rfPhoenix

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Overview

rfPhoenix is a core aimed at GPGPU tasks. It is a barrel processor with fine-grained threading using four threads of execution.

Instruction Cache

The instruction cache is four-way set associative with a 64B line size. The cache is 32kB in size. The instruction cache is accessed in a pipelined fashion with a latency of two clock cycles. When a cache miss occurs a request to fill the cache line is submitted to the memory pipeline in the same manner as a load or store operation.

Data Cache

The L1 data cache is four-way set associative with a 64B line size. The cache is organized into even, odd cache line pairs to allow for unaligned data crossing cache line boundaries. The data cache is 64kB in size and accessed in a pipelined fashion with a latency of two clock cycles. One clock for tag lookup and one clock for data access. The data cache is physically indexed.

Pipeline

Every clock cycle, a thread is scheduled for execution and an instruction fetch for the thread begun. Two clock cycles later, the instruction is placed in a fetch buffer. If there was a cache miss the thread is stalled until the cache is loaded. Other threads continue to run. The fetch buffer is decoded and placed in a decode buffer. The decoded instruction is then placed into an instruction fifo for the thread. The scoreboard is checked for dependencies and if an execution buffer is available the instruction is moved from the fifo to the execution buffer. At the same time a register read operation is begun. Two cycles later, the read data is placed into the arguments of the execution buffer. Instruction execution begins. Execution follows one of three pipelines to the writeback stage. The writeback stage updates the register file and scoreboard. There is a separate execution buffer for each thread so that a long running operation may be overlapped with the execution of other instructions on other threads.
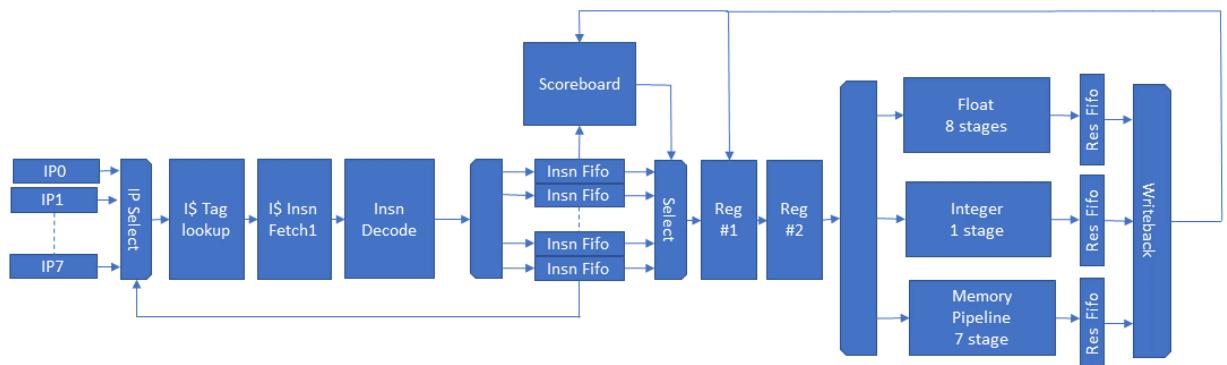
Memory Pipeline

Data is fed into the memory pipeline from execution unit to a memory request queue. Every clock cycle, a request is removed from the queue if the TLB is ready. The TLB may not be ready if it is executing an internal operation. The first stage of the memory pipeline is virtual address translation which has a latency of two clock cycles. If the core is operating in machine mode then addresses are not translated and are simply propagated through the pipeline. If a TLB miss occurs the miss is noted as an exception cause code and propagated through the pipeline. The virtual address is sent to the data cache for tag and data lookup. Tag and data lookup each require a clock cycle. The fetched data is aligned. Finally, data cache results are placed in an output queue.

The memory pipeline supports unaligned data access which may cross cache lines.
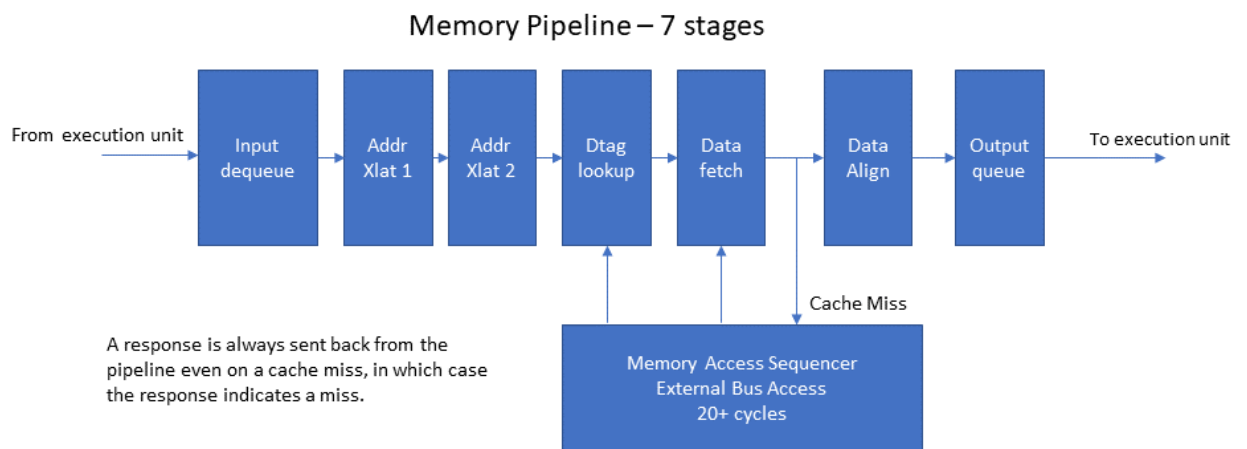

Diagram of memory pipeline including input, address translate, data fetch and align and data output stages. Link to memory access sequencer for external bus access also shown.

Interrupts

The interrupt controller may designate a specific thread to handle an external interrupt. Internal exceptions such as divide by zero are handled by the thread causing the exception.

Register File

There are 64 general purpose registers. R0 is special in that it always contains a zero and cannot be updated.

Registers designated as vector mask registers are also special in that one of them may be specified as a mask register in the instruction. It is suggested to load vm7 with all ones to provide unmasked operations.

Link registers are special in that they may be specified by call, jump, or unconditional branch instructions as the target register to store the next instruction pointer value in.

Alternate stack pointers are reference via register code 31 for different operating modes. For example, in machine mode a stack pointer reference will translate to register 62.

Reg	Mnen.			Reg		
0	Zero	Always zero		32	T8	Temporaries
1	A0	Return Value		33	T9	
2	A1			34	T10	
3	T0	Temporaries		35	T11	
4	T1			36	S10	Register Vars
5	T2			37	S11	
6	T3			38	S12	
7	T4			39	S13	
8	T5			40	R40	
9	T6			41	R41	
10	T7			42	R42	
11	S0	Register Vars		43	R43	
12	S1			44	R44	
13	S2			45	R45	
14	S3			46	R46	
15	S4			47	R47	
16	S5			48	VM0	Vector Mask
17	S6			49	VM1	
18	S7			50	VM2	
19	S8			51	VM3	
20	S9			52	VM4	
21	A2	Arguments		53	VM5	
22	A3			54	VM6	
23	A4			55	VM7	All ones by convention
24	A5			56	LC	Loop Counter
25	A6			57	LR1	Link register
26	A7			58	LR2	
27	GP3			59	PC	Read only
28	GP2			60	SSP	Alternate stack pointers
29	GP1			61	HSP	
30	FP	Frame Pointer		62	MSP	
31	SP	Stack Pointer		63	ISP	

Vector Register File

The vector register file contains 64 general purpose vector registers. The vector registers are unified and may contain either integer or floating-point data.

Status and Control Registers, CSRs

M_CR0 (CSR 0x3000) Control Register Zero - shared

This register contains miscellaneous control bits common to all threads.

Bit		Purpose
0 to 15		Thread enables, bit number corresponds to thread
16		
17 to 31		reserved

The thread enable bit enables instruction fetch and subsequent processing for the thread. There must be at least one thread enabled.

[U/S/H/M]_STATUS (0x?004)

Machine status register. This register contains an eight-entry operating mode and interrupt mask stack. When an exception or interrupt occurs, this register is shifted to the left by 32-bits and the low order bits are set according to the exception mode, when an RTI instruction is executed this register is shifted to the right by 32-bits. On RTI the last stack entry is set to $FF000CE0 masking all interrupts on stack underflow. The low order 32-bits represent the current operating mode and interrupt mask. The register is present at all operating levels. Only enable bits at the current operating level or lower are visible and may be set or cleared. Other bits will read as zero and ignore writes.

Note that only the low portion of the register is available as a CSR. The upper part is inaccessible. Only the low order bits need to be manipulated. There is a separate register for each thread.

This register supports the CSRRS and CSRRC instructions.

31	24	23 18	17	16 12	11 10	9	8	7 5	4	3	2	1	0
PL		$\sim_6$	mprv	$\sim_5$	OM	T	ssm	IPL	die	mie	hie	sie	uie

PL = privilege level, 0 to 255
mprv = memory use previous operating mode
OM = operating mode, 0 to 3
IPL = interrupt priority level, 0 to 7
T = instruction trace
ssm = single step mode
xie = interrupt enable, uie=user,sie=supervisor,hie=hypervisor,mie=machine,die=debug

S_PTBR – CSR 0x1003 - shared

This register contains the base address of the page table, which must be a multiple of 8192. Also included in this register is table parameters depth and type.

31	13	12 11	10 8	7 6	5	4	3 1	0
Page Table Address$_{31..13}$		$\sim_2$	LVL$_3$	AL$_2$	$\sim$	S	$\sim$	Type

Type: 0 = hash page table, 1 = hierarchical page table
S: 1=software managed TLB miss, 0 = hardware table walking
LVL$_3$: 0 to 7 levels for hierarchical tables.
AL$_2$: TLB entry replacement algorithm, 0=fixed,1=LRU,2=random,3=reserved

S_HMASK – CSR 0x1005 - shared

This register contains a mask applied to address hash for hash tables. Ignored for hierarchical tables.

31		0
	$HMask_{32}$	

S_ASID – CSR 0x101F

This register contains the address space identifier (ASID) or memory map index (MMI). The ASID is used in this design to select (index into) a memory map in the paging tables. Only the low order ten bits of the register are implemented.

M_HARTID - CSR 0x3001 - shared

This register contains a number that is externally supplied on the hartid_i input bus to represent the hardware thread id or the core number. The low order four bits of this register indicate the thread number. Although this register is shared a different value will be returned to each thread. This register is read-only.

M_TICK - CSR 0x3002 - shared

This register contains a tick count of the number of clock cycles that have passed since the last reset. Note that this register should not be used for precise timing as the processor's clock frequency may vary for performance and power reasons. The TIME CSR may be used for wall-clock timing as it has its own timing source.

This register is shared between all threads.

M_BADADDR - CSR 0x3007

This register contains the effective address for a load / store operation that caused a memory management exception or a bus error. There is a separate register for each thread. Note that the address of the instruction causing the exception is available in the EIP register.

M_DBADx (CSR 0x3018 to 0x301B) Debug Address Register - shared

These registers contain addresses of instruction or data breakpoints. The registers may also be used as trace triggering address registers.

31		0
	$Address_{32}$	

M_DBAMx (CSR 0x301C to 0x301F) Debug Address Mask Register - shared

These registers contain mask for addresses of instruction or data breakpoints. Wherever there is a '1' bit in the mask, the address bit is treated as a 'don't care'.

31		0
	$Address_{32}$	

M_DBCR (CSR 0x3020) Debug Control Register - shared

This register contains bits controlling the circumstances under which a debug interrupt will occur.

bits			
3 to 0	Enables a specific debug address register to do address matching. If the		

	corresponding bit in this register is set and the address (instruction or data) matches the address in the debug address register then a debug interrupt will be taken.			
8, 9	This pair of bits determine what should match the debug address register zero in order for a debug interrupt to occur.			

9:8	
00	match the instruction address
01	match a data store address
10	reserved
11	match a data load or store address

12 to 13	Same as 8 to 9 except for debug address register one.			
16 to 17	Same as 8 to 9 except for debug address register two.			
20 to 21	Same as 8 to 9 except for debug address register three.			
24 to 27	Trace enable on address register			
28 to 31	Thread – specifies the thread that is currently being debugged.			

