

SWPH, SWPAH, SWPALH, SWPLH

Swap halfword in memory atomically loads a 16-bit halfword from a memory location, and stores the value held in a register back to the same memory location. The value initially loaded from memory is returned in the destination register.

- If the destination register is not WZR, SWPAH and SWPALH load from memory with acquire semantics.
- SWPLH and SWPALH store to memory with release semantics.
- SWPH has neither acquire nor release semantics.

For more information about memory ordering semantics, see [Load-Acquire, Store-Release](#).

For information about memory accesses, see [Load/Store addressing modes](#).

Integer (FEAT_LSE)

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
0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	A	R	1				Rs		1	0	0	0	0	0				Rn				Rt		

size

SWPAH (A == 1 && R == 0)

SWPAH <Ws>, <Wt>, [<Xn|SP>]

SWPALH (A == 1 && R == 1)

SWPALH <Ws>, <Wt>, [<Xn|SP>]

SWPH (A == 0 && R == 0)

SWPH <Ws>, <Wt>, [<Xn|SP>]

SWPLH (A == 0 && R == 1)

SWPLH <Ws>, <Wt>, [<Xn|SP>]

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if !IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_LSE) then UNDEFINED;
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integer t = UInt(Rt);  
integer n = UInt(Rn);  
integer s = UInt(Rs);
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boolean acquire = A == '1' && Rt != '11111';  
boolean release = R == '1';  
boolean tagchecked = n != 31;
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Assembler Symbols

- <Ws> Is the 32-bit name of the general-purpose register to be stored, encoded in the "Rs" field.
- <Wt> Is the 32-bit name of the general-purpose register to be loaded, encoded in the "Rt" field.
- <Xn|SP> Is the 64-bit name of the general-purpose base register or stack pointer, encoded in the "Rn" field.

Operation

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bits(64) address;  
bits(16) data;  
bits(16) store_value;  
AccessDescriptor accdesc = CreateAccDescAtomicOp(MemAtomicOp\_SWP, acqui  
  
if n == 31 then  
    CheckSPAlignment();  
    address = SP[];  
else  
    address = X[n, 64];  
  
store_value = X[s, 16];  
  
bits(16) comparevalue = bits(16) UNKNOWN;    // Irrelevant when not exe  
data = MemAtomic(address, comparevalue, store_value, accdesc);  
  
X[t, 32] = ZeroExtend(data, 32);
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