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# Preface

Warning! This draft specification will change before being accepted as standard, so implementations made to this draft specification will likely not conform to the future standard.

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## Chapter 1

# Introduction

When a design progresses from simulation to hardware implementation, a user's control and understanding of the system's current state drops dramatically. To help bring up and debug low level software and hardware, it is critical to have good debugging support built into the hardware. When a robust OS is running on a core, software can handle many debugging tasks. However, in many scenarios, hardware support is essential.

This document outlines a standard architecture for external debug support on RISC-V platforms. This architecture allows a variety of implementations and tradeoffs, which is complementary to the wide range of RISC-V implementations. At the same time, this specification defines common interfaces to allow debugging tools and components to target a variety of platforms based on the RISC-V ISA.

System designers may choose to add additional hardware debug support, but this specification defines a standard interface for common functionality.

## 1.1 Terminology

A platform is a single integrated circuit consisting of one or more components. Some components may be RISC-V cores, while others may have a different function. Typically they will all be connected to a single system bus. A single RISC-V core contains one or more hardware threads, called harts.

DXLEN of a hart is its widest supported XLEN, ignoring the current value of mxl in misa.

#### 1.1.1 Context

This document is written to work with:

- 1. The RISC-V Instruction Set Manual, Volume I: User-Level ISA, Document Version 2.2
- 2. The RISC-V Instruction Set Manual, Volume II: Privileged Architecture, Version 1.10

#### 1.2 About This Document

#### 1.2.1 Structure

This document contains two parts. The main part of the document is the specification, which is given in the numbered sections. The second part of the document is a set of appendices. The information in the appendix is intended to clarify and provide examples, but is not part of the actual specification.

#### 1.2.2 Register Definition Format

All register definitions in this document follow the format shown below. A simple graphic shows which fields are in the register. The upper and lower bit indices are shown to the top left and top right of each field. The total number of bits in the field are shown below it.

After the graphic follows a table which for each field lists its name, description, allowed accesses, and reset value. The allowed accesses are listed in Table 1.2. The reset value is either a constant or "Preset." The latter means it is an implementation-specific legal value.

Names of registers and their fields are hyperlinks to their definition, and are indexed on page 80.

#### 1.2.2.1 Long Name (shortname, at 0x123)

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Field	Description	Access	Reset
field	Description of what this field is used for.	R/W	15

## 1.3 Background

There are several use cases for dedicated debugging hardware, both internal to a CPU core and with an external connection. This specification addresses the use cases listed below. Implementations can choose not to implement every feature, which means some use cases might not be supported.

- Debugging low-level software in the absence of an OS or other software.
- Debugging issues in the OS itself.

R	Read-only.			
R/W	Read/Write.			
R/W0	Read/Write. Only writing 0 has an effect.			
R/W1 Read/Write. Only writing 1 has an effect.				
R/W1C	Read/Write. For each bit in the field, writing 1 clears			
	that bit. Writing 0 has no effect.			
W	Write-only. When read this field returns 0.			
W1	Write-only. Only writing 1 has an effect.			
WARL	Write any, read legal. A debugger may write any			
	value. If a value is unsupported, the implementation			
	converts the value to one that is supported.			

Table 1.2: Register Access Abbreviations

- Bootstrapping a system to test, configure, and program components before there is any executable code path in the system.
- Accessing hardware on a system without a working CPU.

In addition, even without a hardware debugging interface, architectural support in a RISC-V CPU can aid software debugging and performance analysis by allowing hardware triggers and breakpoints. This specification aims to define common resources which can be used for different cases.

When debugging software, this specification distinguishes between two forms of external debugging. The first is *halt mode* debugging, where an external debugger halts some or all components of a platform and inspects their state while they are in stasis. The debugger can read and/or modify state, then direct the hardware to execute a single instruction, or continue to run freely.

The second is run mode debugging. In this mode a software debug agent runs on a component (e.g. triggered by a timer interrupt or breakpoint on a RISC-V core) which transfers data to or from the debugger without halting the component, only briefly interrupting its program flow. This functionality is essential if the component is controlling some real-time system (like a hard drive) where long timing delays could lead to physical damage. This requires additional software support (both on the system as well as on the debugger), and efficient communication channels between the component and the debugger.

## 1.4 Supported Features

The debug interface described in this specification supports the following features:

- 1. All hart registers (including CSRs) can be read/written.
- 2. Memory can be accessed either from the hart's point of view, through the system bus directly, or both.
- 3. RV32, RV64, and future RV128 are all supported.

- 4. Any hart in the platform can be independently debugged.
- 5. A debugger can discover almost <sup>1</sup> everything it needs to know itself, without user configuration.
- 6. Each hart can be debugged from the very first instruction executed.
- 7. A RISC-V hart can be halted when a software breakpoint instruction is executed.
- 8. Hardware single-step can execute one instruction at a time.
- 9. Debug functionality is independent of the debug transport used.
- 10. The debugger does not need to know anything about the microarchitecture of the harts it is debugging.
- 11. Arbitrary subsets of harts can be halted and resumed simultaneously. (Optional)
- 12. Arbitrary instructions can be executed on a halted hart. That means no new debug functionality is needed when a core has additional or custom instructions or state, as long as there exist programs that can move that state into GPRs. (Optional)
- 13. Registers can be accessed without halting. (Optional)
- 14. A running hart can be directed to execute a short sequence of instructions, with little overhead. (Optional)
- 15. A system bus master allows memory access without involving any hart. (Optional)
- 16. A RISC-V hart can be halted when a trigger matches the PC, read/write address/data, or an instruction opcode. (Optional)

This document does not suggest a strategy or implementation for hardware test, debugging or error detection techniqes. Scan, BIST, etc. are out of scope of this specification, but this specification does not intend to limit their use in RISC-V systems.

It is possible to debug code that uses software threads, but there is no special debug support for it.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Notable exceptions include information about the memory map and peripherals.

## Chapter 2

# System Overview

Figure 2.1 shows the main components of External Debug Support. Blocks shown in dotted lines are optional.

The user interacts with the Debug Host (e.g. laptop), which is running a debugger (e.g. gdb). The debugger communicates with a Debug Translator (e.g. OpenOCD, which may include a hardware driver) to communicate with Debug Transport Hardware (e.g. Olimex USB-JTAG adapter). The Debug Transport Hardware connects the Debug Host to the Platform's Debug Transport Module (DTM). The DTM provides access to one or more Debug Modules (DMs) using the Debug Module Interface (DMI).

Each hart in the platform is controlled by exactly one DM. Harts may be heterogeneous. There is no further limit on the hart-DM mapping, but usually all harts in a single core are controlled by the same DM. In most platforms there will only be one DM that controls all the harts in the platform.

DMs provide run control to their harts in the platform. Abstract commands provide access to GPRs. Additional registers are accessible through abstract commands or by writing programs to the optional Program Buffer.

The Program Buffer allows the debugger to execute arbitrary instructions on a hart. This mechanism can be used to access memory. An optional system bus access block allows memory accesses without using a RISC-V hart to perform the access.

Each RISC-V hart may implement a Trigger Module. When trigger conditions are met, harts will halt and inform the debug module that they have halted.

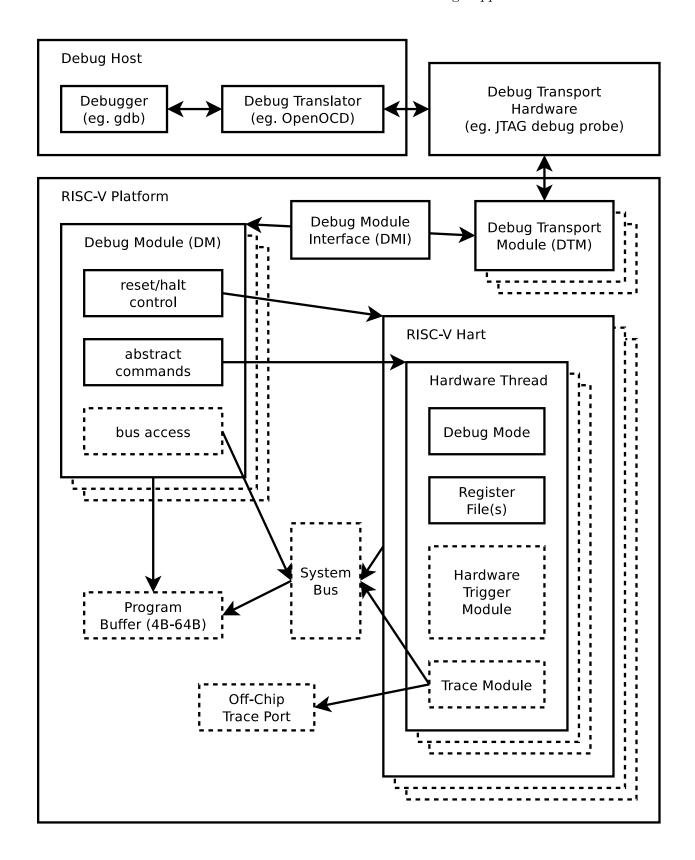


Figure 2.1: RISC-V Debug System Overview

# Chapter 3

# Debug Module (DM)

The Debug Module implements a translation interface between abstract debug operations and their specific implementation. It might support the following operations:

- 1. Give the debugger necessary information about the implementation. (Required)
- 2. Allow any individual hart to be halted and resumed. (Required)
- 3. Provide status on which harts are halted. (Required)
- 4. Provide abstract read and write access to a halted hart's GPRs. (Required)
- 5. Provide access to a reset signal that allows debugging from the very first instruction after reset. (Required)
- 6. Provide a mechanism to allow debugging harts immediately out of reset (regardless of the reset cause). (Optional)
- 7. Provide abstract access to other hart registers. (Optional)
- 8. Provide a Program Buffer to force the hart to execute arbitrary instructions. (Optional)
- 9. Allow multiple harts to be halted, resumed, and/or reset at the same time. (Optional)
- 10. Allow memory access from a hart's point of view. (Optional)
- 11. Allow direct System Bus Access. (Optional)

In order to implement memory access, a target must implement at least one of Program Buffer, System Bus Access, or Abstract Access Memory command mechanisms.

Targets that wish to implement access to all registers must implement either the Program Buffer or abstract access to all registers.

A single DM can debug up to  $2^{20}$  harts.

## 3.1 Debug Module Interface (DMI)

Debug Modules are slaves to a bus called the Debug Module Interface (DMI). The master of the bus is the Debug Transport Module(s). The Debug Module Interface can be a trivial bus with one master and one slave, or use a more full-featured bus like TileLink or the AMBA Advanced Peripheral Bus. The details are left to the system designer.

The DMI uses between 7 and 32 address bits. It supports read and write operations. The bottom of the address space is used for the first (and usually only) DM. Extra space can be used for custom debug devices, other cores, additional DMs, etc. If there are additional DMs on this DMI, the base address of the next DM in the DMI address space is given in nextdm.

The Debug Module is controlled via register accesses to its DMI address space.

#### 3.2 Reset Control

The Debug Module controls a global reset signal, ndmreset (non-debug module reset), which can reset, or hold in reset, every component in the platform, except for the Debug Module and Debug Transport Modules. Exactly what is affected by this reset is implementation dependent, as long as it is possible to debug programs from the first instruction executed. The Debug Module's own state and registers should only be reset at power-up and while dmactive in dmcontrol is 0. The halt state of harts should be maintained across system reset provided that dmactive is 1, although trigger CSRs may be cleared.

Due to clock and power domain crossing issues, it may not be possible to perform arbitrary DMI accesses across system reset. While ndmreset or any external reset is asserted, the only supported DM operation is accessing dmcontrol. The behavior of other accesses is undefined.

There is no requirement on the duration of the assertion of ndmreset. The implementation must ensure that a write of ndmreset to 1 followed by a write of ndmreset to 0 triggers system reset. The system may take an arbitrarily long time to come out of reset, as reported by allunavail, anyunavail.

Individual harts (or several at once) can be reset by selecting them, setting and then clearing hartreset. In this case an implementation may reset more harts than just the ones that are selected. Note that when unselected harts are reset as the result of a reset request, there will be no indication in anyhavereset or allhavereset until one of those harts becomes selected.

When harts have been reset, they must set a sticky havereset state bit. The conceptual havereset state bits can be read for selected harts in anyhavereset and allhavereset in dmstatus. These bits must be set regardless of the cause of the reset. The havereset bits for the selected harts can be cleared by writing 1 to ackhavereset in dmcontrol. The havereset bits may or may not be cleared when dmactive is low.

## 3.3 Selecting Harts

Up to  $2^{20}$  harts can be connected to a single DM. The debugger selects a hart, and then subsequent halt, resume, reset, and debugging commands are specific to that hart.

To enumerate all the harts, a debugger must first determine HARTSELLEN by writing all ones to hartsel (assuming the maximum size) and reading back the value to see which bits were actually set. Then it selects each hart starting from 0 until either anynonexistent in dmstatus is 1, or the highest index (depending on HARTSELLEN) is reached.

The debugger can discover the mapping between hart indices and mhartid by using the interface to read mhartid, or by reading the system's Device Tree.

#### 3.3.1 Selecting a Single Hart

All debug modules must support selecting a single hart. The debugger can select a hart by writing its index to hartsel. Hart indexes start at 0 and are contiguous until the final index.

#### 3.3.2 Selecting Multiple Harts

Debug Modules may implement a Hart Array Mask register to allow selecting multiple harts at once. The Nth bit in the Hart Array Mask register applies to the hart with index N. If the bit is 1 then the hart is selected. Usually a DM will have a Hart Array Mask register exactly wide enough to select all the harts it supports, but it's allowed to tie any of these bits to 0.

The debugger can set bits in the hart array mask register using hawindowsel and hawindow, then apply actions to all selected harts by setting hasel. If this feature is supported, multiple harts can be halted, resumed, and reset simultaneously. The state of the hart array mask register is not affected by setting or clearing hasel.

Only the actions initiated by dmcontrol can apply to multiple harts at once, Abstract Commands apply only to the hart selected by hartsel.

#### 3.4 Hart States

Every hart that can be selected is in exactly one of four states. Which state the selected harts are in is reflected by allnonexistent, anynonexistent, allunavail, anyunavail, allrunning, anyrunning, allhalted, and anyhalted.

Harts are nonexistent if they will never be part of this system, no matter how long a user waits. E.g. in a simple single-hart system only one hart exists, and all others are nonexistent. Debuggers may assume that a system has no harts with indexes higher than the first nonexistent one.

Harts are unavailable if they might exist/become available at a later time, or if there are other harts with higher indexes than this one. Harts may be unavailable for a variety of reasons including being reset, temporarily powered down, and not being plugged into the system. Systems with very large number of harts may permanently disable some during manufacturing, leaving holes in the otherwise continuous hart index space. In order to let the debugger discover all harts, they must show up as unavailable even if there is no chance of them ever becoming available.

Harts are running when they are executing normally, as if no debugger was attached. This includes being in a low power mode or waiting for an interrupt, as long as a halt request will result in the hart being halted.

Harts are halted when they are in Debug Mode, only performing tasks on behalf of the debugger.

Which states a hart that is reset goes through is implementation dependent. Harts may be unavailable while reset is asserted, and some time after reset is deasserted. They might transition to running for some time after reset is deasserted. Finally they end up either running or halted, depending on haltreq and resethaltreq.

#### 3.5 Run Control

For every hart, the Debug Module contains 4 conceptual bits of state: halt request, resume request, halt-on-reset request, and hart reset. (The hart reset and halt-on-reset request bits are optional.) These bits all reset to 0. A debugger can write one of them at a time for the currently selected harts through haltreq, resumereq, setresethaltreq/clrresethaltreq and hartreset in dmcontrol. In addition the DM receives halted, running, and resume ack signals from each hart.

When a running hart receives a halt request, it responds by halting, deasserting its running signal, and asserting its halted signal. The halted signals of all selected harts are reflected in the allhalted and anyhalted bits. halted is ignored by halted harts.

When a halted hart receives a resume request, it responds by resuming, clearing its halted signal, and asserting its running signal and resume ack signals. The resume ack signal is lowered when the resume request is deasserted. These status signals of all selected harts are reflected in allresumeack, anyresumeack, allrunning, and anyrunning, resumered is ignored by running harts.

When halt or resume is requested, a hart must respond in less than one second, unless it is unavailable. (How this is implemented is not further specified. A few clock cycles will be a more typical latency).

The DM can implement optional halt-on-reset bits for each hart, which it indicates by setting hasresethaltreq to 1. This means the DM implements the setresethaltreq and clrresethaltreq bits. Writing 1 to setresethaltreq sets the halt-on-reset request bit for each selected hart. When a hart's halt-on-reset request bit is set, the hart will immediately enter debug mode on the next deassertion of its reset. This is true regardless of whether or not the hart's reset is caused by the DM's ndmreset/hartreset signals. The hart's halt-on-reset request bit remains set until cleared by the debugger writing 1 to clrresethaltreq while the hart is selected, or by debug module reset.

#### 3.6 Abstract Commands

The DM supports a set of abstract commands, most of which are optional. Depending on the implementation, the debugger may be able to perform some abstract commands even when the selected hart is not halted. Debuggers can only determine which abstract commands are supported by a given hart in a given state by attempting them and then looking at cmderr in abstractcs to see if they were successful. Commands may be supported with some options set, but not with other options set. If a command has unsupported options set, the DM must set cmderr to 2 (not supported).

ing CSRs. If the debugger requests to read a CSR in that case, the command will return "not supported."

Debuggers execute abstract commands by writing them to command. They can determine whether an abstract command is complete by reading busy in abstracts. After completion, cmderr indicates whether the command was successful or not. Commands may fail because a hart is not halted, not running, unavailable, or because they encounter an error during execution.

If the command takes arguments, the debugger must write them to the data registers before writing to command. If a command returns results, the Debug Module must ensure they are placed in the data registers before busy is cleared. Which data registers are used for the arguments is described in Table 3.1. In all cases the least-significant word is placed in the lowest-numbered data register. The argument width depends on the command being executed, and is DXLEN where not explicitly specified.

ſ	Argument Width	arg0/return value	arg1	arg2			
	32	data0	data1	data2			
Γ	64	data0, data1	data2, data3	data4, data5			
	128	data0-data3	data4-data7	data8-data11			

Table 3.1: Use of Data Registers

The Abstract Command interface is designed to allow a debugger to write commands as fast as possible, and then later check whether they completed without error. In the common case the debugger will be much slower than the target and commands succeed, which allows for maximum throughput. If there is a failure, the interface ensures that no commands execute after the failing one. To discover which command failed, the debugger has to look at the state of the DM (e.g. contents of data0) or hart (e.g. contents of a register modified by a Program Buffer program) to determine which one failed.

Before starting an abstract command, a debugger must ensure that haltreq, resumereq, and ackhavereset are all 0.

While an abstract command is executing (busy in abstractcs is high), a debugger must not change hartsel, and must not write 1 to haltreg, resumereg, ackhavereset, setresethaltreg, or clrresethaltreg.

If an abstract command does not complete in the expected time and appears to be hung, the following procedure can be attempted to abort the command. First the debugger resets the hart (using hartreset or ndmreset), and then it resets the Debug Module (using dmactive).

If an abstract command is started while the selected hart is unavailable or if a hart becomes unavailable while executing an abstract command, then the Debug Module may terminate the abstract command, setting busy low, and cmderr to 4 (halt/resume). Alternatively, the command could just appear to be hung (busy does not go low).

#### 3.6.1 Abstract Command Listing

This section describes each of the different abstract commands and how their fields should be interpreted when they are written to command.

Each abstract command is a 32-bit value. The top 8 bits contain cmdtype which determines the kind of command. Table 3.2 lists all commands.

