	3355	MSR_C0_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
D20H	3360	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon local box control MSR.
D21H	3361	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon local box status MSR.
D22H	3362	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
D30H	3376	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon event select MSR.
D31H	3377	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon counter MSR.
D32H	3378	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon event select MSR.
D33H	3379	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon counter MSR.
D34H	3380	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon event select MSR.
D35H	3381	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon counter MSR.
D36H	3382	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon event select MSR.
D37H	3383	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon counter MSR.
D38H	3384	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon event select MSR.
D39H	3385	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon counter MSR.
D3AH	3386	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon event select MSR.
D3BH	3387	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 4 perfmon counter MSR.
D40H	3392	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon local box control MSR.
D41H	3393	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon local box status MSR.
D42H	3394	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
D50H	3408	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon event select MSR.
D51H	3409	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon counter MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
D52H	3410	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon event select MSR.
D53H	3411	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon counter MSR.
D54H	3412	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon event select MSR.
D55H	3413	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon counter MSR.
D56H	3414	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon event select MSR.
D57H	3415	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon counter MSR.
D58H	3416	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon event select MSR.
D59H	3417	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon counter MSR.
D5AH	3418	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon event select MSR.
D5BH	3419	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 2 perfmon counter MSR.
D60H	3424	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon local box control MSR.
D61H	3425	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon local box status MSR.
D62H	3426	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
D70H	3440	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon event select MSR.
D71H	3441	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon counter MSR.
D72H	3442	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon event select MSR.
D73H	3443	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon counter MSR.
D74H	3444	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon event select MSR.
D75H	3445	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon counter MSR.
D76H	3446	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon event select MSR.
D77H	3447	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon counter MSR.
D78H	3448	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon event select MSR.
D79H	3449	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon counter MSR.
D7AH	3450	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon event select MSR.
D7BH	3451	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 6 perfmon counter MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
D80H	3456	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon local box control MSR.
D81H	3457	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon local box status MSR.
D82H	3458	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
D90H	3472	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
D91H	3473	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
D92H	3474	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
D93H	3475	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
D94H	3476	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
D95H	3477	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
D96H	3478	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
D97H	3479	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
D98H	3480	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
D99H	3481	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
D9AH	3482	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
D9BH	3483	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
DA0H	3488	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon local box control MSR.
DA1H	3489	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon local box status MSR.
DA2H	3490	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
DB0H	3504	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon event select MSR.
DB1H	3505	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon counter MSR.
DB2H	3506	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon event select MSR.
DB3H	3507	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon counter MSR.
DB4H	3508	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon event select MSR.
DB5H	3509	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon counter MSR.
DB6H	3510	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon event select MSR.
DB7H	3511	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon counter MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
DB8H	3512	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon event select MSR.
DB9H	3513	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon counter MSR.
DBAH	3514	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon event select MSR.
DBBH	3515	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 5 perfmon counter MSR.
DC0H	3520	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon local box control MSR.
DC1H	3521	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon local box status MSR.
DC2H	3522	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
DD0H	3536	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon event select MSR.
DD1H	3537	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon counter MSR.
DD2H	3538	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon event select MSR.
DD3H	3539	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon counter MSR.
DD4H	3540	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon event select MSR.
DD5H	3541	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon counter MSR.
DD6H	3542	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon event select MSR.
DD7H	3543	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon counter MSR.
DD8H	3544	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon event select MSR.
DD9H	3545	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon counter MSR.
DDAH	3546	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon event select MSR.
DDBH	3547	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 3 perfmon counter MSR.
DE0H	3552	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon local box control MSR.
DE1H	3553	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon local box status MSR.
DE2H	3554	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
DF0H	3568	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon event select MSR.
DF1H	3569	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon counter MSR.
DF2H	3570	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon event select MSR.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
DF3H	3571	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon counter MSR.
DF4H	3572	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon event select MSR.
DF5H	3573	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon counter MSR.
DF6H	3574	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon event select MSR.
DF7H	3575	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon counter MSR.
DF8H	3576	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon event select MSR.
DF9H	3577	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon counter MSR.
DFAH	3578	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon event select MSR.
DFBH	3579	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 7 perfmon counter MSR.
E00H	3584	MSR_R0_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon local box control MSR.
E01H	3585	MSR_R0_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon local box status MSR.
E02H	3586	MSR_R0_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
E04H	3588	MSR_R0_PMON_IPERF0_P0	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon IPERF0 unit Port 0 select MSR.
E05H	3589	MSR_R0_PMON_IPERF0_P1	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon IPERF0 unit Port 1 select MSR.
E06H	3590	MSR_R0_PMON_IPERF0_P2	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon IPERF0 unit Port 2 select MSR.
E07H	3591	MSR_R0_PMON_IPERF0_P3	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon IPERF0 unit Port 3 select MSR.
E08H	3592	MSR_R0_PMON_IPERF0_P4	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon IPERF0 unit Port 4 select MSR.
E09H	3593	MSR_R0_PMON_IPERF0_P5	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon IPERF0 unit Port 5 select MSR.
E0AH	3594	MSR_R0_PMON_IPERF0_P6	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon IPERF0 unit Port 6 select MSR.
E0BH	3595	MSR_R0_PMON_IPERF0_P7	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon IPERF0 unit Port 7 select MSR.
E0CH	3596	MSR_R0_PMON_QLX_P0	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon QLX unit Port 0 select MSR.
E0DH	3597	MSR_R0_PMON_QLX_P1	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon QLX unit Port 1 select MSR.
E0EH	3598	MSR_R0_PMON_QLX_P2	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon QLX unit Port 2 select MSR.
E0FH	3599	MSR_R0_PMON_QLX_P3	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon QLX unit Port 3 select MSR.
E10H	3600	MSR_R0_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
E11H	3601	MSR_R0_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E12H	3602	MSR_R0_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
E13H	3603	MSR_R0_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
E14H	3604	MSR_R0_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
E15H	3605	MSR_R0_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
E16H	3606	MSR_R0_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
E17H	3607	MSR_R0_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
E18H	3608	MSR_R0_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
E19H	3609	MSR_R0_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
E1AH	3610	MSR_R0_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
E1BH	3611	MSR_R0_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
E1CH	3612	MSR_R0_PMON_EVNT_SEL6	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
E1DH	3613	MSR_R0_PMON_CTR6	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
E1EH	3614	MSR_R0_PMON_EVNT_SEL7	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon event select MSR.
E1FH	3615	MSR_R0_PMON_CTR7	Package	Uncore R-box 0 perfmon counter MSR.
E20H	3616	MSR_R1_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon local box control MSR.
E21H	3617	MSR_R1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon local box status MSR.
E22H	3618	MSR_R1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
E24H	3620	MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P8	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon IPERF1 unit Port 8 select MSR.
E25H	3621	MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P9	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon IPERF1 unit Port 9 select MSR.
E26H	3622	MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P10	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon IPERF1 unit Port 10 select MSR.
E27H	3623	MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P11	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon IPERF1 unit Port 11 select MSR.
E28H	3624	MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P12	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon IPERF1 unit Port 12 select MSR.
E29H	3625	MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P13	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon IPERF1 unit Port 13 select MSR.
E2AH	3626	MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P14	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon IPERF1 unit Port 14 select MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E2BH	3627	MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P15	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon IPERF1 unit Port 15 select MSR.
E2CH	3628	MSR_R1_PMON_QLX_P4	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon QLX unit Port 4 select MSR.
E2DH	3629	MSR_R1_PMON_QLX_P5	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon QLX unit Port 5 select MSR.
E2EH	3630	MSR_R1_PMON_QLX_P6	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon QLX unit Port 6 select MSR.
E2FH	3631	MSR_R1_PMON_QLX_P7	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon QLX unit Port 7 select MSR.
E30H	3632	MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL8	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
E31H	3633	MSR_R1_PMON_CTR8	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
E32H	3634	MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL9	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
E33H	3635	MSR_R1_PMON_CTR9	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
E34H	3636	MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL10	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
E35H	3637	MSR_R1_PMON_CTR10	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
E36H	3638	MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL11	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
E37H	3639	MSR_R1_PMON_CTR11	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
E38H	3640	MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL12	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
E39H	3641	MSR_R1_PMON_CTR12	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
E3AH	3642	MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL13	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
E3BH	3643	MSR_R1_PMON_CTR13	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
E3CH	3644	MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL14	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
E3DH	3645	MSR_R1_PMON_CTR14	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
E3EH	3646	MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL15	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
E3FH	3647	MSR_R1_PMON_CTR15	Package	Uncore R-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
E45H	3653	MSR_B0_PMON_MATCH	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon local box match MSR.
E46H	3654	MSR_B0_PMON_MASK	Package	Uncore B-box 0 perfmon local box mask MSR.
E49H	3657	MSR_S0_PMON_MATCH	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon local box match MSR.
E4AH	3658	MSR_S0_PMON_MASK	Package	Uncore S-box 0 perfmon local box mask MSR.
E4DH	3661	MSR_B1_PMON_MATCH	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon local box match MSR.
E4EH	3662	MSR_B1_PMON_MASK	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon local box mask MSR.
E54H	3668	MSR_M0_PMON_MM_CONFIG	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon local box address match/mask config MSR.

Table 2-17. Additional MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor 7500 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E55H	3669	MSR_M0_PMON_ADDR_MATCH	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon local box address match MSR.
E56H	3670	MSR_M0_PMON_ADDR_MASK	Package	Uncore M-box 0 perfmon local box address mask MSR.
E59H	3673	MSR_S1_PMON_MATCH	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon local box match MSR.
E5AH	3674	MSR_S1_PMON_MASK	Package	Uncore S-box 1 perfmon local box mask MSR.
E5CH	3676	MSR_M1_PMON_MM_CONFIG	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon local box address match/mask config MSR.
E5DH	3677	MSR_M1_PMON_ADDR_MATCH	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon local box address match MSR.
E5EH	3678	MSR_M1_PMON_ADDR_MASK	Package	Uncore M-box 1 perfmon local box address mask MSR.
3B5H	965	MSR_UNCORE_PMC5	Package	See Section 20.3.1.2.2, "Uncore Performance Event Configuration Facility."

2.9 MSRS IN THE INTEL® XEON® PROCESSOR 5600 SERIES BASED ON WESTMERE MICROARCHITECTURE

The Intel® Xeon® Processor 5600 Series is based on Westmere microarchitecture and supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-15, Table 2-16, plus additional MSRs listed in Table 2-18. These MSRs apply to the Intel Core i7, i5, and i3 processor family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_25H or 06_2CH; see Table 2-1.

Table 2-18. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Westmere Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
13CH	316	MSR_FEATURE_CONFIG	Core	AES Configuration (RW-L) Privileged post-BIOS agent must provide a #GP handler to handle unsuccessful read of this MSR.
		1:0		AES Configuration (RW-L) Upon a successful read of this MSR, the configuration of AES instruction set availability is as follows: 11b: AES instructions are not available until next RESET. Otherwise, AES instructions are available. Note, AES instruction set is not available if read is unsuccessful. If the configuration is not 01b, AES instructions can be mis-configured if a privileged agent unintentionally writes 11b.
		63:2		Reserved
1A7H	423	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_1	Thread	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)

Table 2-18. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Westmere Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 core active.
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 5C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 5 core active.
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 6C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 6 core active.
		63:48		Reserved
1BOH	432	IA32_ENERGY_PERF_BIAS	Package	See Table 2-2.

2.10 MSRS IN THE INTEL® XEON® PROCESSOR E7 FAMILY BASED ON WESTMERE MICROARCHITECTURE

The Intel® Xeon® Processor E7 Family is based on the Westmere microarchitecture and supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-15 (except MSR address 1ADH), Table 2-16, plus additional MSRs listed in Table 2-19. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2FH.

Table 2-19. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E7 Family

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
13CH	316	MSR_FEATURE_CONFIG	Core	AES Configuration (RW-L) Privileged post-BIOS agent must provide a #GP handler to handle unsuccessful read of this MSR.
		1:0		AES Configuration (RW-L) Upon a successful read of this MSR, the configuration of AES instruction set availability is as follows: 11b: AES instructions are not available until next RESET. Otherwise, AES instructions are available. Note, AES instruction set is not available if read is unsuccessful. If the configuration is not 01b, AES instructions can be mis-configured if a privileged agent unintentionally writes 11b.

Table 2-19. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E7 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:2		Reserved
1A7H	423	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_1	Thread	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Reserved Attempt to read/write will cause #UD.
1B0H	432	IA32_ENERGY_PERF_BIAS	Package	See Table 2-2.
F40H	3904	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon local box control MSR.
F41H	3905	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon local box status MSR.
F42H	3906	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
F50H	3920	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon event select MSR.
F51H	3921	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon counter MSR.
F52H	3922	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon event select MSR.
F53H	3923	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon counter MSR.
F54H	3924	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon event select MSR.
F55H	3925	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon counter MSR.
F56H	3926	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon event select MSR.
F57H	3927	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon counter MSR.
F58H	3928	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon event select MSR.
F59H	3929	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon counter MSR.
F5AH	3930	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon event select MSR.
F5BH	3931	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 8 perfmon counter MSR.
FC0H	4032	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon local box control MSR.
FC1H	4033	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon local box status MSR.
FC2H	4034	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
FD0H	4048	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon event select MSR.
FD1H	4049	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon counter MSR.
FD2H	4050	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon event select MSR.
FD3H	4051	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon counter MSR.

Table 2-19. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E7 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
FD4H	4052	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon event select MSR.
FD5H	4053	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon counter MSR.
FD6H	4054	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon event select MSR.
FD7H	4055	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon counter MSR.
FD8H	4056	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon event select MSR.
FD9H	4057	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR4	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon counter MSR.
FDAH	4058	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon event select MSR.
FDBH	4059	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR5	Package	Uncore C-box 9 perfmon counter MSR.

2.11 MSRS IN THE INTEL® PROCESSOR FAMILY BASED ON SANDY BRIDGE MICROARCHITECTURE

Table 2-20 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) that are common to the Intel® processor family based on Sandy Bridge microarchitecture. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2AH or 06_2DH; see Table 2-1. Additional MSRs specific to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2AH are listed in Table 2-21.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
0H	0	IA32_P5_MC_ADDR	Thread	See Section 2.23, “MSRs in Pentium Processors.”
1H	1	IA32_P5_MC_TYPE	Thread	See Section 2.23, “MSRs in Pentium Processors.”
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_SIZE	Thread	See Section 9.10.5, “Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination,” and Table 2-2.
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	Thread	See Section 18.17, “Time-Stamp Counter,” and see Table 2-2.
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	Package	Platform ID (R) See Table 2-2.
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE	Thread	See Section 11.4.4, “Local APIC Status and Location,” and Table 2-2.
34H	52	MSR_SMI_COUNT	Thread	SMI Counter (R/O)
		31:0		SMI Count (R/O) Count SMIs.
		63:32		Reserved.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Thread	Control Features in Intel 64 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Lock (R/WL)
		1		Enable VMX Inside SMX Operation (R/WL)
		2		Enable VMX Outside SMX Operation (R/WL)
		14:8		SENTER Local Functions Enables (R/WL)
		15		SENTER Global Functions Enable (R/WL)
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	Core	BIOS Update Trigger Register (W) See Table 2-2.
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID	Thread	BIOS Update Signature ID (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C1H	193	IA32_PMC0	Thread	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C2H	194	IA32_PMC1	Thread	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C3H	195	IA32_PMC2	Thread	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C4H	196	IA32_PMC3	Thread	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C5H	197	IA32_PMC4	Core	Performance Counter Register (if core not shared by threads)
C6H	198	IA32_PMC5	Core	Performance Counter Register (if core not shared by threads)
C7H	199	IA32_PMC6	Core	Performance Counter Register (if core not shared by threads)
C8H	200	IA32_PMC7	Core	Performance Counter Register (if core not shared by threads)
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) This is the ratio of the frequency that invariant TSC runs at. Frequency = ratio * 100 MHz.
		27:16		Reserved
		28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is enabled. When set to 0, indicates Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is disabled.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		29	Package	Programmable TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that TDP Limit for Turbo mode is programmable. When set to 0, indicates TDP Limit for Turbo mode is not programmable.
		39:30		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) This is the minimum ratio (maximum efficiency) that the processor can operate, in units of 100MHz.
		63:48		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: C0/C1 (no package C-sate support) 001b: C2 010b: C6 no retention 011b: C6 retention 100b: C7 101b: C7s 111: No package C-state limit Note: This field cannot be used to limit package C-state to C3.
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W) When set, will map IO_read instructions sent to IO register specified by MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE to MWAIT instructions.
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO) When set, locks bits 15:0 of this register until next reset.
		24:16		Reserved
		25		C3 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W) When set, the processor will conditionally demote C6/C7 requests to C3 based on uncore auto-demote information.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		26		C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W) When set, the processor will conditionally demote C3/C6/C7 requests to C1 based on uncore auto-demote information.
		27		Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W) When set, enables undemotion from demoted C3.
		28		Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W) When set, enables undemotion from demoted C1.
		63:29		Reserved
E4H	228	MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE	Core	Power Management IO Redirection in C-state (R/W) See http://biosbits.org .
		15:0		LVL_2 Base Address (R/W) Specifies the base address visible to software for IO redirection. If IO MWAIT Redirection is enabled, reads to this address will be consumed by the power management logic and decoded to MWAIT instructions. When IO port address redirection is enabled, this is the IO port address reported to the OS/software.
		18:16		C-State Range (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of the maximum C-State code name to be included when IO read to MWAIT redirection is enabled by MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL[bit10]: 000b - C3 is the max C-State to include. 001b - C6 is the max C-State to include. 010b - C7 is the max C-State to include.
		63:19		Reserved
E7H	231	IA32_MPERF	Thread	Maximum Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
E8H	232	IA32_APERF	Thread	Actual Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
13CH	316	MSR_FEATURE_CONFIG	Core	AES Configuration (RW-L) Privileged post-BIOS agent must provide a #GP handler to handle unsuccessful read of this MSR.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		1:0		AES Configuration (RW-L) Upon a successful read of this MSR, the configuration of AES instruction set availability is as follows: 11b: AES instructions are not available until next RESET. Otherwise, AES instructions are available. Note, AES instruction set is not available if read is unsuccessful. If the configuration is not 01b, AES instructions can be mis-configured if a privileged agent unintentionally writes 11b.
		63:2		Reserved
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	Thread	See Table 2-2.
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Thread	Global Machine Check Status
		0		RIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) can be used to restart the program. If cleared, the program cannot be reliably restarted.
		1		EIPV When set, bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) is directly associated with the error.
		2		MCIP When set, bit indicates that a machine check has been generated. If a second machine check is detected while this bit is still set, the processor enters a shutdown state. Software should write this bit to 0 after processing a machine check exception.
		63:3		Reserved
186H	390	IA32_PERFEVTSELO	Thread	See Table 2-2.
187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
188H	392	IA32_PERFEVTSEL2	Thread	See Table 2-2.
189H	393	IA32_PERFEVTSEL3	Thread	See Table 2-2.
18AH	394	IA32_PERFEVTSEL4	Core	See Table 2-2. If CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 4.
18BH	395	IA32_PERFEVTSEL5	Core	See Table 2-2. If CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 5.
18CH	396	IA32_PERFEVTSEL6	Core	See Table 2-2. If CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 6.
18DH	397	IA32_PERFEVTSEL7	Core	See Table 2-2. If CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 7.
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	Package	See Table 2-2.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		15:0		Current Performance State Value
		63:16		Reserved
198H	408	MSR_PERF_STATUS	Package	Performance Status
		47:32		Core Voltage (R/O) P-state core voltage can be computed by MSR_PERF_STATUS[37:32] * (float) 1/(2 ¹³).
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	Thread	See Table 2-2.
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Thread	Clock Modulation (R/W) See Table 2-2. IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION MSR was originally named IA32_THERM_CONTROL MSR.
		3:0		On demand Clock Modulation Duty Cycle (R/W) In 6.25% increment.
		4		On demand Clock Modulation Enable (R/W)
		63:5		Reserved
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Core	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Core	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Thermal Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		1		Thermal Status Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		2		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		3		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		4		Critical Temperature Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		5		Critical Temperature Status Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		6		Thermal Threshold #1 Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		7		Thermal Threshold #1 Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		8		Thermal Threshold #2 Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		9		Thermal Threshold #2 Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		10		Power Limitation Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		11		Power Limitation Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		15:12		Reserved
		22:16		Digital Readout (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		26:23		Reserved
		30:27		Resolution in Degrees Celsius (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		31		Reading Valid (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		63:32		Reserved
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE		Enable Misc. Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		0	Thread	Fast-Strings Enable See Table 2-2
		6:1		Reserved
		7	Thread	Performance Monitoring Available (R) See Table 2-2.
		10:8		Reserved
		11	Thread	Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		12	Thread	Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		15:13		Reserved
		16	Package	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		18	Thread	ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		21:19		Reserved
		22	Thread	Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		23	Thread	xTPR Message Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		33:24		Reserved
34	Thread	XD Bit Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.		

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		37:35		Reserved
		38	Package	<p>Turbo Mode Disable (R/W)</p> <p>When set to 1 on processors that support Intel Turbo Boost Technology, the turbo mode feature is disabled and the IDA_Enable feature flag will be clear (CPUID.06H: EAX[1]=0).</p> <p>When set to a 0 on processors that support IDA, CPUID.06H: EAX[1] reports the processor's support of turbo mode is enabled.</p> <p>Note: The power-on default value is used by BIOS to detect hardware support of turbo mode. If the power-on default value is 1, turbo mode is available in the processor. If the power-on default value is 0, turbo mode is not available.</p>
		63:39		Reserved
1A2H	418	MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET	Unique	Temperature Target
		15:0		Reserved
		23:16		<p>Temperature Target (R)</p> <p>The minimum temperature at which PROCHOT# will be asserted. The value is degrees C.</p>
		63:24		Reserved
1A4H	420	MSR_MISC_FEATURE_CONTROL		Miscellaneous Feature Control (R/W)
		0	Core	<p>L2 Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W)</p> <p>If 1, disables the L2 hardware prefetcher, which fetches additional lines of code or data into the L2 cache.</p>
		1	Core	<p>L2 Adjacent Cache Line Prefetcher Disable (R/W)</p> <p>If 1, disables the adjacent cache line prefetcher, which fetches the cache line that comprises a cache line pair (128 bytes).</p>
		2	Core	<p>DCU Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W)</p> <p>If 1, disables the L1 data cache prefetcher, which fetches the next cache line into L1 data cache.</p>
		3	Core	<p>DCU IP Prefetcher Disable (R/W)</p> <p>If 1, disables the L1 data cache IP prefetcher, which uses sequential load history (based on instruction pointer of previous loads) to determine whether to prefetch additional lines.</p>
		63:4		Reserved
1A6H	422	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_0	Thread	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)
1A7H	422	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_1	Thread	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)
1AAH	426	MSR_MISC_PWR_MGMT		<p>Miscellaneous Power Management Control</p> <p>Various model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org.</p>

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1B0H	432	IA32_ENERGY_PERF_BIAS	Package	See Table 2-2.
1B1H	433	IA32_PACKAGE_THERM_STATUS	Package	See Table 2-2.
1B2H	434	IA32_PACKAGE_THERM_INTERRUPT	Package	See Table 2-2.
1C8H	456	MSR_LBR_SELECT	Thread	Last Branch Record Filtering Select Register (R/W) See Section 18.9.2, "Filtering of Last Branch Records."
		0		CPL_EQ_0
		1		CPL_NEQ_0
		2		JCC
		3		NEAR_REL_CALL
		4		NEAR_IND_CALL
		5		NEAR_RET
		6		NEAR_IND_JMP
		7		NEAR_REL_JMP
		8		FAR_BRANCH
63:9		Reserved		
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Thread	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-3) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record. See MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (at 680H).
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL	Thread	Debug Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		LBR: Last Branch Record
		1		BTF
		5:2		Reserved
		6		TR: Branch Trace
		7		BTS: Log Branch Trace Message to BTS buffer
		8		BTINT
		9		BTS_OFF_OS
		10		BTS_OFF_USER
		11		FREEZE_LBR_ON_PMI
		12		FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI
		13		ENABLE_UNCORE_PMI
		14		FREEZE_WHILE_SMM
63:15		Reserved		
1DDH	477	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	Thread	Last Exception Record From Linear IP (R/W) Contains a pointer to the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1DEH	478	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	Thread	Last Exception Record To Linear IP (R/W) This area contains a pointer to the target of the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
1F2H	498	IA32_SMRR_PHYSBASE	Core	See Table 2-2.
1F3H	499	IA32_SMRR_PHYSMASK	Core	See Table 2-2.
1FCH	508	MSR_POWER_CTL	Core	See http://biosbits.org .
200H	512	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE0	Thread	See Table 2-2.
201H	513	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK0	Thread	See Table 2-2.
202H	514	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
203H	515	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
204H	516	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE2	Thread	See Table 2-2.
205H	517	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK2	Thread	See Table 2-2.
206H	518	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE3	Thread	See Table 2-2.
207H	519	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK3	Thread	See Table 2-2.
208H	520	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE4	Thread	See Table 2-2.
209H	521	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK4	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20AH	522	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE5	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20BH	523	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK5	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20CH	524	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE6	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20DH	525	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK6	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20EH	526	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE7	Thread	See Table 2-2.
20FH	527	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK7	Thread	See Table 2-2.
210H	528	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE8	Thread	See Table 2-2.
211H	529	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK8	Thread	See Table 2-2.
212H	530	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE9	Thread	See Table 2-2.
213H	531	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK9	Thread	See Table 2-2.
250H	592	IA32_MTRR_FIX64K_00000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
258H	600	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_80000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
259H	601	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_A0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
268H	616	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
269H	617	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C8000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26AH	618	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26BH	619	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D8000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26CH	620	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
26DH	621	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E8000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26EH	622	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F0000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
26FH	623	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F8000	Thread	See Table 2-2.
277H	631	IA32_PAT	Thread	See Table 2-2.
280H	640	IA32_MC0_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
281H	641	IA32_MC1_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
282H	642	IA32_MC2_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
283H	643	IA32_MC3_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
284H	644	IA32_MC4_CTL2	Package	Always 0 (CMCI not supported).
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	Thread	Default Memory Types (R/W) See Table 2-2.
309H	777	IA32_FIXED_CTR0	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 0 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30AH	778	IA32_FIXED_CTR1	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 1 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30BH	779	IA32_FIXED_CTR2	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 2 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
345H	837	IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES	Thread	See Table 2-2. See Section 18.4.1, "IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR."
		5:0		LBR Format See Table 2-2.
		6		PEBS Record Format.
		7		PEBSSaveArchRegs See Table 2-2.
		11:8		PEBS_REC_FORMAT See Table 2-2.
		12		SMM_FREEZE See Table 2-2.
		63:13		Reserved
38DH	909	IA32_FIXED_CTR_CTRL	Thread	Fixed-Function-Counter Control Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS		See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
		0	Thread	Ovf_PMC0
		1	Thread	Ovf_PMC1
		2	Thread	Ovf_PMC2
		3	Thread	Ovf_PMC3
		4	Core	Ovf_PMC4 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 4)

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		5	Core	Ovf_PMC5 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 5)
		6	Core	Ovf_PMC6 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 6)
		7	Core	Ovf_PMC7 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 7)
		31:8		Reserved
		32	Thread	Ovf_FixedCtr0
		33	Thread	Ovf_FixedCtr1
		34	Thread	Ovf_FixedCtr2
		60:35		Reserved
		61	Thread	Ovf_Uncore
		62	Thread	Ovf_BufDSSAVE
		63	Thread	CondChgd
38FH	911	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Thread	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
		0	Thread	Set 1 to enable PMC0 to count.
		1	Thread	Set 1 to enable PMC1 to count.
		2	Thread	Set 1 to enable PMC2 to count.
		3	Thread	Set 1 to enable PMC3 to count.
		4	Core	Set 1 to enable PMC4 to count (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 4).
		5	Core	Set 1 to enable PMC5 to count (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 5).
		6	Core	Set 1 to enable PMC6 to count (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 6).
		7	Core	Set 1 to enable PMC7 to count (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 7).
		31:8		Reserved
		32	Thread	Set 1 to enable FixedCtr0 to count.
		33	Thread	Set 1 to enable FixedCtr1 to count.
		34	Thread	Set 1 to enable FixedCtr2 to count.
		63:35		Reserved
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL		See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
		0	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC0.
		1	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC1.
		2	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC2.
		3	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC3.
		4	Core	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC4 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 4).
		5	Core	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC5 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 5).
6	Core	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC6 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 6).		

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		7	Core	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC7 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 7).
		31:8		Reserved
		32	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr0.
		33	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr1.
		34	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr2.
		60:35		Reserved
		61	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_Uncore.
		62	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_BufDSSAVE.
		63	Thread	Set 1 to clear CondChgd.
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Thread	See Section 20.3.1.1.1, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		0		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC0. (R/W)
		1		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC1. (R/W)
		2		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC2. (R/W)
		3		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMC3. (R/W)
		31:4		Reserved
		32		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMC0. (R/W)
		33		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMC1. (R/W)
		34		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMC2. (R/W)
		35		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMC3. (R/W)
		62:36		Reserved
		63		Enable Precise Store (R/W)
3F6H	1014	MSR_PEBS_LD_LAT	Thread	See Section 20.3.1.1.2, "Load Latency Performance Monitoring Facility."
		15:0		Minimum threshold latency value of tagged load operation that will be counted. (R/W)
		63:36		Reserved
3F8H	1016	MSR_PKG_C3_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Package C3 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C3 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3F9H	1017	MSR_PKG_C6_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:0		Package C6 Residency Counter. (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C6 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3FAH	1018	MSR_PKG_C7_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Package C7 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C7 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3FCH	1020	MSR_CORE_C3_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		CORE C3 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this core is in processor-specific C3 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3FDH	1021	MSR_CORE_C6_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		CORE C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this core is in processor-specific C6 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
3FEH	1022	MSR_CORE_C7_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		CORE C7 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this core is in processor-specific C7 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
403H	1027	IA32_MCO_MISC	Core	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
407H	1031	IA32_MC1_MISC	Core	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs," and Chapter 17.
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
40BH	1035	IA32_MC2_MISC	Core	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
40CH	1036	IA32_MC3_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	IA32_MC3_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs," and Chapter 17.
40EH	1038	IA32_MC3_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
40FH	1039	IA32_MC3_MISC	Core	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
		0		PCU Hardware Error (R/W) When set, enables signaling of PCU hardware detected errors.
		1		PCU Controller Error (R/W) When set, enables signaling of PCU controller detected errors.
		2		PCU Firmware Error (R/W) When set, enables signaling of PCU firmware detected errors.
		63:2		Reserved
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs," and Chapter 17.
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	Thread	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.1, "Basic VMX Information."
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.4, "VM-Exit Controls."
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	Thread	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.6, "Miscellaneous Data."
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED1	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO."
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4."
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.9, "VMCS Enumeration."
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTLSS2	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
48CH	1164	IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_ENUM	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of EPT and VPID (R/O) See Table 2-2
48DH	1165	IA32_VMX_TRUE_PINBASED_CTLSS	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
48EH	1166	IA32_VMX_TRUE_PROCBASED_CTLSS	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
48FH	1167	IA32_VMX_TRUE_EXIT_CTLSS	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
490H	1168	IA32_VMX_TRUE_ENTRY_CTLSS	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2
4C1H	1217	IA32_A_PMC0	Thread	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
4C2H	1218	IA32_A_PMC1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
4C3H	1219	IA32_A_PMC2	Thread	See Table 2-2.
4C4H	1220	IA32_A_PMC3	Thread	See Table 2-2.
4C5H	1221	IA32_A_PMC4	Core	See Table 2-2.
4C6H	1222	IA32_A_PMC5	Core	See Table 2-2.
4C7H	1223	IA32_A_PMC6	Core	See Table 2-2.
4C8H	1224	IA32_A_PMC7	Core	See Table 2-2.
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	Thread	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O) See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
60AH	1546	MSR_PKGC3_IRTL	Package	Package C3 Interrupt Response Limit (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		9:0		Interrupt Response Time Limit (R/W) Specifies the limit that should be used to decide if the package should be put into a package C3 state.
		12:10		Time Unit (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of time unit of the interrupt response time limit. The following time unit encodings are supported: 000b: 1 ns 001b: 32 ns 010b: 1024 ns 011b: 32768 ns 100b: 1048576 ns 101b: 33554432 ns
		14:13		Reserved
		15		Valid (R/W) Indicates whether the values in bits 12:0 are valid and can be used by the processor for package C-state management.
		63:16		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
60BH	1547	MSR_PKG_C6_IRTL	Package	Package C6 Interrupt Response Limit (R/W) This MSR defines the budget allocated for the package to exit from a C6 to a C0 state, where an interrupt request can be delivered to the core and serviced. Additional core-exit latency may be applicable depending on the actual C-state the core is in. Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
		9:0		Interrupt Response Time Limit (R/W) Specifies the limit that should be used to decide if the package should be put into a package C6 state.
		12:10		Time Unit (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of time unit of the interrupt response time limit. The following time unit encodings are supported: 000b: 1 ns 001b: 32 ns 010b: 1024 ns 011b: 32768 ns 100b: 1048576 ns 101b: 33554432 ns
		14:13		Reserved
		15		Valid (R/W) Indicates whether the values in bits 12:0 are valid and can be used by the processor for package C-state management.
		63:16		Reserved
60DH	1549	MSR_PKG_C2_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Package C2 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C2 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
610H	1552	MSR_PKG_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PKG RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
611H	1553	MSR_PKG_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PKG Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
614H	1556	MSR_PKG_POWER_INFO	Package	PKG RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
638H	1592	MSR_PPO_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PPO RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
680H	1664	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 0 From IP (R/W) One of sixteen pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. This part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. Section 18.9.1 and record format in Section 18.4.8.1.
681H	1665	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 1 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
682H	1666	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 2 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
683H	1667	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 3 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
684H	1668	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 4 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
685H	1669	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 5 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
686H	1670	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 6 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
687H	1671	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 7 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
688H	1672	MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 8 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
689H	1673	MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 9 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68AH	1674	MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 10 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68BH	1675	MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 11 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68CH	1676	MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 12 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68DH	1677	MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 13 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68EH	1678	MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 14 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
68FH	1679	MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 15 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
6C0H	1728	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 0 To IP (R/W) One of sixteen pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. This part of the stack contains pointers to the destination instruction.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
6C1H	1729	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 1 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C2H	1730	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 2 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C3H	1731	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 3 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C4H	1732	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 4 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C5H	1733	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 5 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C6H	1734	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 6 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C7H	1735	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 7 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C8H	1736	MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 8 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6C9H	1737	MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 9 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CAH	1738	MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 10 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CBH	1739	MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 11 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CCH	1740	MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 12 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CDH	1741	MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 13 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CEH	1742	MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 14 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6CFH	1743	MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 15 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6E0H	1760	IA32_TSC_DEADLINE	Thread	See Table 2-2.
802H-83FH	2050-2111	X2APIC MSRs	Thread	See Table 2-2.
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	Thread	Extended Feature Enables See Table 2-2.
C000_0081H		IA32_STAR	Thread	System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0082H		IA32_LSTAR	Thread	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-20. MSRs Supported by Intel® Processors Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C000_0084H		IA32_FMASK	Thread	System Call Flag Mask (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0100H		IA32_FS_BASE	Thread	Map of BASE Address of FS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0101H		IA32_GS_BASE	Thread	Map of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0102H		IA32_KERNEL_GS_BASE	Thread	Swap Target of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0103H		IA32_TSC_AUX	Thread	AUXILIARY TSC Signature (R/W) See Table 2-2 and Section 18.17.2, "IA32_TSC_AUX Register and RDTSCP Support."

2.11.1 MSRs in the 2nd Generation Intel® Core™ Processor Family Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture

Table 2-21 and Table 2-22 list model-specific registers (MSRs) that are specific to the 2nd generation Intel® Core™ processor family based on the Sandy Bridge microarchitecture. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2AH; see Table 2-1.

Table 2-21. MSRs Supported by the 2nd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 core active.
		63:32		Reserved

Table 2-21. MSRs Supported by the 2nd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
60CH	1548	MSR_PKG_C7_IRTL	Package	Package C7 Interrupt Response Limit (R/W) This MSR defines the budget allocated for the package to exit from a C7 to a C0 state, where interrupt request can be delivered to the core and serviced. Additional core-exit latency may be applicable depending on the actual C-state the core is in. Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
		9:0		Interrupt Response Time Limit (R/W) Specifies the limit that should be used to decide if the package should be put into a package C7 state.
		12:10		Time Unit (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of time unit of the interrupt response time limit. The following time unit encodings are supported: 000b: 1 ns 001b: 32 ns 010b: 1024 ns 011b: 32768 ns 100b: 1048576 ns 101b: 33554432 ns
		14:13		Reserved
		15		Valid (R/W) Indicates whether the values in bits 12:0 are valid and can be used by the processor for package C-state management.
		63:16		Reserved
639H	1593	MSR_PP0_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PP0 Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
63AH	1594	MSR_PP0_POLICY	Package	PP0 Balance Policy (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
640H	1600	MSR_PP1_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PP1 RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
641H	1601	MSR_PP1_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PP1 Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
642H	1602	MSR_PP1_POLICY	Package	PP1 Balance Policy (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
See Table 2-20, Table 2-21, and Table 2-22 for MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2AH.				

Table 2-22 lists the MSRs of uncore PMU for Intel processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2AH.

Table 2-22. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 2nd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
391H	913	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Package	Uncore PMU Global Control
		0		Slice 0 select.
		1		Slice 1 select.
		2		Slice 2 select.
		3		Slice 3 select.
		4		Slice 4 select.
		18:5		Reserved
		29		Enable all uncore counters.
		30		Enable wake on PMI.
		31		Enable Freezing counter when overflow.
	63:32		Reserved	
392H	914	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	Uncore PMU Main Status
		0		Fixed counter overflowed.
		1		An ARB counter overflowed.
		2		Reserved
		3		A CBox counter overflowed (on any slice).
		63:4		Reserved
394H	916	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTRL	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter Control (R/W)
		19:0		Reserved
		20		Enable overflow propagation.
		21		Reserved
		22		Enable counting.
		63:23		Reserved
395H	917	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter
		47:0		Current count.
		63:48		Reserved
396H	918	MSR_UNC_CBO_CONFIG	Package	Uncore C-Box Configuration Information (R/O)
		3:0		Report the number of C-Box units with performance counters, including processor cores and processor graphics.
		63:4		Reserved
3B0H	946	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Performance Counter 0
3B1H	947	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Performance Counter 1
3B2H	944	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
3B3H	945	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore Arb unit, Counter 1 Event Select MSR

Table 2-22. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 2nd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
700H	1792	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
701H	1793	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
702H	1794	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 2 Event Select MSR
703H	1795	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 3 Event Select MSR
705H	1797	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_UNIT_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Unit Status for Counter 0-3
706H	1798	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 0
707H	1799	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 1
708H	1800	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 2
709H	1801	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 3
710H	1808	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
711H	1809	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
712H	1810	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 2 Event Select MSR
713H	1811	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 3 Event Select MSR
715H	1813	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_UNIT_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Unit Status for Counter 0-3
716H	1814	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 0
717H	1815	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 1
718H	1816	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 2
719H	1817	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 3
720H	1824	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
721H	1825	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
722H	1826	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 2 Event Select MSR
723H	1827	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 3 Event Select MSR
725H	1829	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_UNIT_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Unit Status for Counter 0-3
726H	1830	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 0
727H	1831	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 1
728H	1832	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 2
729H	1833	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 3
730H	1840	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
731H	1841	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
732H	1842	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 2 Event Select MSR
733H	1843	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, counter 3 Event Select MSR
735H	1845	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_UNIT_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Unit Status for Counter 0-3
736H	1846	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 0
737H	1847	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 1
738H	1848	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 2
739H	1849	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 3
740H	1856	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Counter 0 Event Select MSR

Table 2-22. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 2nd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
741H	1857	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
742H	1858	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Counter 2 Event Select MSR
743H	1859	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Counter 3 Event Select MSR
745H	1861	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_UNIT_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Unit status for Counter 0-3
746H	1862	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Performance Counter 0
747H	1863	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Performance Counter 1
748H	1864	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Performance Counter 2
749H	1865	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Performance Counter 3

2.11.2 MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 Family Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture

Table 2-23 lists additional model-specific registers (MSRs) that are specific to the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 Family based on Sandy Bridge microarchitecture. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2DH, and also support MSRs listed in Table 2-20 and Table 2-24.

Table 2-23. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processors E5 Family Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
17FH	383	MSR_ERROR_CONTROL	Package	MC Bank Error Configuration (R/W)
		0		Reserved
		1		MemError Log Enable (R/W) When set, enables IMC status bank to log additional info in bits 36:32.
		63:2		Reserved
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0, R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 cores active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 cores active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 cores active.
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 5C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 5 cores active.

Table 2-23. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processors E5 Family Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 6C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 6 cores active.
		55:48	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 7C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 7 cores active.
		63:56	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 8C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 8 cores active.
285H	645	IA32_MC5_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
286H	646	IA32_MC6_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
287H	647	IA32_MC7_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
288H	648	IA32_MC8_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
289H	649	IA32_MC9_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28AH	650	IA32_MC10_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28BH	651	IA32_MC11_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28CH	652	IA32_MC12_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28DH	653	IA32_MC13_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28EH	654	IA32_MC14_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28FH	655	IA32_MC15_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
290H	656	IA32_MC16_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
291H	657	IA32_MC17_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
292H	658	IA32_MC18_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
293H	659	IA32_MC19_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
39CH	924	MSR_PEBS_NUM_ALT	Package	ENABLE_PEBS_NUM_ALT (R/W)
		0		ENABLE_PEBS_NUM_ALT (R/W) Write 1 to enable alternate PEBS counting logic for specific events requiring additional configuration, see https://perfmon-events.intel.com/ .
		63:1		Reserved, must be zero.
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
417H	1047	IA32_MC5_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
41CH	1052	IA32_MC7_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."

Table 2-23. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processors E5 Family Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
41DH	1053	IA32_MC7_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
41EH	1054	IA32_MC7_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
41FH	1055	IA32_MC7_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
420H	1056	IA32_MC8_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
421H	1057	IA32_MC8_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
422H	1058	IA32_MC8_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
423H	1059	IA32_MC8_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
424H	1060	IA32_MC9_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
425H	1061	IA32_MC9_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
426H	1062	IA32_MC9_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
427H	1063	IA32_MC9_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
428H	1064	IA32_MC10_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
429H	1065	IA32_MC10_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
42AH	1066	IA32_MC10_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
42BH	1067	IA32_MC10_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
42CH	1068	IA32_MC11_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
42DH	1069	IA32_MC11_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
42EH	1070	IA32_MC11_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
42FH	1071	IA32_MC11_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
430H	1072	IA32_MC12_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
431H	1073	IA32_MC12_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
432H	1074	IA32_MC12_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
433H	1075	IA32_MC12_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
434H	1076	IA32_MC13_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
435H	1077	IA32_MC13_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
436H	1078	IA32_MC13_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
437H	1079	IA32_MC13_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
438H	1080	IA32_MC14_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
439H	1081	IA32_MC14_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
43AH	1082	IA32_MC14_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
43BH	1083	IA32_MC14_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."

Table 2-23. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processors E5 Family Based on Sandy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
43CH	1084	IA32_MC15_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
43DH	1085	IA32_MC15_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
43EH	1086	IA32_MC15_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
43FH	1087	IA32_MC15_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
440H	1088	IA32_MC16_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
441H	1089	IA32_MC16_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
442H	1090	IA32_MC16_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
443H	1091	IA32_MC16_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
444H	1092	IA32_MC17_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
445H	1093	IA32_MC17_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
446H	1094	IA32_MC17_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
447H	1095	IA32_MC17_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
448H	1096	IA32_MC18_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
449H	1097	IA32_MC18_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
44AH	1098	IA32_MC18_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
44BH	1099	IA32_MC18_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
44CH	1100	IA32_MC19_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
44DH	1101	IA32_MC19_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS," and Chapter 17.
44EH	1102	IA32_MC19_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
44FH	1103	IA32_MC19_MISC	Package	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs."
613H	1555	MSR_PKG_PERF_STATUS	Package	Package RAPL Perf Status (R/O)
618H	1560	MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	Package	DRAM RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61CH	1564	MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	Package	DRAM RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
639H	1593	MSR_PPO_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PPO Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."

See Table 2-20, Table 2-23, and Table 2-24 for MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2DH.

2.11.3 Additional Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 Family

Intel Xeon Processor E5 family is based on the Sandy Bridge microarchitecture. The MSR-based uncore PMU interfaces are listed in Table 2-24. For complete details of the uncore PMU, refer to the Intel Xeon Processor E5 Product Family Uncore Performance Monitoring Guide. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_2DH.

