

PAN, Privileged Access Never

The PAN characteristics are:

Purpose

Allows access to the Privileged Access Never bit.

Configuration

This register is present only when FEAT_PAN is implemented. Otherwise, direct accesses to PAN are undefined.

Attributes

PAN 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 [63:23]

Reserved, res0.

PAN, bit [22]

Privileged Access Never.

PAN	Meaning
0b0	Privileged reads and write are not disabled by this mechanism.
0b1	Disables privileged read and write accesses to addresses accessible at EL0 for an enabled stage 1 translation regime that defines the EL0 permissions.

The value of this bit is usually preserved on taking an exception, except in the following situations:

- When the target of the exception is EL1, and the value of the [SCTLR_EL1.SPAN](#) bit is 0, this bit is set to 1.

- When the target of the exception is EL2, [HCR_EL2](#).{E2H, TGE} is {1, 1}, and the value of the [SCTLR_EL2](#).SPAN bit is 0, this bit is set to 1.

Bits [21:0]

Reserved, res0.

Accessing PAN

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

MRS <Xt>, PAN

op0	op1	CRn	CRm	op2
0b11	0b000	0b0100	0b0010	0b011

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if PSTATE.EL == EL0 then
    UNDEFINED;
elsif PSTATE.EL == EL1 then
    X[t, 64] = Zeros(41):PSTATE.PAN:Zeros(22);
elsif PSTATE.EL == EL2 then
    X[t, 64] = Zeros(41):PSTATE.PAN:Zeros(22);
elsif PSTATE.EL == EL3 then
    X[t, 64] = Zeros(41):PSTATE.PAN:Zeros(22);

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MSR PAN, <Xt>

op0	op1	CRn	CRm	op2
0b11	0b000	0b0100	0b0010	0b011

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if PSTATE.EL == EL0 then
    UNDEFINED;
elsif PSTATE.EL == EL1 then
    PSTATE.PAN = X[t, 64]<22>;
elsif PSTATE.EL == EL2 then
    PSTATE.PAN = X[t, 64]<22>;
elsif PSTATE.EL == EL3 then
    PSTATE.PAN = X[t, 64]<22>;

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MSR PAN, #<imm>

op0	op1	CRn	op2
0b00	0b000	0b0100	0b100

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