FEXPA

Floating-point exponential accelerator

The FEXPA instruction accelerates the polynomial series calculation of the exp(x) function.

The double-precision variant copies the low 52 bits of an entry from a hard-wired table of 64-bit coefficients, indexed by the low 6 bits of each element of the source vector, and prepends to that the next 11 bits of the source element (src<16:6>), setting the sign bit to zero.

The single-precision variant copies the low 23 bits of an entry from hard-wired table of 32-bit coefficients, indexed by the low 6 bits of each element of the source vector, and prepends to that the next 8 bits of the source element (src<13:6>), setting the sign bit to zero.

The half-precision variant copies the low 10 bits of an entry from hard-wired table of 16-bit coefficients, indexed by the low 5 bits of each element of the source vector, and prepends to that the next 5 bits of the source element (src<9:5>), setting the sign bit to zero.

A coefficient table entry with index m holds the floating-point value $2^{(m/64)}$, or for the half-precision variant $2^{(m/32)}$. This instruction is unpredicated.

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	0	0	0	1	0	0	size		1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	Zn					Zd				

FEXPA <Zd>.<T>, <Zn>.<T>

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if !HaveSVE() then UNDEFINED;
if size == '00' then UNDEFINED;
constant integer esize = 8 << UInt(size);
integer n = UInt(Zn);
integer d = UInt(Zd);
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Assembler Symbols

<Zd>

Is the name of the destination scalable vector register, encoded in the "Zd" field.

<T>

Is the size specifier, encoded in “size”:

size	<T>
00	RESERVED
01	H
10	S
11	D

<Zn> Is the name of the source scalable vector register, encoded in the "Zn" field.

Operation

```
CheckNonStreamingSVEEnabled();
constant integer VL = CurrentVL;
constant integer PL = VL DIV 8;
constant integer elements = VL DIV esize;
bits(VL) operand  = Z[n, VL];
bits(VL) result;

for e = 0 to elements-1
    bits(esize) element = Elem[operand, e, esize];
    Elem[result, e, esize] = FPExpA(element);

Z[d, VL] = result;
```

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