Table 2-24. Uncore PMU MSRs in Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 Family

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C08H	3080	MSR_U_PMON_UCLK_FIXED_CTL	Package	Uncore U-box UCLK Fixed Counter Control
C09H	3081	MSR_U_PMON_UCLK_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore U-box UCLK Fixed Counter
C10H	3088	MSR_U_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore U-box Perfmon Event Select for U-box Counter 0
C11H	3089	MSR_U_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore U-box Perfmon Event Select for U-box Counter 1
C16H	3094	MSR_U_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore U-box Perfmon Counter 0
C17H	3095	MSR_U_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore U-box Perfmon Counter 1
C24H	3108	MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon for PCU-box-wide Control
C30H	3120	MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Event Select for PCU Counter 0
C31H	3121	MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Event Select for PCU Counter 1
C32H	3122	MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Event Select for PCU Counter 2
C33H	3123	MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Event Select for PCU Counter 3
C34H	3124	MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon box-wide Filter
C36H	3126	MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Counter 0
C37H	3127	MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Counter 1
C38H	3128	MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Counter 2
C39H	3129	MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Counter 3
D04H	3332	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
D10H	3344	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 0 Counter 0
D11H	3345	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 0 Counter 1
D12H	3346	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 0 Counter 2
D13H	3347	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 0 Counter 3
D14H	3348	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
D16H	3350	MSR_CO_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Counter 0
D17H	3351	MSR_CO_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Counter 1
D18H	3352	MSR_CO_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Counter 2
D19H	3353	MSR_CO_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 0 Perfmon Counter 3
D24H	3364	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control

Table 2-24. Uncore PMU MSRs in Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
D30H	3376	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 1 Counter 0
D31H	3377	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 1 Counter 1
D32H	3378	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 1 Counter 2
D33H	3379	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 1 Counter 3
D34H	3380	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
D36H	3382	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Counter 0
D37H	3383	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Counter 1
D38H	3384	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Counter 2
D39H	3385	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 1 Perfmon Counter 3
D44H	3396	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
D50H	3408	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 2 Counter 0
D51H	3409	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 2 Counter 1
D52H	3410	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 2 Counter 2
D53H	3411	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 2 Counter 3
D54H	3412	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
D56H	3414	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Counter 0
D57H	3415	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Counter 1
D58H	3416	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Counter 2
D59H	3417	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 2 Perfmon Counter 3
D64H	3428	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
D70H	3440	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 3 Counter 0
D71H	3441	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 3 Counter 1
D72H	3442	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 3 Counter 2
D73H	3443	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 3 Counter 3
D74H	3444	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
D76H	3446	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Counter 0
D77H	3447	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Counter 1
D78H	3448	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Counter 2
D79H	3449	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 3 Perfmon Counter 3

Table 2-24. Uncore PMU MSRs in Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
D84H	3460	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
D90H	3472	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 4 Counter 0
D91H	3473	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 4 Counter 1
D92H	3474	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 4 Counter 2
D93H	3475	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 4 Counter 3
D94H	3476	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
D96H	3478	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Counter 0
D97H	3479	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Counter 1
D98H	3480	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Counter 2
D99H	3481	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 4 Perfmon Counter 3
DA4H	3492	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
DB0H	3504	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 5 Counter 0
DB1H	3505	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 5 Counter 1
DB2H	3506	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 5 Counter 2
DB3H	3507	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 5 Counter 3
DB4H	3508	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
DB6H	3510	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Counter 0
DB7H	3511	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Counter 1
DB8H	3512	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Counter 2
DB9H	3513	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 5 Perfmon Counter 3
DC4H	3524	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
DD0H	3536	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 6 Counter 0
DD1H	3537	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 6 Counter 1
DD2H	3538	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 6 Counter 2
DD3H	3539	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 6 Counter 3
DD4H	3540	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
DD6H	3542	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Counter 0
DD7H	3543	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Counter 1
DD8H	3544	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Counter 2

Table 2-24. Uncore PMU MSRs in Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
DD9H	3545	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 6 Perfmon Counter 3
DE4H	3556	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
DF0H	3568	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNTSEL0	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 7 Counter 0
DF1H	3569	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 7 Counter 1
DF2H	3570	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 7 Counter 2
DF3H	3571	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 7 Counter 3
DF4H	3572	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
DF6H	3574	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Counter 0
DF7H	3575	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Counter 1
DF8H	3576	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Counter 2
DF9H	3577	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-box 7 Perfmon Counter 3

2.12 MSRS IN THE 3RD GENERATION INTEL® CORE™ PROCESSOR FAMILY BASED ON IVY BRIDGE MICROARCHITECTURE

The 3rd generation Intel® Core™ processor family and the Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200v2 product family based on Ivy Bridge microarchitecture support the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-22, and Table 2-25. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3AH.

Table 2-25. Additional MSRs Supported by 3rd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Ivy Bridge Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) This is the ratio of the frequency that invariant TSC runs at. Frequency = ratio * 100 MHz.
		27:16		Reserved
		28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is enabled. When set to 0, indicates Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is disabled.

Table 2-25. Additional MSRs Supported by 3rd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Ivy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		29	Package	Programmable TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that TDP Limit for Turbo mode is programmable. When set to 0, indicates that TDP Limit for Turbo mode is not programmable.
		31:30		Reserved
		32	Package	Low Power Mode Support (LPM) (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that LPM is supported. When set to 0, indicates LPM is not supported.
		34:33	Package	Number of ConfigTDP Levels (R/O) 00: Only Base TDP level available. 01: One additional TDP level available. 02: Two additional TDP level available. 03: Reserved
		39:35		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) This is the minimum ratio (maximum efficiency) that the processor can operate, in units of 100MHz.
		55:48	Package	Minimum Operating Ratio (R/O) Contains the minimum supported operating ratio in units of 100 MHz.
		63:56		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: C0/C1 (no package C-sate support) 001b: C2 010b: C6 no retention 011b: C6 retention 100b: C7 101b: C7s 111: No package C-state limit. Note: This field cannot be used to limit package C-state to C3.

Table 2-25. Additional MSRs Supported by 3rd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Ivy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W) When set, will map IO_read instructions sent to IO register specified by MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE to MWAIT instructions.
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO) When set, locks bits 15:0 of this register until next reset.
		24:16		Reserved
		25		C3 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W) When set, the processor will conditionally demote C6/C7 requests to C3 based on uncore auto-demote information.
		26		C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W) When set, the processor will conditionally demote C3/C6/C7 requests to C1 based on uncore auto-demote information.
		27		Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W) When set, enables undemotion from demoted C3.
		28		Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W) When set, enables undemotion from demoted C1.
		63:29		Reserved
639H	1593	MSR_PP0_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PP0 Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
648H	1608	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_NOMINAL	Package	Base TDP Ratio (R/O)
		7:0		Config_TDP_Base Base TDP level ratio to be used for this specific processor (in units of 100 MHz).
		63:8		Reserved
649H	1609	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_LEVEL1	Package	ConfigTDP Level 1 ratio and power level (R/O)
		14:0		PKG_TDP_LVL1 Power setting for ConfigTDP Level 1.
		15		Reserved
		23:16		Config_TDP_LVL1_Ratio ConfigTDP level 1 ratio to be used for this specific processor.
		31:24		Reserved
		46:32		PKG_MAX_PWR_LVL1 Max Power setting allowed for ConfigTDP Level 1.

Table 2-25. Additional MSRs Supported by 3rd Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Ivy Bridge Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		47		Reserved
		62:48		PKG_MIN_PWR_LVL1 MIN Power setting allowed for ConfigTDP Level 1.
		63		Reserved
64AH	1610	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_LEVEL2	Package	ConfigTDP Level 2 ratio and power level (R/O)
		14:0		PKG_TDP_LVL2 Power setting for ConfigTDP Level 2.
		15		Reserved
		23:16		Config_TDP_LVL2_Ratio ConfigTDP level 2 ratio to be used for this specific processor.
		31:24		Reserved
		46:32		PKG_MAX_PWR_LVL2 Max Power setting allowed for ConfigTDP Level 2.
		47		Reserved
		62:48		PKG_MIN_PWR_LVL2 MIN Power setting allowed for ConfigTDP Level 2.
		63		Reserved
64BH	1611	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_CONTROL	Package	ConfigTDP Control (R/W)
		1:0		TDP_LEVEL (RW/L) System BIOS can program this field.
		30:2		Reserved.
		31		Config_TDP_Lock (RW/L) When this bit is set, the content of this register is locked until a reset.
		63:32		Reserved
64CH	1612	MSR_TURBO_ACTIVATION_RATIO	Package	ConfigTDP Control (R/W)
		7:0		MAX_NON_TURBO_RATIO (RW/L) System BIOS can program this field.
		30:8		Reserved
		31		TURBO_ACTIVATION_RATIO_Lock (RW/L) When this bit is set, the content of this register is locked until a reset.
		63:32		Reserved
See Table 2-20, Table 2-21, and Table 2-22 for other MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3AH.				

2.12.1 MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture

Table 2-26 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) that are specific to the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family (based on Ivy Bridge-E microarchitecture). These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3EH; see Table 2-1. These processors supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20 and Table 2-26.

Table 2-26. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
4EH	78	IA32_PPIN_CTL (MSR_PPIN_CTL)	Package	Protected Processor Inventory Number Enable Control (R/W)
		0		LockOut (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		1		Enable_PPIN (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		63:2		Reserved
4FH	79	IA32_PPIN (MSR_PPIN)	Package	Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O)
		63:0		Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O) See Table 2-2.
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) This is the ratio of the frequency that invariant TSC runs at. Frequency = ratio * 100 MHz.
		22:16		Reserved
		23	Package	PPIN_CAP (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that Protected Processor Inventory Number (PPIN) capability can be enabled for a privileged system inventory agent to read PPIN from MSR_PPIN. When set to 0, PPIN capability is not supported. An attempt to access MSR_PPIN_CTL or MSR_PPIN will cause #GP.
		27:24		Reserved
	28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is enabled. When set to 0, indicates Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is disabled.	

Table 2-26. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		29	Package	Programmable TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that TDP Limit for Turbo mode is programmable. When set to 0, indicates TDP Limit for Turbo mode is not programmable.
		30	Package	Programmable TJ OFFSET (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET.[27:24] is valid and writable to specify a temperature offset.
		39:31		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) This is the minimum ratio (maximum efficiency) that the processor can operate, in units of 100MHz.
		63:48		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: C0/C1 (no package C-sate support) 001b: C2 010b: C6 no retention 011b: C6 retention 100b: C7 101b: C7s 111: No package C-state limit. Note: This field cannot be used to limit package C-state to C3.
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W) When set, will map IO_read instructions sent to IO register specified by MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE to MWAIT instructions.
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO) When set, locks bits 15:0 of this register until next reset.

Table 2-26. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:16		Reserved
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Thread	Global Machine Check Capability (R/O)
		7:0		Count
		8		MCG_CTL_P
		9		MCG_EXT_P
		10		MCP_CMCI_P
		11		MCG_TES_P
		15:12		Reserved
		23:16		MCG_EXT_CNT
		24		MCG_SER_P
		25		Reserved
		26		MCG_ELOG_P
		63:27		Reserved
17FH	383	MSR_ERROR_CONTROL	Package	MC Bank Error Configuration (R/W)
		0		Reserved
		1		MemError Log Enable (R/W) When set, enables IMC status bank to log additional info in bits 36:32.
		63:2		Reserved
1A2H	418	MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET	Package	Temperature Target
		15:0		Reserved
		23:16		Temperature Target (R/O) The minimum temperature at which PROCHOT# will be asserted. The value is degrees C.
		27:24		TCC Activation Offset (R/W) Specifies a temperature offset in degrees C from the temperature target (bits 23:16). PROCHOT# will assert at the offset target temperature. Write is permitted only if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[30] is set.
		63:28		Reserved
1AEH	430	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 9C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 9 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 10C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 10 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 11C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 11 core active.

Table 2-26. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 12C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 12 core active.
		63:32		Reserved
285H	645	IA32_MC5_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
286H	646	IA32_MC6_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
287H	647	IA32_MC7_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
288H	648	IA32_MC8_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
289H	649	IA32_MC9_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28AH	650	IA32_MC10_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28BH	651	IA32_MC11_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28CH	652	IA32_MC12_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28DH	653	IA32_MC13_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28EH	654	IA32_MC14_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28FH	655	IA32_MC15_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
290H	656	IA32_MC16_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
291H	657	IA32_MC17_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
292H	658	IA32_MC18_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
293H	659	IA32_MC19_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
294H	660	IA32_MC20_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
295H	661	IA32_MC21_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
296H	662	IA32_MC22_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
297H	663	IA32_MC23_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
298H	664	IA32_MC24_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
299H	665	IA32_MC25_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
29AH	666	IA32_MC26_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
29BH	667	IA32_MC27_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
29CH	668	IA32_MC28_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MC _i _CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MC _i _MISC MSRs." Bank MC5 reports MC errors from the Intel QPI module.
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Package	
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Package	
417H	1047	IA32_MC5_MISC	Package	
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MC _i _CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MC _i _MISC MSRs." Bank MC6 reports MC errors from the integrated I/O module.
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Package	
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR	Package	
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	Package	

Table 2-26. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
41CH	1052	IA32_MC7_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC7 and MC 8 report MC errors from the two home agents.
41DH	1053	IA32_MC7_STATUS	Package	
41EH	1054	IA32_MC7_ADDR	Package	
41FH	1055	IA32_MC7_MISC	Package	
420H	1056	IA32_MC8_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC7 and MC 8 report MC errors from the two home agents.
421H	1057	IA32_MC8_STATUS	Package	
422H	1058	IA32_MC8_ADDR	Package	
423H	1059	IA32_MC8_MISC	Package	
424H	1060	IA32_MC9_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
425H	1061	IA32_MC9_STATUS	Package	
426H	1062	IA32_MC9_ADDR	Package	
427H	1063	IA32_MC9_MISC	Package	
428H	1064	IA32_MC10_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
429H	1065	IA32_MC10_STATUS	Package	
42AH	1066	IA32_MC10_ADDR	Package	
42BH	1067	IA32_MC10_MISC	Package	
42CH	1068	IA32_MC11_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs." Bank MC11 reports MC errors from a specific channel of the integrated memory controller.
42DH	1069	IA32_MC11_STATUS	Package	
42EH	1070	IA32_MC11_ADDR	Package	
42FH	1071	IA32_MC11_MISC	Package	
430H	1072	IA32_MC12_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
431H	1073	IA32_MC12_STATUS	Package	
432H	1074	IA32_MC12_ADDR	Package	
433H	1075	IA32_MC12_MISC	Package	
434H	1076	IA32_MC13_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
435H	1077	IA32_MC13_STATUS	Package	
436H	1078	IA32_MC13_ADDR	Package	
437H	1079	IA32_MC13_MISC	Package	
438H	1080	IA32_MC14_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
439H	1081	IA32_MC14_STATUS	Package	
43AH	1082	IA32_MC14_ADDR	Package	
43BH	1083	IA32_MC14_MISC	Package	

Table 2-26. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
43CH	1084	IA32_MC15_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
43DH	1085	IA32_MC15_STATUS	Package	
43EH	1086	IA32_MC15_ADDR	Package	
43FH	1087	IA32_MC15_MISC	Package	
440H	1088	IA32_MC16_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
441H	1089	IA32_MC16_STATUS	Package	
442H	1090	IA32_MC16_ADDR	Package	
443H	1091	IA32_MC16_MISC	Package	
444H	1092	IA32_MC17_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC17 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
445H	1093	IA32_MC17_STATUS	Package	
446H	1094	IA32_MC17_ADDR	Package	
447H	1095	IA32_MC17_MISC	Package	
448H	1096	IA32_MC18_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC18 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
449H	1097	IA32_MC18_STATUS	Package	
44AH	1098	IA32_MC18_ADDR	Package	
44BH	1099	IA32_MC18_MISC	Package	
44CH	1100	IA32_MC19_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC19 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
44DH	1101	IA32_MC19_STATUS	Package	
44EH	1102	IA32_MC19_ADDR	Package	
44FH	1103	IA32_MC19_MISC	Package	
450H	1104	IA32_MC20_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs." Bank MC20 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
451H	1105	IA32_MC20_STATUS	Package	
452H	1106	IA32_MC20_ADDR	Package	
453H	1107	IA32_MC20_MISC	Package	
454H	1108	IA32_MC21_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC21 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
455H	1109	IA32_MC21_STATUS	Package	
456H	1110	IA32_MC21_ADDR	Package	
457H	1111	IA32_MC21_MISC	Package	
458H	1112	IA32_MC22_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC22 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
459H	1113	IA32_MC22_STATUS	Package	
45AH	1114	IA32_MC22_ADDR	Package	
45BH	1115	IA32_MC22_MISC	Package	

Table 2-26. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
45CH	1116	IA32_MC23_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC23 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
45DH	1117	IA32_MC23_STATUS	Package	
45EH	1118	IA32_MC23_ADDR	Package	
45FH	1119	IA32_MC23_MISC	Package	
460H	1120	IA32_MC24_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC24 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
461H	1121	IA32_MC24_STATUS	Package	
462H	1122	IA32_MC24_ADDR	Package	
463H	1123	IA32_MC24_MISC	Package	
464H	1124	IA32_MC25_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC25 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
465H	1125	IA32_MC25_STATUS	Package	
466H	1126	IA32_MC25_ADDR	Package	
467H	1127	IA32_MC25_MISC	Package	
468H	1128	IA32_MC26_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC26 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
469H	1129	IA32_MC26_STATUS	Package	
46AH	1130	IA32_MC26_ADDR	Package	
46BH	1131	IA32_MC26_MISC	Package	
46CH	1132	IA32_MC27_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC27 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
46DH	1133	IA32_MC27_STATUS	Package	
46EH	1134	IA32_MC27_ADDR	Package	
46FH	1135	IA32_MC27_MISC	Package	
470H	1136	IA32_MC28_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC28 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
471H	1137	IA32_MC28_STATUS	Package	
472H	1138	IA32_MC28_ADDR	Package	
473H	1139	IA32_MC28_MISC	Package	
613H	1555	MSR_PKG_PERF_STATUS	Package	Package RAPL Perf Status (R/O)
618H	1560	MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	Package	DRAM RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61CH	1564	MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	Package	DRAM RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
639H	1593	MSR_PPO_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PPO Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."

Table 2-26. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 Product Family Based on Ivy Bridge-E Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
See Table 2-20, for other MSR definitions applicable to Intel Xeon processor E5 v2 with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3EH.				

2.12.2 Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E7 v2 Family

The Intel® Xeon® processor E7 v2 family (based on Ivy Bridge-E microarchitecture) with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3EH supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-26, and Table 2-27.

Table 2-27. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E7 v2 Family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_3EH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Thread	Control Features in Intel 64 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Lock (R/WL)
		1		Enable VMX Inside SMX Operation (R/WL)
		2		Enable VMX Outside SMX Operation (R/WL)
		14:8		SENTER Local Functions Enables (R/WL)
		15		SENTER Global Functions Enable (R/WL)
		63:16		Reserved
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Thread	Global Machine Check Capability (R/O)
		7:0		Count
		8		MCG_CTL_P
		9		MCG_EXT_P
		10		MCP_CMCI_P
		11		MCG_TES_P
		15:12		Reserved
		23:16		MCG_EXT_CNT
		24		MCG_SER_P
		63:25		Reserved
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Thread	Global Machine Check Status (R/WO)
		0		RIPV
		1		EIPV
		2		MCIP
		3		LMCE Signaled
		63:4		Reserved

Table 2-27. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E7 v2 Family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_3EH (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1AEH	430	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 9C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 9 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 10C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 10core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 11C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 11 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 12C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 12 core active.
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 13C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 13 core active.
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 14C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 14 core active.
		55:48	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 15C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 15 core active.
		62:56		Reserved
		63	Package	Semaphore for Turbo Ratio Limit Configuration If 1, the processor uses override configuration ¹ specified in MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT and MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1. If 0, the processor uses factory-set configuration (Default).
29DH	669	IA32_MC29_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
29EH	670	IA32_MC30_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
29FH	671	IA32_MC31_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Thread	See Section 20.3.1.1.1, "Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS)."
		$n:0$		Enable PEBS on IA32_PMCx. (R/W)
		$31:n+1$		Reserved
		$32+m:32$		Enable Load Latency on IA32_PMCx. (R/W)
		$63:33+m$		Reserved
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	Package	Misc MAC Information of Integrated I/O (R/O) See Section 16.3.2.4.
		5:0		Recoverable Address LSB
		8:6		Address Mode
		15:9		Reserved
		31:16		PCI Express Requestor ID

Table 2-27. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E7 v2 Family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_3EH (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		39:32		PCI Express Segment Number
		63:32		Reserved
474H	1140	IA32_MC29_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC29 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
475H	1141	IA32_MC29_STATUS	Package	
476H	1142	IA32_MC29_ADDR	Package	
477H	1143	IA32_MC29_MISC	Package	
478H	1144	IA32_MC30_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC30 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
479H	1145	IA32_MC30_STATUS	Package	
47AH	1146	IA32_MC30_ADDR	Package	
47BH	1147	IA32_MC30_MISC	Package	
47CH	1148	IA32_MC31_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC31 reports MC errors from a specific CBo (core broadcast) and its corresponding slice of L3.
47DH	1149	IA32_MC31_STATUS	Package	
47EH	1150	IA32_MC31_ADDR	Package	
47FH	1147	IA32_MC31_MISC	Package	
See Table 2-20, Table 2-26 for other MSR definitions applicable to Intel Xeon processor E7 v2 with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3AH.				

NOTES:

1. An override configuration lower than the factory-set configuration is always supported. An override configuration higher than the factory-set configuration is dependent on features specific to the processor and the platform.

2.12.3 Additional Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 Families

Intel Xeon Processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 families are based on the Ivy Bridge-E microarchitecture. The MSR-based uncore PMU interfaces are listed in Table 2-24 and Table 2-28. For complete detail of the uncore PMU, refer to Intel Xeon Processor E5 v2 Product Family Uncore Performance Monitoring Guide. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3EH.

Table 2-28. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 Families

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C00H	3072	MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_CTL	Package	Uncore Perfmon Per-Socket Global Control
C01H	3073	MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	Uncore Perfmon Per-Socket Global Status
C06H	3078	MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_CONFIG	Package	Uncore Perfmon Per-Socket Global Configuration
C15H	3093	MSR_U_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore U-box Perfmon U-Box Wide Status
C35H	3125	MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Box Wide Status
D1AH	3354	MSR_C0_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
D3AH	3386	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1

Table 2-28. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 Families (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
D5AH	3418	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
D7AH	3450	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
D9AH	3482	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
DBAH	3514	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
DDAH	3546	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
DFAH	3578	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
E04H	3588	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
E10H	3600	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 8 Counter 0
E11H	3601	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 8 Counter 1
E12H	3602	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 8 Counter 2
E13H	3603	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 8 Counter 3
E14H	3604	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
E16H	3606	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Counter 0
E17H	3607	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Counter 1
E18H	3608	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Counter 2
E19H	3609	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Counter 3
E1AH	3610	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
E24H	3620	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
E30H	3632	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 9 Counter 0
E31H	3633	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 9 Counter 1
E32H	3634	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 9 Counter 2
E33H	3635	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Event Select for C-box 9 Counter 3
E34H	3636	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
E36H	3638	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Counter 0
E37H	3639	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Counter 1
E38H	3640	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Counter 2
E39H	3641	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Counter 3
E3AH	3642	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
E44H	3652	MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
E50H	3664	MSR_C10_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 10 Counter 0

Table 2-28. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 Families (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E51H	3665	MSR_C10_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 10 Counter 1
E52H	3666	MSR_C10_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 10 Counter 2
E53H	3667	MSR_C10_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 10 Counter 3
E54H	3668	MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
E56H	3670	MSR_C10_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Counter 0
E57H	3671	MSR_C10_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Counter 1
E58H	3672	MSR_C10_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Counter 2
E59H	3673	MSR_C10_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Counter 3
E5AH	3674	MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
E64H	3684	MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
E70H	3696	MSR_C11_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 11 Counter 0
E71H	3697	MSR_C11_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 11 Counter 1
E72H	3698	MSR_C11_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 11 Counter 2
E73H	3699	MSR_C11_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 11 Counter 3
E74H	3700	MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
E76H	3702	MSR_C11_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Counter 0
E77H	3703	MSR_C11_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Counter 1
E78H	3704	MSR_C11_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Counter 2
E79H	3705	MSR_C11_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Counter 3
E7AH	3706	MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
E84H	3716	MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
E90H	3728	MSR_C12_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 12 Counter 0
E91H	3729	MSR_C12_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 12 Counter 1
E92H	3730	MSR_C12_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 12 Counter 2
E93H	3731	MSR_C12_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 12 Counter 3
E94H	3732	MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
E96H	3734	MSR_C12_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Counter 0
E97H	3735	MSR_C12_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Counter 1
E98H	3736	MSR_C12_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Counter 2

Table 2-28. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v2 and E7 v2 Families (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E99H	3737	MSR_C12_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Counter 3
E9AH	3738	MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
EA4H	3748	MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
EBOH	3760	MSR_C13_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 13 Counter 0
EB1H	3761	MSR_C13_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 13 Counter 1
EB2H	3762	MSR_C13_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 13 Counter 2
EB3H	3763	MSR_C13_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 13 Counter 3
EB4H	3764	MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
EB6H	3766	MSR_C13_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Counter 0
EB7H	3767	MSR_C13_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Counter 1
EB8H	3768	MSR_C13_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Counter 2
EB9H	3769	MSR_C13_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Counter 3
EBAH	3770	MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
EC4H	3780	MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
EDO H	3792	MSR_C14_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 14 Counter 0
ED1H	3793	MSR_C14_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 14 Counter 1
ED2H	3794	MSR_C14_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 14 Counter 2
ED3H	3795	MSR_C14_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 14 Counter 3
ED4H	3796	MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Box Wide Filter
ED6H	3798	MSR_C14_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Counter 0
ED7H	3799	MSR_C14_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Counter 1
ED8H	3800	MSR_C14_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Counter 2
ED9H	3801	MSR_C14_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Counter 3
EDA H	3802	MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1

2.13 MSRS IN THE 4TH GENERATION INTEL® CORE™ PROCESSORS BASED ON HASWELL MICROARCHITECTURE

The 4th generation Intel® Core™ processor family and the Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200v3 product family (based on Haswell microarchitecture), with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3CH, 06_45H, or 06_46H, support the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-22, and Table 2-29. For an MSR listed in Table 2-20 that also appears in Table 2-29, Table 2-29 supersedes Table 2-20.

The MSRs listed in Table 2-29 also apply to processors based on Haswell-E microarchitecture (see Section 2.14).

Table 2-29. Additional MSRs Supported by Processors Based on the Haswell and Haswell-E Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3BH	59	IA32_TSC_ADJUST	Thread	Per-Logical-Processor TSC ADJUST (R/W) See Table 2-2.
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) This is the ratio of the frequency that invariant TSC runs at. Frequency = ratio * 100 MHz.
		27:16		Reserved
		28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is enabled. When set to 0, indicates Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is disabled.
		29	Package	Programmable TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that TDP Limit for Turbo mode is programmable. When set to 0, indicates TDP Limit for Turbo mode is not programmable.
		31:30		Reserved
		32	Package	Low Power Mode Support (LPM) (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that LPM is supported. When set to 0, indicates LPM is not supported.
		34:33	Package	Number of ConfigTDP Levels (R/O) 00: Only Base TDP level available. 01: One additional TDP level available. 02: Two additional TDP level available. 03: Reserved
		39:35		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) This is the minimum ratio (maximum efficiency) that the processor can operate, in units of 100MHz.
		55:48	Package	Minimum Operating Ratio (R/O) Contains the minimum supported operating ratio in units of 100 MHz.
		63:56		Reserved
186H	390	IA32_PERFVTSELO	Thread	Performance Event Select for Counter 0 (R/W) Supports all fields described in Table 2-2 and the fields below.

Table 2-29. Additional MSRs Supported by Processors Based on the Haswell and Haswell-E Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		32		IN_TX: See Section 20.3.6.5.1. When IN_TX (bit 32) is set, AnyThread (bit 21) should be cleared to prevent incorrect results.
187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1	Thread	Performance Event Select for Counter 1 (R/W) Supports all fields described in Table 2-2 and the fields below.
		32		IN_TX: See Section 20.3.6.5.1. When IN_TX (bit 32) is set, AnyThread (bit 21) should be cleared to prevent incorrect results.
188H	392	IA32_PERFEVTSEL2	Thread	Performance Event Select for Counter 2 (R/W) Supports all fields described in Table 2-2 and the fields below.
		32		IN_TX: See Section 20.3.6.5.1. When IN_TX (bit 32) is set, AnyThread (bit 21) should be cleared to prevent incorrect results.
		33		IN_TXCP: See Section 20.3.6.5.1. When IN_TXCP=1 & IN_TX=1 and in sampling, a spurious PMI may occur and transactions may continuously abort near overflow conditions. Software should favor using IN_TXCP for counting over sampling. If sampling, software should use large "sample-after" value after clearing the counter configured to use IN_TXCP and also always reset the counter even when no overflow condition was reported.
189H	393	IA32_PERFEVTSEL3	Thread	Performance Event Select for Counter 3 (R/W) Supports all fields described in Table 2-2 and the fields below.
		32		IN_TX: See Section 20.3.6.5.1 When IN_TX (bit 32) is set, AnyThread (bit 21) should be cleared to prevent incorrect results.
1C8H	456	MSR_LBR_SELECT	Thread	Last Branch Record Filtering Select Register (R/W)
		0		CPL_EQ_0
		1		CPL_NEQ_0
		2		JCC
		3		NEAR_REL_CALL
		4		NEAR_IND_CALL
		5		NEAR_RET
		6		NEAR_IND_JMP
		7		NEAR_REL_JMP
		8		FAR_BRANCH
9		EN_CALL_STACK		

Table 2-29. Additional MSRs Supported by Processors Based on the Haswell and Haswell-E Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:9		Reserved
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL	Thread	Debug Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		LBR: Last Branch Record
		1		BTF
		5:2		Reserved
		6		TR: Branch Trace
		7		BTS: Log Branch Trace Message to BTS Buffer
		8		BTINT
		9		BTS_OFF_OS
		10		BTS_OFF_USER
		11		FREEZE_LBR_ON_PMI
		12		FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI
		13		ENABLE_UNCORE_PMI
		14		FREEZE_WHILE_SMM
		15		RTM_DEBUG
		63:15		Reserved
491H	1169	IA32_VMX_VMFUNC	Thread	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Function Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
60BH	1548	MSR_PKG_C7_IRT_L1	Package	Package C6/C7 Interrupt Response Limit 1 (R/W) This MSR defines the interrupt response time limit used by the processor to manage a transition to a package C6 or C7 state. The latency programmed in this register is for the shorter-latency sub C-states used by an MWAIT hint to a C6 or C7 state. Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		9:0		Interrupt Response Time Limit (R/W) Specifies the limit that should be used to decide if the package should be put into a package C6 or C7 state.
		12:10		Time Unit (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of time unit of the interrupt response time limit. See Table 2-20 for supported time unit encodings.
		14:13		Reserved

Table 2-29. Additional MSRs Supported by Processors Based on the Haswell and Haswell-E Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		15		Valid (R/W) Indicates whether the values in bits 12:0 are valid and can be used by the processor for package C-state management.
		63:16		Reserved
60CH	1548	MSR_PKG_C7_INTERRUPT_RESPONSE_LIMIT_2	Package	Package C6/C7 Interrupt Response Limit 2 (R/W) This MSR defines the interrupt response time limit used by the processor to manage a transition to a package C6 or C7 state. The latency programmed in this register is for the longer-latency sub C-states used by an MWAIT hint to a C6 or C7 state. Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		9:0		Interrupt response time limit (R/W) Specifies the limit that should be used to decide if the package should be put into a package C6 or C7 state.
		12:10		Time Unit (R/W) Specifies the encoding value of time unit of the interrupt response time limit. See Table 2-20 for supported time unit encodings.
		14:13		Reserved
		15		Valid (R/W) Indicates whether the values in bits 12:0 are valid and can be used by the processor for package C-state management.
		63:16		Reserved
613H	1555	MSR_PKG_PERF_STATUS	Package	PKG Perf Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
648H	1608	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_NOMINAL	Package	Base TDP Ratio (R/O)
		7:0		Config_TDP_Base Base TDP level ratio to be used for this specific processor (in units of 100 MHz).
		63:8		Reserved
649H	1609	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_LEVEL1	Package	ConfigTDP Level 1 Ratio and Power Level (R/O)
		14:0		PKG_TDP_LVL1 Power setting for ConfigTDP Level 1.

Table 2-29. Additional MSRs Supported by Processors Based on the Haswell and Haswell-E Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		15		Reserved
		23:16		Config_TDP_LVL1_Ratio ConfigTDP level 1 ratio to be used for this specific processor.
		31:24		Reserved
		46:32		PKG_MAX_PWR_LVL1 Max Power setting allowed for ConfigTDP Level 1.
		62:47		PKG_MIN_PWR_LVL1 MIN Power setting allowed for ConfigTDP Level 1.
		63		Reserved
64AH	1610	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_LEVEL2	Package	ConfigTDP Level 2 Ratio and Power Level (R/O)
		14:0		PKG_TDP_LVL2 Power setting for ConfigTDP Level 2.
		15		Reserved
		23:16		Config_TDP_LVL2_Ratio ConfigTDP level 2 ratio to be used for this specific processor.
		31:24		Reserved
		46:32		PKG_MAX_PWR_LVL2 Max Power setting allowed for ConfigTDP Level 2.
		62:47		PKG_MIN_PWR_LVL2 MIN Power setting allowed for ConfigTDP Level 2.
		63		Reserved
64BH	1611	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_CONTROL	Package	ConfigTDP Control (R/W)
		1:0		TDP_LEVEL (RW/L) System BIOS can program this field.
		30:2		Reserved
		31		Config_TDP_Lock (RW/L) When this bit is set, the content of this register is locked until a reset.
		63:32		Reserved
64CH	1612	MSR_TURBO_ACTIVATION_RATIO	Package	ConfigTDP Control (R/W)
		7:0		MAX_NON_TURBO_RATIO (RW/L) System BIOS can program this field.
		30:8		Reserved
		31		TURBO_ACTIVATION_RATIO_Lock (RW/L) When this bit is set, the content of this register is locked until a reset.

Table 2-29. Additional MSRs Supported by Processors Based on the Haswell and Haswell-E Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:32		Reserved
C80H	3200	IA32_DEBUG_INTERFACE	Package	Silicon Debug Feature Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.

2.13.1 MSRs in the 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processor Family Based on Haswell Microarchitecture

Table 2-30 lists model-specific registers (MSRs) that are specific to the 4th generation Intel® Core™ processor family and the Intel® Xeon® processor E3-1200 v3 product family (based on Haswell microarchitecture). These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3CH, 06_45H, or 06_46H; see Table 2-1.

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states. See http://biosbits.org .
		3:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 0000b: C0/C1 (no package C-state support) 0001b: C2 0010b: C3 0011b: C6 0100b: C7 0101b: C7s Package C states C7 are not available to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3CH.
		9:4		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W)
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/W0)
		24:16		Reserved
		25		C3 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		26		C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		27		Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W)
		28		Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W)
		63:29		Reserved
17DH	381	MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP	THREAD	Enhanced SMM Capabilities (SMM-RO) Reports SMM capability Enhancement. Accessible only while in SMM.
		57:0		Reserved
		58		SMM_Code_Access_Chk (SMM-RO) If set to 1, indicates that the SMM code access restriction is supported and the MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL is supported.
		59		Long_Flow_Indication (SMM-RO) If set to 1, indicates that the SMM long flow indicator is supported and the MSR_SMM_DELAYED is supported.
		63:60		Reserved
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 core active.
		63:32		Reserved
391H	913	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Package	Uncore PMU Global Control
		0		Core 0 select.
		1		Core 1 select.
		2		Core 2 select.
		3		Core 3 select.
		18:4		Reserved
		29		Enable all uncore counters.
		30		Enable wake on PMI.
		31		Enable Freezing counter when overflow.
		63:32		Reserved

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
392H	914	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	Uncore PMU Main Status
		0		Fixed counter overflowed.
		1		An ARB counter overflowed.
		2		Reserved
		3		A CBox counter overflowed (on any slice).
		63:4		Reserved
394H	916	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTRL	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter Control (R/W)
		19:0		Reserved
		20		Enable overflow propagation.
		21		Reserved
		22		Enable counting.
		63:23		Reserved
395H	917	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter
		47:0		Current count.
		63:48		Reserved
396H	918	MSR_UNC_CBO_CONFIG	Package	Uncore C-Box Configuration Information (R/O)
		3:0		Encoded number of C-Box, derive value by "-1".
		63:4		Reserved
3B0H	946	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Performance Counter 0
3B1H	947	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Performance Counter 1
3B2H	944	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
3B3H	945	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
391H	913	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Package	Uncore PMU Global Control
		0		Core 0 select.
		1		Core 1 select.
		2		Core 2 select.
		3		Core 3 select.
		18:4		Reserved
		29		Enable all uncore counters.
		30		Enable wake on PMI.
		31		Enable Freezing counter when overflow.
63:32		Reserved		
395H	917	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter
		47:0		Current count.
		63:48		Reserved
3B3H	945	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Counter 1 Event Select MSR

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
4E0H	1248	MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL	Package	Enhanced SMM Feature Control (SMM-RW) Reports SMM capability Enhancement. Accessible only while in SMM.
		0		Lock (SMM-RWO) When set to '1' locks this register from further changes.
		1		Reserved
		2		SMM_Code_Chk_En (SMM-RW) This control bit is available only if MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP[58] == 1. When set to '0' (default) none of the logical processors are prevented from executing SMM code outside the ranges defined by the SMRR. When set to '1' any logical processor in the package that attempts to execute SMM code not within the ranges defined by the SMRR will assert an unrecoverable MCE.
		63:3		Reserved
4E2H	1250	MSR_SMM_DELAYED	Package	SMM Delayed (SMM-RO) Reports the interruptible state of all logical processors in the package. Available only while in SMM and MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP[LONG_FLOW_INDICATION] == 1.
		N-1:0		LOG_PROC_STATE (SMM-RO) Each bit represents a logical processor of its state in a long flow of internal operation which delays servicing an interrupt. The corresponding bit will be set at the start of long events such as: Microcode Update Load, C6, WBINVD, Ratio Change, Throttle. The bit is automatically cleared at the end of each long event. The reset value of this field is 0. Only bit positions below N = CPUID.(EAX=0BH, ECX=PKG_LVL):EBX[15:0] can be updated.
		63:N		Reserved
4E3H	1251	MSR_SMM_BLOCKED	Package	SMM Blocked (SMM-RO) Reports the blocked state of all logical processors in the package. Available only while in SMM.
		N-1:0		LOG_PROC_STATE (SMM-RO) Each bit represents a logical processor of its blocked state to service an SMI. The corresponding bit will be set if the logical processor is in one of the following states: Wait For SIPI or SENTER Sleep. The reset value of this field is OFFFH. Only bit positions below N = CPUID.(EAX=0BH, ECX=PKG_LVL):EBX[15:0] can be updated.

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:N		Reserved
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers Used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O)
		3:0	Package	Power Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		7:4	Package	Reserved
		12:8	Package	Energy Status Units Energy related information (in Joules) is based on the multiplier, $1/2^{ESU}$; where ESU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 12:8. Default value is 0EH (or 61 micro-joules).
		15:13	Package	Reserved
		19:16	Package	Time Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		63:20		Reserved
639H	1593	MSR_PPO_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PPO Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."
640H	1600	MSR_PP1_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PP1 RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."
641H	1601	MSR_PP1_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PP1 Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."
642H	1602	MSR_PP1_POLICY	Package	PP1 Balance Policy (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."
690H	1680	MSR_CORE_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in Processor Cores (R/W) (Frequency refers to processor core frequency.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (R0) When set, processor core frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal event.
		3:2		Reserved
		4		Graphics Driver Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to Processor Graphics driver override.
		5		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request because the processor has detected that utilization is low.

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal alert from the Voltage Regulator.
		7		Reserved
		8		Electrical Design Point Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to electrical design point constraints (e.g., maximum electrical current consumption).
		9		Core Power Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to domain-level power limiting.
		10		Package-Level Power Limiting PL1 Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package-level power limiting PL1.
		11		Package-Level PL2 Power Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package-level power limiting PL2.
		12		Max Turbo Limit Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to multi-core turbo limits.
		13		Turbo Transition Attenuation Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to Turbo transition attenuation. This prevents performance degradation due to frequent operating ratio changes.
		15:14		Reserved
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		19:18		Reserved

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		20		Graphics Driver Log When set, indicates that the Graphics Driver Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		21		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Log When set, indicates that the Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		22		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		23		Reserved
		24		Electrical Design Point Log When set, indicates that the EDP Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		25		Core Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Core Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		26		Package-Level PL1 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package Level PL1 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		27		Package-Level PL2 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package Level PL2 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		28		Max Turbo Limit Log When set, indicates that the Max Turbo Limit Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		29		Turbo Transition Attenuation Log When set, indicates that the Turbo Transition Attenuation Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:30		Reserved
6B0H	1712	MSR_GRAPHICS_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in the Processor Graphics (R/W) (Frequency refers to processor graphics frequency.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal event.
		3:2		Reserved
		4		Graphics Driver Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to Processor Graphics driver override.
		5		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request because the processor has detected that utilization is low.
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal alert from the Voltage Regulator.
		7		Reserved
		8		Electrical Design Point Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to electrical design point constraints (e.g., maximum electrical current consumption).
		9		Graphics Power Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to domain-level power limiting.
		10		Package-Level Power Limiting PL1 Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package-level power limiting PL1.

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		11		Package-Level PL2 Power Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package-level power limiting PL2.
		15:12		Reserved
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		19:18		Reserved
		20		Graphics Driver Log When set, indicates that the Graphics Driver Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		21		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Log When set, indicates that the Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		22		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		23		Reserved
		24		Electrical Design Point Log When set, indicates that the EDP Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		25		Core Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Core Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		26		Package-Level PL1 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package Level PL1 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		27		Package-Level PL2 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package Level PL2 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		28		Max Turbo Limit Log When set, indicates that the Max Turbo Limit Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		29		Turbo Transition Attenuation Log When set, indicates that the Turbo Transition Attenuation Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:30		Reserved
6B1H	1713	MSR_RING_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in the Ring Interconnect (R/W) (Frequency refers to ring interconnect in the uncore.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal event.
		5:2		Reserved
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal alert from the Voltage Regulator.
		7		Reserved
		8		Electrical Design Point Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to electrical design point constraints (e.g., maximum electrical current consumption).

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		9		Reserved
		10		Package-Level Power Limiting PL1 Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package-level power limiting PL1.
		11		Package-Level PL2 Power Limiting Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package-level power limiting PL2.
		15:12		Reserved
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		19:18		Reserved.
		20		Graphics Driver Log When set, indicates that the Graphics Driver Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		21		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Log When set, indicates that the Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		22		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		23		Reserved
		24		Electrical Design Point Log When set, indicates that the EDP Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		25		Core Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Core Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		26		Package-Level PL1 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package Level PL1 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		27		Package-Level PL2 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package Level PL2 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		28		Max Turbo Limit Log When set, indicates that the Max Turbo Limit Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		29		Turbo Transition Attenuation Log When set, indicates that the Turbo Transition Attenuation Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:30		Reserved
700H	1792	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
701H	1793	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
706H	1798	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 0
707H	1799	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 1
710H	1808	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
711H	1809	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
716H	1814	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 0
717H	1815	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 1
720H	1824	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
721H	1824	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
726H	1830	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 0
727H	1831	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 1

Table 2-30. MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors (Haswell Microarchitecture) (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
730H	1840	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
731H	1841	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
736H	1846	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 0
737H	1847	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 1

See Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-22, Table 2-25, and Table 2-29 for other MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 063CH or 06_46H.

2.13.2 Additional Residency MSRs Supported in 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

The 4th generation Intel® Core™ processor family (based on Haswell microarchitecture) with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_45H supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-29, Table 2-30, and Table 2-31.

Table 2-31. Additional Residency MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_45H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states. See http://biosbits.org .
		3:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 0000b: C0/C1 (no package C-state support) 0001b: C2 0010b: C3 0011b: C6 0100b: C7 0101b: C7s 0110b: C8 0111b: C9 1000b: C10
		9:4		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W)
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/W0)

Table 2-31. Additional Residency MSRs Supported by 4th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_45H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		24:16		Reserved
		25		C3 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		26		C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		27		Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W)
		28		Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W)
		63:29		Reserved
630H	1584	MSR_PKG_C8_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		59:0		Package C8 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C8 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
		63:60		Reserved
631H	1585	MSR_PKG_C9_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		59:0		Package C9 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C9 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
		63:60		Reserved
632H	1586	MSR_PKG_C10_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		59:0		Package C10 Residency Counter (R/O) Value since last reset that this package is in processor-specific C10 states. Count at the same frequency as the TSC.
		63:60		Reserved

See Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-22, Table 2-29, and Table 2-30 for other MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_45H.

2.14 MSRS IN THE INTEL® XEON® PROCESSOR E5 V3 AND E7 V3 PRODUCT FAMILY

The Intel® Xeon® processor E5 v3 family and the Intel® Xeon® processor E7 v3 family are based on Haswell-E microarchitecture (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3F). These processors support the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-29, and Table 2-32.

Table 2-32. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
35H	53	MSR_CORE_THREAD_COUNT	Package	Configured State of Enabled Processor Core Count and Logical Processor Count (R/O) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> After a Power-On RESET, enumerates factory configuration of the number of processor cores and logical processors in the physical package. Following the sequence of (i) BIOS modified a Configuration Mask which selects a subset of processor cores to be active post RESET and (ii) a RESET event after the modification, enumerates the current configuration of enabled processor core count and logical processor count in the physical package.
		15:0		THREAD_COUNT (R/O) The number of logical processors that are currently enabled (by either factory configuration or BIOS configuration) in the physical package.
		31:16		Core_COUNT (R/O) The number of processor cores that are currently enabled (by either factory configuration or BIOS configuration) in the physical package.
		63:32		Reserved
53H	83	MSR_THREAD_ID_INFO	Thread	A Hardware Assigned ID for the Logical Processor (R/O)
		7:0		Logical_Processor_ID (R/O) An implementation-specific numerical value physically assigned to each logical processor. This ID is not related to Initial APIC ID or x2APIC ID, it is unique within a physical package.
		63:8		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: C0/C1 (no package C-state support) 001b: C2 010b: C6 (non-retention) 011b: C6 (retention) 111b: No Package C state limits. All C states supported by the processor are available.