M_DBSR (CSR 0x3021) - Debug Status Register - shared

This register contains bits indicating which addresses matched. These bits are set when an address match occurs and must be reset by software.

bit	
0	matched address register zero
1	matched address register one
2	matched address register two
3	matched address register three
31 to 4	not used, reserved

M_TVEC – CSR 0x3030 to 0x3033 -shared

These registers contain the address of the exception handling routine for a given operating level. The lower bits of the exception address are determined from the operating level. TVEC[0] to TVEC[2] are used by the REX instruction.

Reg #	
0x3030	TVEC[0]
0x3031	TVEC[1]
0x3032	TVEC[2]
0x3033	TVEC[3]

M_EIP – CSR 0x3038

This register contains the exception instruction pointer for the current exception level. This register is read-only.

M_PLSTACK – CSR 0x303F

This register contains an eight-entry stack of privilege levels. Each stack entry occupies eight bits. When an exception occurs, this register is shifted to the left by eight bits and the low order bits are set to the highest privilege level, 0xFF. When an RTI instruction is executed this register is shifted to the right by eight bits restoring the previous privilege level. Note that only the low half of the register is available as a CSR. The upper half is inaccessible. Only the low order bits of the register need to be manipulated. There is a separate register for each thread.

M_TIME – CSR 0x?FE0 - shared

The TIME register corresponds to the low order 32 bits of the wall clock real time. This register can be used to compute the current time based on a known reference point. The register value will typically be a fixed number of seconds offset from the real wall clock time. This register is driven by the tm_clk_i clock time base input which is independent of the cpu clock. The tm_clk_i input is a fixed frequency used for timing that cannot be less than 10MHz. The bits represent the fraction of one second. The upper 32 bits present in the M_TIMESEC register represent seconds passed. For example, if the tm_clk_i frequency is 100MHz the low order 32 bits should count from 0 to 99,999,999 then cycle back to 0 again. When the low order 32 bits cycle back to 0 again, the upper 32 bits in M_TIMESEC are incremented. The upper 32 bits of the register represent the number of seconds passed since an arbitrary point in the past.

This register is available to all operating modes, however it may be written only from machine mode.

Note that this register has a fixed time basis, unlike the TICK register whose frequency may vary with the cpu clock. The cpu clock input may vary in frequency to allow for performance and power adjustments.

M_TIMESEC – CSR 0x?FE1- shared

This register contains the wall clock time in seconds. It is the upper 32-bits of a 64-bit value.

Operating Modes

The core operates in one of four basic modes: application/user mode, supervisor mode, hypervisor mode or machine mode. Machine mode is switched to when an interrupt or exception occurs, or when debugging is triggered. On power-up the core is running in machine mode. An RTI instruction must be executed to leave machine mode after power-up.

The current operating mode of the processor is found in bits 10 and 11 of the M_STATUS CSR.

A subset of instructions is limited to machine mode.

Mode Bits	Mode
0	User / App
1	Supervisor
2	Hypervisor
3	Machine

Exceptions
External Interrupts

There is little difference between an externally generated exception and an internally generated one. An externally caused exception will set the exception cause code for the currently fetched instruction.

There are eight priority interrupt levels for external interrupts. When an external interrupt occurs the mask level is set to the level of the current interrupt. A subsequent interrupt must exceed the mask level to be recognized. There is a bit vector input to the core indicating the thread to use for interrupt processing.

Effect on Machine Status

The operating mode is always switched to machine mode on exception. It is up to the machine mode code to redirect the exception to a lower operating mode when desired. Further exceptions at the same or lower interrupt level are disabled automatically. Machine mode code must enable interrupts at some point.

Exception Stack

The operating mode, interrupt enable bits and privilege level are pushed onto an internal stack when an exception occurs. This stack is only eight entries deep as that is the maximum amount of nesting that can occur. The exception stack is split between the plStack and pmStack CSR registers.

Exception Vectoring

Exceptions are handled through a vector table. The vector table has four entries, one for each operating level the thread may be running at. The location of the vector table is determined by TVEC[3]. If the thread is operating at mode three for instance and an interrupt occurs vector table address number three is used for the interrupt handler. Note that the interrupt automatically switches the thread to operating mode three. An exception handler at the machine level may redirect exceptions to a lower-level handler identified in one of the vector registers. More specific exception information is supplied in the cause register.

Operating Level	Address (If TVEC[3] contains $F…FC0000)	
0	$F…FC0000	Handler for operating level zero
1	$F…FC0020	
2	$F…FC0040	
3	$F…FC0060	

Reset

Reset is treated as an exception. The reset routine should exit using an RTI instruction. The PL and PM stack registers must be set appropriately for the return.

The core begins executing instructions at address $FFFD0000. All registers are in an undefined state.

Precision

Exceptions in rfPhoenix are precise. They are processed according to program order of the instructions. If an exception occurs during the execution of an instruction, then an exception field is set in the execute buffer. The exception is processed when the instruction commits which happens in program order.

Exception Cause Codes

The following table outlines the cause code for a given purpose. These codes are specific to rfPhoenix. Under the HW column an 'x' indicates that the exception is internally generated by the processor; the cause code is hard-wired to that use. An 'e' indicates an externally generated interrupt, the usage may vary depending on the system.

Cause Code		HW	Description	
0			no exception	
1	IBE	x	instruction bus error	
2	EXF	x	Executable fault	
4	TLB	x	tlb miss	
5	DCM	X	Data cache miss	
			FMTK Scheduler	
128		e		
129	KRST	e	Keyboard reset interrupt	
130	MSI	e	Millisecond Interrupt	
131	TICK	e		
156	KBD	e	Keyboard interrupt	
157	GCS	e	Garbage collect stop	
158	GC	e	Garbage collect	
159	TSI	e	FMTK Time Slice Interrupt	
3			Control-C pressed	
20			Control-T pressed	
26			Control-Z pressed	
32	SSM	x	single step	
33	DBG	x	debug exception	
34	TGT	x	call target exception	
35	MEM	x	memory fault	
36	IADR	x	bad instruction address	
37	UNIMP	x	unimplemented instruction	
38	FLT	x	floating point exception	
39	CHK	x	bounds check exception	
40	DBZ	x	divide by zero	
41	OFL	x	overflow	
47				

48	ALN	x	data alignment	
49	KEY	x	memory key fault	
50	DWF	x	Data write fault	
51	DRF	x	data read fault	
52	SGB	x	segment bounds violation	
53	PRIV	x	privilege level violation	
54	CMT	x	commit timeout	
55	BT	x	branch target	
56	STK	x	stack fault	
57	CPF	x	code page fault	
58	DPF	x	data page fault	
59	LVL	x	level error	
60	DBE	x	data bus error	
61	PMA	x	physical memory attributes check fail	
62	NMI	x	Non-maskable interrupt	
63	BRK		BRK instruction encountered	
200	PFX	x	Too many instruction prefixes	
225	FPX_IOP	x	Floating point invalid operation	
226	FPX_DBZ	x	Floating point divide by zero	
227	FPX_OVER	x	floating point overflow	
228	FPX_UNDER	x	floating point underflow	
229	FPX_INEXACT	x	floating point inexact	
231	FPX_SWT	x	floating point software triggered	
236	CSR		CSR instruction access	
237	RTI	x	RTI when no interrupt active	
238	IRQ	x	Hardware interrupt	
239			Software exception handling	
240	SYS		Call operating system (FMTK)	
241			FMTK Schedule interrupt	
242	TMR	x	system timer interrupt	
243	GCI	x	garbage collect interrupt	
253	RST	x	reset	
254	NMI	x	non-maskable interrupt	
255	PFI		reserved for poll-for-interrupt instruction	

Memory Management

Regions

In any processing system there are typically several different types of storage assigned to different physical address ranges. These include memory mapped I/O, MMIO, DRAM, ROM, configuration space, and possibly others. rfPhoenix has a region table that supports up to eight separate regions.

The region table is a list of region entries. Each entry has a start address, an end address, an access type field, and a pointer to the PMT, page management table. To determine legal access types, the physical address is searched for in the region table, and the corresponding access type returned. The search takes place in parallel for all eight regions.

Once the region is identified the access rights for a particular page within the region can be found from the PMT corresponding to the region.

PMA - Physical Memory Attributes Checker

Overview

The physical memory attributes checker is a hardware module that ensures that memory is being accessed correctly according to its physical attributes.

Physical memory attributes are stored in an eight-entry region table. This table includes the address range the attributes apply to and the attributes themselves. Address ranges are resolved only to bit four of the address. Meaning the granularity of the check is 16 bytes.

Most of the entries in the table are hard-coded and configured when the system is built. However, they may be modified at the address range $FF9F0xxx.

Physical memory attributes checking is applied in all operating modes.

Region Table Description

Address	Bits		
00	32	start	start address bits 4 to 35 of the physical address range
10	32	nd	end address bits 4 to 35 of the physical address range
20	18	pmt	associated PMT address
30	32	cta	card table address, bits 4 to 35
40	19	at	memory attributes
50 to 70	…	…	not used
…	…	…	7 more register sets

PMT Address

The PMT address specifies the location of the associated PMT. Only the low order 18 bits of this value are significant. The high order bits of the PMT table address are fixed at $F..FD.

CTA – Card Table Address

The card table address is used during the execution of the store pointer, STPTR instruction to locate the card table.

Attributes

Bitno		
0	X	1=may contain executable code
1	W	1=may be written to
2	R	1=may be read
3	C	1=may be cached
4-6	G	granularity <table><tr><td>G</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>0</td><td>byte accessible</td></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>wyde accessible</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>tetra accessible</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>octa accessible</td></tr><tr><td>4</td><td>hexi accessible</td></tr><tr><td>5 to 7</td><td>reserved</td></tr></table>
7	~	reserved
8-15	T	device type (rom, dram, eeprom, I/O, etc)
16-18	S	number of times to shift address to right and store for telescopic STPTR stores.

Page Tables

Intro

Page tables are part of the memory management system used map virtual addresses to real physical addresses. There are several types of page tables. Hierarchical page tables are probably the most common. Almost all page tables map only the upper bits of a virtual address, called a page. The lower bits of the virtual address are passed through without being altered. The page size often 4kB which means the low order 12-bits of a virtual address will be mapped to the same 12-bits for the physical address.

Hierarchical Page Tables

Hierarchical page tables organize page tables in a multi-level hierarchy. They can map the entire virtual address range. At the topmost level a register points to a page directory, that page directory points to a page directory at a lower level until finally a page directory points to a page containing page table entries. To map an entire 64-bit virtual address range approximately five levels of tables are required.

Paged MMU Mapping
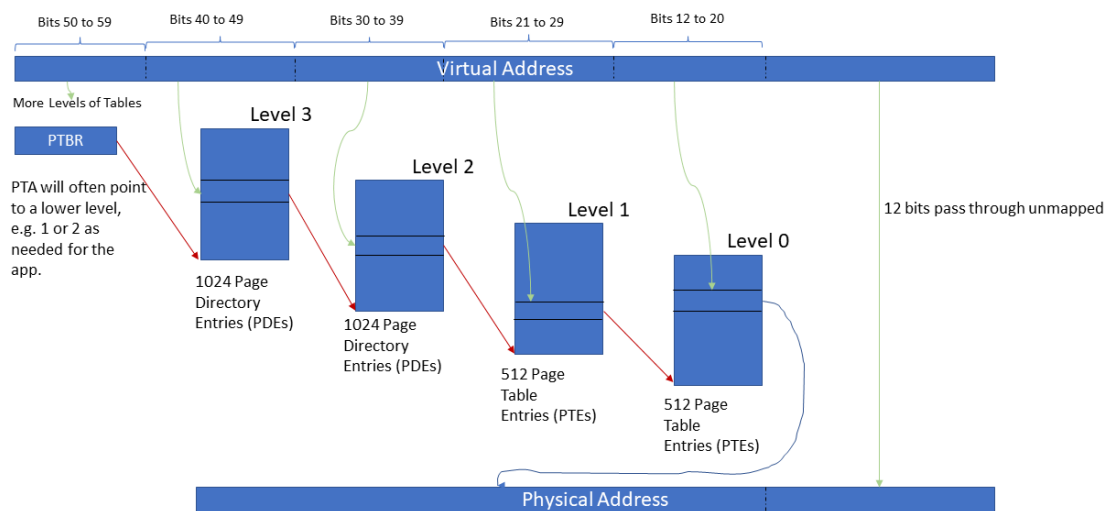
Inverted Page Tables

An inverted page table is a table used to store address translations for memory management. The idea behind an inverted page table is that there is a fixed number of pages of memory no matter how it is mapped. It should not be necessary to provide for a map of every possible address, only addresses that correspond to real pages of memory. Each page of memory can be allocated only once. It is either allocated or it is not. Compared to a non-inverted paged memory management system where tables are used to map potentially the entire address space an inverted page table uses less memory. There is typically only a single inverted page table supporting all applications

in the system. This is a different approach than a non-inverted page table which may provide separate page tables for each process.

