

ICV_BPR0_EL1, Interrupt Controller Virtual Binary Point Register 0

The ICV_BPR0_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 0 interrupt preemption.

Configuration

AArch64 System register ICV_BPR0_EL1 bits [31:0] are architecturally mapped to AArch32 System register [ICV_BPR0\[31:0\]](#).

This register is present only when FEAT_GICv3 is implemented and EL2 is implemented. Otherwise, direct accesses to ICV_BPR0_EL1 are undefined.

Attributes

ICV_BPR0_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
BinaryPoint																															

Bits [63:3]

Reserved, res0.

BinaryPoint, bits [2:0]

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. This is done as follows:

Binary point value	Group priority field	Subpriority field	Field with binary point
0	[7:1]	[0]	ggggggg.s
1	[7:2]	[1:0]	gggggg.ss
2	[7:3]	[2:0]	ggggg.sss
3	[7:4]	[3:0]	gggg.ssss
4	[7:5]	[4:0]	ggg.sssss
5	[7:6]	[5:0]	gg.ssssss
6	[7]	[6:0]	g.sssssss
7	No preemption	[7:0]	.ssssssss

The reset behavior of this field is:

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

Accessing ICV_BPR0_EL1

The minimum binary point value is derived from the number of implemented preemption bits, as shown in the following table:

Number of implemented preemption bits	Minimum value of BPR0
7	0
6	1
5	2

The number of implemented preemption bits is indicated by [ICH_VTR_EL2](#).PREbits.

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_BPR0_EL1

op0	op1	CRn	CRm	op2
0b11	0b000	0b1100	0b1000	0b011

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if PSTATE.EL == EL0 then
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        UNDEFINED;
    elsif PSTATE.EL == EL1 then
        if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
        && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
when SDD == '1'" && SCR_EL3.FIQ == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        elsif ICC_SRE_EL1.SRE == '0' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL1, 0x18);
        elsif EL2Enabled() && ICH_HCR_EL2.TALL0 == '1'
then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif EL2Enabled() && HCR_EL2.FMO == '1' then
            X[t, 64] = ICV_BPR0_EL1;
        elsif HaveEL(EL3) && SCR_EL3.FIQ == '1' then
            if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            else
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
            else
                X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR0_EL1;
    elsif PSTATE.EL == EL2 then
        if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
        && boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
when SDD == '1'" && SCR_EL3.FIQ == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        elsif ICC_SRE_EL2.SRE == '0' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif HaveEL(EL3) && SCR_EL3.FIQ == '1' then
            if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            else
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
            else
                X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR0_EL1;
    elsif PSTATE.EL == EL3 then
        if ICC_SRE_EL3.SRE == '0' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
        else
            X[t, 64] = ICC_BPR0_EL1;

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MSR ICC_BPR0_EL1, <Xt>

op0	op1	CRn	CRm	op2
0b11	0b000	0b1100	0b1000	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.FIQ == '1' then
        UNDEFINED;
    elsif ICC_SRE_EL1.SRE == '0' then

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        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL1, 0x18);
    elsif EL2Enabled() && ICH_HCR_EL2.TALL0 == '1'
then
        AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
    elsif EL2Enabled() && HCR_EL2.FMO == '1' then
        ICV_BPR0_EL1 = X[t, 64];
    elsif HaveEL(EL3) && SCR_EL3.FIQ == '1' then
        if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        else
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
        else
            ICC_BPR0_EL1 = X[t, 64];
    elsif PSTATE.EL == EL2 then
        if Halted() && HaveEL(EL3) && EDSCR.SDD == '1'
&& boolean IMPLEMENTATION_DEFINED "EL3 trap priority
when SDD == '1'" && SCR_EL3.FIQ == '1' then
            UNDEFINED;
        elsif ICC_SRE_EL2.SRE == '0' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL2, 0x18);
        elsif HaveEL(EL3) && SCR_EL3.FIQ == '1' then
            if Halted() && EDSCR.SDD == '1' then
                UNDEFINED;
            else
                AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
            else
                ICC_BPR0_EL1 = X[t, 64];
    elsif PSTATE.EL == EL3 then
        if ICC_SRE_EL3.SRE == '0' then
            AArch64.SystemAccessTrap(EL3, 0x18);
        else
            ICC_BPR0_EL1 = X[t, 64];

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