

# ICV\_BPR1\_EL1, Interrupt Controller Virtual Binary Point Register 1

The ICV\_BPR1\_EL1 characteristics are:

## Purpose

Defines the point at which the priority value fields split into two parts, the group priority field and the subpriority field. The group priority field determines virtual Group 1 interrupt preemption.

## Configuration

AArch64 System register ICV\_BPR1\_EL1 bits [31:0] are architecturally mapped to AArch32 System register [ICV\\_BPR1\[31:0\]](#).

This register is present only when FEAT\_GICv3 is implemented and EL2 is implemented. Otherwise, direct accesses to ICV\_BPR1\_EL1 are undefined.

## Attributes

ICV\_BPR1\_EL1 is a 64-bit register.

## Field descriptions

63	62	61	60	59	58	57	56	55	54	53	52	51	50	49	48	47	46	45	44	43	42	41	40	39	38	37	36	35	34	33	32
RES0																															
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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

### Bits [63:3]

Reserved, res0.

### BinaryPoint, bits [2:0]

If the GIC is configured to use separate binary point fields for Group 0 and Group 1 interrupts, the value of this field controls how the 8-bit interrupt priority field is split into a group priority field, that determines interrupt preemption, and a subpriority field.

For more information about priorities, see 'Priority grouping' in ARM® Generic Interrupt Controller Architecture Specification, GIC architecture version 3.0 and version 4.0 (ARM IHI 0069).

An attempt to program this field to a value less than the minimum value sets the field to the minimum value.

If [ICV\\_CTLR\\_EL1](#).CBPR is set to 1, Non-secure EL1 reads return [ICV\\_BPR0\\_EL1](#) + 1 saturated to 0b111. Non-secure EL1 writes are ignored.

If [ICV\\_CTLR\\_EL1](#).CBPR is set to 1, Secure EL1 reads return [ICV\\_BPR0\\_EL1](#). Secure EL1 writes modify [ICV\\_BPR0\\_EL1](#).

The reset behavior of this field is:

- On a Warm reset, this field resets to an architecturally unknown value.

## Accessing ICC\_BPR1\_EL1

For Non-secure writes, the minimum value of this field is the minimum value of [ICH\\_VMCR\\_EL2](#).VBPR0 plus one.

For Secure writes, the minimum value of this field is the minimum value of [ICH\\_VMCR\\_EL2](#).VBPR0.

An attempt to program the binary point field to a value less than the minimum value sets the field to the minimum value. On a reset, the binary point field is unknown.

Accesses to this register use the following encodings in the System register encoding space:

MRS <Xt>, ICC\_BPR1\_EL1

op0	op1	CRn	CRm	op2
0b11	0b000	0b1100	0b1100	0b011

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if PSTATE.EL == EL0 then
    UNDEFINED;
elsif PSTATE.EL == EL1 then
    if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
    && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
    when SDD == '1'" && SCR_EL3.IRQ == '1' then
        UNDEFINED;
    elsif ICC_SRE_EL1.SRE == '0' then
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL1, 0x18);
    elsif EL2Enabled() && ICH_HCR_EL2.TALL1 == '1'
    then
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
    elsif EL2Enabled() && HCR_EL2.IMO == '1' then
        X[t, 64] = ICV_BPR1_EL1;
    elsif HaveEL(EL3) && SCR_EL3.IRQ == '1' then
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        if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        else
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
        elsif HaveEL(EL3) then
            if SCR_EL3.NS == '0' then
                X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR1_EL1_S;
            else
                X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR1_EL1_NS;
            else
                X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR1_EL1;
        elsif PSTATE.EL == EL2 then
            if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
            && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
            when SDD == '1'" && SCR_EL3.IRQ == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            elsif ICC_SRE_EL2.SRE == '0' then
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
            elsif HaveEL(EL3) && SCR_EL3.IRQ == '1' then
                if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
                    UNDEFINED;
                else
                    AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
            elsif HaveEL(EL3) then
                if SCR_EL3.NS == '0' then
                    X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR1_EL1_S;
                else
                    X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR1_EL1_NS;
            else
                X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR1_EL1;
        elsif PSTATE.EL == EL3 then
            if ICC_SRE_EL3.SRE == '0' then
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
            else
                if SCR_EL3.NS == '0' then
                    X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR1_EL1_S;
                else
                    X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR1_EL1_NS;

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## MSR ICC\_BPR1\_EL1, <Xt>

op0	op1	CRn	CRm	op2
0b11	0b000	0b1100	0b1100	0b011

```

if PSTATE.EL == EL0 then
    UNDEFINED;
elsif PSTATE.EL == EL1 then
    if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
    && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
    when SDD == '1'" && SCR_EL3.IRQ == '1' then
        UNDEFINED;
    elsif ICC_SRE_EL1.SRE == '0' then
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL1, 0x18);

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elseif EL2Enabled() && ICH_HCR_EL2.TALL1 == '1'
then
    AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
elseif EL2Enabled() && HCR_EL2.IMO == '1' then
    ICV_BPR1_EL1 = X[t, 64];
elseif HaveEL(EL3) && SCR_EL3.IRQ == '1' then
    if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
        UNDEFINED;
    else
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
elseif HaveEL(EL3) then
    if SCR_EL3.NS == '0' then
        ICC_BPR1_EL1_S = X[t, 64];
    else
        ICC_BPR1_EL1_NS = X[t, 64];
else
    ICC_BPR1_EL1 = X[t, 64];
elseif PSTATE.EL == EL2 then
    if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
&& boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
when SDD == '1'" && SCR_EL3.IRQ == '1' then
        UNDEFINED;
    elseif ICC_SRE_EL2.SRE == '0' then
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
    elseif HaveEL(EL3) && SCR_EL3.IRQ == '1' then
        if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        else
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
    elseif HaveEL(EL3) then
        if SCR_EL3.NS == '0' then
            ICC_BPR1_EL1_S = X[t, 64];
        else
            ICC_BPR1_EL1_NS = X[t, 64];
    else
        ICC_BPR1_EL1 = X[t, 64];
elseif PSTATE.EL == EL3 then
    if ICC_SRE_EL3.SRE == '0' then
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
    else
        if SCR_EL3.NS == '0' then
            ICC_BPR1_EL1_S = X[t, 64];
        else
            ICC_BPR1_EL1_NS = X[t, 64];

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