Table 2-32. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W)
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/W0)
		24:16		Reserved
		25		C3 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		26		C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		27		Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W)
		28		Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W)
		29		Package C State Demotion Enable (R/W)
		30		Package C State UnDemotion Enable (R/W)
		63:31		Reserved
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Thread	Global Machine Check Capability (R/O)
		7:0		Count
		8		MCG_CTL_P
		9		MCG_EXT_P
		10		MCP_CMCI_P
		11		MCG_TES_P
		15:12		Reserved
		23:16		MCG_EXT_CNT
		24		MCG_SER_P
		25		MCG_EM_P
		26		MCG_ELOG_P
		63:27		Reserved
17DH	381	MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP	Thread	Enhanced SMM Capabilities (SMM-RO) Reports SMM capability Enhancement. Accessible only while in SMM.
		57:0		Reserved
		58		SMM_Code_Access_Chk (SMM-RO) If set to 1, indicates that the SMM code access restriction is supported and a host-space interface available to SMM handler.
		59		Long_Flow_Indication (SMM-RO) If set to 1, indicates that the SMM long flow indicator is supported and a host-space interface available to SMM handler.
		63:60		Reserved
17FH	383	MSR_ERROR_CONTROL	Package	MC Bank Error Configuration (R/W)
		0		Reserved

Table 2-32. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		1		MemError Log Enable (R/W) When set, enables IMC status bank to log additional info in bits 36:32.
		63:2		Reserved
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 core active.
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 5C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 5 core active.
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 6C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 6 core active.
		55:48	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 7C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 7 core active.
		63:56	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 8C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 8 core active.
1AEH	430	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 9C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 9 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 10C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 10 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 11C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 11 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 12C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 12 core active.
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 13C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 13 core active.
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 14C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 14 core active.
		55:48	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 15C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 15 core active.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:56	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 16C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 16 core active.
1AFH	431	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT2	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 17C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 17 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 18C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 18 core active.
		62:16	Package	Reserved
		63	Package	Semaphore for Turbo Ratio Limit Configuration If 1, the processor uses override configuration ¹ specified in MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT, MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1, and MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT2. If 0, the processor uses factory-set configuration (Default).
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC5 reports MC errors from the Intel QPI 0 module.
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Package	
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Package	
417H	1047	IA32_MC5_MISC	Package	
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	Package	
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Package	
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR	Package	
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	Package	
41CH	1052	IA32_MC7_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC7 reports MC errors from the home agent HA 0.
41DH	1053	IA32_MC7_STATUS	Package	
41EH	1054	IA32_MC7_ADDR	Package	
41FH	1055	IA32_MC7_MISC	Package	
420H	1056	IA32_MC8_CTL	Package	
421H	1057	IA32_MC8_STATUS	Package	
422H	1058	IA32_MC8_ADDR	Package	
423H	1059	IA32_MC8_MISC	Package	
424H	1060	IA32_MC9_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
425H	1061	IA32_MC9_STATUS	Package	
426H	1062	IA32_MC9_ADDR	Package	
427H	1063	IA32_MC9_MISC	Package	

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
428H	1064	IA32_MC10_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
429H	1065	IA32_MC10_STATUS	Package	
42AH	1066	IA32_MC10_ADDR	Package	
42BH	1067	IA32_MC10_MISC	Package	
42CH	1068	IA32_MC11_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
42DH	1069	IA32_MC11_STATUS	Package	
42EH	1070	IA32_MC11_ADDR	Package	
42FH	1071	IA32_MC11_MISC	Package	
430H	1072	IA32_MC12_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
431H	1073	IA32_MC12_STATUS	Package	
432H	1074	IA32_MC12_ADDR	Package	
433H	1075	IA32_MC12_MISC	Package	
434H	1076	IA32_MC13_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
435H	1077	IA32_MC13_STATUS	Package	
436H	1078	IA32_MC13_ADDR	Package	
437H	1079	IA32_MC13_MISC	Package	
438H	1080	IA32_MC14_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
439H	1081	IA32_MC14_STATUS	Package	
43AH	1082	IA32_MC14_ADDR	Package	
43BH	1083	IA32_MC14_MISC	Package	
43CH	1084	IA32_MC15_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
43DH	1085	IA32_MC15_STATUS	Package	
43EH	1086	IA32_MC15_ADDR	Package	
43FH	1087	IA32_MC15_MISC	Package	
440H	1088	IA32_MC16_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
441H	1089	IA32_MC16_STATUS	Package	
442H	1090	IA32_MC16_ADDR	Package	
443H	1091	IA32_MC16_MISC	Package	
444H	1092	IA32_MC17_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC17 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo0, CBo3, CBo6, CBo9, CBo12, CBo15.
445H	1093	IA32_MC17_STATUS	Package	
446H	1094	IA32_MC17_ADDR	Package	
447H	1095	IA32_MC17_MISC	Package	
448H	1096	IA32_MC18_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC18 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo1, CBo4, CBo7, CBo10, CBo13, CBo16.
449H	1097	IA32_MC18_STATUS	Package	
44AH	1098	IA32_MC18_ADDR	Package	
44BH	1099	IA32_MC18_MISC	Package	

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
44CH	1100	IA32_MC19_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC19 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo2, CBo5, CBo8, CBo11, CBo14, CBo17.
44DH	1101	IA32_MC19_STATUS	Package	
44EH	1102	IA32_MC19_ADDR	Package	
44FH	1103	IA32_MC19_MISC	Package	
450H	1104	IA32_MC20_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC20 reports MC errors from the Intel QPI 1 module.
451H	1105	IA32_MC20_STATUS	Package	
452H	1106	IA32_MC20_ADDR	Package	
453H	1107	IA32_MC20_MISC	Package	
454H	1108	IA32_MC21_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC21 reports MC errors from the Intel QPI 2 module.
455H	1109	IA32_MC21_STATUS	Package	
456H	1110	IA32_MC21_ADDR	Package	
457H	1111	IA32_MC21_MISC	Package	
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers Used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O)
		3:0	Package	Power Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		7:4	Package	Reserved
		12:8	Package	Energy Status Units Energy related information (in Joules) is based on the multiplier, $1/2^{\text{ESU}}$; where ESU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 12:8. Default value is 0EH (or 61 micro-joules).
		15:13	Package	Reserved
		19:16	Package	Time Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		63:20		Reserved
618H	1560	MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	Package	DRAM RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) Energy Consumed by DRAM devices.
		31:0		Energy in 15.3 micro-joules. Requires BIOS configuration to enable DRAM RAPL mode 0 (Direct VR).
		63:32		Reserved
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61CH	1564	MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	Package	DRAM RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61EH	1566	MSR_PCIE_PLL_RATIO	Package	Configuration of PCIE PLL Relative to BCLK(R/W)

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		1:0	Package	PCIE Ratio (R/W) 00b: Use 5:5 mapping for 100MHz operation (default). 01b: Use 5:4 mapping for 125MHz operation. 10b: Use 5:3 mapping for 166MHz operation. 11b: Use 5:2 mapping for 250MHz operation.
		2	Package	LPLL Select (R/W) If 1, use configured setting of PCIE Ratio.
		3	Package	LONG RESET (R/W) If 1, wait an additional time-out before re-locking Gen2/Gen3 PLLs.
		63:4		Reserved
620H	1568	MSR_UNCORE_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Uncore Ratio Limit (R/W) Out of reset, the min_ratio and max_ratio fields represent the widest possible range of uncore frequencies. Writing to these fields allows software to control the minimum and the maximum frequency that hardware will select.
		63:15		Reserved
		14:8		MIN_RATIO Writing to this field controls the minimum possible ratio of the LLC/Ring.
		7		Reserved
		6:0		MAX_RATIO This field is used to limit the max ratio of the LLC/Ring.
639H	1593	MSR_PP0_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	Reserved (R/O) Reads return 0.
690H	1680	MSR_CORE_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in Processor Cores (R/W) (Frequency refers to processor core frequency.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (RO) When set, processor core frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal event.
		2		Power Budget Management Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to PBM limit
		3		Platform Configuration Services Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to PCS limit
		4		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		5		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request because the processor has detected that utilization is low.
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal alert from the Voltage Regulator.
		7		Reserved
		8		Electrical Design Point Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to electrical design point constraints (e.g., maximum electrical current consumption).
		9		Reserved
		10		Multi-Core Turbo Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to Multi-Core Turbo limits.
		12:11		Reserved
		13		Core Frequency P1 Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below max non-turbo P1.
		14		Core Max N-Core Turbo Frequency Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below max n-core turbo frequency.
		15		Core Frequency Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request.
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		18		Power Budget Management Log When set, indicates that the PBM Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		19		Platform Configuration Services Log When set, indicates that the PCS Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		20		Reserved
		21		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Log When set, indicates that the AUBFC Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		22		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		23		Reserved
		24		Electrical Design Point Log When set, indicates that the EDP Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		25		Reserved
		26		Multi-Core Turbo Log When set, indicates that the Multi-Core Turbo Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		28:27		Reserved
		29		Core Frequency P1 Log When set, indicates that the Core Frequency P1 Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		30		Core Max N-Core Turbo Frequency Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Core Max n-core Turbo Frequency Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		31		Core Frequency Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Core Frequency Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:32		Reserved
C8DH	3213	IA32_QM_EVTSEL	THREAD	Monitoring Event Select Register (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.RDT-M[bit 12] = 1.
		7:0		EventID (R/W) Event encoding: 0x0: No monitoring. 0x1: L3 occupancy monitoring. All other encoding reserved.
		31:8		Reserved
		41:32		RMID (R/W)
		63:42		Reserved
C8EH	3214	IA32_QM_CTR	THREAD	Monitoring Counter Register (R/O) If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.RDT-M[bit 12] = 1.
		61:0		Resource Monitored Data
		62		Unavailable: If 1, indicates data for this RMID is not available or not monitored for this resource or RMID.
		63		Error: If 1, indicates an unsupported RMID or event type was written to IA32_PQR_QM_EVTSEL.
C8FH	3215	IA32_PQR_ASSOC	THREAD	Resource Association Register (R/W)
		9:0		RMID
		63: 10		Reserved
See Table 2-20 and Table 2-29 for other MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3FH.				

NOTES:

1. An override configuration lower than the factory-set configuration is always supported. An override configuration higher than the factory-set configuration is dependent on features specific to the processor and the platform.

2.14.1 Additional Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family

The Intel Xeon Processor E5 v3 and E7 v3 families are based on Haswell-E microarchitecture. The MSR-based uncore PMU interfaces are listed in Table 2-33. For complete details of the uncore PMU, refer to the Intel Xeon Processor E5 v3 Product Family Uncore Performance Monitoring Guide. These processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3FH.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
700H	1792	MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_CTL	Package	Uncore Perfmon Per-Socket Global Control
701H	1793	MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	Uncore Perfmon Per-Socket Global Status
702H	1794	MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_CONFIG	Package	Uncore Perfmon Per-Socket Global Configuration
703H	1795	MSR_U_PMON_UCLK_FIXED_CTL	Package	Uncore U-Box UCLK Fixed Counter Control
704H	1796	MSR_U_PMON_UCLK_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore U-Box UCLK Fixed Counter
705H	1797	MSR_U_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore U-Box Perfmon Event Select for U-Box Counter 0
706H	1798	MSR_U_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore U-Box Perfmon Event Select for U-Box Counter 1
708H	1800	MSR_U_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore U-Box Perfmon U-Box Wide Status
709H	1801	MSR_U_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore U-Box Perfmon Counter 0
70AH	1802	MSR_U_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore U-Box Perfmon Counter 1
710H	1808	MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon for PCU-Box-Wide Control
711H	1809	MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Event Select for PCU Counter 0
712H	1810	MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Event Select for PCU Counter 1
713H	1811	MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Event Select for PCU Counter 2
714H	1812	MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Event Select for PCU Counter 3
715H	1813	MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Box-Wide Filter
716H	1814	MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Box Wide Status
717H	1815	MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Counter 0
718H	1816	MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Counter 1
719H	1817	MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Counter 2
71AH	1818	MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore PCU Perfmon Counter 3
720H	1824	MSR_S0_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon for SBo 0 Box-Wide Control
721H	1825	MSR_S0_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 0 Counter 0
722H	1826	MSR_S0_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 0 Counter 1
723H	1827	MSR_S0_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 0 Counter 2
724H	1828	MSR_S0_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 0 Counter 3
725H	1829	MSR_S0_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Box-Wide Filter
726H	1830	MSR_S0_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Counter 0
727H	1831	MSR_S0_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Counter 1
728H	1832	MSR_S0_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Counter 2
729H	1833	MSR_S0_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore SBo 0 Perfmon Counter 3
72AH	1834	MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon for SBo 1 Box-Wide Control

Table 2-33. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
72BH	1835	MSR_S1_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 1 Counter 0
72CH	1836	MSR_S1_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 1 Counter 1
72DH	1837	MSR_S1_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 1 Counter 2
72EH	1838	MSR_S1_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 1 Counter 3
72FH	1839	MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Box-Wide Filter
730H	1840	MSR_S1_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Counter 0
731H	1841	MSR_S1_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Counter 1
732H	1842	MSR_S1_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Counter 2
733H	1843	MSR_S1_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore SBo 1 Perfmon Counter 3
734H	1844	MSR_S2_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon for SBo 2 Box-Wide Control
735H	1845	MSR_S2_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 2 Counter 0
736H	1846	MSR_S2_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 2 Counter 1
737H	1847	MSR_S2_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 2 Counter 2
738H	1848	MSR_S2_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 2 Counter 3
739H	1849	MSR_S2_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Box-Wide Filter
73AH	1850	MSR_S2_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Counter 0
73BH	1851	MSR_S2_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Counter 1
73CH	1852	MSR_S2_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Counter 2
73DH	1853	MSR_S2_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore SBo 2 Perfmon Counter 3
73EH	1854	MSR_S3_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon for SBo 3 Box-Wide Control
73FH	1855	MSR_S3_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 3 Counter 0
740H	1856	MSR_S3_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 3 Counter 1
741H	1857	MSR_S3_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 3 Counter 2
742H	1858	MSR_S3_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Event Select for SBo 3 Counter 3
743H	1859	MSR_S3_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Box-Wide Filter
744H	1860	MSR_S3_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Counter 0
745H	1861	MSR_S3_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Counter 1
746H	1862	MSR_S3_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Counter 2
747H	1863	MSR_S3_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore SBo 3 Perfmon Counter 3

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E00H	3584	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
E01H	3585	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 0 Counter 0
E02H	3586	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 0 Counter 1
E03H	3587	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 0 Counter 2
E04H	3588	MSR_CO_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 0 Counter 3
E05H	3589	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E06H	3590	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
E07H	3591	MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E08H	3592	MSR_CO_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Counter 0
E09H	3593	MSR_CO_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Counter 1
E0AH	3594	MSR_CO_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Counter 2
E0BH	3595	MSR_CO_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 0 Perfmon Counter 3
E10H	3600	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
E11H	3601	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 1 Counter 0
E12H	3602	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 1 Counter 1
E13H	3603	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 1 Counter 2
E14H	3604	MSR_C1_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 1 Counter 3
E15H	3605	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E16H	3606	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
E17H	3607	MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E18H	3608	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Counter 0
E19H	3609	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Counter 1
E1AH	3610	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Counter 2
E1BH	3611	MSR_C1_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 1 Perfmon Counter 3
E20H	3616	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
E21H	3617	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 2 Counter 0
E22H	3618	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 2 Counter 1
E23H	3619	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 2 Counter 2
E24H	3620	MSR_C2_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Event select for C-Box 2 Counter 3

Table 2-33. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E25H	3621	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E26H	3622	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
E27H	3623	MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E28H	3624	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Counter 0
E29H	3625	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Counter 1
E2AH	3626	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Counter 2
E2BH	3627	MSR_C2_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 2 Perfmon Counter 3
E30H	3632	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
E31H	3633	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 3 Counter 0
E32H	3634	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 3 Counter 1
E33H	3635	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 3 Counter 2
E34H	3636	MSR_C3_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 3 Counter 3
E35H	3637	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E36H	3638	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
E37H	3639	MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E38H	3640	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Counter 0
E39H	3641	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Counter 1
E3AH	3642	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Counter 2
E3BH	3643	MSR_C3_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 3 Perfmon Counter 3
E40H	3648	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
E41H	3649	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 4 Counter 0
E42H	3650	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 4 Counter 1
E43H	3651	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 4 Counter 2
E44H	3652	MSR_C4_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 4 Counter 3
E45H	3653	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E46H	3654	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
E47H	3655	MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E48H	3656	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Counter 0
E49H	3657	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Counter 1
E4AH	3658	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Counter 2
E4BH	3659	MSR_C4_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 4 Perfmon Counter 3

Table 2-33. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E50H	3664	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
E51H	3665	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 5 Counter 0
E52H	3666	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 5 Counter 1
E53H	3667	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 5 Counter 2
E54H	3668	MSR_C5_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 5 Counter 3
E55H	3669	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E56H	3670	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
E57H	3671	MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E58H	3672	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Counter 0
E59H	3673	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Counter 1
E5AH	3674	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Counter 2
E5BH	3675	MSR_C5_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 5 Perfmon Counter 3
E60H	3680	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
E61H	3681	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 6 Counter 0
E62H	3682	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 6 Counter 1
E63H	3683	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 6 Counter 2
E64H	3684	MSR_C6_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 6 Counter 3
E65H	3685	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E66H	3686	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
E67H	3687	MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E68H	3688	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Counter 0
E69H	3689	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Counter 1
E6AH	3690	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Counter 2
E6BH	3691	MSR_C6_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 6 Perfmon Counter 3
E70H	3696	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
E71H	3697	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 7 Counter 0
E72H	3698	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 7 Counter 1
E73H	3699	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 7 Counter 2
E74H	3700	MSR_C7_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 7 Counter 3

Table 2-33. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E75H	3701	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E76H	3702	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
E77H	3703	MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E78H	3704	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Counter 0
E79H	3705	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Counter 1
E7AH	3706	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Counter 2
E7BH	3707	MSR_C7_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 7 Perfmon Counter 3
E80H	3712	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
E81H	3713	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 8 Counter 0
E82H	3714	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 8 Counter 1
E83H	3715	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 8 Counter 2
E84H	3716	MSR_C8_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 8 Counter 3
E85H	3717	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E86H	3718	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
E87H	3719	MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E88H	3720	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Counter 0
E89H	3721	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Counter 1
E8AH	3722	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Counter 2
E8BH	3723	MSR_C8_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 8 Perfmon Counter 3
E90H	3728	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
E91H	3729	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 9 Counter 0
E92H	3730	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 9 Counter 1
E93H	3731	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 9 Counter 2
E94H	3732	MSR_C9_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 9 Counter 3
E95H	3733	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
E96H	3734	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
E97H	3735	MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Box Wide Status
E98H	3736	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Counter 0
E99H	3737	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Counter 1
E9AH	3738	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Counter 2
E9BH	3739	MSR_C9_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 9 Perfmon Counter 3

Table 2-33. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
EA0H	3744	MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
EA1H	3745	MSR_C10_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 10 Counter 0
EA2H	3746	MSR_C10_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 10 Counter 1
EA3H	3747	MSR_C10_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 10 Counter 2
EA4H	3748	MSR_C10_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 10 Counter 3
EA5H	3749	MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
EA6H	3750	MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
EA7H	3751	MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Box Wide Status
EA8H	3752	MSR_C10_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Counter 0
EA9H	3753	MSR_C10_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 perfmon Counter 1
EAAH	3754	MSR_C10_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Counter 2
EABH	3755	MSR_C10_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 10 Perfmon Counter 3
EBOH	3760	MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
EB1H	3761	MSR_C11_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 11 Counter 0
EB2H	3762	MSR_C11_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 11 Counter 1
EB3H	3763	MSR_C11_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 11 Counter 2
EB4H	3764	MSR_C11_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-box 11 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 11 Counter 3
EB5H	3765	MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
EB6H	3766	MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
EB7H	3767	MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Box Wide Status
EB8H	3768	MSR_C11_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Counter 0
EB9H	3769	MSR_C11_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Counter 1
EBAH	3770	MSR_C11_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Counter 2
EBBH	3771	MSR_C11_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 11 Perfmon Counter 3
EC0H	3776	MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
EC1H	3777	MSR_C12_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 12 Counter 0
EC2H	3778	MSR_C12_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 12 Counter 1
EC3H	3779	MSR_C12_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 12 Counter 2
EC4H	3780	MSR_C12_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 12 Counter 3

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
EC5H	3781	MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
EC6H	3782	MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
EC7H	3783	MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Box Wide Status
EC8H	3784	MSR_C12_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Counter 0
EC9H	3785	MSR_C12_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Counter 1
ECAH	3786	MSR_C12_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Counter 2
ECBH	3787	MSR_C12_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 12 Perfmon Counter 3
ED0H	3792	MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon local box wide control.
ED1H	3793	MSR_C13_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 13 Counter 0
ED2H	3794	MSR_C13_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 13 Counter 1
ED3H	3795	MSR_C13_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 13 Counter 2
ED4H	3796	MSR_C13_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 13 Counter 3
ED5H	3797	MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
ED6H	3798	MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
ED7H	3799	MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Box Wide Status
ED8H	3800	MSR_C13_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Counter 0
ED9H	3801	MSR_C13_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Counter 1
EDAH	3802	MSR_C13_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Counter 2
EDBH	3803	MSR_C13_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 13 Perfmon Counter 3
EE0H	3808	MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
EE1H	3809	MSR_C14_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 14 Counter 0
EE2H	3810	MSR_C14_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 14 Counter 1
EE3H	3811	MSR_C14_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 14 Counter 2
EE4H	3812	MSR_C14_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 14 Counter 3
EE5H	3813	MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_FILTER	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
EE6H	3814	MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
EE7H	3815	MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Box Wide Status
EE8H	3816	MSR_C14_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Counter 0
EE9H	3817	MSR_C14_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Counter 1
EEAH	3818	MSR_C14_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Counter 2
EEBH	3819	MSR_C14_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 14 Perfmon Counter 3

Table 2-33. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
EF0H	3824	MSR_C15_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Local Box Wide Control
EF1H	3825	MSR_C15_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 15 Counter 0
EF2H	3826	MSR_C15_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 15 Counter 1
EF3H	3827	MSR_C15_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 15 Counter 2
EF4H	3828	MSR_C15_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 15 Counter 3
EF5H	3829	MSR_C15_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
EF6H	3830	MSR_C15_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
EF7H	3831	MSR_C15_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Box Wide Status
EF8H	3832	MSR_C15_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Counter 0
EF9H	3833	MSR_C15_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Counter 1
EFAH	3834	MSR_C15_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Counter 2
EFBH	3835	MSR_C15_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 15 Perfmon Counter 3
F00H	3840	MSR_C16_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
F01H	3841	MSR_C16_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 16 Counter 0
F02H	3842	MSR_C16_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 16 Counter 1
F03H	3843	MSR_C16_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 16 Counter 2
F04H	3844	MSR_C16_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 16 Counter 3
F05H	3845	MSR_C16_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
F06H	3846	MSR_C16_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 1
F07H	3847	MSR_C16_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Box Wide Status
F08H	3848	MSR_C16_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Counter 0
F09H	3849	MSR_C16_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Counter 1
F0AH	3850	MSR_C16_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Counter 2
FOBH	3851	MSR_C16_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore C-Box 16 Perfmon Counter 3
F10H	3856	MSR_C17_PMON_BOX_CTL	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon for Box-Wide Control
F11H	3857	MSR_C17_PMON_EVNTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 17 Counter 0
F12H	3858	MSR_C17_PMON_EVNTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 17 Counter 1
F13H	3859	MSR_C17_PMON_EVNTSEL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 17 Counter 2
F14H	3860	MSR_C17_PMON_EVNTSEL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Event Select for C-Box 17 Counter 3

Table 2-33. Uncore PMU MSRs in the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v3 Family (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
F15H	3861	MSR_C17_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Box Wide Filter 0
F16H	3862	MSR_C17_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Box Wide Filter1
F17H	3863	MSR_C17_PMON_BOX_STATUS	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Box Wide Status
F18H	3864	MSR_C17_PMON_CTRL0	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Counter 0
F19H	3865	MSR_C17_PMON_CTRL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Counter 1
F1AH	3866	MSR_C17_PMON_CTRL2	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Counter 2
F1BH	3867	MSR_C17_PMON_CTRL3	Package	Uncore C-Box 17 Perfmon Counter 3

2.15 MSRS IN THE INTEL® CORE™ M PROCESSORS AND THE 5TH GENERATION INTEL® CORE™ PROCESSORS

The Intel® Core™ M-5xxx processors, 5th generation Intel® Core™ Processors, and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E3-1200 v4 family are based on Broadwell microarchitecture. The Intel® Core™ M-5xxx processors and 5th generation Intel® Core™ Processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3DH. The Intel® Xeon® Processor E3-1200 v4 family and 5th generation Intel® Core™ Processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_47H. Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3DH or 06_47H support the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-22, Table 2-25, Table 2-29, Table 2-30, Table 2-34, and Table 2-35. For an MSR listed in Table 2-35 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-35 supersedes prior generation tables.

Table 2-34 lists MSRs that are common to processors based on the Broadwell microarchitectures (including CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel values of 06_3DH, 06_47H, 06_4FH, and 06_56H).

Table 2-34. Additional MSRs Common to Processors Based on Broadwell Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Thread	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
		0		Ovf_PMC0
		1		Ovf_PMC1
		2		Ovf_PMC2
		3		Ovf_PMC3
		31:4		Reserved
		32		Ovf_FixedCtr0
		33		Ovf_FixedCtr1
		34		Ovf_FixedCtr2
		54:35		Reserved
		55		Trace_ToPA_PMI See Section 33.2.7.2, "Table of Physical Addresses (ToPA)."
		60:56		Reserved

Table 2-34. Additional MSRs Common to Processors Based on Broadwell Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		61		Ovf_Uncore
		62		Ovf_BufDSSAVE
		63		CondChgd
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Thread	See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.2.2, "Global Counter Control Facilities."
		0		Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC0
		1		Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC1
		2		Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC2
		3		Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC3
		31:4		Reserved
		32		Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr0
		33		Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr1
		34		Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr2
		54:35		Reserved.
		55		Set 1 to clear Trace_ToPA_PMI. See Section 33.2.7.2, "Table of Physical Addresses (ToPA)."
		60:56		Reserved
		61		Set 1 to clear Ovf_Uncore
		62		Set 1 to clear Ovf_BufDSSAVE
63		Set 1 to clear CondChgd		
560H	1376	IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_BASE	THREAD	Trace Output Base Register (R/W)
		6:0		Reserved
		MAXPHYADDR ¹ -1:7		Base physical address.
		63:MAXPHYADDR		Reserved
561H	1377	IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_MASK_PTRS	THREAD	Trace Output Mask Pointers Register (R/W)
		6:0		Reserved
		31:7		MaskOrTableOffset
		63:32		Output Offset.
570H	1392	IA32_RTIT_CTL	Thread	Trace Control Register (R/W)
		0		TraceEn
		1		Reserved, must be zero.
		2		OS
		3		User
		6:4		Reserved, must be zero.
		7		CR3Filter
		8		ToPA Writing 0 will #GP if also setting TraceEn.

Table 2-34. Additional MSRs Common to Processors Based on Broadwell Microarchitectures

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		9		Reserved, must be zero.
		10		TSCEn
		11		DisRETC
		12		Reserved, must be zero.
		13		Reserved; writing 0 will #GP if also setting TraceEn.
		63:14		Reserved, must be zero.
571H	1393	IA32_RTIT_STATUS	Thread	Tracing Status Register (R/W)
		0		Reserved, writes ignored.
		1		ContexEn, writes ignored.
		2		TriggerEn, writes ignored.
		3		Reserved
		4		Error (R/W)
		5		Stopped
		63:6		Reserved, must be zero.
572H	1394	IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH	THREAD	Trace Filter CR3 Match Register (R/W)
		4:0		Reserved
		63:5		CR3[63:5] value to match.
620H	1568	MSR_UNCORE_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Uncore Ratio Limit (R/W) Out of reset, the min_ratio and max_ratio fields represent the widest possible range of uncore frequencies. Writing to these fields allows software to control the minimum and the maximum frequency that hardware will select.
		63:15		Reserved
		14:8		MIN_RATIO Writing to this field controls the minimum possible ratio of the LLC/Ring.
		7		Reserved
		6:0		MAX_RATIO This field is used to limit the max ratio of the LLC/Ring.

NOTES:

1. MAXPHYADDR is reported by CPUID.80000008H:EAX[7:0].

Table 2-35 lists MSRs that are specific to Intel Core M processors and 5th Generation Intel Core Processors.

Table 2-35. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Core™ M Processors and 5th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Register Address		Register Name	Scope	Bit Description	
Hex	Dec				
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states. See http://biosbits.org .	
				3:0	Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 0000b: C0/C1 (no package C-state support) 0001b: C2 0010b: C3 0011b: C6 0100b: C7 0101b: C7s 0110b: C8 0111b: C9 1000b: C10
				9:4	Reserved
				10	I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W)
				14:11	Reserved
				15	CFG Lock (R/WO)
				24:16	Reserved
				25	C3 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
				26	C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
				27	Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W)
				28	Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W)
				29	Enable Package C-State Auto-Demotion (R/W)
				30	Enable Package C-State Undemotion (R/W)
				63:31	Reserved
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.	
				7:0	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
				15:8	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 core active.

Table 2-35. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Core™ M Processors and 5th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Register Address		Register Name	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 core active.
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 5C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 5core active.
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 6C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 6core active.
		63:48		Reserved
639H	1593	MSR_PPO_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PPO Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."

See Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-22, Table 2-25, Table 2-29, Table 2-30, and Table 2-34 for other MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_3DH.

2.16 MSRS IN THE INTEL® XEON® PROCESSOR E5 V4 FAMILY

The MSRs listed in Table 2-36 are available and common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D Product Family (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_56H) and to the Intel Xeon processors E5 v4 and E7 v4 families (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_4FH). These processors are based on Broadwell microarchitecture.

See Section 2.16.1 for lists of tables of MSRs that are supported by the Intel® Xeon® Processor D Family.

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
4EH	78	IA32_PPIN_CTL (MSR_PPIN_CTL)	Package	Protected Processor Inventory Number Enable Control (R/W)
		0		LockOut (R/W/O) See Table 2-2.
		1		Enable_PPIN (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		63:2		Reserved
4FH	79	IA32_PPIN (MSR_PPIN)	Package	Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O)
		63:0		Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O) See Table 2-2.
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		22:16		Reserved.
		23	Package	PPIN_CAP (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		27:24		Reserved
		28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		29	Package	Programmable TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		30	Package	Programmable TJ OFFSET (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		39:31		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		63:48		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: C0/C1 (no package C-state support) 001b: C2 010b: C6 (non-retention) 011b: C6 (retention) 111b: No Package C state limits. All C states supported by the processor are available.
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W)
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO)

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		16		Automatic C-State Conversion Enable (R/W) If 1, the processor will convert HALT or MWAIT(C1) to MWAIT(C6).
		24:17		Reserved
		25		C3 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		26		C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		27		Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W)
		28		Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W)
		29		Package C State Demotion Enable (R/W)
		30		Package C State UnDemotion Enable (R/W)
		63:31		Reserved
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Thread	Global Machine Check Capability (R/O)
		7:0		Count
		8		MCG_CTL_P
		9		MCG_EXT_P
		10		MCP_CMCI_P
		11		MCG_TES_P
		15:12		Reserved
		23:16		MCG_EXT_CNT
		24		MCG_SER_P
		25		MCG_EM_P
		26		MCG_ELOG_P
		63:27		Reserved
17DH	381	MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP	Thread	Enhanced SMM Capabilities (SMM-RO) Reports SMM capability Enhancement. Accessible only while in SMM.
		57:0		Reserved
		58		SMM_Code_Access_Chk (SMM-RO) If set to 1, indicates that the SMM code access restriction is supported and a host-space interface available to SMM handler.
		59		Long_Flow_Indication (SMM-RO) If set to 1, indicates that the SMM long flow indicator is supported and a host-space interface available to SMM handler.
		63:60		Reserved
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Core	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		0		Thermal Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		1		Thermal Status Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		2		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		3		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		4		Critical Temperature Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		5		Critical Temperature Status Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		6		Thermal Threshold #1 Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		7		Thermal Threshold #1 Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		8		Thermal Threshold #2 Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		9		Thermal Threshold #2 Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		10		Power Limitation Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		11		Power Limitation Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		12		Current Limit Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		13		Current Limit Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		14		Cross Domain Limit Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		15		Cross Domain Limit Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		22:16		Digital Readout (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		26:23		Reserved
		30:27		Resolution in Degrees Celsius (R/O) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		31		Reading Valid (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		63:32		Reserved
1A2H	418	MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET	Package	Temperature Target
		15:0		Reserved
		23:16		Temperature Target (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		27:24		TCC Activation Offset (R/W) See Table 2-26.
		63:28		Reserved.
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 5C
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 6C
		55:48	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 7C
63:56	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 8C		
1AEH	430	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 9C
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 10C
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 11C
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 12C
		39:32	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 13C
		47:40	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 14C
		55:48	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 15C
		63:56	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 16C
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers Used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O)
		3:0	Package	Power Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		7:4	Package	Reserved

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		12:8	Package	Energy Status Units Energy related information (in Joules) is based on the multiplier, $1/2^{\text{ESU}}$; where ESU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 12:8. Default value is 0EH (or 61 micro-joules).
		15:13	Package	Reserved
		19:16	Package	Time Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		63:20		Reserved
618H	1560	MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	Package	DRAM RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) Energy consumed by DRAM devices.
		31:0		Energy in 15.3 micro-joules. Requires BIOS configuration to enable DRAM RAPL mode 0 (Direct VR).
		63:32		Reserved
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61CH	1564	MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	Package	DRAM RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
620H	1568	MSR_UNCORE_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Uncore Ratio Limit (R/W) Out of reset, the min_ratio and max_ratio fields represent the widest possible range of uncore frequencies. Writing to these fields allows software to control the minimum and the maximum frequency that hardware will select.
		63:15		Reserved
		14:8		MIN_RATIO Writing to this field controls the minimum possible ratio of the LLC/Ring.
		7		Reserved
		6:0		MAX_RATIO This field is used to limit the max ratio of the LLC/Ring.
639H	1593	MSR_PPO_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	Reserved (R/O) Reads return 0.
690H	1680	MSR_CORE_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in Processor Cores (R/W) (Frequency refers to processor core frequency.)

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		0		PROCHOT Status (R0) When set, processor core frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal event.
		2		Power Budget Management Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to PBM limit.
		3		Platform Configuration Services Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to PCS limit.
		4		Reserved
		5		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request because the processor has detected that utilization is low.
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal alert from the Voltage Regulator.
		7		Reserved
		8		Electrical Design Point Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to electrical design point constraints (e.g., maximum electrical current consumption).
		9		Reserved
		10		Multi-Core Turbo Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to Multi-Core Turbo limits.
		12:11		Reserved
		13		Core Frequency P1 Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below max non-turbo P1.
		14		Core Max N-Core Turbo Frequency Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below max n-core turbo frequency.
		15		Core Frequency Limiting Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request.

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		18		Power Budget Management Log When set, indicates that the PBM Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		19		Platform Configuration Services Log When set, indicates that the PCS Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		20		Reserved
		21		Autonomous Utilization-Based Frequency Control Log When set, indicates that the AUBFC Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		22		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		23		Reserved
		24		Electrical Design Point Log When set, indicates that the EDP Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		25		Reserved
		26		Multi-Core Turbo Log When set, indicates that the Multi-Core Turbo Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		28:27		Reserved
		29		Core Frequency P1 Log When set, indicates that the Core Frequency P1 Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		30		Core Max N-Core Turbo Frequency Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Core Max n-core Turbo Frequency Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		31		Core Frequency Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Core Frequency Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:32		Reserved
770H	1904	IA32_PM_ENABLE	Package	See Section 15.4.2, "Enabling HWP."
771H	1905	IA32_HWP_CAPABILITIES	Thread	See Section 15.4.3, "HWP Performance Range and Dynamic Capabilities."
774H	1908	IA32_HWP_REQUEST	Thread	See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."
		7:0		Minimum Performance (R/W)
		15:8		Maximum Performance (R/W)
		23:16		Desired Performance (R/W)
		63:24		Reserved
777H	1911	IA32_HWP_STATUS	Thread	See Section 15.4.5, "HWP Feedback."
		1:0		Reserved
		2		Excursion to Minimum (R/O)
		63:3		Reserved
C8DH	3213	IA32_QM_EVTSEL	Thread	Monitoring Event Select Register (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.RDT-M[bit 12] = 1.
		7:0		EventID (R/W) Event encoding: 0x00: No monitoring. 0x01: L3 occupancy monitoring. 0x02: Total memory bandwidth monitoring. 0x03: Local memory bandwidth monitoring. All other encoding reserved.

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		31:8		Reserved
		41:32		RMID (R/W)
		63:42		Reserved
C8FH	3215	IA32_PQR_ASSOC	THREAD	Resource Association Register (R/W)
		9:0		RMID
		31:10		Reserved
		51:32		COS (R/W)
		63: 52		Reserved
C90H	3216	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_0	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 0 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=0.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 0 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C91H	3217	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_1	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 1 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=1.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 1 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C92H	3218	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_2	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 2 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=2.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 2 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C93H	3219	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_3	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 3 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=3.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 3 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C94H	3220	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_4	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 4 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=4.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 4 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C95H	3221	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_5	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 5 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=5.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 5 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C96H	3222	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_6	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 6 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=6.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 6 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C97H	3223	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_7	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 7 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=7.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 7 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C98H	3224	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_8	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 8 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=8.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 8 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C99H	3225	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_9	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 9 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=9.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 9 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9AH	3226	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_10	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 10 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=10.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 10 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9BH	3227	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_11	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 11 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=11.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 11 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9CH	3228	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_12	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 12 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=12.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 12 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9DH	3229	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_13	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 13 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=13.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 13 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved

Table 2-36. Additional MSRs Common to the Intel® Xeon® Processor D and the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 Family Based on Broadwell Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C9EH	3230	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_14	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 14 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=14.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 14 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9FH	3231	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_15	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 15 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=15.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 15 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved

2.16.1 Additional MSRs Supported in the Intel® Xeon® Processor D Product Family

The MSRs listed in Table 2-37 are available to Intel® Xeon® Processor D Product Family (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_56H). The Intel® Xeon® processor D product family is based on Broadwell microarchitecture and supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-29, Table 2-34, Table 2-36, and Table 2-37.

Table 2-37. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processor D with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_56H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1ACH	428	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT3	Package	Config Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		62:0	Package	Reserved
		63	Package	Semaphore for Turbo Ratio Limit Configuration If 1, the processor uses override configuration ¹ specified in MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT, MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1. If 0, the processor uses factory-set configuration (Default).
286H	646	IA32_MC6_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
287H	647	IA32_MC7_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
289H	649	IA32_MC9_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28AH	650	IA32_MC10_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
291H	657	IA32_MC17_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
292H	658	IA32_MC18_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
293H	659	IA32_MC19_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.

Table 2-37. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processor D with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_56H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC6 reports MC errors from the integrated I/O module.
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Package	
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR	Package	
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	Package	
41CH	1052	IA32_MC7_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC7 reports MC errors from the home agent HA 0.
41DH	1053	IA32_MC7_STATUS	Package	
41EH	1054	IA32_MC7_ADDR	Package	
41FH	1055	IA32_MC7_MISC	Package	
424H	1060	IA32_MC9_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 10 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
425H	1061	IA32_MC9_STATUS	Package	
426H	1062	IA32_MC9_ADDR	Package	
427H	1063	IA32_MC9_MISC	Package	
428H	1064	IA32_MC10_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 10 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
429H	1065	IA32_MC10_STATUS	Package	
42AH	1066	IA32_MC10_ADDR	Package	
42BH	1067	IA32_MC10_MISC	Package	
444H	1092	IA32_MC17_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC17 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo0, CBo3, CBo6, CBo9, CBo12, CBo15.
445H	1093	IA32_MC17_STATUS	Package	
446H	1094	IA32_MC17_ADDR	Package	
447H	1095	IA32_MC17_MISC	Package	
448H	1096	IA32_MC18_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC18 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo1, CBo4, CBo7, CBo10, CBo13, CBo16.
449H	1097	IA32_MC18_STATUS	Package	
44AH	1098	IA32_MC18_ADDR	Package	
44BH	1099	IA32_MC18_MISC	Package	
44CH	1100	IA32_MC19_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC19 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo2, CBo5, CBo8, CBo11, CBo14, CBo17.
44DH	1101	IA32_MC19_STATUS	Package	
44EH	1102	IA32_MC19_ADDR	Package	
44FH	1103	IA32_MC19_MISC	Package	
See Table 2-20, Table 2-29, Table 2-34, and Table 2-36 for other MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_56H.				

NOTES:

1. An override configuration lower than the factory-set configuration is always supported. An override configuration higher than the factory-set configuration is dependent on features specific to the processor and the platform.

2.16.2 Additional MSRs Supported in Intel® Xeon® Processors E5 v4 and E7 v4 Families

The MSRs listed in Table 2-37 are available to the Intel® Xeon® Processor E5 v4 and E7 v4 Families (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_4FH). The Intel® Xeon® processor E5 v4 family is based on Broadwell microarchitecture and supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-29, Table 2-34, Table 2-36, and Table 2-38.

Table 2-38. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_4FH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1ACH	428	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT3	Package	Config Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0. R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1.
		62:0	Package	Reserved
		63	Package	Semaphore for Turbo Ratio Limit Configuration If 1, the processor uses override configuration ¹ specified in MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT, MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1, and MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT2. If 0, the processor uses factory-set configuration (Default).
285H	645	IA32_MC5_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
286H	646	IA32_MC6_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
287H	647	IA32_MC7_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
288H	648	IA32_MC8_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
289H	649	IA32_MC9_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28AH	650	IA32_MC10_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28BH	651	IA32_MC11_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28CH	652	IA32_MC12_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28DH	653	IA32_MC13_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28EH	654	IA32_MC14_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28FH	655	IA32_MC15_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
290H	656	IA32_MC16_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
291H	657	IA32_MC17_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
292H	658	IA32_MC18_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
293H	659	IA32_MC19_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
294H	660	IA32_MC20_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
295H	661	IA32_MC21_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC5 reports MC errors from the Intel QPI 0 module.
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Package	
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Package	
417H	1047	IA32_MC5_MISC	Package	

Table 2-38. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_4FH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC6 reports MC errors from the integrated I/O module.
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Package	
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR	Package	
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	Package	
41CH	1052	IA32_MC7_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC7 reports MC errors from the home agent HA 0.
41DH	1053	IA32_MC7_STATUS	Package	
41EH	1054	IA32_MC7_ADDR	Package	
41FH	1055	IA32_MC7_MISC	Package	
420H	1056	IA32_MC8_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC8 reports MC errors from the home agent HA 1.
421H	1057	IA32_MC8_STATUS	Package	
422H	1058	IA32_MC8_ADDR	Package	
423H	1059	IA32_MC8_MISC	Package	
424H	1060	IA32_MC9_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
425H	1061	IA32_MC9_STATUS	Package	
426H	1062	IA32_MC9_ADDR	Package	
427H	1063	IA32_MC9_MISC	Package	
428H	1064	IA32_MC10_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
429H	1065	IA32_MC10_STATUS	Package	
42AH	1066	IA32_MC10_ADDR	Package	
42BH	1067	IA32_MC10_MISC	Package	
42CH	1068	IA32_MC11_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
42DH	1069	IA32_MC11_STATUS	Package	
42EH	1070	IA32_MC11_ADDR	Package	
42FH	1071	IA32_MC11_MISC	Package	
430H	1072	IA32_MC12_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
431H	1073	IA32_MC12_STATUS	Package	
432H	1074	IA32_MC12_ADDR	Package	
433H	1075	IA32_MC12_MISC	Package	
434H	1076	IA32_MC13_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
435H	1077	IA32_MC13_STATUS	Package	
436H	1078	IA32_MC13_ADDR	Package	
437H	1079	IA32_MC13_MISC	Package	

Table 2-38. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_4FH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
438H	1080	IA32_MC14_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
439H	1081	IA32_MC14_STATUS	Package	
43AH	1082	IA32_MC14_ADDR	Package	
43BH	1083	IA32_MC14_MISC	Package	
43CH	1084	IA32_MC15_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
43DH	1085	IA32_MC15_STATUS	Package	
43EH	1086	IA32_MC15_ADDR	Package	
43FH	1087	IA32_MC15_MISC	Package	
440H	1088	IA32_MC16_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 through MC 16 report MC errors from each channel of the integrated memory controllers.
441H	1089	IA32_MC16_STATUS	Package	
442H	1090	IA32_MC16_ADDR	Package	
443H	1091	IA32_MC16_MISC	Package	
444H	1092	IA32_MC17_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC17 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo0, CBo3, CBo6, CBo9, CBo12, CBo15.
445H	1093	IA32_MC17_STATUS	Package	
446H	1094	IA32_MC17_ADDR	Package	
447H	1095	IA32_MC17_MISC	Package	
448H	1096	IA32_MC18_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC18 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo1, CBo4, CBo7, CBo10, CBo13, CBo16.
449H	1097	IA32_MC18_STATUS	Package	
44AH	1098	IA32_MC18_ADDR	Package	
44BH	1099	IA32_MC18_MISC	Package	
44CH	1100	IA32_MC19_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC19 reports MC errors from the following pair of CBo/L3 Slices (if the pair is present): CBo2, CBo5, CBo8, CBo11, CBo14, CBo17.
44DH	1101	IA32_MC19_STATUS	Package	
44EH	1102	IA32_MC19_ADDR	Package	
44FH	1103	IA32_MC19_MISC	Package	
450H	1104	IA32_MC20_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC20 reports MC errors from the Intel QPI 1 module.
451H	1105	IA32_MC20_STATUS	Package	
452H	1106	IA32_MC20_ADDR	Package	
453H	1107	IA32_MC20_MISC	Package	
454H	1108	IA32_MC21_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC21 reports MC errors from the Intel QPI 2 module.
455H	1109	IA32_MC21_STATUS	Package	
456H	1110	IA32_MC21_ADDR	Package	
457H	1111	IA32_MC21_MISC	Package	
C81H	3201	IA32_L3_QOS_CFG	Package	Cache Allocation Technology Configuration (R/W)
		0		CAT Enable. Set 1 to enable Cache Allocation Technology.
		63:1		Reserved

Table 2-38. Additional MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon® Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_4FH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
See Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-29, and Table 2-30 for other MSR definitions applicable to processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_45H.				

NOTES:

1. An override configuration lower than the factory-set configuration is always supported. An override configuration higher than the factory-set configuration is dependent on features specific to the processor and the platform.

2.17 MSRS IN THE 6TH GENERATION, 7TH GENERATION, 8TH GENERATION, 9TH GENERATION, 10TH GENERATION, 11TH GENERATION, 12TH GENERATION, AND 13TH GENERATION INTEL® CORE™ PROCESSORS, INTEL® XEON® SCALABLE PROCESSOR FAMILY, 2ND, 3RD, AND 4TH GENERATION INTEL® XEON® SCALABLE PROCESSOR FAMILY, 8TH GENERATION INTEL® CORE™ I3 PROCESSORS, AND INTEL® XEON® E PROCESSORS

6th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on Skylake microarchitecture and have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_4EH or 06_5EH.

The Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on the Skylake microarchitecture, the 2nd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on the Cascade Lake product, and the 3rd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on the Cooper Lake product all have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_55H.

7th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on the Kaby Lake microarchitecture, 8th generation and 9th generation Intel® Core™ processors, and Intel® Xeon® E processors are based on Coffee Lake microarchitecture; these processors have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_8EH or 06_9EH.

8th generation Intel® Core™ i3 processors are based on Cannon Lake microarchitecture and have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_66H.

10th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on Comet Lake microarchitecture (with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_A5H or 06_A6H) and Ice Lake microarchitecture (with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_7DH or 06_7EH).

11th generation Intel® Core™ processors are based on Tiger Lake microarchitecture and have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_8CH or 06_8DH.

The 3rd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family is based on Ice Lake microarchitecture and has a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_6AH or 06_6CH.

12th generation Intel® Core™ processors supporting the Alder Lake performance hybrid architecture have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_97H or 06_9AH.

13th generation Intel® Core™ processors supporting the Raptor Lake performance hybrid architecture have a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_BAH, 06_B7H, or 06_BFH.

The 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family is based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture and has a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_8FH.

These processors support the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-20, Table 2-21, Table 2-25, Table 2-29, Table 2-35, and Table 2-39¹. For an MSR listed in Table 2-39 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-39 supersede prior generation tables.

Tables 2-40 through 2-52 list additional supported MSR interfaces for specific processors; see each table for additional details.

The notation of “Platform” in the Scope column (with respect to MSR_PLATFORM_ENERGY_COUNTER and MSR_PLATFORM_POWER_LIMIT) is limited to the power-delivery domain and the specifics of the power delivery integration may vary by platform vendor’s implementation.

Table 2-39. Additional MSRs Supported by 6th Generation, 7th Generation, 8th Generation, 9th Generation, 10th Generation, 11th Generation, 12th Generation, and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors, Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family, 8th Generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors, and Intel® Xeon® E Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Thread	Control Features in Intel 64 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	Thread	MTRR Capability (R/O, Architectural) See Table 2-2
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Core	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Thermal Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		1		Thermal Status Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		2		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		3		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		4		Critical Temperature Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		5		Critical Temperature Status Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		6		Thermal threshold #1 Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		7		Thermal threshold #1 Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		8		Thermal Threshold #2 Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		9		Thermal Threshold #2 Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
	10			Power Limitation Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.

