

PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0, Performance Monitors Event Count Registers, n = 0 - 30

The PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 characteristics are:

Purpose

Holds event counter n, which counts events, where n is 0 to 30.

Configuration

AArch64 System register PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 bits [31:0] are architecturally mapped to AArch32 System register [PMEVCNTR<n>\[31:0\]](#).

AArch64 System register PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 bits [31:0] are architecturally mapped to External register [PMU.PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0\[31:0\]](#).

AArch64 System register PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 bits [63:32] are architecturally mapped to External register [PMU.PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0\[63:32\]](#) when FEAT_PMUv3p5 is implemented.

This register is present only when FEAT_PMUv3 is implemented. Otherwise, direct accesses to PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 are undefined.

Attributes

PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 is a 64-bit register.

Field descriptions

When FEAT_PMUv3p5 is implemented:

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
Event counter n																															
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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 [63:0]

Event counter n. Value of event counter n, where n is the number of this register and is a number from 0 to 30.

The reset behavior of this field is:

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

Otherwise:

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
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Bits [63:32]

Reserved, res0.

Bits [31:0]

Event counter n. Value of event counter n, where n is the number of this register and is a number from 0 to 30.

The reset behavior of this field is:

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

Accessing PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0

PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 can also be accessed by using [PMXEVCNTR_EL0](#) with [PMSELR_EL0](#).SEL set to the value of <n>.

If FEAT_FGT is implemented and <n> is greater than or equal to the number of accessible event counters, then the behavior of permitted reads and writes of [PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0](#) is as follows:

- If <n> is an unimplemented event counter, the access is undefined.
- Otherwise, the access is trapped to EL2.

If FEAT_FGT is not implemented and <n> is greater than or equal to the number of accessible event counters, then reads and writes of [PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0](#) are constrained unpredictable, and the following behaviors are permitted:

- Accesses to the register are undefined.
- Accesses to the register behave as RAZ/WI.
- Accesses to the register execute as a NOP.
- Accesses to the register behave as if <n> is an unknown value less-than-or-equal-to the index of the highest accessible event counter.
- If EL2 is implemented and enabled in the current Security state, and <n> is less than the number of implemented event counters, accesses from EL1 or permitted accesses from EL0 are trapped to EL2.

PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 reads-as-zero and ignores writes if all of the following are true:

- FEAT_PMUv3p9 is implemented.
- PSTATE.EL == EL0.
- [PMUSERENR_EL0](#).UEN == 1.
- [PMUACR_EL1](#).P<n> == 0.

PMEVCNTR<n>_EL0 ignores writes if all of the following are true:

- FEAT_PMUv3p9 is implemented.
- PSTATE.EL == EL0.
- [PMUSERENR_EL0](#).{UEN,ER} == {1,1}.

Note

In EL0, an access is permitted if it is enabled by [PMUSERENR_EL0](#).{UEN,ER,EN}.

If EL2 is implemented and enabled in the current Security state, in EL1 and EL0, [MDCR_EL2](#).HPMN identifies the number of accessible event counters. Otherwise, the number of accessible event counters is the number of implemented event counters. For more information, see [MDCR_EL2](#).HPMN.

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

MRS <Xt>, PMEVCNTR<m>_EL0 ; Where m = 0-30

op0	op1	CRn	CRm	op2
0b11	0b011	0b1110	0b10:m[4:3]	m[2:0]

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integer m = UInt(CRm<1:0>:op2<2:0>);

if m >= NUM_PMU_COUNTERS then
    if IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) then
        UNDEFINED;
    else

ConstrainUnpredictableProcedure(Unpredictable_PMUEVENTCOUNTER);
elseif PSTATE.EL == EL0 then
    if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
    && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
when SDD == '1'" && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
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        UNDEFINED;
    elsif PMUSERENR_EL0.<ER,EN> == '00' then
        if EL2Enabled() && HCR_EL2.TGE == '1' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        else
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL1, 0x18);
        elsif EL2Enabled() && HCR_EL2.<E2H,TGE> != '11'
        && IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) && (!HaveEL(EL3)
        || SCR_EL3.FGTEn == '1') &&
        HDFGRTR_EL2.PMEVCNTRn_EL0 == '1' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif EL2Enabled() && MDCR_EL2.TPM == '1' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif EL2Enabled() && m >=
        AArch64.GetNumEventCountersAccessible() then
            if !IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) then