The Simple Inverted Page Table

The simplest inverted page table contains only a record of the virtual address mapped to the page, and the index into the table is used as the physical page number. There are only as many entries in the inverted page table as there are physical pages of memory. A translation can be made by scanning the table for a matching virtual address, then reading off the value of the table index. The attraction of an inverted page table is its small size compared to the typical hierarchical page table. Unfortunately, the simplest inverted page table is not practical when there are thousands or millions of pages of memory. It simply takes too long to scan the table. The alternative solution to scanning the table is to hash the virtual address to get a table index directly.

Inverted Page Table

Entry number identifies physical page number

0	Virtual Address
1	Virtual Address
2	Virtual Address
N-2	Virtual Address
N-1	Virtual Address
N	Virtual Address
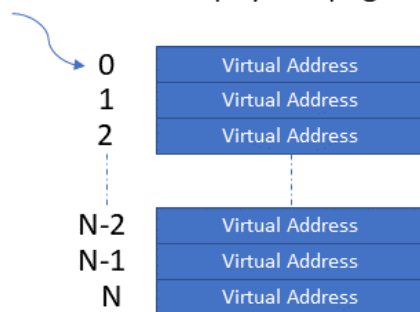
Hashed Page Tables

Hashed Table Access

Hashes are great for providing an index value immediately. The issue with hash functions is that they are just a hash. It is possible that two different virtual address will hash to the same value. What is then needed is a way to deal with these hash collisions. There are a couple of different methods of dealing with collisions. One is to use a chain of links. The chain has each link in the chain pointing the to next page table entry to use in the event of a collision. The hash page table is slightly more complicated then as it needs to store links for hash chains. The second method is to use open addressing. Open addressing calculates the next page table entry to use. The calculation may be linear, quadratic or some other function dreamed up. A linear probe simply chooses the next page table entry in succession from the previous one if no match occurred. Quadratic probing calculates the next page table entry to use based on squaring the count of misses.

Shared Memory

Another issue to deal with is shared memory. Sometimes applications share memory with other apps for communication purposes, and to conserve memory space where there are common elements. With a hierarchical paged memory management system, it is easy to share memory, just

modify the page table entry to point to the same physical memory as is used by another process. With an inverted page table having only a single entry for each physical page is not sufficient to support shared memory. There needs to be multiple page table entries available for some physical pages but not others because multiple virtual addresses might map to the same physical address. One solution would be to have multiple buckets to store virtual addresses in for each physical address. However, this would waste a lot of memory because much of the time only a single mapped address is needed. There must be a better solution. Rather than reading off the table index as the physical page number, the association of the virtual and physical address can be stored. Since we now need to record the physical address multiple times the simple mechanism of using the table index as the physical page number cannot be used. Instead, the physical page number needs to be stored in the table in addition to the virtual page number.

That means a table larger than the minimum is required. A minimally sized table would contain only one entry for each physical page of memory. So, to allow for shared memory the size of the table is doubled. This smells like a system configuration parameter.

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rfPhoenix Hash Page Table Setup

Hash Page Table Entries - HPTE

We have determined that a page table entry needs to store both the physical page number and the virtual page number for the translations. To keep things simple, the page table stores only the information needed to perform an address translation. Other bits of information are stored in a secondary table called the page management table, PMT. The author did a significant amount of juggling around the sizes of various fields, mainly the size of the physical and virtual page numbers. Finally, the author decided on a 64/128-bit HPTE format. Note that the first part of the HPTE has the same format as a PTE.

31		22	21	20	18	17	16	15	0
V	$\sim_3$	$VPN_{18..16}$	$PPN_{18..16}$	M	RWX_3	A	C	Physical Page Number$_{15..0}$	
$ASID_{10}$				G	BC_4		$\sim$	Virtual Page Number$_{15..0}$	
Physical Page Number$_{50..19}$									
Virtual Page Number$_{47..16}$									

Small Hash Page Table Entry – SHPTE

For systems with less than 8GB of physical memory the small hash page table entry may be used. This is a configuration option.

V	$\sim_3$	$VPN_{18..16}$	$PPN_{18..16}$	M	RWX_3	A	C	Physical Page Number$_{15..0}$
$ASID_{10}$				G	BC_4		$\sim$	Virtual Page Number$_{15..0}$

Fields Description

V	translation Valid
G	global translation
MB	page access mask begin
ME	page access mask end

RWX	readable, writeable, executable
C	cachable page
ASID	address space identifier
BC	bounce count

The page table does not include everything needed to manage pages of memory. There is additional information such as share counts and privilege levels to take care of, but this information is better managed in a separate table.

Page Table Groups – PTG

We want the search for translations to be fast. That means being able to search in parallel. So, PTEs are stored in groups that are searched in parallel for translations. This is sometimes referred to as a clustered table approach. Access to the group should be as fast as possible. There are also hardware limits to how many entries can be searched at once while retaining a high clock rate. So, the convenient size of 512 bits was chosen as the amount of memory to fetch.

A page table group then contains eight page-table entries. All entries in the group are searched in parallel for a match. Note that the entries are searched as the PTG is loaded, so that the PTG group load may be aborted early if a matching PTE is found before the load is finished.

63   0

PTE0
PTE1
PTE2
PTE3
PTE4
PTE5
PTE6
PTE7

Size of Page Table

There are several conflicting elements to deal with, with regards to the size of the page table. Ideally, the page table is small enough to fit into the block RAM resources available in the FPGA. So, about 1/3 of the block RAMs available are dedicated to MMU use. At the same time a multiple of the number of physical pages of memory should be supported to support page sharing and swapping pages to secondary storage. To support swapping pages, double the number of physical entries were chosen. To support page sharing, double that number again. Therefore, a minimum size of a page table would contain at least four times the number of physical pages for entries. By setting the size of the page table instead of the size of pages, it can be worked backwards how many pages of memory can be supported.

For a system using 512k block RAM to store PTEs. 512k / 32 = 16384 entries. 16384 / 4 = 4096 physical pages. Since the RAM size is 512MB, each page would be 512MB/4096 = 128kB. Since half the pages may be in secondary storage, 1GB of address range is available.

Since there are 16,384 entries in the table and they are grouped into groups of eight, there are 2048 PTGs. To get to a page table group fast a hash function is needed then that returns a 11-bit number.

The hash function needs to vary with the size of the hash table. The hash table size is effectively controlled by the HMASK field in the page table base register, PTBR. The smallest hash table that may be configured it 128kB or 1024 PTGs. The largest supported table size is 32TB which is enough to support a 56-bit physical address. The hash function needs to reduce the size of a virtual address down to a size corresponding to the size of the hash table. The asid should be considered part of the virtual address. Including the asid an address is 42 bits. The first thing to do is to throw away the lowest sixteen bits as they pass through the MMU unaltered. We now have 26-bits to deal with. We can probably throw away some high order bits too, as a process is not likely to use the full 32-bit address range.

The hash function chosen uses the asid combined with virtual address bits 18 and up. This should space out the PTEs according to the asid. Address bits 16 and 17 select one of four address ranges. the PTG supports eight PTEs. The translations where address bits 16 and 17 are involved are likely consecutive pages that would show up in the same PTG. The hash is the asid aligned with the highest order visible address bits exclusively or'd with address bis 18 and up then masked by the HMASK field of the PTBR.

The HMASK field of the PTBR is used to mask off hash result bits so that the hash may be applied appropriately for the table size. The lowest order 10 bits of the hash may not be masked off. For example, for a table with 4096 entries The HMASK value would be 3. This would allow 12 of the hash bits to be used as a hash table index.

To make developing software easier an instruction, PTGHASH, is available that returns the value of the hash of an address as seen by the processor. The hash value depends on the current ASID, HMASK field of the PTBR and the virtual address.

Quadratic probing of the page table is used when a collision occurs. The next PTG to search is calculated as the hash plus the square of the miss count. On the first miss the PTG at the hash plus one is searched. Next the PTG at the hash plus four is searched. After that the PTG at the hash plus nine is searched, and so on.

Once the PTG to be searched is located using the hash function, which PTE to use needs to be sorted out. The match operation must include both the virtual address bits and the asid, address space identifier, as part of the test for a match. It is possible that the same virtual address is used by two or more different address spaces, which is why it needs to be in the match.

The page table group may be cached in the system read cache for performance. It is likely that the same PTG group will be used multiple times due to the locality of reference exhibited by running software.

To avoid duplication of data the access rights are stored in another table called the PMT for access rights table. The first time a translation is loaded the access rights are looked-up from the PMT. A bit is set in the TLB entry indicating that the access rights are valid. On subsequent

translations the access rights are not looked up, but instead they are read from values cached in the TLB.

rfPhoenix's hash page table is in the physical address space at $FFAxxxxx. It is a specially dedicated block RAM memory which has two sides. One side is updateable and readable via the vector load tetra-byte and store tetra-byte LDT, STT instructions. The other side is updateable and readable in terms of page groups by the hash page table control logic.

Software Support

rfPhoenix has instructions to support a software managed clustered hash page table. Page table groups may be loaded into a vector register using the LDT instruction. The entire group may be searched in a single clock cycle for a translation of the virtual address using the SHPTENDX instruction.

To locate the page table group, a hash generator function is available PTGHASH which hashes a virtual address and masks it to the correct size for the page table.

rfPhoenix Hierarchical Page Table Setup

Page Size

rfPhoenix uses 16kB memory pages.

Page Table Entries - PTE

For hierarchical tables the structure is 32 bits in size. This allows 4096 PTEs to fit into an 16kB page.

Page Table Entry Format - PTE

$PPN_{31..14}$	SW_3	M	A	G	C	R	W	X	LVL_3	V

Field	Size	Purpose
PPN	18	Physical page number
SW	3	Three bits available to software use
C	1	1=cachable
A	1	1=accessed
M	1	1=modified
V	1	1 if entry is valid, otherwise 0
LVL	3	the page table level of the entry pointed to
G	1	1=global translation
R	1	1=Readable
W	1	Writeable
X	1	Executable

Note the LVL field for both PTEs and PDEs is in the same position.

Page Directory Entries - PDE

A hierarchical table usually consists of multiple levels of pages for the page table. The leaf entries are the PTEs non-leaf entries are page directory entries or PDEs. PDEs are 32-bits in size,

therefore 2048 PDEs fit in one 8kB page of memory. PDEs have the same structure as a PTE except some of the fields are unused.

$PPN_{31..14}$	SW_3		LVL_3	V
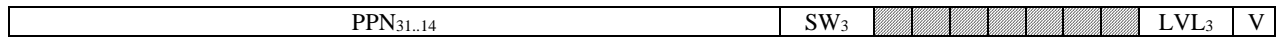
Field	Size	Purpose
PPN	18	Page number of next lower page table
V	1	1 if entry is valid, otherwise 0
LVL	3	the page table level of the entry pointed to

MMU Cache

To improve the performance of PDE lookups. The MMU has a small fully associative cache for PDE lookups.

TLB – Translation Lookaside Buffer

Overview

The page map is limited in the translations it can perform because of its size. The solution to allowing more memory to be mapped is to use main memory to store the translations tables.

However, if every memory access required two or three additional accesses to map the address to a final target access, memory access would be quite slow, slowed down by a factor or two or three, possibly more. To improve performance, the memory mapping translations are stored in another unit called the TLB standing for Translation Lookaside Buffer. This is sometimes also called an address translation cache ATC. The TLB offers a means of address virtualization and memory protection. A TLB works by caching address mappings between a real physical address and a virtual address used by software. The TLB deals with memory organized as pages. Typically, software manages a paging table whose entries are loaded into the TLB as translations are required.

The TLB is a cache specialized for address translations. rfPhoenix's TLB is quite large being five way associative with 1024 entries per way. This choice of size was based on making the maximum use of the minimum number of block RAMs that could be used to implement the TLB. On a TLB miss the page table is searched for a translation and if found the translation is stored in one of the ways of the TLB. The way selected is determined either randomly or in a least-recently-used fashion as one of the first four ways. The fifth way may not be updated automatically by a page table search, it must be updated by software.