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cmdtype	Command	Page
0	Access Register Command	12
1	Quick Access	13
2	Access Memory Command	14

#### 3.6.1.1 Access Register

This command gives the debugger access to CPU registers and program buffer. It performs the following sequence of operations:

- 1. If write is clear and transfer is set, then copy data from the register specified by regno into the argo region of data, and perform any side effects that occur when this register is read from M mode.
- 2. If write is set and transfer is set, then copy data from the arg0 region of data into the register specified by regno, and perform any side effects that occur when this register is written from M mode.
- 3. Execute the Program Buffer, if postexec is set.

If any of these operations fail, **cmderr** is set and none of the remaining steps are executed. An implementation may detect an upcoming failure early, and fail the overall command before it reaches the step that would cause failure. If the failure is that the requested register does not exist in the hart, **cmderr** must be set to 3 (exception).

Debug Modules must implement this command and must support read and write access to all GPRs when the selected hart is halted. Debug Modules may optionally support accessing other registers, or accessing registers when the hart is running. If this command is supported for a register while the hart is running, it must also be supported for a register while the hart is halted. Each individual register (aside from GPRs) may be supported differently across read, write, and halt status.

Table 3.3: Abstract Register Numbers

0x0000 - 0x0fff	CSRs. The "PC" can be accessed here through dpc.
0x1000 - 0x101f	GPRs
0x1020 - 0x103f	Floating point registers
0xc000 - 0xffff	Reserved for non-standard extensions and internal use.

The encoding of aarsize was chosen to match sbaccess in sbcs.

31	24	23	22   20		19	18	17	16	15	0
cm	cmdtype 0 aarsize		aarpostincrement	postexec	transfer	write	regno			
	8	1	:	3	1	1	1	1	16	

Field	Description
cmdtype	This is 0 to indicate Access Register Command.
aarsize	2: Access the lowest 32 bits of the register.
	3: Access the lowest 64 bits of the register.
	4: Access the lowest 128 bits of the register.
	If aarsize specifies a size larger than the register's
	actual size, then the access must fail. If a reg-
	ister is accessible, then reads of aarsize less than
	or equal to the register's actual size must be sup-
	ported.
	This field controls the Argument Width as refer-
	enced in Table 3.1.
aarpostincrement	0: No effect. This variant must be supported.
	1: After a successful register access, regno is in-
	cremented (wrapping around to 0). Supporting
	this variant is optional.
postexec	0: No effect. This variant must be supported, and
	is the only supported one if progbufsize is 0.
	1: Execute the program in the Program Buffer
	exactly once after performing the transfer, if any.
	Supporting this variant is optional.
transfer	0: Don't do the operation specified by write.
	1: Do the operation specified by write.
	This bit can be used to just execute the Pro-
	gram Buffer without having to worry about plac-
write	ing valid values into aarsize or regno.
write	When transfer is set: 0: Copy data from the spec-
	ified register into arg0 portion of data.  1: Copy data from arg0 portion of data into the
	specified register.
regno	Number of the register to access, as described in
I ERIIO	Table 3.3. dpc may be used as an alias for PC if
	this command is supported on a non-halted hart.
	ums command is supported on a non-nated nart.

#### 3.6.1.2 Quick Access

Perform the following sequence of operations:

- 1. If the hart is halted, the command sets cmderr to halt/resume and does not continue.
- 2. Halt the hart. If the hart halts for some other reason (e.g. breakpoint), the command sets cmderr to halt/resume and does not continue.
- 3. Execute the Program Buffer. If an exception occurs, cmderr is set to exception and the program buffer execution ends, but the quick access command continues.
- 4. Resume the hart.

Implementing this command is optional.

31 24	23		0
cmdtype		0	
8		24	_

Field	Description
cmdtype	This is 1 to indicate Quick Access command.

#### 3.6.1.3 Access Memory

This command lets the debugger perform memory accesses, with the exact same memory view and permissions as the selected hart has. This includes access to hart-local memory-mapped registers, etc. The command performs the following sequence of operations:

- 1. Copy data from the memory location specified in arg1 into the arg0 portion of data, if write is clear.
- 2. Copy data from the arg0 portion of data into the memory location specified in arg1, if write is set.
- 3. Increment arg1, if aampostincrement is set.

If any of these operations fail, cmderr is set and none of the remaining steps are executed. An access may only fail if the hart, running M mode code, might encounter that same failure when it attempts the same access. An implementation may detect an upcoming failure early, and fail the overall command before it reaches the step that would cause failure.

Debug Modules may optionally implement this command and may support read and write access to memory locations when the selected hart is running or halted. If this command supports memory accesses while the hart is running, it must also support memory accesses while the hart is halted.

The encoding of aamsize was chosen to match sbaccess in sbcs.

31		24	2	3	22	20			19		
cmdtype a			aamv	irtual	aar	aamsize a			a ampost increment		
	8		-	1		3			1		
	18	17	16	15		-	14	13		0	
	0		writ	e ta	rget-specific		ic	0			
	2		1		4	2			14		

Field	Description
cmdtype	This is 2 to indicate Access Memory Command.
aamvirtual	An implementation does not have to implement
	both virtual and physical accesses, but it must
	fail accesses that it doesn't support.
	0: Addresses are physical (to the hart they are
	performed on).
	1: Addresses are virtual, and translated the way
	the would be from M mode, with mprv set.
aamsize	0: Access the lowest 8 bits of the memory loca-
	tion.
	1: Access the lowest 16 bits of the memory loca-
	tion.
	2: Access the lowest 32 bits of the memory loca-
	tion.
	3: Access the lowest 64 bits of the memory loca-
	tion.
	4: Access the lowest 128 bits of the memory loca-
	tion.
	This field controls the Argument Width as refer-
	enced in Table 3.1.
aampostincrement	After a memory access has completed, if this bit
	is 1, increment arg1 (which contains the address
	used) by the number of bytes encoded in aamsize.
write	0: Copy data from the memory location specified
	in arg1 into arg0 portion of data.
	1: Copy data from arg0 portion of data into the
	memory location specified in arg1.
target-specific	These bits are reserved for target-specific uses.

## 3.7 Program Buffer

To support executing arbitrary instructions on a halted hart, a Debug Module can include a Program Buffer that a debugger can write small programs to. Systems that support all necessary functionality using abstract commands only may choose to omit the Program Buffer.

A debugger can write a small program to the Program Buffer, and then execute it exactly once with the Access Register Abstract Command, setting the postexec bit in command. The debugger can write whatever program it likes (including jumps out of the Program Buffer), but the program must end with ebreak or c.ebreak. To save hardware, an implementation may support an implied ebreak that is executed when a hart runs off the end of the Program Buffer. This is indicated in impebreak. With this feature, a Program Buffer of just 2 32-bit words can offer efficient debugging.

If progbufsize is 1, impebreak must be 1. It is possible that the Program Buffer can hold only one 32-or 16-bit instruction, so the debugger must only write a single instruction in this case, regardless of its size. This instruction can be a 32-bit instruction, or a compressed instruction in the lower 16 bits accompanied by a compressed nop in the upper 16 bits.

The slightly inconsistent behavior with a Program Buffer of size 1 is to accommodate hardware designs that prefer to stuff instructions directly into the pipeline when halted, instead of having the Program Buffer exist in the address space somewhere.

If the debugger executes a program that does not terminate with an ebreak instruction, the hart will remain in Debug Mode until it is reset.

While these programs are executed, the hart does not leave Debug Mode (see Section 4.1). If an exception is encountered during execution of the Program Buffer, no more instructions are executed, the hart remains in Debug Mode, and cmderr is set to 3 (exception error). If the debugger executes a program that doesn't terminate, then it loses control of the hart.

Executing the Program Buffer may clobber dpc. If that is the case, it must be possible to read/write dpc using an abstract command with postexec not set. The debugger must attempt to save dpc between halting and executing a Program Buffer, and then restore dpc before leaving Debug Mode.

Allowing Program Buffer execution to clobber dpc allows for direct implementations that don't have a separate PC register, and do need to use the PC when executing the Program Buffer.

The Program Buffer may be implemented as RAM which is accessible to the hart. A debugger can determine if this is the case by executing small programs that attempt to write and read back relative to pc while executing from the Program Buffer. If so, the debugger has more flexibility in what it can do with the program buffer.

#### 3.8 Overview of States

Figure 3.1 shows a conceptual view of the states passed through by a hart during run/halt debugging as influenced by the different fields of dmcontrol, abstractcs, abstractauto, and command.

### 3.9 System Bus Access

A debugger can access memory from a hart's point of view using a Program Buffer or the Abstract Access Memory command. (Both these features are optional.) A Debug Module may also include a System Bus Access block to provide memory access without involving a hart, regardless of whether Program Buffer is implemented. The System Bus Access block uses physical addresses.

The System Bus Access block may support 8-, 16-, 32-, 64-, and 128-bit accesses. Table 3.7 shows which bits in sbdata are used for each access size.

Depending on the microarchitecture, data accessed through System Bus Access may not always be coherent with that observed by each hart. It is up to the debugger to enforce coherency if



Figure 3.1: Run/Halt Debug State Machine. As only a small amount of state is visibile to the debugger, the states and transitions are conceptual.

Tasie 3 System Bas Bata Bits					
Access Size	Data Bits				
8	sbdata0 bits 7:0				
16	sbdata0 bits 15:0				
32	sbdata0				
64	sbdata1, sbdata0				
128	sbdata3, sbdata2, sbdata1, sbdata0				

Table 3.7: System Bus Data Bits

the implementation does not. This specification does not define a standard way to do this, as it is implementation/platform specific. Possibilities may include writing to special memory-mapped locations, or executing special instructions via the Program Buffer.

Implementing a System Bus Access block has several benefits even when a Debug Module also implements a Program Buffer. First, it is possible to access memory in a running system with minimal impact. Second, it may improve performance when accessing memory. Third, it may provide access to devices that a hart does not have access to.

#### 3.10 Quick Access

Depending on the task it is performing, some harts can only be halted very briefly. There are several mechanisms that allow accessing resources in such a running system with a minimal impact on the running hart.

First, an implementation may allow some abstract commands to execute without halting the hart.

Second, the Quick Access abstract command can be used to halt a hart, quickly execute the contents of the Program Buffer, and let the hart run again. Combined with instructions that allow Program Buffer code to access the data registers, as described in 3.12.3, this can be used to quickly perform a memory or register access. For some systems this will be too intrusive, but many systems that can't be halted can bear an occasional hiccup of a hundred or less cycles.

Third, if the System Bus Access block is implemented, it can be used while a hart is running to access system memory.

## 3.11 Security

To protect intellectual property it may be desirable to lock access to the Debug Module. To allow access during a manufacturing process and not afterwards, a reasonable solution could be to add a fuse bit to the Debug Module that can be used to be permanently disable it. Since this is technology specific, it is not further addressed in this spec.

Another option is to allow the DM to be unlocked only by users who have an access key. Between authenticated, authbusy, and authdata arbitrarily complex authentication mechanism can be supported. When authenticated is clear, the DM must not interact with the rest of the platform, nor

expose details about the harts connected to the DM. All DM registers should read 0, while writes should be ignored, with the following mandatory exceptions:

- 1. authenticated in dmstatus is readable.
- 2. authbusy in dmstatus is readable.
- 3. version in dmstatus is readable.
- 4. dmactive in dmcontrol is readable and writable.
- 5. authdata is readable and writable.

## 3.12 Debug Module Registers

The registers described in this section are accessed over the DMI bus. Each DM has a base address (which is 0 for the first DM). The register addresses below are offsets from this base address.

When read, unimplemented Debug Module DMI Registers return 0. Writing them has no effect.

For each register it is possible to determine that it is implemented by reading it and getting a non-zero value (e.g. sbcs), or by checking bits in another register (e.g. progbufsize).

Table 3.8: Debug Module Debug Bus Registers

	Table 3.8: Debug Module Debug Bus Registers									
Address	Name	Page								
0x04	Abstract Data 0	29								
0x0f	Abstract Data 11									
0x10	Debug Module Control	22								
0x11	Debug Module Status	20								
0x12	Hart Info	25								
0x13	Halt Summary 1	31								
0x14	Hart Array Window Select	26								
0x15	Hart Array Window	26								
0x16	Abstract Control and Status	26								
0x17	Abstract Command	27								
0x18	Abstract Command Autoexec	28								
0x19	Device Tree Addr 0	29								
0x1a	Device Tree Addr 1									
0x1b	Device Tree Addr 2									
0x1c	Device Tree Addr 3									
0x1d	Next Debug Module	29								
0x20	Program Buffer 0	30								
0x2f	Program Buffer 15									
0x30	Authentication Data	30								
0x34	Halt Summary 2	31								
0x35	Halt Summary 3	31								
0x37	System Bus Address 127:96	32								
0x38	System Bus Access Control and Status	32								
0x39	System Bus Address 31:0	34								
0x3a	System Bus Address 63:32	34								
0x3b	System Bus Address 95:64	35								
0x3c	System Bus Data 31:0	35								
0x3d	System Bus Data 63:32	36								
0x3e	System Bus Data 95:64	36								
0x3f	System Bus Data 127:96	37								
0x40	Halt Summary 0	30								

#### 3.12.1 Debug Module Status (dmstatus, at 0x11)

This register reports status for the overall Debug Module as well as the currently selected harts, as defined in hasel. Its address will not change in the future, because it contains version. It has changed from version 0.11 of this spec.

This entire register is read-only.

31	23	22	21	20	19	18
(	)	impebreak	(	)	allhavereset	anyhavereset
	)	1	2	2	1	1

	17		17		16	15	14		13			
allres	sumeack any		resumeack	allnonexistent	anynone	xistent	allunav	/ail				
	1		1	1	1		1					
	12		11	10	9	8						
	anyuna	vail	allrunning	anyrunning	allhalted	anyhal	ted					
	1		1	1	1	1						
	7		7		7 6		6	5	4		3 0	
а	authenticated		authbusy	hasresethaltred	devtree	valid	version					
	1		1	1	1		4					

Field	Description	Access	Reset
impebreak	If 1, then there is an implicit ebreak instruction	R	Preset
	at the non-existent word immediately after the		
	Program Buffer. This saves the debugger from		
	having to write the ebreak itself, and allows the		
	Program Buffer to be one word smaller.		
	This must be 1 when progbufsize is 1.		
allhavereset	This field is 1 when all currently selected harts	R	-
	have been reset but the reset has not been ac-		
	knowledged.		
anyhavereset	This field is 1 when any currently selected hart	R	-
	has been reset but the reset has not been acknowl-		
	edged.		
allresumeack	This field is 1 when all currently selected harts	R	-
	have acknowledged the previous resume request.		
anyresumeack	This field is 1 when any currently selected hart	R	-
	has acknowledged the previous resume request.		
allnonexistent	This field is 1 when all currently selected harts do	R	-
	not exist in this system.		
anynonexistent	This field is 1 when any currently selected hart	R	-
	does not exist in this system.		
allunavail	This field is 1 when all currently selected harts	R	-
	are unavailable.		
anyunavail	This field is 1 when any currently selected hart is	R	-
	unavailable.		
allrunning	This field is 1 when all currently selected harts	R	-
	are running.		
anyrunning	This field is 1 when any currently selected hart is	R	-
	running.		
allhalted	This field is 1 when all currently selected harts	R	-
	are halted.		
anyhalted	This field is 1 when any currently selected hart is	R	-
	halted.		
	Contin	ned on no	

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Field	Description	Access	Reset
authenticated	0 when authentication is required before using the	R	Preset
	DM. 1 when the authentication check has passed.		
	On components that don't implement authentica-		
	tion, this bit must be preset as 1.		
authbusy	0: The authentication module is ready to process	R	0
	the next read/write to authdata.		
	1: The authentication module is busy. Accessing		
	authdata results in unspecified behavior.		
	authbusy only becomes set in immediate response		
	to an access to authdata.		
hasresethaltreq	1 if this Debug Module supports halt-on-reset	R	Preset
	functionality controllable by the setresethaltreq		
	and clrresethaltreq bits. 0 otherwise.		
devtreevalid	0: devtreeaddr0-devtreeaddr3 hold informa-	R	Preset
	tion which is not relevant to the Device Tree.		
	1: devtreeaddr0-devtreeaddr3 registers hold		
	the address of the Device Tree.		
version	0: There is no Debug Module present.	R	2
	1: There is a Debug Module and it conforms to		
	version 0.11 of this specification.		
	2: There is a Debug Module and it conforms to		
	version 0.13 of this specification.		
	15: There is a Debug Module but it does not con-		
	form to any available version of this spec.		

#### 3.12.2 Debug Module Control (dmcontrol, at 0x10)

This register controls the overall Debug Module as well as the currently selected harts, as defined in hasel.

Throughout this document we refer to hartsel, which is hartselhi combined with hartsello. While the spec allows for 20 hartsel bits, an implementation may choose to implement fewer than that. The actual width of hartsel is called HARTSELLEN. It must be at least 0 and at most 20. A debugger should discover HARTSELLEN by writing all ones to hartsel (assuming the maximum size) and reading back the value to see which bits were actually set. Debuggers must not change hartsel while an abstract command is executing.

There are separate setresethaltreq and clrresethaltreq bits so that it is possible to write dmcontrol without changing the halt-on-reset request bit for each selected hart, when not all selected harts have the same configuration.

On any given write, a debugger may only write 1 to at most one of the following bits: haltreq, resumereq, hartreset, ackhavereset, setresethaltreq, and clrresethaltreq. The others must be written 0.

	31	31 30		28	27	26	25 16
	haltreq resumereq		req hartreset	ackhavereset	0	hasel	hartsello
	1 1		1	1	1	1	10
1	.5 6	5 4	3	2		1	0
	hartselhi	0	setresethaltreq	clrresethaltre	eq	ndmrese	t dmactive
10 2		1	1		1	1	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
haltreq	0: May cancel a halt request for any of the cur-	W	-
	rently selected harts, if those harts haven't halted		
	yet.		
	1: Causes the currently selected harts to halt, if		
	they are currently running.		
	Writes apply to the new value of hartsel and hasel.		
resumereq	0: May cancel a resume request for any of the	W	_
	currently selected harts, if those harts haven't re-		
	sumed yet.		
	1: Causes the currently selected harts to resume		
	once, if they are currently halted.		
	resumereq is ignored if haltreq is set.		
	Writes apply to the new value of hartsel and hasel.		
hartreset	This optional field writes the reset bit for all the	R/W	0
	currently selected harts. To perform a reset the		
	debugger writes 1, and then writes 0 to deassert		
	the reset signal.		
	While this bit is 1, the debugger must not change		
	which harts are selected.		
	If this feature is not implemented, the bit always		
	stays 0, so after writing 1 the debugger can read		
	the register back to see if the feature is supported.		
	Writes apply to the new value of hartsel and hasel.		
ackhavereset	0: No effect.	W1	_
	1: Clears havereset for any selected harts.		
	Writes apply to the new value of hartsel and hasel.		
hasel	Selects the definition of currently selected harts.	R/W	0
	0: There is a single currently selected hart, that		
	selected by hartsel.		
	1: There may be multiple currently selected harts		
	- that selected by hartsel, plus those selected by		
	the hart array mask register.		
	An implementation which does not implement the		
	hart array mask register must tie this field to 0.		
	A debugger which wishes to use the hart array		
	mask register feature should set this bit and read		
	back to see if the functionality is supported.		

