WRFFR

Write the first-fault register

Read the source predicate register and place in the first-fault register (FFR). This instruction is intended to restore a saved FFR and is not recommended for general use by applications.

This instruction requires that the source predicate contains a monotonic predicate value, in which starting from bit 0 there are zero or more 1 bits, followed only by 0 bits in any remaining bit positions. If the source is not a monotonic predicate value, then the resulting value in the FFR will be UNPREDICTABLE. It is not possible to generate a non-monotonic value in FFR when using SETFFR followed by first-fault or non-fault loads.

This instruction is illegal when executed in Streaming SVE mode, unless FEAT_SME_FA64 is implemented and enabled.

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	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0			Pn			0	0	0	0	0

     WRFFR <Pn>.B

```
if !HaveSVE() then UNDEFINED;
integer n = UInt(Pn);
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Assembler Symbols

<Pn> Is the name of the source scalable predicate register, encoded in the "Pn" field.

Operation

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CheckNonStreamingSVEEnabled();
constant integer VL = CurrentVL;
constant integer PL = VL DIV 8;
bits(PL) operand = P[n, PL];

constant integer hsb = HighestSetBit(operand);
if hsb < 0 || IsOnes(operand<hsb:0>) then
    FFR[PL] = operand;
else // not a monotonic predicate
    FFR[PL] = bits(PL) UNKNOWN;
```

Operational information

If FEAT_SVE2 is implemented or FEAT_SME is implemented, then if PSTATE.DIT is 1:

- The execution time of this instruction is independent of:
  - The values of the data supplied in any of its registers.
  - The values of the NZCV flags.

- The response of this instruction to asynchronous exceptions does not vary based on:
    - The values of the data supplied in any of its registers.
    - The values of the NZCV flags.