- MSRs at the following addresses are not supported in the 12th generation Intel Core processor E-core: 3F7H. MSRs at the following addresses are not supported in the 12th generation Intel Core processor E-core or P-core: 652H, 653H, 655H, 656H, DB0H, DB1H, DB2H, and D90H.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		11		Power Limitation Log (R/WC0) See Table 2-2.
		12		Current Limit Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		13		Current Limit Log (R/WC0) See Table 2-2.
		14		Cross Domain Limit Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		15		Cross Domain Limit Log (R/WC0) See Table 2-2.
		22:16		Digital Readout (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		26:23		Reserved
		30:27		Resolution in Degrees Celsius (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		31		Reading Valid (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		63:32		Reserved
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode R/O if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 0, R/W if MSR_PLATFORM_INFO.[28] = 1
		7:0	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 1C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 1 core active.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 2C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 2 core active.
		23:16	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 3C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 3 core active.
		31:24	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for 4C Maximum turbo ratio limit of 4 core active.
		63:32		Reserved
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Thread	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-4) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record.
1FCH	508	MSR_POWER_CTL	Core	Power Control Register See http://biosbits.org .
		0		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		1	Package	C1E Enable (R/W) When set to '1', will enable the CPU to switch to the Minimum Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology operating point when all execution cores enter MWAIT (C1).
		18:2		Reserved
		19		Disable Energy Efficiency Optimization (R/W) Setting this bit disables the P-States energy efficiency optimization. Default value is 0. Disable/enable the energy efficiency optimization in P-State legacy mode (when IA32_PM_ENABLE[HWP_ENABLE] = 0), has an effect only in the turbo range or into PERF_MIN_CTL value if it is not zero set. In HWP mode (IA32_PM_ENABLE[HWP_ENABLE] == 1), has an effect between the OS desired or OS maximize to the OS minimize performance setting.
		20		Disable Race to Halt Optimization (R/W) Setting this bit disables the Race to Halt optimization and avoids this optimization limitation to execute below the most efficient frequency ratio. Default value is 0 for processors that support Race to Halt optimization.
		63:21		Reserved
300H	768	MSR_SGXOWNEREPOCH0	Package	Lower 64 Bit CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH (W) Writes do not update CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH if CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EAX.SGX1 is 1 on any thread in the package.
		63:0		Lower 64 bits of an 128-bit external entropy value for key derivation of an enclave.
301H	768	MSR_SGXOWNEREPOCH1	Package	Upper 64 Bit CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH (W) Writes do not update CR_SGXOWNEREPOCH if CPUID.(EAX=12H, ECX=0):EAX.SGX1 is 1 on any thread in the package.
		63:0		Upper 64 bits of an 128-bit external entropy value for key derivation of an enclave.
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS		See Table 2-2. See Section 20.2.4, "Architectural Performance Monitoring Version 4."
		0	Thread	Ovf_PMC0
		1	Thread	Ovf_PMC1
		2	Thread	Ovf_PMC2
		3	Thread	Ovf_PMC3
	4	Thread	Ovf_PMC4 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 4)	

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		5	Thread	Ovf_PMC5 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 5)
		6	Thread	Ovf_PMC6 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 6)
		7	Thread	Ovf_PMC7 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 7)
		31:8		Reserved
		32	Thread	Ovf_FixedCtr0
		33	Thread	Ovf_FixedCtr1
		34	Thread	Ovf_FixedCtr2
		54:35		Reserved
		55	Thread	Trace_ToPA_PMI
		57:56		Reserved
		58	Thread	LBR_Frz
		59	Thread	CTR_Frz
		60	Thread	ASCI
		61	Thread	Ovf_Uncore
		62	Thread	Ovf_BufDSSAVE
		63	Thread	CondChgd
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_RESET		See Table 2-2. See Section 20.2.4, "Architectural Performance Monitoring Version 4."
		0	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC0.
		1	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC1.
		2	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC2.
		3	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC3.
		4	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC4 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 4).
		5	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC5 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 5).
		6	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC6 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 6).
		7	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_PMC7 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 7).
		31:8		Reserved
		32	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr0.
		33	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr1.
		34	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_FixedCtr2.
		54:35		Reserved
		55	Thread	Set 1 to clear Trace_ToPA_PMI.
		57:56		Reserved
58	Thread	Set 1 to clear LBR_Frz.		
59	Thread	Set 1 to clear CTR_Frz.		

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		60	Thread	Set 1 to clear ASCI.
		61	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_Uncore.
		62	Thread	Set 1 to clear Ovf_BufDSSAVE.
		63	Thread	Set 1 to clear CondChgd.
391H	913	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_SET		See Table 2-2. See Section 20.2.4, "Architectural Performance Monitoring Version 4."
		0	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC0 = 1.
		1	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC1 = 1.
		2	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC2 = 1.
		3	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC3 = 1.
		4	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC4=1 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 4).
		5	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC5=1 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 5).
		6	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC6=1 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 6).
		7	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_PMC7=1 (if CPUID.0AH:EAX[15:8] > 7).
		31:8		Reserved
		32	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_FixedCtr0 = 1.
		33	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_FixedCtr1 = 1.
		34	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_FixedCtr2 = 1.
		54:35		Reserved
		55	Thread	Set 1 to cause Trace_ToPA_PMI = 1.
		57:56		Reserved
		58	Thread	Set 1 to cause LBR_Frz = 1.
		59	Thread	Set 1 to cause CTR_Frz = 1.
		60	Thread	Set 1 to cause ASCI = 1.
		61	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_Uncore.
		62	Thread	Set 1 to cause Ovf_BufDSSAVE.
		63		Reserved
392H	913	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_INUSE	Thread	See Table 2-2.
3F7H	1015	MSR_PEBS_FRONTEND	Thread	FrontEnd Precise Event Condition Select (R/W)
		2:0		Event Code Select
		3		Reserved
		4		Event Code Select High

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		7:5		Reserved
		19:8		IDQ_Bubble_Length Specifier
		22:20		IDQ_Bubble_Width Specifier
		63:23		Reserved
500H	1280	IA32_SGX_SVN_STATUS	Thread	Status and SVN Threshold of SGX Support for ACM (R/O)
		0		Lock See Section 39.11.3, "Interactions with Authenticated Code Modules (ACMs)."
		15:1		Reserved
		23:16		SGX_SVN_SINIT See Section 39.11.3, "Interactions with Authenticated Code Modules (ACMs)."
		63:24		Reserved
560H	1376	IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_BASE	Thread	Trace Output Base Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
561H	1377	IA32_RTIT_OUTPUT_MASK_PTRS	Thread	Trace Output Mask Pointers Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
570H	1392	IA32_RTIT_CTL	Thread	Trace Control Register (R/W)
		0		TraceEn
		1		CYCEn
		2		OS
		3		User
		6:4		Reserved, must be zero.
		7		CR3Filter
		8		ToPA Writing 0 will #GP if also setting TraceEn.
		9		MTCEn
		10		TSCEn
		11		DisRETC
		12		Reserved, must be zero.
		13		BranchEn
		17:14		MTCFreq
		18		Reserved, must be zero.
22:19		CycThresh		
23		Reserved, must be zero.		

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		27:24		PSBFreq
		31:28		Reserved, must be zero.
		35:32		ADDR0_CFG
		39:36		ADDR1_CFG
		63:40		Reserved, must be zero.
571H	1393	IA32_RTIT_STATUS	Thread	Tracing Status Register (R/W)
		0		FilterEn, writes ignored.
		1		ContexEn, writes ignored.
		2		TriggerEn, writes ignored.
		3		Reserved
		4		Error (R/W)
		5		Stopped
		31:6		Reserved, must be zero.
		48:32		PacketByteCnt
		63:49		Reserved, must be zero.
572H	1394	IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH	Thread	Trace Filter CR3 Match Register (R/W)
		4:0		Reserved
		63:5		CR3[63:5] value to match
580H	1408	IA32_RTIT_ADDR0_A	Thread	Region 0 Start Address (R/W)
		63:0		See Table 2-2.
581H	1409	IA32_RTIT_ADDR0_B	Thread	Region 0 End Address (R/W)
		63:0		See Table 2-2.
582H	1410	IA32_RTIT_ADDR1_A	Thread	Region 1 Start Address (R/W)
		63:0		See Table 2-2.
583H	1411	IA32_RTIT_ADDR1_B	Thread	Region 1 End Address (R/W)
		63:0		See Table 2-2.
639H	1593	MSR_PP0_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PP0 Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PP0/PP1 RAPL Domains."
64DH	1613	MSR_PLATFORM_ENERGY_COUNTER	Platform	Platform Energy Counter (R/O) This MSR is valid only if both platform vendor hardware implementation and BIOS enablement support it. This MSR will read 0 if not valid.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		31:0		Total energy consumed by all devices in the platform that receive power from integrated power delivery mechanism, included platform devices are processor cores, SOC, memory, add-on or peripheral devices that get powered directly from the platform power delivery means. The energy units are specified in the MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT.Energy_Status_Unit.
		63:32		Reserved
64EH	1614	MSR_PPERF	Thread	Productive Performance Count (R/O)
		63:0		Hardware's view of workload scalability. See Section 15.4.5.1.
64FH	1615	MSR_CORE_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in Processor Cores (R/W) (Frequency refers to processor core frequency.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal event.
		3:2		Reserved
		4		Residency State Regulation Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to residency state regulation limit.
		5		Running Average Thermal Limit Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to Running Average Thermal Limit (RATL).
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to a thermal alert from a processor Voltage Regulator (VR).
		7		VR Therm Design Current Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to VR thermal design current limit.
		8		Other Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to electrical or other constraints.
		9		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		10		Package/Platform-Level Power Limiting PL1 Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package/platform-level power limiting PL1.
		11		Package/Platform-Level PL2 Power Limiting Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to package/platform-level power limiting PL2/PL3.
		12		Max Turbo Limit Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to multi-core turbo limits.
		13		Turbo Transition Attenuation Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced below the operating system request due to Turbo transition attenuation. This prevents performance degradation due to frequent operating ratio changes.
		15:14		Reserved
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		19:18		Reserved.
		20		Residency State Regulation Log When set, indicates that the Residency State Regulation Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		21		Running Average Thermal Limit Log When set, indicates that the RATL Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		22		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		23		VR Thermal Design Current Log When set, indicates that the VR TDC Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		24		Other Log When set, indicates that the Other Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		25		Reserved
		26		Package/Platform-Level PL1 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package or Platform Level PL1 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		27		Package/Platform-Level PL2 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package or Platform Level PL2/PL3 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		28		Max Turbo Limit Log When set, indicates that the Max Turbo Limit Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		29		Turbo Transition Attenuation Log When set, indicates that the Turbo Transition Attenuation Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:30		Reserved
652H	1618	MSR_PKG_HDC_CONFIG	Package	HDC Configuration (R/W)

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2:0		PKG_Cx_Monitor Configures Package Cx state threshold for MSR_PKG_HDC_DEEP_RESIDENCY.
		63:3		Reserved
653H	1619	MSR_CORE_HDC_RESIDENCY	Core	Core HDC Idle Residency (R/O)
		63:0		Core_Cx_Duty_Cycle_Cnt
655H	1621	MSR_PKG_HDC_SHALLOW_RESIDENCY	Package	Accumulate the cycles the package was in C2 state and at least one logical processor was in forced idle (R/O)
		63:0		Pkg_C2_Duty_Cycle_Cnt
656H	1622	MSR_PKG_HDC_DEEP_RESIDENCY	Package	Package Cx HDC Idle Residency (R/O)
		63:0		Pkg_Cx_Duty_Cycle_Cnt
658H	1624	MSR_WEIGHTED_CORE_CO	Package	Core-count Weighted C0 Residency (R/O)
		63:0		Increment at the same rate as the TSC. The increment each cycle is weighted by the number of processor cores in the package that reside in C0. If N cores are simultaneously in C0, then each cycle the counter increments by N.
659H	1625	MSR_ANY_CORE_CO	Package	Any Core C0 Residency (R/O)
		63:0		Increment at the same rate as the TSC. The increment each cycle is one if any processor core in the package is in C0.
65AH	1626	MSR_ANY_GFXE_CO	Package	Any Graphics Engine C0 Residency (R/O)
		63:0		Increment at the same rate as the TSC. The increment each cycle is one if any processor graphic device's compute engines are in C0.
65BH	1627	MSR_CORE_GFXE_OVERLAP_CO	Package	Core and Graphics Engine Overlapped C0 Residency (R/O)
		63:0		Increment at the same rate as the TSC. The increment each cycle is one if at least one compute engine of the processor graphics is in C0 and at least one processor core in the package is also in C0.
65CH	1628	MSR_PLATFORM_POWER_LIMIT	Platform	Platform Power Limit Control (R/W-L) Allows platform BIOS to limit power consumption of the platform devices to the specified values. The Long Duration power consumption is specified via Platform_Power_Limit_1 and Platform_Power_Limit_1_Time. The Short Duration power consumption limit is specified via the Platform_Power_Limit_2 with duration chosen by the processor. The processor implements an exponential-weighted algorithm in the placement of the time windows.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		14:0		Platform Power Limit #1 Average Power limit value which the platform must not exceed over a time window as specified by Power_Limit_1_TIME field. The default value is the Thermal Design Power (TDP) and varies with product skus. The unit is specified in MSR_RAPLPOWER_UNIT.
		15		Enable Platform Power Limit #1 When set, enables the processor to apply control policy such that the platform power does not exceed Platform Power limit #1 over the time window specified by Power Limit #1 Time Window.
		16		Platform Clamping Limitation #1 When set, allows the processor to go below the OS requested P states in order to maintain the power below specified Platform Power Limit #1 value. This bit is writeable only when CPUID (EAX=6):EAX[4] is set.
		23:17		Time Window for Platform Power Limit #1 Specifies the duration of the time window over which Platform Power Limit 1 value should be maintained for sustained long duration. This field is made up of two numbers from the following equation: Time Window = (float) ((1+(X/4))*(2^Y)), where: X = POWER_LIMIT_1_TIME[23:22] Y = POWER_LIMIT_1_TIME[21:17] The maximum allowed value in this field is defined in MSR_PKG_POWER_INFO[PKG_MAX_WIN]. The default value is 0DH, The unit is specified in MSR_RAPLPOWER_UNIT[Time Unit].
		31:24		Reserved
		46:32		Platform Power Limit #2 Average Power limit value which the platform must not exceed over the Short Duration time window chosen by the processor. The recommended default value is 1.25 times the Long Duration Power Limit (i.e., Platform Power Limit # 1).
		47		Enable Platform Power Limit #2 When set, enables the processor to apply control policy such that the platform power does not exceed Platform Power limit #2 over the Short Duration time window.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		48		Platform Clamping Limitation #2 When set, allows the processor to go below the OS requested P states in order to maintain the power below specified Platform Power Limit #2 value.
		62:49		Reserved
		63		Lock. Setting this bit will lock all other bits of this MSR until system RESET.
690H	1680	MSR_LASTBRANCH_16_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 16 From IP (R/W) One of 32 triplets of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. This part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. Section 18.12.
691H	1681	MSR_LASTBRANCH_17_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 17 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
692H	1682	MSR_LASTBRANCH_18_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 18 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
693H	1683	MSR_LASTBRANCH_19_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 19 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
694H	1684	MSR_LASTBRANCH_20_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 20 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
695H	1685	MSR_LASTBRANCH_21_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 21 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
696H	1686	MSR_LASTBRANCH_22_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 22 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
697H	1687	MSR_LASTBRANCH_23_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 23 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
698H	1688	MSR_LASTBRANCH_24_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 24 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
699H	1689	MSR_LASTBRANCH_25_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 25 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69AH	1690	MSR_LASTBRANCH_26_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 26 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69BH	1691	MSR_LASTBRANCH_27_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 27 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69CH	1692	MSR_LASTBRANCH_28_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 28 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
69DH	1693	MSR_LASTBRANCH_29_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 29 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69EH	1694	MSR_LASTBRANCH_30_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 30 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
69FH	1695	MSR_LASTBRANCH_31_FROM_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 31 From IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
6BOH	1712	MSR_GRAPHICS_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in the Processor Graphics (R/W) (Frequency refers to processor graphics frequency.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to a thermal event.
		4:2		Reserved.
		5		Running Average Thermal Limit Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to running average thermal limit.
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to a thermal alert from a processor Voltage Regulator.
		7		VR Thermal Design Current Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to VR TDC limit.
		8		Other Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to electrical or other constraints.
		9		Reserved
		10		Package/Platform-Level Power Limiting PL1 Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to package/platform-level power limiting PL1.
		11		Package/Platform-Level PL2 Power Limiting Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to package/platform-level power limiting PL2/PL3.
		12		Inefficient Operation Status (RO) When set, processor graphics frequency is operating below target frequency.
	15:13		Reserved	

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		20:18		Reserved.
		21		Running Average Thermal Limit Log When set, indicates that the RATL Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		22		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		23		VR Thermal Design Current Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		24		Other Log When set, indicates that the OTHER Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		25		Reserved
		26		Package/Platform-Level PL1 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package/Platform Level PL1 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		27		Package/Platform-Level PL2 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package/Platform Level PL2 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		28		Inefficient Operation Log When set, indicates that the Inefficient Operation Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:29		Reserved
6B1H	1713	MSR_RING_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in the Ring Interconnect (R/W) (Frequency refers to ring interconnect in the uncore.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced due to assertion of external PROCHOT.
		1		Thermal Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced due to a thermal event.
		4:2		Reserved
		5		Running Average Thermal Limit Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced due to running average thermal limit.
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced due to a thermal alert from a processor Voltage Regulator.
		7		VR Thermal Design Current Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced due to VR TDC limit.
		8		Other Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced due to electrical or other constraints.
		9		Reserved
		10		Package/Platform-Level Power Limiting PL1 Status (R0) When set, frequency is reduced due to package/Platform-level power limiting PL1.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		11		Package/Platform-Level PL2 Power Limiting Status (RO) When set, frequency is reduced due to package/Platform-level power limiting PL2/PL3.
		15:12		Reserved
		16		PROCHOT Log When set, indicates that the PROCHOT Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		17		Thermal Log When set, indicates that the Thermal Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		20:18		Reserved
		21		Running Average Thermal Limit Log When set, indicates that the RATL Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		22		VR Therm Alert Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		23		VR Thermal Design Current Log When set, indicates that the VR Therm Alert Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		24		Other Log When set, indicates that the OTHER Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		25		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		26		Package/Platform-Level PL1 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package/Platform Level PL1 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		27		Package/Platform-Level PL2 Power Limiting Log When set, indicates that the Package/Platform Level PL2 Power Limiting Status bit has asserted since the log bit was last cleared. This log bit will remain set until cleared by software writing 0.
		63:28		Reserved
6D0H	1744	MSR_LASTBRANCH_16_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 16 To IP (R/W) One of 32 triplets of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. This part of the stack contains pointers to the destination instruction. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.12.
6D1H	1745	MSR_LASTBRANCH_17_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 17 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D2H	1746	MSR_LASTBRANCH_18_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 18 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D3H	1747	MSR_LASTBRANCH_19_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 19 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D4H	1748	MSR_LASTBRANCH_20_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 20 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D5H	1749	MSR_LASTBRANCH_21_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 21 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D6H	1750	MSR_LASTBRANCH_22_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 22 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D7H	1751	MSR_LASTBRANCH_23_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 23 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D8H	1752	MSR_LASTBRANCH_24_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 24 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6D9H	1753	MSR_LASTBRANCH_25_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 25 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DAH	1754	MSR_LASTBRANCH_26_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 26 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
6DBH	1755	MSR_LASTBRANCH_27_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 27 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DCH	1756	MSR_LASTBRANCH_28_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 28 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DDH	1757	MSR_LASTBRANCH_29_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 29 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DEH	1758	MSR_LASTBRANCH_30_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 30 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
6DFH	1759	MSR_LASTBRANCH_31_TO_IP	Thread	Last Branch Record 31 To IP (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP.
770H	1904	IA32_PM_ENABLE	Package	See Section 15.4.2, "Enabling HWP."
771H	1905	IA32_HWP_CAPABILITIES	Thread	See Section 15.4.3, "HWP Performance Range and Dynamic Capabilities."
772H	1906	IA32_HWP_REQUEST_PKG	Package	See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."
773H	1907	IA32_HWP_INTERRUPT	Thread	See Section 15.4.6, "HWP Notifications."
774H	1908	IA32_HWP_REQUEST	Thread	See Section 15.4.4, "Managing HWP."
		7:0		Minimum Performance (R/W)
		15:8		Maximum Performance (R/W)
		23:16		Desired Performance (R/W)
		31:24		Energy/Performance Preference (R/W)
		41:32		Activity Window (R/W)
		42		Package Control (R/W)
		63:43		Reserved
777H	1911	IA32_HWP_STATUS	Thread	See Section 15.4.5, "HWP Feedback."
D90H	3472	IA32_BNDCFGS	Thread	See Table 2-2.
DA0H	3488	IA32_XSS	Thread	See Table 2-2.
DB0H	3504	IA32_PKG_HDC_CTL	Package	See Section 15.5.2, "Package level Enabling HDC."
DB1H	3505	IA32_PM_CTL1	Thread	See Section 15.5.3, "Logical-Processor Level HDC Control."
DB2H	3506	IA32_THREAD_STALL	Thread	See Section 15.5.4.1, "IA32_THREAD_STALL."
DC0H	3520	MSR_LBR_INFO_0	Thread	Last Branch Record 0 Additional Information (R/W) One of 32 triplet of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. This part of the stack contains flag, TSX-related and elapsed cycle information. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.9.1, "LBR Stack."

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
DC1H	3521	MSR_LBR_INFO_1	Thread	Last Branch Record 1 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DC2H	3522	MSR_LBR_INFO_2	Thread	Last Branch Record 2 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DC3H	3523	MSR_LBR_INFO_3	Thread	Last Branch Record 3 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DC4H	3524	MSR_LBR_INFO_4	Thread	Last Branch Record 4 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DC5H	3525	MSR_LBR_INFO_5	Thread	Last Branch Record 5 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DC6H	3526	MSR_LBR_INFO_6	Thread	Last Branch Record 6 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DC7H	3527	MSR_LBR_INFO_7	Thread	Last Branch Record 7 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DC8H	3528	MSR_LBR_INFO_8	Thread	Last Branch Record 8 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DC9H	3529	MSR_LBR_INFO_9	Thread	Last Branch Record 9 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DCAH	3530	MSR_LBR_INFO_10	Thread	Last Branch Record 10 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DCBH	3531	MSR_LBR_INFO_11	Thread	Last Branch Record 11 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DCCH	3532	MSR_LBR_INFO_12	Thread	Last Branch Record 12 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DCDH	3533	MSR_LBR_INFO_13	Thread	Last Branch Record 13 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DCEH	3534	MSR_LBR_INFO_14	Thread	Last Branch Record 14 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DCFH	3535	MSR_LBR_INFO_15	Thread	Last Branch Record 15 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD0H	3536	MSR_LBR_INFO_16	Thread	Last Branch Record 16 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD1H	3537	MSR_LBR_INFO_17	Thread	Last Branch Record 17 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD2H	3538	MSR_LBR_INFO_18	Thread	Last Branch Record 18 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
DD3H	3539	MSR_LBR_INFO_19	Thread	Last Branch Record 19 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD4H	3520	MSR_LBR_INFO_20	Thread	Last Branch Record 20 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD5H	3521	MSR_LBR_INFO_21	Thread	Last Branch Record 21 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD6H	3522	MSR_LBR_INFO_22	Thread	Last Branch Record 22 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD7H	3523	MSR_LBR_INFO_23	Thread	Last Branch Record 23 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD8H	3524	MSR_LBR_INFO_24	Thread	Last Branch Record 24 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DD9H	3525	MSR_LBR_INFO_25	Thread	Last Branch Record 25 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DDAH	3526	MSR_LBR_INFO_26	Thread	Last Branch Record 26 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DDBH	3527	MSR_LBR_INFO_27	Thread	Last Branch Record 27 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DDCH	3528	MSR_LBR_INFO_28	Thread	Last Branch Record 28 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DDDH	3529	MSR_LBR_INFO_29	Thread	Last Branch Record 29 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DDEH	3530	MSR_LBR_INFO_30	Thread	Last Branch Record 30 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.
DDFH	3531	MSR_LBR_INFO_31	Thread	Last Branch Record 31 Additional Information (R/W) See description of MSR_LBR_INFO_0.

Table 2-40 lists the MSRs of uncore PMU for Intel processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, or 06_66H.

Table 2-40. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 6th Generation, 7th Generation, and 8th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors, and 8th generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
394H	916	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTRL	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter Control (R/W)
		19:0		Reserved
		20		Enable overflow propagation.

Table 2-40. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 6th Generation, 7th Generation, and 8th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors, and 8th generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		21		Reserved
		22		Enable counting.
		63:23		Reserved
395H	917	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter
		43:0		Current count.
		63:44		Reserved
396H	918	MSR_UNC_CBO_CONFIG	Package	Uncore C-Box Configuration Information (R/O)
		3:0		Specifies the number of C-Box units with programmable counters (including processor cores and processor graphics).
		63:4		Reserved
3B0H	946	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Performance Counter 0
3B1H	947	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Performance Counter 1
3B2H	944	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
3B3H	945	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
700H	1792	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
701H	1793	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
706H	1798	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 0
707H	1799	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 1
710H	1808	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
711H	1809	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
716H	1814	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 0
717H	1815	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 1
720H	1824	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
721H	1825	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
726H	1830	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 0
727H	1831	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 1
730H	1840	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
731H	1841	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
736H	1846	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 0
737H	1847	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 1
E01H	3585	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Package	Uncore PMU Global Control
		0		Slice 0 select.
		1		Slice 1 select.
		2		Slice 2 select.
		3		Slice 3 select.
		4		Slice 4select.

Table 2-40. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 6th Generation, 7th Generation, and 8th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors, and 8th generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		18:5		Reserved
		29		Enable all uncore counters.
		30		Enable wake on PMI.
		31		Enable Freezing counter when overflow.
		63:32		Reserved
E02H	3586	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	Uncore PMU Main Status
		0		Fixed counter overflowed.
		1		An ARB counter overflowed.
		2		Reserved
		3		A CBox counter overflowed (on any slice).
		63:4		Reserved

2.17.1 MSRs Introduced in 7th Generation and 8th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Kaby Lake Microarchitecture and Coffee Lake Microarchitecture

Table 2-41 lists additional MSRs for 7th generation and 8th generation Intel Core processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_8EH or 06_9EH. For an MSR listed in Table 2-41 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-41 supersedes prior generation tables.

Table 2-41. Additional MSRs Supported by the 7th Generation and 8th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Kaby Lake Microarchitecture and Coffee Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
80H	128	MSR_TRACE_HUB_STH ACPIBAR_BASE	Package	NPK Address Used by AET Messages (R/W)
		0		Lock Bit If set, this MSR cannot be re-written anymore. Lock bit has to be set in order for the AET packets to be directed to NPK MMIO.
		17:1		Reserved
		63:18		ACPIBAR_BASE_ADDRESS AET target address in NPK MMIO space.
1F4H	500	MSR_PRMRR_PHYS_BASE	Core	Processor Reserved Memory Range Register - Physical Base Control Register (R/W)
		2:0		MemType PRMRR BASE MemType.
		11:3		Reserved
		45:12		Base PRMRR Base Address.
		63:46		Reserved

Table 2-41. Additional MSRs Supported by the 7th Generation and 8th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Kaby Lake Microarchitecture and Coffee Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1F5H	501	MSR_PRMRR_PHYS_MASK	Core	Processor Reserved Memory Range Register - Physical Mask Control Register (R/W)
		9:0		Reserved
		10		Lock Lock bit for the PRMRR.
		11		VLD Enable bit for the PRMRR.
		45:12		Mask PRMRR MASK bits.
		63:46		Reserved
1FBH	507	MSR_PRMRR_VALID_CONFIG	Core	Valid PRMRR Configurations (R/W)
		0		1M supported MEE size.
		4:1		Reserved
		5		32M supported MEE size.
		6		64M supported MEE size.
		7		128M supported MEE size.
		31:8		Reserved
		2F4H		756
11:0	Reserved			
PAWIDTH-1:12	Range Base This field corresponds to bits PAWIDTH-1:12 of the base address memory range which is allocated to PRMRR memory.			
63:PAWIDTH	Reserved			
2F5H	757	MSR_UNCORE_PRMRR_PHYS_MASK ¹	Package	(R/W) This register controls the size of the PRMRR range by indicating which address bits must match the PRMRR base register value.
		9:0		Reserved
		10		Lock Setting this bit locks all writeable settings in this register, including itself.
		11		Range_En Indicates whether the PRMRR range is enabled and valid.

Table 2-41. Additional MSRs Supported by the 7th Generation and 8th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Kaby Lake Microarchitecture and Coffee Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		38:12		Range_Mask This field indicates which address bits must match PRMRR base in order to qualify as an PRMRR access.
		63:39		Reserved
620H	1568	MSR_RING_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Ring Ratio Limit (R/W) This register provides Min/Max Ratio Limits for the LLC and Ring.
		6:0		MAX_Ratio This field is used to limit the max ratio of the LLC/Ring.
		7		Reserved
		14:8		MIN_Ratio Writing to this field controls the minimum possible ratio of the LLC/Ring.
		63:15		Reserved

NOTES:

1. This MSR is specific to 7th generation and 8th generation Intel® Core™ processors.

2.17.2 MSRs Specific to 8th Generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors

Table 2-42 lists additional MSRs for 8th generation Intel Core i3 processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_66H. For an MSR listed in Table 2-42 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-42 supersedes prior generation tables.

Table 2-42. Additional MSRs Supported by 8th Generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors Based on Cannon Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Thread	Control Features in Intel 64 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Lock (R/WL)
		1		Enable VMX Inside SMX Operation (R/WL)
		2		Enable VMX Outside SMX Operation (R/WL)
		14:8		SENTER Local Functions Enables (R/WL)
		15		SENTER Global Functions Enable (R/WL)

**Table 2-42. Additional MSRs Supported by 8th Generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors
Based on Cannon Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)**

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		17		SGX Launch Control Enable (R/W/L) This bit must be set to enable runtime reconfiguration of SGX Launch Control via IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASHn MSR. Available only if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0H): ECX[30] = 1.
		18		SGX Global Functions Enable (R/W/L)
		63:21		Reserved
350H	848	MSR_BR_DETECT_CTRL		Branch Monitoring Global Control (R/W)
		0		EnMonitoring Global enable for branch monitoring.
		1		EnExcept Enable branch monitoring event signaling on threshold trip. The branch monitoring event handler is signaled via the existing PMI signaling mechanism as programmed from the corresponding local APIC LVT entry.
		2		EnLBRFrz Enable LBR freeze on threshold trip. This will cause the LBR frozen bit 58 to be set in IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS when a triggering condition occurs and this bit is enabled.
		3		DisableInGuest When set to '1', branch monitoring, event triggering and LBR freeze actions are disabled when operating at VMX non-root operation.
		7:4		Reserved
		17:8		WindowSize Window size defined by WindowCntSel. Values 0 - 1023 are supported. Once the Window counter reaches the WindowSize count both the Window Counter and all Branch Monitoring Counters are cleared.
		23:18		Reserved
		25:24		WindowCntSel Window event count select: '00 = Instructions retired. '01 = Branch instructions retired '10 = Return instructions retired. '11 = Indirect branch instructions retired.

**Table 2-42. Additional MSRs Supported by 8th Generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors
Based on Cannon Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)**

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		26		<p>CntAndMode</p> <p>When set to '1', the overall branch monitoring event triggering condition is true only if all enabled counters' threshold conditions are true.</p> <p>When '0', the threshold tripping condition is true if any enabled counters' threshold is true.</p>
		63:27		Reserved
351H	849	MSR_BR_DETECT_STATUS		Branch Monitoring Global Status (R/W)
		0		<p>Branch Monitoring Event Signaled</p> <p>When set to '1', Branch Monitoring event signaling is blocked until this bit is cleared by software.</p>
		1		<p>LBRsValid</p> <p>This status bit is set to '1' if the LBR state is considered valid for sampling by branch monitoring software.</p>
		7:2		Reserved
		8		<p>CntrHit0</p> <p>Branch monitoring counter #0 threshold hit. This status bit is sticky and once set requires clearing by software. Counter operation continues independent of the state of the bit.</p>
		9		<p>CntrHit1</p> <p>Branch monitoring counter #1 threshold hit. This status bit is sticky and once set requires clearing by software. Counter operation continues independent of the state of the bit.</p>
		15:10		<p>Reserved</p> <p>Reserved for additional branch monitoring counters threshold hit status.</p>
		25:16		<p>CountWindow</p> <p>The current value of the window counter. The count value is frozen on a valid branch monitoring triggering condition. This is a 10-bit unsigned value.</p>
31:26		<p>Reserved</p> <p>Reserved for future extension of CountWindow.</p>		

**Table 2-42. Additional MSRs Supported by 8th Generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors
Based on Cannon Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)**

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		39:32		<p>Count0</p> <p>The current value of counter 0 updated after each occurrence of the event being counted. The count value is frozen on a valid branch monitoring triggering condition (in which case CntrHit0 will also be set). This is an 8-bit signed value (2's complement).</p> <p>Heuristic events which only increment will saturate and freeze at maximum value 0xFF (256).</p> <p>RET-CALL event counter saturate at maximum value 0x7F (+127) and minimum value 0x80 (-128).</p>
		47:40		<p>Count1</p> <p>The current value of counter 1 updated after each occurrence of the event being counted. The count value is frozen on a valid branch monitoring triggering condition (in which case CntrHit1 will also be set). This is an 8-bit signed value (2's complement).</p> <p>Heuristic events which only increment will saturate and freeze at maximum value 0xFF (256).</p> <p>RET-CALL event counter saturate at maximum value 0x7F (+127) and minimum value 0x80 (-128).</p>
		63:48		Reserved
354H - 355H	852 - 853	MSR_BR_DETECT_COUNTER_CONFIG_i		Branch Monitoring Detect Counter Configuration (R/W)
		0		<p>CntrEn</p> <p>Enable counter.</p>
		7:1		<p>CntrEvSel</p> <p>Event select (other values #GP)</p> <p>'0000000 = RETs.</p> <p>'0000001 = RET-CALL bias.</p> <p>'0000010 = RET mispredicts.</p> <p>'0000011 = Branch (all) mispredicts.</p> <p>'0000100 = Indirect branch mispredicts.</p> <p>'0000101 = Far branch instructions.</p>
		14:8		<p>CntrThreshold</p> <p>Threshold (an unsigned value of 0 to 127 supported). The value 0 of counter threshold will result in event signaled after every instruction. #GP if threshold is < 2.</p>

**Table 2-42. Additional MSRs Supported by 8th Generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors
Based on Cannon Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)**

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		15		MispredEventCnt Mispredict events counting behavior: '0 = Mispredict events are counted in a window. '1 = Mispredict events are counted based on a consecutive occurrence. CntrThreshold is treated as # of consecutive mispredicts. This control bit only applies to events specified by CntrEvSel that involve a prediction (0000010, 0000011, 0000100). Setting this bit for other events is ignored.
		63:16		Reserved
3F8H	1016	MSR_PKG_C3_RESIDENCY	Package	Package C3 Residency Counter (R/O)
		63:0		Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
620H	1568	MSR_RING_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Ring Ratio Limit (R/W) This register provides Min/Max Ratio Limits for the LLC and Ring.
		6:0		MAX_Ratio This field is used to limit the max ratio of the LLC/Ring.
		7		Reserved
		14:8		MIN_Ratio Writing to this field controls the minimum possible ratio of the LLC/Ring.
		63:15		Reserved
660H	1632	MSR_CORE_C1_RESIDENCY	Core	Core C1 Residency Counter (R/O)
		63:0		Value since last reset for the Core C1 residency. Counter rate is the Max Non-Turbo frequency (same as TSC). This counter counts in case both of the core's threads are in an idle state and at least one of the core's thread residency is in a C1 state or in one of its sub states. The counter is updated only after a core C state exit. Note: Always reads 0 if core C1 is unsupported. A value of zero indicates that this processor does not support core C1 or never entered core C1 level state.
662H	1634	MSR_CORE_C3_RESIDENCY	Core	Core C3 Residency Counter (R/O)
		63:0		Will always return 0.

Table 2-43 lists the MSRs of uncore PMU for Intel processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_66H.

Table 2-43. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Cannon Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
394H	916	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTRL	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter Control (R/W)
		19:0		Reserved
		20		Enable overflow propagation.
		21		Reserved
		22		Enable counting.
		63:23		Reserved
395H	917	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter
		47:0		Current count.
		63:48		Reserved
396H	918	MSR_UNC_CBO_CONFIG	Package	Uncore C-Box Configuration Information (R/O)
		3:0		Report the number of C-Box units with performance counters, including processor cores and processor graphics.
		63:4		Reserved
3B0H	946	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Performance Counter 0
3B1H	947	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Performance Counter 1
3B2H	944	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore Arb Unit, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
3B3H	945	MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore Arb unit, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
700H	1792	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
701H	1793	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
702H	1794	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 0
703H	1795	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 1
708H	1800	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
709H	1801	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
70AH	1802	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 0
70BH	1803	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 1
710H	1808	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
711H	1809	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
712H	1810	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 0
713H	1811	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 1
718H	1816	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
719H	1817	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
71AH	1818	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR0	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 0
71BH	1819	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 1
720H	1824	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Counter 0 Event Select MSR

Table 2-43. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Cannon Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
721H	1825	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
722H	1826	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Performance Counter 0
723H	1827	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Performance Counter 1
728H	1832	MSR_UNC_CBO_5_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 5, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
729H	1833	MSR_UNC_CBO_5_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 5, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
72AH	1834	MSR_UNC_CBO_5_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 5, Performance Counter 0
72BH	1835	MSR_UNC_CBO_5_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 5, Performance Counter 1
730H	1840	MSR_UNC_CBO_6_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 6, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
731H	1841	MSR_UNC_CBO_6_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 6, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
732H	1842	MSR_UNC_CBO_6_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 6, Performance Counter 0
733H	1843	MSR_UNC_CBO_6_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 6, Performance Counter 1
738H	1848	MSR_UNC_CBO_7_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 7, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
739H	1849	MSR_UNC_CBO_7_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 7, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
73AH	1850	MSR_UNC_CBO_7_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 7, Performance Counter 0
73BH	1851	MSR_UNC_CBO_7_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 7, Performance Counter 1
E01H	3585	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Package	Uncore PMU Global Control
		0		Slice 0 select.
		1		Slice 1 select.
		2		Slice 2 select.
		3		Slice 3 select.
		4		Slice 4select.
		18:5		Reserved
		29		Enable all uncore counters.
		30		Enable wake on PMI.
		31		Enable Freezing counter when overflow.
63:32		Reserved		
E02H	3586	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	Uncore PMU Main Status
		0		Fixed counter overflowed.
		1		An ARB counter overflowed.
		2		Reserved
		3		A CBox counter overflowed (on any slice).
		63:4		Reserved

2.17.3 MSRs Introduced in 10th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Table 2-44 lists additional MSRs for 10th generation Intel Core processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_7DH or 06_7EH. For an MSR listed in Table 2-44 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-44 supersedes prior generation tables.

Table 2-44. MSRs Supported by 10th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Ice Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
33H	51	MSR_MEMORY_CTRL	Core	Memory Control Register
		28:0		Reserved.
		29		SPLIT_LOCK_DISABLE If set to 1, a split lock will cause an #AC(0) exception. See Section 9.1.2.3, "Features to Disable Bus Locks."
		30		Reserved.
		31		Reserved.
48H	72	IA32_SPEC_CTRL	Core	See Table 2-2.
49H	73	IA32_PREDICT_CMD	Thread	See Table 2-2.
8CH	140	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH0	Thread	See Table 2-2.
8DH	141	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
8EH	142	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH2	Thread	See Table 2-2.
8FH	143	IA32_SGXLEPUBKEYHASH3	Thread	See Table 2-2.
A0H	160	MSR_BIOS_MCU_ERRORCODE	Package	BIOS MCU ERRORCODE (R/O) This MSR indicates if WRMSR 0x79 failed to configure PRM memory and gives a hint to debug BIOS.
		15:0	Package	Error Codes (R/O)
		30:16		Reserved.
		31	Thread	MCU Partial Success (R/O) When set to 1, WRMSR 0x79 skipped part of the functionality during BIOS.
A5H	165	MSR_FIT_BIOS_ERROR	Thread	FIT BIOS ERROR (R/W) Report error codes for debug in case the processor failed to parse the Firmware Table in BIOS. Can also be used to log BIOS information.
		7:0		Error Codes (R/W) Error codes for debug.
		15:8		Entry Type (R/W) Failed FIT entry type.
		16		FIT MCU Entry (R/W) FIT contains MCU entry.
		62:17		Reserved.
		63		LOCK (R/W) When set to 1, writes to this MSR will be skipped.
10BH	267	IA32_FLUSH_CMD	Thread	See Table 2-2.
151H	337	MSR_BIOS_DONE	Thread	BIOS Done (R/W/O)

Table 2-44. MSRs Supported by 10th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Ice Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		0	Thread	BIOS Done Indication (R/WO) Set by BIOS when it finishes programming the processor and wants to lock the memory configuration from changes by software that is running on this thread. Writes to the bit will be ignored if EAX[0] is 0.
		1	Package	Package BIOS Done Indication (R/O) When set to 1, all threads in the package have bit 0 of this MSR set.
		31:2		Reserved.
1F1H	497	MSR_CRASHLOG_CONTROL	Thread	Write Data to a Crash Log Configuration
		0		CDDIS: CrashDump_Disable If set, indicates that Crash Dump is disabled.
		63:1		Reserved.
2A0H	672	MSR_PLMRR_BASE_0	Core	Processor Reserved Memory Range Register - Physical Base Control Register (R/W)
		2:0		MEMTYPE: PLMRR BASE Memory Type.
		3		CONFIGURED: PLMRR BASE Configured.
		11:4		Reserved.
		51:12		BASE: PLMRR Base Address.
		63:52		Reserved.
30CH	780	IA32_FIXED_CTR3	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 3 (R/W) Bit definitions are the same as found in IA32_FIXED_CTR0, offset 309H. See Table 2-2.
329H	809	MSR_PERF_METRICS	Thread	Performance Metrics (R/W) Reports metrics directly. Software can check (and/or expose to its guests) the availability of PERF_METRICS feature using IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES.PERF_METRICS_AVAILABLE (bit 15).
		7:0		Retiring. Percent of utilized slots by uops that eventually retire (commit).
		15:8		Bad Speculation. Percent of wasted slots due to incorrect speculation, covering utilized by uops that do not retire, or recovery bubbles (unutilized slots).
		23:16		Frontend Bound. Percent of unutilized slots where front-end did not deliver a uop while back-end is ready.
		31:24		Backend Bound. Percent of unutilized slots where a uop was not delivered to back-end due to lack of back-end resources.
		63:25		Reserved.

Table 2-44. MSRs Supported by 10th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Ice Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3F2H	1010	MSR_PEBS_DATA_CFG	Thread	PEBS Data Configuration (R/W) Provides software the capability to select data groups of interest and thus reduce the record size in memory and record generation latency. Hence, a PEBS record's size and layout vary based on the selected groups. The MSR also allows software to select LBR depth for branch data records.
		0		Memory Info. Setting this bit will capture memory information such as the linear address, data source and latency of the memory access in the PEBS record.
		1		GPRs. Setting this bit will capture the contents of the General Purpose registers in the PEBS record.
		2		XMMs. Setting this bit will capture the contents of the XMM registers in the PEBS record.
		3		LBRs. Setting this bit will capture LBR TO, FROM, and INFO in the PEBS record.
		23:4		Reserved.
		31:24		LBR Entries. Set the field to the desired number of entries - 1. For example, if the LBR_entries field is 0, a single entry will be included in the record. To include 32 LBR entries, set the LBR_entries field to 31 (0x1F). To ensure all PEBS records are 16-byte aligned, software can use LBR_entries that is multiple of 3.
541H	1345	MSR_CORE_UARCH_CTL	Core	Core Microarchitecture Control MSR (R/W)
		0		L1 Scrubbing Enable When set to 1, enable L1 scrubbing.
		31:1		Reserved.
657H	1623	MSR_FAST_UNCORE_MSRS_CTL	Thread	Fast WRMSR/RDMSR Control MSR (R/W)
		3:0		FAST_ACCESS_ENABLE: Bit 0: When set to '1', provides a hint for the hardware to enable fast access mode for the IA32_HWP_REQUEST MSR. This bit is sticky and is cleaned by the hardware only during reset time. This bit is valid only if FAST_UNCORE_MSRS_CAPABILITY[0] is set. Setting this bit will cause CPUID[6].EAX[18] to be set.
		31:4		Reserved.

Table 2-44. MSRs Supported by 10th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Ice Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
65EH	1630	MSR_FAST_UNCORE_MSRS_STATUS	Thread	Indication of Uncore MSRs, Post Write Activates
		0		Indicates whether the CPU is still in the middle of writing IA32_HWP_REQUEST MSR, even after the WRMSR instruction has retired. A value of 1 indicates the last write of IA32_HWP_REQUEST is still ongoing. A value of 0 indicates the last write of IA32_HWP_REQUEST is visible outside the logical processor. Software can use the status of this bit to avoid overwriting IA32_HWP_REQUEST.
		31:1		Reserved.
65FH	1631	MSR_FAST_UNCORE_MSRS_CAPABILITY	Thread	Fast WRMSR/RDMSR Enumeration MSR (R/O)
		3:0		MSRS_CAPABILITY: Bit 0: If set to '1', hardware supports the fast access mode for the IA32_HWP_REQUEST MSR.
		31:4		Reserved.
772H	1906	IA32_HWP_REQUEST_PKG	Package	See Table 2-2.
775H	1909	IA32_PECI_HWP_REQUEST_INFO	Thread	See Table 2-2.
777H	1911	IA32_HWP_STATUS	Thread	See Table 2-2.

2.17.4 MSRs Introduced in the 11th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors based on Tiger Lake Microarchitecture

Table 2-45 lists additional MSRs for 11th generation Intel Core processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_8CH or 06_8DH. The MSRs listed in Table 2-44 are also supported by these processors. For an MSR listed in Table 2-45 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-45 supersedes prior generation tables.