Field	Description	Access	Reset
hartsello	The low 10 bits of hartsel: the DM-specific index	R/W	0
	of the hart to select. This hart is always part of		
	the currently selected harts.		
hartselhi	The high 10 bits of hartsel: the DM-specific index	R/W	0
	of the hart to select. This hart is always part of		
	the currently selected harts.		
setresethaltreq	This optional field writes the halt-on-reset re-	W1	0
	quest bit for all currently selected harts, unless		
	clrresethaltreq is simultaneously set to 1. When		
	set to 1, each selected hart will halt upon the next		
	deassertion of its reset. The halt-on-reset request		
	bit is not automatically cleared. The debugger		
	must write to clrresethaltreq to clear it.		
	Writes apply to the new value of hartsel and hasel.		
	If hasresethaltreq is 0, this field is not imple-		
	mented.		
clrresethaltreq	This optional field clears the halt-on-reset request	W1	0
	bit for all currently selected harts.		
	Writes apply to the new value of hartsel and hasel.		
ndmreset	This bit controls the reset signal from the DM to	R/W	0
	the rest of the system. The signal should reset		
	every part of the system, including every hart,		
	except for the DM and any logic required to access		
	the DM. To perform a system reset the debugger		
	writes 1, and then writes 0 to deassert the reset.		
dmactive	This bit serves as a reset signal for the Debug	R/W	0
	Module itself.		
	0: The module's state, including authentication		
	mechanism, takes its reset values (the dmactive bit		
	is the only bit which can be written to something		
	other than its reset value).		
	1: The module functions normally.		
	No other mechanism should exist that may result		
	in resetting the Debug Module after power up,		
	including the platform's system reset or Debug		
	Transport reset signals.		
	A debugger may pulse this bit low to get the De-		
	bug Module into a known state.		
	Implementations may use this bit to aid debug-		
	ging, for example by preventing the Debug Mod-		
	ule from being power gated while debugging is		
	active.		

## 3.12.3 Hart Info (hartinfo, at 0x12)

This register gives information about the hart currently selected by hartsel.

This register is optional. If it is not present it should read all-zero.

If this register is included, the debugger can do more with the Program Buffer by writing programs which explicitly access the data and/or dscratch registers.

This entire register is read-only.

	31	24	23	20	19	17	16	15	12	11	0
	0		nscr	atch	(	)	dataaccess	data	size	dataa	addr
8			1	:	3	1	4	l.	1:	2	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
nscratch	Number of dscratch registers available for the	R	Preset
	debugger to use during program buffer execution,		
	starting from dscratch0. The debugger can make		
	no assumptions about the contents of these regis-		
	ters between commands.		
dataaccess	0: The data registers are shadowed in the hart by	R	Preset
	CSR registers. Each CSR register is DXLEN bits		
	in size, and corresponds to a single argument, per		
	Table 3.1.		
	1: The data registers are shadowed in the hart's		
	memory map. Each register takes up 4 bytes in		
	the memory map.		
datasize	If dataaccess is 0: Number of CSR registers dedi-	R	Preset
	cated to shadowing the data registers.		
	If dataaccess is 1: Number of 32-bit words in the		
	memory map dedicated to shadowing the data		
	registers.		
	Since there are at most 12 data registers, the		
	value in this register must be 12 or smaller.		
dataaddr	If dataaccess is 0: The number of the first CSR	R	Preset
	dedicated to shadowing the data registers.		
	If dataaccess is 1: Signed address of RAM where		
	the data registers are shadowed, to be used to		
	access relative to zero.		

#### 3.12.4 Hart Array Window Select (hawindowsel, at 0x14)

This register selects which of the 32-bit portion of the hart array mask register (see Section 3.3.2) is accessible in hawindow.

31		15	14	0
	0		hawind	owsel
	17		15	1

Field	Description	Access	Reset
hawindowsel	The high bits of this field may be tied to 0, de-	R/W	0
	pending on how large the array mask register is.		
	E.g. on a system with 48 harts only bit 0 of this		
	field may actually be writable.		

#### 3.12.5 Hart Array Window (hawindow, at 0x15)

This register provides R/W access to a 32-bit portion of the hart array mask register (see Section 3.3.2). The position of the window is determined by hawindowsel. I.e. bit 0 refers to hart hawindowsel \*32, while bit 31 refers to hart hawindowsel \*32 + 31.

Since some bits in the hart array mask register may be constant 0, some bits in this register may be constant 0, depending on the current value of hawindowsel.



#### 3.12.6 Abstract Control and Status (abstractcs, at 0x16)

Writing this register while an abstract command is executing causes **cmderr** to be set to 1 (busy) if it is 0.

datacount must be at least 1 to support RV32 harts, 2 to support RV64 harts, or 4 to support RV128 harts.

31	29	28	24	23		13	12	11	10	8	7	4	3	0
(	)	progb	ufsize		0		busy	0	cmd	lerr	(	)	data	count
	3	5	5		11		1	1	3			1		4

Field	Description	Access	Reset
progbufsize	Size of the Program Buffer, in 32-bit words. Valid	R	Preset
	sizes are 0 - 16.		
busy	1: An abstract command is currently being exe-	R	0
	cuted.		
	This bit is set as soon as command is written, and		
	is not cleared until that command has completed.		
cmderr	Gets set if an abstract command fails. The bits in	R/W1C	0
	this field remain set until they are cleared by writ-		
	ing 1 to them. No abstract command is started		
	until the value is reset to 0.		
	This field only contains a valid value if busy is 0.		
	0 (none): No error.		
	1 (busy): An abstract command was executing		
	while command, abstractcs, abstractauto was		
	written, or when one of the data or progbuf reg-		
	isters was read or written. This status is only		
	written if cmderr contains 0.		
	2 (not supported): The requested command is not		
	supported, regardless of whether the hart is run-		
	ning or not.		
	3 (exception): An exception occurred while ex-		
	ecuting the command (e.g. while executing the		
	Program Buffer).		
	4 (halt/resume): The abstract command couldn't		
	execute because the hart wasn't in the required		
	state (running/halted), or unavailable.		
	5 (bus): The abstract command failed due to a		
	bus error (e.g. alignment, access size, timeout).		
	7 (other): The command failed for another rea-		
	son.		
datacount	Number of data registers that are implemented	R	Preset
	as part of the abstract command interface. Valid		
	sizes are $1-12$ .		

# 3.12.7 Abstract Command (command, at 0x17)

Writes to this register cause the corresponding abstract command to be executed.

Writing this register while an abstract command is executing causes  $\mathsf{cmderr}$  to be set to 1 (busy) if it is 0.

If cmderr is non-zero, writes to this register are ignored.

cmderr inhibits starting a new command to accommodate debuggers that, for performance reasons, send several commands to be executed in a row without checking cmderr in between. They can safely do so and check cmderr at the end without worrying that one command failed but then a later command (which might have depended on the previous one succeeding) passed.

31	24	23		0
cmd	type		control	
	3		24	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
cmdtype	The type determines the overall functionality of	W	0
	this abstract command.		
control	This field is interpreted in a command-specific	W	0
	manner, described for each abstract command.		

## 3.12.8 Abstract Command Autoexec (abstractauto, at 0x18)

This register is optional. Including it allows more efficient burst accesses. A debugger can detect whether it is support by setting bits and reading them back.

Writing this register while an abstract command is executing causes **cmderr** to be set to 1 (busy) if it is 0.

31	16	15	12	11	0
autoexecprog	C	)	autoe	xecdata	
16		4	1		12

Field	Description	Access	Reset
autoexecprogbuf	When a bit in this field is 1, read or write ac-	R/W	0
	cesses to the corresponding progbuf word cause		
	the command in command to be executed again.		
autoexecdata	When a bit in this field is 1, read or write ac-	R/W	0
	cesses to the corresponding data word cause the		
	command in command to be executed again.		

### 3.12.9 Device Tree Addr 0 (devtreeaddr0, at 0x19)

When devtreevalid is set, reading this register returns bits 31:0 of the Device Tree address. Reading the other devtreeaddr registers returns the upper bits of the address.

When system bus mastering is implemented, this must be an address that can be used with the System Bus Access module. Otherwise, this must be an address that can be used to access the Device Tree from the hart with ID 0.

If devtreevalid is 0, then the devtreeaddr registers hold identifier information which is not further specified in this document.

The Device Tree itself is described in the RISC-V Privileged Specification.

This entire register is read-only.



### 3.12.10 Next Debug Module (nextdm, at 0x1d)

If there is more than one DM accessible on this DMI, this register contains the base address of the next one in the chain, or 0 if this is the last one in the chain.

This entire register is read-only.



#### 3.12.11 Abstract Data 0 (data0, at 0x04)

data0 through data11 are basic read/write registers that may be read or changed by abstract commands. datacount indicates how many of them are implemented, starting at data0, counting up. Table 3.1 shows how abstract commands use these registers.

Accessing these registers while an abstract command is executing causes cmderr to be set to 1 (busy) if it is 0.

Attempts to write them while busy is set does not change their value.

The values in these registers may not be preserved after an abstract command is executed. The only guarantees on their contents are the ones offered by the command in question. If the command fails, no assumptions can be made about the contents of these registers.



### 3.12.12 Program Buffer 0 (progbuf0, at 0x20)

progbuf0 through progbuf15 provide read/write access to the optional program buffer. progbufsize indicates how many of them are implemented starting at progbuf0, counting up.

Accessing these registers while an abstract command is executing causes cmderr to be set to 1 (busy) if it is 0.

Attempts to write them while busy is set does not change their value.



#### 3.12.13 Authentication Data (authdata, at 0x30)

This register serves as a 32-bit serial port to/from the authentication module.

When authbusy is clear, the debugger can communicate with the authentication module by reading or writing this register. There is no separate mechanism to signal overflow/underflow.



#### 3.12.14 Halt Summary 0 (haltsum0, at 0x40)

Each bit in this read-only register indicates whether one specific hart is halted or not. Unavailable/nonexistent harts are not considered to be halted.

The LSB reflects the halt status of hart {hartsel[19:5],5'h0}, and the MSB reflects halt status of hart {hartsel[19:5],5'h1f}.

This entire register is read-only.



### 3.12.15 Halt Summary 1 (haltsum1, at 0x13)

Each bit in this read-only register indicates whether any of a group of harts is halted or not. Unavailable/nonexistent harts are not considered to be halted.

This register may not be present in systems with fewer than 33 harts.

The LSB reflects the halt status of harts {hartsel[19:10],10'h0} through {hartsel[19:10],10'h1f}. The MSB reflects the halt status of harts {hartsel[19:10],10'h3e0} through {hartsel[19:10],10'h3ff}.

This entire register is read-only.



### 3.12.16 Halt Summary 2 (haltsum2, at 0x34)

Each bit in this read-only register indicates whether any of a group of harts is halted or not. Unavailable/nonexistent harts are not considered to be halted.

This register may not be present in systems with fewer than 1025 harts.

The LSB reflects the halt status of harts {hartsel[19:15],15'h0} through {hartsel[19:15],15'h3ff}. The MSB reflects the halt status of harts {hartsel[19:15],15'h7c00} through {hartsel[19:15],15'h7fff}.

This entire register is read-only.



#### 3.12.17 Halt Summary 3 (haltsum3, at 0x35)

Each bit in this read-only register indicates whether any of a group of harts is halted or not. Unavailable/nonexistent harts are not considered to be halted.

This register may not be present in systems with fewer than 32769 harts.

The LSB reflects the halt status of harts 20'h0 through 20'h7fff. The MSB reflects the halt status of harts 20'hf8000 through 20'hfffff.

This entire register is read-only.



## 3.12.18 System Bus Address 127:96 (sbaddress3, at 0x37)

If sbasize is less than 97, then this register is not present.

When the system bus master is busy, writes to this register will set sbbusyerror and don't do anything else.



Field	Description	Access	Reset
address	Accesses bits 127:96 of the physical address in	R/W	0
	sbaddress (if the system address bus is that		
	wide).		

## 3.12.19 System Bus Access Control and Status (sbcs, at 0x38)

	31	29	28	23		22		21		20				
	sbvers	ion	(	)	sbb	usyerror	sł	busy	sb	sbreadonadd		dr		
3			6			1	1		1					
19	17			16		1	5		14	12	11	5		
sb	access	sb	autoii	ncrem	ent	sbreado	onda	ata	sbei	sberror		asize		
	3			1		1	-		3	3		3 7		7
	4			3		2			1	1		)		
sk	oaccess?	128	sba	cess	54 !	sbaccess	32	sbac	cess	16	sbace	cess8		
	1			1	•	1			1	•	-			

Field	Description	Access	Reset
sbversion	0: The System Bus interface conforms to mainline	R	1
	drafts of this spec older than 1 January, 2018.		
	1: The System Bus interface conforms to this ver-		
	sion of the spec.		
	Other values are reserved for future versions.		
sbbusyerror	Set when the debugger attempts to read data	R/W1C	0
	while a read is in progress, or when the debug-		
	ger initiates a new access while one is already in		
	progress (while sbbusy is set). It remains set until		
	it's explicitly cleared by the debugger.		
	While this field is non-zero, no more system bus		
	accesses can be initiated by the Debug Module.		

Field	Description	Access	Reset
sbbusy	When 1, indicates the system bus master is busy. (Whether the system bus itself is busy is related, but not the same thing.) This bit goes high immediately when a read or write is requested for any reason, and does not go low until the access is fully completed.  Writes to sbcs while sbbusy is high result in undefined behavior. A debugger must not write to	R	0
	sbcs until it reads sbbusy as 0.		
sbreadonaddr	When 1, every write to sbaddress0 automatically triggers a system bus read at the new address.	R/W	0
sbaccess	Select the access size to use for system bus accesses.  0: 8-bit 1: 16-bit 2: 32-bit 3: 64-bit 4: 128-bit If sbaccess has an unsupported value when the DM starts a bus access, the access is not performed and sberror is set to 3.	R/W	2
sbautoincrement	When 1, sbaddress is incremented by the access size (in bytes) selected in sbaccess after every system bus access.	R/W	0
sbreadondata	When 1, every read from sbdata0 automatically triggers a system bus read at the (possibly auto-incremented) address.	R/W	0
sberror	When the Debug Module's system bus master causes a bus error, this field gets set. The bits in this field remain set until they are cleared by writing 1 to them. While this field is non-zero, no more system bus accesses can be initiated by the Debug Module.  An implementation may report "Other" (7) for any error condition.  0: There was no bus error.  1: There was a timeout.  2: A bad address was accessed.  3: There was an alignment error.  4: An access of unsupported size was requested.  7: Other.	R/W1C	0
sbasize	Width of system bus addresses in bits. (0 indicates there is no bus access support.)	R	Preset
sbaccess128	1 when 128-bit system bus accesses are supported.	R	Preset
sbaccess64	1 when 64-bit system bus accesses are supported.	R	Preset

Field	Description	Access	Reset
sbaccess32	1 when 32-bit system bus accesses are supported.	R	Preset
sbaccess16	1 when 16-bit system bus accesses are supported.	R	Preset
sbaccess8	1 when 8-bit system bus accesses are supported.	R	Preset

#### 3.12.20 System Bus Address 31:0 (sbaddress0, at 0x39)

If sbasize is 0, then this register is not present.

When the system bus master is busy, writes to this register will set sbbusyerror and don't do anything else.

If sberror is 0, sbbusyerror is 0, and sbreadonaddr is set then writes to this register start the following:

- 1. Set sbbusy.
- 2. Perform a bus read from the new value of sbaddress.
- 3. If the read succeeded and sbautoincrement is set, increment sbaddress.
- 4. Clear sbbusy.



Field	Description	Access	Reset
address	Accesses bits 31:0 of the physical address in	R/W	0
	sbaddress.		

#### 3.12.21 System Bus Address 63:32 (sbaddress1, at 0x3a)

If sbasize is less than 33, then this register is not present.

When the system bus master is busy, writes to this register will set sbbusyerror and don't do anything else.



Field	Description	Access	Reset
address	Accesses bits 63:32 of the physical address in	R/W	0
	sbaddress (if the system address bus is that		
	wide).		

## 3.12.22 System Bus Address 95:64 (sbaddress2, at 0x3b)

If sbasize is less than 65, then this register is not present.

When the system bus master is busy, writes to this register will set sbbusyerror and don't do anything else.



Field	Description	Access	Reset
address	Accesses bits 95:64 of the physical address in sbaddress (if the system address bus is that	R/W	0
	wide).		

#### 3.12.23 System Bus Data 31:0 (sbdata0, at 0x3c)

If all of the sbaccess bits in sbcs are 0, then this register is not present.

Any successful system bus read updates sbdata. If the width of the read access is less than the width of sbdata, the contents of the remaining high bits may take on any value.

If sberror or sbbusyerror both aren't 0 then accesses do nothing.

If the bus master is busy then accesses set sbbusyerror, and don't do anything else.

Writes to this register start the following:

- 1. Set sbbusy.
- 2. Perform a bus write of the new value of sbdata to sbaddress.
- 3. If the write succeeded and sbautoincrement is set, increment sbaddress.
- 4. Clear sbbusy.

Reads from this register start the following:

- 1. "Return" the data.
- 2. Set sbbusy.
- 3. If sbautoincrement is set, increment sbaddress.
- 4. If sbreadondata is set, perform another system bus read.
- 5. Clear sbbusy.

Only sbdata0 has this behavior. The other sbdata registers have no side effects. On systems that have buses wider than 32 bits, a debugger should access sbdata0 after accessing the other sbdata registers.



Field	Description	Access	Reset
data	Accesses bits 31:0 of sbdata.	R/W	0

## 3.12.24 System Bus Data 63:32 (sbdata1, at 0x3d)

If sbaccess64 and sbaccess128 are 0, then this register is not present.

If the bus master is busy then accesses set sbbusyerror, and don't do anything else.



Field	Description	Access	Reset
data	Accesses bits 63:32 of sbdata (if the system bus	R/W	0
	is that wide).		

#### 3.12.25 System Bus Data 95:64 (sbdata2, at 0x3e)

This register only exists if sbaccess128 is 1.

If the bus master is busy then accesses set sbbusyerror, and don't do anything else.

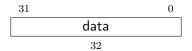


Field	Description	Access	Reset
data	Accesses bits 95:64 of sbdata (if the system bus	R/W	0
	is that wide).		

# 3.12.26 System Bus Data 127:96 (sbdata3, at 0x3f)

This register only exists if sbaccess128 is 1.

If the bus master is busy then accesses set sbbusyerror, and don't do anything else.



Field	Description	Access	Reset
data	Accesses bits 127:96 of sbdata (if the system bus	R/W	0
	is that wide).		

# Chapter 4

# RISC-V Debug

Modifications to the RISC-V core to support debug are kept to a minimum. There is a special execution mode (Debug Mode) and a few extra CSRs. The DM takes care of the rest.

## 4.1 Debug Mode

Debug Mode is a special processor mode used only when a hart is halted for external debugging. How Debug Mode is implemented is not specified here.

When executing code from the Program Buffer, the hart stays in Debug Mode and the following apply:

- 1. All operations are executed at machine mode privilege level, except that mprv in mstatus may be ignored according to mprven.
  - In general, the debugger is expected to be able to simulate all the effects of mprv. The exception is the case of Sv32 systems, which need mprv functionality in order to access
- 2. All interpretable from the symmetry symmetry symmetry and the symmetry of the interpretable from the symmetry of the symmet
- 3. Exceptions don't update any registers. That includes cause, epc, tval, dpc, and mstatus. They do end execution of the Program Buffer.
- 4. No action is taken if a trigger matches.
- 5. Trace is disabled.
- 6. Counters may be stopped, depending on stopcount in dcsr.
- 7. Timers may be stopped, depending on stoptime in dcsr.
- 8. The wfi instruction acts as a nop.
- 9. Almost all instructions that change the privilege level have undefined behavior. This includes ecall, mret, hret, sret, and uret. (To change the privilege level, the debugger can write prv in dcsr). The only exception is ebreak. When that is executed in Debug Mode, it halts the hart again but without updating dpc or dcsr.
- 10. Completing Program Buffer execution is considered output for the purpose of fence instructions.
- 11. All control transfer instructions may act as illegal instructions if their destination is in the Program Buffer. If one such instruction acts as an illegal instruction, all such instructions

- must act as an illegal instruction.
- 12. All control transfer instructions may act as illegal instructions if their destination is outside the Program Buffer. If one such instruction acts as an illegal instruction, all such instructions must act as an illegal instruction.
- 13. Instructions that depend on the value of the PC (e.g. auipc) may act as illegal instructions.
- 14. Effective XLEN is DXLEN.