Size / Organization

The TLB has 1024 entries per set. The size was chosen as it is the size of one block ram for 32-bit data in the FPGA. This is quite a large TLB. Many systems use smaller TLBs. Typically, systems vary between 64 and 1024 entries. There is not really a need for such a large one, however it is available.

The TLB is organized as a five-way set associative cache. The fifth way may only be updated by software. The fifth way allows translations to be stored that will not be overwritten.

TLB Entries - TLBE

Closely related to page table entries are translation look-aside buffer, TLB, entries. TLB entries have more fields to keep track of the virtual address and where the PTE is in memory. The TLB needs the pointer to be able to update the structure in memory.

$PPN_{31..14}$	SW_3	M	A	G	C	R	W	X	LVL_3	V
$VPN_{31..14}$	3					$ASID_{12}$				
$PTE\ Pointer_{31..2}$										2
32										

What is Translated

The TLB processes addresses including both instruction and data addresses for all modes of operation. It is known as a *unified* TLB.

Page Size

Because the TLB caches address translations it can get away with a much smaller page size than the page map can for a larger memory system. 4kB is a common size for many systems. There are some indications in contemporary documentation that a larger page size would be better. In this case the TLB uses 16kB. For a 512MB system (the size of the memory in the test system) there are 32,768 8kB pages.

Management

The TLB unit may be updated by either software or hardware. This is selected in the page table base register. If software miss handling is selected when a translation miss occurs, an exception is generated to allow software to update the TLB. It is left up to software to decide how to update the TLB. There may be a set of hierarchical page tables in memory, or there could be a hash table used to store translations.

Accessing the TLB

The TLB is access with the TLBRD and TLBRW instructions. A TLB entry contains too much information to be updated with a single 32-bit register write. Since the information must also be updated atomically to ensure correct operation, the TLB update is done using a vector register.

The low order bits of the Ra value determine which way to update in the TLB if the algorithm is a fixed or LRU way algorithm. Otherwise, a way to update will be selected randomly. When the LRU algorithm is active the most recently used entry is placed in way #0. It may be desirable to bump out entry #3 and replace it with the new entry for LRU operation.

Vector Register Rb contents

Element	31 0
0	$PTE_{31..0}$
1	$PTE_{63..32}$
2	$PTE_{95..64}$
3	$PTE_{127..96}$
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	
11	
12	
13	
14	

```
_TLBMap:
        ldt v0,0[sp]
        ldt a1,64[sp]
        tlbrw a0,a1,v0
        add sp,sp,68
        rts
```

TLB Entry Replacement Policies

The TLB supports three algorithms for replacement of entries with new entries on a TLB miss. These are fixed replacement (0), least recently used replacement (1) and random replacement (2). The replacement method is stored in the AL_2 bits of the page table base register.

For fixed replacement, the way to update must be specified by a software instruction. Least recently used replacement, LRU, rotates the most recent address translation to the first way and updates by over-writing the value in the third way. Random replacement chooses a way to replace at random.

Flushing the TLB

The TLB maintains the address space (ASID) associated with a virtual address. This allows the TLB translations to be used without having to flush old translations from the TLB during a task switch.

Reset

On a reset the TLB is preloaded with translations that allow access to the system ROM.

Global Bit

In addition to the ASID the TLB entries contain a bit that indicates that the translation is a global translation and should be present in every address space.

Page Management

There are typically at least three primary lists that a page may be on. These are the active list, the inactive list, and the free list. Typically, a list link field would be present in the PMTE.

Debugging Unit

Overview

The rfPhoenix has several debug features including debug exceptions on address matches and instruction tracing. Instruction trace trigger registers are shared with the debug address registers. Which function is triggered on an address match is controlled in the debug control register.

Instruction Tracing

Instruction tracing is enabled by setting the trace enable bit (bit 24 to 27) in the debug control register for the corresponding debug address match register. Tracing will begin when an address match occurs and continue until the trace buffer is full. The trace queue is 8kB in size allowing thousands of instructions to be traced.

Trace Queue Entry Format

The trace queue stores instruction pointer address history.

31	0
Instruction Pointer bits 0 to 31	
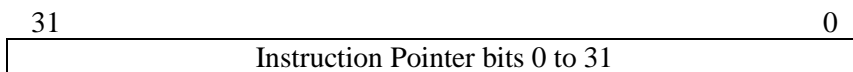
Trace Readback

A trace of instructions executed may be read back from the trace queue using the PEEKQ and POPQ instructions. The processor trace queue is accessible as queue number 15. Queue 15 contains the raw history record. Software should get the status using the STATQ instruction to see if data is available, then pop queue 15 to get the data record.

Address Matching

The debug and trace unit use selectors to select an address range to match against.

Instruction Set

Operation Sizes

There are currently three sizes of operations supported, 16-bit, 32-bit, and 128-bit.

Instruction Formats

There are relatively few instruction formats. Instructions are 40-bits in size.

Register Format, Indexed Load / Store Format

39 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6	5 0
Rm_3	~	$Func_6$	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$Opcode_6$

Float Register Format

39 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6	5 0
Rm_3	Tc	Rc_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$Opcode_6$

Immediate Format, Load / Store Format

39	38 23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6	5 0
S	$Immediate_{16}$	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6		$Opcode_6$

Branch

39	38 23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6	5 0
s	$Displacement_{16}$	Cnd_3	0	Ra_6	S	Rb_6		$Opcode_6$

Call, Jump

39 8	7 6	5 0
$Target_{32}$	Rt_2	$Opcode_6$

Postfix

39 8	7 6	5 0
$Immediate_{32}$	Sz_2	$Opcode_6$

Major Opcode

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0x	0 BRK	1 PFX	2 R2	3	4 ADDI	5 SUBFI	6 MULI	7 CSR
	8 ANDI	9 ORI	10 XORI	11 NOP	12	13	14 32 CMPI	15 CMP
1x	16	17	18	19	20 16 FCMPI	21 64 FCMPI	22 16 CMPI	23 64 CMPI
	24 CALL abs	25 BSR rel	26 CALL/RET	27	28 Bcc	29 FBcc	30 32 FCMPI	31 FCMP
2x	32 16 FMA	33 16 FMS	34 16 FNMA	35 16 FNMS	36 64 FMA	37 64 FMS	38 64 FNMA	39 64 FNMS
	40 128 FMA	41 128 FMS	42 128 FNMA	43 128 FNMS	44 32 FMA	45 32 FMS	46 32 FNMA	47 32 FNMS
3x	48 LDB	49 LDBU	50 LDW	51 LDWU	52 LDT	53 LDTU	54 LDSR	55 LDO
	56 STB	57 STW	58 STT	59 STO	60 STC	61	62 STCR	63 CACHE

Major Func

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0x	0 VEINS	1 R1	2 VSHUF	3 VEX	4 ADD	5 SUB	6 MUL	7 TLB
	8 AND	9 OR	10 XOR	11 ANDC	12 NAND	13 NOR	14 XNOR	15 ORC
1x	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	24 SLLI	25 SRLI	26 SRAI	27 SLL	28 SRL	29 SRA	30	31
2x	32 VSLLVI	33 VSRLVI	34 VSLLV	35 VSRLV	36	37	38	39
	40 128 FADD	41 128 FSUB	42	43	44 16/32 FADD	45 16/32 FSUB	46 REMASK	47 PUSHQ
3x	48 LDBX	49 LDBUX	50 LDWX	51 LDWUX	52 LDTX	53 LDTUX	54 LDSRX	55 LDOX
	56 STBX	57 STWX	58 STTX	59 STOX	60 STCX	61	62 STCRX	63 CACHEX

R1 Func

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0x	0 CNTLZ	1	2 CNTPOP	3	4	5	6	7 PTGHASH
	8 PEEKQ	9 POPQ	10	11 STATQ	12 RESETQ	13	14	15
1x	16 REMASK	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	24	25 RTI	26 REX	27	28	29	30	31
2x	32 FFINITE	33	34	35 FNEG	36 FRSQRTE	37 FRES	38 FSIGMOID	39
	40 ITOF	41 FTOI	42 FABS	43 FNABS	44 FCLASS	45 FMAN	46 FSIGN	47 FTRUNC
3x	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	56 SEXTB	57 SEXTW	58	59	60	61	62	63

Extended Constants

The upper 19 bits of a 32-bit constant may be specified using a postfix instruction which overrides sign extension of the constant. A postfix instruction extends from bit 13 of the preceding instruction.

Immediate constants up to 77 bits may be formed using up to two postfix instructions combined with the immediate field of an instructions. The first postfix instruction indicates the operation size. To load a 128-bit constant into a register a three-instruction sequence is required.

Example:

```
LDI.H v1,0x1234567890          # load the high order 64-bits
VSLLVI v1,v1,2                  # shift up two elements, 64 bits
ORI.H v1,v1,0x9876543210       # OR in the low order bits
```

Vector Masking

Vector masking is always applied to vector instructions. To get an unmasked operation a vector mask register must be loaded with all ones then used as the mask. It is suggested to use vm7 for this purpose.

ADD - Register-Register

Description:

Add two registers and place the sum in the target register. All register values are treated as integers.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25 30	29 28	23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~	$04h_6$	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$02h_6$

Sz: 0=16-bit, 1=32-bit, 2=128 bit

Operation:

Rt = Ra + Rb

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

ADDI - Register-Immediate

Description:

Add a register and an immediate value and place the sum in the target register. All values are treated as signed integers.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38	23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
S	$Immediate_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	04_6

S: 0=16-bit, 1=32 bit

Operation:

Rt = Ra + Imm

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

AND - Register-Register

Description:

Bitwise 'and' two registers and place the result in the target register. All register values are treated as integers.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~	$08h_6$	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$02h_6$

Operation:

Rt = Ra & Rb

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

ANDI - Register-Immediate

Description:

Bitwise 'And' a register and an immediate value and place the sum in the target register. All values are treated as signed integers.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
S	$Immediate_{16}$	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	08_6

S: 0=16-bit, 1=32 bit

Operation:

Rt = Ra & Imm

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

BRK – Software Break

Description

Software breakpoint. The status register is pushed onto an internal stack then the operating mode of the processor is switched to machine mode at the highest privilege level with interrupts disabled. The instruction pointer for the next instruction is also pushed onto an internal stack.

A constant supplied in the BRK instruction is placed into the target register.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
m	Immediate$_{16}$		Mask$_3$	~	~$_6$		Tt	Rt$_6$		00$_6$	

Operation

status $<< 32$

status.pl $= 255$

status.ipl $= 7$

status.om $= 3$

ipStack $<< 32$

ipStack[31:0] $<=$ IP $+ 5$

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: none

CNTLZ – Count Leading Zeros

Description:

Count the number of leading zeros (starting at the MSB) in Ra and place the count in the target register.

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2	~	1_6	0	0_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: First Integer ALU

Exceptions: none

CNTPOP – Count Population

CNTPOP r1,r2
CNTPOP v1,v2
Description:

Count the number of ones and place the count in the target register.

