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1 Introduction

This document describes the silicon updates to the functional specifications for the TMS320VC5509. The updates are applicable to:

- TMS320VC5509 (144-pin LQFP, PGE suffix)
- TMS320VC5509 (179-pin MicroStar BGA™, GHH suffix)

The advisory numbers in this document are not always sequential. Some advisory numbers have been removed as they do not apply to the device revisions specified in this document. When items are moved or deleted, the remaining numbers remain the same and are not resequenced.

1.1 Device and Development-Support Tool Nomenclature

To designate the stages in the product development cycle, TI assigns prefixes to the part numbers of all TMS320[™] DSP devices and support tools. Each TMS320[™] DSP commercial family member has one of three prefixes: TMX, TMP, or TMS. Texas Instruments recommends two of three possible prefix designators for its support tools: TMDX and TMDS. These prefixes represent evolutionary stages of product development from engineering prototypes (TMX/TMDX) through fully qualified production devices/tools (TMS/TMDS).

Device development evolutionary flow:

TMX Experimental device that is not necessarily representative of the final device's electrical specifications

TMP Final silicon die that conforms to the device's electrical specifications but has not completed quality and reliability verification

TMS Fully qualified production device

Support tool development evolutionary flow:

TMDX Development-support product that has not yet completed Texas Instruments internal qualification testing.

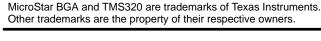
TMDS Fully qualified development-support product

TMX and TMP devices and TMDX development-support tools are shipped against the following disclaimer:

"Developmental product is intended for internal evaluation purposes."

TMS devices and TMDS development-support tools have been characterized fully, and the quality and reliability of the device have been demonstrated fully. TI's standard warranty applies.

Predictions show that prototype devices (TMX or TMP) have a greater failure rate than the standard production devices. Texas Instruments recommends that these devices not be used in any production system because their expected end-use failure rate still is undefined. Only qualified production devices are to be used.





1.2 Revision Identification

The device revision can be determined by the lot trace code marked on the top of the package. The locations for the lot trace codes for the PGE and the GHH packages are shown in Figure 1 and Figure 2, respectively. The location of other markings may vary per device. Table 1 shows how to determine the silicon revision from the lot trace code.

Qualified devices in the PGE package are marked with the letters "TMS" at the beginning of the device name, while nonqualified devices in the PGE package are marked with the letters "TMX" or "TMP" at the beginning of the device name. Similarly, qualified devices in the GHH package are marked with the letters "DV" at the beginning of the device name, and nonqualified devices in the GHH package are marked with the letters "XDV" or "PDV" at the beginning of the device name.

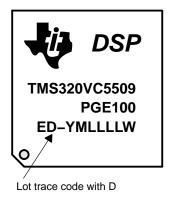


Figure 1. Example, Typical Lot Trace Code for TMS320VC5509 (PGE)



Figure 2. Example, Typical Lot Trace Code for TMS320VC5509 (GHH)



Table 1. Determining Silicon Revision From Lot Trace Code

Lot Trace Code	Silicon Revision	Comments
C (second letter in prefix is C)	Indicates Silicon Revision C	
D (second letter in prefix is D)	Indicates Silicon Revision D	Units marked REV 2.1 refer to revision D devices.
F (second letter in prefix is F)	Indicates Silicon Revision F	Units marked REV 3.1 refer to revision F devices.

NOTE: Revision E is an internal revision and is not available to customers.

2 Usage Notes

Usage Notes highlight and describe particular situations where the device's behavior may not match the presumed or documented behavior. This may include behaviors that affect device performance or functional correctness. These notes will be incorporated into future documentation updates for the device (such as the device-specific data sheet), and the behaviors they describe will not be altered in future silicon revisions.

RTC: Seconds Alarm Functionality

On the 5509 device, the Seconds Alarm Register (RTCSECA) *cannot* be used to generate an alarm every second, but the update-ended interrupt can.

The Real-Time Clock (RTC) executes an update cycle once per second to update the current time in the time/calendar registers:

- Seconds Register (RTCSEC)
- Minutes Register (RTCMIN)
- Hours Register (RTCHOUR)
- Day of the Week and Day Alarm Register (RTCDAYW)
- Day of the Month (Date) Register (RTCDAYM)
- Month Register (RTCMONTH)
- Year Register (RTCYEAR)

At the end of every update cycle, the RTC sets the update-ended interrupt flag (UF) in the Interrupt Flag Register (RTCINTFL). If the update-ended interrupt enable bit (UIE) in the Interrupt Enable Register (RTCINTEN) is set to 1, an interrupt request is sent to the CPU.