# 4.2 Load-Reserved/Store-Conditional Instructions

The reservation registered by an lr instruction on a memory address may be lost when entering Debug Mode or while in Debug Mode. This means that there may be no forward progress if Debug Mode is entered between lr and sc pairs.

This is a behavior that debug users must be aware of. If they have a breakpoint set between a lr and sc pair, or are stepping through such code, the sc may never succeed. Fortunately in general use there will be very few instructions in such a sequence, and anybody debugging it will quickly notice that the reservation is not occurring. The solution in that case is to set a breakpoint on the first instruction after the sc and run to it. A higher level debugger may choose to automate this.

## 4.3 Single Step

A debugger can cause a halted hart to execute a single instruction and then re-enter Debug Mode by setting step before setting resumereq.

If executing or fetching that instruction causes an exception, Debug Mode is re-entered immediately after the PC is changed to the exception handler and the appropriate tval and cause registers are updated.

If executing or fetching the instruction causes a trigger to fire, Debug Mode is re-entered immediately after that trigger has fired. In that case cause is set to 2 (trigger) instead of 4 (single step). Whether the instruction is executed or not depends on the specific configuration of the trigger.

If the instruction that is executed causes the PC to change to an address where an instruction fetch causes an exception, that exception does not occurr until the next time the hart is resumed. Similarly, a trigger at the new address does not fire until the hart actually attempts to execute that instruction.

#### 4.4 Reset

If the halt signal (driven by the hart's halt request bit in the Debug Module) is asserted when a hart comes out of reset, the hart must enter Debug Mode before executing any instructions, but after performing any initialization that would usually happen before the first instruction is executed.

## 4.5 dret Instruction

To return from Debug Mode, a new instruction is defined: dret. It has an encoding of 0x7b200073. On harts which support this instruction, executing dret in Debug Mode changes pc to the value stored in dpc. The current privilege level is changed to that specified by prv in dcsr. The hart is no longer in debug mode.

Executing dret outside of Debug Mode causes an illegal instruction exception.

It is not necessary for the debugger to know whether an implementation supports dret, as the Debug Module will ensure that it is executed if necessary. It is defined in this specification only to reserve the opcode and allow for reusable Debug Module implementations.

### 4.6 XLEN

While in Debug Mode, XLEN is DXLEN. It is up to the debugger to determine the XLEN during normal program execution (by looking at misa) and to clearly communicate this to the user.

## 4.7 Core Debug Registers

The supported Core Debug Registers must be implemented for each hart that can be debugged. They are CSRs, accessible using the RISC-V csr opcodes and optionally also using abstract debug commands.

These registers are only accessible from Debug Mode.

Table 4.1: Core Debug Registers

	Address	Name	Page				
	0x7b0	Debug Control and Status	41				
İ	0x7b1	Debug PC	44				
İ	0x7b2	Debug Scratch Register 0					
	0x7b3	Debug Scratch Register 1					

#### 4.7.1 Debug Control and Status (dcsr, at 0x7b0)

cause priorities are assigned such that the least predictable events have the highest priority.

31	28	27	16	;	15		14	13	3		12		11	10
xdebu	gver		0	е	break	кm	0	ebre	aks	eb	reaku	ste	pie	stopcount
 4			12	•	1		1	1			1		1	1
			9	8	6	5		4	3		2	1	0	
		sto	ptime	ca	use	0	mp	rven	nm	ip	step	рі	ν	
			1		3	1		1	1		1	6	2	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
xdebugver	<ul> <li>0: There is no external debug support.</li> <li>4: External debug support exists as it is described in this document.</li> <li>15: There is external debug support, but it does not conform to any available version of this spec.</li> </ul>	R	Preset
ebreakm	<ul><li>0: ebreak instructions in M mode behave as described in the Privileged Spec.</li><li>1: ebreak instructions in M Mode enter Debug Mode.</li></ul>	R/W	0
ebreaks	<ul><li>0: ebreak instructions in S mode behave as described in the Privileged Spec.</li><li>1: ebreak instructions in S Mode enter Debug Mode.</li></ul>	R/W	0
ebreaku	<ul><li>0: ebreak instructions in U mode behave as described in the Privileged Spec.</li><li>1: ebreak instructions in U Mode enter Debug Mode.</li></ul>	R/W	0
stepie	0: Interrupts are disabled during single stepping. 1: Interrupts are enabled during single stepping. Implementations may hard wire this bit to 0. The debugger must read back the value it writes to check whether the feature is supported. If not supported, interrupt behavior can be emulated by the debugger. The debugger must not change the value of this bit while the hart is running.	R/W	0
stopcount	0: Increment counters as usual. 1: Don't increment any counters while in Debug Mode or on ebreak instructions that cause entry into Debug Mode. These counters include the cycle and instret CSRs. This is preferred for most debugging scenarios.  An implementation may choose not to support writing to this bit. The debugger must read back the value it writes to check whether the feature is supported.	R/W	Preset
stoptime	0: Increment timers as usual. 1: Don't increment any hart-local timers while in Debug Mode. An implementation may choose not to support writing to this bit. The debugger must read back the value it writes to check whether the feature is supported.	R/W	Preset

Field	Description	Access	Reset
cause	Explains why Debug Mode was entered.  When there are multiple reasons to enter Debug Mode in a single cycle, hardware should set cause to the cause with the highest priority.  1: An ebreak instruction was executed. (priority 3)  2: The Trigger Module caused a breakpoint exception. (priority 4, highest)  3: The debugger requested entry to Debug Mode. (priority 2)  4: The hart single stepped because step was set. (priority 1, lowest)  Other values are reserved for future use.	R	0
mprven	0: mprv in mstatus is ignored in Debug Mode. 1: mprv in mstatus takes effect in Debug Mode. Implementing this bit is optional. It may be tied to either 0 or 1.	WARL	Preset
nmip	When set, there is a Non-Maskable-Interrupt (NMI) pending for the hart. Since an NMI can indicate a hardware error condition, reliable debugging may no longer be possible once this bit becomes set. This is implementation-dependent.	R	0
step	When set and not in Debug Mode, the hart will only execute a single instruction and then enter Debug Mode. If the instruction does not complete due to an exception, the hart will immediately enter Debug Mode before executing the trap handler, with appropriate exception registers set. The debugger must not change the value of this bit while the hart is running.	R/W	0
prv	Contains the privilege level the hart was operating in when Debug Mode was entered. The encoding is described in Table 4.5. A debugger can change this value to change the hart's privilege level when exiting Debug Mode.  Not all privilege levels are supported on all harts. If the encoding written is not supported or the debugger is not allowed to change to it, the hart may change to any supported privilege level.	R/W	3

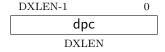
#### 4.7.2 Debug PC (dpc, at 0x7b1)

Upon entry to debug mode, dpc is updated with the virtual address of the next instruction to be executed. The behavior is described in more detail in Table 4.3.

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Cause	Virtual Address in DPC
ebreak	Address of the ebreak instruction
single step	Address of the instruction that would be executed
	next if no debugging was going on. Ie. $pc + 4$ for
	32-bit instructions that don't change program flow,
	the destination PC on taken jumps/branches, etc.
trigger module	If timing is 0, the address of the instruction which
	caused the trigger to fire. If timing is 1, the address of
	the next instruction to be executed at the time that
	debug mode was entered.
halt request	Address of the next instruction to be executed at the
	time that debug mode was entered

Table 4.3: Virtual address in DPC upon Debug Mode Entry

When resuming, the hart's PC is updated to the virtual address stored in dpc. A debugger may write dpc to change where the hart resumes.



#### 4.7.3 Debug Scratch Register 0 (dscratch0, at 0x7b2)

Optional scratch register that can be used by implementations that need it. A debugger must not write to this register unless hartinfo explicitly mentions it (the Debug Module may use this register internally).

## 4.7.4 Debug Scratch Register 1 (dscratch1, at 0x7b3)

Optional scratch register that can be used by implementations that need it. A debugger must not write to this register unless hartinfo explicitly mentions it (the Debug Module may use this register internally).

# 4.8 Virtual Debug Registers

Virtual debug registers are a requirement on the debugger SW/interface, not on the Core designer.

Table 4.5: Privilege Level Encoding

Encoding	Privilege Level
0	User/Application
1	Supervisor
3	Machine

Users of the debugger shouldn't need to know about the core debug registers, but may want to change things affected by them. A virtual register is one that doesn't exist directly in the hardware, but that the debugger exposes as if it does.

Table 4.4: Virtual Core Debug Registers

Address	Name	Page
virtual	Privilege Level	45

## 4.8.1 Privilege Level (priv, at virtual)

User can read this register to inspect the privilege level that the hart was running in when the hart halted. User can write this register to change the privilege level that the hart will run in when it resumes.

This register contains prv from dcsr, but in a place that the user is expected to access. The user should not access dcsr directly, because doing so might interfere with the debugger.

Field	Description	Access	Reset
prv	Contains the privilege level the hart was operating	R/W	0
	in when Debug Mode was entered. The encoding		
	is described in Table 4.5, and matches the priv-		
	ilege level encoding from the RISC-V Privileged		
	ISA Specification. A user can write this value to		
	change the hart's privilege level when exiting De-		
	bug Mode.		

# Chapter 5

# Trigger Module

Triggers can cause a breakpoint exception, entry into Debug Mode, or a trace action without having to execute a special instruction. This makes them invaluable when debugging code from ROM. They can trigger on execution of instructions at a given memory address, or on the address/data in loads/stores. These are all features that can be useful without having the Debug Module present, so the Trigger Module is broken out as a separate piece that can be implemented separately.

Triggers do not fire while in Debug Mode.

Each trigger may support a variety of features. A debugger can build a list of all triggers and their features as follows:

- 1. Write 0 to tselect.
- 2. Read back tselect and check that it contains the written value. If not, exit the loop.
- 3. Read tinfo.
- 4. If that caused an exception, the debugger must read tdata1 to discover the type. (If type is 0, this trigger doesn't exist. Exit the loop.)
- 5. If info is 1, this trigger doesn't exist. Exit the loop.
- 6. Otherwise, the selected trigger supports the types discovered in info.
- 7. Repeat, incrementing the value in tselect.

It is possible for a trigger with the "enter Debug Mode" action (1) and another trigger with the "raise a breakpoint exception" action (0) to fire at the same time. The preferred behavior is to have both actions take place. It is implementation-dependent which of the two happens first. This ensures both that the presence of an external debugger doesn't affect execution and that a trigger set by user code doesn't affect the external debugger. If this is not implemented, then the hart must enter Debug Mode and ignore the breakpoint exception. In the latter case hit of the trigger whose action is 0 must still be set, giving a debugger an opportunity to handle this case. What happens with trace actions when triggers with different actions are also firing is left to the trace spec.

There are two ways to check whether a given trigger is the last one to support these implementations:

1. When no hardware triggers are implemented at all, all related registers return 0. The

algorithm above terminates when checking type.

2. When 2 triggers are implemented, tselect is just a single bit that selects one of the two. When the debugger writes 2, it reads back as 0 which terminates the enumeration.

## 5.1 Native M-Mode Triggers

Triggers can be used for native debugging. On a fully featured system triggers will be set using u or s, and when firing they can cause a breakpoint exception to trap to a more privileged mode. It is possible to set triggers natively to fire in M mode as well. In that case there is no higher privilege mode to trap to. When such a trigger causes a breakpoint exception while already in a trap handler, this will leave the system unable to resume normal execution.

On full-featured systems this is a remote corner case that can probably be ignored. On systems that only implement M mode, however, it is recommended to implement one of two solutions to this problem. This way triggers can be useful for native debugging of even M mode code.

The simple solution is to have the hardware prevent triggers with action=0 from firing while in M mode and while mie in mstatus is 0. Its limitation is that interrupts might be disabled at other times when a user might want triggers to fire.

A more complex solution is to implement mte and mpte in tcontrol. This solution has the benefit that it only disables triggers during the trap handler.

A user setting M mode triggers that cause breakpoint exceptions will have to be aware of any problems that might come up with the particular system they are working on.

# 5.2 Trigger Registers

These registers are CSRs, accessible using the RISC-V csr opcodes and optionally also using abstract debug commands.

Most trigger functionality is optional. All tdata registers follow write-any-read-legal semantics. If a debugger writes an unsupported configuration, the register will read back a value that is supported (which may simply be a disabled trigger). This means that a debugger must always read back values it writes to tdata registers, unless it already knows already what is supported. Writes to one tdata register may not modify the contents of other tdata registers, nor the configuration of any trigger besides the one that is currently selected.

The trigger registers are only accessible in machine and Debug Mode to prevent untrusted user code from causing entry into Debug Mode without the OS's permission.

In this section XLEN means MXLEN when in M Mode, DXLEN when in Debug Mode. Note that this makes several of the fields in tdata1 move around based on the current execution mode and value of MXLEN.

Table 5.1: action encoding

Value	Description
0	Raise a breakpoint exception. (Used when software
	wants to use the trigger module without an external
	debugger attached.)
1	Enter Debug Mode. (Only supported when the
	trigger's dmode is 1.)
2	Start tracing.
3	Stop tracing.
4	Emit trace data for this match. If it is a data access
	match, emit appropriate Load/Store Address/Data. If
	it is an instruction execution, emit its PC.
other	Reserved for future use.

Table 5.2: Trigger Registers

Address	Name	Page			
0x7a0	Trigger Select	49			
0x7a1	Trigger Data 1	50			
0x7a1	Match Control	52			
0x7a1	Instruction Count	57			
0x7a1	Interrupt Trigger	58			
0x7a1	Exception Trigger	59			
0x7a2	Trigger Data 2	50			
0x7a3	Trigger Data 3	51			
0x7a4	Trigger Info	51			
0x7a5	Trigger Control	51			

## 5.2.1 Trigger Select (tselect, at 0x7a0)

This register determines which trigger is accessible through the other trigger registers. The set of accessible triggers must start at 0, and be contiguous.

Writes of values greater than or equal to the number of supported triggers may result in a different value in this register than what was written. To verify that what they wrote is a valid index, debuggers can read back the value and check that tselect holds what they wrote.

Since triggers can be used both by Debug Mode and M Mode, the debugger must restore this register if it modifies it.

XLEN-1	0
index	
XLEN	

# 5.2.2 Trigger Data 1 (tdata1, at 0x7a1)

XLEN-1	XLEN-4	XLEN-5	XLEN-6	0
ty	pe	dmode	data	
4	4	1	XLEN - 5	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
type	0: There is no trigger at this tselect.	R/W	Preset
	1: The trigger is a legacy SiFive address match		
	trigger. These should not be implemented and		
	aren't further documented here.		
	2: The trigger is an address/data match trig-		
	ger. The remaining bits in this register act as		
	described in mcontrol.		
	3: The trigger is an instruction count trigger. The		
	remaining bits in this register act as described in		
	icount.		
	4: The trigger is an interrupt trigger. The re-		
	maining bits in this register act as described in		
	itrigger.		
	5: The trigger is an exception trigger. The re-		
	maining bits in this register act as described in		
	etrigger.		
	15: This trigger exists (so enumeration shouldn't		
	terminate), but is not currently available.		
	Other values are reserved for future use.		
dmode	0: Both Debug and M Mode can write the tdata	R/W	0
	registers at the selected tselect.		
	1: Only Debug Mode can write the tdata regis-		
	ters at the selected tselect. Writes from other		
	modes are ignored.		
	This bit is only writable from Debug Mode.		
data	Trigger-specific data.	R/W	Preset

# 5.2.3 Trigger Data 2 (tdata2, at 0x7a2)

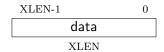
Trigger-specific data.

If XLEN is less than DXLEN, writes to this register are sign-extended.

## 5.2.4 Trigger Data 3 (tdata3, at 0x7a3)

Trigger-specific data.

If XLEN is less than DXLEN, writes to this register are sign-extended.



## 5.2.5 Trigger Info (tinfo, at 0x7a4)

This entire register is read-only.

MXLEN-1	16	15		0
0			info	
MXLEN - 16			16	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
info	One bit for each possible type enumerated in	R	Preset
	tdata1. Bit N corresponds to type N. If the bit is		
	set, then that type is supported by the currently		
	selected trigger.		
	If the currently selected trigger doesn't exist, this		
	field contains 1.		
	If type is not writable, this register may be unim-		
	plemented, in which case reading it causes an il-		
	legal instruction exception. In this case the de-		
	bugger can read the only supported type from		
	tdata1.		

## 5.2.6 Trigger Control (tcontrol, at 0x7a5)

This optional register is one solution to a problem regarding triggers with action=0 firing in M mode trap handlers. See Section 5.1 for more details.

MXLEN-1	8	7	6	4	3	2	0
0		mpte	0		mte	(	)
MXLEN - 8		1	9		1	9	3

Field	Description	Access	Reset
mpte	M mode previous trigger enable field.	R/W	0
	When a trap into M mode is taken, mpte is set to		
	the value of mte.		
mte	M mode trigger enable field.	R/W	0
	0: Triggers do not match/fire while the hart is in		
	M mode.		
	1: Triggers do match/fire while the hart is in M		
	mode.		
	When a trap into M mode is taken, mte is set to		
	0. When mret is executed, mte is set to the value		
	of mpte.		

### 5.2.7 Match Control (mcontrol, at 0x7a1)

This register is accessible as tdata1 when type is 2.

Address and data trigger implementation are heavily dependent on how the processor core is implemented. To accommodate various implementations, execute, load, and store address/data triggers may fire at whatever point in time is most convenient for the implementation. The debugger may request specific timings as described in timing. Table 5.6 suggests timings for the best user experience.

Table 5.6: Suggested Breakpoint Timings

Match Type	Suggested Trigger Timing
Execute Address	Before
Execute Instruction	Before
Execute Address+Instruction	Before
Load Address	Before
Load Data	After
Load Address+Data	After
Store Address	Before
Store Data	Before
Store Address+Data	Before

This trigger type may be limited to address comparisons (select is always 0) only. If that is the case, then tdata2 must be able to hold all valid virtual addresses but it need not be capable of holding other values.

2	XLEN-1	X	LEN-4	XI	EN-5	XLI	EN-6	XLEN-11	L	XLEN	-12			23	22	21	20	19	
	ty	pe		dr	node		maskı	max				0			size	ehi	hit	sele	ct
	4	4			1		6				XLI	EN - 3	34		2		1	1	
	18		17	16	15	12	11	10	7	6	5	4	3		2	1		0	
	timir	ng	size	lo	act	ion	chain	mate	ch	m	0	S	u	exe	cute	sto	re l	oad	
	1		2		4	Į.	1	4		1	1	1	1		1	1		1	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
maskmax	Specifies the largest naturally aligned powers-of-	R	Preset
	two (NAPOT) range supported by the hardware		
	when match is 1. The value is the logarithm base		
	2 of the number of bytes in that range. A value		
	of 0 indicates that only exact value matches are		
	supported (one byte range). A value of 63 corre-		
	sponds to the maximum NAPOT range, which is		
	$2^{63}$ bytes in size.		
sizehi	This field only exists if XLEN is greater than 32.	R/W	0
	In that case it extends size. If it does not exist		
	then hardware operates as if the field contains 0.		
hit	If this optional bit is implemented, the hardware	R/W	0
	sets it when this trigger matches. The trigger's		
	user can set or clear it at any time. The trigger's		
	user can use this bit to determine which trigger(s)		
	matched. If the bit is not implemented, it is al-		
	ways 0 and writing it has no effect.		
select	0: Perform a match on the virtual address.	R/W	0
	1: Perform a match on the data value loaded/s-		
	tored, or the instruction executed.		