Table 2-45. Additional MSRs Supported by the 11th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Tiger Lake Microarchitecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
A0H	160	MSR_BIOS_MCU_ERRORCODE	Package	BIOS MCU ERRORCODE (R/O)
		15:0		Error Codes
		31:16		Reserved
A7H	167	MSR_BIOS_DEBUG	Thread	BIOS DEBUG (R/O) This MSR indicates if WRMSR 79H failed to configure PRM memory and gives a hint to debug BIOS.
		30:0		Reserved

Table 2-45. Additional MSRs Supported by the 11th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Tiger Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		31		MCU Partial Success When set to 1, WRMSR 79H skipped part of the functionality during BIOS.
		63:32		Reserved
CFH	207	IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES	Package	IA32 Core Capabilities Register (R/O) If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[30] = 1. This MSR provides an architectural enumeration function for model-specific behavior.
		1:0		Reserved
		2		FUSA_SUPPORTED
		3		RSM_IN_CPL0_ONLY When set to 1, the RSM instruction is only allowed in CPL0 (#GP triggered in any CPL != 0). When set to 0, then any CPL may execute the RSM instruction.
		4		Reserved
		5		SPLIT_LOCK_DISABLE_SUPPORTED When read as 1, software can set bit 29 of MSR_MEMORY_CTRL (MSR address 33H).
		31:6		Reserved
492H	1170	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL3	Core	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL3 This MSR enumerates the allowed 1-settings of the third set of processor-based controls. Specifically, VM entry allows bit X of the tertiary processor-based VM-execution controls to be 1 if and only if bit X of the MSR is set to 1. If bit X of the MSR is cleared to 0, VM entry fails if control X and the “activate tertiary controls” primary processor-based VM-execution control are both 1.
		0		LOADIWKEY This control determines whether executions of LOADIWKEY cause VM exits.
		63:1		Reserved
601H	1537	MSR_VR_CURRENT_CONFIG	Package	Power Limit 4 (PL4) Package-level maximum power limit (in Watts). It is a proactive, instantaneous limit.
		12:0		PL4 Value PL4 value in 0.125 A increments. This field is locked by VR_CURRENT_CONFIG[LOCK]. When the LOCK bit is set to 1b, this field becomes Read Only.
		30:13		Reserved

Table 2-45. Additional MSRs Supported by the 11th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Tiger Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		31		Lock Indication (LOCK) This bit will lock the CURRENT_LIMIT settings in this register and will also lock this setting. This means that once set to 1b, the CURRENT_LIMIT setting and this bit become Read Only until the next Warm Reset.
		62:32		Not in use.
		63		Reserved
6A0H	1696	IA32_U_CET		Configure User Mode CET (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A2H	1698	IA32_S_CET		Configure Supervisor Mode CET (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A4H	1700	IA32_PL0_SSP		Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 0. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A5H	1701	IA32_PL1_SSP		Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 1. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A6H	1702	IA32_PL2_SSP		Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 2. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A7H	1703	IA32_PL3_SSP		Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 3. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A8H	1704	IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR		Linear address of a table of seven shadow stack pointers that are selected in IA-32e mode using the IST index (when not 0) from the interrupt gate descriptor. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
981H	2433	IA32_TME_CAPABILITY		See Table 2-2.
982H	2434	IA32_TME_ACTIVATE		See Table 2-2.
983H	2435	IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_MASK		See Table 2-2.
984H	2436	IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_BASE		See Table 2-2.
990H	2448	IA32_COPY_STATUS ¹	Thread	See Table 2-2.
991H	2449	IA32_IWKEYBACKUP_STATUS ¹	Platform	See Table 2-2.
C82H	3202	IA32_L2_QOS_CFG	Core	IA32_CR_L2_QOS_CFG This MSR provides software an enumeration of the parameters that L2 QoS (Intel RDT) support in any particular implementation.

Table 2-45. Additional MSRs Supported by the 11th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Based on Tiger Lake Microarchitecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		0		CDP_ENABLE When set to 1, it will enable the code and data prioritization for the L2 CAT/Intel RDT feature. When set to 0, code and data prioritization is disabled for L2 CAT/Intel RDT. See Chapter 18, “Debug, Branch Profile, TSC, and Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Features,” for further details on CDP.
		31:1		Reserved
D10H - D17H	3220 - 3351	IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_[0-7]	Package	IA32_CR_L2_QOS_MASK_[0-7] Controls MLC (L2) Intel RDT allocation. For more details on CAT/RDT, see Chapter 18, “Debug, Branch Profile, TSC, and Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Features.”
		19:0		WAYS_MASK Setting a 1 in this bit X allows threads with CLOS <n> (where N is [0-7]) to allocate to way X in the MLC. Ones are only allowed to be written to ways that physically exist in the MLC (CPUID.4.2:EBX[31:22] will indicate this). Writing a 1 to a value beyond the highest way or a non-contiguous set of 1s will cause a #GP on the WRMSR to this MSR.
		31:20		Reserved
D91H	3473	IA32_COPY_LOCAL_TO_PLATFORM ¹	Thread	See Table 2-2.
D92H	3474	IA32_COPY_PLATFORM_TO_LOCAL ¹	Thread	See Table 2-2.

NOTES:

1. Further details on Key Locker and usage of this MSR can be found here:

<https://software.intel.com/content/www/us/en/develop/download/intel-key-locker-specification.html>.

2.17.5 MSRs Introduced in the 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Supporting Performance Hybrid Architecture

Table 2-46 lists additional MSRs for 12th and 13th generation Intel Core processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_97H, 06_9AH, 06_BAH, 06_B7H, or 06_BFH. Table 2-47 lists the MSRs unique to the processor P-core. Table 2-48 lists the MSRs unique to the processor E-core.

The MSRs listed in Table 2-44¹ and Table 2-45 are also supported by these processors. For an MSR listed in Table 2-46, Table 2-47, or Table 2-48 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-46, Table 2-47, and Table 2-48 supersede prior generation tables.

1. MSRs at the following addresses are not supported in the 12th and 13th generation Intel Core processor E-core: 30CH, 329H, 541H, and 657H. The MSR at address 657H is not supported in the 12th and 13th generation Intel Core processor P-core.

Table 2-46. Additional MSRs Supported by the 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Supporting Performance Hybrid Architecture

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
33H	51	MSR_MEMORY_CTRL	Core	Memory Control Register
		26:0		Reserved.
		27		UC_STORE_THROTTLE If set to 1, when enabled, the processor will only allow one in-progress UC store at a time.
		28		UC_LOCK_DISABLE If set to 1, a UC lock will cause a #GP(0) exception. See Section 9.1.2.3, "Features to Disable Bus Locks."
		29		SPLIT_LOCK_DISABLE If set to 1, a split lock will cause an #AC(0) exception. See Section 9.1.2.3, "Features to Disable Bus Locks."
		30		Reserved.
		31		Reserved.
BCH	188	IA32_MISC_PACKAGE_CTL5	Package	Power Filtering Control (R/W) IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES[bit 10] enumerates support for this MSR. See Table 2-2.
C7H	199	IA32_PMC6	Core	General Performance Counter 6 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C8H	200	IA32_PMC7	Core	General Performance Counter 7 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
CFH	207	IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES	Package	IA32 Core Capabilities Register (R/O) If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[30] = 1. This MSR provides an architectural enumeration function for model-specific behavior.
		0		STLB_QOS_SUPPORTED When set to 1, the STLB QoS feature is supported and the STLB QoS MSRs (1A8FH - 1A97H) are accessible. When set to 0, access to these MSRs will #GP.
		1		Reserved
		2		FUSA_SUPPORTED
		3		RSM_IN_CPL0_ONLY When set to 1, the RSM instruction is only allowed in CPL0 (#GP triggered in any CPL != 0). When set to 0, then any CPL may execute the RSM instruction.
		4		UC_LOCK_DISABLE_SUPPORTED When read as 1, software can set bit 28 of MSR_MEMORY_CTRL (MSR address 33H).

Table 2-46. Additional MSRs Supported by the 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Supporting Performance Hybrid Architecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		5		SPLIT_LOCK_DISABLE_SUPPORTED When read as 1, software can set bit 29 of MSR_MEMORY_CTRL.
		6		SNOOP_FILTER_QOS_SUPPORTED When set to 1, the Snoop Filter Qos Mask MSRs are supported. When set to 0, access to these MSRs will #GP.
		7		UC_STORE_THROTTLING_SUPPORTED When set 1, UC Store throttle capability exist through MSR_MEMORY_CTRL (33H) bit 27.
		31:8		Reserved
E1H	225	IA32_UMWAIT_CONTROL		UMWAIT Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
10AH	266	IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES		Enumeration of Architectural Features (R/O) See Table 2-2.
18CH	396	IA32_PERFEVTSEL6	Core	See Table 2-20.
18DH	397	IA32_PERFEVTSEL7	Core	See Table 2-20.
195H	405	IA32_OVERCLOCKING_STATUS	Package	Overclocking Status (R/O) IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES[bit 23] enumerates support for this MSR. See Table 2-2.
1ADH	429	MSR_PRIMARY_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Primary Maximum Turbo Ratio Limit (R/W) Software can configure these limits when MSR_PLATFORM_INFO[28] = 1. Specifies Maximum Ratio Limit for each group. Maximum ratio for groups with more cores must decrease monotonically.
		7:0		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_0: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 1 core active.
		15:8		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_1: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 2 cores active.
		23:16		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_2: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 3 cores active.
		31:24		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_3: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 4 cores active.
		39:32		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_4: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 5 cores active.
		47:40		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_5: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 6 cores active.

Table 2-46. Additional MSRs Supported by the 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Supporting Performance Hybrid Architecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		55:48		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_6: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 7 cores active.
		63:56		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_7: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 8 cores active.
493H	1171	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTLD2		See Table 2-2.
4C7H	1223	IA32_A_PMC6		Full Width Writable IA32_PMC6 Alias (R/W) See Table 2-2.
4C8H	1224	IA32_A_PMC7		Full Width Writable IA32_PMC7 Alias (R/W) See Table 2-2.
650H	1616	MSR_SECONDARY_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Secondary Maximum Turbo Ratio Limit (R/W) Software can configure these limits when MSR_PLATFORM_INFO[28] = 1. Specifies Maximum Ratio Limit for each group. Maximum ratio for groups with more cores must decrease monotonically.
		7:0		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_0: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 1 core active.
		15:8		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_1: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 2 cores active.
		23:16		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_2: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 3 cores active.
		31:24		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_3: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 4 cores active.
		39:32		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_4: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 5 cores active.
		47:40		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_5: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 6 cores active.
		55:48		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_6: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 7 cores active.
		63:56		MAX_TURBO_GROUP_7: Maximum turbo ratio limit with 8 cores active.
664H	1636	MSR_MC6_RESIDENCY_COUNTER	Module	Module C6 Residency Counter (R/O) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-States.
		63:0		Time that this module is in module-specific C6 states since last reset. Counts at 1 Mhz frequency.
6E1H	1761	IA32_PKRS		Specifies the PK permissions associated with each protection domain for supervisor pages (R/W) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-46. Additional MSRs Supported by the 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors Supporting Performance Hybrid Architecture (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
776H	1910	IA32_HWP_CTL		See Table 2-2.
981H	2433	IA32_TME_CAPABILITY		Memory Encryption Capability MSR See Table 2-2.
1200H -	4608 -	IA32_LBR_x_INFO		Last Branch Record Entry X Info Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
121FH	4639			
14CEH	5326	IA32_LBR_CTL		Last Branch Record Enabling and Configuration Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
14CFH	5327	IA32_LBR_DEPTH		Last Branch Record Maximum Stack Depth Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1500H -	5376 -	IA32_LBR_x_FROM_IP		Last Branch Record Entry X Source IP Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
151FH	5407			
1600H -	5632 -	IA32_LBR_x_TO_IP		Last Branch Record Entry X Destination IP Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
161FH	5663			
17D2H	6098	IA32_THREAD_FEEDBACK_CHAR		Thread Feedback Characteristics (R/O) See Table 2-2.
17D4H	6100	IA32_HW_FEEDBACK_THREAD_CONFIG		Hardware Feedback Thread Configuration (R/W) See Table 2-2.
17DAH	6106	IA32_HRESET_ENABLE		History Reset Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.

The MSRs listed in Table 2-47 are unique to the 12th and 13th generation Intel Core processor P-core. These MSRs are not supported on the processor E-core.

Table 2-47. MSRs Supported by 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processor P-core

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1A4H	420	MSR_PREFETCH_CONTROL		Prefetch Disable Bits (R/W)
		0		L2_HARDWARE_PREFETCHER_DISABLE If 1, disables the L2 hardware prefetcher, which fetches additional lines of code or data into the L2 cache.
		1		L2_ADJACENT_CACHE_LINE_PREFETCHER_DISABLE If 1, disables the adjacent cache line prefetcher, which fetches the cache line that comprises a cache line pair (128 bytes).

Table 2-47. MSRs Supported by 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processor P-core

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2		DCU_HARDWARE_PREFETCHER_DISABLE If 1, disables the L1 data cache prefetcher, which fetches the next cache line into L1 data cache.
		3		DCU_IP_PREFETCHER_DISABLE If 1, disables the L1 data cache IP prefetcher, which uses sequential load history (based on instruction pointer of previous loads) to determine whether to prefetch additional lines.
		4		Reserved.
		5		AMP_PREFETCH_DISABLE If 1, disables the L2 Adaptive Multipath Probability (AMP) prefetcher.
		63:6		Reserved.
3F7H	1015	MSR_PEBS_FRONTEND	Thread	FrontEnd Precise Event Condition Select (R/W) See Table 2-39.
540H	1344	MSR_THREAD_UARCH_CTL	Thread	Thread Microarchitectural Control (R/W)
		0		WB_MEM_STRM_LD_DISABLE Disable streaming behavior for MOVNTDQA loads to WB memory type. If set, these accesses will be treated like regular cacheable loads (Data will be cached).
		63:1		Reserved
541H	1345	MSR_CORE_UARCH_CTL	Core	Core Microarchitecture Control MSR (R/W) See Table 2-44.
D10H - D17H	3220 - 3351	IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_[0-7]	Core	IA32_CR_L2_QOS_MASK_[0-7] If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1);EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] ≥ 0. Controls MLC (L2) Intel RDT allocation. For more details on CAT/RDT, see Chapter 18, “Debug, Branch Profile, TSC, and Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Features.”
		19:0		WAYS_MASK Setting a 1 in this bit X allows threads with CLOS <n> (where N is [0-7]) to allocate to way X in the MLC. Ones are only allowed to be written to ways that physically exist in the MLC (CPUID.4.2:EBX[31:22] will indicate this). Writing a 1 to a value beyond the highest way or a non-contiguous set of 1s will cause a #GP on the WRMSR to this MSR.
		31:20		Reserved

The MSRs listed in Table 2-48 are unique to the 12th and 13th generation Intel Core processor E-core. These MSRs are not supported on the processor P-core.

Table 2-48. MSRs Supported by 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processor E-core

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
D10H - D1FH	3220 - 3359	IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_[0-15]	Module	IA32_CR_L2_QOS_MASK_[0-15] If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] ≥ 0. Controls MLC (L2) Intel RDT allocation. For more details on CAT/RDT, see Chapter 18, “Debug, Branch Profile, TSC, and Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) Features.”
		19:0		WAYS_MASK Setting a 1 in this bit X allows threads with CLOS <n> (where N is [0-7]) to allocate to way X in the MLC. Ones are only allowed to be written to ways that physically exist in the MLC (CPUID.4.2:EBX[31:22] will indicate this). Writing a 1 to a value beyond the highest way or a non-contiguous set of 1s will cause a #GP on the WRMSR to this MSR.
		31:20		Reserved
1309H - 130BH	4873 - 4875	MSR_RELOAD_FIXED_CTRx		Reload value for IA32_FIXED_CTRx (R/W)
		47:0		Value loaded into IA32_FIXED_CTRx when a PEBS record is generated while PEBS_EN_FIXEDx = 1 and PEBS_OUTPUT = 01B in IA32_PEBS_ENABLE, and FIXED_CTRx is overflowed.
		63:48		Reserved
14C1H - 14C6H	5313 - 5318	MSR_RELOAD_PMCx	Core	Reload value for IA32_PMCx (R/W)
		47:0		Value loaded into IA32_PMCx when a PEBS record is generated while PEBS_EN_PMCx = 1 and PEBS_OUTPUT = 01B in IA32_PEBS_ENABLE, and PMCx is overflowed.
		63:48		Reserved

Table 2-49 lists the MSRs of uncore PMU for Intel processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_97H, 06_9AH, 06_BAH, 06_B7H, or 06_BFH.

Table 2-49. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
396H	918	MSR_UNC_CBO_CONFIG	Package	Uncore C-Box Configuration Information (R/O)
		3:0		Specifies the number of C-Box units with programmable counters (including processor cores and processor graphics).
		63:4		Reserved
2000H	8192	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2001H	8193	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Counter 1 Event Select MSR

Table 2-49. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
2002H	8194	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 0
2003H	8195	MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 0, Performance Counter 1
2008H	8200	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2009H	8201	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
200AH	8202	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 0
200BH	8203	MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 1, Performance Counter 1
2010H	8208	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2011H	8209	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
2012H	8210	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 0
2013H	8211	MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 2, Performance Counter 1
2018H	8216	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2019H	8217	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
201AH	8218	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 0
201BH	8219	MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 3, Performance Counter 1
2020H	8224	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2021H	8225	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
2022H	8226	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Performance Counter 0
2023H	8227	MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 4, Performance Counter 1
2028H	8232	MSR_UNC_CBO_5_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 5, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2029H	8233	MSR_UNC_CBO_5_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 5, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
202AH	8234	MSR_UNC_CBO_5_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 5, Performance Counter 0
202BH	8235	MSR_UNC_CBO_5_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 5, Performance Counter 1
2030H	8240	MSR_UNC_CBO_6_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 6, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2031H	8241	MSR_UNC_CBO_6_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 6, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
2032H	8242	MSR_UNC_CBO_6_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 6, Performance Counter 0
2033H	8243	MSR_UNC_CBO_6_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 6, Performance Counter 1
2038H	8248	MSR_UNC_CBO_7_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 7, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2039H	8249	MSR_UNC_CBO_7_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 7, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
203AH	8250	MSR_UNC_CBO_7_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 7, Performance Counter 0
203BH	8251	MSR_UNC_CBO_7_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 7, Performance Counter 1
2040H	8256	MSR_UNC_CBO_8_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 8, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2041H	8257	MSR_UNC_CBO_8_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 8, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
2042H	8258	MSR_UNC_CBO_8_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 8, Performance Counter 0
2043H	8259	MSR_UNC_CBO_8_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 8, Performance Counter 1
2048H	8264	MSR_UNC_CBO_9_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore C-Box 9, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2049H	8265	MSR_UNC_CBO_9_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore C-Box 9, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
204AH	8266	MSR_UNC_CBO_9_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore C-Box 9, Performance Counter 0

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
204BH	8267	MSR_UNC_CBO_9_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore C-Box 9, Performance Counter 1
2FD0H	12240	MSR_UNC_ARB_0_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 0, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2FD1H	12241	MSR_UNC_ARB_0_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 0, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
2FD2H	12242	MSR_UNC_ARB_0_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 0, Performance Counter 0
2FD3H	12243	MSR_UNC_ARB_0_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 0, Performance Counter 1
2FD4H	12244	MSR_UNC_ARB_0_PERF_STATUS	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 0, Performance Status
2FD5H	12245	MSR_UNC_ARB_0_PERF_CTRL	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 0, Performance Control
2FD8H	12248	MSR_UNC_ARB_1_PERFEVTSELO	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 1, Counter 0 Event Select MSR
2FD9H	12249	MSR_UNC_ARB_1_PERFEVTSEL1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 1, Counter 1 Event Select MSR
2FDAH	12250	MSR_UNC_ARB_1_PERFCTRO	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 1, Performance Counter 0
2FDBH	12251	MSR_UNC_ARB_1_PERFCTR1	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 1, Performance Counter 1
2FDCH	12252	MSR_UNC_ARB_1_PERF_STATUS	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 1, Performance Status
2FDDH	12253	MSR_UNC_ARB_1_PERF_CTRL	Package	Uncore Arb Unit 1, Performance Control
2FDEH	12254	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTRL	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter Control (R/W)
		19:0		Reserved
		20		Enable overflow propagation.
		21		Reserved
		22		Enable counting.
		63:23		Reserved
2DFDH	12255	MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR	Package	Uncore Fixed Counter
		43:0		Current count.
		63:44		Reserved
2FF0H	12272	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Package	Uncore PMU Global Control
		0		Slice 0 select.
		1		Slice 1 select.
		2		Slice 2 select.
		3		Slice 3 select.
		4		Slice 4 select.
		18:5		Reserved
		29		Enable all uncore counters.
		30		Enable wake on PMI.
		31		Enable Freezing counter when overflow.
		63:32		Reserved
2FF2H	12274	MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Package	Uncore PMU Main Status
		0		Fixed counter overflowed.
		1		An ARB counter overflowed.
		2		Reserved

Table 2-49. Uncore PMU MSRs Supported by 12th and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		3		A CBox counter overflowed (on any slice).
		63:4		Reserved

2.17.6 MSRs Introduced in the Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family

The Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_55H) supports the MSRs listed in Table 2-50.

Table 2-50. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_55H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Thread	Control Features in Intel 64 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Lock (R/WL)
		1		Enable VMX Inside SMX Operation (R/WL)
		2		Enable VMX Outside SMX Operation (R/WL)
		14:8		SENTER Local Functions Enables (R/WL)
		15		SENTER Global Functions Enable (R/WL)
		18		SGX Global Functions Enable (R/WL)
		20		LMCE_ENABLED (R/WL)
		63:21		Reserved
4EH	78	IA32_PPIN_CTL (MSR_PPIN_CTL)	Package	Protected Processor Inventory Number Enable Control (R/W)
		0		LockOut (R/W0) See Table 2-2.
		1		Enable_PPIN (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		63:2		Reserved
4FH	79	IA32_PPIN (MSR_PPIN)	Package	Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O)
		63:0		Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O) See Table 2-2.
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) See Table 2-26.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		22:16		Reserved.
		23	Package	PPIN_CAP (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		27:24		Reserved
		28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		29	Package	Programmable TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		30	Package	Programmable TJ OFFSET (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		39:31		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		63:48		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Core	C-State Configuration Control (R/W) Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states. See http://biosbits.org .
		2:0		Package C-State Limit (R/W) Specifies the lowest processor-specific C-state code name (consuming the least power) for the package. The default is set as factory-configured package C-state limit. The following C-state code name encodings are supported: 000b: C0/C1 (no package C-state support) 001b: C2 010b: C6 (non-retention) 011b: C6 (retention) 111b: No Package C state limits. All C states supported by the processor are available.
		9:3		Reserved
		10		I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W)
		14:11		Reserved
		15		CFG Lock (R/WO)
		16		Automatic C-State Conversion Enable (R/W) If 1, the processor will convert HALT or MWAIT(C1) to MWAIT(C6).
		24:17		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		25		C3 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		26		C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)
		27		Enable C3 Undemotion (R/W)
		28		Enable C1 Undemotion (R/W)
		29		Package C State Demotion Enable (R/W)
		30		Package C State UnDemotion Enable (R/W)
		63:31		Reserved
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Thread	Global Machine Check Capability (R/O)
		7:0		Count
		8		MCG_CTL_P
		9		MCG_EXT_P
		10		MCP_CMCI_P
		11		MCG_TES_P
		15:12		Reserved
		23:16		MCG_EXT_CNT
		24		MCG_SER_P
		25		MCG_EM_P
		26		MCG_ELOG_P
		63:27		Reserved
17DH	381	MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP	THREAD	Enhanced SMM Capabilities (SMM-RO) Reports SMM capability Enhancement. Accessible only while in SMM.
		57:0		Reserved
		58		SMM_Code_Access_Chk (SMM-RO) If set to 1 indicates that the SMM code access restriction is supported and a host-space interface is available to SMM handler.
		59		Long_Flow_Indication (SMM-RO) If set to 1 indicates that the SMM long flow indicator is supported and a host-space interface is available to SMM handler.
		63:60		Reserved
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Core	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Thermal Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		1		Thermal Status Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		3		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		4		Critical Temperature Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		5		Critical Temperature Status Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		6		Thermal Threshold #1 Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		7		Thermal Threshold #1 Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		8		Thermal Threshold #2 Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		9		Thermal Threshold #2 Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		10		Power Limitation Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		11		Power Limitation Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		12		Current Limit Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		13		Current Limit Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		14		Cross Domain Limit Status (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		15		Cross Domain Limit Log (R/WCO) See Table 2-2.
		22:16		Digital Readout (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		26:23		Reserved
		30:27		Resolution in Degrees Celsius (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		31		Reading Valid (R/O) See Table 2-2.
63:32		Reserved		
1A2H	418	MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET	Package	Temperature Target
		15:0		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		23:16		Temperature Target (R/O) See Table 2-26.
		27:24		TCC Activation Offset (R/W) See Table 2-26.
		63:28		Reserved
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	This register defines the ratio limits. RATIO[0:7] must be populated in ascending order. RATIO[i+1] must be less than or equal to RATIO[i]. Entries with RATIO[i] will be ignored. If any of the rules above are broken, the configuration is silently rejected. If the programmed ratio is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Above the fused ratio for that core count, it will be clipped to the fuse limits (assuming !OC). ▪ Below the min supported ratio, it will be clipped.
		7:0		RATIO_0 Defines ratio limits.
		15:8		RATIO_1 Defines ratio limits.
		23:16		RATIO_2 Defines ratio limits.
		31:24		RATIO_3 Defines ratio limits.
		39:32		RATIO_4 Defines ratio limits.
		47:40		RATIO_5 Defines ratio limits.
		55:48		RATIO_6 Defines ratio limits.
		63:56		RATIO_7 Defines ratio limits.
1AEH	430	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT_CORES	Package	This register defines the active core ranges for each frequency point. NUMCORE[0:7] must be populated in ascending order. NUMCORE[i+1] must be greater than NUMCORE[i]. Entries with NUMCORE[i] == 0 will be ignored. The last valid entry must have NUMCORE >= the number of cores in the SKU. If any of the rules above are broken, the configuration is silently rejected.
		7:0		NUMCORE_0 Defines the active core ranges for each frequency point.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		15:8		NUMCORE_1 Defines the active core ranges for each frequency point.
		23:16		NUMCORE_2 Defines the active core ranges for each frequency point.
		31:24		NUMCORE_3 Defines the active core ranges for each frequency point.
		39:32		NUMCORE_4 Defines the active core ranges for each frequency point.
		47:40		NUMCORE_5 Defines the active core ranges for each frequency point.
		55:48		NUMCORE_6 Defines the active core ranges for each frequency point.
		63:56		NUMCORE_7 Defines the active core ranges for each frequency point.
280H	640	IA32_MC0_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
281H	641	IA32_MC1_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
282H	642	IA32_MC2_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
283H	643	IA32_MC3_CTL2	Core	See Table 2-2.
284H	644	IA32_MC4_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
285H	645	IA32_MC5_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
286H	646	IA32_MC6_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
287H	647	IA32_MC7_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
288H	648	IA32_MC8_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
289H	649	IA32_MC9_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28AH	650	IA32_MC10_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28BH	651	IA32_MC11_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28CH	652	IA32_MC12_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28DH	653	IA32_MC13_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28EH	654	IA32_MC14_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
28FH	655	IA32_MC15_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
290H	656	IA32_MC16_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
291H	657	IA32_MC17_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.

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Hex	Dec			
292H	658	IA32_MC18_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
293H	659	IA32_MC19_CTL2	Package	See Table 2-2.
400H	1024	IA32_MC0_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC0 reports MC errors from the IFU module.
401H	1025	IA32_MC0_STATUS	Core	
402H	1026	IA32_MC0_ADDR	Core	
403H	1027	IA32_MC0_MISC	Core	
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC1 reports MC errors from the DCU module.
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	Core	
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR	Core	
407H	1031	IA32_MC1_MISC	Core	
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC2 reports MC errors from the DTLB module.
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	Core	
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	Core	
40BH	1035	IA32_MC2_MISC	Core	
40CH	1036	IA32_MC3_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC3 reports MC errors from the MLC module.
40DH	1037	IA32_MC3_STATUS	Core	
40EH	1038	IA32_MC3_ADDR	Core	
40FH	1039	IA32_MC3_MISC	Core	
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC4 reports MC errors from the PCU module.
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	Package	
412H	1042	IA32_MC4_ADDR	Package	
413H	1043	IA32_MC4_MISC	Package	
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC5 reports MC errors from a link interconnect module.
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Package	
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Package	
417H	1047	IA32_MC5_MISC	Package	
418H	1048	IA32_MC6_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC6 reports MC errors from the integrated I/O module.
419H	1049	IA32_MC6_STATUS	Package	
41AH	1050	IA32_MC6_ADDR	Package	
41BH	1051	IA32_MC6_MISC	Package	
41CH	1052	IA32_MC7_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC7 reports MC errors from the M2M 0.
41DH	1053	IA32_MC7_STATUS	Package	
41EH	1054	IA32_MC7_ADDR	Package	
41FH	1055	IA32_MC7_MISC	Package	

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
420H	1056	IA32_MC8_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC8 reports MC errors from the M2M 1.
421H	1057	IA32_MC8_STATUS	Package	
422H	1058	IA32_MC8_ADDR	Package	
423H	1059	IA32_MC8_MISC	Package	
424H	1060	IA32_MC9_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 - MC11 report MC errors from the CHA
425H	1061	IA32_MC9_STATUS	Package	
426H	1062	IA32_MC9_ADDR	Package	
427H	1063	IA32_MC9_MISC	Package	
428H	1064	IA32_MC10_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 - MC11 report MC errors from the CHA.
429H	1065	IA32_MC10_STATUS	Package	
42AH	1066	IA32_MC10_ADDR	Package	
42BH	1067	IA32_MC10_MISC	Package	
42CH	1068	IA32_MC11_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC9 - MC11 report MC errors from the CHA.
42DH	1069	IA32_MC11_STATUS	Package	
42EH	1070	IA32_MC11_ADDR	Package	
42FH	1071	IA32_MC11_MISC	Package	
430H	1072	IA32_MC12_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC12 report MC errors from each channel of a link interconnect module.
431H	1073	IA32_MC12_STATUS	Package	
432H	1074	IA32_MC12_ADDR	Package	
433H	1075	IA32_MC12_MISC	Package	
434H	1076	IA32_MC13_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC13 through MC 18 report MC errors from the integrated memory controllers.
435H	1077	IA32_MC13_STATUS	Package	
436H	1078	IA32_MC13_ADDR	Package	
437H	1079	IA32_MC13_MISC	Package	
438H	1080	IA32_MC14_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC13 through MC 18 report MC errors from the integrated memory controllers.
439H	1081	IA32_MC14_STATUS	Package	
43AH	1082	IA32_MC14_ADDR	Package	
43BH	1083	IA32_MC14_MISC	Package	
43CH	1084	IA32_MC15_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC13 through MC 18 report MC errors from the integrated memory controllers.
43DH	1085	IA32_MC15_STATUS	Package	
43EH	1086	IA32_MC15_ADDR	Package	
43FH	1087	IA32_MC15_MISC	Package	

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
440H	1088	IA32_MC16_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC13 through MC 18 report MC errors from the integrated memory controllers
441H	1089	IA32_MC16_STATUS	Package	
442H	1090	IA32_MC16_ADDR	Package	
443H	1091	IA32_MC16_MISC	Package	
444H	1092	IA32_MC17_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC13 through MC 18 report MC errors from the integrated memory controllers.
445H	1093	IA32_MC17_STATUS	Package	
446H	1094	IA32_MC17_ADDR	Package	
447H	1095	IA32_MC17_MISC	Package	
448H	1096	IA32_MC18_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Banks MC13 through MC 18 report MC errors from the integrated memory controllers.
449H	1097	IA32_MC18_STATUS	Package	
44AH	1098	IA32_MC18_ADDR	Package	
44BH	1099	IA32_MC18_MISC	Package	
44CH	1100	IA32_MC19_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC19 reports MC errors from a link interconnect module.
44DH	1101	IA32_MC19_STATUS	Package	
44EH	1102	IA32_MC19_ADDR	Package	
44FH	1103	IA32_MC19_MISC	Package	
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers Used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O)
		3:0	Package	Power Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		7:4	Package	Reserved
		12:8	Package	Energy Status Units Energy related information (in Joules) is based on the multiplier, $1/2^{\text{ESU}}$; where ESU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 12:8. Default value is 0EH (or 61 micro-joules).
		15:13	Package	Reserved
		19:16	Package	Time Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		63:20		Reserved
618H	1560	MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	Package	DRAM RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) Energy consumed by DRAM devices.
		31:0		Energy in 15.3 micro-joules. Requires BIOS configuration to enable DRAM RAPL mode 0 (Direct VR).
		63:32		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61CH	1564	MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	Package	DRAM RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
620H	1568	MSR_UNCORE_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Uncore Ratio Limit (R/W) Out of reset, the min_ratio and max_ratio fields represent the widest possible range of uncore frequencies. Writing to these fields allows software to control the minimum and the maximum frequency that hardware will select.
		63:15		Reserved
		14:8		MIN_RATIO Writing to this field controls the minimum possible ratio of the LLC/Ring.
		7		Reserved
		6:0		MAX_RATIO This field is used to limit the max ratio of the LLC/Ring.
639H	1593	MSR_PPO_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	Reserved (R/O) Reads return 0.
C8DH	3213	IA32_QM_EVTSEL	THREAD	Monitoring Event Select Register (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.RDT-M[bit 12] = 1.
		7:0		EventID (R/W) Event encoding: 0x00: No monitoring. 0x01: L3 occupancy monitoring. 0x02: Total memory bandwidth monitoring. 0x03: Local memory bandwidth monitoring. All other encoding reserved.
		31:8		Reserved
		41:32		RMID (R/W)
		63:42		Reserved
C8FH	3215	IA32_PQR_ASSOC	THREAD	Resource Association Register (R/W)
		9:0		RMID
		31:10		Reserved
		51:32		COS (R/W)
		63: 52		Reserved
C90H	3216	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_0	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 0 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=0.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 0 enforcement.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:20		Reserved
C91H	3217	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_1	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 1 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=1.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 1 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C92H	3218	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_2	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 2 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=2.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 2 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C93H	3219	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_3	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 3 (R/W). If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=3.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 3 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C94H	3220	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_4	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 4 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=4.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 4 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C95H	3221	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_5	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 5 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=5.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 5 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C96H	3222	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_6	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 6 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=6.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 6 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C97H	3223	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_7	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 7 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=7.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 7 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C98H	3224	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_8	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 8 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=8.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 8 enforcement.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:20		Reserved
C99H	3225	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_9	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 9 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=9.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 9 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9AH	3226	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_10	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 10 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=10.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 10 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9BH	3227	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_11	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 11 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=11.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 11 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9CH	3228	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_12	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 12 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=12.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 12 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9DH	3229	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_13	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 13 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=13.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 13 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9EH	3230	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_14	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 14 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=14.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 14 enforcement.
		63:20		Reserved
C9FH	3231	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_15	Package	L3 Class Of Service Mask - COS 15 (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] >=15.
		0:19		CBM: Bit vector of available L3 ways for COS 15 enforcement.

Table 2-50. MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_55H (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63:20		Reserved

2.17.7 MSRs Specific to 3rd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family Based on Ice Lake Microarchitecture

The 3rd generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Ice Lake microarchitecture (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_6AH or 06_6CH) support the MSRs listed in Table 2-51.

Table 2-51. MSRs Supported by the 3rd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_6AH or 06_6CH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
612H	1554	MSR_PACKAGE_ENERGY_TIME_STATUS	Package	Package energy consumed by the entire CPU (R/W)
		31:0		Total amount of energy consumed since last reset.
		63:32		Total time elapsed when the energy was last updated. This is a monotonic increment counter with auto wrap back to zero after overflow. Unit is 10ns.
618H	1560	MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	Package	Allows software to set power limits for the DRAM domain and measurement attributes associated with each limit.
		14:0		DRAM_PP_PWR_LIM: Power Limit[0] for DDR domain. Units = Watts, Format = 11.3, Resolution = 0.125W, Range = 0-2047.875W.
		15		PWR_LIM_CTRL_EN: Power Limit[0] enable bit for DDR domain.
		16		Reserved
		23:17		CTRL_TIME_WIN: Power Limit[0] time window Y value, for DDR domain. Actual time_window for RAPL is: $(1/1024 \text{ seconds}) * (1+(x/4)) * (2^y)$
		62:24		Reserved
		63		PP_PWR_LIM_LOCK: When set, this entire register becomes read-only. This bit will typically be set by BIOS during boot.
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
		31:0		Energy in 15.3 micro-joules. Requires BIOS configuration to enable DRAM RAPL mode 0 (Direct VR).
		63:32		Reserved

Table 2-51. MSRs Supported by the 3rd Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_6AH or 06_6CH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61CH	1564	MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	Package	DRAM Power Parameters (R/W)
		14:0		Spec DRAM Power (DRAM_TDP): The Spec power allowed for DRAM. The TDP setting is typical (not guaranteed). The units for this value are defined in MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO_UNIT[PWR_UNIT].
		15		Reserved
		30:16		Minimal DRAM Power (DRAM_MIN_PWR): The minimal power setting allowed for DRAM. Lower values will be clamped to this value. The minimum setting is typical (not guaranteed). The units for this value are defined in MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO_UNIT[PWR_UNIT].
		31		Reserved
		46:32		Maximal Package Power (DRAM_MAX_PWR): The maximal power setting allowed for DRAM. Higher values will be clamped to this value. The maximum setting is typical (not guaranteed). The units for this value are defined in MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO_UNIT[PWR_UNIT].
		47		Reserved
		54:48		Maximal Time Window (DRAM_MAX_WIN): The maximal time window allowed for the DRAM. Higher values will be clamped to this value. x = PKG_MAX_WIN[54:53] y = PKG_MAX_WIN[52:48] The timing interval window is a floating-point number given by 1.x *power(2,y). The unit of measurement is defined in MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO_UNIT[TIME_UNIT].
		62:55		Reserved
		63		LOCK: Lock bit to lock the register.
981H	2433	IA32_TME_CAPABILITY		See Table 2-2.
982H	2434	IA32_TME_ACTIVATE		See Table 2-2.
983H	2435	IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_MASK		See Table 2-2.
984H	2436	IA32_TME_EXCLUDE_BASE		See Table 2-2.

2.17.8 MSRs Specific to the 4th Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family Based on Sapphire Rapids Microarchitecture

The 4th generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family based on Sapphire Rapids microarchitecture (CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_8FH) supports the MSRs listed in Section 2.17, “MSRs In the 6th Generation, 7th Generation, 8th Generation, 9th Generation, 10th Generation, 11th Generation, 12th Generation, and 13th Generation Intel® Core™ Processors, Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family, 8th Generation Intel® Core™ i3 Processors, and Intel® Xeon® E processors,” including Table 2-52. For an MSR listed in Table 2-52 that also appears in the model-specific tables of prior generations, Table 2-52 supersedes prior generation tables.

Table 2-52. Additional MSRs Supported by the 4th Generation Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor Family with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_8FH

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
33H	51	MSR_MEMORY_CTRL	Core	Memory Control Register (R/W)
		27:0		Reserved.
		28		UC_LOCK_DISABLE If set to 1, a UC lock will cause a #GP(0) exception. See Section 9.1.2.3, “Features to Disable Bus Locks.”
		29		SPLIT_LOCK_DISABLE If set to 1, a split lock will cause an #AC(0) exception. See Section 9.1.2.3, “Features to Disable Bus Locks.”
		31:30		Reserved.
A7H	167	MSR_BIOS_DEBUG	Thread	BIOS DEBUG (R/O) See Table 2-45.
BCH	188	IA32_MISC_PACKAGE_CTL	Package	Power Filtering Control (R/W) IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES[bit 10] enumerates support for this MSR. See Table 2-2.
CFH	207	IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES	Core	IA32 Core Capabilities Register (R/W) If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EDX[30] = 1. This MSR provides an architectural enumeration function for model-specific behavior.
		0		Reserved: returns zero.
		1		Reserved: returns zero.
		2		INTEGRITY_CAPABILITIES When set to 1, the processor supports MSR_INTEGRITY_CAPABILITIES.
		3		RSM_IN_CPLD_ONLY Indicates that RSM will only be allowed in CPLD and will #GP for all non-CPLD privilege levels.
		4		UC_LOCK_DISABLE_SUPPORTED When read as 1, software can set bit 28 of MSR_MEMORY_CTRL (MSR address 33H).