3 Known Design Marginality/Exceptions to Functional Specifications

3.1 Summary of Advisories

Table 2 provides a quick reference of all advisories by number, silicon revision affected, and lists their respective page location.

Table 2. Quick Reference Table

Advisory Number	Advisory	Revision(s) Affected	Page
	CPU Advisories		
CPU_1	While Repeat Instruction Not Implemented	Revisions C, D, F	15
CPU_2	Modification of Block Repeat Count Registers Not Pipeline-Protected	Revisions C, D, F	15
CPU_3	Branch Out of an Active Block Repeat	Revisions C, D, F	16
CPU_4	Limited Parallelization of Single Memory Operand Instructions	Revisions C, D, F	17
CPU_5	IVPD Not Pipeline-Protected Against RESET, INTR, or TRAP Instructions	Revisions C, D, F	17
CPU_6	Pending Interrupts During Wake-up From IDLE	Revisions C, D, F	18
CPU_7	Modification of Extended 7 Bits of Auxiliary Registers is Not Pipeline-Protected	Revisions C, D, F	18
CPU_8	SP Modification in 32-Bit Stack Mode Followed by SSP Move is Not Pipeline-Protected	Revisions C, D, F	19
CPU_9	Nonparallel D-Unit Swap Executed Conditionally Does Not Null Execution Correctly	Revisions C, D, F	20
CPU_10	Accumulator Use by AU or in Program Control Flow Paralleled With an Accumulator Move	Revisions C, D, F	20
CPU_11	A-Unit SWAP in Parallel With D-Unit SWAP	Revisions C, D, F	21
CPU_12	Accumulator SWAP in Parallel With the Accumulator Modification	Revisions C, D, F	21
CPU_13	Dual-Write to the Same Address With a Bypass Read From the Same Address in Memory	Revisions C, D, F	22
CPU_14	Parallel Register Comparison and Move Execution Involving A-Unit / D-Unit	Revisions C, D, F	22
CPU_15	Dual Push of TAx and ACx Registers Not Pipeline-Protected	Revisions C, D, F	23
CPU_16	Parallel Operation of a Push and Pop of an Extended Addressing Register	Revisions C, D, F	23
CPU_17	Parallel Operation of Extended Register Load With a 16-bit Address/Data Register Load	Revisions C, D, F	24
CPU_20	Compare and Branch Instruction in 40-Bit ALU Can Return Wrong Comparison Result	Revisions C, D, F	25
CPU_21	Bit Test/Modify to/from I/O Space Via Parallel Execution	Revisions C, D, F	26
CPU_22	Dual-Read or Dual-Write With Readport() or Writeport() Qualifier	Revisions C, D, F	27
CPU_23	Parallel Execution of a Program Unit Store With Any Other Memory Store	Revisions C, D, F	27
CPU_24	TCx Bit Corrupted by Single Register Comparison Instruction	Revisions C, D, F	28
CPU_25	Conditional Return Paralleled With Memory Store	Revisions C, D, F	29
CPU_26	E-Bus Write Data Corrupted When AC3 Load in Parallel With E-Bus Write Instruction	Revisions C, D, F	29
CPU_27	Smem Push/Pop Instructions Fail When Smem is *port(#k16)	Revisions C, D, F	30
CPU_28	MAR Instruction Using T0 May Fail When the C54CM Bit is Set (=1)	Revisions C, D, F	30
CPU_29	Move Instructions Referencing Cmem and Smem Using the *port(#k16) Modifier	Revisions C, D, F	31
CPU_30	Interrupt During Conditional Execution Instruction Sequence Corrupts Program Counter	Revisions C, D, F	32
CPU_31	AR3 Update Not Pipeline-Protected After BK03 Write When AR3LC = 1	Revisions C, D, F	33
CPU_32	Parallel Execution of Register Bit Pair Test Instruction	Revisions C, D, F	33
CPU_33	SATD Causes Saturation on Logical Shifts With AND, OR, and XOR Instructions	Revisions C, D, F	34
CPU_34	Byte Write Followed by Word or Long-Word Read Not Pipeline-Protected	Revisions C, D, F	34



Table 2. Quick Reference Table (Continued)