Field	Description	Access	Reset
timing	0: The action for this trigger will be taken just be-	R/W	0
	fore the instruction that triggered it is executed,		
	but after all preceding instructions are are com-		
	mitted.		
	1: The action for this trigger will be taken af-		
	ter the instruction that triggered it is executed.		
	It should be taken before the next instruction is		
	executed, but it is better to implement triggers		
	and not implement that suggestion than to not		
	implement them at all.		
	Most hardware will only implement one timing or		
	the other, possibly dependent on select, execute,		
	load, and store. This bit primarily exists for the		
	hardware to communicate to the debugger what		
	will happen. Hardware may implement the bit		
	fully writable, in which case the debugger has a		
	little more control.		
	Data load triggers with timing of 0 will result in		
	the same load happening again when the debugger		
	lets the hart run. For data load triggers, debug-		
	gers must first attempt to set the breakpoint with		
	timing of 1.		
	A chain of triggers that don't all have the same		
	timing value will never fire (unless consecutive in-		
	structions match the appropriate triggers).		
	If a trigger with timing of 0 matches, it is		
	implementation-dependent whether that prevents		
	a trigger with timing of 1 matching as well.		

Field	Description	Access	Reset
sizelo	This field contains the 2 low bits of size. The	R/W	0
	high bits come from sizehi. The combined value		
	is interpreted as follows:		
	0: The trigger will attempt to match against an		
	access of any size. The behavior is only well-		
	defined if the select=0, or if the access size is MXLEN.		
	1: The trigger will only match against 8-bit mem-		
	ory accesses.		
	2: The trigger will only match against 16-bit		
	memory accesses or execution of 16-bit instruc-		
	tions.		
	3: The trigger will only match against 32-bit		
	memory accesses or execution of 32-bit instruc-		
	tions.		
	4: The trigger will only match against execution		
	of 48-bit instructions.		
	5: The trigger will only match against 64-bit		
	memory accesses or execution of 64-bit instruc-		
	tions.		
	6: The trigger will only match against execution		
	of 80-bit instructions.		
	7: The trigger will only match against execution		
	of 96-bit instructions.		
	8: The trigger will only match against execution		
	of 112-bit instructions.		
	9: The trigger will only match against 128-bit		
	memory accesses or execution of 128-bit instruc-		
	tions.		
action	The action to take when the trigger fires. The	R/W	0
	values are explained in Table 5.1.		

Field	Description	Access	Reset
chain	0: When this trigger matches, the configured ac-	R/W	0
	tion is taken.		
	1: While this trigger does not match, it prevents		
	the trigger with the next index from matching.		
	A trigger chain starts on the first trigger with		
	chain = 1 after a trigger with chain = $0$ , or simply		
	on the first trigger if that has $chain = 1$ . It ends		
	on the first trigger after that that has $chain = 0$ .		
	This final trigger is part of the chain. The action		
	on all but the final trigger is ignored. The action		
	on that final trigger will be taken if and only if all		
	the triggers in the chain match at the same time.		
	Because chain affects the next trigger, hardware		
	must zero it in writes to mcontrol that set dmode		
	to 0 if the next trigger has dmode of 1. In addition		
	hardware should ignore writes to mcontrol that		
	set dmode to 1 if the previous trigger has both		
	dmode of 0 and chain of 1. Debuggers must avoid		
	the latter case by checking chain on the previous		
	trigger if they're writing mcontrol.		
	Implementations that wish to limit the maximum		
	length of a trigger chain (eg. to meet timing re-		
	quirements) may do so by zeroing chain in writes		
	to mcontrol that would make the chain too long.		
match	0: Matches when the value equals tdata2.	R/W	0
	1: Matches when the top M bits of the value		
	match the top M bits of tdata2. M is XLEN-1		
	minus the index of the least-significant bit con-		
	taining 0 in tdata2.		
	2: Matches when the value is greater than (un-		
	signed) or equal to tdata2.		
	3: Matches when the value is less than (unsigned)		
	tdata2.		
	4: Matches when the lower half of the value equals		
	the lower half of tdata2 after the lower half of the		
	value is ANDed with the upper half of tdata2.		
	5: Matches when the upper half of the value		
	equals the lower half of tdata2 after the upper		
	half of the value is ANDed with the upper half of		
	tdata2.		
	Other values are reserved for future use.	D /117	0
m	When set, enable this trigger in M mode.	R/W	0
S	When set, enable this trigger in S mode.	R/W	0
u	When set, enable this trigger in U mode.	R/W	0

Field	Description	Access	Reset
execute	When set, the trigger fires on the virtual address	R/W	0
	or opcode of an instruction that is executed.		
store	When set, the trigger fires on the virtual address	R/W	0
	or data of a store.		
load	When set, the trigger fires on the virtual address	R/W	0
	or data of a load.		

## 5.2.8 Instruction Count (icount, at 0x7a1)

This register is accessible as tdata1 when type is 3.

This trigger type is intended to be used as a single step that's useful both for external debuggers and for software monitor programs. For that case it is not necessary to support count greater than 1. The only two combinations of the mode bits that are useful in those scenarios are u by itself, or m, s, and u all set.

If the hardware limits count to 1, and changes mode bits instead of decrementing count, this register can be implemented with just 2 bits. One for u, and one for m and s tied together. If only the external debugger or only a software monitor needs to be supported, a single bit is enough.

XLEN-1	XLEN-4	XLEN-5	XLEN-6	25	24	23	10	9	8	7	6	5	0
tyı	ре	dmode	0		hit	С	ount	m	0	S	u	actio	on
4		1	XLEN -	30	1		14	1	1	1	1	6	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
hit	If this optional bit is implemented, the hardware	R/W	0
	sets it when this trigger matches. The trigger's		
	user can set or clear it at any time. The trigger's		
	user can use this bit to determine which trigger(s)		
	matched. If the bit is not implemented, it is al-		
	ways 0 and writing it has no effect.		
count	When count is decremented to 0, the trigger fires.	R/W	1
	Instead of changing count from 1 to 0, it is also		
	acceptable for hardware to clear $m$ , $s$ , and $u$ . This		
	allows count to be hard-wired to 1 if this register		
	just exists for single step.		
m	When set, every instruction completed or excep-	R/W	0
	tion taken in M mode decrements count by 1.		
S	When set, every instruction completed or excep-	R/W	0
	tion taken in S mode decrements count by 1.		
u	When set, every instruction completed or excep-	R/W	0
	tion taken in U mode decrements count by 1.		
	<i>a</i>	7	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
action	The action to take when the trigger fires. The	R/W	0
	values are explained in Table 5.1.		

## 5.2.9 Interrupt Trigger (itrigger, at 0x7a1)

This register is accessible as tdata1 when type is 4.

This trigger may fire on any of the interrupts configurable in mie (described in the Privileged Spec). The interrupts to fire on are configured by setting the same bit in tdata2 as would be set in mie to enable the interrupt.

Hardware may only support a subset of interrupts for this trigger. A debugger must read back tdata2 after writing it to confirm the requested functionality is actually supported.

The trigger only fires if the hart takes a trap because of the interrupt. (Eg. it does not fire when a timer interrupt occurs but that interrupt is not enabled in mie.)

When the trigger fires, all CSRs are updated as defined by the Privileged Spec, and the requested action is taken just before the first instruction of the interrupt/exception handler is executed.

XLEN-1	XLEN-4	XLEN-5	XLEN-6	XLEN-7	10	9	8	7	6	5 0	
ty	ре	dmode	hit	0		m	0	S	u	action	
	1	1	1	XLEN - 16		1	1	1	1	6	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
hit	If this optional bit is implemented, the hardware	R/W	0
	sets it when this trigger matches. The trigger's		
	user can set or clear it at any time. The trigger's		
	user can use this bit to determine which trigger(s)		
	matched. If the bit is not implemented, it is al-		
	ways 0 and writing it has no effect.		
m	When set, enable this trigger for interrupts that	R/W	0
	are taken from M mode.		
S	When set, enable this trigger for interrupts that	R/W	0
	are taken from S mode.		
u	When set, enable this trigger for interrupts that	R/W	0
	are taken from U mode.		
action	The action to take when the trigger fires. The	R/W	0
	values are explained in Table 5.1.		

#### 5.2.10 Exception Trigger (etrigger, at 0x7a1)

This register is accessible as tdata1 when type is 5.

This trigger may fire on up to XLEN of the Exception Codes defined in mcause (described in the Privileged Spec, with Interrupt=0). Those causes are configured by writing the corresponding bit in tdata2. (Eg. to trap on an illegal instruction, the debugger sets bit 2 in tdata2.)

Hardware may support only a subset of exceptions. A debugger must read back tdata2 after writing it to confirm the requested functionality is actually supported.

When the trigger fires, all CSRs are updated as defined by the Privileged Spec, and the requested action is taken just before the first instruction of the interrupt/exception handler is executed.

XLEN-1	XLEN-4	XLEN-5	XLEN-6	XLEN-7	10	9	8	7	6	5   0	
ty	pe	dmode	hit	0		m	0	S	u	action	
	1	1	1	XLEN - 16		1	1	1	1	6	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
hit	If this optional bit is implemented, the hardware	R/W	0
	sets it when this trigger matches. The trigger's		
	user can set or clear it at any time. The trigger's		
	user can use this bit to determine which trigger(s)		
	matched. If the bit is not implemented, it is al-		
	ways 0 and writing it has no effect.		
m	When set, enable this trigger for exceptions that	R/W	0
	are taken from M mode.		
S	When set, enable this trigger for exceptions that	R/W	0
	are taken from S mode.		
u	When set, enable this trigger for exceptions that	R/W	0
	are taken from U mode.		
action	The action to take when the trigger fires. The	R/W	0
	values are explained in Table 5.1.		

# Chapter 6

# Debug Transport Module (DTM)

Debug Transport Modules provide access to the DM over one or more transports (e.g. JTAG or USB).

There may be multiple DTMs in a single platform. Ideally every component that communicates with the outside world includes a DTM, allowing a platform to be debugged through every transport it supports. For instance a USB component could include a DTM. This would trivially allow any platform to be debugged over USB. All that is required is that the USB module already in use also has access to the Debug Module Interface.

Using multiple DTMs at the same time is not supported. It is left to the user to ensure this does not happen.

This specification defines a JTAG DTM in Section 6.1. Additional DTMs may be added in future versions of this specification.

## 6.1 JTAG Debug Transport Module

This Debug Transport Module is based around a normal JTAG Test Access Port (TAP). The JTAG TAP allows access to arbitrary JTAG registers by first selecting one using the JTAG instruction register (IR), and then accessing it through the JTAG data register (DR).

#### 6.1.1 JTAG Background

JTAG refers to IEEE Std 1149.1-2013. It is a standard that defines test logic that can be included in an integrated circuit to test the interconnections between integrated circuits, test the integrated circuit itself, and observe or modify circuit activity during the components normal operation. This specification uses the latter functionality. The JTAG standard defines a Test Access Port (TAP) that can be used to read and write a few custom registers, which can be used to communicate with debug hardware in a component.

#### 6.1.2 JTAG DTM Registers

JTAG TAPs used as a DTM must have an IR of at least 5 bits. When the TAP is reset, IR must default to 00001, selecting the IDCODE instruction. A full list of JTAG registers along with their encoding is in Table 6.1. If the IR actually has more than 5 bits, then the encodings in Table 6.1 should be extended with 0's in their most significant bits. The only regular JTAG registers a debugger might use are BYPASS and IDCODE, but this specification leaves IR space for many other standard JTAG instructions. Unimplemented instructions must select the BYPASS register.

Table 6.1: JTAG DTM TAP Registers

Address	Name	Description	Page
0x00	BYPASS	JTAG recommends this encoding	
0x01	IDCODE	JTAG recommends this encoding	
0x10	DTM Control and Status	For Debugging	63
0x11	Debug Module Interface Access	For Debugging	64
0x12	Reserved (BYPASS)	Reserved for future RISC-V debugging	
0x13	Reserved (BYPASS)	Reserved for future RISC-V debugging	
0x14	Reserved (BYPASS)	Reserved for future RISC-V debugging	
0x15	Reserved (BYPASS)	Reserved for future RISC-V standards	
0x16	Reserved (BYPASS)	Reserved for future RISC-V standards	
0x17	Reserved (BYPASS)	Reserved for future RISC-V standards	
0x1f	BYPASS	JTAG requires this encoding	

#### 6.1.3 IDCODE (at 0x01)

This register is selected (in IR) when the TAP state machine is reset. Its definition is exactly as defined in IEEE Std 1149.1-2013.

This entire register is read-only.

31	28	27	12	11	1	0
Ver	sion	PartN	umber	Mar	nufld	1
4		1	6	1	1	1

Field	Description	Access	Reset
Version	Identifies the release version of this part.	R	Preset
PartNumber	Identifies the designer's part number of this part.	R	Preset
Manufld	Identifies the designer/manufacturer of this part.	R	Preset
	Bits 6:0 must be bits 6:0 of the designer/manufac-		
	turer's Identification Code as assigned by JEDEC		
	Standard JEP106. Bits 10:7 contain the modulo-		
	16 count of the number of continuation characters		
	(0x7f) in that same Identification Code.		

### 6.1.4 DTM Control and Status (dtmcs, at 0x10)

The size of this register will remain constant in future versions so that a debugger can always determine the version of the DTM.

31 18 17		17 16 15		15	14	12	11	10	9	4	3	0
	0	dmihardreset	dmireset	0	id	le	dmis	stat	abi	ts	vers	sion
	14	1	1	1		3	2		6		4	

Field	Description	Access	Reset
dmihardreset	Writing 1 to this bit does a hard reset of the DTM,	W1	0
	causing the DTM to forget about any outstand-		
	ing DMI transactions. In general this should only		
	be used when the Debugger has reason to expect		
	that the outstanding DMI transaction will never		
	complete (e.g. a reset condition caused an inflight		
	DMI transaction to be cancelled).		
dmireset	Writing 1 to this bit clears the sticky error state	W1	0
	and allows the DTM to retry or complete the pre-		
	vious transaction.		
idle	This is a hint to the debugger of the minimum	R	Preset
	number of cycles a debugger should spend in Run-		
	Test/Idle after every DMI scan to avoid a 'busy'		
	return code (dmistat of 3). A debugger must still		
	check dmistat when necessary.		
	0: It is not necessary to enter Run-Test/Idle at		
	all.		
	1: Enter Run-Test/Idle and leave it immediately.		
	2: Enter Run-Test/Idle and stay there for 1 cycle		
	before leaving.		
	And so on.		
dmistat	0: No error.	R	0
	1: Reserved. Interpret the same as 2.		
	2: An operation failed (resulted in op of 2).		
	3: An operation was attempted while a DMI ac-		
	cess was still in progress (resulted in op of 3).		
abits	The size of address in dmi.	R	Preset
version	0: Version described in spec version 0.11.	R	1
	1: Version described in spec version 0.13 (and		
	later?), which reduces the DMI data width to 32		
	bits.		
	15: Version not described in any available version		
	of this spec.		

#### 6.1.5 Debug Module Interface Access (dmi, at 0x11)

This register allows access to the Debug Module Interface (DMI).

In Update-DR, the DTM starts the operation specified in op unless the current status reported in op is sticky.

In Capture-DR, the DTM updates data with the result from that operation, updating op if the current op isn't sticky.

See Section B.1 and Table B.1 for examples of how this is used.

The still-in-progress status is sticky to accommodate debuggers that batch together a number of scans, which must all be executed or stop as soon as there's a problem.

For instance a series of scans may write a Debug Program and execute it. If one of the writes fails but the execution continues, then the Debug Program may hang or have other unexpected side effects.

abits+33	34	33	2	1	0
address			data	O	р
abits			32	2	!

Field	Description	Access	Reset
address	Address used for DMI access. In Update-DR this	R/W	0
	value is used to access the DM over the DMI.		
data	The data to send to the DM over the DMI during	R/W	0
	Update-DR, and the data returned from the DM		
	as a result of the previous operation.		

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Field	Description	Access	Reset
ор	When the debugger writes this field, it has the	R/W	2
	following meaning:		
	0: Ignore data and address. (nop)		
	Don't send anything over the DMI during		
	Update-DR. This operation should never result in		
	a busy or error response. The address and data		
	reported in the following Capture-DR are unde-		
	fined.		
	1: Read from address. (read)		
	2: Write data to address. (write)		
	3: Reserved.		
	When the debugger reads this field, it means the		
	following:		
	0: The previous operation completed successfully.		
	1: Reserved.		
	2: A previous operation failed. The data scanned		
	into dmi in this access will be ignored. This status		
	is sticky and can be cleared by writing dmireset in		
	dtmcs.		
	This indicates that the DM itself responded with		
	an error. Note: there are no specified cases in		
	which the DM would respond with an error, and		
	DMI is not required to support returning errors.		
	3: An operation was attempted while a DMI re-		
	quest is still in progress. The data scanned into		
	dmi in this access will be ignored. This status is		
	sticky and can be cleared by writing dmireset in		
	dtmcs. If a debugger sees this status, it needs to		
	give the target more TCK edges between Update-		
	DR and Capture-DR. The simplest way to do that		
	is to add extra transitions in Run-Test/Idle.		
	(The DTM, DM, and/or component may be in		
	different clock domains, so synchronization may		
	be required. Some relatively fixed number of TCK		
	ticks may be needed for the request to reach the		
	DM, complete, and for the response to be syn-		
	chronized back into the TCK domain.)		

## 6.1.6 BYPASS (at 0x1f)

1-bit register that has no effect. It is used when a debugger does not want to communicate with this TAP.

This entire register is read-only.

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#### 6.1.7 Recommended JTAG Connector

To make it easy to acquire debug hardware, this spec recommends a connector that is compatible with the Atmel AVR JTAG Connector, as described below.

The connector is a .05"-spaced, gold-plated male header with .016" thick hardened copper or beryllium bronze square posts (SAMTEC FTSH-105 or equivalent). Female connectors are compatible  $20\mu m$  gold connectors.

Viewing the male header from above (the pins pointing at your eye), a target's connector looks as it does in Table 6.5. The function of each pin is described in Table 6.6.

Table 6.5: JTAG Connector Diagram

TCK	1	2	GND
TDO	3	4	VCC
TMS	5	6	(SRSTn)
(NC)	7	8	(TRSTn)
TDI	9	10	GND

Target connectors may be shrouded. In that case the key slot should be next to pin 5. Female headers should have a matching key.

Debug adapters should be tagged or marked with their isolation voltage threshold (i.e. unisolated, 250V, etc.).

All debug adapter pins other than GND should be current-limited to 20mA.