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		5		SPLIT_LOCK_DISABLE_SUPPORTED When read as 1, software can set bit 29 of MSR_MEMORY_CTRL.
		6		Reserved: returns zero.
		7		UC_STORE_THROTTLING_SUPPORTED Indicates that the snoop filter quality of service MSRs are supported on this core. This is based on the existence of a non-inclusive cache and the L2/MLC QoS feature supported.
		63:8		Reserved: returns zero.
E1H	225	IA32_UMWAIT_CONTROL		UMWAIT Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
EDH	237	MSR_RAR_CONTROL	Thread	RAR Control (R/W)
		63:32		Reserved.
		31		ENABLE RAR events are recognized. When RAR is not enabled, RARs are dropped.
		30		IGNORE_IF Allow RAR servicing at the RLP regardless of the value of RFLAGS.IF.
		29:0		Reserved.
EEH	238	MSR_RAR_ACTION_VECTOR_BASE	Thread	Pointer to RAR Action Vector (R/W)
		63:MAXPHYADDR		Reserved.
		MAXPHYADDR-1:6		VECTOR_PHYSICAL_ADDRESS Pointer to the physical address of the 64B aligned RAR action vector.
		5:0		Reserved.
EFH	239	MSR_RAR_PAYLOAD_TABLE_BASE	Thread	Pointer to Base of RAR Payload Table (R/W)
		63:MAXPHYADDR		Reserved.
		MAXPHYADDR-1:12		TABLE_PHYSICAL_ADDRESS Pointer to the base physical address of the 4K aligned RAR payload table.
		11:0		Reserved.
FOH	240	MSR_RAR_INFO	Thread	Read Only RAR Information (RO)
		63:38		Always zero.
		37:32		Table Max Index Maximum supported payload table index.
		31:0		Supported payload type bitmap. A value of 1 in bit position [i] indicates that payload type [i] is supported.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
105H	261	MSR_CORE_BIST	Core	Core BIST (R/W) Controls Array BIST activation and status checking as part of FUSA.
		31:0		BIST_ARRAY Bitmap indicating which arrays to run BIST on (WRITE). Bitmap indicating which arrays were not processed, i.e., completion mask (READ).
		39:32		BANK Array bank of the [least significant set bit] array indicated in EAX to start BIST(WRITE). Array bank interrupted or failed (READ).
		47:40		DWORD Array dword of the [least significant set bit] array indicated in EAX to start BIST (WRITE). Array dword interrupted or failed (READ).
		62:48		Reserved
		63		CTRL_RESULT Indicates whether WRMSR should signal Machine-Check upon BIST-error (WRITE). BIST result PASS(0)/FAIL(1) of the (least significant set bit) array indicated in EAX (READ).
10AH	266	IA32_ARCH_CAPABILITIES		Enumeration of Architectural Features (R/O) See Table 2-2.
1A4H	420	MSR_PREFETCH_CONTROL		Prefetch Disable Bits (R/W)
		0		L2_HARDWARE_PREFETCHER_DISABLE If 1, disables the L2 hardware prefetcher, which fetches additional lines of code or data into the L2 cache.
		1		L2_ADJACENT_CACHE_LINE_PREFETCHER_DISABLE If 1, disables the adjacent cache line prefetcher, which fetches the cache line that comprises a cache line pair (128 bytes).
		2		DCU_HARDWARE_PREFETCHER_DISABLE If 1, disables the L1 data cache prefetcher, which fetches the next cache line into L1 data cache.
		3		DCU_IP_PREFETCHER_DISABLE If 1, disables the L1 data cache IP prefetcher, which uses sequential load history (based on instruction pointer of previous loads) to determine whether to prefetch additional lines.
		4		Reserved.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		5		AMP_PREFETCH_DISABLE If 1, disables the L2 Adaptive Multipath Probability (AMP) prefetcher.
		63:6		Reserved.
1ADH	429	MSR_PRIMARY_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Primary Maximum Turbo Ratio Limit (R/W) See Table 2-46.
1AEH	430	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT_CORES	Package	See Table 2-50.
1C4H	452	IA32_XFD		Extended Feature Detect (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1C5H	453	IA32_XFD_ERR		XFD Error Code (R/W) See Table 2-2.
2C2H	706	MSR_COPY_SCAN_HASHES	Die	COPY_SCAN_HASHES (w)
		63:0		SCAN_HASH_ADDR Contains the linear address of the SCAN Test HASH Binary loaded into memory.
2C3H	707	MSR_SCAN_HASHES_STATUS		SCAN_HASHES_STATUS (R/O)
		15:0	Die	CHUNK_SIZE Chunk size of the test in KB.
		23:16	Die	NUM_CHUNKS Total number of chunks.
		31:24		Reserved: all zeros.
		39:32	Thread	ERROR_CODE The error-code refers to the LP that runs WRMSR(2C2H). 0x0: No error reported. 0x1: Attempt to copy scan-hashes when copy already in progress. 0x2: Secure Memory not set up correctly. 0x3: Scan-image header Image_info.ProgramID doesn't match RDMSR(2D9H)[31:24], or scan-image header Processor-Signature doesn't match F/M/S, or scan-image header Processor-Flags doesn't match PlatformID. 0x4: Reserved 0x5: Integrity check failed. 0x6: Re-install of scan test image attempted when current scan test image is in use by other LPs.
		50:40		Reserved: set to all zeros.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		62:51	Die	MAX_CORE_LIMIT Maximum Number of cores that can run Intel® In-field Scan simultaneously minus 1. 0 means 1 core at a time.
		63	Die	Valid Valid bit is set when COPY_SCAN_HASHES has completed successfully.
2C4H	708	MSR_AUTHENTICATE_AND_COPY_CHUNK	Die	AUTHENTICATE_AND_COPY_CHUNK (W)
		7:0		CHUNK_INDEX Chunk Index, should be less than the total number of chunks defined by NUM_CHUNKS (MSR_SCAN_HASHES_STATUS[23:16]).
		63:8		CHUNK_ADDR Bits 63:8 of 256B aligned Linear address of scan chunk in memory.
2C5H	709	MSR_CHUNKS_AUTHENTICATION_STATUS		CHUNKS_AUTHENTICATION_STATUS (R/O)
		7:0	Die	VALID_CHUNKS Total number of Valid (authenticated) chunks.
		15:8	Die	TOTAL_CHUNKS Total number of chunks.
		31:16		Reserved: all zeros.
		39:32	Thread	ERROR_CODE The error code refers to the LP that runs WRMSR(2C4H). 0x0: No error reported. 0x1: Attempt to authenticate a CHUNK which is already marked as authentic or is currently being installed by another core. 0x2: CHUNK authentication error. HASH of chunk did not match expected value.
		63:40		Reserved: set to all zeros.
2C6H	710	MSR_ACTIVATE_SCAN	Thread	ACTIVATE_SCAN (W)
		7:0		CHUNK_START_INDEX Indicates chunk index to start from.
		15:8		CHUNK_STOP_INDEX Indicates what chunk index to stop at (inclusive).
		31:16		Reserved: all zeros.
		62:32		THREAD_WAIT_DELAY TSC based delay to allow threads to rendezvous.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		63		SIGNAL_MCE If 1, then on scan-error log MC in MC4_STATUS and signal MCE if machine check signaling enabled in MC4_CTL[0]. If 0, then no logging/no signaling.
2C7H	711	MSR_SCAN_STATUS		SCAN_STATUS (R/O)
		7:0	Core	CHUNK_NUM SCAN Chunk that was reached.
		15:8	Core	CHUNK_STOP_INDEX Indicates what chunk index to stop at (inclusive). Maps to same field in WRMSR(ACTIVATE_SCAN).
		31:16		Reserved: return all zeros.
		39:32	Thread	ERROR_CODE 0x0: No error. 0x1: SCAN operation did not start. Other thread did not join in time. 0x2: SCAN operation did not start. Interrupt occurred prior to threads rendezvous. 0x3: SCAN operation did not start. Power Management conditions are inadequate to run Intel In-field Scan. 0x4: SCAN operation did not start. Non-valid chunks in the range CHUNK_STOP_INDEX : CHUNK_START_INDEX. 0x5: SCAN operation did not start. Mismatch in arguments between threads T0/T1. 0x6: SCAN operation did not start. Core not capable of performing SCAN currently. 0x8: SCAN operation did not start. Exceeded number of Logical Processors (LP) allowed to run Intel In-field Scan concurrently. MAX_CORE_LIMIT exceeded. 0x9: Interrupt occurred. Scan operation aborted prematurely, not all chunks requested have been executed.
		61:40		Reserved: return all zeros.
		62	Core	SCAN_CONTROL_ERROR Scan-System-Controller malfunction.
		63	Core	SCAN_SIGNATURE_ERROR Core failed SCAN-SIGNATURE checking for this chunk.
2C8H	712	MSR_SCAN_MODULE_ID	Module	SCAN_MODULE_ID (R/O)
		31:0		RevID of the currently installed scan test image. Maps to Revision field in external header (offset 4).
		63:32		Reserved: return all zeros.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
2C9H	713	MSR_LAST_SAF_WP	Core	LAST_SAF_WP (R/O)
		31:0		LAST_WP Provides information about the core when the last WRMSR(ACTIVATE_SCAN) was executed. Available only if enumerated in MSR_INTEGRITY_CAPABILITIES[10:9].
		63:32		Reserved: return all zeros.
2D9H	729	MSR_INTEGRITY_CAPABILITIES	Module	INTEGRITY_CAPABILITIES (R/O)
		0		STARTUP_SCAN_BIST When set, supports Intel In-field Scan.
		3:1		Reserved: return all zeros.
		4		PERIODIC_SCAN_BIST When set, supports Intel In-field Scan.
		23:5		Reserved: return all zeros.
		31:24		ID of the scan programs supported for this part. WRMSR(2C2H) verifies this value against the corresponding value in the scan-image header, i.e., Image_info.
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs," through Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." Bank MC4 reports MC errors from the PCU module. If SIGNAL_MCE is set, a Scan Status is logged in MC4_STATUS and MC4_MISC.
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	Package	
412H	1042	IA32_MC4_ADDR	Package	
413H	1043	IA32_MC4_MISC	Package	
492H	1170	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL3		Capability Reporting Register of Tertiary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
493H	1171	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL2		Capability Reporting Register of Secondary VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
540H	1344	MSR_THREAD_UARCH_CTL	Thread	Thread Microarchitectural Control (R/W) See Table 2-47.
65CH	1628	MSR_PLATFORM_POWER_LIMIT	Platform	Platform Power Limit Control (R/W-L) See Table 2-39.
6A0H	1696	IA32_U_CET		Configure User Mode CET (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A2H	1698	IA32_S_CET		Configure Supervisor Mode CET (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A4H	1700	IA32_PLO_SSP		Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 0. (R/W) See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
6A5H	1701	IA32_PL1_SSP		Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 1. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A6H	1702	IA32_PL2_SSP		Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 2. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A7H	1703	IA32_PL3_SSP		Linear address to be loaded into SSP on transition to privilege level 3. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6A8H	1704	IA32_INTERRUPT_SSP_TABLE_ADDR		Linear address of a table of seven shadow stack pointers that are selected in IA-32e mode using the IST index (when not 0) from the interrupt gate descriptor. (R/W) See Table 2-2.
6E1H	1761	IA32_PKRS		Specifies the PK permissions associated with each protection domain for supervisor pages (R/W) See Table 2-2.
776H	1910	IA32_HWP_CTL		See Table 2-2.
981H	2433	IA32_TME_CAPABILITY		Memory Encryption Capability MSR See Table 2-2.
985H	2437	IA32_UINTR_RR		User Interrupt Request Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
986H	2438	IA32_UINTR_HANDLER		User Interrupt Handler Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
987H	2439	IA32_UINTR_STACKADJUST		User Interrupt Stack Adjustment (R/W) See Table 2-2.
988H	2440	IA32_UINTR_MISC		User-Interrupt Target-Table Size and Notification Vector (R/W) See Table 2-2.
989H	2441	IA32_UINTR_PD		User Interrupt PID Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
98AH	2442	IA32_UINTR_TT		User-Interrupt Target Table (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C70H	3184	MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SELO	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
C71H	3185	MSR_B1_PMON_CTR0	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
C72H	3186	MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
C73H	3187	MSR_B1_PMON_CTR1	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C74H	3188	MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon event select MSR.
C75H	3189	MSR_B1_PMON_CTR2	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
C76H	3190	MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	Package	Uncore B-box 1 vperfmon event select MSR.
C77H	3191	MSR_B1_PMON_CTR3	Package	Uncore B-box 1 perfmon counter MSR.
C82H	3122	MSR_W_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	Package	Uncore W-box perfmon local box overflow control MSR.
C8FH	3215	IA32_PQR_ASSOC		See Table 2-2.
C90H - C9EH	3216 - 3230	IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_0 through IA32_L3_QOS_MASK_14	Package	See Table 2-50.
D10H - D17H	3344 - 3351	IA32_L2_QOS_MASK_[0-7]	Core	IA32_CR_L2_QOS_MASK_[0-7] If CPUID.(EAX=10H, ECX=1):EDX.COS_MAX[15:0] ≥ 0. See Table 2-2.
D93H	3475	IA32_PASID		See Table 2-2.
1200H - 121FH	4608 - 4639	IA32_LBR_x_INFO		Last Branch Record Entry X Info Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1406H	5126	IA32_MCU_CONTROL		See Table 2-2.
14CEH	5326	IA32_LBR_CTL		Last Branch Record Enabling and Configuration Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
14CFH	5327	IA32_LBR_DEPTH		Last Branch Record Maximum Stack Depth Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1500H - 151FH	5376 - 5407	IA32_LBR_x_FROM_IP		Last Branch Record Entry X Source IP Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
1600H - 161FH	5632 - 5663	IA32_LBR_x_TO_IP		Last Branch Record Entry X Destination IP Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.

2.18 MSRS IN THE INTEL® XEON PHI™ PROCESSOR 3200/5200/7200 SERIES AND THE INTEL® XEON PHI™ PROCESSOR 7215/7285/7295 SERIES

The Intel® Xeon Phi™ processor 3200, 5200, 7200 series, with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_57H, supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-53. These processors are based on the Knights Landing microarchitecture. The Intel® Xeon Phi™ processor 7215, 7285, 7295 series, with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel value of 06_85H, supports the MSR interfaces listed in Table 2-53 and Table 2-54.

These processors are based on the Knights Mill microarchitecture. Some MSRs are shared between a pair of processor cores, and the scope is marked as module.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
0H	0	IA32_P5_MC_ADDR	Module	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
1H	1	IA32_P5_MC_TYPE	Module	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_SIZE	Thread	See Section 9.10.5, "Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination." See Table 2-2.
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	Thread	See Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter," and Table 2-2.
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	Package	Platform ID (R) See Table 2-2.
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE	Thread	See Section 11.4.4, "Local APIC Status and Location," and Table 2-2.
34H	52	MSR_SMI_COUNT	Thread	SMI Counter (R/O)
		31:0		SMI Count (R/O)
		63:32		Reserved
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Thread	Control Features in Intel 64Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Lock (R/WL)
		1		Reserved
		2		Enable VMX outside SMX operation (R/WL)
3BH	59	IA32_TSC_ADJUST	THREAD	Per-Logical-Processor TSC ADJUST (R/W) See Table 2-2.
4EH	78	IA32_PPIN_CTL (MSR_PPIN_CTL)	Package	Protected Processor Inventory Number Enable Control (R/W)
		0		LockOut (R/WO) See Table 2-2.
		1		Enable_PPIN (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		63:2		Reserved
4FH	79	IA32_PPIN (MSR_PPIN)	Package	Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O)
		63:0		Protected Processor Inventory Number (R/O) See Table 2-2.
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	Core	BIOS Update Trigger Register (W) See Table 2-2.
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID	THREAD	BIOS Update Signature ID (R/W) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-53. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_57H or 06_85H (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C1H	193	IA32_PMC0	THREAD	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C2H	194	IA32_PMC1	THREAD	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
CEH	206	MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	Package	Platform Information Contains power management and other model specific features enumeration. See http://biosbits.org .
		7:0		Reserved
		15:8	Package	Maximum Non-Turbo Ratio (R/O) This is the ratio of the frequency that invariant TSC runs at. Frequency = ratio * 100 MHz.
		27:16		Reserved
		28	Package	Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is enabled. When set to 0, indicates Programmable Ratio Limit for Turbo mode is disabled.
		29	Package	Programmable TDP Limit for Turbo Mode (R/O) When set to 1, indicates that TDP Limit for Turbo mode is programmable. When set to 0, indicates TDP Limit for Turbo mode is not programmable.
		39:30		Reserved
		47:40	Package	Maximum Efficiency Ratio (R/O) This is the minimum ratio (maximum efficiency) that the processor can operate, in units of 100MHz.
		63:48		Reserved
E2H	226	MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	Package	C-State Configuration Control (R/W)

Table 2-53. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_57H or 06_85H (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2:0		<p>Package C-State Limit (R/W)</p> <p>Specifies the lowest C-state for the package. This feature does not limit the processor core C-state. The power-on default value from bit[2:0] of this register reports the deepest package C-state the processor is capable to support when manufactured. It is recommended that BIOS always read the power-on default value reported from this bit field to determine the supported deepest C-state on the processor and leave it as default without changing it.</p> <p>000b - C0/C1 (No package C-state support) 001b - C2 010b - C6 (non retention)* 011b - C6 (Retention)* 100b - Reserved 101b - Reserved 110b - Reserved 111b - No package C-state limit. All C-States supported by the processor are available.</p> <p>Note: C6 retention mode provides more power saving than C6 non-retention mode. Limiting the package to C6 non retention mode does prevent the MSR_PKG_C6_RESIDENCY counter (MSR 3F9h) from being incremented.</p>
		9:3		Reserved
		10		<p>I/O MWAIT Redirection Enable (R/W)</p> <p>When set, will map IO_read instructions sent to IO registers at MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE[15:0] to MWAIT instructions.</p>
		14:11		Reserved
		15		<p>CFG Lock (R/O)</p> <p>When set, locks bits [15:0] of this register for further writes until the next reset occurs.</p>
		25		Reserved
		26		<p>C1 State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)</p> <p>When set, the processor will conditionally demote C3/C6/C7 requests to C1 based on uncore auto-demote information.</p>
		27		Reserved
		28		<p>C1 State Auto Undemotion Enable (R/W)</p> <p>When set, enables Undemotion from Demoted C1.</p>
		29		<p>PKG C-State Auto Demotion Enable (R/W)</p> <p>When set, enables Package C state demotion.</p>
		63:30		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E4H	228	MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE	Tile	Power Management IO Capture Base (R/W)
		15:0		LVL_2 Base Address (R/W) Microcode will compare IO-read zone to this base address to determine if an MWAIT(C2/3/4) needs to be issued instead of the IO-read. Should be programmed to the chipset Plevel_2 IO address.
		22:16		C-State Range (R/W) The IO-port block size in which IO-redirection will be executed (0-127). Should be programmed based on the number of LVLx registers existing in the chipset.
		63:23		Reserved
E7H	231	IA32_MPERF	Thread	Maximum Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
E8H	232	IA32_APERF	Thread	Actual Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	Core	Memory Type Range Register (R) See Table 2-2.
13CH	316	MSR_FEATURE_CONFIG	Core	AES Configuration (RW-L) Privileged post-BIOS agent must provide a #GP handler to handle unsuccessful read of this MSR.
		1:0		AES Configuration (RW-L) Upon a successful read of this MSR, the configuration of AES instruction set availability is as follows: 11b: AES instructions are not available until next RESET. Otherwise, AES instructions are available. Note, the AES instruction set is not available if read is unsuccessful. If the configuration is not 01b, AES instructions can be mis-configured if a privileged agent unintentionally writes 11b.
		63:2		Reserved
140H	320	MISC_FEATURE_ENABLES	Thread	MISC_FEATURE_ENABLES
		0		Reserved
		1		User Mode MONITOR and MWAIT (R/W) If set to 1, the MONITOR and MWAIT instructions do not cause invalid-opcode exceptions when executed with CPL > 0 or in virtual-8086 mode. If MWAIT is executed when CPL > 0 or in virtual-8086 mode, and if EAX indicates a C-state other than C0 or C1, the instruction operates as if EAX indicated the C-state C1.
		63:2		Reserved
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	Thread	See Table 2-2.
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	Thread	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Thread	See Table 2-2.
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Thread	See Table 2-2.
17DH	381	MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP	Thread	Enhanced SMM Capabilities (SMM-RO) Reports SMM capability Enhancement. Accessible only while in SMM.
		31:0		Bank Support (SMM-RO) One bit per MCA bank. If the bit is set, that bank supports Enhanced MCA (Default all 0; does not support EMCA).
		55:32		Reserved
		56		Targeted SMI (SMM-RO) Set if targeted SMI is supported.
		57		SMM_CPU_SVRSTR (SMM-RO) Set if SMM SRAM save/restore feature is supported.
		58		SMM_CODE_ACCESS_CHK (SMM-RO) Set if SMM code access check feature is supported.
		59		Long_Flow_Indication (SMM-RO) If set to 1, indicates that the SMM long flow indicator is supported and a host-space interface available to SMM handler.
		63:60		Reserved
186H	390	IA32_PERFEVTSELO	Thread	Performance Monitoring Event Select Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		7:0		Event Select
		15:8		UMask
		16		USR
		17		OS
		18		Edge
		19		PC
		20		INT
		21		AnyThread
		22		EN
		23		INV
		31:24		CMASK
		63:32		Reserved
187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	Package	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	Thread	See Table 2-2.
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Thread	Clock Modulation (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Module	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Module	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		0		Thermal Status (R/O)
		1		Thermal Status Log (R/WCO)
		2		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Status (R/O)
		3		PROTCHOT # or FORCEPR# Log (R/WCO)
		4		Critical Temperature Status (R/O)
		5		Critical Temperature Status Log (R/WCO)
		6		Thermal Threshold #1 Status (R/O)
		7		Thermal Threshold #1 Log (R/WCO)
		8		Thermal Threshold #2 Status (R/O)
		9		Thermal Threshold #2 Log (R/WCO)
		10		Power Limitation Status (R/O)
		11		Power Limitation Log (R/WCO)
		15:12		Reserved
		22:16		Digital Readout (R/O)
		26:23		Reserved
		30:27		Resolution in Degrees Celsius (R/O)
31		Reading Valid (R/O)		
63:32		Reserved		
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE	Thread	Enable Misc. Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		0		Fast-Strings Enable
		2:1		Reserved
		3		Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W)
		6:4		Reserved
		7		Performance Monitoring Available (R)
		10:8		Reserved
		11		Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O)
		12		Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R/O)
15:13		Reserved		

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		16		Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W)
		18		ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W)
		21:19		Reserved
		22		Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W)
		23		xTPR Message Disable (R/W)
		33:24		Reserved
		34		XD Bit Disable (R/W)
		37:35		Reserved
		38		Turbo Mode Disable (R/W)
		63:39		Reserved
1A2H	418	MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET	Package	Temperature Target
		15:0		Reserved
		23:16		Temperature Target (R)
		29:24		Target Offset (R/W)
		63:30		Reserved
1A4H	420	MSR_MISC_FEATURE_CONTROL		Miscellaneous Feature Control (R/W)
		0	Core	DCU Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L1 data cache prefetcher.
		1	Core	L2 Hardware Prefetcher Disable (R/W) If 1, disables the L2 hardware prefetcher.
		63:2		Reserved
1A6H	422	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_0	Shared	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)
1A7H	423	MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_1	Shared	Offcore Response Event Select Register (R/W)
1ADH	429	MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit of Turbo Mode for Groups of Cores (R/W)
		0		Reserved
		7:1	Package	Maximum Number of Cores in Group 0 Number active processor cores which operates under the maximum ratio limit for group 0.
		15:8	Package	Maximum Ratio Limit for Group 0 Maximum turbo ratio limit when the number of active cores are not more than the group 0 maximum core count.
		20:16	Package	Number of Incremental Cores Added to Group 1 Group 1, which includes the specified number of additional cores plus the cores in group 0, operates under the group 1 turbo max ratio limit = "group 0 Max ratio limit" - "group ratio delta for group 1".

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		23:21	Package	Group Ratio Delta for Group 1 An unsigned integer specifying the ratio decrement relative to the Max ratio limit to Group 0.
		28:24	Package	Number of Incremental Cores Added to Group 2 Group 2, which includes the specified number of additional cores plus all the cores in group 1, operates under the group 2 turbo max ratio limit = "group 1 Max ratio limit" - "group ratio delta for group 2".
		31:29	Package	Group Ratio Delta for Group 2 An unsigned integer specifying the ratio decrement relative to the Max ratio limit for Group 1.
		36:32	Package	Number of Incremental Cores Added to Group 3 Group 3, which includes the specified number of additional cores plus all the cores in group 2, operates under the group 3 turbo max ratio limit = "group 2 Max ratio limit" - "group ratio delta for group 3".
		39:37	Package	Group Ratio Delta for Group 3 An unsigned integer specifying the ratio decrement relative to the Max ratio limit for Group 2.
		44:40	Package	Number of Incremental Cores Added to Group 4 Group 4, which includes the specified number of additional cores plus all the cores in group 3, operates under the group 4 turbo max ratio limit = "group 3 Max ratio limit" - "group ratio delta for group 4".
		47:45	Package	Group Ratio Delta for Group 4 An unsigned integer specifying the ratio decrement relative to the Max ratio limit for Group 3.
		52:48	Package	Number of Incremental Cores Added to Group 5 Group 5, which includes the specified number of additional cores plus all the cores in group 4, operates under the group 5 turbo max ratio limit = "group 4 Max ratio limit" - "group ratio delta for group 5".
		55:53	Package	Group Ratio Delta for Group 5 An unsigned integer specifying the ratio decrement relative to the Max ratio limit for Group 4.
		60:56	Package	Number of Incremental Cores Added to Group 6 Group 6, which includes the specified number of additional cores plus all the cores in group 5, operates under the group 6 turbo max ratio limit = "group 5 Max ratio limit" - "group ratio delta for group 6".
		63:61	Package	Group Ratio Delta for Group 6 An unsigned integer specifying the ratio decrement relative to the Max ratio limit for Group 5.
1B0H	432	IA32_ENERGY_PERF_BIAS	Thread	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1B1H	433	IA32_PACKAGE_THERM_STATUS	Package	See Table 2-2.
1B2H	434	IA32_PACKAGE_THERM_INTERRUPT	Package	See Table 2-2.
1C8H	456	MSR_LBR_SELECT	Thread	Last Branch Record Filtering Select Register (R/W) See Section 18.9.2, "Filtering of Last Branch Records."
		0		CPL_EQ_0
		1		CPL_NEQ_0
		2		JCC
		3		NEAR_REL_CALL
		4		NEAR_IND_CALL
		5		NEAR_RET
		6		NEAR_IND_JMP
		7		NEAR_REL_JMP
		8		FAR_BRANCH
63:9		Reserved		
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Thread	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-2) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record. See MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP.
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL	Thread	Debug Control (R/W)
		0		LBR Setting this bit to 1 enables the processor to record a running trace of the most recent branches taken by the processor in the LBR stack.
		1		BTF Setting this bit to 1 enables the processor to treat EFLAGS.TF as single-step on branches instead of single-step on instructions.
		5:2		Reserved
		6		TR Setting this bit to 1 enables branch trace messages to be sent.
		7		BTS Setting this bit enables branch trace messages (BTMs) to be logged in a BTS buffer.
		8		BTINT When clear, BTMs are logged in a BTS buffer in circular fashion. When this bit is set, an interrupt is generated by the BTS facility when the BTS buffer is full.
9		BTS_OFF_OS When set, BTS or BTM is skipped if CPL = 0.		

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		10		BTS_OFF_USR When set, BTS or BTM is skipped if CPL > 0.
		11		FREEZE_LBRS_ON_PMI When set, the LBR stack is frozen on a PMI request.
		12		FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI When set, each ENABLE bit of the global counter control MSR are frozen (address 3BFH) on a PMI request.
		13		Reserved
		14		FREEZE_WHILE_SMM When set, freezes perfmon and trace messages while in SMM.
		31:15		Reserved
1DDH	477	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	Thread	Last Exception Record from Linear IP (R)
1DEH	478	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	Thread	Last Exception Record to Linear IP (R)
1F2H	498	IA32_SMRR_PHYSBASE	Core	See Table 2-2.
1F3H	499	IA32_SMRR_PHYSMASK	Core	See Table 2-2.
200H	512	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE0	Core	See Table 2-2.
201H	513	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK0	Core	See Table 2-2.
202H	514	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE1	Core	See Table 2-2.
203H	515	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK1	Core	See Table 2-2.
204H	516	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE2	Core	See Table 2-2.
205H	517	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK2	Core	See Table 2-2.
206H	518	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE3	Core	See Table 2-2.
207H	519	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK3	Core	See Table 2-2.
208H	520	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE4	Core	See Table 2-2.
209H	521	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK4	Core	See Table 2-2.
20AH	522	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE5	Core	See Table 2-2.
20BH	523	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK5	Core	See Table 2-2.
20CH	524	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE6	Core	See Table 2-2.
20DH	525	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK6	Core	See Table 2-2.
20EH	526	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE7	Core	See Table 2-2.
20FH	527	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK7	Core	See Table 2-2.
250H	592	IA32_MTRR_FIX64K_00000	Core	See Table 2-2.
258H	600	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_80000	Core	See Table 2-2.
259H	601	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_A0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
268H	616	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
269H	617	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C8000	Core	See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
26AH	618	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26BH	619	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D8000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26CH	620	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26DH	621	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E8000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26EH	622	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F0000	Core	See Table 2-2.
26FH	623	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F8000	Core	See Table 2-2.
277H	631	IA32_PAT	Core	See Table 2-2.
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	Core	Default Memory Types (R/W) See Table 2-2.
309H	777	IA32_FIXED_CTR0	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 0 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30AH	778	IA32_FIXED_CTR1	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 1 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
30BH	779	IA32_FIXED_CTR2	Thread	Fixed-Function Performance Counter Register 2 (R/W) See Table 2-2.
345H	837	IA32_PERF_CAPABILITIES	Package	See Table 2-2. See Section 18.4.1, "IA32_DEBUGCTL MSR."
38DH	909	IA32_FIXED_CTR_CTRL	Thread	Fixed-Function-Counter Control Register (R/W) See Table 2-2.
38EH	910	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	Thread	See Table 2-2.
38FH	911	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	Thread	See Table 2-2.
390H	912	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	Thread	See Table 2-2.
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	Thread	See Table 2-2.
3F8H	1016	MSR_PKG_C3_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
		63:0		Package C3 Residency Counter (R/O)
3F9H	1017	MSR_PKG_C6_RESIDENCY	Package	
		63:0		Package C6 Residency Counter (R/O)
3FAH	1018	MSR_PKG_C7_RESIDENCY	Package	
		63:0		Package C7 Residency Counter (R/O)
3FCH	1020	MSR_MCO_RESIDENCY	Module	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
		63:0		Module C0 Residency Counter (R/O)
3FDH	1021	MSR_MC6_RESIDENCY	Module	
		63:0		Module C6 Residency Counter (R/O)

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Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3FFH	1023	MSR_CORE_C6_RESIDENCY	Core	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
		63:0		CORE C6 Residency Counter (R/O)
400H	1024	IA32_MC0_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MC0_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
402H	1026	IA32_MC0_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
40CH	1036	IA32_MC3_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	IA32_MC3_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
40EH	1038	IA32_MC3_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	Core	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	Core	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
412H	1042	IA32_MC4_ADDR	Core	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC4_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
414H	1044	IA32_MC5_CTL	Package	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
415H	1045	IA32_MC5_STATUS	Package	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
416H	1046	IA32_MC5_ADDR	Package	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs."
4C1H	1217	IA32_A_PMC0	Thread	See Table 2-2.
4C2H	1218	IA32_A_PMC1	Thread	See Table 2-2.
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	Thread	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2.
606H	1542	MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT	Package	Unit Multipliers Used in RAPL Interfaces (R/O)
		3:0	Package	Power Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		7:4	Package	Reserved

Table 2-53. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_57H or 06_85H (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		12:8	Package	Energy Status Units Energy related information (in Joules) is based on the multiplier, 1/2^ESU; where ESU is an unsigned integer represented by bits 12:8. Default value is 0EH (or 61 micro-joules).
		15:13	Package	Reserved
		19:16	Package	Time Units See Section 15.10.1, "RAPL Interfaces."
		63:20		Reserved
60DH	1549	MSR_PKG_C2_RESIDENCY	Package	Note: C-state values are processor specific C-state code names, unrelated to MWAIT extension C-state parameters or ACPI C-states.
		63:0		Package C2 Residency Counter (R/O)
610H	1552	MSR_PKG_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PKG RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
611H	1553	MSR_PKG_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PKG Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
613H	1555	MSR_PKG_PERF_STATUS	Package	PKG Perf Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
614H	1556	MSR_PKG_POWER_INFO	Package	PKG RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.3, "Package RAPL Domain."
618H	1560	MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	Package	DRAM RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
619H	1561	MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	DRAM Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61BH	1563	MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	Package	DRAM Performance Throttling Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
61CH	1564	MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	Package	DRAM RAPL Parameters (R/W) See Section 15.10.5, "DRAM RAPL Domain."
638H	1592	MSR_PPO_POWER_LIMIT	Package	PPO RAPL Power Limit Control (R/W) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."
639H	1593	MSR_PPO_ENERGY_STATUS	Package	PPO Energy Status (R/O) See Section 15.10.4, "PPO/PP1 RAPL Domains."
648H	1608	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_NOMINAL	Package	Base TDP Ratio (R/O) See Table 2-25.
649H	1609	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_LEVEL1	Package	ConfigTDP Level 1 ratio and power level (R/O) See Table 2-25.
64AH	1610	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_LEVEL2	Package	ConfigTDP Level 2 ratio and power level (R/O) See Table 2-25.

Table 2-53. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_57H or 06_85H (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
64BH	1611	MSR_CONFIG_TDP_CONTROL	Package	ConfigTDP Control (R/W) See Table 2-25.
64CH	1612	MSR_TURBO_ACTIVATION_RATIO	Package	ConfigTDP Control (R/W) See Table 2-25.
690H	1680	MSR_CORE_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	Package	Indicator of Frequency Clipping in Processor Cores (R/W) (Frequency refers to processor core frequency.)
		0		PROCHOT Status (RO)
		1		Thermal Status (RO)
		5:2		Reserved
		6		VR Therm Alert Status (RO)
		7		Reserved
		8		Electrical Design Point Status (RO)
		63:9		Reserved
6E0H	1760	IA32_TSC_DEADLINE	Core	TSC Target of Local APIC's TSC Deadline Mode (R/W) See Table 2-2.
802H	2050	IA32_X2APIC_APICID	Thread	x2APIC ID Register (R/O)
803H	2051	IA32_X2APIC_VERSION	Thread	x2APIC Version Register (R/O)
808H	2056	IA32_X2APIC_TPR	Thread	x2APIC Task Priority Register (R/W)
80AH	2058	IA32_X2APIC_PPR	Thread	x2APIC Processor Priority Register (R/O)
80BH	2059	IA32_X2APIC_EOI	Thread	x2APIC EOI Register (W/O)
80DH	2061	IA32_X2APIC_LDR	Thread	x2APIC Logical Destination Register (R/O)
80FH	2063	IA32_X2APIC_SIVR	Thread	x2APIC Spurious Interrupt Vector Register (R/W)
810H	2064	IA32_X2APIC_ISR0	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [31:0] (R/O)
811H	2065	IA32_X2APIC_ISR1	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [63:32] (R/O)
812H	2066	IA32_X2APIC_ISR2	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [95:64] (R/O)
813H	2067	IA32_X2APIC_ISR3	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [127:96] (R/O)
814H	2068	IA32_X2APIC_ISR4	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [159:128] (R/O)
815H	2069	IA32_X2APIC_ISR5	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [191:160] (R/O)
816H	2070	IA32_X2APIC_ISR6	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [223:192] (R/O)
817H	2071	IA32_X2APIC_ISR7	Thread	x2APIC In-Service Register Bits [255:224] (R/O)
818H	2072	IA32_X2APIC_TMR0	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [31:0] (R/O)
819H	2073	IA32_X2APIC_TMR1	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [63:32] (R/O)
81AH	2074	IA32_X2APIC_TMR2	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [95:64] (R/O)
81BH	2075	IA32_X2APIC_TMR3	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [127:96] (R/O)
81CH	2076	IA32_X2APIC_TMR4	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [159:128] (R/O)
81DH	2077	IA32_X2APIC_TMR5	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [191:160] (R/O)
81EH	2078	IA32_X2APIC_TMR6	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [223:192] (R/O)

Table 2-53. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_57H or 06_85H (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
81FH	2079	IA32_X2APIC_TMR7	Thread	x2APIC Trigger Mode Register Bits [255:224] (R/O)
820H	2080	IA32_X2APIC_IRR0	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [31:0] (R/O)
821H	2081	IA32_X2APIC_IRR1	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [63:32] (R/O)
822H	2082	IA32_X2APIC_IRR2	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [95:64] (R/O)
823H	2083	IA32_X2APIC_IRR3	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [127:96] (R/O)
824H	2084	IA32_X2APIC_IRR4	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [159:128] (R/O)
825H	2085	IA32_X2APIC_IRR5	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [191:160] (R/O)
826H	2086	IA32_X2APIC_IRR6	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [223:192] (R/O)
827H	2087	IA32_X2APIC_IRR7	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Request Register Bits [255:224] (R/O)
828H	2088	IA32_X2APIC_ESR	Thread	x2APIC Error Status Register (R/W)
82FH	2095	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_CMCI	Thread	x2APIC LVT Corrected Machine Check Interrupt Register (R/W)
830H	2096	IA32_X2APIC_ICR	Thread	x2APIC Interrupt Command Register (R/W)
832H	2098	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_TIMER	Thread	x2APIC LVT Timer Interrupt Register (R/W)
833H	2099	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_THERMAL	Thread	x2APIC LVT Thermal Sensor Interrupt Register (R/W)
834H	2100	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_PMI	Thread	x2APIC LVT Performance Monitor Register (R/W)
835H	2101	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_LINT0	Thread	x2APIC LVT LINT0 Register (R/W)
836H	2102	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_LINT1	Thread	x2APIC LVT LINT1 Register (R/W)
837H	2103	IA32_X2APIC_LVT_ERROR	Thread	x2APIC LVT Error Register (R/W)
838H	2104	IA32_X2APIC_INIT_COUNT	Thread	x2APIC Initial Count Register (R/W)
839H	2105	IA32_X2APIC_CUR_COUNT	Thread	x2APIC Current Count Register (R/O)
83EH	2110	IA32_X2APIC_DIV_CONF	Thread	x2APIC Divide Configuration Register (R/W)
83FH	2111	IA32_X2APIC_SELF_IPI	Thread	x2APIC Self IPI Register (W/O)
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	Thread	Extended Feature Enables See Table 2-2.
C000_0081H		IA32_STAR	Thread	System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0082H		IA32_LSTAR	Thread	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0084H		IA32_FMASK	Thread	System Call Flag Mask (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0100H		IA32_FS_BASE	Thread	Map of BASE Address of FS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0101H		IA32_GS_BASE	Thread	Map of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0102H		IA32_KERNEL_GS_BASE	Thread	Swap Target of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-53. Selected MSRs Supported by Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processors with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_57H or 06_85H (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields (Former MSR Name)	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
C000_0103H		IA32_TSC_AUX	Thread	AUXILIARY TSC Signature (R/W) See Table 2-2

Table 2-54 lists model-specific registers that are supported by the Intel® Xeon Phi™ processor 7215, 7285, 7295 series based on the Knights Mill microarchitecture.

Table 2-54. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 7215, 7285, 7295 Series with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_85H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
9BH	155	IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL	Core	SMM Monitor Configuration (R/W) This MSR is readable only if VMX is enabled, and writeable only if VMX is enabled and in SMM mode, and is used to configure the VMX MSEG base address. See Table 2-2.
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	Core	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2.
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-based VM-execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-based VM-execution Controls (R/O)
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-exit Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-entry Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	Core	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2.
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CR0_FIXED0	Core	Capability Reporting Register of CR0 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2.
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CR0_FIXED1	Core	Capability Reporting Register of CR0 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2.
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	Core	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Table 2-2.
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	Core	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Table 2-2.

Table 2-54. Additional MSRs Supported by the Intel® Xeon Phi™ Processor 7215, 7285, 7295 Series with a CPUID Signature DisplayFamily_DisplayModel Value of 06_85H

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Scope	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Table 2-2.
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTLSS2	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
48CH	1164	IA32_VMX_EPT_VPID_ENUM	Core	Capability Reporting Register of EPT and VPID (R/O) See Table 2-2.
48DH	1165	IA32_VMX_TRUE_PINBASED_CTLSS	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
48EH	1166	IA32_VMX_TRUE_PROCBASED_CTLSS	Core	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
48FH	1167	IA32_VMX_TRUE_EXIT_CTLSS	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
490H	1168	IA32_VMX_TRUE_ENTRY_CTLSS	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Flex Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.
491H	1169	IA32_VMX_FMFUNC	Core	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Function Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2.

2.19 MSRS IN THE PENTIUM® 4 AND INTEL® XEON® PROCESSORS

Table 2-55 lists MSRs (architectural and model-specific) that are defined across processor generations based on Intel NetBurst microarchitecture. The processor can be identified by its CPUID signatures of DisplayFamily encoding of 0FH, see Table 2-1.

- MSRs with an "IA32_" prefix are designated as "architectural." This means that the functions of these MSRs and their addresses remain the same for succeeding families of IA-32 processors.
- MSRs with an "MSR_" prefix are model specific with respect to address functionalities. The column "Model Availability" lists the model encoding value(s) within the Pentium 4 and Intel Xeon processor family at the specified register address. The model encoding value of a processor can be queried using CPUID. See "CPUID—CPU Identification" in Chapter 3 of the Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer’s Manual, Volume 2A.

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
0H	0	IA32_P5_MC_ADDR	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
1H	1	IA32_P5_MC_TYPE	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_LINE_SIZE	3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 9.10.5, "Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination."
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Time Stamp Counter See Table 2-2.
					On earlier processors, only the lower 32 bits are writable. On any write to the lower 32 bits, the upper 32 bits are cleared. For processor family 0FH, models 3 and 4: all 64 bits are writable.
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Platform ID (R) See Table 2-2. The operating system can use this MSR to determine "slot" information for the processor and the proper microcode update to load.
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	APIC Location and Status (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 11.4.4, "Local APIC Status and Location."
2AH	42	MSR_EBC_HARD_POWERON	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Processor Hard Power-On Configuration (R/W) Enables and disables processor features. (R) Indicates current processor configuration.
		0			Output Tri-state Enabled (R) Indicates whether tri-state output is enabled (1) or disabled (0) as set by the strapping of SMI#. The value in this bit is written on the deassertion of RESET#; the bit is set to 1 when the address bus signal is asserted.
		1			Execute BIST (R) Indicates whether the execution of the BIST is enabled (1) or disabled (0) as set by the strapping of INIT#. The value in this bit is written on the deassertion of RESET#; the bit is set to 1 when the address bus signal is asserted.
		2			In Order Queue Depth (R) Indicates whether the in order queue depth for the system bus is 1 (1) or up to 12 (0) as set by the strapping of A7#. The value in this bit is written on the deassertion of RESET#; the bit is set to 1 when the address bus signal is asserted.

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
		3			MCERR# Observation Disabled (R) Indicates whether MCERR# observation is enabled (0) or disabled (1) as determined by the strapping of A9#. The value in this bit is written on the deassertion of RESET#; the bit is set to 1 when the address bus signal is asserted.
		4			BINIT# Observation Enabled (R) Indicates whether BINIT# observation is enabled (0) or disabled (1) as determined by the strapping of A10#. The value in this bit is written on the deassertion of RESET#; the bit is set to 1 when the address bus signal is asserted.
		6:5			APIC Cluster ID (R) Contains the logical APIC cluster ID value as set by the strapping of A12# and A11#. The logical cluster ID value is written into the field on the deassertion of RESET#; the field is set to 1 when the address bus signal is asserted.
		7			Bus Park Disable (R) Indicates whether bus park is enabled (0) or disabled (1) as set by the strapping of A15#. The value in this bit is written on the deassertion of RESET#; the bit is set to 1 when the address bus signal is asserted.
		11:8			Reserved
		13:12			Agent ID (R) Contains the logical agent ID value as set by the strapping of BR[3:0]. The logical ID value is written into the field on the deassertion of RESET#; the field is set to 1 when the address bus signal is asserted.
		63:14			Reserved
2BH	43	MSR_EBC_SOFT_POWERON	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Processor Soft Power-On Configuration (R/W) Enables and disables processor features.
		0			RCNT/SCNT On Request Encoding Enable (R/W) Controls the driving of RCNT/SCNT on the request encoding. Set to enable (1); clear to disabled (0, default).
		1			Data Error Checking Disable (R/W) Set to disable system data bus parity checking; clear to enable parity checking.
		2			Response Error Checking Disable (R/W) Set to disable (default); clear to enable.
		3			Address/Request Error Checking Disable (R/W) Set to disable (default); clear to enable.

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
		4			Initiator MCERR# Disable (R/W) Set to disable MCERR# driving for initiator bus requests (default); clear to enable.
		5			Internal MCERR# Disable (R/W) Set to disable MCERR# driving for initiator internal errors (default); clear to enable.
		6			BINIT# Driver Disable (R/W) Set to disable BINIT# driver (default); clear to enable driver.
		63:7			Reserved
2CH	44	MSR_EBC_FREQUENCY_ID	2,3, 4, 6	Shared	Processor Frequency Configuration The bit field layout of this MSR varies according to the MODEL value in the CPUID version information. The following bit field layout applies to Pentium 4 and Xeon Processors with MODEL encoding equal or greater than 2. (R) The field Indicates the current processor frequency configuration.
		15:0			Reserved
		18:16			Scalable Bus Speed (R/W) Indicates the intended scalable bus speed: <u>Encoding Scalable Bus Speed</u> 000B 100 MHz (Model 2) 000B 266 MHz (Model 3 or 4) 001B 133 MHz 010B 200 MHz 011B 166 MHz 100B 333 MHz (Model 6)
					133.33 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 001B. 166.67 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 011B.
					266.67 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 000B and model encoding = 3 or 4. 333.33 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 100B and model encoding = 6. All other values are reserved.
		23:19			Reserved

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
		31:24			Core Clock Frequency to System Bus Frequency Ratio (R) The processor core clock frequency to system bus frequency ratio observed at the deassertion of the reset pin.
		63:25			Reserved
2CH	44	MSR_EBC_FREQUENCY_ID	0, 1	Shared	Processor Frequency Configuration (R) The bit field layout of this MSR varies according to the MODEL value of the CPUID version information. This bit field layout applies to Pentium 4 and Xeon Processors with MODEL encoding less than 2. Indicates current processor frequency configuration.
		20:0			Reserved
		23:21			Scalable Bus Speed (R/W) Indicates the intended scalable bus speed: <u>Encoding Scalable Bus Speed</u> 000B 100 MHz All others values reserved.
		63:24			Reserved
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	3, 4, 6	Unique	Control Features in IA-32 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2. (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	BIOS Update Trigger Register (W) See Table 2-2.
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	BIOS Update Signature ID (R/W) See Table 2-2.
9BH	155	IA32_SMM_MONITOR_CTL	3, 4, 6	Unique	SMM Monitor Configuration (R/W) See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	MTRR Information See Section 12.11.1, "MTRR Feature Identification."
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	CS Register Target for CPL 0 Code (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 5.8.7, "Performing Fast Calls to System Procedures with the SYSENTER and SYSEXIT Instructions."
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Stack Pointer for CPL 0 Stack (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 5.8.7, "Performing Fast Calls to System Procedures with the SYSENTER and SYSEXIT Instructions."

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	CPL 0 Code Entry Point (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 5.8.7, "Performing Fast Calls to System Procedures with the SYSENTER and SYSEXIT Instructions."
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check Capabilities (R) See Table 2-2. See Section 16.3.1.1, "IA32_MCG_CAP MSR."
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check Status (R) See Table 2-2. See Section 16.3.1.2, "IA32_MCG_STATUS MSR."
17BH	379	IA32_MCG_CTL			Machine Check Feature Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 16.3.1.3, "IA32_MCG_CTL MSR."
180H	384	MSR_MCG_RAX	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check EAX/RAX Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
181H	385	MSR_MCG_RBX	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check EBX/RBX Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
182H	386	MSR_MCG_RCX	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check ECX/RCX Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
183H	387	MSR_MCG_RDX	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check EDX/RDX Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
184H	388	MSR_MCG_RSI	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check ESI/RSI Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.

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Hex	Dec				
185H	389	MSR_MCG_RDI	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check EDI/RDI Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
186H	390	MSR_MCG_RBP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check EBP/RBP Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
187H	391	MSR_MCG_RSP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check ESP/RSP Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
188H	392	MSR_MCG_RFLAGS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check EFLAGS/RFLAG Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
189H	393	MSR_MCG_RIP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check EIP/RIP Save State See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Contains register state at time of machine check error. When in non-64-bit modes at the time of the error, bits 63-32 do not contain valid data.
18AH	394	MSR_MCG_MISC	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check Miscellaneous See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		0			DS When set, the bit indicates that a page assist or page fault occurred during DS normal operation. The processors response is to shut down. The bit is used as an aid for debugging DS handling code. It is the responsibility of the user (BIOS or operating system) to clear this bit for normal operation.
		63:1			Reserved
18BH-18FH	395-399	MSR_MCG_RESERVED1 - MSR_MCG_RESERVED5			Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
190H	400	MSR_MCG_R8	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check R8 See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Registers R8-15 (and the associated state-save MSRs) exist only in Intel 64 processors. These registers contain valid information only when the processor is operating in 64-bit mode at the time of the error.
191H	401	MSR_MCG_R9	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check R9D/R9 See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Registers R8-15 (and the associated state-save MSRs) exist only in Intel 64 processors. These registers contain valid information only when the processor is operating in 64-bit mode at the time of the error.
192H	402	MSR_MCG_R10	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check R10 See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Registers R8-15 (and the associated state-save MSRs) exist only in Intel 64 processors. These registers contain valid information only when the processor is operating in 64-bit mode at the time of the error.
193H	403	MSR_MCG_R11	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check R11 See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Registers R8-15 (and the associated state-save MSRs) exist only in Intel 64 processors. These registers contain valid information only when the processor is operating in 64-bit mode at the time of the error.
194H	404	MSR_MCG_R12	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check R12 See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Registers R8-15 (and the associated state-save MSRs) exist only in Intel 64 processors. These registers contain valid information only when the processor is operating in 64-bit mode at the time of the error.
195H	405	MSR_MCG_R13	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check R13 See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
		63:0			Registers R8-15 (and the associated state-save MSRs) exist only in Intel 64 processors. These registers contain valid information only when the processor is operating in 64-bit mode at the time of the error.
196H	406	MSR_MCG_R14	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check R14 See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Registers R8-15 (and the associated state-save MSRs) exist only in Intel 64 processors. These registers contain valid information only when the processor is operating in 64-bit mode at the time of the error.
197H	407	MSR_MCG_R15	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Machine Check R15 See Section 16.3.2.6, "IA32_MCG Extended Machine Check State MSRs."
		63:0			Registers R8-15 (and the associated state-save MSRs) exist only in Intel 64 processors. These registers contain valid information only when the processor is operating in 64-bit mode at the time of the error.
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	3, 4, 6	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 15.1, "Enhanced Intel Speedstep® Technology."
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	3, 4, 6	Unique	See Table 2-2. See Section 15.1, "Enhanced Intel Speedstep® Technology."
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Thermal Monitor Control (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 15.8.3, "Software Controlled Clock Modulation."
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor," and Table 2-2.
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor," and Table 2-2.
19DH	413	MSR_THERM2_CTL			Thermal Monitor 2 Control
			3,	Shared	For Family F, Model 3 processors: When read, specifies the value of the target TM2 transition last written. When set, it sets the next target value for TM2 transition.
			4, 6	Shared	For Family F, Model 4 and Model 6 processors: When read, specifies the value of the target TM2 transition last written. Writes may cause #GP exceptions.
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Enable Miscellaneous Processor Features (R/W)

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
		0			Fast-Strings Enable. See Table 2-2.
		1			Reserved
		2			x87 FPU Fopcode Compatibility Mode Enable
		3			Thermal Monitor 1 Enable See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor," and Table 2-2.
		4			Split-Lock Disable When set, the bit causes an #AC exception to be issued instead of a split-lock cycle. Operating systems that set this bit must align system structures to avoid split-lock scenarios. When the bit is clear (default), normal split-locks are issued to the bus.
					This debug feature is specific to the Pentium 4 processor.
		5			Reserved
		6			Third-Level Cache Disable (R/W) When set, the third-level cache is disabled; when clear (default) the third-level cache is enabled. This flag is reserved for processors that do not have a third-level cache. Note that the bit controls only the third-level cache; and only if overall caching is enabled through the CD flag of control register CR0, the page-level cache controls, and/or the MTRRs. See Section 12.5.4, "Disabling and Enabling the L3 Cache."
		7			Performance Monitoring Available (R) See Table 2-2.
		8			Suppress Lock Enable When set, assertion of LOCK on the bus is suppressed during a Split Lock access. When clear (default), LOCK is not suppressed.
		9			Prefetch Queue Disable When set, disables the prefetch queue. When clear (default), enables the prefetch queue.
		10			FERR# Interrupt Reporting Enable (R/W) When set, interrupt reporting through the FERR# pin is enabled; when clear, this interrupt reporting function is disabled.