Advisory Number	Advisory	Revision(s) Affected	Page			
	CPU Advisories (Continued)					
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CPU_60	BRC1 Preceding Nested Block Repeat is Not Protected	Revisions C, D, F	50			
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CPU_63	No Pipeline Protection Between Modification of C54CM Bit and Nested Blockrepeat	Revisions C, D, F	52			
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CPU_68	BRAF Access Followed by Interrupt is Not Pipeline-Protected	Revisions C, D, F	57			
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DMA_2	DMA Does Not Support Burst Transfers From EMIF to EMIF	Revisions C, D, F	80
DMA_3	SYNC Bit Not Held Active for the Entire DMA Transfer	Revisions C, D, F	80
DMA_4	DMA Half-Frame Interrupt Occurs at Element (N/2+1) Instead of (N/2)	Revisions C, D, F	81
DMA_5	DMA Peripheral Does Not Idle When DMAI Bit Field is Set in IDLEC Configuration Register	Revisions C, D, F	81
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EHPI_2	Falling Edge of HRDY is Delayed Several CPU Clock Cycles	Revisions C, D, F	86
EHPI_3	DSPINT Interrupt Missed by the CPU	Revision C	86
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	Real-Time Clock (RTC) Advisories		
RTC_1	RTC Fails to Oscillate External Crystal	Revision C	88
RTC_2	RTC Does Not Generate an Alarm Every Second	Revisions C, D, F	88
RTC_3	RTC Interrupts are Perceived by the User as Happening One Second Before	Revisions C, D, F	88
RTC_4	Any Year Ending in 00 Will Appear as a Leap Year	Revisions C, D, F	89
RTC_5	Midnight and Noon Transitions Do Not Function Correctly in 12h Mode	Revisions C, D, F	89
	Universal Serial Bus (USB) Advisories		
USB_1	USB I/O Does Not Power Down When the Clock Domain is Idled	Revision C	90
USB_2	CPU Might Miss Back-to-Back USB Interrupts When CPU Speed is Less Than or Equal to 24 MHz	Revisions C, D, F	90
USB_3	Supply RIpple Can Affect USB Communications	Revisions C, D, F	91
USB_4	Bus Keeper Disable Bit in Bus Selection Register Disables USB I/O Cells and All Internal Pullup and Pulldown Resistors	Revisions C, D, F	91
USB_5	USB Input Cell Does Not Power Down When USB is Placed in IDLE	Revisions C, D, F	91
USB_6	CPU Read/Write to USB Module may Return Incorrect Result if the USB Clock is Running Slower Than Recommended Speed (48 MHz)	Revisions C, D, F	92



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WT_1	Watchdog Timer Fails to Reset the Device Upon Timer Expiration if CPU is Running Faster Than Input Clock (PLL Multiplier >1)	Revision C	93
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I2C_1	I ² C 10-Bit Addressing Access Fails to Generate the Correct Clock	Revisions C, D, F	94
I2C_2	NACK Sets the BUSBUSY Bit, Even if the Bus is not Busy	Revisions C, D, F	94
I2C_3	ARDY Interrupt is not Generated Properly in Non-Repeat Mode if STOP Bit is Set	Revisions C, D, F	94
I2C_4	I ² C START or STOP Condition Empties Unread Slave DXR	Revisions C, D, F	95
I2C_5	Repeated Start Mode Does Not Work	Revisions C, D, F	96
I2C_6	Bus Busy Bit Does Not Reflect the State of the I ² C Bus When the I ² C is in Reset	Revisions C, D, F	96
I2C_7	I ² C Slave DRR Overwritten by New Data	Revisions C, D, F	97
I2C_8	DMA Receive Synchronization Pulse Gets Generated Falsely	Revisions C, D, F	97
	Multichannel Buffered Serial Port (McBSP) Advisories		
MCBSP_1	McBSP May Not Generate a Receive Event to DMA When Data Gets Copied From RSR to DRR	Revisions C, D, F	98
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HWA_1	Pixel Interpolation Hardware Accelerator	Revisions C, D, F	99
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PM_1	Repeated Interrupts During CPU Idle	Revisions C, D, F	101



3.2 CPU Advisories

Advisory CPU_1

While Repeat Instruction Not Implemented

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The while repeat (cond && (RPTC & k8)) Instruction has not been implemented in 5509

Revisions C, D, and F. This instruction will be included in a future revision of the device.