		Table 6.6: JTAG Connector Pinout
1	TCK	JTAG TCK signal, driven by the debug adapter. This
		pin must be clearly marked in both male and female
		headers.
5	TMS	JTAG TMS signal, driven by debug adapter.
9	TDI	JTAG TDI signal, driven by the debug adapter.
3	TDO	JTAG TDO signal, driven by the target.
8	TRSTn	Test Reset (optional, only used by some devices. Used
		to reset the JTAG TAP Controller).
4	VCC	Reference voltage for logic high. A debug adapter
		may attempt to draw up to 20mA from this pin to
		power itself, but a target is not obligated to provide
		that power.
2, 10	GND	Target ground.
6	SRSTn	Active-low reset signal, driven by the debug adapter.
		Asserting reset should reset any RISC-V cores as well
		as any other peripherals on the PCB. It should not
		reset the debug logic. Although connecting this pin is
		optional, it is recommended as it allows the debugger
		to hold the target device in a reset state, which may
		be essential to debug some scenarios. If not
		implemented in a target, this pin must not be
		connected.

# Appendix A

# Hardware Implementations

Below are two possible implementations. A designer could choose one, mix and match, or come up with their own design.

#### A.1 Abstract Command Based

Halting happens by stalling the hart execution pipeline.

Muxes on the register file(s) allow for accessing GPRs and CSRs using the Access Register abstract command.

Memory is accessed using the Abstract Access Memory command or through System Bus Access.

This implementation could allow a debugger to collect information from the hart even when that hart is unable to execute instructions.

#### A.2 Execution Based

This implementation only implements the Access Register abstract command for GPRs on a halted hart, and relies on the Program Buffer for all other operations.

This method uses the hart's existing pipeline and ability to execute from arbitrary memory locations to avoid modifications to a hart's datapath. When the halt request bit is set, the Debug Module raises a special interrupt to the selected hart(s). This interrupt causes each hart to enter Debug Mode and jump to a defined memory region that is serviced by the DM. When taking this exception, pc is saved to dpc and cause is updated in dcsr.

The code in the Debug Module causes the hart to execute a "park loop". In the park loop the hart writes its mhartid to a memory location within the Debug Module to indicate that it is halted. To allow the DM to individually control one out of several halted harts, each hart polls for flags in a DM-controlled memory location to determine whether the debugger wants it to execute the

Program Buffer or perform a resume.

To execute an abstract command, the DM first populates some internal words of program buffer according to command. When transfer is set, the DM populates these words with lw <gpr>, 0x400(zero) or sw 0x400(zero), <gpr>. 64- and 128-bit accesses use ld/sd and lq/sq respectively. If transfer is not set, the DM populates these instructions as nops. If execute is set, execution continues to the debugger-controlled Program Buffer, otherwise the DM causes a ebreak to execute immediately.

When ebreak is executed (indicating the end of the Program Buffer code) the hart returns to its park loop. If an exception is encountered, the hart jumps to a defined debug exception address within the Debug Module. The code at that address causes the hart to write to an address in the Debug Module which indicates exception. This address is considered I/O for fence instructions (see #10 on page 39). Then the hart jumps back to the park loop. The DM infers from the write that there was an exception, and sets cmderr appropriately.

To resume execution, the debug module sets a flag which causes the hart to execute a dret. When dret is executed, pc is restored from dpc and normal execution resumes at the privilege set by prv.

data0 etc. are mapped into regular memory at an address relative to zero with only a 12-bit imm. The exact address is an implementation detail that a debugger must not rely on. For example, the data registers might be mapped to 0x400.

For additional flexibility, progbuf0, etc. are mapped into regular memory immediately preceding data0, in order to form a contiguous region of memory which can be used for either program execution or data transfer.

# Appendix B

# Debugger Implementation

This section details how an external debugger might use the described debug interface to perform some common operations on RISC-V cores using the JTAG DTM described in Appendix ??. All these examples assume a 32-bit core but it should be easy to adapt the examples to 64- or 128-bit cores.

To keep the examples readable, they all assume that everything succeeds, and that they complete faster than the debugger can perform the next access. This will be the case in a typical JTAG setup. However, the debugger must always check the sticky error status bits after performing a sequence of actions. If it sees any that are set, then it should attempt the same actions again, possibly while adding in some delay, or explicit checks for status bits.

# B.1 Debug Module Interface Access

To read an arbitrary Debug Module register, select dmi, and scan in a value with op set to 1, and address set to the desired register address. In Update-DR the operation will start, and in Capture-DR its results will be captured into data. If the operation didn't complete in time, op will be 3 and the value in data must be ignored. The busy condition must be cleared by writing dmireset in dtmcs, and then the second scan scan must be performed again. This process must be repeated until op returns 0. In later operations the debugger should allow for more time between Capture-DR and Update-DR.

To write an arbitrary Debug Bus register, select dmi, and scan in a value with op set to 2, and address and data set to the desired register address and data respectively. From then on everything happens exactly as with a read, except that a write is performed instead of the read.

It should almost never be necessary to scan IR, avoiding a big part of the inefficiency in typical JTAG use.

#### B.2 Checking for Halted Harts

A user will want to know as quickly as possible when a hart is halted (e.g. due to a breakpoint). To efficiently determine which harts are halted when there are many harts, the debugger uses the haltsum registers. Assuming the maximum number of harts exist, first it checks haltsum3. For each bit set there, it writes hartsel, and checks haltsum2. This process repeats through haltsum1 and haltsum0. Depending on how many harts exist, the process should start at one of the lower haltsum registers.

#### B.3 Halting

To halt one or more harts, the debugger selects them, sets haltreq, and then waits for allhalted to indicate the harts are halted before clearing haltreq to 0.

#### B.4 Running

First, the debugger should restore any registers that it has overwritten. Then it can let the selected harts run by setting resumereq. Once allresumeack is set, the debugger knows the hart has resumed, and it can clear resumereq. Note that harts might halt very quickly after resuming (e.g. by hitting a software breakpoint) so the debugger cannot use allhalted/anyhalted to check whether the hart resumed.

## B.5 Single Step

Using the hardware single step feature is almost the same as regular running. The debugger just sets step in dcsr before letting the hart run. The hart behaves exactly as in the running case, except that interrupts may be disabled (depending on stepie) and it only fetches and executes a single instruction before re-entering Debug Mode.

## B.6 Accessing Registers

#### **B.6.1** Using Abstract Command

Read s0 using abstract command:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	command	$aarsize = 2,  transfer,  0\mathrm{x}1008$	Read s0
Read	data0	-	Returns value that was in s0

Write mstatus using abstract command:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	data0	new value	
Write	command	$aarsize = 2,  transfer,  write,  0\mathrm{x}300$	Write mstatus

### B.6.2 Using Program Buffer

Abstract commands are used to exchange data with GPRs. Using this mechanism, other registers can be accessed by moving their value into/out of GPRs.

Write mstatus using program buffer:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	progbuf0	csrw s0,	
		MSTATUS	
Write	progbuf1	ebreak	
Write	data0	new value	
Write	command	aarsize = 2,	Write s0, then execute program buffer
		postexec,	
		transfer,	
		write, $0x1008$	

Read f1 using program buffer:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	progbuf0	fmv.x.s s0, f1	
Write	progbuf1	ebreak	
Write	command	postexec	Execute program buffer
Write	command	transfer 0x1008	read s0
Read	data0	-	Returns the value that was in f1

# B.7 Reading Memory

#### B.7.1 Using System Bus Access

With system bus access, addresses are physical system bus addresses.

Read a word from memory using system bus access:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	sbcs	sbaccess = 2, $sbreadonaddr$	Setup
Write	sbaddress0	address	
Read	sbdata0	-	Value read from memory

Read block of memory using system bus access:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	sbcs	sbaccess = 2, $sbreadonaddr$ ,	Turn on autoread and autoincrement
		sbreadondata, sbautoincrement	
Write	sbaddress0	address	Writing address triggers read and increment
Read	sbdata0	-	Value read from memory
Read	sbdata0	-	Next value read from memory
Write	sbcs	0	Disable autoread
Read	sbdata0	-	Get last value read from memory.

### B.7.2 Using Program Buffer

Through the Program Buffer, the hart performs the memory accesses. Addresses are physical or virtual (depending on mprven and other system configuration).

Read a word from memory using program buffer:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	progbuf0	lw s0, 0(s0)	
Write	progbuf1	ebreak	
Write	data0	address	
Write	command	write, postexec, 0x1008	Write s0, then execute program buffer
Write	command	0x1008	Read s0
Read	data0	-	Value read from memory

Read block of memory using program buffer:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	progbuf0	lw s1, 0(s0)	
Write	progbuf1	addi s0, s0, 4	
Write	progbuf2	ebreak	
Write	data0	address	
Write	command	write, postexec, $0x1008$	Write s0, then execute program buffer
Write	command	postexec, 0x1009	Read \$1, then execute program buffer
Write	abstractauto	autoexecdata [0]	Set autoexecdata [0]
Read	data0	-	Get value read from memory, then execute program
			buffer
Read	data0	-	Get next value read from memory, then execute
			program buffer
•••			
Write	abstractauto	0	Clear autoexecdata [0]
Read	data0	-	Get last value read from memory.

TODO: Table B.1 shows the scans involved in reading a single word using this method.

Table B.1: Memory Read Timeline

	JTAG State	Activity
TODO	TODO	TODO

#### B.7.3 Using Abstract Memory Access

Abstract memory accesses act as if they are performed by the hart, although the actual implementation may differ.

Read a word from memory using abstract memory access:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	data1	address	
Write	command	cmdtype=2, $aamsize = 2$	
Read	data0	-	Value read from memory

Read block of memory using abstract memory access:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	abstractauto	1 F	Re-execute the command when data0 is accessed
Write	data1	address	
Write	command	cmdtype=2, $aamsize =2$ ,	
		aampostincrement =1	
Read	data0	-   H	Read value, and trigger reading of next address
•••			
Write	abstractauto	0 I	Disable auto-exec
Read	data0	- (	Get last value read from memory.

# B.8 Writing Memory

#### B.8.1 Using System Bus Access

With system bus access, addresses are physical system bus addresses.

Write a word to memory using system bus access:

C	p Address	Value	Comment
Wri	e sbaddress0	address	
Wri	e sbdata0	value	

Write block of memory using system bus access:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	sbcs	sbaccess = 2, $sbautoincrement$	Turn on autoincrement
Write	sbaddress0	address	
Write	sbdata0	value0	
Write	sbdata0	value1	
	•••		
Write	sbdata0	valueN	

#### B.8.2 Using Program Buffer

Through the Program Buffer, the hart performs the memory accesses. Addresses are physical or virtual (depending on mprven and other system configuration).

Write a word to memory using program buffer:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	progbuf0	sw s1, 0(s0)	
Write	progbuf1	ebreak	
Write	data0	value	
Write	command	write, 0x1008	Write s0
Write	data0	address	
Write	command	write, postexec, 0x1009	Write s1, then execute program buffer

Write block of memory using program buffer:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	progbuf0	sw s1, 0(s0)	
Write	progbuf1	addi s0, s0, 4	
Write	progbuf2	ebreak	
Write	data0	address	
Write	command	write, 0x1008	Write s0
Write	data0	value0	
Write	command	write, postexec, 0x1009	Write s1, then execute program buffer
Write	abstractauto	autoexecdata [0]	Set autoexecdata [0]
Write	data0	value1	
Write	data0	valueN	
Write	abstractauto	0	Clear autoexecdata [0]

### B.8.3 Using Abstract Memory Access

Abstract memory accesses act as if they are performed by the hart, although the actual implementation may differ.

Write a word to memory using abstract memory access:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	data1	address	
Write	data0	value	
Write	command	cmdtype=2, aamsize =2, write=1	

Write block of memory using abstract memory access:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	data1	address	
Write	data0	value0	
Write	command	cmdtype=2, aamsize =2,	
		write=1, aampostincrement	
		=1	
Write	abstractauto	1	Re-execute the command when data0 is accessed
Write	data0	value1	
Write	data0	value2	
•••			
Write	data0	valueN	
Write	abstractauto	0	Disable auto-exec

## B.9 Triggers

A debugger can use hardware triggers to halt a hart when a certain event occurs. Below are some examples, but as there is no requirement on the number of features of the triggers implemented by a hart, these examples may not be applicable to all implementations. When a debugger wants to set a trigger, it writes the desired configuration, and then reads back to see if that configuration is supported.

Enter Debug Mode just before the instruction at 0x80001234 is executed, to be used as an instruction breakpoint in ROM:

tdata1	0x105c	action=1, match=0, m=1, s=1, u=1, execute=1
tdata2	0x80001234	address

Enter Debug Mode right after the value at 0x80007f80 is read:

tdata1	0x4159	timing=1, action=1, match=0, m=1, s=1, u=1,
		load=1
tdata2	0x80007f80	address

Enter Debug Mode right before a write to an address between 0x80007c80 and 0x80007cef (inclusive):

tdata1 0	0x195a	action=1, chain=1, match=2, m=1, s=1, u=1,
		store=1
tdata2 0	0x80007c80	start address (inclusive)
tdata1 1	0x11da	action=1, match=3, m=1, s=1, u=1, store=1
tdata2 1	0x80007cf0	end address (exclusive)

Enter Debug Mode right before a write to an address between 0x81230000 and 0x8123ffff (inclusive):

tdata1	0x10da	action=1, match=1, m=1, s=1, u=1, store=1
tdata2	0x81237fff	16 bits to match exactly, then 0, then all ones.

Enter Debug Mode right after a read from an address between 0x86753090 and 0x8675309f or between 0x96753090 and 0x9675309f (inclusive):

tdata1 0	0x41a59	timing=1, action=1, chain=1, match=4, m=1, s=1,	
		u=1, load=1	
tdata2 0	0xfff03090	Mask for low half, then match for low half	
tdata1 1	0x412d9	timing=1, action=1, match=5, m=1, s=1, u=1,	
		load=1	
tdata2 1	0x7fff8675	Mask for high half, then match for high half	

## **B.10** Handling Exceptions

Generally the debugger can avoid exceptions by being careful with the programs it writes. Sometimes they are unavoidable though, e.g. if the user asks to access memory or a CSR that is not implemented. A typical debugger will not know enough about the platform to know what's going to happen, and must attempt the access to determine the outcome.

When an exception occurs while executing the Program Buffer, cmderr becomes set. The debugger can check this field to see whether a program encountered an exception. If there was an exception, it's left to the debugger to know what must have caused it.

# B.11 Quick Access

There are a variety of instructions to transfer data between GPRs and the data registers. They are either loads/stores or CSR reads/writes. The specific addresses also vary. This is all specified in hartinfo. The examples here use the pseudo-op transfer dest, src to represent all these options.

Halt the hart for a minimum amount of time to perform a single memory write:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	progbuf0	transfer arg2, s0	Save s0
Write	progbuf1	transfer s0, arg0	Read first argument (address)
Write	progbuf2	transfer arg0, s1	Save s1
Write	progbuf3	transfer s1, arg1	Read second argument (data)
Write	progbuf4	sw s1, 0(s0)	
Write	progbuf5	transfer s1, arg0	Restore s1
Write	progbuf6	transfer s0, arg2	Restore s0
Write	progbuf7	ebreak	
Write	data0	address	
Write	data1	data	
Write	command	0x10000000	Perform quick access

This shows an example of setting the m bit in mcontrol to enable a hardware breakpoint in M mode. Similar quick access instructions could have been used previously to configure the trigger that is being enabled here:

Op	Address	Value	Comment
Write	progbuf0	transfer arg0, s0	Save s0
Write	progbuf1	li s0, (1 << 6)	Form the mask for <b>m</b> bit
Write	progbuf2	csrrs x0, tdata1, s0	Apply the mask to mcontrol
Write	progbuf3	transfer s0, arg2	Restore s0
Write	progbuf4	ebreak	
Write	command	0x10000000	Perform quick access

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# Change Log

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			(#331)
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			(#334)
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			(#333)
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2ca20aa	2018-08-13	Tim Newsome	clrresethaltreq trumps setresethaltreq $(#332)$
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81 df 032	2018-08-10	Tim Newsome	Explain what we mean by Preset. (#323)
b51c6db	2018-08-10	Tim Newsome	Clarify ebreak behavior when ebreak* are 0. (#311)
a14d868	2018-08-10	Tim Newsome	Allow extra harts to be reset. (#330)
6d60ad9	2018-08-07	Tim Newsome	Rebuild PDF
f4bd15f	2018-08-02	Tim Newsome	Define cmderr for non-existent register access.
			(#325)
2d7d3d0	2018-07-20	Tim Newsome	Fix typo in data0 definition.
c8a64d1	2018-07-19	Tim Newsome	Rebuild PDF.
9d2944f	2018-07-18	Tim Newsome	Add size to mcontrol. (#310)
6 bd1a4c	2018-07-16	Tim Newsome	Put the description of dmstatus first. (#303)
25e81e5	2018-07-12	Tim Newsome	Fix typo in trigger example. (#308)
8462c94	2018-07-09	Tim Newsome	Rebuild pdf.
38 fde 94	2018-07-09	Tim Newsome	datacount cannot be 0 (#286)
800 ca 8 d	2018-07-06	Tim Newsome	Clarifications requested by Jeremy Bennett (#280)
b363afa	2018-07-06	Tim Newsome	Add missing .tex file to dependencies. (#302)
93340e4	2018-07-06	Tim Newsome	Clarify that trigger registers are WARL. (#306)
95af58a	2018-07-06	Tim Newsome	Force the register-address in place. (#304)
d83039d	2018-07-06	Tim Newsome	\Fcause priority numbers: higher means higher
			(#307)
921c6a3	2018-07-03	Tim Newsome	Completing progbuf exec is I/O for fence insts.
			(#305)
99e01fa	2018-06-27	Tim Newsome	Add target-specific bits to abstract access memory.
			(#295)
4a0152d			
	2018-06-19	Tim Newsome	Only write busy to \Fcmderr if \Fcmderr is 0.
b0dc615	2018-06-19	Tim Newsome	Only write busy to \Fcmderr if \Fcmderr is 0. (#296)
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	2018-06-16	Tim Newsome	(#296) Rebuild the PDF. Fix typo in abstract access memory examples.
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7c840dd	2018-06-08	Tim Newsome	Specify an Exception Trigger (#266)
9d0d8af	2018-06-06	Tim Newsome	Clarify what address space these registers are in
guudoai	2016-00-00	1 IIII Newsome	•
a7f293d	2018-06-03	Tim Newsome	(#281) Add missing dependency to Makefile (#285)
37893aa	2018-05-30	Tim Newsome	
			Make trigger types writable. (#279)
6730cc0	2018-05-29	Tim Newsome	Explain priority assignment rationale. (#277)
b6d5d66	2018-05-25	Tim Newsome	Prevent M mode triggers affecting D mode ones (#282)
08ee84f	2018-05-22	Tim Newsome	Reading tselect doesn't guarantee a valid trigger. (#271)
6 dfe 375	2018-04-18	Megan Wachs	Debug Module should be capitalized
dac2120	2018-04-11	Megan Wachs	resethaltreq: Proposal for forcing a hart into debug
		_	mode out of reset
3b6442f	2018-05-16	Tim Newsome	tdata2 need only hold valid addresses if select=0 (#278)
$68501 \mathrm{cb}$	2018-04-26	mwachs5	mprven: Add a bit to enable MPRV to take effect in
			debug mode
9fcabe0	2018-05-03	Megan Wachs	Appendix: correct and clarify what debugger vs DM
			does
$30773 \mathrm{fd}$	2018-05-03	Tim Newsome	Debuggers must not write sbcs while sbbusy is set
<b>5</b> 0.10.10	0010 05 00	N.C. 337 1	(#270)
50d8cd8	2018-05-03	Megan Wachs	Remove merge commits from the changelog
3b7a296	2018-05-02	Tim Newsome	Fix typo.
b26072b	2018-05-02	Tim Newsome	Explain that 1 in hart array mask means selected
41f6026	2018-05-02	Megan Wachs	Examples: Give an example of CSR access with Quick Access (#268)
675bb14	2018-05-01	Tim Newsome	Replace XLEN with MXLEN. #257
848cca $1$	2018-04-30	Megan Wachs	Overview Diagram: increase number of Progbuf
		9	words (#267)
a719ee6	2018-04-25	Megan Wachs	fix misspelled name
097c701	2018-04-23	Tim Newsome	Fix typo.
01 dabd5	2018-04-23	Tim Newsome	Incorporate review feedback.
ca7a9d0	2018-04-18	Tim Newsome	Add trigger examples for match types 1, 4, and 5
cd5a15c	2018-04-16	Tim Newsome	Give a few trigger examples.
4375927	2018-04-12	Tim Newsome	Clarify that maskmax applies only to NAPOT trigger
acadfe9	2018-04-13	Megan Wachs	NMI: debugging may not be possible if an NMI hap-
acaaroo	2010 01 10	1,10,0011 ,,,00110	pens
8fb190c	2018-04-12	Tim Newsome	Another attempt at SBA errors.
714c5d1	2018-04-11	Megan Wachs	Core Debug: all interrupts are masked includes NMI
56fbd9d	2018-04-11	Megan Wachs	DCSR: add nmip bit to indicate NMI is pending
fffe3c2	2018-04-10	Tim Newsome	Clarify SBA unsupport access size error.
b4006ac	2018-04-10	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Clarify high bits of sbdata in narrow reads.
4ca83dd	2018-04-10	Tim Newsome	Clarify progbuf=1 some more
3b62243	2018-03-26	Tim Newsome	Clarify debugger requirements when progbufsize=1
ffba4d0	2018-03-26	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Explain why progbufsize=1 is special
6b88905	2018-03-20		haltsum1: correct its address to be BWC and not
บบดอลกอ	2010-00-19	Megan Wachs	overlap with ABSTRACTAUTO
$2382\mathrm{e}2\mathrm{e}$	2018-03-06	Megan Wachs	Correct some inaccuarices in the chisel generated files

