1.4 Instruction set summary

This section provides a description of the instruction sets used on the ARM7TDMI processor.

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1.4.1 Format summary

This section provides a summary of the ARM, and Thumb instruction sets:

- *ARM instruction summary* on page 1-13
- *Thumb instruction summary* on page 1-20.

A key to the instruction set tables is provided in Table 1-1.

The ARM7TDMI processor uses an implementation of the ARMv4T architecture. For a complete description of both instruction sets, see the *ARM Architecture Reference Manual*.

Table 1-1 Key to tables

| Туре | Description |
|---------------------|---|
| {cond} | Condition field, see Table 1-6 on page 1-19. |
| <0prnd2> | Operand2, see Table 1-4 on page 1-18. |
| {field} | Control field, see Table 1-5 on page 1-19. |
| S | Sets condition codes, optional. |
| В | Byte operation, optional. |
| Н | Halfword operation, optional. |
| T | Forces address translation. Cannot be used with pre-indexed addresses. |
| Addressing modes | See Addressing modes on page 1-15. |
| #32bit_Imm | A 32-bit constant, formed by right-rotating an 8-bit value by an even number of bits. |
| <reglist></reglist> | A comma-separated list of registers, enclosed in braces ({ and }). |

The ARM instruction set formats are shown in Figure 1-5 on page 1-12.

See the ARM Architectural Reference Manual for more information about the ARM instruction set formats.

| | 31 30 29 28 | 27 | 26 | 25 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 20 | 19 18 17 16 | 15 | 14 13 12 | 11 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|--|-------------|----|----|----|----|--------------------------|-----|----|----|---------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|---|------|------|-----|---|---|----|---|---|
| Data processing and FSR transfer | Cond | 0 | 0 | 1 | (| Эрс | ode | Э | s | Rn | | Rd | | | | | O | pera | and | 2 | | | | |
| Multiply | Cond | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Α | s | Rd | | Rn | | R | ls | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | Rr | n | |
| Multiply long | Cond | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | U | Α | s | RdHi | | RdLo | | R | 'n | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | Rr | n | |
| Single data swap | Cond | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | В | 0 | 0 | Rn | | Rd | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | Rr | n | |
| Branch and exchange | Cond | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 1 1 1 | 1 | 1 1 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | Rı | า | |
| Halfword data transfer, register offset | Cond | 0 | 0 | 0 | Р | U | 0 | W | L | Rn | | Rd | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | S | Н | 1 | | Rr | n | |
| Halfword data transfer, immediate offset | Cond | 0 | 0 | 0 | Р | U | 1 | W | L | Rn | | Rd Offset 1 S H 1 | | | 1 | | Offs | set | | | | | | |
| Single data transfer | Cond | 0 | 1 | 1 | Р | U | В | W | L | Rn | n Rd Offset | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Undefined | Cond | 0 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Block data transfer | Cond | 1 | 0 | 0 | Р | U S W L Rn Register list | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Branch | Cond | 1 | 0 | 1 | L | Offset | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Coprocessor data transfer | Cond | 1 | 1 | 0 | Р | U | N | W | L | . Rn CRd CP# Offset | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Coprocessor data operation | Cond | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | (| CP | Ор | С | CRn | | CRd | | CF | ⊃# | | | СР | | 0 | | CR | m | |
| Coprocessor register transfer | Cond | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | CF | 0 | рс | L | CRn | | Rd | | CF | P# | | | СР | | 1 | | CR | m | |
| Software interrupt | Cond | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | Ig | gnored by | pro | осе | sso | r | | | | | | | | |

31 30 29 28 27 26 25 24 23 22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

Figure 1-5 ARM instruction set formats

| Some instruction codes are not defined but do not cause the Undefined instruction trap |
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| to be taken, for instance a multiply instruction with bit [6] changed to a 1. These |
| instructions must not be used because their action might change in future ARM |
| implementations. The behavior of these instruction codes on the ARM7TDMI |
| processor is unpredictable. |

- Note -----

1.4.2 ARM instruction summary

The ARM instruction set summary is listed in Table 1-2.