Assembler Notification: The assembler (versions 1.60 and later) will generate a REMARK when this instruction is used

if Revisions C, D, and F silicon target is specified.

Workaround: This instruction is supported in the VC5509 simulator. It can be used for code development for

future 5509 silicon revisions, but should be avoided in code intended to run on Revisions C, D,

and F silicon.

Advisory CPU_2

Modification of Block Repeat Count Registers Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The pipeline protection for the block repeat count registers (BRC0, BRC1, and BRS1) have

not been fully implemented for the count registers supporting block repeat operations. If BRC0, BRC1 or BRS1 are modified inside an active block repeat loop, these registers may become corrupted if modified when there are less than seven cycles plus 16 bytes before the end of the block repeat. This requirement is applied to the repeat block and its associated

count register. Example: BRC0 for the outer loop, BRC1 for the inner loop.

Assembler Notification: The assembler (revisions 1.70 and later) will generate a REMARK if it finds a modification of

the above registers within a repeat block.

Workaround: Modification of these registers within an active block repeat should be avoided unless seven

cycles plus 16 bytes can be specified between the register modification and the end of the block repeat. Be aware that active interrupts (and the returns from interrupt service routines) can alter block repeat loop timings and cause the seven cycle plus 16-byte requirement to be violated. To protect against this occurrence, the block repeat registers affected should not be

modified inside an interrupt service routine.



Branch Out of an Active Block Repeat

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When the C54CM mode bit is set to 1, program discontinuities (branch) from within an active repeat block to a destination within five bytes from the end of the repeat block may fail.

Example:

```
Blockrepeat:{
    goto Label
    .
}
Label:
```

Assembler Notification:

The assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will attempt to determine if a branch occurs within a repeat block to outside the repeat block, and if so, will generate a remark for all labels within five bytes of that end of the block.

Workaround:

Maintain at least five bytes of code between the end of the block repeat and the target of the branch. This can be useful code or NOPs.

Example:

```
Blockrepeat: {
    .
    goto Label
    nop
    nop
    nop
    nop
    nop
    nop
    lop
    label:
```



Limited Parallelization of Single Memory Operand Instructions

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Parallel operation of single memory operand instructions (Instruction1 || Instruction 2) is not yet supported when **both** of the following are true:

• Instruction 1 is any of the following instructions:

```
TC1 = bit(Smem, k4), bit(Smem, k4) = #1 (algebraic assembly examples)
TC2 = bit(Smem, k4), bit(Smem, k4) = #1
TC1 = bit(Smem, k4), bit(Smem, k4) = #0
TC2 = bit(Smem, k4), bit(Smem, k4) = #0
TC1 = bit(Smem, k4), cbit(Smem, k4)
TC2 = bit(Smem, k4), cbit(Smem, k4)
bit(Smem,src) = #1
bit(Smem,src) = #0
cbit(Smem,src)
                     (logical AND)
Smem = Smem \& k16
                     (logical OR)
Smem = Smem | k16
Smem = Smem ^ k16
                     (logical XOR)
Smem = Smem + k16
                     (logical AND)
```

Instruction 2 is any single memory operand write instruction

Assembler Notification:

Assembler will detect this condition and reject this form of parallelism for Revisions C, D, and

F silicon.

Workaround:

These instructions should not be executed in parallel. They can be executed sequentially with correct results.

Advisory CPU_5

IVPD Not Pipeline-Protected Against RESET, INTR, or TRAP Instructions

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

If the DSP Interrupt vector pointer (IVPD) register is modified prior to execution of a RESET, INTR or TRAP instruction, the pipeline does not ensure that the vector pointer modification is made before the instructions are executed.

Assembler Notification:

None

Workaround:

Maintain at least seven cycles (either or useful code or NOPs) between modifications of the IVPD registers and execution of the RESET, INTR or TRAP instructions to allow the register modifications to complete the execute phase of the pipeline.



Pending Interrupts During Wake-up From IDLE

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If the IDLE instruction is decoded while an interrupt is pending (an interrupt flag set in the IFR

and the INTM bit is set), there will be a null cycle in the pipeline between the execution of the IDLE instruction and the instruction that follows it. The only effect of this behavior is that the instructions following the IDLE will execute one cycle later than if no interrupts were pending.

There are no other effects on the accuracy of the surrounding code.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Not applicable. There is no impact to customer functionality.