3e88e11	2018-03-06	Megan Wachs	travis: add 'make chisel' target to regression
32cbb $9$ b	2018-03-19	Tim Newsome	Nonexistent/unavailable harts are not halted.
f8a7bb7	2018-03-19	Tim Newsome	More clarification.
e21ae4c	2018-03-16	Tim Newsome	Allow any bit in hart array mask to be tied to 0
efb7e45	2018-03-15	Tim Newsome	Change dcsr.prv reset value to 3
f19946b	2018-03-15	Tim Newsome	Clarify hart array mask register size.
ddec145	2018-03-14	Tim Newsome	Be more precise about core vs hart
4e5f4ad	2018-03-14	Tim Newsome	Review feedback.
8ac9273	2018-03-14	Tim Newsome	Be more precise about processor vs hart
83c9774	2018-03-14	Tim Newsome	Clarify abstract command errors.
$4 \mathrm{ebc} 177$	2018-03-14	Tim Newsome	hawindowsel can be smaller, depends on $\#$ of harts
11e1b5c	2018-03-14	Tim Newsome	Split future ideas section into a notes doc
bafeeaa	2018-03-13	Tim Newsome	Rebuild PDF
6a85d53	2018-03-13	Tim Newsome	Incorporate review feedback.
f213315	2018-03-09	Tim Newsome	Clarify user responsibilities when debugging lr/sc
3641305	2018-03-09	Tim Newsome	Remove implemented features from Future Ideas.
1135 bf3	2018-03-06	Tim Newsome	Incorporate feedback.
8f35e7e	2018-03-05	Megan Wachs	gt_1024: Clarify that some registers may not be
			present for small numbers of harts
683ae37	2018-02-14	Megan Wachs	hartsum-¿haltsum
ee51758	2018-02-14	Megan Wachs	Modification of j. 1024 hart proposal that maintains
			backwards compatibility
370d222	2018-03-05	Tim Newsome	Rephrase description of hit bit.
eee5e0c	2018-03-05	Tim Newsome	Clarify multiple DMs/harts
4d5acef	2018-02-28	Tim Newsome	Clarify what happens when \Fauthenticated is clear
6a0c9ec	2018-02-27	Tim Newsome	Move hit bit per review feedback.
097 bd8e	2018-02-21	Tim Newsome	Fix link to pre-built pdf
d21774b	2018-02-21	Omer Faruk IR-	Python interpreter to be used should default to
		MAK	Python2
a8c10cf	2018-02-20	Tim Newsome	Incorporate review feedback.
a0f947c	2018-02-20	Tim Newsome	Make trigger hit bit optional.
77e4634	2018-02-08	Tim Newsome	Add hit bit to hardware triggers.
140390a	2018-02-05	Tim Newsome	Better wording.
e35b1ff	2018-02-05	Tim Newsome	Move Reg Access Abbrev table after sample register
e887433	2018-02-05	Tim Newsome	Use longtable instead of xtabular.
5c84437	2018-01-31	Tim Newsome	Abstract Command data usage depends on the com-
			mand
3d508ea	2018-01-25	Tim Newsome	HARTSELBITS-¿HARTSELLEN and other feed-
			back
eb653f7	2018-01-24	Tim Newsome	Be explicit about the size of \Fhartsel.
822 bd 81	2018-01-24	Tim Newsome	Revert incrementing version number.
4c755af	2018-01-24	Tim Newsome	\Fsbbusyerror also inhibits new accesses.
457413d	2018-01-24	Tim Newsome	Update how to enumerate all harts.
2180801	2018-01-18	Tim Newsome	Fix ambiguity in busy error reporting.
3140efa	2018-01-09	Tim Newsome	Re-apply e698a5001aa4583d31dde484d78f4f10e4e3148f
			. No need to list out all the consecutive registers.
390 daa7	2018-01-18	mwachs5	sbaddress: Only writes to address will actually cause
	- 0		an error. Reads while busy are permitted.
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5c820f3	2018-01-18	Megan Wachs	Remove reference to "caches"
4533648	2018-01-18	Megan Wachs	correct access spelling
d37c1ac	2018-01-16	Tim Newsome	Fix table column overruns by going full manual
e9100ea	2018-01-16	Tim Newsome	Correct when sbbusy error is set for being busy.
c029cc7	2018-01-16	Tim Newsome	Complete partial sentence.
494338a	2018-01-15	Tim Newsome	Add clarifications about error handling.
e14c34e	2018-01-15	Tim Newsome	Incorporate review feedback.
68720e5	2018-01-15	Tim Newsome	Remove H bits from triggers.
b8eb62a	2018-01-15	Tim Newsome	Clarify when sbaccess is checked for validity
8b50d29	2018-01-12	Tim Newsome	Add \Fsbbusy, to avoid race clearing \Fsberror
50b1b41	2018-01-12	Tim Newsome	Clarify: writes to \Rsbdata0 write the new data
7f26759	2018-01-12	Tim Newsome	Clarify exactly which bits are used for SB access.
47a019c	2018-01-11	Tim Newsome	Fix typo.
a49d6ad	2018-01-11	Tim Newsome	sbreadonaddr is R/W
42195c2	2018-01-11	Tim Newsome	Fix cut-and-paste error.
6c95235	2018-01-11	Tim Newsome	Add sbaddress3, for future proofing.
e3345ea	2018-01-11	Tim Newsome	Incorporate review feedback.
6 da 48 f8	2018-01-11	Tim Newsome	Remove dmerr.
e99c092	2018-01-10	Tim Newsome	Add system bus version field.
a6aa531	2018-01-10	Tim Newsome	Talk about all data and progbuf regs in first reg
af272db	2018-01-09	Megan Wachs	Update dret font
3d579d8	2018-01-09	Tim Newsome	Explicitly list data[1-10] and progbuf[1-15]
c6481ae	2018-01-09	Tim Newsome	Revert "Explicitly list data[1-10] and progbuf[1-15]"
e698a50	2018-01-09	Tim Newsome	Explicitly list data[1-10] and progbuf[1-15]
e547ed5	2018-01-09	Tim Newsome	Clarify that we deal in physical addresses only.
b377b89	2018-01-09	Tim Newsome	Revert "Clarify that we deal in physical addresses
5511500	2010 01 00	Tim Ive Wadine	only."
f7da066	2018-01-09	Tim Newsome	Clarify that we deal in physical addresses only.
99a1599	2018-01-09	Tim Newsome	Clarify that \Fdatasize contains at most 12.
ae6e88a	2018-01-09	mwachs5	dret: Legal only in Debug Mode
18f392d	2017-11-24	Tim Newsome	Get rid of sbsingleread in favor of sbreadonaddr
5754a3b	2018-01-05	Megan Wachs	Use a different word than "clobbered"
aca7e0b	2018-01-03	Megan Wachs	Add missing "to"s to abstractauto description
d59ddf3	2018-01-03	Megan Wachs	Correct plurality of halted harts in haltsum
57c53ed	2017-12-22	Tim Newsome	Put parens around all macros that need it.
7ded846	2017-12-18	Tim Newsome	Refer to existing hart instead of "valid"
68b8ac8	2017-12-15	Tim Newsome	Make \Fhaltsel WARL.
6a72f45	2017-12-13	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	·
		Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Mark this as a draft, which it is.
dd8d871	2017-12-18		Properly deal with \ chars in the changelog.
42f920c	2017-12-18	Tim Newsome	Deal with \ chars in the changelog.
b13891c	2017-12-15	Tim Newsome	Revert "Make \Fhaltsel WARL."
26d76a0	2017-12-15	Tim Newsome	Make \Fhaltsel WARL.
afda8d7	2017-11-28	mwachs5	update PDF
134d310	2017-11-28	Megan Wachs	Correct compressed version of ebreak
caa1258	2017-11-27	Megan Wachs	badaddr -¿ tval (Priv Spec 1.9 -¿ 1.9.1)
32b0f08	2017-11-22	Tim Newsome	Incorporate feedback.
2f7aa54	2017-11-22	Tim Newsome	Simplify, and explain trigger behavior.
3e5887f	2017-11-21	Tim Newsome	Clarify some single step corner cases.

f4b9ae2	2017-11-21	Tim Newsome	Make ackhavereset write-only. (#178)
efe3dc8	2017-11-21	Tim Newsome	Make hartreset R/W (#177)
ce1b359	2017-11-17	Megan Wachs	Reset clarifications (#172)
852a70d	2017-11-16	Megan Wachs	icount: remove warning (#173)
363348f	2017-11-16	Tim Newsome	Explain cache coherency wrt to system bus access
			(#171)
26ea898	2017-11-15	Tim Newsome	Refer to ISA and priv docs.
ffc8c62	2017-11-03	Tim Newsome	Mention the index in "about this doc"
a4257ef	2017-11-02	Tim Newsome	Add an index to the document.
f5f45a5	2017-10-30	Megan Wachs	Add 'has reset' status and control (#168)
46f3f54	2017-10-25	Tim Newsome	Incorporate review feedback.
104247f	2017-10-24	Megan Wachs	Update README.md
6dd5c80	2017-10-24	Megan Wachs	Update README.md
cb1a847	2017-10-24	Megan Wachs	Add a note to the README about the built PDF
e00625f	2017-10-18	Tim Newsome	Include pdf.
c23e729	2017-10-18	Tim Newsome	Clarify more.
83f9faf	2017-10-11	Tim Newsome	Clarify what \Fimpebreak does.
78082b5	2017-10-11	Tim Newsome	Mention \Fimpebreak in Program Buffer description.
0378324	2017-10-11	mwachs5	Add legend and update some transitions on the Ab-
			stract Command State Machine diagram
fa2b600	2017-10-11	Megan Wachs	add missing period
0610630	2017-10-11	Megan Wachs	Just do simple hmode -; dmode replacement
16e11f3	2017-10-11	Tim Newsome	Remove hmode reference, to fix build.
84b9a6a	2017-10-11	Tim Newsome	Add \Fimpebreak, to support of implicit ebreak.
cc90b77	2017-10-11	mwachs5	Remove reference to 'H' mode from the figure
cc6a9de	2017-10-11	Megan Wachs	Change old reference to 'hmode' to 'dmode'
ea2877d	2017-10-10	Tim Newsome	Move how-to-debug into the relevant section.
486ecc $6$	2017-10-05	Tim Newsome	Refuse unsupported bus accesses.
6ca221d	2017-10-05	Tim Newsome	haltreq, resumereq, hartreset are per-hart bits
d4118ab	2017-09-30	Tim Newsome	ndmreset can't reset logic required to access DM.
c6bd8d1	2017-09-29	Tim Newsome	and -; or
58c2441	2017-09-29	Tim Newsome	Mention \Fstepie in Single Step
94c5f78	2017-09-29	Tim Newsome	Clarify ndmreset.
12810b4	2017-09-29	Tim Newsome	Clarify that shaddress is physical.
5862 fdf	2017-09-29	Tim Newsome	Unify M mode and mprv comment.
aea1bd5	2017-09-29	Tim Newsome	Define behavior when haltreq and resumereq are set
146b348	2017-09-28	Megan Wachs	remove superflous 'an'
a5d16c4	2017-09-28	Megan Wachs	remove superfluous 'a'
052a8ab	2017-09-28	Tim Newsome	Clarify that a debugger can lose hart control.
cc52cff	2017-09-28	Tim Newsome	Add \Fdmerr.
25685eb	2017-09-28	Tim Newsome	Explain that bus master or progbuf is required.
f75ee7d	2017-09-28	Tim Newsome	Clarify debugger can discover "almost" everything
71e6788	2017-09-27	Tim Newsome	Remove description of manual stepping.
9aea347	2017-09-27	Tim Newsome	Move Running/Single Step near Halting.
2090d9b	2017-09-27	Tim Newsome	data0 should be sbdata0 in this table.
5858cfe	2017-09-27	Tim Newsome	Clarify why \Rpriv exists.
bc3c2aa	2017-09-27	Tim Newsome	Mention where priv encoding comes from.
ef77cc4	2017-09-27	Tim Newsome	One more attempt to clarify DPC after single step.

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80a288e	2017-09-27	Tim Newsome	Clarify instret not incrementing on ebreak.
c163d22	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Remove ebreakh.
9971075	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Clarify we're talking about privilege
3fbe495	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Clarify that we're talking about *implementation*
3684854	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Use steps environment in sbdata0.
d4eda18	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Explain that only sbdata0 has side effects.
ae781c6	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Don't refer to internal system bus registers.
875922e	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Explain sbdata0 being stale a bit more.
cd44fd5	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Clarify autoread
194484b	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Clarify hawindow.
02f1aac	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Clarify that \Fdataaddr is relative to \Rzero.
0e9b6ae	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Clarify nonexistent vs unavailable.
b55ff41	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Fix devtreevalid.
2eccb $86$	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Explicitly state which registers are read-only.
4af505c	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Show section numbers for registers.
cbd5573	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Thank Nikhil
19c206f	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Clarify how to determine whether progbuf is RAM
0651 f7d	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Explain what happens if ebreak is missing.
e889dae	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Move figure of states into its own section.
cff7b80	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Explain when \Ftransfer might be used.
6b2ee61	2017-09-20	Tim Newsome	Explain where \Fsize encoding came from.
c9f3b73	2017-09-14	Tim Newsome	Fix typo.
4b25400	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Mention dpc in CSRs abstract register numbers.
c3ee426	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Move abstract regno table closer to its reference.
111b9a3	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	cycle -; operation
994afdc	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Account for multiple selected harts.
aa4a297	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Halt Control -; Run Control
e97c821	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	continuous -; contiguous
97f73ff	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Clarify ndmreset behavior.
6078220	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Explain ndmreset
a3d4f30	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Describe 'halt region'
272b3d9	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Clarify accessing unimplemented DM DMI regs
3e91f1b	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Clarify either Prog Buf or Sys Bus Acc is required
e8a6145	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Clarify CSR access; remove serial port
ce20766	2017-09-13	Tim Newsome	Remove section referencing itself.
1195a61	2017-09-18	Tim Newsome	Generate constants to be unsigned for clang.
8967 b0a	2017-08-16	Megan Wachs	Compressed instructions are c.foo, not foo.c
b5698a9	2017-08-16	Megan Wachs	clarify progbufsize description
d221bab	2017-08-16	Megan Wachs	Remove progbufsize enums from register description
0498102	2017-08-16	Megan Wachs	appendix: Use standard assembly format for sw
4456d99	2017-08-09	Tim Newsome	Rename progsize to progbufsize.
55d5b66	2017-08-09	Tim Newsome	Clarify that trigger comparisons are unsigned.
21e35ef	2017-08-09	Tim Newsome	Configuration String -; Device Tree
f044f45	2017-08-02	Tim Newsome	Don't require a target to provide 25mA on VCC.
c883943	2017-08-02	Tim Newsome	Add table of Abstract Command Types
985a3df	2017-08-02	Tim Newsome	Fix and speed up build.
95b9108	2017-08-02	mwachs5	DTM: Clarify that there are no cases when DMI
20.0200			would actually return an error.

