

PRFB (scalar plus scalar)

Contiguous prefetch bytes (scalar index)

Contiguous prefetch of byte elements from the memory address generated by a 64-bit scalar base and scalar index which is added to the base address. After each element prefetch the index value is incremented, but the index register is not updated.

The predicate may be used to suppress prefetches from unwanted addresses.

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
1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	Rm	1	1	0	Pg	Rn	0	prfop													
							msz<1>		msz<0>																						

PRFB <prfop>, <Pg>, [<Xn|SP>, <Xm>]

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if !HaveSVE() && !HaveSME() then UNDEFINED;
if Rm == '11111' then UNDEFINED;
constant integer esize = 8;
integer g = UInt(Pg);
integer n = UInt(Rn);
integer m = UInt(Rm);
integer level = UInt(prfop<2:1>);
boolean stream = (prfop<0> == '1');
pref_hint = if prfop<3> == '0' then Prefetch_READ else Prefetch_WRITE;
integer scale = 0;

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Assembler Symbols

<prfop>

Is the prefetch operation specifier, encoded in “prfop”:

prfop	<prfop>
0000	PLDL1KEEP
0001	PLDL1STRM
0010	PLDL2KEEP
0011	PLDL2STRM
0100	PLDL3KEEP
0101	PLDL3STRM
x11x	#uimm4
1000	PSTL1KEEP
1001	PSTL1STRM
1010	PSTL2KEEP
1011	PSTL2STRM
1100	PSTL3KEEP
1101	PSTL3STRM

<Pg>

Is the name of the governing scalable predicate register P0-P7, encoded in the “Pg” field.

<Xn|SP> Is the 64-bit name of the general-purpose base register or stack pointer, encoded in the "Rn" field.

<Xm> Is the 64-bit name of the general-purpose offset register, encoded in the "Rm" field.

Operation

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CheckSVEEnabled();
constant integer VL = CurrentVL;
constant integer PL = VL DIV 8;
constant integer elements = VL DIV esize;
bits(PL) mask = P[g, PL];
bits(64) base;
bits(64) offset;

if AnyActiveElement(mask, esize) then
    base = if n == 31 then SP[] else X[n, 64];
    offset = X[m, 64];

for e = 0 to elements-1
    if ActivePredicateElement(mask, e, esize) then
        integer eoff = UInt(offset) + e;
        bits(64) addr = base + (eoff << scale);
        Hint\_Prefetch(addr, pref_hint, level, stream);

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