ConstrainUnpredictableProcedure(Unpredictable_PMUEVENTCOUNTER);
        else
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif HaveEL(EL3) && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
            if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            else
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
            else
                X[t, 64] = PMEVCNTR_EL0[m];
        elsif PSTATE.EL == EL1 then
            if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
            && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
            when SDD == '1'" && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            elsif EL2Enabled() &&
            IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) && (!HaveEL(EL3) ||
            SCR_EL3.FGTEn == '1') && HDFGRTR_EL2.PMEVCNTRn_EL0
            == '1' then
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
            elsif EL2Enabled() && MDCR_EL2.TPM == '1' then
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
            elsif EL2Enabled() && m >=
            AArch64.GetNumEventCountersAccessible() then
                if !IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) then

ConstrainUnpredictableProcedure(Unpredictable_PMUEVENTCOUNTER);
        else
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif HaveEL(EL3) && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
            if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            else
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
            else
                X[t, 64] = PMEVCNTR_EL0[m];
        elsif PSTATE.EL == EL2 then
            if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
            && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
            when SDD == '1'" && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            elsif HaveEL(EL3) && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
                if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then

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        UNDEFINED;
    else
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
    else
        X[t, 64] = PMEVCNTR_EL0[m];
elseif PSTATE.EL == EL3 then
    X[t, 64] = PMEVCNTR_EL0[m];

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MSR PMEVCNTR<m>_EL0, <Xt> ; Where m = 0-30

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integer m = UInt(CRm<1:0>:op2<2:0>);

if m >= NUM_PMU_COUNTERS then
    if IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) then
        UNDEFINED;
    else

ConstrainUnpredictableProcedure(Unpredictable_PMUEVENTCOUNTER);
elseif PSTATE.EL == EL0 then
    if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
    && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
when SDD == '1'" && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
        UNDEFINED;
    elseif PMUSERENR_EL0.EN == '0' then
        if EL2Enabled() && HCR_EL2.TGE == '1' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        else
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL1, 0x18);
    elseif EL2Enabled() && HCR_EL2.<E2H,TGE> != '11'
    && IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) && (!HaveEL(EL3)
    || SCR_EL3.FGTEn == '1') &&
HDFGWTR_EL2.PMEVCNTRn_EL0 == '1' then
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
    elseif EL2Enabled() && MDCR_EL2.TPM == '1' then
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
    elseif EL2Enabled() && m >=
AArch64.GetNumEventCountersAccessible() then
        if !IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) then

ConstrainUnpredictableProcedure(Unpredictable_PMUEVENTCOUNTER);
    else
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
    elseif HaveEL(EL3) && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
        if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        else
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
    else

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        PMEVCNTR_EL0[m] = X[t, 64];
    elsif PSTATE.EL == EL1 then
        if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
        && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
        when SDD == '1'" && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        elsif EL2Enabled() &&
        IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) && (!HaveEL(EL3) ||
        SCR_EL3.FGTEn == '1') && HDFGWTR_EL2.PMEVCNTRn_EL0
        == '1' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif EL2Enabled() && MDCR_EL2.TPM == '1' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif EL2Enabled() && m >=
        AArch64.GetNumEventCountersAccessible() then
            if !IsFeatureImplemented(FEAT_FGT) then

ConstrainUnpredictableProcedure(Unpredictable_PMEVENTCOUNTER);
            else
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
            elsif HaveEL(EL3) && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
                if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
                    UNDEFINED;
                else
                    AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
            else
                PMEVCNTR_EL0[m] = X[t, 64];
    elsif PSTATE.EL == EL2 then
        if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
        && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
        when SDD == '1'" && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        elsif HaveEL(EL3) && MDCR_EL3.TPM == '1' then
            if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            else
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
        else
            PMEVCNTR_EL0[m] = X[t, 64];
    elsif PSTATE.EL == EL3 then
        PMEVCNTR_EL0[m] = X[t, 64];

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