Advisory CPU_7

Modification of Extended 7 Bits of Auxiliary Registers is Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If an instruction performing an extended address register read in the execute phase of the

pipeline is followed by an instruction that modifies the same extended address register in the address phase, then the destination of the first instruction will not be loaded with the correct

value.

Algebraic assembly example:

XAR1 = XAR0XAR0 = #0x123456

Mnemonic assembly example:

MOV XAR0, XAR1 AMAR *(#k),XAR0

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will attempt to recognize occurrences of this issue and

generate a WARNING.

Workaround: At least three cycles (either useful code or NOPs) should be inserted between the register

update in the address phase and the address register update in the execute phase.

Alternatively, complete all extended address register updates to the address phase of the

pipeline.

Workaround examples:

MOV XAR0, XAR1 <instruction> <instruction> <instruction> AMAR *(#k), XAR0

or

AMOV XAR0, XAR1 AMAR *(#k), XAR0



SP Modification in 32-Bit Stack Mode Followed by SSP Move is Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

If an instruction that modifies the user stack pointer (SP) [which also automatically updates the system stack pointer (SSP) in 32-bit stack mode] is followed immediately by either a memory-mapped register access to the SSP, or an instruction access to the SSP, the contents of the destination register will be incorrect. This sequence is illustrated in the code example below:

Algebraic assembly example:

SP = SP - #30AR2 = SSP

Mnemonic assembly example:

AADD #(-30), SP MOV SSP, AR2

In this example, the resulting contents of AR2 will be the old SSP value, not the updated

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will attempt to identify this problem and generate an ERROR.

Workaround:

Instruction accesses of the SSP in 32-bit stack mode – Place one instruction or NOP between the stack modification and the access to the system stack pointer. In addition, interrupts should be prevented (disabled) during this three instruction sequence because the interrupt could cause the context to be saved when the SP has been updated but the SSP has not yet been updated.

Mnemonic assembly workaround example:

AADD #(-30), SP NOP MOV SSP, AR2

MMR register accesses (using the mmap qualifier) of the SSP in 32-bit stack mode – Place two instructions or NOPs between the stack modification and the access to the system stack pointer. In addition, interrupts should be prevented (disabled) during this three instruction sequence because the interrupt could cause the context to be saved when the SP has been updated but the SSP has not yet been updated.

Mnemonic assembly workaround example:

```
AADD #(-30),SP
NOP
NOP
MOV SSP,Smem || mmap
Or
```

Use the dual 16-bit stack mode. This exception only occurs in 32-bit stack mode. In 16-bit stack mode, the stack operation is correct with the following considerations:

- Use of the dual 16-bit stack mode may create issues with operations that utilize stack unwinding techniques.
- Dual 16-bit mode may create incorrect operation of 54x code if the code is using far calls and the called routine uses stack relative data addressing.



Nonparallel D-Unit Swap Executed Conditionally Does Not Null Execution Correctly

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

If a conditional execution instruction operating on the D-Unit is followed by a SWAP instruction, the conditional execution will not terminate the execution of the SWAP instruction if the condition is false (the SWAP instruction will always be performed regardless of the state of

the condition).

Algebraic assembly example: If (cond) execute (D Unit) Swap (src,dst)

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will generate an error for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Generate the conditional execution of the D unit swap in a single cycle operation. The code

sequence is as follows:

If (cond) execute (D_Unit) | Swap (src,dst)

Advisory CPU_10

Accumulator Use by AU or in Program Control Flow Paralleled With an Accumulator Move

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Case 1 – Accumulator used in AU:

If an instruction that uses an accumulator value in the AU is paralleled with an accumulator

move referencing the same accumulator, the accumulator move may fail.

Algebraic assembly example: $AR2 = HI(AC0) \mid AC0 = AC1$

Case 2 – Accumulator used in control flow:

If an instruction that uses an accumulator value to affect program control flow is paralleled with an accumulator move referencing the same accumulator, the accumulator move may fail.

Algebraic assembly example: goto AC0 | AC0 = AC1

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.03 and later) will generate an error for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

For both cases, the workaround is not to execute these instructions in parallel. Executed

sequentially, the instructions will perform correctly.

A-Unit SWAP in Parallel With D-Unit SWAP

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If a SWAP instruction used to swap A-Unit registers is paralleled with a SWAP instruction that

attempts to swap D-Unit registers, the code may fail.

Algebraic assembly example:

SWAP (AC1, AC3) || SWAP (AR1, AR0)

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: These instructions should not be executed in parallel. If executed sequentially, the code

performs as expected.