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Hex	Dec				
					When this flag is set and the processor is in the stop-clock state (STPCLK# is asserted), asserting the FERR# pin signals to the processor that an interrupt (such as, INIT#, BINIT#, INTR, NMI, SMI#, or RESET#) is pending and that the processor should return to normal operation to handle the interrupt.
					This flag does not affect the normal operation of the FERR# pin (to indicate an unmasked floating-point error) when the STPCLK# pin is not asserted.
		11			Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (BTS_UNAVILABLE) (R) See Table 2-2. When set, the processor does not support branch trace storage (BTS); when clear, BTS is supported.
		12			PEBS_UNAVILABLE: Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R) See Table 2-2. When set, the processor does not support processor event-based sampling (PEBS); when clear, PEBS is supported.
		13	3		TM2 Enable (R/W) When this bit is set (1) and the thermal sensor indicates that the die temperature is at the pre-determined threshold, the Thermal Monitor 2 mechanism is engaged. TM2 will reduce the bus to core ratio and voltage according to the value last written to MSR_THERM2_CTL bits 15:0. When this bit is clear (0, default), the processor does not change the VID signals or the bus to core ratio when the processor enters a thermal managed state. If the TM2 feature flag (ECX[8]) is not set to 1 after executing CPUID with EAX = 1, then this feature is not supported and BIOS must not alter the contents of this bit location. The processor is operating out of spec if both this bit and the TM1 bit are set to disabled states.
		17:14			Reserved
		18	3, 4, 6		ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W) See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
		19			Adjacent Cache Line Prefetch Disable (R/W) When set to 1, the processor fetches the cache line of the 128-byte sector containing currently required data. When set to 0, the processor fetches both cache lines in the sector.
					Single processor platforms should not set this bit. Server platforms should set or clear this bit based on platform performance observed in validation and testing. BIOS may contain a setup option that controls the setting of this bit.
		21:20			Reserved
		22	3, 4, 6		Limit CPUID MAXVAL (R/W) See Table 2-2. Setting this can cause unexpected behavior to software that depends on the availability of CPUID leaves greater than 3.
		23		Shared	xTPR Message Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		24			L1 Data Cache Context Mode (R/W) When set, the L1 data cache is placed in shared mode; when clear (default), the cache is placed in adaptive mode. This bit is only enabled for IA-32 processors that support Intel Hyper-Threading Technology. See Section 12.5.6, "L1 Data Cache Context Mode." When L1 is running in adaptive mode and CR3s are identical, data in L1 is shared across logical processors. Otherwise, L1 is not shared and cache use is competitive. If the Context ID feature flag (ECX[10]) is set to 0 after executing CPUID with EAX = 1, the ability to switch modes is not supported. BIOS must not alter the contents of IA32_MISC_ENABLE[24].
		33:25			Reserved
		34		Unique	XD Bit Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		63:35			Reserved
1A1H	417	MSR_PLATFORM_BRV	3, 4, 6	Shared	Platform Feature Requirements (R)
		17:0			Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
		18			PLATFORM Requirements When set to 1, indicates the processor has specific platform requirements. The details of the platform requirements are listed in the respective data sheets of the processor.
		63:19			Reserved
1D7H	471	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Exception Record From Linear IP (R) Contains a pointer to the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled. See Section 18.13.3, "Last Exception Records."
		31:0			From Linear IP Linear address of the last branch instruction.
		63:32			Reserved
1D7H	471	63:0		Unique	From Linear IP Linear address of the last branch instruction (If IA-32e mode is active).
1D8H	472	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Exception Record To Linear IP (R) This area contains a pointer to the target of the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled. See Section 18.13.3, "Last Exception Records."
		31:0			From Linear IP Linear address of the target of the last branch instruction.
		63:32			Reserved
1D8H	472	63:0		Unique	From Linear IP Linear address of the target of the last branch instruction (If IA-32e mode is active).
1D9H	473	MSR_DEBUGCTLA	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Debug Control (R/W) Controls how several debug features are used. Bit definitions are discussed in the referenced section. See Section 18.13.1, "MSR_DEBUGCTLA MSR."
1DAH	474	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/O) Contains an index (0-3 or 0-15) that points to the top of the last branch record stack (that is, that points the index of the MSR containing the most recent branch record). See Section 18.13.2, "LBR Stack for Processors Based on Intel NetBurst® Microarchitecture," and addresses 1DBH-1DEH and 680H-68FH.

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Hex	Dec				
1DBH	475	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0	0, 1, 2	Unique	Last Branch Record 0 (R/O) One of four last branch record registers on the last branch record stack. It contains pointers to the source and destination instruction for one of the last four branches, exceptions, or interrupts that the processor took. MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 through MSR_LASTBRANCH_3 at 1DBH-1DEH are available only on family 0FH, models 0H-02H. They have been replaced by the MSRs at 680H-68FH and 6C0H-6CFH.
					See Section 18.12, "Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Skylake Microarchitecture."
1DCH	477	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1	0, 1, 2	Unique	Last Branch Record 1 See description of the MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 MSR at 1DBH.
1DDH	477	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2	0, 1, 2	Unique	Last Branch Record 2 See description of the MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 MSR at 1DBH.
1DEH	478	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3	0, 1, 2	Unique	Last Branch Record 3 See description of the MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 MSR at 1DBH.
200H	512	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Base MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
201H	513	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
202H	514	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
203H	515	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
204H	516	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
205H	517	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
206H	518	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
207H	519	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
208H	520	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE4	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
209H	521	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK4	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."

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Hex	Dec				
20AH	522	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE5	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
20BH	523	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK5	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
20CH	524	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE6	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
20DH	525	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK6	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
20EH	526	IA32_MTRR_PHYSBASE7	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
20FH	527	IA32_MTRR_PHYSMASK7	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Variable Range Mask MTRR See Section 12.11.2.3, "Variable Range MTRRs."
250H	592	IA32_MTRR_FIX64K_00000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
258H	600	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_80000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
259H	601	IA32_MTRR_FIX16K_A0000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
268H	616	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C0000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
269H	617	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_C8000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
26AH	618	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D0000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
26BH	619	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_D8000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
26CH	620	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E0000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
26DH	621	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_E8000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
26EH	622	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F0000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
26FH	623	IA32_MTRR_FIX4K_F8000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Fixed Range MTRR See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
277H	631	IA32_PAT	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	Page Attribute Table See Section 12.11.2.2, "Fixed Range MTRRs."
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Default Memory Types (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 12.11.2.1, "IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE MSR."

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Hex	Dec				
300H	768	MSR_BPU_COUNTER0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
301H	769	MSR_BPU_COUNTER1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
302H	770	MSR_BPU_COUNTER2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
303H	771	MSR_BPU_COUNTER3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
304H	772	MSR_MS_COUNTER0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
305H	773	MSR_MS_COUNTER1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
306H	774	MSR_MS_COUNTER2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
307H	775	MSR_MS_COUNTER3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
308H	776	MSR_FLAME_COUNTER0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
309H	777	MSR_FLAME_COUNTER1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
30AH	778	MSR_FLAME_COUNTER2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
30BH	779	MSR_FLAME_COUNTER3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
30CH	780	MSR_IQ_COUNTER0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
30DH	781	MSR_IQ_COUNTER1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
30EH	782	MSR_IQ_COUNTER2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
30FH	783	MSR_IQ_COUNTER3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
310H	784	MSR_IQ_COUNTER4	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
311H	785	MSR_IQ_COUNTER5	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.2, "Performance Counters."
360H	864	MSR_BPU_CCCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
361H	865	MSR_BPU_CCCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
362H	866	MSR_BPU_CCCR2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
363H	867	MSR_BPU_CCCR3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
364H	868	MSR_MS_CCCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
365H	869	MSR_MS_CCCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
366H	870	MSR_MS_CCCR2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
367H	871	MSR_MS_CCCR3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
368H	872	MSR_FLAME_CCCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
369H	873	MSR_FLAME_CCCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
36AH	874	MSR_FLAME_CCCR2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
36BH	875	MSR_FLAME_CCCR3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
36CH	876	MSR_IQ_CCCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
36DH	877	MSR_IQ_CCCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
36EH	878	MSR_IQ_CCCR2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
36FH	879	MSR_IQ_CCCR3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
370H	880	MSR_IQ_CCCR4	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
371H	881	MSR_IQ_CCCR5	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.3, "CCCR MSRs."
3A0H	928	MSR_BSU_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3A1H	929	MSR_BSU_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3A2H	930	MSR_FSB_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3A3H	931	MSR_FSB_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3A4H	932	MSR_FIRM_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3A5H	933	MSR_FIRM_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3A6H	934	MSR_FLAME_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3A7H	935	MSR_FLAME_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
3A8H	936	MSR_DAC_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3A9H	937	MSR_DAC_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3AAH	938	MSR_MOB_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3ABH	939	MSR_MOB_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3ACH	940	MSR_PMH_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3ADH	941	MSR_PMH_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3AEH	942	MSR_SAA_T_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3AFH	943	MSR_SAA_T_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B0H	944	MSR_U2L_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B1H	945	MSR_U2L_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B2H	946	MSR_BPU_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B3H	947	MSR_BPU_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B4H	948	MSR_IS_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B5H	949	MSR_IS_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B6H	950	MSR_ITLB_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B7H	951	MSR_ITLB_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B8H	952	MSR_CRU_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3B9H	953	MSR_CRU_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3BAH	954	MSR_IQ_ESCR0	0, 1, 2	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs." This MSR is not available on later processors. It is only available on processor family 0FH, models 01H-02H.
3BBH	955	MSR_IQ_ESCR1	0, 1, 2	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs." This MSR is not available on later processors. It is only available on processor family 0FH, models 01H-02H.

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
3BCH	956	MSR_RAT_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3BDH	957	MSR_RAT_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3BEH	958	MSR_SSU_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3C0H	960	MSR_MS_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3C1H	961	MSR_MS_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3C2H	962	MSR_TBPU_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3C3H	963	MSR_TBPU_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3C4H	964	MSR_TC_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3C5H	965	MSR_TC_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3C8H	968	MSR_IX_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3C9H	969	MSR_IX_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3CAH	970	MSR_ALF_ESCR0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3CBH	971	MSR_ALF_ESCR1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3CCH	972	MSR_CRU_ESCR2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3CDH	973	MSR_CRU_ESCR3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3E0H	992	MSR_CRU_ESCR4	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3E1H	993	MSR_CRU_ESCR5	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3F0H	1008	MSR_TC_PRECISE_EVENT	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 20.6.3.1, "ESCR MSRs."
3F1H	1009	IA32_PEBS_ENABLE (MSR_PEBS_ENABLE)	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS) (R/W) Controls the enabling of processor event sampling and replay tagging.
		12:0			See https://perfmon-events.intel.com/ .
		23:13			Reserved
		24			UOP Tag Enables replay tagging when set.

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
		25			ENABLE_PEBS_MY_THR (R/W) Enables PEBS for the target logical processor when set; disables PEBS when clear (default). See Section 20.6.4.3, "IA32_PEBS_ENABLE MSR," for an explanation of the target logical processor. This bit is called ENABLE_PEBS in IA-32 processors that do not support Intel Hyper-Threading Technology.
		26			ENABLE_PEBS_OTH_THR (R/W) Enables PEBS for the target logical processor when set; disables PEBS when clear (default). See Section 20.6.4.3, "IA32_PEBS_ENABLE MSR," for an explanation of the target logical processor. This bit is reserved for IA-32 processors that do not support Intel Hyper-Threading Technology.
		63:27			Reserved
3F2H	1010	MSR_PEBS_MATRIX_VERT	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See https://perfmon-events.intel.com/ .
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MCO_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCO_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
403H	1027	IA32_MCO_MISC	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." The IA32_MCO_MISC MSR is either not implemented or does not contain additional information if the MISC_V flag in the IA32_MCO_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC1_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC1_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
407H	1031	IA32_MC1_MISC		Shared	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." The IA32_MC1_MISC MSR is either not implemented or does not contain additional information if the MISC_V flag in the IA32_MC1_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR			See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40BH	1035	IA32_MC2_MISC			See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." The IA32_MC2_MISC MSR is either not implemented or does not contain additional information if the MISC_V flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40CH	1036	IA32_MC3_CTL	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	IA32_MC3_STATUS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
40EH	1038	IA32_MC3_ADDR	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC3_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC3_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.

Table 2-55. MSRs in the Pentium® 4 and Intel® Xeon® Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
40FH	1039	IA32_MC3_MISC	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." The IA32_MC3_MISC MSR is either not implemented or does not contain additional information if the MISCV flag in the IA32_MC3_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
410H	1040	IA32_MC4_CTL	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
411H	1041	IA32_MC4_STATUS	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Shared	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
412H	1042	IA32_MC4_ADDR			See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDRIV flag in the IA32_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
413H	1043	IA32_MC4_MISC			See Section 16.3.2.4, "IA32_MCi_MISC MSRs." The IA32_MC2_MISC MSR is either not implemented or does not contain additional information if the MISCV flag in the IA32_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	3, 4, 6	Unique	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.1, "Basic VMX Information."
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls."
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls," and see Table 2-2.
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.4, "VM-Exit Controls," and Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL5	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls," and Table 2-2.
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	3, 4, 6	Unique	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Appendix A.6, "Miscellaneous Data," and Table 2-2.
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CR0_FIXED0	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR0 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR0," and Table 2-2.
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CR0_FIXED1	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR0 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR0," and Table 2-2.
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4," and Table 2-2.
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4," and Table 2-2.
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Appendix A.9, "VMCS Enumeration," and Table 2-2.
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL52	3, 4, 6	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls," and Table 2-2.
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Unique	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."
680H	1664	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 0 (R/W) One of 16 pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack (680H-68FH). This part of the stack contains pointers to the source instruction for one of the last 16 branches, exceptions, or interrupts taken by the processor.

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
					The MSRs at 680H-68FH, 6C0H-6CfH are not available in processor releases before family 0FH, model 03H. These MSRs replace MSRs previously located at 1DBH-1DEH, which performed the same function for early releases. See Section 18.12, "Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Skylake Microarchitecture."
681H	1665	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 1 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
682H	1666	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 2 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
683H	1667	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 3 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
684H	1668	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 4 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
685H	1669	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 5 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
686H	1670	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 6 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
687H	1671	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 7 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
688H	1672	MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 8 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
689H	1673	MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 9 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
68AH	1674	MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 10 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
68BH	1675	MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 11 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
68CH	1676	MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 12 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
68DH	1677	MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 13 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
68EH	1678	MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 14 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
68FH	1679	MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_FROM_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 15 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 680H.
6C0H	1728	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 0 (R/W) One of 16 pairs of last branch record registers on the last branch record stack (6C0H-6CFH). This part of the stack contains pointers to the destination instruction for one of the last 16 branches, exceptions, or interrupts that the processor took. See Section 18.12, "Last Branch, Call Stack, Interrupt, and Exception Recording for Processors based on Skylake Microarchitecture."
6C1H	1729	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 1 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6C0H.
6C2H	1730	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 2 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6C0H.
6C3H	1731	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 3 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6C0H.
6C4H	1732	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 4 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6C0H.
6C5H	1733	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 5 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6C0H.
6C6H	1734	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 6 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6C0H.
6C7H	1735	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 7 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6C0H.
6C8H	1736	MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 8 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6C0H.

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Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique ¹	Bit Description
Hex	Dec				
6C9H	1737	MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 9 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6COH.
6CAH	1738	MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 10 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6COH.
6CBH	1739	MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 11 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6COH.
6CCH	1740	MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 12 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6COH.
6CDH	1741	MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 13 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6COH.
6CEH	1742	MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 14 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6COH.
6CFH	1743	MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_TO_IP	3, 4, 6	Unique	Last Branch Record 15 See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0 at 6COH.
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	3, 4, 6	Unique	Extended Feature Enables See Table 2-2.
C000_0081H		IA32_STAR	3, 4, 6	Unique	System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0082H		IA32_LSTAR	3, 4, 6	Unique	IA-32e Mode System Call Target Address (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0084H		IA32_FMASK	3, 4, 6	Unique	System Call Flag Mask (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0100H		IA32_FS_BASE	3, 4, 6	Unique	Map of BASE Address of FS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0101H		IA32_GS_BASE	3, 4, 6	Unique	Map of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C000_0102H		IA32_KERNEL_GS_BASE	3, 4, 6	Unique	Swap Target of BASE Address of GS (R/W) See Table 2-2.

NOTES

1. For HT-enabled processors, there may be more than one logical processors per physical unit. If an MSR is Shared, this means that one MSR is shared between logical processors. If an MSR is unique, this means that each logical processor has its own MSR.

2.19.1 MSRs Unique to Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with L3 Cache

The MSRs listed in Table 2-56 apply to Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with up to 8MB level three cache. These processors can be detected by enumerating the deterministic cache parameter leaf of CPUID instruction (with EAX = 4 as input) to detect the presence of the third level cache, and with CPUID reporting family encoding 0FH, model encoding 3 or 4 (see CPUID instruction for more details).

Table 2-56. MSRs Unique to 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to an 8 MB L3 Cache

Register Address	Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique	Bit Description
107CCH	MSR_IFSB_BUSQ0	3, 4	Shared	IFSB BUSQ Event Control and Counter Register (R/W) See Section 20.6.6, "Performance Monitoring on 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to 8-MByte L3 Cache."
107CDH	MSR_IFSB_BUSQ1	3, 4	Shared	IFSB BUSQ Event Control and Counter Register (R/W)
107CEH	MSR_IFSB_SNPQ0	3, 4	Shared	IFSB SNPQ Event Control and Counter Register (R/W) See Section 20.6.6, "Performance Monitoring on 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to 8-MByte L3 Cache."
107CFH	MSR_IFSB_SNPQ1	3, 4	Shared	IFSB SNPQ Event Control and Counter Register (R/W)
107D0H	MSR_EFSB_DRDY0	3, 4	Shared	EFSB DRDY Event Control and Counter Register (R/W) See Section 20.6.6, "Performance Monitoring on 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to 8-MByte L3 Cache."
107D1H	MSR_EFSB_DRDY1	3, 4	Shared	EFSB DRDY Event Control and Counter Register (R/W)
107D2H	MSR_IFSB_CTL6	3, 4	Shared	IFSB Latency Event Control Register (R/W) See Section 20.6.6, "Performance Monitoring on 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to 8-MByte L3 Cache."
107D3H	MSR_IFSB_CNTR7	3, 4	Shared	IFSB Latency Event Counter Register (R/W) See Section 20.6.6, "Performance Monitoring on 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to 8-MByte L3 Cache."

The MSRs listed in Table 2-57 apply to Intel® Xeon® Processor 7100 series. These processors can be detected by enumerating the deterministic cache parameter leaf of CPUID instruction (with EAX = 4 as input) to detect the presence of the third level cache, and with CPUID reporting family encoding 0FH, model encoding 6 (See CPUID instruction for more details.). The performance monitoring MSRs listed in Table 2-57 are shared between logical processors in the same core, but are replicated for each core.

Table 2-57. MSRs Unique to Intel® Xeon® Processor 7100 Series

Register Address	Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Availability	Shared/Unique	Bit Description
107CCH	MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL0	6	Shared	GBUSQ Event Control and Counter Register (R/W) See Section 20.6.6, "Performance Monitoring on 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to 8-MByte L3 Cache."

Table 2-57. MSRs Unique to Intel® Xeon® Processor 7100 Series (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name Fields and Flags	Model Avail- ability	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
107CDH		MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL1	6	Shared	GBUSQ Event Control and Counter Register (R/W)
107CEH		MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL2	6	Shared	GSNPQ Event Control and Counter Register (R/W) See Section 20.6.6, "Performance Monitoring on 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to 8-MByte L3 Cache."
107CFH		MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL3	6	Shared	GSNPQ Event Control and Counter Register (R/W)
107D0H		MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL4	6	Shared	FSB Event Control and Counter Register (R/W) See Section 20.6.6, "Performance Monitoring on 64-bit Intel® Xeon® Processor MP with Up to 8-MByte L3 Cache."
107D1H		MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL5	6	Shared	FSB Event Control and Counter Register (R/W)
107D2H		MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL6	6	Shared	FSB Event Control and Counter Register (R/W)
107D3H		MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL7	6	Shared	FSB Event Control and Counter Register (R/W)

2.20 MSRS IN INTEL® CORE™ SOLO AND INTEL® CORE™ DUO PROCESSORS

Model-specific registers (MSRs) for Intel Core Solo, Intel Core Duo processors, and Dual-core Intel Xeon processor LV are listed in Table 2-58. The column "Shared/Unique" applies to Intel Core Duo processor. "Unique" means each processor core has a separate MSR, or a bit field in an MSR governs only a core independently. "Shared" means the MSR or the bit field in an MSR address governs the operation of both processor cores.

Table 2-58. MSRs in Intel® Core™ Solo, Intel® Core™ Duo Processors, and Dual-Core Intel® Xeon® Processor LV

Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
0H	0	P5_MC_ADDR	Unique	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors," and Table 2-2.
1H	1	P5_MC_TYPE	Unique	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors," and Table 2-2.
6H	6	IA32_MONITOR_FILTER_SIZE	Unique	See Section 9.10.5, "Monitor/Mwait Address Range Determination," and Table 2-2.
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	Unique	See Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter," and Table 2-2.
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	Shared	Platform ID (R) See Table 2-2. The operating system can use this MSR to determine "slot" information for the processor and the proper microcode update to load.
1BH	27	IA32_APIC_BASE	Unique	See Section 11.4.4, "Local APIC Status and Location," and Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
2AH	42	MSR_EBL_CR_POWERON	Shared	Processor Hard Power-On Configuration (R/W) Enables and disables processor features; (R) indicates current processor configuration.
		0		Reserved
		1		Data Error Checking Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processor implements R/W.
		2		Response Error Checking Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processor implements R/W.
		3		MCERR# Drive Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processor implements R/W.
		4		Address Parity Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processor implements R/W.
		6: 5		Reserved
		7		BINIT# Driver Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Note: Not all processor implements R/W.
		8		Output Tri-state Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		9		Execute BIST (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		10		MCERR# Observation Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		11		Reserved
		12		BINIT# Observation Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		13		Reserved
		14		1 MByte Power on Reset Vector (R/O) 1 = 1 MByte; 0 = 4 GBytes
		15		Reserved
		17:16		APIC Cluster ID (R/O)
		18		System Bus Frequency (R/O) 0 = 100 MHz 1 = Reserved
		19		Reserved
		21: 20		Symmetric Arbitration ID (R/O)
26:22	Clock Frequency Ratio (R/O)			

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
3AH	58	IA32_FEATURE_CONTROL	Unique	Control Features in IA-32 Processor (R/W) See Table 2-2.
40H	64	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0	Unique	Last Branch Record 0 (R/W) One of 8 last branch record registers on the last branch record stack: bits 31-0 hold the 'from' address and bits 63-32 hold the 'to' address. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H Section 18.15, "Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Pentium M Processors)."
41H	65	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1	Unique	Last Branch Record 1 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
42H	66	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2	Unique	Last Branch Record 2 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
43H	67	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3	Unique	Last Branch Record 3 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
44H	68	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4	Unique	Last Branch Record 4 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
45H	69	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5	Unique	Last Branch Record 5 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
46H	70	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6	Unique	Last Branch Record 6 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
47H	71	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7	Unique	Last Branch Record 7 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
79H	121	IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	Unique	BIOS Update Trigger Register (W) See Table 2-2.
8BH	139	IA32_BIOS_SIGN_ID	Unique	BIOS Update Signature ID (R/W) See Table 2-2.
C1H	193	IA32_PMC0	Unique	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C2H	194	IA32_PMC1	Unique	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
CDH	205	MSR_FSB_FREQ	Shared	Scaleable Bus Speed (R/O) This field indicates the scalable bus clock speed:
		2:0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 101B: 100 MHz (FSB 400) 001B: 133 MHz (FSB 533) 011B: 167 MHz (FSB 667) 133.33 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 101B. 166.67 MHz should be utilized if performing calculation with System Bus Speed when encoding is 001B.
		63:3		Reserved

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
E7H	231	IA32_MPERF	Unique	Maximum Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
E8H	232	IA32_APERF	Unique	Actual Performance Frequency Clock Count (R/W) See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	IA32_MTRRCAP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
11EH	281	MSR_BBL_CR_CTL3	Shared	Control Register 3 Used to configure the L2 Cache.
		0		L2 Hardware Enabled (R/O) 1 = If the L2 is hardware-enabled 0 = Indicates if the L2 is hardware-disabled
		7:1		Reserved
		8		L2 Enabled (R/W) 1 = L2 cache has been initialized 0 = Disabled (default) Until this bit is set the processor will not respond to the WBINVD instruction or the assertion of the FLUSH# input.
		22:9		Reserved
		23		L2 Not Present (R/O) 0 = L2 Present 1 = L2 Not Present
		63:24		Reserved
174H	372	IA32_SYSENTER_CS	Unique	See Table 2-2.
175H	373	IA32_SYSENTER_ESP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
176H	374	IA32_SYSENTER_EIP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Unique	See Table 2-2.
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Unique	Global Machine Check Status
		0		RIPV When set, this bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) can be used to restart the program. If this bit is cleared, the program cannot be reliably restarted.
		1		EIPV When set, this bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) is directly associated with the error.

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		2		MCIP When set, this bit indicates that a machine check has been generated. If a second machine check is detected while this bit is still set, the processor enters a shutdown state. Software should write this bit to 0 after processing a machine check exception.
		63:3		Reserved
186H	390	IA32_PERFEVTSELO	Unique	See Table 2-2.
187H	391	IA32_PERFEVTSEL1	Unique	See Table 2-2.
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	Shared	See Table 2-2.
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	Unique	See Table 2-2.
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Unique	Clock Modulation (R/W) See Table 2-2.
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Unique	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor."
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Unique	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor".
19DH	413	MSR_THERM2_CTL	Unique	Thermal Monitor 2 Control
		15:0		Reserved
		16		TM_SELECT (R/W) Mode of automatic thermal monitor: 0 = Thermal Monitor 1 (thermally-initiated on-die modulation of the stop-clock duty cycle) 1 = Thermal Monitor 2 (thermally-initiated frequency transitions) If bit 3 of the IA32_MISC_ENABLE register is cleared, TM_SELECT has no effect. Neither TM1 nor TM2 will be enabled.
		63:16		Reserved
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE		Enable Miscellaneous Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		2:0		Reserved
		3	Unique	Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		6:4		Reserved
		7	Shared	Performance Monitoring Available (R) See Table 2-2.

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
		9:8		Reserved
		10	Shared	FERR# Multiplexing Enable (R/W) 1 = FERR# asserted by the processor to indicate a pending break event within the processor 0 = Indicates compatible FERR# signaling behavior This bit must be set to 1 to support XAPIC interrupt model usage.
		11	Shared	Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) See Table 2-2.
		12		Reserved
		13	Shared	TM2 Enable (R/W) When this bit is set (1) and the thermal sensor indicates that the die temperature is at the pre-determined threshold, the Thermal Monitor 2 mechanism is engaged. TM2 will reduce the bus to core ratio and voltage according to the value last written to MSR_THERM2_CTL bits 15:0. When this bit is clear (0, default), the processor does not change the VID signals or the bus to core ratio when the processor enters a thermal managed state. If the TM2 feature flag (ECX[8]) is not set to 1 after executing CPUID with EAX = 1, then this feature is not supported and BIOS must not alter the contents of this bit location. The processor is operating out of spec if both this bit and the TM1 bit are set to disabled states.
		15:14		Reserved
		16	Shared	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) 1 = Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology enabled
		18	Shared	ENABLE MONITOR FSM (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		19		Reserved
		22	Shared	Limit CPUID Maxval (R/W) See Table 2-2. Setting this bit may cause behavior in software that depends on the availability of CPUID leaves greater than 2.
		33:23		Reserved
		34	Shared	XD Bit Disable (R/W) See Table 2-2.
		63:35		Reserved
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Unique	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-3) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record. See MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (at 40H).

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
1D9H	473	IA32_DEBUGCTL	Unique	Debug Control (R/W) Controls how several debug features are used. Bit definitions are discussed in Table 2-2.
1DDH	477	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	Unique	Last Exception Record From Linear IP (R) Contains a pointer to the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
1DEH	478	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	Unique	Last Exception Record To Linear IP (R) This area contains a pointer to the target of the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled.
200H	512	MTRRphysBase0	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
201H	513	MTRRphysMask0	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
202H	514	MTRRphysBase1	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
203H	515	MTRRphysMask1	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
204H	516	MTRRphysBase2	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
205H	517	MTRRphysMask2	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
206H	518	MTRRphysBase3	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
207H	519	MTRRphysMask3	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
208H	520	MTRRphysBase4	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
209H	521	MTRRphysMask4	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
20AH	522	MTRRphysBase5	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
20BH	523	MTRRphysMask5	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
20CH	524	MTRRphysBase6	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
20DH	525	MTRRphysMask6	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
20EH	526	MTRRphysBase7	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
20FH	527	MTRRphysMask7	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
250H	592	MTRRfix64K_00000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
258H	600	MTRRfix16K_80000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
259H	601	MTRRfix16K_A0000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
268H	616	MTRRfix4K_C0000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
269H	617	MTRRfix4K_C8000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
26AH	618	MTRRfix4K_D0000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
26BH	619	MTRRfix4K_D8000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
26CH	620	MTRRfix4K_E0000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
26DH	621	MTRRfix4K_E8000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
26EH	622	MTRRfix4K_F0000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers
26FH	623	MTRRfix4K_F8000	Unique	Memory Type Range Registers

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	Unique	Default Memory Types (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 12.11.2.1, "IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE MSR."
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MCO_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCO_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC1_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC1_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40CH	1036	MSR_MC4_CTL	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	MSR_MC4_STATUS	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
40EH	1038	MSR_MC4_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC4_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
410H	1040	IA32_MC3_CTL		See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
411H	1041	IA32_MC3_STATUS		See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
412H	1042	MSR_MC3_ADDR	Unique	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC3_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC3_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
413H	1043	MSR_MC3_MISC	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - contains additional information describing the machine-check error if the MISCV flag in the IA32_MCI_STATUS register is set.
414H	1044	MSR_MC5_CTL	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - controls signaling of #MC for errors produced by a particular hardware unit (or group of hardware units).
415H	1045	MSR_MC5_STATUS	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - contains information related to a machine-check error if its VAL (valid) flag is set. Software is responsible for clearing IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs by explicitly writing 0s to them; writing 1s to them causes a general-protection exception.
416H	1046	MSR_MC5_ADDR	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - contains the address of the code or data memory location that produced the machine-check error if the ADDRV flag in the IA32_MCI_STATUS register is set.
417H	1047	MSR_MC5_MISC	Unique	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - contains additional information describing the machine-check error if the MISCV flag in the IA32_MCI_STATUS register is set.
480H	1152	IA32_VMX_BASIC	Unique	Reporting Register of Basic VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Table 2-2. See Appendix A.1, "Basic VMX Information." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
481H	1153	IA32_VMX_PINBASED_CTL	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Pin-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
482H	1154	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Primary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
483H	1155	IA32_VMX_EXIT_CTL	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Exit Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.4, "VM-Exit Controls." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
484H	1156	IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VM-Entry Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.5, "VM-Entry Controls." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
485H	1157	IA32_VMX_MISC	Unique	Reporting Register of Miscellaneous VMX Capabilities (R/O) See Appendix A.6, "Miscellaneous Data." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
486H	1158	IA32_VMX_CRO_FIXED0	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CRO Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CRO." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])

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Register Address		Register Name	Shared/ Unique	Bit Description
Hex	Dec			
487H	1159	IA32_VMX_CR0_FIXED1	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR0 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Appendix A.7, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR0." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
488H	1160	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED0	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 0 (R/O) See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
489H	1161	IA32_VMX_CR4_FIXED1	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of CR4 Bits Fixed to 1 (R/O) See Appendix A.8, "VMX-Fixed Bits in CR4." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
48AH	1162	IA32_VMX_VMCS_ENUM	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of VMCS Field Enumeration (R/O) See Appendix A.9, "VMCS Enumeration." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5])
48BH	1163	IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL2	Unique	Capability Reporting Register of Secondary Processor-Based VM-Execution Controls (R/O) See Appendix A.3, "VM-Execution Controls." (If CPUID.01H:ECX.[bit 5] and IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL2[bit 63])
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	Unique	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."
		31:0		DS Buffer Management Area Linear address of the first byte of the DS buffer management area.
		63:32		Reserved
C000_0080H		IA32_EFER	Unique	See Table 2-2.
		10:0		Reserved
		11		Execute Disable Bit Enable
		63:12		Reserved

2.21 MSRS IN THE PENTIUM M PROCESSOR

Model-specific registers (MSRs) for the Pentium M processor are similar to those described in Section 2.22 for P6 family processors. The following table describes new MSRs and MSRs whose behavior has changed on the Pentium M processor.

Table 2-59. MSRs in Pentium M Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
0H	0	P5_MC_ADDR	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."

Table 2-59. MSRs in Pentium M Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
1H	1	P5_MC_TYPE	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
10H	16	IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER	See Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter," and see Table 2-2.
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	Platform ID (R) See Table 2-2. The operating system can use this MSR to determine "slot" information for the processor and the proper microcode update to load.
2AH	42	MSR_EBL_CR_POWERON	Processor Hard Power-On Configuration (R/W) Enables and disables processor features. (R) Indicates current processor configuration.
		0	Reserved
		1	Data Error Checking Enable (R) 0 = Disabled Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		2	Response Error Checking Enable (R) 0 = Disabled Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		3	MCERR# Drive Enable (R) 0 = Disabled Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		4	Address Parity Enable (R) 0 = Disabled Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		6:5	Reserved
		7	BINIT# Driver Enable (R) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		8	Output Tri-state Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		9	Execute BIST (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled
		10	MCERR# Observation Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		11	Reserved
		12	BINIT# Observation Enabled (R/O) 1 = Enabled; 0 = Disabled Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		13	Reserved

Table 2-59. MSRs in Pentium M Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		14	1 MByte Power on Reset Vector (R/O) 1 = 1 MByte; 0 = 4 GBytes Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		15	Reserved
		17:16	APIC Cluster ID (R/O) Always 00B on the Pentium M processor.
		18	System Bus Frequency (R/O) 0 = 100 MHz 1 = Reserved Always 0 on the Pentium M processor.
		19	Reserved
		21:20	Symmetric Arbitration ID (R/O) Always 00B on the Pentium M processor.
		26:22	Clock Frequency Ratio (R/O)
40H	64	MSR_LASTBRANCH_0	Last Branch Record 0 (R/W) One of 8 last branch record registers on the last branch record stack: bits 31-0 hold the 'from' address and bits 63-32 hold the to address. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Branch Record Stack TOS at 1C9H. ▪ Section 18.15, "Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Pentium M Processors)."
41H	65	MSR_LASTBRANCH_1	Last Branch Record 1 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
42H	66	MSR_LASTBRANCH_2	Last Branch Record 2 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
43H	67	MSR_LASTBRANCH_3	Last Branch Record 3 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
44H	68	MSR_LASTBRANCH_4	Last Branch Record 4 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
45H	69	MSR_LASTBRANCH_5	Last Branch Record 5 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
46H	70	MSR_LASTBRANCH_6	Last Branch Record 6 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
47H	71	MSR_LASTBRANCH_7	Last Branch Record 7 (R/W) See description of MSR_LASTBRANCH_0.
119H	281	MSR_BBL_CR_CTL	Control Register Used to program L2 commands to be issued via cache configuration accesses mechanism. Also receives L2 lookup response.
		63:0	Reserved
11EH	281	MSR_BBL_CR_CTL3	Control register 3 Used to configure the L2 Cache.

Table 2-59. MSRs in Pentium M Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		0	L2 Hardware Enabled (R/O) 1 = If the L2 is hardware-enabled. 0 = Indicates if the L2 is hardware-disabled.
		4:1	Reserved
		5	ECC Check Enable (R/O) This bit enables ECC checking on the cache data bus. ECC is always generated on write cycles. 0 = Disabled (default) 1 = Enabled For the Pentium M processor, ECC checking on the cache data bus is always enabled.
		7:6	Reserved
		8	L2 Enabled (R/W) 1 = L2 cache has been initialized 0 = Disabled (default) Until this bit is set the processor will not respond to the WBINVD instruction or the assertion of the FLUSH# input.
		22:9	Reserved
		23	L2 Not Present (R/O) 0 = L2 Present 1 = L2 Not Present
		63:24	Reserved
179H	377	IA32_MCG_CAP	Read-only register that provides information about the machine-check architecture of the processor.
		7:0	Count (R/O) Indicates the number of hardware unit error reporting banks available in the processor.
		8	IA32_MCG_CTL Present (R/O) 1 = Indicates that the processor implements the MSR_MCG_CTL register found at MSR 17BH. 0 = Not supported.
		63:9	Reserved
17AH	378	IA32_MCG_STATUS	Global Machine Check Status
		0	RIPV When set, this bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) can be used to restart the program. If this bit is cleared, the program cannot be reliably restarted.
		1	EIPV When set, this bit indicates that the instruction addressed by the instruction pointer pushed on the stack (when the machine check was generated) is directly associated with the error.

Table 2-59. MSRs in Pentium M Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		2	MCIP When set, this bit indicates that a machine check has been generated. If a second machine check is detected while this bit is still set, the processor enters a shutdown state. Software should write this bit to 0 after processing a machine check exception.
		63:3	Reserved
198H	408	IA32_PERF_STATUS	See Table 2-2.
199H	409	IA32_PERF_CTL	See Table 2-2.
19AH	410	IA32_CLOCK_MODULATION	Clock Modulation (R/W). See Table 2-2. See Section 15.8.3, "Software Controlled Clock Modulation."
19BH	411	IA32_THERM_INTERRUPT	Thermal Interrupt Control (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor."
19CH	412	IA32_THERM_STATUS	Thermal Monitor Status (R/W) See Table 2-2. See Section 15.8.2, "Thermal Monitor."
19DH	413	MSR_THERM2_CTL	Thermal Monitor 2 Control
		15:0	Reserved
		16	TM_SELECT (R/W) Mode of automatic thermal monitor: 0 = Thermal Monitor 1 (thermally-initiated on-die modulation of the stop-clock duty cycle) 1 = Thermal Monitor 2 (thermally-initiated frequency transitions) If bit 3 of the IA32_MISC_ENABLE register is cleared, TM_SELECT has no effect. Neither TM1 nor TM2 will be enabled.
		63:16	Reserved
1A0H	416	IA32_MISC_ENABLE	Enable Miscellaneous Processor Features (R/W) Allows a variety of processor functions to be enabled and disabled.
		2:0	Reserved

Table 2-59. MSRs in Pentium M Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		3	Automatic Thermal Control Circuit Enable (R/W) 1 = Setting this bit enables the thermal control circuit (TCC) portion of the Intel Thermal Monitor feature. This allows processor clocks to be automatically modulated based on the processor's thermal sensor operation. 0 = Disabled (default). The automatic thermal control circuit enable bit determines if the thermal control circuit (TCC) will be activated when the processor's internal thermal sensor determines the processor is about to exceed its maximum operating temperature. When the TCC is activated and TM1 is enabled, the processors clocks will be forced to a 50% duty cycle. BIOS must enable this feature. The bit should not be confused with the on-demand thermal control circuit enable bit.
		6:4	Reserved
		7	Performance Monitoring Available (R) 1 = Performance monitoring enabled. 0 = Performance monitoring disabled.
		9:8	Reserved
		10	FERR# Multiplexing Enable (R/W) 1 = FERR# asserted by the processor to indicate a pending break event within the processor. 0 = Indicates compatible FERR# signaling behavior. This bit must be set to 1 to support XAPIC interrupt model usage.
			Branch Trace Storage Unavailable (R/O) 1 = Processor doesn't support branch trace storage (BTS) 0 = BTS is supported
		12	Processor Event Based Sampling Unavailable (R/O) 1 = Processor does not support processor event based sampling (PEBS); 0 = PEBS is supported. The Pentium M processor does not support PEBS.
		15:13	Reserved
		16	Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology Enable (R/W) 1 = Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology enabled. On the Pentium M processor, this bit may be configured to be read-only.
		22:17	Reserved
		23	xTPR Message Disable (R/W) When set to 1, xTPR messages are disabled. xTPR messages are optional messages that allow the processor to inform the chipset of its priority. The default is processor specific.
		63:24	Reserved

Table 2-59. MSRs in Pentium M Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
1C9H	457	MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	Last Branch Record Stack TOS (R/W) Contains an index (bits 0-3) that points to the MSR containing the most recent branch record. See also: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP (at 40H). Section 18.15, "Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Pentium M Processors)."
1D9H	473	MSR_DEBUGCTLB	Debug Control (R/W) Controls how several debug features are used. Bit definitions are discussed in the referenced section. See Section 18.15, "Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Pentium M Processors)."
1DDH	477	MSR_LER_TO_LIP	Last Exception Record To Linear IP (R) This area contains a pointer to the target of the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled. See Section 18.15, "Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Pentium M Processors)," and Section 18.16.2, "Last Branch and Last Exception MSRs."
1DEH	478	MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	Last Exception Record From Linear IP (R) Contains a pointer to the last branch instruction that the processor executed prior to the last exception that was generated or the last interrupt that was handled. See Section 18.15, "Last Branch, Interrupt, and Exception Recording (Pentium M Processors)," and Section 18.16.2, "Last Branch and Last Exception MSRs."
2FFH	767	IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE	Default Memory Types (R/W) Sets the memory type for the regions of physical memory that are not mapped by the MTRRs. See Section 12.11.2.1, "IA32_MTRR_DEF_TYPE MSR."
400H	1024	IA32_MCO_CTL	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
401H	1025	IA32_MCO_STATUS	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
402H	1026	IA32_MCO_ADDR	See Section 14.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs". The IA32_MCO_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MCO_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
404H	1028	IA32_MC1_CTL	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
405H	1029	IA32_MC1_STATUS	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."
406H	1030	IA32_MC1_ADDR	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs". The IA32_MC1_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC1_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
408H	1032	IA32_MC2_CTL	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
409H	1033	IA32_MC2_STATUS	See Chapter 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRS."

Table 2-59. MSRs in Pentium M Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
40AH	1034	IA32_MC2_ADDR	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The IA32_MC2_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the IA32_MC2_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
40CH	1036	MSR_MC4_CTL	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
40DH	1037	MSR_MC4_STATUS	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
40EH	1038	MSR_MC4_ADDR	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC4_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC4_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
410H	1040	MSR_MC3_CTL	See Section 16.3.2.1, "IA32_MCi_CTL MSRs."
411H	1041	MSR_MC3_STATUS	See Section 16.3.2.2, "IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs."
412H	1042	MSR_MC3_ADDR	See Section 16.3.2.3, "IA32_MCi_ADDR MSRs." The MSR_MC3_ADDR register is either not implemented or contains no address if the ADDR_V flag in the MSR_MC3_STATUS register is clear. When not implemented in the processor, all reads and writes to this MSR will cause a general-protection exception.
600H	1536	IA32_DS_AREA	DS Save Area (R/W) See Table 2-2. Points to the DS buffer management area, which is used to manage the BTS and PEBS buffers. See Section 20.6.3.4, "Debug Store (DS) Mechanism."
		31:0	DS Buffer Management Area Linear address of the first byte of the DS buffer management area.
		63:32	Reserved

2.22 MSRS IN THE P6 FAMILY PROCESSORS

The following MSRs are defined for the P6 family processors. The MSRs in this table that are shaded are available only in the Pentium II and Pentium III processors. Beginning with the Pentium 4 processor, some of the MSRs in this list have been designated as "architectural" and have had their names changed. See Table 2-2 for a list of the architectural MSRs.

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
0H	0	P5_MC_ADDR	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
1H	1	P5_MC_TYPE	See Section 2.23, "MSRs in Pentium Processors."
10H	16	TSC	See Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter."