Table 1-2 ARM instruction summary

| Operation | | Assembly syntax | | | | | |
|------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Move | Move | MOV{cond}{S} Rd, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | | |
| | Move NOT | MVN{cond}{S} Rd, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | | |
| | Move SPSR to register | MRS{cond} Rd, SPSR | | | | | |
| | Move CPSR to register | MRS{cond} Rd, CPSR | | | | | |
| | Move register to SPSR | MSR{cond} SPSR{field}, Rm | | | | | |
| | Move register to CPSR | MSR{cond} CPSR{field}, Rm | | | | | |
| | Move immediate to SPSR flags | MSR{cond} SPSR_f, #32bit_Imm | | | | | |
| | Move immediate to CPSR flags | MSR{cond} CPSR_f, #32bit_Imm | | | | | |
| Arithmetic | Add | ADD{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <0prnd2> | | | | | |
| | Add with carry | ADC{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | | |
| | Subtract | SUB{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | | |
| | Subtract with carry | SBC{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | | |
| | Subtract reverse subtract | RSB{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | | |
| | Subtract reverse subtract with carry | RSC{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <0prnd2> | | | | | |
| | Multiply | MUL{cond}{S} Rd, Rm, Rs | | | | | |
| | Multiply accumulate | MLA{cond}{S} Rd, Rm, Rs, Rn | | | | | |
| | Multiply unsigned long | UMULL{cond}{S} RdLo, RdHi, Rm, Rs | | | | | |
| | Multiply unsigned accumulate long | UMLAL{cond}{S} RdLo, RdHi, Rm, Rs | | | | | |
| | Multiply signed long | SMULL{cond}{S} RdLo, RdHi, Rm, Rs | | | | | |
| | Multiply signed accumulate long | SMLAL{cond}{S} RdLo, RdHi, Rm, Rs | | | | | |
| | Compare | CMP{cond} Rd, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | | |
| | Compare negative | CMN{cond} Rd, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | | |
| Logical | Test | TST{cond} Rn, <0prnd2> | | | | | |

Table 1-2 ARM instruction summary (continued)

| Operation | | Assembly syntax | | | | |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | Test equivalence | TEQ{cond} Rn, <0prnd2> | | | | |
| | AND | AND{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | |
| | EOR | EOR{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | |
| | ORR | ORR{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | |
| | Bit clear | BIC{cond}{S} Rd, Rn, <oprnd2></oprnd2> | | | | |
| Branch | Branch | B{cond} label | | | | |
| | Branch with link | BL{cond} label | | | | |
| | Branch and exchange instruction set | BX{cond} Rn | | | | |
| Load | Word | LDR{cond} Rd, <a_mode2></a_mode2> | | | | |
| | Word with user-mode privilege | LDR{cond}T Rd, <a_mode2p></a_mode2p> | | | | |
| | Byte | LDR{cond}B Rd, <a_mode2></a_mode2> | | | | |
| | Byte with user-mode privilege | LDR{cond}BT Rd, <a_mode2p></a_mode2p> | | | | |
| | Byte signed | LDR{cond}SB Rd, <a_mode3></a_mode3> | | | | |
| | Halfword | LDR{cond}H Rd, <a_mode3></a_mode3> | | | | |
| | Halfword signed | LDR{cond}SH Rd, <a_mode3></a_mode3> | | | | |
| | Multiple block data operations | - | | | | |
| | Increment before | LDM{cond}IB Rd{!}, <reglist>{^}</reglist> | | | | |
| | Increment after | LDM{cond}IA Rd{!}, <reglist>{^}</reglist> | | | | |
| | Decrement before | LDM{cond}DB Rd{!}, <reglist>{^}</reglist> | | | | |
| | Decrement after | LDM{cond}DA Rd{!}, <reglist>{^}</reglist> | | | | |
| | Stack operation | LDM{cond} <a_mode4l> Rd{!}, <reglist></reglist></a_mode4l> | | | | |
| | Stack operation, and restore CPSR | LDM{cond} <a_mode4l> Rd{!}, <reglist+pc>/</reglist+pc></a_mode4l> | | | | |
| | Stack operation with user registers | LDM{cond} <a_mode4l> Rd{!}, <reglist>^</reglist></a_mode4l> | | | | |
| Store | Word | STR{cond} Rd, <a_mode2></a_mode2> | | | | |
| | Word with user-mode privilege | STR{cond}T Rd, <a_mode2p></a_mode2p> | | | | |