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Vt[x] = popcnt(Va[x])

else Vt[x] = Vt[x]

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2	~	1_6	0	2_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6	

Execution Units: First Integer ALU

Exceptions: none

CMP – Compare Register

Description

Compare two registers and return the relationship between them in a bit vector. The bit vector may be extracted from to reduce the result to a single bit. For extracting operations: For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMP

39	3837	3634	33 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5 0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	N_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

Rt = Ra ? Imm

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Vt[x] = Va[x] ? Imm

else Vt[x] = Vt[x]

Execution Units: Integer ALU, Floating Point Unit

Exceptions: none

Rt bit	Mnemonic	Meaning
		Integer Compare Results
0	CMP_EQ	= equal
1	CMP_LT	< less than
2	CMP_LE	<= less than or equal
3		reserved
4		reserved
5	CMP_LTU	< unsigned less than
6	CMP_LEU	<= unsigned less than or equal
8	CMP_NE	< > not equal
9	CMP_GE	>= greater than or equal
10	CMP_GT	> greater than
11		reserved
12		reserved
13	CMP_GEU	unsigned greater than or equal
14	CMP_GTU	unsigned greater than

CMP_EQ - Compare for Equality

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as signed integer values for equality and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMP

39	3837	3634	33 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	0_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

```
if Ra == Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

```
for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] == Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]
```

CMP_EQI - Compare for Equality Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as signed integer values for equality and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38 23	22 20	19 18	18 13	12 11	11 6	5 0
0_4	Immediate$_{13}$	Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rt$_6$	14_6

Operation:

```
if Ra == Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

    if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] == imm ? 1 : 0

    else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_GE - Compare for Greater or Equal

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as signed integer values for greater than or equal and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMP

39	38 37	36 34	33 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	9_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

```
if Ra >= Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] >= Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_GEI - Compare for Greater or Equal Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as signed integer values for greater than or equal and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38 23	22 20	19 18 13	12 11 6	5 0
9_4	$Immediate_{13}$	$Mask_3$ Ta	Ra_6	Tt Rt_6	14_6

Operation:

```
if Ra >= Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

   if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] >= imm ? 1 : 0

   else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_GEU - Compare for Greater or Equal Unsigned

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as unsigned integer values for greater than or equal and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMP

39	38 37	36 34	33 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	13_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6		15_6

Operation:

    if Ra >= Rb
            Rt= 1
    else
            Rt= 0

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

    for x = 0 to VL - 1

            if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] >= Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

            else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_GEUI - Compare for Greater or Equal Unsigned Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as unsigned integer values for greater than or equal and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
13_4	$Immediate_{13}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		14_6	

Operation:

```
if Ra >= Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

      if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] >= imm ? 1 : 0

      else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_GT - Compare for Greater Than

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as signed integer values for greater than and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	3634	33 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	10_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

```
if Ra > Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

   if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] > Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

   else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_GTI - Compare for Greater Than Immediate

Description:

> The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as signed integer values for greater than and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38 23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11 6	5 0
10_4	Immediate$_{13}$	Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rt$_6$	14_6

Operation:

```
if Ra > Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

> for x = 0 to VL - 1
>
> > if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] > imm ? 1 : 0
> >
> > else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_GTU - Compare for Greater Than Unsigned

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as unsigned integer values for greater than and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	3634	33　　30	29	28　　　23	22 20	19	18　　13	12	11　　6	5　　0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	14_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

```
if Ra > Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

　　　　if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] > Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

　　　　else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_GTUI - Compare for Greater Than Unsigned Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as unsigned integer values for greater than and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
14_4	$Immediate_{13}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		14_6	

Operation:

```
if Ra > Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] > imm ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_LE - Compare for Less or Equal

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as signed integer values for less than or equal and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	3634	33　　30	29	28　　23	22 20	19	18　　13	12	11　　6	5　　0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	2_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

```
if Ra <= Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

　　　　if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] <= Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

　　　　else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_LEI - Compare for Less or Equal Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as signed integer values for less than or equal and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
2_4	Immediate$_{13}$		Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$		Tt	Rt$_6$		14_6	

Operation:

```
if Ra >= Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] >= imm ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_LEU - Compare for Less or Equal Unsigned

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as unsigned integer values for less than or equal and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36 34	33 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	6_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

if Ra <= Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] <= Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_LEUI - Compare for Less or Equal Unsigned Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as unsigned integer values for less than or equal and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
6_4	Immediate$_{13}$		Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$		Tt	Rt$_6$		14$_6$	

Operation:

```
if Ra >= Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

       if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] >= imm ? 1 : 0

       else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_LT - Compare for Less Than

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as signed integer values for less than and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36 34	33 30	29 28	23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	1_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

if Ra < Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] < Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_LTI - Compare for Less Than Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as signed integer values for less than and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38	23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11 6	5 0
1_4	$Immediate_{13}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	14_6

Operation:

if Ra < Imm
> Rt= 1

else
> Rt= 0

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

> if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] < imm ? 1 : 0

> else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_LTU - Compare for Less Than Unsigned

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as unsigned integer values for less than and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	3634	33 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	5_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

if Ra < Rb
$\quad$ Rt= 1
else
$\quad$ Rt= 0

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

$\quad$ if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] < Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

$\quad$ else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_LTUI - Compare for Less Than Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as unsigned integer values for less than and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38	23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11	6 5	0
5_4	Immediate$_{13}$		Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rt$_6$	14_6

Operation:

if Ra < Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] < imm ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMP_NE - Compare for Not Equal

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as signed integer values for inequality and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36 34	33 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	$\sim_3$	8_4	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	15_6

Operation:

```
if Ra != Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

```
for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] != Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]
```

CMP_NEI - Compare for Not Equal Immediate

Description:

The register compare instruction compares a register and an immediate value as signed integer values for inequality and sets the result in the target register. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
8_4	Immediate_{13}		Mask_3	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		14_6	

Operation:

```
if Ra != Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Integer ALU

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

   if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] != imm ? 1 : 0

   else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

CMPI – Compare Immediate

Description

Compare a register and an immediate value and return the relationship between them in a bit vector. The immediate is sign extended to the machine width. The following applies to extract operations. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations if the target is a scaler register each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations. *There is no immediate compare for 128-bit operations.

Instruction Format: CMPI

39 36	38	23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11	6 5	0
N_4	$Immediate_{13}$		$Mask_3$	Ta Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$Opcode_6$	

Operation:

Rt = Ra ? Imm

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL - 1

    if (Vm[x]) Vt[x] = Va[x] ? Imm

    else Vt[x] = Vt[x]

Execution Units: Integer ALU, Floating Point Unit

Exceptions: none

N/Rt bit	Mnemonic	Meaning		Bits	Opcode
		Integer Compare Results		16	14
0	CMP_EQI	= equal		32	22
1	CMP_LTI	< less than		64	23
2	CMP_LEI	<= less than or equal		128	-
3		reserved			
4		reserved			
5	CMP_LTUI	< unsigned less than			
6	CMP_LEUI	<= unsigned less than or equal			
8	CMP_NEI	< > not equal			
9	CMP_GEI	>= greater than or equal			
10	CMP_GTI	> greater than			
11		reserved			
12		reserved			
13	CMP_GEUI	unsigned greater than or equal			
14	CMP_GTUI	unsigned greater than			

COM – Ones Complement

Description:

Bitwise complement all the bits in the register. 1's become 0's and 0's become 1's. This is an alternate mnemonic for the XOR function.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19 18	13	12	11	6	5	0
m	FFFFh$_{16}$		Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rt$_6$		0A$_6$	

Operation

$Rt = \sim Ra$

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL-1

if (Vm[x]) Vt[x] = ~Va[x]

else Vt[x] = Vt[x]

Exceptions: none

LDI – Load Immediate

Description:

Load an immediate value into a register. This instruction allows an immediate to be loaded into general purpose registers, alternate stack pointers, vector mask registers, link registers, or the loop counter. It is an alternate mnemonic for the 'OR instruction where register Ra is assumed to be zero.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
m	$Immediate_{16}$		$Mask_3$	0	0_6	Tt	Rt_6	09_6

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All ALU's

Operation:

Rt = immediate

Exceptions:

Notes:

NEG - Negate

Description:

This instruction takes the negative of a value contained in a register Rb. This is an alternate mnemonic for the [SUB](#) instruction where register Ra is r0.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$		5_6	Tb		Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta		0_6	Tt		Rt_6		2_6

Scalar Operation

Rt = - Rb

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Vt[x] = -Vb[x]

else Vt[x] = Vt[x]

Notes

Exceptions:

NOP – No Operation

Description:

NOP does not perform any operation.

Instruction Format: NOP

39	6	5	0
$\sim_{34}$		$0Bh_6$	
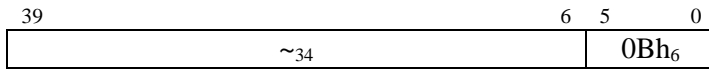
Operation:

< none >

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

OR - Register-Register

Description:

Bitwise 'or' two registers and place the result in the target register. All register values are treated as integers.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38	37	36	25	30	29	28	23	22	20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
$\sim$	Sz_2	$\sim$		$09h_6$		Tb	Rb_6		$Mask_3$		Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		$02h_6$	
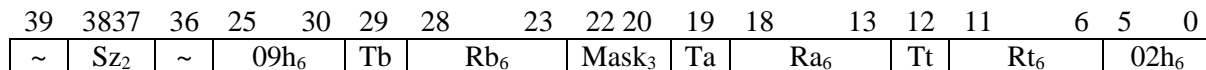
Operation:

Rt = Ra | Rb

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

ORI - Register-Immediate

Description:

Bitwise 'Or' a register and an immediate value and place the sum in the target register. All values are treated as signed integers.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38	23	22 20	19 18	13	12	11	6 5	0
S	$Immediate_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6		09_6

S: 0=16-bit, 1=32 bit

Operation:

Rt = Ra | Imm

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

PTGHASH – Compute PTG Hash

Description:

This instruction computes a hash value from a value in register Ra.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28	23	22 20	19 18	13	12	11	6 5	0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$	1_6	0	7_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	0_6	Tt	Rt_6		2_6

Scalar Operation

Rt = PTGHASH(Ra)

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Vt[x] = PTGHASH(Va[x])

else Vt[x] = Vt[x]

Notes

Exceptions:

REMASK – Adjust Vector Mask

Description:

When expanding the mask in Ra, each bit of the mask is replicated 'amt' times in the target register. When contracting the mask, every 'amt' bit is copied to the target register. For instance, if the amt is 2 every other bit is copied to the target register. Valid values of amt are 1,2, 4.

Instruction Format: R2

39 37	36 25	30 29	28	27	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
Rm_3	~	46_6	0	E	Amt_5		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6

E: 1=expand, 0=contract

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: First Integer ALU

Exceptions: none

SEXTB –Sign Extend Byte

Description:

This instruction moves a byte from one general purpose register to another extending the sign bit.

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2	~	1_6	Tb	56_6		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All ALU's

Operation:

Rt = Ra

SEXTW –Sign Extend Wyde

Description:

This instruction moves a wyde from one general purpose register to another extending the sign bit.

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~	1_6	Tb	57_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All ALU's

Operation:

Rt = Ra

SLL – Shift Left Logical

Description:

Shift register value Ra to the left by the number of bits specified in Rb and place the result in the target register. Low order bits are set to the fill value specified by the 'F' bit in the instruction.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36	25 30	29 28	23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
m	$\sim_2$	F	27_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$02h_6$

Operation:

Rt = Ra << Rb

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

SLLI – Shift Left Logical Immediate

Description:

Shift register value Ra to the left by the number of bits specified by an immediate constant and place the result in the target register. Low order bits are set to the fill value specified by the 'F' bit in the instruction.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36	25 30	29 28	23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
m	$\sim_2$	F	24_6	Tb	Imm_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$02h_6$

Operation:

Rt = Ra << Imm

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

SHPTENDX – SHPTE Index

Description:

This instruction searches vector register Rb, which is treated as an array of 8 SHPTEs, for a SHPTE whose virtual address matches the one specified by Ra and places the index of the SHPTE into the target register Rt. If the SHPTE is not found -1 is placed in the target register. The index result may vary from -1 to +7. The index of the first found SHPTE is returned (closest to zero). The SHPTE may then be extracted with the VEX instruction.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11 6	5 0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$	40_6	1	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6 Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: First Integer ALU

Operation:

Rt = Index of (Ra in Rb)

Exceptions: none

SRA – Shift Right Arithmetic

Description:

Shift register value Ra to the right by the number of bits specified in Rb and place the result in the target register. High order bits are set to the sign bit of Ra.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11 6	5 0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$	$28h_6$	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6 Tt	Rt_6	$02h_6$

Operation:

Rt = Ra >> Rb

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

SRL – Shift Right Logical

Description:

Shift register value Ra to the right by the number of bits specified in Rb and place the result in the target register. High order bits are set to the fill value specified by the 'F' bit of the instruction.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
m	$\sim_2$	F	$28h_6$	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$02h_6$

Operation:

Rt = Ra >> Rb

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

SUB – Subtract

Description:

Subtract Rb from Ra and place the difference in the target register Rt.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$	$05h_6$	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$02h_6$

Operation:

Rt = Ra - Rb

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

SUBFI – Subtract from Immediate

Description:

Subtract a register from a sign extended immediate value and place the difference in the target register.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
S	$Immediate_{16}$	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	05_6

S: 0=16-bit, 1=32 bit

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All ALU's

Operation:

Rt = Immediate - Ra

Exceptions: none

Notes:

VEX / VMOVS – Vector Element Extract

Synopsis

Vector element extract.