9c9e0c0	2017-08-02	mwachs5	SystemBus: No longer returns error. So DMI has no
5ba18f9	2017-07-27	Tim Newsome	'error' return code. Fix more typos.
$\frac{30a1619}{dbc65bf}$	2017-07-27	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Fix typos.
bba0ad9	2017-07-26	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Tighten up introduction lists.
e22d5eb	2017-07-26	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Add version constants for "not compatible".
c79038e	2017-07-26	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Small clarification.
9df0411	2017-07-20	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Incorporate review feedback.
d67419c	2017-07-21	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Clarify dpc contents.
9f50c05	2017-07-21	Tim Newsome	Use LL instead of L for 64-bit constant suffix.
23 fd 24 a	2017-07-11	Megan Wachs	Cleaning up whitespaces
c5ab04c	2017-07-10	Megan Wachs	Update abstract_commands.xml
6e8cdf1	2017-07-10	Megan Wachs	Update abstract_commands.xml
cf6e3f2	2017-07-10	Megan Wachs	clarify DCSR.cause
79ffbb9	2017-07-10	Megan Wachs	Clarify implications of CSR read, write, halt
013e191	2017-07-10	Megan Wachs	Clarify when you would get error halt/resume
231e457	2017-07-10	Megan Wachs	Quick Access error clarification
c54c2f2	2017-07-03	mwachs5	serial: add the XML file, not the TEX file
ac77477	2017-07-03	mwachs5	serial: Fix compile errors after moving serial port to
ac11411	2011 01 00	mwach59	appendix
6defcb8	2017-07-03	mwachs5	serial: Move serial ports out of main spec and into
0401000	201. 0. 00	11111001100	Future Work appendix
a28f639	2017-06-30	mwachs5	remove trace dependencies from Makefile
52a122b	2017-06-30	mwachs5	remove trace section
d9e166b	2017-06-30	mwachs5	remove trace registers
7caf $4$ e $5$	2017-06-30	mwachs5	remove trace appendix
4688988	2017-06-29	mwachs5	DCSR: define a 'stepie' bit which may be hard-wired
			to 0.
9a0492c	2017-06-13	Megan Wachs	Add missing period and some other small text edits
13ccdbf	2017-06-13	Megan Wachs	fix typo in ProgBuf register macro
b01f989	2017-06-13	mwachs5	implementations: be a bit more concrete about the
			one example implementation we have.
a7b5f83	2017-06-13	mwachs5	jtagdtm: Move it out of the appendix as it is really
			part of the specification
87aceb0	2017-06-13	Megan Wachs	remove "spontaneous"
50b9950	2017-06-13	Megan Wachs	Forward reference for any nonexistent
adea3e2	2017-06-13	Megan Wachs	More clarifications on dret
1b8dd0e	2017-06-13	Megan Wachs	Define DRET instruction
617 da4c	2017-06-08	Megan Wachs	Update description of R/W1C
de2c56b	2017-06-08	Megan Wachs	Clarify that DCSR is also not updated on ebreak
efa615d	2017-06-07	Tim Newsome	Increase xdebugver field size to 4 bits. (#92)
a0e147a	2017-06-07	Tim Newsome	Address some review comments.
89 ffe 50	2017-06-06	mwachs5	NDMRESET: Clarify what it may and may not do
1932 da0	2017-06-06	mwachs5	DPC: Clarifications on its meaning
$6470 \mathrm{fdb}$	2017-06-06	mwachs5	ABSTRACTCS: Correct inconsistency on the num-
			ber of data words.
3ca82b4	2017-06-06	Megan Wachs	More corrections for R vs R/W1C on SERCS
9705fb8	2017-06-06	Megan Wachs	Correct a bunch of W0 registers

1347371	2017-06-05	Tim Newsome	Add intdisable to dcsr.
989c60d	2017-06-05	Tim Newsome	Fix language. We can only halt harts, not cores.
517a08b	2017-06-05	Tim Newsome	Incorporate review feedback.
802be28	2017-06-05	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	-
			Clarify/fix Quick Access example.
b8cc523	2017-06-02	Tim Newsome	Add included tex files as dependencies. (#78)
15f864a	2017-06-01	Tim Newsome	Language cleanups, consistency and typo fixes.
4ecae86	2017-06-01	Tim Newsome	Add page numbers to list-of-register tables.
59b3e4a	2017-05-19	Megan Wachs	Setting up a Travis regression to check for build errors
124bf44	2017-05-17	mwachs5	(#72) Debug Module: CMDERR is Write-1-to clear, not
1210111	2011 00 11	111 W GG1160	R/W0
bb6c7f0	2017-05-17	mwachs5	SW Registers file should be XML, not TEX
d360358	2017-05-10	Megan Wachs	Remove virtual register from core_registers.xml
		(Temporary	g g
		Acct.)	
bfc64fb	2017-05-10	Megan Wachs	Add missing sw_registers.tex file
		(Temporary	0 0
		Acct.)	
0512f5d	2017-05-06	mwachs5	Move virtual 'prv' register to a seperate section to
0012104	2011 00 00	mwachso	make it more clear it is not a real register.
6b3c9d7	2017-05-06	mwachs5	Clarify haltreq/resumereq/resumack
0a487eb	2017-03-00	mwachs5	jtag: Change specified JTAG pinout from Coretex to
ua467eb	2017-04-20	mwachs5	• • • •
09 16 6	0017 04 06	1 F	AVR, to provide for TRSTn option.
93cdfaf	2017-04-26	mwachs5	DM : Clarify that DATA/PROGBUF can't be writ-
(0.0.fo.o.	2015 04 10	1 -	ten while busy.
ef98f23	2017-04-19	mwachs5	jtag: Make it clear that a NOP is really a NOP.
a6f8efa	2017-04-17	mwachs5	single_step: Exceptions count as the 'step' completion.
bf11e9e	2017-04-17	mwachs5	resumeack: fix some LaTeX cross references
4afa081	2017-04-17	mwachs5	
4818061	2017-04-11	IIIwaciis5	halt/resumereq: Clarify what setting them to 0 or 1 does
007 201	0017 04 06	1 F	
297a39b	2017-04-06	mwachs5	fix chisel build
082c499	2017-04-06	mwachs5	Rename resumed to resumeack, and add more text
0001015	201-01-0	1 ~	about what these bits mean.
909d617	2017-04-06	mwachs5	Correct some cross references after removing all the
			multiply listed registers
dd09914	2017-04-06	mwachs5	Add 'resumedall' and 'resumedany' bits to avoid race
			condition on about to resume and just halted
feb88fc	2017-04-05	mwachs5	JTAG DTM: Clarify that leading bits are 0 for more
			than 5-bit IR
75b96ea	2017-04-04	mwachs5	use renamed dm_registers file
9f3ec7e	2017-04-04	mwachs5	debugger_implementation: remove some old TODO
			and commentary.
45 dd5 b5	2017-04-04	mwachs5	Don't list out every single DM register for those that
			are just indexed versions
b8b3aa2	2017-04-04	mwachs5	remove core-side register definitions from Debug
			Module. Rename dm1 to dm

		mwachs5	Formatting updates. Make this look more like the
815951d	2017-04-03	mwacnsə	USE UDADLETS VS SECTIONS INCERS REORGANIZATION
cc183ba f727d14	2017-04-03 2017-04-03	mwachs5	move introduction to a seperate file. Comment out reading order. Use Chapters vs Sections. Needs reorganization.
7b28b11	2017-04-03	mwachs5	Move jtag DTM to appendix. Move some text to commentary.
5faa430	2017-04-03	mwachs5	add back in JTAG DTM in appendix
	2017-04-03		Move Debug Module description to a seperate file.
03df6ee		mwachs5	
e676491	2017-04-03	mwachs5	Move System Overview to seperate file
2c89a86	2017-04-03	mwachs5	move risc-v core debug info into seperate file.
9e873f4	2017-04-03	mwachs5	move trigger info into seperate file.
287d5c6	2017-04-03	mwachs5	moving more files to seperate tex files.
c5417ce	2017-04-03	mwachs5	add more sections as seperate files.
a8827e2	2017-04-03	mwachs5	Edits to the System Overview.
58b2396	2017-04-03	mwachs5	Re-order the JTAG DTM Sections
b9a371f	2017-04-03	mwachs5	add missing trace.tex file.
523c64a	2017-04-03	mwachs5	Edits to the Debug Module section.
556c2be	2017-04-03	mwachs5	minor wording edits about RISC-V core registers
FF.C. 01	2017.04.02	1 -	from the Debug Module
			pure abstract command approach, and to not rely on harts executing every instruction which is fetched
155dda $4$	2017-04-03	mwachs5	Rewrite HW Implementation examples to describe a
15511 4	2015 04 02	1 -	access, and fix tex compile issues.
1e271d6	2017-04-03	mwachs5	Update Debugger implementation for DMI register
02c733a	2017-04-03	mwachs5	remove preexec from Abstract State diagram.
bd2a3d1	2017-04-03	mwachs5	remove preexec
			outstanding DMI transaction
82ccde $5$	2017-04-03	mwachs5	JTAG DTM: Add a hard DMI bit which cancels the
0dda84d	2017-04-03	mwachs5	JTAG DTM: Clean up TAP register descriptions
1e9347d	2017-04-03	mwachs5	Add description of hasel
4 004-1	201-01-0	1 ~	called breakpoint exception in the RISC-V Spec.
b56870b	2017-04-04	mwachs5	Remove the wording about 'debug exception', as it is
l- F 6070l-	2017 04 04	lF	appropriate drivers.
			should look like implementation-specific devices with
			_ll
d979a13	2017-04-04	mwachs5	remove core-side serial port specification, as these

f8bf292	2017-03-17	mwachs5	dm1_registers: resolve some address conflicts and in-
			consistencies
a74dff9	2017-03-17	mwachs5	access_register: some small bit changes
2e6b0ca	2017-03-15	mwachs5	config string: Fix LaTeX compile errors.
f83260a	2017-03-10	mwachs5	Abstract Commands: clarify that 32-bit reads should always work. This allows reading MISA.
6f9347a	2017-03-10	mwachs5	Config String: change the Abstract Command to DMI registers. Allow the same registers to be used for unspecified identifier information.
4ea10ff	2017-03-10	mwachs5	abstract: Make autoexec apply to all data and prog- buf words. Make a seperate register which is optional.
5008436	2017-03-10	mwachs5	abstract: Allow up to 16 progbuf and/or data words. Inform debugger about dscratch registers available for its use.
aaa13e5	2017-03-06	mwachs5	Command: use the name 'cmdtype' not 'type' to allow easier auto-generation of Scala code.
e9bb72c	2017-03-06	mwachs5	Hart Array: Add registers for hart array.
5d17a35	2017-03-06	mwachs5	DM: Move addresses around for better seperation of
			functionalities in HW
25ccaa8	2017-03-06	mwachs5	CONTROL: Rename control and status registers toCS for consistency and to accurately reflect their functionality.
45cf6c2	2017-03-06	mwachs5	Errors: fix up the bit assignments in SERSTATUS with the addition of error bit.
38cb5a0	2017-03-06	mwachs5	Errors: Make errors write-1-to-clear.
b436d77	2017-03-03	mwachs5	triggers: Clarify that matches are against virtual addresses.
793bb85	2017-03-03	mwachs5	triggers: Add suggested timings for best user experience.
2669866	2017-03-03	mwachs5	stoptime/stopcycle: Make their functionality match their name. Allow any reset value.
c85a1cf	2017-03-01	mwachs5	config_string: Simplify the Config String Address abstract command.
a303a6b	2017-03-02	Megan Wachs	Update README.md
92a4923	2017-03-01	mwachs5	serial: tweak addresses.
b09f460	2017-03-01	mwachs5	serial: tweak addresses.
6477837	2017-03-01	mwachs5	chisel: tweaks to class names.
be83e3e	2017-02-28	Tim Newsome	Clarify stoptime, stopcycle.
c17c17c	2017-02-27	Tim Newsome	Abstract command that returns config string addr.
096 dfbc	2017-02-27	Tim Newsome	Acknowledge Alex.
c0253ab	2017-02-24	Tim Newsome	Explain tdata1 type a bit more.
e43ac2e	2017-02-24	Tim Newsome	Clarify how to enumerate triggers again.
c6e3e20	2017-02-23	Tim Newsome	Revert previous commit.
ef770bf	2017-02-23	Tim Newsome	mcontrol and icount mask tdata2, not tdata1.
27806f2	2017-02-23	mwachs5	rename 'type' to 'cmdtype' purely so my autogeneration scripts work.
e46798d	2017-02-22	mwachs5	Add Abstract Commands to automatic chisel
b3bb939	2017-02-21	mwachs5	Generate Chisel headers as well for Debug Module.

c9db98c	2017-02-22	Tim Newsome	Simplify description of op statuses.
bda39cc	2017-02-22	mwachs5	Add explicit type field to Abstract Command.
f83a1ca	2017-02-22	mwachs5	Finish up replacement of ibuf-¿progbuf
9666e51	2017-02-22	mwachs5	IBUF-¿PROGBUF
5308ecd	2017-02-22	mwachs5	Remove last references to "Instruction Supply"
f6ebde9	2017-02-22	Tim Newsome	Move authentication to a serial protocol.
0 f 0 79 c 8	2017-02-22	Tim Newsome	Reserve bit for per-hart reset.
f2c93ac	2017-02-22	Tim Newsome	Clarify that dmactive resets authentication.
f5e7b1c	2017-02-22	Alex Bradbury	Clarify that the halt state of all harts is maintained
			through reset
3dfe8fd	2017-02-22	Tim Newsome	More Debug Mode -; Halt Mode.
d29fc1f	2017-02-22	Tim Newsome	Debug Mode -; Halt Mode
55d6030	2017-02-21	Tim Newsome	Generate debug_defines.h as part of normal make
b0e6a7f	2017-02-21	Tim Newsome	Minor clarifications.
0f $9885$ c	2017-02-20	Tim Newsome	Various clarifications.
0802d5a	2017-02-15	mwachs5	Use consistent 'Control and Status' naming for CS
			registers.
$5 \operatorname{accc7d}$	2017-02-15	Tim Newsome	Change all the "other" JTAG IRs to just reserved.
bcbd7da	2017-02-15	mwachs5	sm_diagram: Show using resumereq bit to resume.
18f6e55	2017-02-14	Tim Newsome	Introduce resumered command, similar to haltred.
4b62c40	2017-02-14	mwachs5	SystemBus: Clean up some formatting and error
			specification notes.
bc97723	2017-02-14	mwachs5	quick-access: Update SM Diagram for Quick Access
d27066e	2017-02-14	Tim Newsome	Clarify haltreq bit.
6f8ec43	2017-02-14	Tim Newsome	Always generate long constants when required.
c6ac6bc	2017-02-13	Tim Newsome	Include field descriptions in C header file.
b849213	2017-02-13	Tim Newsome	Fix the build.
1cf8033	2017-02-12	mwachs5	jtag: More clarifications
6203bd $6$	2017-02-12	Megan Wachs	Update requirements—W GPRs Required
f2b43a7	2017-02-12	Megan Wachs	Remove double 'the'
2c64ef1	2017 - 02 - 12	Megan Wachs	Remove comma
f84abce	2017-02-12	Megan Wachs	Whitespace edits and address come comments
23c2648	2017-02-11	mwachs5	jtag_dtm: ask for clarification on TAP sharing.
7020d23	2017-02-11	mwachs5	jtag_dtm: Clarifications, DBUS-¿DMI
292d49c	2017-02-11	Megan Wachs	fix indentation
b879b86	2017-02-11	Megan Wachs	Add missing period
bbe0521	2017-02-11	mwachs5	Make comments on program buffer size match the
			address map.
4ceaa $37$	2017-02-11	mwachs5	Flesh out and edit the introduction/background Add
			a description of use cases this spec has in mind, and
			what it doesn't cover.
cbf89d6	2017-02-11	Tim Newsome	Rewrite Quick Access.
170 bff 1	2017-02-10	Megan Wachs	Allow size 4 for the program buffer
c911e6e	2017-02-10	Tim Newsome	Clarify use of dmactive.
2ca296f	2017-02-09	Tim Newsome	Reserve command register space for custom use.
e49666e	2017-02-09	Tim Newsome	Clarify hart index change per Megan's comments.
84865e9	2017-02-09	Tim Newsome	Add header prefix for abstract commands.
2434f4f	2017-02-09	Tim Newsome	Select harts by index instead of hart ID.

7bf112a	2017-02-09	Tim Newsome	Consents compact has done for 122 hit registers
		Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Generate correct headers for ¿32-bit registers.  Reset dbus status to "failure" to avoid confusion.
7f0f09a	2017-02-08		
8b1c6f0	2017-02-08	Megan Wachs	Fix line wrap issue
345c33f	2017-02-08	Megan Wachs	Call out "arg0" specifically.
9f080f5	2017-02-08	Megan Wachs	Clarify "arguments" to commands
259badd	2017-02-08	Tim Newsome	Make haltsum/halt registers mandatory.
eb0f1d3	2017-02-07	Tim Newsome	Allow for early abstract command failures.
bb49bd1	2017-02-07	Tim Newsome	Clarify error handling a little.
3 fc 0 a 97	2017-02-07	Tim Newsome	Explain when abstract data regs may be clobbered.
c37167e	2017-02-07	Tim Newsome	Fix old language in description of halt registers.
6943c96	2017-02-07	Tim Newsome	Generate more useful C header files from reg defs
98639df	2017-02-05	mwachs5	Include the SM Diagram as a figure. Also some minor
			capitalization fixes.
a95e4c3	2017-02-05	mwachs5	Update State Machine diagram to show uncertainty
			of halt bit during auto halt/resume.
ba76744	2017-02-05	Tim Newsome	Combine loabits and hiabits.
02b1d92	2017-02-05	Tim Newsome	DMI can get away with just 6 address bits.
35d6e33	2017-02-05	mwachs5	Update State machine diagram to show BUSY with-
			out HALTED
f511b05	2017-02-04	Tim Newsome	Clarify command busy bit.
d0f8961	2017-02-03	mwachs5	Update figures
e18a68d	2017-02-03	Tim Newsome	Clarify prehalt/postresume failure.
ac3e2a9	2017-02-02	Tim Newsome	Clarify abstract command failure behavior.
ce4baee	2017-02-02	Tim Newsome	Add Quick Access section.
0490377	2017-02-02	Tim Newsome	Add prehalt and postresume to reg command.
67515bd	2017-02-02	Tim Newsome	Deal with a few minor TODOs.
96456fc	2017-02-02	Tim Newsome	Turn register names into links.
317cd98	2017-02-02	Tim Newsome	Explain what register access is required.
f3ad2f2	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	Revert Plain Exception implementation to be simple
a0ad281	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	execb -; preexec, execa -; postexec
1d4a2c3	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Limit Program Buffer sizes to 0, 1, 8.
cc40815	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome Tim Newsome	Incorporate Po-wei's feedback.
			<del>-</del>
c8b45d6	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	Clarify how all autoexec bits work.
dbb1deb	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	Remove stale TODO.
c5f8f59	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	Explain why cmderr inhibits starting new commands.
5c69194	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	Fix editing error.
50f7c48	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	Remove empty hart info register.
781c68e	2017-02-01	Megan Wachs	Update README.md
f46b32e	2017-02-01	mwachs5	Add a diagram of Abstract Command flow.
633bd63	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	Move Reading Order into About This Document
51ec $4$ d $1$	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	Add reading order section.
03d20ad	2017-02-01	Tim Newsome	autoexec0 applies to data0, not inst0.
c302353	2017-01-31	Tim Newsome	Don't rely on hart fetching instructions once.
2558c25	2017-01-31	Tim Newsome	Change how exceptions in Halt Mode are handled.
a36ddce	2017-01-31	Tim Newsome	Add size to abstract register command.
64 de 458	2017-01-31	Tim Newsome	Detail bus master reads.
c08486f	2017-01-31	Megan Wachs	reset: Add some comments (#5)
1558049	2017-01-30	Tim Newsome	Automate Change Log.

51525a4	2017-01-29	Tim Newsome	Update System Overview
7d39ac0	2017-01-29	Tim Newsome	Update Supported Features.
9e7cbea	2017-01-29	Tim Newsome	Update RISC-V Core section.
515188d	2017-01-29	Tim Newsome	Update Hardware Implementations section.
4b19ed8	2017-01-29	mwachs5	system_bus: be consistent and always call it 'System
			Bus'. Even if some dislike the name, we should be
			consistent and clear in the spec.
9ccef3d	2017-01-29	Tim Newsome	Fleshed out some debugger implementation.
04b9176	2017-01-28	Tim Newsome	Rename debug exception to breakpoint exception.
5ac $4$ ea $1$	2017-01-27	Tim Newsome	WIP on big update on instruction supply.
2d9c3e2	2017-01-27	Tim Newsome	Reorganize dm registers.
de50ba8	2017 - 01 - 27	Tim Newsome	Abstract command support is already addressed.
5085046	2017-01-26	mwachs5	Rename registers and fields like 'access' that were
			confusingly the same name.
10bbf6f	2017-01-26	Tim Newsome	Fix #2: DM address space table
a05c582	2017-01-26	Tim Newsome	Add debugger inspection as a feature.
4062681	2017 - 01 - 24	Tim Newsome	Add publish target.
5c8bb83	2017 - 01 - 24	Tim Newsome	Clarify use of data registers.
1504 da6	2017-01-24	Tim Newsome	Replace manual date with automatic git hash/date.
997f2a0	2017 - 01 - 23	Tim Newsome	Deal with unsupported abstract commands.
cb6f2b8	2017 - 01 - 23	Tim Newsome	Renumber registers to prevent duplicates.
8b4db96	2017 - 01 - 23	Tim Newsome	Don't print out addresses if they're not provided.
b00cd21	2017 - 01 - 23	Tim Newsome	Add an abstract command.
675b556	2017-01-23	Tim Newsome	Reorganize DM bits into functional group regs.
5 fc 7512	2017-01-23	Tim Newsome	Remove bits 33:32 from sbdata[23].
ceb5d66	2017-01-20	Tim Newsome	Starting point for a comprehensive spec