Table 1-2 ARM instruction summary (continued)

| Operation | | Assembly syntax |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| | Byte | STR{cond}B Rd, <a_mode2></a_mode2> |
| | Byte with user-mode privilege | STR{cond}BT Rd, <a_mode2p></a_mode2p> |
| | Halfword | STR{cond}H Rd, <a_mode3></a_mode3> |
| | Multiple block data operations | - |
| | Increment before | STM{cond}IB Rd{!}, <reglist>{^}</reglist> |
| | Increment after | STM{cond}IA Rd{!}, <reglist>{^}</reglist> |
| | Decrement before | STM{cond}DB Rd{!}, <reglist>{^}</reglist> |
| | Decrement after | STM{cond}DA Rd{!}, <reglist>{^}</reglist> |
| | Stack operation | STM{cond} <a_mode4s> Rd{!}, <reglist></reglist></a_mode4s> |
| | Stack operation with user registers | STM{cond} <a_mode4s> Rd{!}, <reglist>^</reglist></a_mode4s> |
| Swap | Word | SWP{cond} Rd, Rm, [Rn] |
| | Byte | SWP{cond}B Rd, Rm, [Rn] |
| Coprocessors | Data operation | CDP{cond} p <cpnum>, <op1>, CRd, CRn, CRm, <op2></op2></op1></cpnum> |
| | Move to ARM register from coprocessor | MRC{cond} p <cpnum>, <op1>, Rd, CRn, CRm, <op2></op2></op1></cpnum> |
| | Move to coprocessor from ARM register | MCR{cond} p <cpnum>, <op1>, Rd, CRn, CRm, <op2></op2></op1></cpnum> |
| | Load | LDC{cond} p <cpnum>, CRd, <a_mode5></a_mode5></cpnum> |
| | Store | STC{cond} p <cpnum>, CRd, <a_mode5></a_mode5></cpnum> |
| Software interrupt | | SWI 24bit_Imm |

Addressing modes

The addressing modes are procedures shared by different instructions for generating values used by the instructions. The five addressing modes used by the ARM7TDMI processor are:

- **Mode 1** Shifter operands for data processing instructions.
- Mode 2 Load and store word or unsigned byte.
- Mode 3 Load and store halfword or load signed byte.
- Mode 4 Load and store multiple.
- Mode 5 Load and store coprocessor.

The addressing modes are listed with their types and mnemonics Table 1-3.

Table 1-3 Addressing modes

| Addressing mode | Type or addressing mode | Mnemonic or stack type |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Mode 2 <a_mode2></a_mode2> | Immediate offset | [Rn, #+/-12bit_Offset] |
| | Register offset | [Rn, +/-Rm] |
| | Scaled register offset | [Rn, +/-Rm, LSL #5bit_shift_imm] |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, LSR #5bit_shift_imm] |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, ASR #5bit_shift_imm] |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, ROR #5bit_shift_imm] |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, RRX] |
| | Pre-indexed offset | - |
| | Immediate | [Rn, #+/-12bit_Offset]! |
| | Register | [Rn, +/-Rm]! |
| | Scaled register | [Rn, +/-Rm, LSL #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, LSR #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, ASR #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, ROR #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, RRX]! |
| | Post-indexed offset | - |
| | Immediate | [Rn], #+/-12bit_Offset |
| | Register | [Rn], +/-Rm |
| | Scaled register | [Rn], +/-Rm, LSL #5bit_shift_im |
| | | [Rn], +/-Rm, LSR #5bit_shift_im |
| | | [Rn], +/-Rm, ASR #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn], +/-Rm, ROR #5bit_shift_im |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, RRX] |