Description

A vector register element from Va is transferred into a general-purpose register Rt. The element to extract is identified by Rb. Rb and Rt are scalar registers. This instruction may also be used to broadcast a vector element to all elements of a target vector register.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~ 03_6	0	Rb_6	$Mask_3$ 1	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	02_6

Operation

Rt = Va[Rb]

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: none

VSHUF – Vector Shuffle

Synopsis

Shuffle vector elements.

Description

Vector register elements from Va are transferred into a vector register Rt. The elements to transfer are guided by vector register Rb.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~	02_6	1	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	1	Ra_6	1	Rt_6	02_6

Operation

Rt = Va[Rb]

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: none

VSLLVI – Vector Shift Left Immediate

Synopsis

Shift vector elements to the left.

Description

Vector register elements from Ra are transferred into a vector register Rt. The elements to transfer are shifted in position to a higher position by the amount specified as an immediate constant. Lower elements are set to zero.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~	32_6	1	Imm_6	$Mask_3$	1	Ra_6	1	Rt_6	02_6

Operation

For n = 0 to VL – 1

If mask[n]

    If (n < imm)

        Rt[n] = 0

    else

        Rt[n+imm] = Ra[n]

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: none

VSRLVI – Vector Shift Right Immediate

Synopsis

Shift vector elements to the right.

Description

Vector register elements from Ra are transferred into a vector register Rt. The elements to transfer are shifted in position to a lower position by the amount specified as an immediate constant. Upper elements are set to zero.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
~	Sz_2	~	32_6	1	Imm_6	$Mask_3$	1	Ra_6	1	Rt_6	02_6

Operation

For n = 0 to VL – 1

If mask[n]

    If (n > VL - imm)

        Rt[n] = 0

    else

        Rt[n] = Ra[n + imm]

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: none

XOR - Register-Register

Description:

Bitwise exclusive 'or' two registers and place the result in the target register. All register values are treated as integers.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~ $0Ah_6$	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$02h_6$

Operation:

Rt = Ra ^ Rb

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

XORI - Register-Immediate

Description:

Bitwise exclusive 'Or' a register and an immediate value and place the sum in the target register. All values are treated as signed integers.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
S	$Immediate_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		09_6	

S: 0=16-bit, 1=32 bit

Operation:

Rt = Ra ^ Imm

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Integer ALU's

Exceptions: none

Notes:

Floating-Point Operations

Representation

Floating-point values are represented in 32-bit IEEE-754 format.

31	30 23	22 0
S	EEEEEEEE	MMMMMMM MMMMMMMM MMMMMMMM

S: sign 0 = positive, 1 = negative

E..E: exponent 0=subnormal unless M is also zero, FFh with M zero is infinity

M…M: significand, has 1 leading hidden one bit unless the number is subnormal

Rounding Modes

Two rounding modes are supported, truncate to zero and round ties to nearest even.

FABS – Absolute Value

Description:

This instruction takes the absolute value of a register and places the result in a target register. The values are treated as floating-point values. The sign bit of the number is cleared, no rounding of the number takes place.

Integer Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28	23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~	1_6	Tb	42_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Operation:

If Ra < 0
   Rt = -Ra
else
   Rt = Ra

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Rt[x] = Ra[x] < 0 ? -Ra[x] : Ra[x]

else Rt[x] = Rt[x]

Execution Units: Float

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: none

Notes:

FADD – Add Register-Register

Description:

Add two registers and place the sum in the target register. If the instruction is a vector addition then Ra and Rt are vector registers. Rb may be either a vector or a scalar register. The mask register is ignored for scalar instructions. The S field determines the precision of the operation.

Instruction Format: R2

39 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
Rm_3	S	44_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6	

S: 0=16 bit, 1=32 bit

39 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
Rm_3	S	40_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6	

S: 0=80 bit

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All ALU's

Operation:

Rt = Ra + Rb

Exceptions:

Notes:

FCLASS – Classify Value

Description:

FCLASS classifies the value in register Ra and returns the information as a bit vector in register Rt.

Integer Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2	~		1_6		~	44_6	$Mask_3$	Ta		Ra_6	Tt		Rt_6		2_6

Bit in Rt	Meaning
0	1 = negative infinity
1	1 = negative number
2	1 = negative subnormal number
3	1 = negative zero
4	1 = positive zero
5	1 = positive subnormal number
6	1 = positive number
7	1 = positive infinity
8	1 = signalling nan
9	1 = quiet nan
10 to 30	not used
31	1 = negative, 0 = positive number

FCMP_EQ - Float Compare for Equality

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as floating-point values for equality and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be false.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	Sz_2	~	30_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Sz2: 0=16 bits, 1=32 bits, 2=80 bits

Operation:

```
if Ra == Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] == Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

FCMP_EQI - Float Compare for Equality Immediate

Description:

The compare instruction compares a register to an immediate value as floating-point values for equality and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

The immediate form of the instruction will normally be used with a constant postfix instruction.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be false.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11	6 5	0
~	$Immediate_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	30_6

Operation:

```
if Ra == Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] == Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

FCMP_GE - Float Compare for Greater Than or Equal

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as floating-point values for greater than or equal and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be false.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12 11	6 5	0
m	Sz_2	~ 37_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Sz2: 0=16 bits, 1=32 bits

Operation:

```
if Ra > Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

    if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] > Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

    else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

FCMP_GEI - Float Compare for Greater Than or Equal Immediate

Description:

The compare instruction compares a register to an immediate value as floating-point values for greater than or equal and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

The immediate form of the instruction will normally be used with a constant postfix instruction.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be false.

Instruction Format: RI

39 38		23 22 20	19 18		13 12 11		6 5 0
~	$Immediate_{16}$	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	37_6

Operation:

```
if Ra >= Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

    if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] >= Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

    else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

FCMP_LE - Float Compare for Less Than or Equal

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as floating-point values for less than or equal and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be false.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19 18 13	12 11 6	5 0
m	Sz_2	~	38_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Sz2: 0=16 bits, 1=32 bits

Operation:

```
if Ra <= Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

       if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] <= Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

       else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

FCMP_LEI - Float Compare for Less Than or Equal Immediate

Description:

The compare instruction compares a register to an immediate value as floating-point values for less than or equal and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

The immediate form of the instruction will normally be used with a constant postfix instruction.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be false.

Instruction Format: RI

39 38		23 22 20	19 18	13 12 11	6 5 0
~	$Immediate_{16}$	$Mask_3$ Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	38_6

Operation:

```
if Ra <= Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

      if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] <= Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

      else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

FCMP_LT - Float Compare for Less Than

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as floating-point values for les than and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be false.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
m	Sz_2	~	36_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Sz2: 0=16 bits, 1=32 bits

Operation:

```
if Ra < Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

    if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] < Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

    else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

FCMP_LTI - Float Compare for Less Than Immediate

Description:

The compare instruction compares a register to an immediate value as floating-point values for less than and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

The immediate form of the instruction will normally be used with a constant postfix instruction.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be false.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$Immediate_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		36_6	

Operation:

```
if Ra == Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] == Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]

FCMP_NE - Float Compare for Not Equal

Description:

The register compare instruction compares two registers as floating-point values for inequality and sets the result in the target register. Note that negative and positive zero are considered equal. For scalar instructions the result of 1 or 0 is placed in a scalar register. For vector operations each bit of the register is set according to the result of the compare for the corresponding vector lane. If the target register is a mask register it may be used subsequently to mask vector operations.

The immediate form of the instruction will normally be used with a constant postfix instruction.

If either source operand is a Nan then the result will be true.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11 6	5 0
m	Sz_2	~	31_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Sz2: 0=16 bits, 1=32 bits

Operation:

```
if Ra == Rb
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Instruction Format: RI

39	38 23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11 6	5 0
m	$Immediate_{16}$	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	31_6

Operation:

```
if Ra == Imm
        Rt= 1
else
        Rt= 0
```

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Vector Operation:

```
for x = 0 to VL - 1

        if (Vm[x]) Vmt[x] = Va[x] == Vb[x] ? 1 : 0

        else Vmt[x] = Vmt[x]
```

FFINITE – Number is Finite

Description:

Test the value in Ra to see if it's a finite number and return Z=1 or Z = 0 in register Rt.

Integer Instruction Format: F1

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22	20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2	~		1_6	Tb		32_6	$Mask_3$		Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6			2_6

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: Floating Point

Example:

finite $a1,$f7

FMA – Floating Point Multiply Add

Description:

Multiply two floating point numbers in registers Ra and Rb add a third number from register Rc and place the result into target register Rt. The multiplication and addition are fused with no intermediate rounding.

Instruction Format: F3

39 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
Rm_3	Tc	Rc_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$Opcode_6$

Prec.	Opcode
16	32
32	44
80	40

Operation:

Rt = Ra * Rb + Rc

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: All Floating Point

FMS – Floating Point Multiply Subtract

Description:

Multiply two floating point numbers in registers Ra and Rb subtract a third number from register Rc and place the result into target register Rt. The multiplication and addition are fused with no intermediate rounding.

Instruction Format: F3

39 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
Rm_2	Tc	Rc_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	$Opcode_6$

Prec.	Opcode
16	33
32	45
80	41

Operation:

Rt = Ra * Rb - Rc

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: All Floating Point

FMUL – Floating point multiplication

Description:

Multiply two floating point numbers in registers Ra and Rb and place the result into target register Rt. This is an alternate mnemonic for the FMA instruction where Rc is set to zero.

Instruction Format: F3

39 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13	12	11 6	5 0
Rm_3	0	0_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6		$Opcode_6$

Prec.	Opcode
16	32
32	44
80	40

Operation:

Rt = Ra * Rb + 0

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: All Floating Point

FNABS – Negative Absolute Value

Description:

This instruction takes the negative of the absolute value of a register and places the result in a target register. The values are treated as floating-point values. The sign bit of the number is set, no rounding of the number takes place.

Integer Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$		1_6	Tb		43_6	$Mask_3$	Ta		Ra_6	Tt		Rt_6		2_6

Operation:

If Ra > 0
   Rt = -Ra
else
   Rt = Ra

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Rt[x] = Ra[x] > 0 ? -Ra[x] : Ra[x]

else Rt[x] = Rt[x]

Execution Units: Float

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: none

Notes:

FNEG – Negate Value

Description:

This instruction takes the negative of the value of a register and places the result in a target register. The values are treated as floating-point values. The sign bit of the number is flipped, no rounding of the number takes place.

Integer Instruction Format: R1

39	38 37	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2	~		1_6	Tb		35_6	$Mask_3$	Ta		Ra_6	Tt		Rt_6		2_6

Operation:

Rt = -Ra

Vector Operation

for x = 0 to VL - 1

if (Vm[x]) Rt[x] = -Ra[x]

else Rt[x] = Rt[x]

Execution Units: Float

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: none

Notes:

FNMA – Floating Point Negate Multiply Add

Description:

Multiply two floating point numbers in registers Ra and Rb add a third number from register Rc and place the result into target register Rt. The multiplication and addition are fused with no intermediate rounding. The Ra operand is negated before the operation takes place.

Instruction Format: F3

39	38 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
m	Rm_2	Tc	Rc_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	44_6

Operation:

Rt = - Ra * Rb + Rc

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: All Floating Point

FNMS – Floating Point Negate Multiply Subtract

Description:

Multiply two floating point numbers in registers Ra and Rb subtract a third number from register Rc and place the result into target register Rt. The multiplication and addition are fused with no intermediate rounding. The Ra operand is negated before the operation takes place.

Instruction Format: F3

39	38 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
m	Rm_2	Tc	Rc_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	45_6

Operation:

Rt = - Ra * Rb - Rc

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: All Floating Point

FRES – Reciprocal Estimate

Description:

This function uses a 1024 entry 16-bit precision lookup table to create a piece-wise approximation of the reciprocal and linear interpolation to approximate the reciprocal of the value in Ra. The value is returned in Rt as a 32-bit floating-point value. The value returned is accurate to about eight bits.

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11 6	5 0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$	1_6	Tb	37_6	$Mask_3$ Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: Floating Point

FRSQRTE – Float Reciprocal Square Root Estimate

Description:

Estimate the reciprocal of the square root of the number in register Ra and place the result into target register Rt.

Instruction Format: R1

39	38 37	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$	1_6		Tb	36_6		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: Floating Point

Notes:

The estimate is only accurate to about 3%.

Taking the reciprocal square root of a negative number, results in a Nan output.

FSIGMOID – Sigmoid Approximate

Description:

This function uses a 1024 entry 32-bit precision lookup table with linear interpolation to approximate the logistic sigmoid function in the range -8.0 to +8.0. Outside of this range 0.0 or +1.0 is returned. The sigmoid output is between 0.0 and +1.0. The value of the sigmoid for register Ra is returned in register Rt as a floating-point value.

Instruction Format: R1

39	38 37	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$	1_6		Tb	38_6		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: Floating Point

FSIGN – Sign of Number

Description:

This instruction provides the sign of a floating-point number contained in a general-purpose register as a floating-point result. The result is +1.0 if the number is positive, 0.0 if the number is zero, and -1.0 if the number is negative.

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2	~	1_6		~		46_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 1

Execution Units: All Floating Point

Operation:

Rt = sign of (Ra)

FTOI – Float to Integer

Description:

This instruction converts a floating-point value to an integer value. Many floating-point values will not fit into an integer. If overflow occurs the integer will be set to the maximum integer value. If a fraction less than one is converted, the result is rounded and will be either one or zero.

Instruction Format: R1

39	38	37	36	25	30	29	28	23	22	20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2		~		1_6		~	41_6		$Mask_3$	Ta		Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: All Floating Point

FTRUNC – Truncate Value

Description:

The FTRUNC instruction truncates off the fractional portion of the number leaving only a whole value. For instance, ftrunc(1.5) equals 1.0. Ftrunc does not change the representation of the number. To convert a value to an integer in a fixed-point representation see the FTOI instruction.

Instruction Format: R1

39	38	37	36	25	30	29	28	23	22	20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	Sz_2		~		1_6		~	47_6		$Mask_3$	Ta		Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: Floating Point

ITOF – Integer to Float

Description:

     This instruction converts an integer value to a floating-point representation.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	~$_2$	~	40_6	~	~$_6$	Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rt$_6$	2_6

Clock Cycles: 1 **Latency:** 8

Execution Units: All Floating Point

Memory Operations

CACHE – Cache Command

Description:

This instruction commands the cache controller to perform an operation. Commands are summarized in the command table below. Commands may be issued to both the instruction and data cache at the same time. The address of the cache line to be invalidated is passed in Ra if needed.

Instruction Format:

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11 9	8 6	5	0
m	Displacement$_{16}$		Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$		0	DC$_3$	IC$_3$	63$_6$	

Commands:

IC$_3$	Mne.	Operation
0	NOP	no operation
1	invline	invalidate line associated with given address
2	invall	invalidate the entire cache (address is ignored)
3 to 7		reserved

DC$_3$	Mne.	Operation
0	NOP	no operation
1	enable	enable cache (instruction cache is always enabled)
2	disable	not valid for the instruction cache
3	invline	invalidate line associated with given address
4	invall	invalidate the entire cache (address is ignored)
5 to 7		reserved

Clock Cycles: 20

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Exceptions: DBG

CACHEX – Cache Command

Description:

This instruction commands the cache controller to perform an operation. Commands are summarized in the command table below. Commands may be issued to both the instruction and data cache at the same time.

Instruction Format:

39	38 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 9	8 6	5 0
m	$\sim_2$	$\sim$	63_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	DC_3	IC_3	2_6

Commands:

IC_3	Mne.	Operation
0	NOP	no operation
1	invline	invalidate line associated with given address
2	invall	invalidate the entire cache (address is ignored)
3 to 7		reserved

DC_3	Mne.	Operation
0	NOP	no operation
1	enable	enable cache (instruction cache is always enabled)
2	disable	not valid for the instruction cache
3	invline	invalidate line associated with given address
4	invall	invalidate the entire cache (address is ignored)
5 to 7		reserved

Clock Cycles: 20

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Exceptions: DBG

LDB – Load Byte

Description:

An eight-bit value is loaded from memory and sign extended, then placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended offset and register Ra. For vector instructions Ra is a scalar register.

This instruction may load data from the cache and cause a cache load operation if the data isn't in the cache provided the current memory page is cacheable.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$Displacement_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		48_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Rt = sign extend (memory$_8$[Ra+displacement])

Exceptions: DBE, TLB, RDV

LDBU – Load Byte Unsigned

Description:

> An eight-bit value is loaded from memory and zero extended, then placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended offset and register Ra.

> This instruction may load data from the cache and cause a cache load operation if the data isn't in the cache provided the current memory page is cacheable.

Instruction Format:

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$Displacement_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		49_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

> Rt = zero extend ($memory_8[Ra+displacement]$)

Exceptions: DBE, TLB, RDV

LDBUX – Load Byte Unsigned Indexed

Description:

> An eight-bit value is loaded from memory zero extended and placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of register Ra and register Rb.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$\sim_2$	~	49_6		Tb	Rb_6		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

> Rt = zero extend ($memory_8[Ra+Rb]$)

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB, RDV

LDBX – Load Byte Indexed

Description:

An eight-bit value is loaded from memory sign extended and placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of the values in register Ra and register Rb.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	$\sim_2$	~	48_6	Tb	Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	2_6

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Rt = sign extend (memory$_8$[Ra+Rb])

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB, RDV

LDT – Load Tetra

Description:

A thirty-two-bit value is loaded from memory and sign extended, then placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended offset and register Ra.

This instruction may load data from the cache and cause a cache load operation if the data isn't in the cache provided the current memory page is cacheable.

Loading a vector register loads all 512-bits. A vector mask register may be used to determine which elements of the vector are updated.

Instruction Format:

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$Displacement_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		52_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Rt = sign extend ($memory_{32}[Ra+displacement]$)

Exceptions: DBE, TLB, RDV

LDW – Load Wyde

Description:

A sixteen-bit value is loaded from memory and sign extended, then placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended offset and register Ra.

This instruction may load data from the cache and cause a cache load operation if the data isn't in the cache provided the current memory page is cacheable.

Instruction Format:

39	38	23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11	6 5	0
~	$Displacement_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	50_6

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Rt = sign extend ($memory_{16}[Ra+displacement]$)

Exceptions: DBE, TLB, RDV

LDWU – Load Wyde Unsigned

Description:

A sixteen-bit value is loaded from memory and zero extended, then placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended offset and register Ra.

This instruction may load data from the cache and cause a cache load operation if the data isn't in the cache provided the current memory page is cacheable.

Instruction Format:

39	38	23	22 20	19 18	13 12	11	6 5	0
~	$Displacement_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rt_6	51_6

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Rt = zero extend ($memory_{16}[Ra+displacement]$)

Exceptions: DBE, TLB, RDV

LDWUX – Load Wyde Unsigned Indexed

Description:

A sixteen-bit value is loaded from memory zero extended and placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of the values in register Ra and register Rb.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	~$_2$	~		51_6	Tb		Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta		Ra_6	Tt		Rt_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Rt = zero extend (memory$_{16}$[Ra+Rb])

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB, RDV

LDWX – Load Wyde Indexed

Description:

A sixteen-bit value is loaded from memory sign extended and placed in the target register. The memory address is the sum of the values in register Ra and register Rb.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	~$_2$	~		50_6	Tb		Rb_6	$Mask_3$	Ta		Ra_6	Tt		Rt_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Rt = sign extend (memory$_{16}$[Ra+Rb])

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB, RDV

STB – Store Byte

Description:

An eight-bit value is stored to memory from the source register Rs. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended displacement and register Ra.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
~	Displacement$_{16}$		Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rs$_6$	56$_6$	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

memory$_8$[Ra + displacement] = Rs$_{[7..0]}$

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB

STBX – Store Byte, Indexed

Description:

An eight-bit value is stored to memory from the source register Rs. The memory address is the sum of the values in register Ra and register Rb.

Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36	25 30	29 28	23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
~	~$_2$	~	56$_6$	Tb	Rb$_6$	Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rs$_6$	2$_6$

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

memory$_8$[Ra + displacement] = Rs$_{[7..0]}$

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB

STC – Store Compressed Vector

Description:

Thirty-two-bit vector elements are stored to memory from the source register Rs. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended displacement and register Ra. Only the vector elements identified by the mask register are stored to consecutive addresses.

Instruction Format: RI

39 38		23 22 20	19 18	13 12 11	6 5 0
~	Displacement$_{16}$	Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rs$_6$	59$_6$

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

Memory$_{32}$[Ra + displacement] = Rs$_{[31..0]}$

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB

STCR – Store Tetra, Clear Reservation

Description:

A thirty-two-bit value is stored to memory from the source register Rs. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended displacement and register Ra. Any reservation on the address is cleared. The address resolution for a reserved addresses is a cache-line or 64 bytes.

Instruction Format: RI

39 38		23 22 20	19 18	13 12	11	6 5	0
~	$Displacement_{16}$	$Mask_3$ Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rs_6	58_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

$Memory_{32}[Ra + displacement] = Rs_{[31..0]}$

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB

STT – Store Tetra

Description:

A thirty-two-bit value is stored to memory from the source register Rs. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended displacement and register Ra.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$Displacement_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rs_6		58_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

$Memory_{32}[Ra + displacement] = Rs_{[31..0]}$

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB

STTX – Store Tetra, Indexed

Description:

A thirty-two-bit value is stored to memory from the source register Rs. The memory address is the sum of the values in register Ra and register Rb.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$\sim_2$	~	58_6		Tb	Rb_6		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rs_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

$Memory_{32}[Ra + displacement] = Rs_{[31..0]}$

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB

STW – Store Wyde

Description:

A sixteen-bit value is stored to memory from the source register Rs. The memory address is the sum of the sign extended displacement and register Ra.

Instruction Format: RI

39	38	23	22 20	19 18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$Displacement_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rs_6		58_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

$Memory_{16}[Ra + displacement] = Rs_{[15..0]}$

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB

STWX – Store Wyde, Indexed

Description:

A sixteen-bit value is stored to memory from the source register Rs. The memory address is the sum of the values in register Ra and register Rb.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25	30 29	28	23	22 20	19 18	13	12	11	6	5	0
~	$\sim_2$	~	57_6	Tb	Rb_6		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	Tt	Rs_6		2_6	

Clock Cycles: 20 (one memory access)

Execution Units: All ALU's / Memory

Operation:

$Memory_{16}[Ra + displacement] = Rs_{[[15..0]}$

Exceptions: DBE, DBG, TLB

Branches

Conditions

Conditional branches branch to the target address only if the condition is true. The condition is determined by the comparison of two general-purpose registers. Two sets of conditional branches are supported. One set for integers and a second set for floating-point values.

Conditional Branch Format

39	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
Displacement$_{17}$		Cnd$_3$	0	Ra$_6$		0	Rb$_6$		Opcode$_6$	

Branch Conditions

The branch opcode determines the condition under which the branch will execute.

		▼							▼	
39	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
Displacement$_{17}$		Cnd$_3$	0	Ra$_6$		0	Rb$_6$		Opcode$_6$	

Cnd$_3$	Integer Comparison Test	Float
0	signed less than	less than
1	signed greater or equal	greater than or equal
2	unsigned less than	less than or equal
3	unsigned greater than or equal	greater than
4	reserved	reserved
5	reserved	reserved
6	equal	equal
7	not equal	not equal

BBS – Branch if Bit Set

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if bit Rb of the value in Ra equals one, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as signed integers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
	$Displacement_{16}$	5_3	0		Ra_6		0	Imm_6		28_6

Operation:

If (Ra[Imm])
    IP = IP + Displacement

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

BEQ – Branch if Equal

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra equals the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as signed integers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
	$Displacement_{16}$		6_3	0	Ra_6		0	Rb_6		28_6	

Operation:

If (Ra==Rb)
        IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

BGE – Branch if Greater than or Equal

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra is greater than or equal to the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as signed integers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
	$Displacement_{16}$		1_3	0	Ra_6		0	Rb_6		28_6	

Operation:

If (Ra >= Rb)
        IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

BGEU – Branch if Greater than or Equal Unsigned

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra is greater than or equal to the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as unsigned integers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38	23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
Displacement$_{16}$		3_3	0	Ra$_6$	0	Rb$_6$	28$_6$

Operation:

If (Ra >= Rb)
      IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

BLT – Branch if Less Than

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra is less than the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as signed integers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38	23 22 20	19 18	13 12 11	6 5 0
Displacement$_{16}$	0_3	0	Ra$_6$	0	Rb$_6$	28$_6$

Operation:

If (Ra < Rb)
        IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

BLTU – Branch if Less Than Unsigned

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra is less than the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as unsigned integers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38	23 22 20	19 18	13 12 11	6 5 0
Displacement$_{16}$	2_3	0	Ra$_6$	0	Rb$_6$	28$_6$

Operation:

If (Ra < Rb)
        IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

BNE – Branch if Not Equal

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra does not equal the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as signed integers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
	$Displacement_{16}$		7_3	0	Ra_6		0	Rb_6		28_6

Operation:

If (Ra<>Rb)
$$IP = IP + Constant$$

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

BRA – Branch Unconditionally

Description:

This instruction always branches to the target address. The target address range is ± 2GB.

Formats Supported: JMP

39	8	7 6	5	0
$Target_{32}$		0	25_6	

Operation:

$$IP = IP + Constant$$

BSR – Branch to Subroutine

Description:

This instruction always jumps to the target address. The address of the next instruction is stored in a link register. The target address range is ±2GB.

Formats Supported: JMP

39	8	7 6	5	0
$Target_{32}$		Rt_2	25_6	

Operation:

Rt = next IP
IP = IP + Constant

CALL – Call Subroutine

Description:

This instruction always jumps to the target address. The address of the next instruction is stored in a link register. The target address range is 4GB.

Formats Supported: JMP

39	8	7 6	5	0
$Target_{32}$		Rt_2	24_6	

Operation:

Rt = next IP
IP = Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

FBEQ – Float Branch if Equal

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra equals the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as single precision floating-point numbers. Positive and negative zero are treated as equals. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
	Displacement_{16}		6_3	0	Ra_6		0	Rb_6		29_6	

Operation:

If (Ra==Rb)
    IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

For a floating-point comparison positive and negative zero are considered equal.

FBGE – Float Branch if Greater Than or Equal

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra is greater than or equal to the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as single precision floating-point numbers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
	Displacement_{16}		1_3	0	Ra_6		0	Rb_6		29_6	

Operation:

If (Ra >= Rb)
    IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

FBGT – Float Branch if Greater Than

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra is greater than the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as single precision floating-point numbers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38	Displacement$_{16}$	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
	Displacement$_{16}$		3_3	0	Ra$_6$		0	Rb$_6$		29$_6$	

Operation:

If (Ra < Rb)
        IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

FBLE – Float Branch if Less Than or Equal

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra is less than or equal to the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as single precision floating-point numbers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38	Displacement$_{16}$	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
	Displacement$_{16}$		2_3	0	Ra$_6$		0	Rb$_6$		29$_6$	

Operation:

If (Ra <= Rb)
        IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

FBLT – Float Branch if Less Than

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra is less than the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as single precision floating-point numbers. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38		23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
	$Displacement_{16}$		0_3	0	Ra_6	0	Rb_6	29_6

Operation:

If (Ra < Rb)
        IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

FBNE – Float Branch if Not Equal

Description:

This instruction branches to the target address if the contents of the Ra does not equal the contents of Rb, otherwise program execution continues with the next instruction. The values are treated as single precision floating-point numbers. Positive and negative zero are treated as equals. If either value is a Nan this instruction will branch. For a further description see Branch Instructions.

Formats Supported: Bcc

39 38		23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6 5	0
	$Displacement_{16}$		7_3	0	Ra_6	0	Rb_6	29_6

Operation:

If (Ra!=Rb)
        IP = IP + Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

For a floating-point comparison positive and negative zero are considered equal.

JMP – Jump to Address

Description:

This instruction always jumps to the target address. The target address range is 4GB.

Formats Supported: JMP

39	8	7 6	5	0
$Target_{32}$		0	24_6	

Operation:

IP = Constant

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

JMPR – Jump Register Indirect

Description:

This instruction always jumps to the target address. The target address is the sum of the contents of register Ra and an immediate constant. The address of the next instruction is stored in Rt.

Format: RET

39	38	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
1	$Immediate_{16}$		$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6		Tt	Rt_6		26_6	

Operation:

Rt = next IP
IP = Ra + Immediate

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

RET – Return from Subroutine

Description:

This instruction always jumps to the target address. A return is achieved by specifying one of the return address registers for Ra. RET mnemonic assumes Rt is zero and Ra is 41. It is possible to deallocate arguments from the stack by adding to the stack pointer.

Format: RET

39	38 23	22 20	19 18	13	12	11 6	5 0
0	Immediate$_{16}$	Mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rt$_6$	26$_6$

Operation:

Rt = Rt + Constant
IP = Ra

Execution Units: Branch

Exceptions: none

Notes:

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CSRx – Control and Special / Status Access

Description:

The CSR instruction group provides access to control and special or status registers in the core. For the read operation the current value of the CSR is placed in the target register Rt.

Instruction Format: CSR

39	38 37	36	23	22 20	19 18	13	12 11	6	5	0
~	O_2	Immediate$_{14}$		mask$_3$	Ta	Ra$_6$	Tt	Rt$_6$		7$_6$

O_3		Operation
0	CSRRD	Only read the CSR, no update takes place, Ra should be x0.
1	CSRRW	Read/Write to CSR
2	CSRRS	Read/Set CSR bits
3	CSRRC	Read/Clear CSR bits

CSRRS and CSRRC operations are only valid on registers that support the capability.

The Regno$_{[13..12]}$ field is reserved to specify the operating mode. Note that registers cannot be accessed by a lower operating mode.

Clock Cycles: 1

Exceptions: privilege violation attempting to access registers outside of those allowed for the operating mode.

PEEKQ – Peek at Queue / Stack

Description:

This instruction returns the top value into Rt from the hardware queue specified in Imm. The hardware queue position is <u>not</u> advanced. Unused value bits should read as zero. Used the STATQ instruction to get the queue status.

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	1817	16	13	12 11	6	5	0
~	~$_2$	~	1$_6$		Tb	8$_6$		Mask$_3$	Ta	3$_2$	Imm$_4$		Tt	Rt$_6$		2$_6$

Exceptions: none

POPQ – Pop from Queue / Stack

Description:

This instruction pops a value into Rt from the hardware queue specified in Imm. The hardware queue position <u>is</u> advanced. Unused value bits should read as zero. To check the queue status, use the STATQ instruction.

31	0
Value	
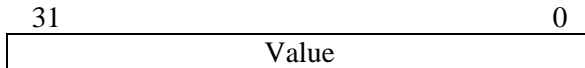
Value: the value that was pushed to the queue

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19	1817	16 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	~$_2$	~	1$_6$	Tb	9$_6$	Mask$_3$	Ta	3$_2$	Imm$_4$	Tt	Rt$_6$	2$_6$

Exceptions: none

Notes:

Queue #15 is the instruction trace que

RESETQ – Reset Queue / Stack

Description:

This instruction resets the hardware queue specified by Ra.

Instruction Format: R1

39	3837	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19	1817	16 13	12	11 6	5 0
~	~$_2$	~	1$_6$	Tb	12$_6$	Mask$_3$	Ta	3$_2$	Imm$_4$	Tt	Rt$_6$	2$_6$

Exceptions: none

REX – Redirect Exception

Description:

This instruction redirects an exception from an operating mode to a lower operating mode. If the 'v' bit of the instruction is clear then this instruction continues execution with the next instruction otherwise, this instruction if successful jumps to the target exception handler and does not return. If this instruction fails execution will continue with the next instruction.

This instruction may fail if exceptions are not enabled at the target level.

The location of the target exception handler is found in the trap vector register for that operating mode (tvec[xx]).

The cause (cause) and bad address (badaddr) registers of the originating mode are copied to the corresponding registers in the target mode.

The privilege level is set to the value in Ra.

Integer Instruction Format: REX

39	38 37	36	25 30	29	28 23	22 20	19	18 13	12	11 8	7 6	5 0
m	$\sim_2$	v	1_6	Tb	26_6	$Mask_3$	Ta	Ra_6	0	Irq_4	Tm_2	2_6

Tm_2	
0	redirect to user mode
1	redirect to supervisor mode
2	redirect to hypervisor mode
3	reserved

Irq_4	
0xxx	Do not set IRQ mask
1nnn	Set Irq mask to nnn

Clock Cycles: 4

Execution Units: Branch

Example:

```
LDI a0,0xEC

REX 1,0,a0,1          ; redirect to supervisor handler

; If the redirection failed, exceptions were likely disabled at the target level.
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; Continue processing so the target level may complete its operation.

RTI                ; redirection failed (exceptions disabled ?)
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Notes:

Since all exceptions are initially handled in machine mode the machine handler must check for disabled lower mode exceptions.

RTI – Return from Interrupt or Exception

Description:

Restore the previous interrupt enable setting, operating mode, and privilege level and transfer program execution back to the address in the exception address register, vector register #63.

This is a special form of the VSRLVI instruction.

Instruction Format: R1

39	38	37	36	25	30	29	28	23	22	20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
m	$\sim_2$		$\sim$	33_6		Tb	1_6		$Mask_3$		1	63_6		1	63_6		2_6	

Flags Affected: none

Operation:

PMSTACK = PMSTACK >> 8
PLSTACK = PLSTACK >> 8
IP = v63[0]

Execution Units: Branch

Clock Cycles:

Exceptions: none

Notes:

TLBRD – Read TLB

Description:

This instruction reads the TLB. Which translation entry to read comes from the value in Ra. The read value is transferred to vector register Rt. A description of the PTE and PMTE formats is in the section of the text describing the TLB.

The entry number for Ra comes from virtual address bits 14 to 23. The low order bits of the Ra value determine which way to update in the TLB if the algorithm is a fixed or LRU way algorithm. Otherwise, a way to update will be selected randomly. When the LRU algorithm is active the most recently used entry is placed in way #0. It may be desirable to bump out entry #3 and replace it with the new entry for LRU operation.

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Instruction Format: R2

39	38 37	36 25	30 29	28 23	22 20	19 18 13	12	11 6	5 0
m	0_2	~ 7_6	0	$\sim_6$	$Mask_3$	0 Ra_6	1	Rt_6	2_6

Op_2: 00=read TLB,01=write TLB

Ra Value:

31 16	15	14 5	43 2	0
//////////////////////////	0	Entry Num$_{10}$	$\sim_2$	way$_3$

Rt Value: - unused fields should be zero

Element	31 0
0	$PTE_{31..0}$
1	$PTE_{63..32}$
2	$PTE_{95..64}$
3	$PTE_{127..96}$
4	$PMTE_{31..0}$
5	$PMTE_{63..32}$
6	$PMTE_{95..64}$
7	$PMTE_{127..96}$
8	PTE Address$_{31..0}$
9	PTE Address$_{63..32}$
10	PMTE Address$_{31..0}$
11	PMTE Address$_{63..32}$
12	//
13	//
14	//
15	//

Exceptions: none

TLBRW – Read / Write TLB

Description:

This instruction both reads and writes the TLB. Vector registers are used to transfer data to or from the TLB. Which translation entry to update comes from the value in Ra. The update value comes from the value in Rb. Rb contains the PTE and PMTE and addresses of the entries. The current value of the entry selected by Ra is copied to Rt. A description of the PTE and PMTE formats is in the section of the text describing the TLB.

The entry number for Ra comes from virtual address bits 14 to 23. The low order bits of the Ra value determine which way to update in the TLB if the algorithm is a fixed or LRU way algorithm. Otherwise, a way to update will be selected randomly. When the LRU algorithm is active the most recently used entry is placed in way #0. It may be desirable to bump out entry #3 and replace it with the new entry for LRU operation.

Page numbers are in terms of a 16kB page size.

Instruction Format: R2

39	3837	36	25	30	29	28	23	22 20	19	18	13	12	11	6	5	0
m	1_2	~	7_6		0	Rb_6		$Mask_3$	0	Ra_6		1	Rt_6		2_6	

Op_2: 00=read TLB,01=write TLB

Ra Value:

31	16	15	14	5	43	2	0
▨▨▨		0	Entry Num$_{10}$		$\sim_2$	way$_3$	

Rb Value: - unused fields should be zero

Element	31	0
0	PTE$_{31..0}$	
1	PTE$_{63..32}$	
2	PTE$_{95..64}$	
3	PTE$_{127..96}$	
4	PMT$_{31..0}$	
5	PMT$_{63..32}$	
6	PMT$_{95..64}$	
7	PMT$_{127..96}$	
8	PTE Address$_{31..0}$	
9	PTE Address$_{63..32}$	
10	PMT Address$_{31..0}$	
11	PMT Address$_{63..32}$	
12	▨▨▨	
13	▨▨▨	
14	▨▨▨	
15	▨▨▨	

Exceptions: none