Advisory CPU 12

Accumulator SWAP in Parallel With the Accumulator Modification

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If the SWAP instruction used to swap accumulators is paralleled with an instruction that

attempts to modify the contents of one of the accumulators referenced in the SWAP, the code

may fail.

Algebraic assembly example:

SWAP(AC1, AC3) | | AC1 = #1234

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will attempt to detect this and reject this form of

parallelism for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: These instructions should not be executed in parallel. If executed sequentially, the code

performs as expected.



Dual-Write to the Same Address With a Bypass Read From the Same Address in Memory

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

This is an advisory case and is a condition that would not be expected in a user's code (since both writes are directed to the same address). This advisory is included to project a complete list of projected functional changes.

On the 55x architecture, if a write is made to a memory location and in the same cycle a read is performed to the same memory location, the architecture employs a bypass read mechanism to optimize pipeline cycles. In a bypass read, the value to be written to memory is read directly from the bus as the write is being performed. This prevents additional pipeline cycles that would be incurred if the read were forced to wait for the write to be completed.

If, during the same cycle, a dual-write operation addresses the same memory location from the CPU using the E and F busses and a read of this memory location is requested by the CPU, different values are loaded into the memory location and returned to the CPU. The memory location is loaded with the value that was on the F bus and the value on the E bus is bypassed from the write and returned from the CPU.

Correction in a future revision will be to insure the values match.

Assembler Notification:

None

Workaround:

In a dual-write operation (two 16-bit writes), the destination should not be the same location. This is an unsupported operation.

Advisory CPU 14

Parallel Register Comparison and Move Execution Involving A-Unit / D-Unit

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Parallel execution of the form:

```
TCx = uns(src relop dst) | Instruction2
```

will fail under the following conditions:

- src is a TAx register
- Instruction2 is any D-Unit instruction that references a TAy register

Instruction2 will be incorrectly calculated using the TAx value instead of the TAy value.

Algebraic example:

```
TC1 = (AR1 < AC1) \mid \mid AC2 = AC2 + AR2 ; Will compute as AC2 = AC2 + AR1
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Do not use these instructions in parallel, or use the TAx register in the register compare instruction as the *dst* instead of the *src* if possible.

Instead of:

```
TC1 = (AR1 == AC1) \mid AC2 = AC2 + AR2
```

Use:

 $TC1 = (AC1 == AR1) \mid \mid AC2 = AC2 + AR2$



Dual Push of TAx and ACx Registers Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When a dual push instruction combining an A-unit source and a D-unit source (accumulator) is

followed by an instruction that updates an A-unit register in the address phase of the pipeline,

the update to the A-unit register in the second instruction is not Pipeline-Protected.

Example:

PSH AR0, AC0 AMAR #12, AR0

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: At least three cycles (either useful code or NOPs) should be inserted between the two

instructions.

Advisory CPU_16

Parallel Operation of a Push and Pop of an Extended Addressing Register

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The parallel operation of any instruction with a push to or pop from an extended addressing

register (XARn, XDP, XCDP) is not supported in Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Examples:

<instruction> || Pushboth XAR0

or

<instruction> || Popboth XAR1

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Do not use the parallel execution for these instructions.



Parallel Operation of Extended Register Load With a 16-bit Address/Data Register Load

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: In parallel executions of the forms shown below:

```
xdst = popboth()
                       Instruction2
ACx = xsrc
                        Instruction2
                                         ; where xsrc is not Acy
xdst = xsrc
                        Instruction2
                                         ; where xdst is not Acx
dbl(Lmem) = xsrc
                        Instruction2
                                         ; where xsrc is not Acx
                       Instruction2
pshboth(xsrc)
```

where *Instruction2* is one of the following:

```
DAx = k4
DAx = -k4
DAx, DAy = pop()
DAx = pop()
```

and in the following case:

```
ACx = xsrc |  Instruction2
```

where Instruction2 updates DAx using A-Unit ALU in the execute phase, the modification of DAx by Instruction2 will not occur.

Algebraic Examples:

```
AC0 = popboth() \mid AR1 = \#-16
AC0 = XCDP
                    AR1 = #16
XAR0 = AC0
                    AR1 = #16
AC0 = XSSP
                  | \ | \ AR1 = AR2 \& \#0Fh
```

Mnemonic Examples:

```
POPBOTH ACO
              | MOV #-16, AR1
MOV XARO, ACO
              || MOV #16, AR1
MOV ACO, XARO
              | MOV #16, AR1
MOV XSSP, ACO | AND #0Fh, AR2, AR1
```

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Do not use the parallel execution for these instructions.



Compare and Branch Instruction in 40-Bit ALU Can Return Wrong Comparison Result

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The 'compare and branch' instruction may return an incorrect result when the unsigned keyword is not specified (indicating a signed value), SMXD = 0 (sign extension is disabled), and the constant k8 is a negative value. This is due to the guard bits in the accumulator being sign-extended instead of zero filled. This advisory does not depend on the state of the M40 bit.

Mnemonic example:

BCC[U] L8, src RELOP k8

Algebraic example:

Compare (uns(src RELOP k8)) goto L8

Unsigned?	SXMD	Result
No	0	Incorrect
No	1	Correct
Yes	N/A	Correct

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will identify the above instruction and issue a REMARK for

silicon Revisions C, D, and F.

Workaround:

Set SMXD to 1 prior to executing the compare and branch instruction.



Bit Test/Modify to/from I/O Space Via Parallel Execution

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Modifications of register values in I/O space of the form:

```
Instruction1 || readport () or instruction1 || writeport ()
```

will fail if instruction1 is one of the following instructions:

```
TC1 = bit(Smem,k4) , bit(Smem,k4) = #1

TC2 = bit(Smem,k4) , bit(Smem,k4) = #1

TC1 = bit(Smem,k4) , bit(Smem,k4) = #0

TC2 = bit(Smem,k4) , bit(Smem,k4) = #0

TC1 = bit(Smem,k4) , cbit(Smem,k4)

TC2 = bit(Smem,k4) , cbit(Smem,k4)

bit(Smem,src) = #1

bit(Smem,src) = #0

cbit(Smem,src)

