



# DWF\_dp\_rndsats functions

## Arithmetic Rounding and Saturation

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### Description

The DWF\_dp\_rndsats functions truncate the lower bits of argument *a* below the bit position specified by argument *lsb*, round according to the rounding mode specified by argument *mode*, truncate the upper bits above the bit position specified by argument *msb* and return a saturated value if an overflow (or underflow) occurs. Argument *a* and the return value are both either signed (two's complement) or unsigned.

Table 1-1 Function Names

Function Name	Description
DWF_dp_rndsats	VHDL unsigned rounding and saturation
DWF_dp_rndsats	VHDL signed (two's complement) rounding and saturation
DWF_dp_rndsats_uns	Verilog unsigned rounding and saturation
DWF_dp_rndsats_tc	Verilog signed (two's complement) rounding and saturation

Table 1-2 Argument Description

Argument Name	Type	Width / Values	Description
<i>a</i>	Vector	width	Input data
<i>msb</i>	Integer	$> \text{lsb}, \leq \text{width}-1$	MSB index of return value (VHDL only, constant)
<i>lsb</i>	Integer	$\geq 1, < \text{msb}$	LSB index of return value (VHDL only, constant)
<i>mode</i>	Vector	4	Rounding mode (values in DWF_dp_rnd: <a href="#">Table 4</a> )
DWF_dp_rndsats	Vector	$\text{msb}-\text{lsb}+1$	Return value

Table 1-3 Parameter Description (Verilog)

Parameter	Values	Description
<i>width</i>	$\geq 1$	Word length of input <i>a</i>
<i>msb</i>	$> \text{lsb}, \leq \text{width}-1$	MSB index of return value
<i>lsb</i>	$\geq 1, < \text{msb}$	LSB index of return value

Verilog Include File: DW\_dp\_rndsats\_function.inc

## Functional Description

DWF\_dp\_rndsats is functionally equivalent to rounding followed by saturation (also requires special handling of rounding overflow).

```
z[msb-lsb:0] = DWF_dp_rndsats (a[width-1:0], msb, lsb, mode)
z[msb-lsb:0] = DWF_dp_sat (
    DWF_dp_rnd (a[width-1:0], lsb, mode),
    msb-lsb+1)
```

## Unsigned / Signed Rounding

```
t[width-lsb-1:0] = a[width-1:lsb]+1  if a[lsb-1:0] > threshold(mode)
                  = a[width-1:lsb]    else
```

Find more information on rounding and rounding modes in the [DWF\\_dp\\_rnd Datasheet](#).

## Unsigned Saturation

```
z[msb-lsb:0] = 2msb-lsb+1-1  if t[width-lsb-1:0] > 2msb-lsb+1-1
               = t[msb-lsb:0]  else
```

## Signed Saturation

```
z[msb-lsb:0] = 2msb-lsb-1      if t[width-lsb-1:0] > 2msb-lsb-1
               = -2msb-lsb     else if t[width-lsb-1:0] < -2msb-lsb
               = t[msb-lsb:0]  else
```

For more information about the DesignWare datapath functions, refer to the topic titled [DesignWare Datapath Functions Overview](#).

## Related Topics

- [DesignWare Datapath Functions Overview](#)
- [DesignWare Building Block IP Documentation Overview](#)

## VHDL Example

```
library IEEE, DWARE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
use IEEE.numeric_std.all;
use DWARE.DW_dp_functions.all;
-- DWARE.DW_dp_functions_arith package if IEEE.std_logic_arith is used

entity DWF_dp_rndsats_test is
  port (a, b, c : in  signed(7 downto 0);
        z       : out signed(7 downto 0));
end DWF_dp_rndsats_test;

architecture rtl of DWF_dp_rndsats_test is
begin
  z <= DWF_dp_rndsats (a * b, 11, 4, DW_dp_rnd_near_even) + c;
end rtl;
```

## Verilog Example

```
module DWF_dp_rndsats_test (a, b, c, z);

    input  signed [7:0] a, b, c;
    output signed [7:0] z;

    // Passes the parameters to the function
    parameter width = 16;
    parameter msb   = 11;
    parameter lsb   = 4;

    // add "$SYNOPSYS/dw/sim_ver" to the search path for simulation
    `include "DW_dp_rndsats_function.inc"

    assign z = DWF_dp_rndsats_tc (a * b, DW_dp_rnd_near_even) + c;

endmodule
```

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