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
17H	23	IA32_PLATFORM_ID	Platform ID (R) The operating system can use this MSR to determine “slot” information for the processor and the proper microcode update to load.
		49:0	Reserved
		52:50	Platform Id (R) Contains information concerning the intended platform for the processor. 52 51 50 0 0 0 Processor Flag 0 0 0 1 Processor Flag 1 0 1 0 Processor Flag 2 0 1 1 Processor Flag 3 1 0 0 Processor Flag 4 1 0 1 Processor Flag 5 1 1 0 Processor Flag 6 1 1 1 Processor Flag 7
		56:53	L2 Cache Latency Read.
		59:57	Reserved
		60	Clock Frequency Ratio Read.
		63:61	Reserved
		1BH	27
7:0	Reserved		
8	Boot Strap Processor Indicator Bit 1 = BSP		
10:9	Reserved		
11	APIC Global Enable Bit - Permanent till reset 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled		
31:12	APIC Base Address.		
63:32	Reserved		
2AH	42	EBL_CR_POWERON	Processor Hard Power-On Configuration (R/W) Enables and disables processor features; (R) indicates current processor configuration.
		0	Reserved ¹
		1	Data Error Checking Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		2	Response Error Checking Enable FRCERR Observation Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		3	AERR# Drive Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		4	BERR# Enable for Initiator Bus Requests (R/W) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		5	Reserved
		6	BERR# Driver Enable for Initiator Internal Errors (R/W) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		7	BINIT# Driver Enable (R/W) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		8	Output Tri-state Enabled (R) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		9	Execute BIST (R) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		10	AERR# Observation Enabled (R) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		11	Reserved
		12	BINIT# Observation Enabled (R) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		13	In Order Queue Depth (R) 1 = 1 0 = 8
		14	1-MByte Power on Reset Vector (R) 1 = 1MByte 0 = 4GBytes
		15	FRC Mode Enable (R) 1 = Enabled 0 = Disabled
		17:16	APIC Cluster ID (R)
		19:18	System Bus Frequency (R) 00 = 66MHz 10 = 100MHz 01 = 133MHz 11 = Reserved
		21:20	Symmetric Arbitration ID (R)
		25:22	Clock Frequency Ratio (R)
		26	Low Power Mode Enable (R/W)

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		27	Clock Frequency Ratio
		63:28	Reserved ¹
33H	51	MSR_TEST_CTRL	Test Control Register
		29:0	Reserved
		30	Streaming Buffer Disable
		31	Disable LOCK# Assertion for split locked access.
79H	121	BIOS_UPDT_TRIG	BIOS Update Trigger Register.
88H	136	BBL_CR_D0[63:0]	Chunk 0 data register D[63:0]: used to write to and read from the L2
89H	137	BBL_CR_D1[63:0]	Chunk 1 data register D[63:0]: used to write to and read from the L2
8AH	138	BBL_CR_D2[63:0]	Chunk 2 data register D[63:0]: used to write to and read from the L2
8BH	139	BIOS_SIGN/BBL_CR_D3[63:0]	BIOS Update Signature Register or Chunk 3 data register D[63:0] Used to write to and read from the L2 depending on the usage model.
C1H	193	PerfCtr0 (PERFCTR0)	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
C2H	194	PerfCtr1 (PERFCTR1)	Performance Counter Register See Table 2-2.
FEH	254	MTRRcap	Memory Type Range Registers
116H	278	BBL_CR_ADDR [63:0]	Address register: used to send specified address (A31-A3) to L2 during cache initialization accesses.
		BBL_CR_ADDR [63:32]	Reserved,
		BBL_CR_ADDR [31:3]	Address bits [35:3]
		BBL_CR_ADDR [2:0]	Reserved Set to 0.
118H	280	BBL_CR_DECC[63:0]	Data ECC register D[7:0]: used to write ECC and read ECC to/from L2
119H	281	BBL_CR_CTL	Control register: used to program L2 commands to be issued via cache configuration accesses mechanism. Also receives L2 lookup response
		BL_CR_CTL[63:22]	Reserved
		BBL_CR_CTL[21]	Processor number ² Disable = 1 Enable = 0 Reserved

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		BBL_CR_CTL[20:19] BBL_CR_CTL[18] BBL_CR_CTL[17] BBL_CR_CTL[16] BBL_CR_CTL[15:14] BBL_CR_CTL[13:12] BBL_CR_CTL[11:10] BBL_CR_CTL[9:8] BBL_CR_CTL[7] BBL_CR_CTL[6:5]	User supplied ECC Reserved L2 Hit Reserved State from L2 Modified - 11, Exclusive - 10, Shared - 01, Invalid - 00 Way from L2 Way 0 - 00, Way 1 - 01, Way 2 - 10, Way 3 - 11 Way to L2 Reserved State to L2
		BBL_CR_CTL[4:0] 01100 01110 01111 00010 00011 010 + MESI encode 111 + MESI encode 100 + MESI encode	L2 Command Data Read w/ LRU update (RLU) Tag Read w/ Data Read (TRR) Tag Inquire (TI) L2 Control Register Read (CR) L2 Control Register Write (CW) Tag Write w/ Data Read (TWR) Tag Write w/ Data Write (TWW) Tag Write (TW)
11AH	282	BBL_CR_TRIG	Trigger register: used to initiate a cache configuration accesses access, Write only with Data = 0.
11BH	283	BBL_CR_BUSY	Busy register: indicates when a cache configuration accesses L2 command is in progress. D[0] = 1 = BUSY
11EH	286	BBL_CR_CTL3 BBL_CR_CTL3[63:26] BBL_CR_CTL3[25] BBL_CR_CTL3[24] BBL_CR_CTL3[23] BBL_CR_CTL3[22:20] 111 110 101 100 011 010 001 000 BBL_CR_CTL3[19] BBL_CR_CTL3[18]	Control register 3: used to configure the L2 Cache Reserved Cache bus fraction (read only) Reserved L2 Hardware Disable (read only) L2 Physical Address Range support 64GBytes 32GBytes 16GBytes 8GBytes 4GBytes 2GBytes 1GBytes 512MBytes Reserved Cache State error checking enable (read/write)

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		BBL_CR_CTL3[17:13] 00001 00010 00100 01000 10000 BBL_CR_CTL3[12:11] BBL_CR_CTL3[10:9] 00 01 10 11 BBL_CR_CTL3[8] BBL_CR_CTL3[7] BBL_CR_CTL3[6] BBL_CR_CTL3[5] BBL_CR_CTL3[4:1] BBL_CR_CTL3[0]	Cache size per bank (read/write) 256KBytes 512KBytes 1MByte 2MByte 4MBytes Number of L2 banks (read only) L2 Associativity (read only) Direct Mapped 2 Way 4 Way Reserved L2 Enabled (read/write) CRTN Parity Check Enable (read/write) Address Parity Check Enable (read/write) ECC Check Enable (read/write) L2 Cache Latency (read/write) L2 Configured (read/write)
174H	372	SYSENTER_CS_MSR	CS register target for CPL 0 code
175H	373	SYSENTER_ESP_MSR	Stack pointer for CPL 0 stack
176H	374	SYSENTER_EIP_MSR	CPL 0 code entry point
179H	377	MCG_CAP	Machine Check Global Control Register
17AH	378	MCG_STATUS	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - contains information related to machine-check error if its VAL (valid) flag is set. Software is responsible for clearing IA32_MCi_STATUS MSRs by explicitly writing 0s to them; writing 1s to them causes a general-protection exception.
17BH	379	MCG_CTL	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - controls signaling of #MC for errors produced by a particular hardware unit (or group of hardware units).
186H	390	PerfEvtSel0 (EVNTSEL0)	Performance Event Select Register 0 (R/W)
		7:0	Event Select Refer to Performance Counter section for a list of event encodings.
		15:8	UMASK (Unit Mask) Unit mask register set to 0 to enable all count options.
		16	USER Controls the counting of events at Privilege levels of 1, 2, and 3.
		17	OS Controls the counting of events at Privilege level of 0.

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		18	E Occurrence/Duration Mode Select 1 = Occurrence 0 = Duration
		19	PC Enabled the signaling of performance counter overflow via BPO pin
		20	INT Enables the signaling of counter overflow via input to APIC 1 = Enable 0 = Disable
		22	ENABLE Enables the counting of performance events in both counters 1 = Enable 0 = Disable
		23	INV Inverts the result of the CMASK condition 1 = Inverted 0 = Non-Inverted
		31:24	CMASK (Counter Mask)
187H	391	PerfEvtSel1 (EVNTSEL1)	Performance Event Select for Counter 1 (R/W)
		7:0	Event Select Refer to Performance Counter section for a list of event encodings.
		15:8	UMASK (Unit Mask) Unit mask register set to 0 to enable all count options.
		16	USER Controls the counting of events at Privilege levels of 1, 2, and 3.
		17	OS Controls the counting of events at Privilege level of 0.
		18	E Occurrence/Duration Mode Select. 1 = Occurrence 0 = Duration
		19	PC Enabled the signaling of performance counter overflow via BPO pin.

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
		20	INT Enables the signaling of counter overflow via input to APIC. 1 = Enable 0 = Disable
		23	INV Inverts the result of the CMASK condition. 1 = Inverted 0 = Non-Inverted
		31:24	CMASK (Counter Mask)
1D9H	473	DEBUGCTLMR	Enables last branch, interrupt, and exception recording; taken branch breakpoints; the breakpoint reporting pins; and trace messages. This register can be written to using the WRMSR instruction, when operating at privilege level 0 or when in real-address mode.
		0	Enable/Disable Last Branch Records
		1	Branch Trap Flag
		2	Performance Monitoring/Break Point Pins
		3	Performance Monitoring/Break Point Pins
		4	Performance Monitoring/Break Point Pins
		5	Performance Monitoring/Break Point Pins
		6	Enable/Disable Execution Trace Messages
31:7	Reserved		
1DBH	475	LASTBRANCHFROMIP	32-bit register for recording the instruction pointers for the last branch, interrupt, or exception that the processor took prior to a debug exception being generated.
1DCH	476	LASTBRANCHTOIP	32-bit register for recording the instruction pointers for the last branch, interrupt, or exception that the processor took prior to a debug exception being generated.
1DDH	477	LASTINTFROMIP	Last INT from IP
1DEH	478	LASTINTTOIP	Last INT to IP
200H	512	MTRRphysBase0	Memory Type Range Registers
201H	513	MTRRphysMask0	Memory Type Range Registers
202H	514	MTRRphysBase1	Memory Type Range Registers
203H	515	MTRRphysMask1	Memory Type Range Registers
204H	516	MTRRphysBase2	Memory Type Range Registers
205H	517	MTRRphysMask2	Memory Type Range Registers
206H	518	MTRRphysBase3	Memory Type Range Registers
207H	519	MTRRphysMask3	Memory Type Range Registers
208H	520	MTRRphysBase4	Memory Type Range Registers
209H	521	MTRRphysMask4	Memory Type Range Registers
20AH	522	MTRRphysBase5	Memory Type Range Registers

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
20BH	523	MTRRphysMask5	Memory Type Range Registers
20CH	524	MTRRphysBase6	Memory Type Range Registers
20DH	525	MTRRphysMask6	Memory Type Range Registers
20EH	526	MTRRphysBase7	Memory Type Range Registers
20FH	527	MTRRphysMask7	Memory Type Range Registers
250H	592	MTRRfix64K_00000	Memory Type Range Registers
258H	600	MTRRfix16K_80000	Memory Type Range Registers
259H	601	MTRRfix16K_A0000	Memory Type Range Registers
268H	616	MTRRfix4K_C0000	Memory Type Range Registers
269H	617	MTRRfix4K_C8000	Memory Type Range Registers
26AH	618	MTRRfix4K_D0000	Memory Type Range Registers
26BH	619	MTRRfix4K_D8000	Memory Type Range Registers
26CH	620	MTRRfix4K_E0000	Memory Type Range Registers
26DH	621	MTRRfix4K_E8000	Memory Type Range Registers
26EH	622	MTRRfix4K_F0000	Memory Type Range Registers
26FH	623	MTRRfix4K_F8000	Memory Type Range Registers
2FFH	767	MTRRdefType	Memory Type Range Registers
		2:0	Default memory type
		10	Fixed MTRR enable
		11	MTRR Enable
400H	1024	MCO_CTL	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - controls signaling of #MC for errors produced by a particular hardware unit (or group of hardware units).
401H	1025	MCO_STATUS	Machine Check Error Reporting Register - contains information related to a machine-check error if its VAL (valid) flag is set. Software is responsible for clearing IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs by explicitly writing 0s to them; writing 1s to them causes a general-protection exception.
		15:0	MC_STATUS_MCACOD
		31:16	MC_STATUS_MSCOD
		57	MC_STATUS_DAM
		58	MC_STATUS_ADDRV
		59	MC_STATUS_MISCV
		60	MC_STATUS_EN. (Note: For MCO_STATUS only, this bit is hardcoded to 1.)
		61	MC_STATUS_UC
		62	MC_STATUS_O
63	MC_STATUS_V		
402H	1026	MCO_ADDR	
403H	1027	MCO_MISC	Defined in MCA architecture but not implemented in the P6 family processors.

Table 2-60. MSRs in the P6 Family Processors (Contd.)

Register Address		Register Name / Bit Fields	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
404H	1028	MC1_CTL	
405H	1029	MC1_STATUS	Bit definitions same as MCO_STATUS.
406H	1030	MC1_ADDR	
407H	1031	MC1_MISC	Defined in MCA architecture but not implemented in the P6 family processors.
408H	1032	MC2_CTL	
409H	1033	MC2_STATUS	Bit definitions same as MCO_STATUS.
40AH	1034	MC2_ADDR	
40BH	1035	MC2_MISC	Defined in MCA architecture but not implemented in the P6 family processors.
40CH	1036	MC4_CTL	
40DH	1037	MC4_STATUS	Bit definitions same as MCO_STATUS, except bits 0, 4, 57, and 61 are hardcoded to 1.
40EH	1038	MC4_ADDR	Defined in MCA architecture but not implemented in P6 Family processors.
40FH	1039	MC4_MISC	Defined in MCA architecture but not implemented in the P6 family processors.
410H	1040	MC3_CTL	
411H	1041	MC3_STATUS	Bit definitions same as MCO_STATUS.
412H	1042	MC3_ADDR	
413H	1043	MC3_MISC	Defined in MCA architecture but not implemented in the P6 family processors.

NOTES

- 1.Bit 0 of this register has been redefined several times, and is no longer used in P6 family processors.
- 2.The processor number feature may be disabled by setting bit 21 of the BBL_CR_CTL MSR (model-specific register address 119h) to "1". Once set, bit 21 of the BBL_CR_CTL may not be cleared. This bit is write-once. The processor number feature will be disabled until the processor is reset.
- 3.The Pentium III processor will prevent FSB frequency overclocking with a new shutdown mechanism. If the FSB frequency selected is greater than the internal FSB frequency the processor will shutdown. If the FSB selected is less than the internal FSB frequency the BIOS may choose to use bit 11 to implement its own shutdown policy.

2.23 MSRS IN PENTIUM PROCESSORS

The following MSRs are defined for the Pentium processors. The P5_MC_ADDR, P5_MC_TYPE, and TSC MSRs (named IA32_P5_MC_ADDR, IA32_P5_MC_TYPE, and IA32_TIME_STAMP_COUNTER in the Pentium 4 processor) are architectural; that is, code that accesses these registers will run on Pentium 4 and P6 family processors without generating exceptions (see Section 2.1, "Architectural MSRs"). The CESR, CTR0, and CTR1 MSRs are unique to Pentium processors; code that accesses these registers will generate exceptions on Pentium 4 and P6 family processors.

Table 2-61. MSRs in the Pentium Processor

Register Address		Register Name	Bit Description
Hex	Dec		
0H	0	P5_MC_ADDR	See Section 16.10.2, "Pentium Processor Machine-Check Exception Handling."
1H	1	P5_MC_TYPE	See Section 16.10.2, "Pentium Processor Machine-Check Exception Handling."
10H	16	TSC	See Section 18.17, "Time-Stamp Counter."
11H	17	CESR	See Section 20.6.9.1, "Control and Event Select Register (CESR)."
12H	18	CTRO	Section 20.6.9.3, "Events Counted."
13H	19	CTR1	Section 20.6.9.3, "Events Counted."

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MSRs of recent processors are indexed here for convenience. IA32 MSRs are excluded from this index.

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_ALF_ESCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_ALF_ESCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_ANY_CORE_C0	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_ANY_GFXE_C0	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_BO_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_CTRO	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_CTR1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_CTR2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_CTR3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_EVTN_SELO	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_BO_PMON_EVNT_SEL1 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_EVNT_SEL2 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_EVNT_SEL3 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_MASK 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BO_PMON_MATCH 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_BOX_CTRL 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_CTRL0 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_CTRL1 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_CTRL2 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_CTRL3 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SELO 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_MASK 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_B1_PMON_MATCH 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_BBL_CR_CTL 06_09H	See Table 2-59
MSR_BBL_CR_CTL3 06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
06_09H	See Table 2-59
MSR_BIOS_DEBUG	
06_8CH, 06_8DH	See Table 2-45
MSR_BIOS_DONE	
06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-44
MSR_BIOS_MCU_ERRORCODE	
06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-44
06_8CH, 06_8DH	See Table 2-45
MSR_BPU_CCCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_CCCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_CCCR2	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_CCCR3	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_COUNTER0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_COUNTER1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_COUNTER2	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_COUNTER3	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_ESCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BPU_ESCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BR_DETECT_COUNTER_CONFIG_i	
06_66H	See Table 2-42
MSR_BR_DETECT_CTRL	
06_66H	See Table 2-42
MSR_BR_DETECT_STATUS	
06_66H	See Table 2-42
MSR_BSU_ESCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_BSU_ESCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_CO_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_CTRL1	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_CTR2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_CO_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_CTR0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_CTR1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_CTR2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_CTR3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_CTR4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C1_PMON_CTR5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C1_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C10_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_FILTER0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C11_PMON_BOX_FILTER1 06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_FILTER 06_3EH	See Table 2-28
MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_FILTER0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C12_PMON_BOX_FILTER1 06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_FILTER 06_3EH	See Table 2-28
MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_FILTER0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C13_PMON_BOX_FILTER1 06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_FILTER 06_3EH	See Table 2-28
MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_FILTER0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C14_PMON_BOX_FILTER1 06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_BOX_CTL 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_BOX_FILTER0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_BOX_FILTER1 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_CTR0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_CTR1 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_CTR2 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_CTR3 06_3FH	See Table 2-33

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_C15_PMON_EVNTSELO 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_EVNTSEL1 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_EVNTSEL2 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C15_PMON_EVNTSEL3 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_BOX_CTL 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_BOX_FILTER0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_BOX_FILTER1 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_CTR0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_CTR3 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_CTR2 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_CTR3 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_EVNTSELO 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_EVNTSEL1 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_EVNTSEL2 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C16_PMON_EVNTSEL3 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_BOX_CTL 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_BOX_FILTER0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_BOX_FILTER1 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_CTR0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_C17_PMON_CTR1 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_CTR2 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_CTR3 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_EVNTSELO 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_EVNTSEL1 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_EVNTSEL2 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C17_PMON_EVNTSEL3 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_CTRL 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_FILTER 06_2DH	See Table 2-24
MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_FILTER0 06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_FILTER1 06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C2_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_CTR0 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_CTR1 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_CTR2 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_C2_PMON_CTR3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_CTR4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C2_PMON_CTR5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C2_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C3_PMON_BOX_STATUS	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_CTRL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_CTRL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C3_PMON_CTRL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C3_PMON_EVTN_SEL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_EVTN_SEL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_EVTN_SEL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_EVTN_SEL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C3_PMON_EVTN_SEL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C3_PMON_EVTN_SEL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C4_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_CTRL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_CTRL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C4_PMON_CTRL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C4_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C5_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_C5_PMON_CTR3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_CTR4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C5_PMON_CTR5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C5_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C6_PMON_BOX_STATUS	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_CTRL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_CTRL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C6_PMON_CTRL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C6_PMON_EVTN_SEL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_EVTN_SEL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_EVTN_SEL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_EVTN_SEL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C6_PMON_EVTN_SEL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C6_PMON_EVTN_SEL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C7_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_CTRL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_CTRL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C7_PMON_CTRL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C7_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C8_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_CTR0	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_CTR1	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_CTR2	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_C8_PMON_CTR3	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_CTR4	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C8_PMON_CTR5	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C8_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_FILTER0	
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_FILTER1	
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C9_PMON_BOX_STATUS	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_CTRL3	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_CTRL4	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C9_PMON_CTRL5	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C9_PMON_EVTN_SEL0	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_EVTN_SEL1	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_EVTN_SEL2	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_EVTN_SEL3	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_3EH	See Table 2-28
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_C9_PMON_EVTN_SEL4	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
MSR_C9_PMON_EVTN_SEL5	
06_2FH	See Table 2-19

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_CC6_DEMOTION_POLICY_CONFIG	
06_37H	See Table 2-9
MSR_CONFIG_TDP_CONTROL	
06_3AH	See Table 2-25
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-29
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_CONFIG_TDP_LEVEL1	
06_3AH	See Table 2-25
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-29
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_CONFIG_TDP_LEVEL2	
06_3AH	See Table 2-25
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-29
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_CONFIG_TDP_NOMINAL	
06_3AH	See Table 2-25
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-29
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_CORE_C1_RESIDENCY	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_66H	See Table 2-42
MSR_CORE_C3_RESIDENCY	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH, 06_25H, 06_2CH, 06_2FH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-20
MSR_CORE_C6_RESIDENCY	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH, 06_25H, 06_2CH, 06_2FH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_CORE_C7_RESIDENCY	
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-20
MSR_CORE_GFXE_OVERLAP_CO	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_CORE_HDC_RESIDENCY	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_CORE_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_3F	See Table 2-32

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_CORE_THREAD_COUNT	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
MSR_CRASHLOG_CONTROL	
06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-44
MSR_CRU_ESCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_CRU_ESCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_CRU_ESCR2	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_CRU_ESCR3	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_CRU_ESCR4	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_CRU_ESCR5	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_DAC_ESCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_DAC_ESCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_DRAM_ENERGY_STATUS	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_2DH	See Table 2-23
06_3EH, 06_3FH	See Table 2-26
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-29
06_3F	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-51
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_DRAM_PERF_STATUS	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_2DH	See Table 2-23
06_3EH, 06_3FH	See Table 2-26
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-29
06_3F	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-51
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_DRAM_POWER_INFO	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2DH	See Table 2-23
06_3EH, 06_3FH	See Table 2-26
06_3F	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-51
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_DRAM_POWER_LIMIT	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_2DH	See Table 2-23
06_3EH, 06_3FH	See Table 2-26
06_3F	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-51
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_EBC_FREQUENCY_ID	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_EBC_HARD_POWERON	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_EBC_SOFT_POWERON	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_EBL_CR_POWERON	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
06_09H	See Table 2-59
MSR_EFSB_DRDY0	
0F_03H, 0F_04H	See Table 2-56
MSR_EFSB_DRDY1	
0F_03H, 0F_04H	See Table 2-56
MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL0	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
0F_06H	See Table 2-57
MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL1	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
0F_06H	See Table 2-57
MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL2	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
0F_06H	See Table 2-57
MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL3	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
0F_06H	See Table 2-57

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL4	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
0F_06H	See Table 2-57
MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL5	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
0F_06H	See Table 2-57
MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL6	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
0F_06H	See Table 2-57
MSR_EMON_L3_CTR_CTL7	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
0F_06H	See Table 2-57
MSR_EMON_L3_GL_CTL	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
MSR_ERROR_CONTROL	
06_2DH	See Table 2-23
06_3EH	See Table 2-26
06_3F	See Table 2-32
MSR_FAST_UNCORE_MSRS_CAPABILITY	
06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-44
MSR_FAST_UNCORE_MSRS_CTL	
06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-44
MSR_FAST_UNCORE_MSRS_STATUS	
06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-44
MSR_FEATURE_CONFIG	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-18
06_2FH	See Table 2-19
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_FIRM_ESCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FIRM_ESCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_CCCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_CCCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_CCCR2	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_CCCR3	
0FH	See Table 2-55

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_FLAME_COUNTER0 OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_COUNTER1 OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_COUNTER2 OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_COUNTER3 OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_ESCRO OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FLAME_ESCR1 OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FSB_ESCRO OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FSB_ESCR1 OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_FSB_FREQ 06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_4CH	See Table 2-11
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
MSR_GQ_SNOOP_MESF 06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_GRAPHICS_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS 06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
MSR_IFSB_BUSQ0 OF_03H, OF_04H	See Table 2-56
MSR_IFSB_BUSQ1 OF_03H, OF_04H	See Table 2-56
MSR_IFSB_CNTR7 OF_03H, OF_04H	See Table 2-56
MSR_IFSB_CTL6 OF_03H, OF_04H	See Table 2-56
MSR_IFSB_SNPQ0 OF_03H, OF_04H	See Table 2-56
MSR_IFSB_SNPQ1 OF_03H, OF_04H	See Table 2-56
MSR_IQ_CCCR0 OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_CCCR1 OFH	See Table 2-55

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_IQ_CCCR2	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_CCCR3	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_CCCR4	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_CCCR5	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_COUNTER0	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_COUNTER1	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_COUNTER2	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_COUNTER3	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_COUNTER4	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_COUNTER5	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_ESCR0	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IQ_ESCR1	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IS_ESCR0	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IS_ESCR1	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_ITLB_ESCR0	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_ITLB_ESCR1	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IX_ESCR0	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_IX_ESCR1	
OFH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_0	
OFH	See Table 2-55
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
06_09H	See Table 2-59
MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_FROM_IP	
06_OFH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH.....	See Table 2-12
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_0_TO_IP	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH.....	See Table 2-12
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_FROM_IP	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_1_TO_IP	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_10_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_11_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_12_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_13_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_14_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_15_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_16_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_16_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_17_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_17_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_18_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_18_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_19_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_19_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_2	
0FH	See Table 2-55
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
06_09H	See Table 2-59

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_FROM_IP	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_2_TO_IP	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_20_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_20_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_21_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_21_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_22_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_22_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_23_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_LASTBRANCH_23_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_24_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_24_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_25_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_25_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_26_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_26_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_27_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_27_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_28_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_28_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_29_FROM_IP	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_29_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_3	
0FH	See Table 2-55
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
06_09H	See Table 2-59
MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_FROM_IP	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_3_TO_IP	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_30_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_30_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_31_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_LASTBRANCH_31_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_LASTBRANCH_4	
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_FROM_IP	
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_4_TO_IP	
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_5	
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_FROM_IP	
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_5_TO_IP	
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_6	
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_FROM_IP	
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_6_TO_IP	
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_7	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
06_09H	See Table 2-59
MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_FROM_IP	
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_7_TO_IP	
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_8_TO_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_FROM_IP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_9_TO_IP	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_LASTBRANCH_TOS	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
06_09H	See Table 2-59
MSR_LASTBRANCH_INFO_0	
06_7AH	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_1	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_10	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_11	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_12	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_13	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_14	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_15	

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06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_16	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_17	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_18	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_19	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_2	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_20	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_21	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_22	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_23	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_24	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_25	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_26	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_27	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_28	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_29	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_3	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_30	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_31	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_4	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_5	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_6	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_7	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_8	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_INFO_9	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
MSR_LBR_SELECT	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-29
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_LER_FROM_LIP	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
0FH	See Table 2-55
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
MSR_LER_TO_LIP	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
0FH	See Table 2-55
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
MSR_MO_PMON_ADDR_MASK	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_ADDR_MATCH	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_BOX_CTRL	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_MO_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_CTRL0 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_CTRL1 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_CTRL2 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_CTRL3 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_CTRL4 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_CTRL5 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_DSP 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_EVNT_SELO 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_EVNT_SEL1 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_EVNT_SEL2 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_EVNT_SEL3 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_EVNT_SEL4 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_EVNT_SEL5 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_ISS 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_MAP 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_MM_CONFIG 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_MSC_THR 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_PGT 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_PLD	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_TIMESTAMP	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_MO_PMON_ZDP	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_ADDR_MASK	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_ADDR_MATCH	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_CTR0	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_CTR1	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_CTR2	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_CTR3	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_CTR4	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_CTR5	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_DSP	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL4	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_EVNT_SEL5	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_ISS	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_MAP	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_MM_CONFIG	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_MSC_THR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_PGT	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_PLD	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_TIMESTAMP	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_M1_PMON_ZDP	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
IA32_MCO_MISC / MSR_MCO_MISC	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
MSR_MCO_RESIDENCY	
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
IA32_MC1_MISC / MSR_MC1_MISC	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
IA32_MC10_ADDR / MSR_MC10_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC10_CTL / MSR_MC10_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC10_MISC / MSR_MC10_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
IA32_MC10_STATUS / MSR_MC10_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H,06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC11_ADDR / MSR_MC11_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC11_CTL / MSR_MC11_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC11_MISC / MSR_MC11_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC11_STATUS / MSR_MC11_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC12_ADDR / MSR_MC12_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC12_CTL / MSR_MC12_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC12_MISC / MSR_MC12_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC12_STATUS / MSR_MC12_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC13_ADDR / MSR_MC13_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC13_CTL / MSR_MC13_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC13_MISC / MSR_MC13_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC13_STATUS / MSR_MC13_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC14_ADDR / MSR_MC14_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC14_CTL / MSR_MC14_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC14_MISC / MSR_MC14_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC14_STATUS / MSR_MC14_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC15_ADDR / MSR_MC15_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC15_CTL / MSR_MC15_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC15_MISC / MSR_MC15_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC15_STATUS / MSR_MC15_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC16_ADDR / MSR_MC16_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC16_CTL / MSR_MC16_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC16_MISC / MSR_MC16_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC16_STATUS / MSR_MC16_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC17_ADDR / MSR_MC17_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC17_CTL / MSR_MC17_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC17_MISC / MSR_MC17_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC17_STATUS / MSR_MC17_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC18_ADDR / MSR_MC18_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC18_CTL / MSR_MC18_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC18_MISC / MSR_MC18_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC18_STATUS / MSR_MC18_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC19_ADDR / MSR_MC19_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23

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06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC19_CTL / MSR_MC19_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC19_MISC / MSR_MC19_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC19_STATUS / MSR_MC19_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC2_MISC / MSR_MC2_MISC	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
IA32_MC20_ADDR / MSR_MC20_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC20_CTL / MSR_MC20_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC20_MISC / MSR_MC20_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
IA32_MC20_STATUS / MSR_MC20_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC21_ADDR / MSR_MC21_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4F.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC21_CTL / MSR_MC21_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4F.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC21_MISC / MSR_MC21_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4F.....	See Table 2-38
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06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
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IA32_MC22_CTL / MSR_MC22_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC22_MISC / MSR_MC22_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC22_STATUS / MSR_MC22_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC23_ADDR / MSR_MC23_ADDR	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC23_CTL / MSR_MC23_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC23_MISC / MSR_MC23_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC23_STATUS / MSR_MC23_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC24_ADDR / MSR_MC24_ADDR	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC24_CTL / MSR_MC24_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC24_MISC / MSR_MC24_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC24_STATUS / MSR_MC24_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC25_ADDR / MSR_MC25_ADDR	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC25_CTL / MSR_MC25_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC25_MISC / MSR_MC25_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC25_STATUS / MSR_MC25_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC26_ADDR / MSR_MC26_ADDR	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC26_CTL / MSR_MC26_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC26_MISC / MSR_MC26_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC26_STATUS / MSR_MC26_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC27_ADDR / MSR_MC27_ADDR	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC27_CTL / MSR_MC27_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC27_MISC / MSR_MC27_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC27_STATUS / MSR_MC27_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC28_ADDR / MSR_MC28_ADDR	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC28_CTL / MSR_MC28_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC28_MISC / MSR_MC28_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC28_STATUS / MSR_MC28_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
IA32_MC29_ADDR / MSR_MC29_ADDR	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC29_CTL / MSR_MC29_CTL	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC29_MISC / MSR_MC29_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC29_STATUS / MSR_MC29_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC3_ADDR / MSR_MC3_ADDR	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
IA32_MC3_CTL / MSR_MC3_CTL	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
IA32_MC3_MISC / MSR_MC3_MISC	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
IA32_MC3_STATUS / MSR_MC3_STATUS	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
IA32_MC30_ADDR / MSR_MC30_ADDR	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC30_CTL / MSR_MC30_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC30_MISC / MSR_MC30_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC30_STATUS / MSR_MC30_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC31_ADDR / MSR_MC31_ADDR	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC31_CTL / MSR_MC31_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC31_MISC / MSR_MC31_MISC	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC31_STATUS / MSR_MC31_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
IA32_MC4_ADDR / MSR_MC4_ADDR	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
IA32_MC4_CTL / MSR_MC4_CTL	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
IA32_MC4_CTL2 / MSR_MC4_CTL2	
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
IA32_MC4_STATUS / MSR_MC4_STATUS	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
MSR_MC5_ADDR / MSR_MC5_ADDR	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53

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06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
IA32_MC5_CTL / MSR_MC5_CTL	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
IA32_MC5_MISC / MSR_MC5_MISC	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
IA32_MC5_STATUS / MSR_MC5_STATUS	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
IA32_MC6_ADDR / MSR_MC6_ADDR	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC6_CTL / MSR_MC6_CTL	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37

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06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
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06_37H.....	See Table 2-9
IA32_MC6_MISC / MSR_MC6_MISC	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
MSR_MC6_RESIDENCY_COUNTER	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_37H.....	See Table 2-9
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
IA32_CORE_CAPABILITIES (Note there are no architecturally defined bits; all bits are model-specific)	
06_86H.....	See Table 2-14
06_8CH, 06_8DH.....	See Table 2-45
IA32_MC6_STATUS / MSR_MC6_STATUS	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC7_ADDR / MSR_MC7_ADDR	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC7_CTL / MSR_MC7_CTL	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC7_MISC / MSR_MC7_MISC	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23

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06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC7_STATUS / MSR_MC7_STATUS	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC8_ADDR / MSR_MC8_ADDR	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC8_CTL / MSR_MC8_CTL	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC8_MISC / MSR_MC8_MISC	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC8_STATUS / MSR_MC8_STATUS	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC9_ADDR / MSR_MC9_ADDR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38

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IA32_MC9_CTL / MSR_MC9_CTL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC9_MISC / MSR_MC9_MISC	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
IA32_MC9_STATUS / MSR_MC9_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3F.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
MSR_MCG_MISC	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_R10	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_R11	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_R12	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_R13	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_R14	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_R15	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_R8	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_R9	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RAX	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RBP	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RBX	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RCX	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RDI	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RDX	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RESERVED1 - MSR_MCG_RESERVED5	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RFLAGS	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RIP	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RSI	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MCG_RSP	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MEMORY_CTRL	
06_86H.....	See Table 2-14
06_7DH, 06_7EH.....	See Table 2-44
06_97H, 06_9AH.....	See Table 2-46
MSR_MISC_FEATURE_CONTROL	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
MSR_MISC_PWR_MGMT	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
MSR_MOB_ESCRO	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
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OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_CCCRO	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_CCCR1	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_CCCR2	
OFH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_CCCR3	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_COUNTER0	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_COUNTER1	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_COUNTER2	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_COUNTER3	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_ESCRO	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MS_ESCR1	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_MTRRCAP	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH....	See Table 2-39
MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_0	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_1	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_25H, 06_2CH.....	See Table 2-18
06_2FH.....	See Table 2-19
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PACKAGE_ENERGY_TIME_STATUS	
06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-51
MSR_PCIE_PLL_RATIO	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_CTL	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-28
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR1	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR2	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_CTR3	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSELO	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL1	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL2	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PCU_PMON_EVNTSEL3	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PEBS_DATA_CFG	
06_7DH, 06_7EH.....	See Table 2-44
MSR_PEBS_ENABLE	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH.....	See Table 2-12
06_7AH.....	See Table 2-13
06_86H.....	See Table 2-14
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-27
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_PEBS_FRONTEND	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH....	See Table 2-39
MSR_PEBS_LD_LAT	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
MSR_PEBS_MATRIX_VERT	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_PEBS_NUM_ALT	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
MSR_PERF_CAPABILITIES	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
MSR_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
MSR_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
MSR_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
MSR_PERF_METRICS	
06_7DH, 06_7EH.....	See Table 2-44
MSR_PERF_STATUS	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
MSR_PKG_C10_RESIDENCY	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_45H.....	See Table 2-30 and Table 2-31
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
MSR_PKG_C2_RESIDENCY	
06_27H.....	See Table 2-5
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKG_C3_RESIDENCY	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH, 06_25H, 06_2CH, 06_2FH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-20
06_66H.....	See Table 2-42
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKG_C4_RESIDENCY	
06_27H.....	See Table 2-5
MSR_PKG_C6_RESIDENCY	
06_27H.....	See Table 2-5
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH.....	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH, 06_25H, 06_2CH, 06_2FH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-20

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKG_C7_RESIDENCY	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH, 06_25H, 06_2CH, 06_2FH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKG_C8_RESIDENCY	
06_45H	See Table 2-31
06_4FH	See Table 2-38
MSR_PKG_C9_RESIDENCY	
06_45H	See Table 2-31
06_4FH	See Table 2-38
MSR_PKG_CST_CONFIG_CONTROL	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_4CH	See Table 2-11
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
06_3AH	See Table 2-25
06_3EH	See Table 2-26
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_45H	See Table 2-31
06_3F	See Table 2-32
06_3DH	See Table 2-35
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKG_ENERGY_STATUS	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4CH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-8
06_5CH, 06_7AH, 06_86H	See Table 2-12
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3DH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H, 06_47H, 06_4EH, 06_4FH, 06_55H, 06_56H, 06_5EH, 06_66H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKG_HDC_CONFIG	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_PKG_HDC_DEEP_RESIDENCY	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_PKG_HDC_SHALLOW_RESIDENCY	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_PKG_PERF_STATUS	
06_5CH, 06_7AH, 06_86H	See Table 2-12
06_2DH	See Table 2-23

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_3AH, 06_3EH	See Table 2-26
06_3CH, 06_3DH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H, 06_47H, 06_4EH, 06_4FH, 06_55H, 06_56H, 06_5EH, 06_66H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-29
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKG_POWER_INFO	
06_4DH.....	See Table 2-10
06_5CH, 06_7AH, 06_86H.....	See Table 2-12
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3DH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H, 06_47H, 06_4EH, 06_4FH, 06_55H, 06_56H, 06_5EH, 06_66H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKG_POWER_LIMIT	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4CH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-8
06_4DH.....	See Table 2-10
06_5CH, 06_7AH, 06_86H.....	See Table 2-12
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3DH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H, 06_47H, 06_4EH, 06_4FH, 06_55H, 06_56H, 06_5EH, 06_66H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-20
06_57H, 06_85H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PKGC_IRTL1	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-29
MSR_PKGC_IRTL2	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-29
MSR_PKGC3_IRTL	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
MSR_PKGC6_IRTL	
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
MSR_PKGC7_IRTL	
06_2AH.....	See Table 2-21
MSR_PLATFORM_BRV	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_PLATFORM_ENERGY_COUNTER	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_PLATFORM_ID	
06_0FH, 06_17H	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H	See Table 2-4
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-7
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
MSR_PLATFORM_INFO	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
06_3AH.....	See Table 2-25
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-29 and Table 2-30
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PLATFORM_POWER_LIMIT	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_PMG_IO_CAPTURE_BASE	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-6
06_4CH.....	See Table 2-11
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
06_3AH.....	See Table 2-25
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PMH_ESCRO	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_PMH_ESCR1	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_CONFIG	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-28
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-28
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_PMON_GLOBAL_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-28
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_POWER_CTL	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH	See Table 2-20
MSR_PPO_ENERGY_STATUS	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-8
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-20
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PPO_POLICY	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2AH, 06_45H	See Table 2-21
MSR_PP0_POWER_LIMIT	
06_4CH.....	See Table 2-11
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-20
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_PP1_ENERGY_STATUS	
06_5CH, 06_7AH	See Table 2-12
06_2AH, 06_45H	See Table 2-21
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
MSR_PP1_POLICY	
06_2AH, 06_45H	See Table 2-21
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
MSR_PP1_POWER_LIMIT	
06_2AH, 06_45H	See Table 2-21
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
MSR_PPERF	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
IA32_PPIN / MSR_PPIN	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_55H.....	See Table 2-50
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
IA32_PPIN_CTL / MSR_PPIN_CTL	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_56H, 06_4FH	See Table 2-36
06_55H.....	See Table 2-50
06_57H, 06_85H	See Table 2-53
MSR_PRMRR_BASE_0	
06_7DH, 06_7EH	See Table 2-44
MSR_PRMRR_PHYS_BASE	
06_8EH, 06_9EH	See Table 2-41
MSR_PRMRR_PHYS_MASK	
06_8EH, 06_9EH	See Table 2-41
MSR_PRMRR_VALID_CONFIG	
06_8EH, 06_9EH	See Table 2-41
MSR_RELOAD_FIXED_CTRx	
06_86H	See Table 2-14
MSR_RELOAD_PMCx	
06_86H	See Table 2-14
MSR_RING_RATIO_LIMIT	
06_8EH, 06_9EH	See Table 2-41

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_RO_PMON_BOX_CTRL 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_CTRL0 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_CTRL1 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_CTRL2 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_CTRL3 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_CTRL4 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_CTRL5 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_CTRL6 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_CTRL7 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_EVNT_SELO 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_EVNT_SEL1 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_EVNT_SEL2 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_EVNT_SEL3 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_EVNT_SEL4 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_EVNT_SEL5 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_EVNT_SEL6 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_EVNT_SEL7 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_IPERFO_P0 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_IPERFO_P1 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_RO_PMON_IPERFO_P2 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_IPERFO_P3 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_IPERFO_P4 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_IPERFO_P5 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_IPERFO_P6 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_IPERFO_P7 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_QLX_P0 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_QLX_P1 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_QLX_P2 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RO_PMON_QLX_P3 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_BOX_CTRL 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_CTR10 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_CTR11 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_CTR12 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_CTR13 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_CTR14 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_CTR15 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_CTR8 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_CTR9 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL10 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL11 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL12 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL13 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL14 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL15 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL8 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_EVNT_SEL9 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P10 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P11 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P12 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P13 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P14 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P15 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P8 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_IPERF1_P9 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_QLX_P4 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_QLX_P5 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_QLX_P6 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_R1_PMON_QLX_P7 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_RAPL_POWER_UNIT 06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH	See Table 2-8

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_4DH.....	See Table 2-10
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_2AH, 06_2DH, 06_3AH, 06_3CH, 06_3EH, 06_3FH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-20
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-36
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_RAT_ESCRO	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_RAT_ESCR1	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_RING_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS	
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-30
MSR_SO_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_SO_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_SO_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_SO_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_SO_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_SO_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_SO_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_SO_PMON_CTRL3	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_SO_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_SO_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_SO_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_S0_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S0_PMON_MASK	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_S0_PMON_MATCH	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_CTRL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_S1_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_S1_PMON_CTRL0	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_CTRL1	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_CTRL2	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_CTRL3	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_EVNT_SELO	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_EVNT_SEL1	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_EVNT_SEL2	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S1_PMON_MASK	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_S1_PMON_MATCH	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_S2_PMON_BOX_CTL	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_CTRL0	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_CTRL1	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_CTRL2	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_CTRL3	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_EVTSELO	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_EVTSEL1	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_EVTSEL2	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S2_PMON_EVTSEL3	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_BOX_CTL	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_BOX_FILTER	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_CTRL0	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_CTRL1	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_CTRL2	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_CTRL3	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_EVTSELO	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_EVTSEL1	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_EVTSEL2	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_S3_PMON_EVTSEL3	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_SAAT_ESCR0	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_SAAT_ESCR1	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_SGXOWNEREPOCH0	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39
MSR_SGXOWNEREPOCH1	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH.....	See Table 2-39
MSR_SMI_COUNT	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_SMM_BLOCKED	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-30
MSR_SMM_DELAYED	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-30
MSR_SMM_FEATURE_CONTROL	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-30
MSR_SMM_MCA_CAP	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-30
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-36
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_SMRR_PHYSBASE	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
MSR_SMRR_PHYSMASK	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
MSR_SSU_ESCR0	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_TBPU_ESCR0	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_TBPU_ESCR1	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_TC_ESCR0	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_TC_ESCR1	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_TC_PRECISE_EVENT	
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
MSR_TEMPERATURE_TARGET	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
06_2AH, 06_2DH.....	See Table 2-20
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-36
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_TEST_CTRL	
P6 Family.....	See Table 2-60
MSR_THERM2_CTL	
06_0FH, 06_17H.....	See Table 2-3
06_1CH, 06_26H, 06_27H, 06_35H, 06_36H.....	See Table 2-4
0FH.....	See Table 2-55
06_0EH.....	See Table 2-58
06_09H.....	See Table 2-59
MSR_THREAD_ID_INFO	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
MSR_TRACE_HUB_STH ACPIBAR_BASE	
06_8EH, 06_9EH.....	See Table 2-41
MSR_TURBO_ACTIVATION_RATIO	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_3AH.....	See Table 2-25
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-29
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_TURBO_GROUP_CORECNT	
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
MSR_TURBO_POWER_CURRENT_LIMIT	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH.....	See Table 2-15
MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT	
06_37H, 06_4AH, 06_4DH, 06_5AH, 06_5DH, 06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-6
06_4DH.....	See Table 2-10
06_5CH, 06_7AH.....	See Table 2-12
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_2EH, 06_25H, 06_2CH.....	See Table 2-15
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH.....	See Table 2-16
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
06_25H, 06_2CH.....	See Table 2-18

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2FH.....	See Table 2-19
06_2AH, 06_45H.....	See Table 2-21
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-23
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26 and Table 2-27
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H.....	See Table 2-30
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_3DH.....	See Table 2-35
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-36
06_55H.....	See Table 2-50
06_57H.....	See Table 2-53
MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT1	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-26 and Table 2-27
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
06_56H, 06_4FH.....	See Table 2-36
MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT2	
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-32
MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT3	
06_56H.....	See Table 2-37
06_4FH.....	See Table 2-38
MSR_TURBO_RATIO_LIMIT_CORES	
06_55H.....	See Table 2-50
MSR_U_PMON_BOX_STATUS	
06_3EH.....	See Table 2-28
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_U_PMON_CTR	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_U_PMON_CTR0	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_U_PMON_CTR1	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_U_PMON_EVNT_SEL	
06_2EH.....	See Table 2-17
MSR_U_PMON_EVNTSELO	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33
MSR_U_PMON_EVNTSEL1	
06_2DH.....	See Table 2-24
06_3FH.....	See Table 2-33

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_U_PMON_GLOBAL_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_U_PMON_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_U_PMON_GLOBAL_STATUS	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_U_PMON_UCLK_FIXED_CTL	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_U_PMON_UCLK_FIXED_CTR	
06_2DH	See Table 2-24
06_3FH	See Table 2-33
MSR_U2L_ESCR0	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_U2L_ESCR1	
0FH	See Table 2-55
MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTRO	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFCTR1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSELO	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_ARB_PERFEVTSEL1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTRO	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFCTR3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSELO	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_PERFEVTSEL3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_0_UNIT_STATUS	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR0	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFCTR3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSELO	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_PERFEVTSEL3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_1_UNIT_STATUS	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR0	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFCTR3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSELO	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_PERFEVTSEL3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_2_UNIT_STATUS	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR0	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFCTR3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSELO	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_PERFEVTSEL3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_3_UNIT_STATUS	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR0	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFCTR3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSELO	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL1	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL2	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_PERFEVTSEL3	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_4_UNIT_STATUS	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
MSR_UNC_CBO_CONFIG	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTRL	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNC_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	
06_2AH	See Table 2-22
06_3CH, 06_45H, 06_46H	See Table 2-30
06_4EH, 06_5EH	See Table 2-40
MSR_UNCORE_ADDR_OPCODE_MATCH	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_FIXED_CTR_CTRL	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_FIXED_CTR0	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERF_GLOBAL_CTRL	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERF_GLOBAL_OVF_CTRL	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSELO	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL1	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL2	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL3	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL4	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL5	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL6	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PERFEVTSEL7	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PMC0	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PMC1	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PMC2	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PMC3	
06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
MSR_UNCORE_PMC4 06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PMC5 06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_UNCORE_PMC6 06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PMC7 06_1AH, 06_1EH, 06_1FH, 06_25H, 06_2CH	See Table 2-16
MSR_UNCORE_PRMRR_BASE 06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_UNCORE_PRMRR_MASK 06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MSR_UNCORE_PRMRR_PHYS_BASE 06_8EH, 06_9EH	See Table 2-41
MSR_UNCORE_PRMRR_PHYS_MASK 06_8EH, 06_9EH	See Table 2-41
MSR_VR_CURRENT_CONFIG 06_8CH, 06_8DH	See Table 2-45
MSR_W_PMON_BOX_CTRL 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_BOX_OVF_CTRL 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_BOX_STATUS 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_CTRL0 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_CTRL1 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_CTRL2 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_CTRL3 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_EVNT_SELO 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_EVNT_SEL1 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_EVNT_SEL2 06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_EVNT_SEL3	

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MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_FIXED_CTR	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_W_PMON_FIXED_CTR_CTL	
06_2EH	See Table 2-17
MSR_WEIGHTED_CORE_CO	
06_4EH, 06_5EH, 06_55H, 06_8EH, 06_9EH, 06_66H, 06_7DH, 06_7EH, 06_8CH, 06_8DH, 06_6AH, 06_6CH	See Table 2-39
MTRRfix16K_80000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix16K_A0000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix4K_C0000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix4K_C8000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix4K_D0000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix4K_D8000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix4K_E0000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix4K_E8000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix4K_F0000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix4K_F8000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRfix64K_00000	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysBase0	

MSR Name and CPUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysBase1	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysBase2	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysBase3	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysBase4	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysBase5	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysBase6	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysBase7	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysMask0	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysMask1	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysMask2	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysMask3	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysMask4	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysMask5	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysMask6	

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MSR Name and CUID DisplayFamily_DisplayModel	Location
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60
MTRRphysMask7	
06_0EH	See Table 2-58
P6 Family	See Table 2-60