Table 1-3 Addressing modes (continued)

| Addressing mode | Type or addressing mode | Mnemonic or stack type |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Mode 2, privileged <a_mode2p></a_mode2p> | Immediate offset | [Rn, #+/-12bit_Offset] |
| | Register offset | [Rn, +/-Rm] |
| | Scaled register offset | [Rn, +/-Rm, LSL #5bit_shift_imm] |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, LSR #5bit_shift_imm] |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, ASR #5bit_shift_imm] |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, ROR #5bit_shift_imm] |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, RRX] |
| | Post-indexed offset | - |
| | Immediate | [Rn], #+/-12bit_Offset |
| | Register | [Rn], +/-Rm |
| | Scaled register | [Rn], +/-Rm, LSL #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn], +/-Rm, LSR #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn], +/-Rm, ASR #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn], +/-Rm, ROR #5bit_shift_imm |
| | | [Rn, +/-Rm, RRX] |
| Mode 3, <a_mode3></a_mode3> | Immediate offset | [Rn, #+/-8bit_Offset] |
| | Pre-indexed | [Rn, #+/-8bit_Offset]! |
| | Post-indexed | [Rn], #+/-8bit_Offset |
| | Register | [Rn, +/-Rm] |
| | Pre-indexed | [Rn, +/-Rm]! |
| | Post-indexed | [Rn], +/-Rm |
| Mode 4, load <a_mode4l></a_mode4l> | IA, increment after | FD, full descending |
| | IB, increment before | ED, empty descending |
| | DA, decrement after | FA, full ascending |
| | | |

Table 1-3 Addressing modes (continued)

| Addressing mode | Type or addressing mode | Mnemonic or stack type |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| | DB decrement before | EA, empty ascending |
| Mode 4, store <a_mode4s></a_mode4s> | IA, increment after | FD, full descending |
| | IB, increment before | ED, empty descending |
| | DA, decrement after | FA, full ascending |
| | DB decrement before | EA, empty ascending |
| Mode 5, coprocessor data transfer <a_mode5></a_mode5> | Immediate offset | [Rn, #+/-(8bit_Offset*4)] |
| | Pre-indexed | [Rn, #+/-(8bit_Offset*4)]! |
| | Post-indexed | [Rn], #+/-(8bit_Offset*4) |

Operand 2

An operand is the part of the instruction that references data or a peripheral device. Operand 2 is listed in Table 1-4.

Table 1-4 Operand 2

| Operand | Туре | Mnemonic |
|---------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| Operand 2 < Oprnd2> | Immediate value | #32bit_Imm |
| | Logical shift left | Rm LSL #5bit_Imm |
| | Logical shift right | Rm LSR #5bit_Imm |
| | Arithmetic shift right | Rm ASR #5bit_Imm |
| | Rotate right | Rm ROR #5bit_Imm |
| | Register | Rm |
| | Logical shift left | Rm LSL Rs |
| | Logical shift right | Rm LSR Rs |
| | Arithmetic shift right | Rm ASR Rs |
| | Rotate right | Rm ROR Rs |
| | Rotate right extended | Rm RRX |

Fields

Fields are listed in Table 1-5.

Table 1-5 Fields

| Туре | Suffix | Sets | Bi t |
|---------------|--------|--------------------------|---------|
| Field {field} | _c | Control field mask bit | 3 |
| | _f | Flags field mask bit | 0 |
| | _s | Status field mask bit | 1 |
| | _x | Extension field mask bit | 2 |

Condition fields

Condition fields are listed in Table 1-6.

Table 1-6 Condition fields

| Field type | Suffix | Description | Condition |
|------------------|--------|--------------------------|---|
| Condition {cond} | EQ | Equal | Z set |
| | NE | Not equal | Z clear |
| | CS | Unsigned higher, or same | C set |
| | CC | Unsigned lower | C clear |
| | MI | Negative | N set |
| | PL | Positive, or zero | N clear |
| | VS | Overflow | V set |
| | VC | No overflow | V clear |
| | HI | Unsigned higher | C set, Z clear |
| | LS | Unsigned lower, or same | C clear, Z set |
| | GE | Greater, or equal | N=V (N and V set or N and V clear) |
| | LT | Less than | N<>V (N set and V clear) or (N clear and V set) |

Table 1-6 Condition fields (continued)

| Field type | Suffix | Description | Condition |
|------------|--------|---------------------|--|
| | GT | Greater than | Z clear, N=V (N and V set or N and V clear) |
| | LE | Less than, or equal | Z set or N<>V (N set and V clear) or (N clear and V set) |
| | AL | Always | Flag ignored |

1.4.3 Thumb instruction summary

The Thumb instruction set formats are shown in Figure 1-6 on page 1-21.

See the *ARM Architectural Reference Manual* for more information about the ARM instruction set formats.