Smem = Smem & k16

Smem = Smem | k16

Smem = Smem + K16
```

The readport reference will read from I/O space but write to memory space instead of I/O space

The writeport reference will write to I/O space but read from memory space instead of I/O space

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Use the following steps:

- **Step 1:** Read contents of the peripheral register into memory space using a single memory read instruction in parallel with the readport() qualifier.
- **Step 2:** Modify the register data in memory space.
- **Step 3:** Write the modified contents back to I/O space using a single memory write instruction in parallel with the writeport() qualifier.



Dual-Read or Dual-Write With Readport() or Writeport() Qualifier

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: In the case of a dual-read instruction in parallel with the readport() qualifier, only the Xmem

operand is read. No request is generated to read the Ymem operand.

Mnemonic example:

MOV Xmem, Ymem, ACx | readport()

Algebraic example:

LO(ACx) = Xmem, HI(ACx) = Ymem | readport()

In the case of a dual-write instruction in parallel with the writeport() qualifier, only the Ymem

operand is written. No request is generated to write the Xmem operand.

Mnemonic example:

MOV ACx, Xmem, Ymem || writeport()

Algebraic example:

Xmem = LO(ACx),Ymem = HI(Acx) || writeport()

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: For dual reads, replace the dual-read with two single reads.

For dual writes, replace the dual-write with two single writes.

Advisory CPU_23

Parallel Execution of a Program Unit Store With Any Other Memory Store

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Parallel execution instructions of the following forms will fail due to write data corruption. This

issue is stall sensitive and may not always occur.

Algebraic forms:

Smem = CSR || (any memory store instruction)
Smem = BRC0 || (any memory store instruction)
Smem = BRC1 || (any memory store instruction)

Mnemonic forms:

MOV CSR, Smem || (any memory store instruction)
MOV BRCO, Smem || (any memory store instruction)
MOV BRC1, Smem || (any memory store instruction)

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Do not execute these instructions in parallel.



TCx Bit Corrupted by Single Register Comparison Instruction

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The TCx status bit(s) are corrupted when an instruction sequence of the following form is executed:

(any instruction) || (an instruction using the ALU in the address unit)

.

(single register comparison instruction)

where the single register compare instruction is any of the following forms:

Algebraic	Mnemonic
TCx = uns(src RELOP dst)	CMP[U] src RELOP dst, TCx
TCx = TCy & uns(src RELOP dst)	CMPAND[U] src RELOP dst, TCy, TCx
TCx = !TCy & uns(src RELOP dst)	CMPAND[U] src RELOP dst, !TCy, TCx
TCx = TCy uns(src RELOP dst)	CMPOR[U] src RELOP dst, TCy, TCx
TCx = !TCy uns(src RELOP dst)	CMPOR[U] src RELOP dst, !TCy, TCx

Corruption of the TCx result occurs as follows:

src	dst	effect
TAx	TAx	TCx is incorrect
ACx	TAx	TCx is incorrect
TAx	ACx	TCx is incorrect
ACx	ACx	TCx is incorrect

Mnemonic example:

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect the single register compare instruction and issue a remark for 1.x silicon.

Workaround:

Execute a NOP in parallel with the register comparison instruction as follows:

- (any instruction) || (an instruction using the ALU in the address unit)
- (single register comparison instruction) || nop



Conditional Return Paralleled With Memory Store

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If a conditional return is paralleled with a memory store instruction, the store will fail if the

condition evaluated for the return is false. The store should be completed regardless of the

condition of the return.

Mnemonic example

RETCC cond || MOV *ar1, *ar3

Algebraic example

if (cond) return || *ar3 = *ar1

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect and reject this form of parallelism for Revisions

C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Do not execute these instructions in parallel.

Advisory CPU_26

E-Bus Write Data Corrupted When AC3 Load in Parallel With E-Bus Write Instruction

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Data written on the E-bus will be corrupted in the case of the following parallel execution form:

Instruction1 || Instruction2

Where Instruction1 is a move instruction that loads AC3 with the contents of one of the following: XARx, XSP, XSSP, XDP or XCDP and Instruction2 is any of the instructions that can be placed in the second slot (for parallel execution) and performs writes using the E-bus, such

as:

call L16

• push(src1,src2)

pshboth(xsrc)

push(src)

dbl(push(ACx)).

Mnemonic example

MOV XCDP, AC3 | PSH AR0

Algebraic example

 $AC3 = XCDP \mid push(AR0)$

Assembler Notification: Assembler versions 1.70 and later will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Do not use parallel execution with AC3 load.



Smem Push/Pop Instructions Fail When Smem is *port(#k16)

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The following single memory operand push and pop instructions fail when the Smem

addressing mode is *port(#k16)

 Algebraic Form
 Mnemonic Form

 Smem = pop()
 POP Smem

 dst, Smem = pop()
 POP dst, Smem

 push(Smem)
 PSH Smem

 push(src, Smem)
 PSH src, Smem

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this addressing mode for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: None

Advisory CPU_28

MAR Instruction Using T0 May Fail When the C54CM Bit is Set (= 1)

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When the C54CM (C54x compatibility mode) bit is set (= 1), the following MAR instructions will

fail if register T0 is used in the TAy position.

Algebraic Form	Mnemonic Form
mar(TAx + TAy)	AADD TAx, TAy
mar(TAx – TAy)	ASUB TAx, TAy
mar(TAx = TAy)	AMOV TAx, TAy

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will attempt to identify these instructions using T0 and

generate an ERROR if .c54cm_on directive is found, and will not generate an error if c54cm_off directive is found. If no directive is seen, assembler will generate a REMARK.

Workaround: Do not use T0 for the TAy field of this family of auxiliary register modification instructions when

the C54CM bit is set.



Move Instructions Referencing Cmem and Smem Using the *port(#k16) Modifier

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The following instructions will fail if the *port(#k16) modifier is used as the addressing mode for

the Smem operand:

 Algebraic Form
 Mnemonic Form

 Smem = Cmem
 MOV Cmem, Smem

 Cmem = Smem
 MOV Smem, Cmem

If Smem is specified by the *port(#k16) modifier, the modifier should apply only to the Smem

operand, but applies to both operands.

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this addressing mode for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: None



Interrupt During Conditional Execution Instruction Sequence Corrupts Program Counter

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When an interrupt is asserted between an execution-phase-only conditional execution instruction and the following instruction (which would be either executed or not based on the condition), the program counter for the interrupt service routine is corrupted if the evaluated condition is false. If the condition is true, the instruction sequence operates correctly.

Example 1: if (condition = false) execute (D_Unit)

< interrupt asserted >

next instruction (which should be killed)

Example 2: if (condition = false) execute (D_Unit)

< interrupt asserted >

next instruction (which should be killed) | Instruction3

Example 3: previous instruction || if (condition = false) execute (D_Unit)

< interrupt asserted >

next instruction (which should be killed)

For the above example sequences, the flow should be:

Step 1: The condition is evaluated,

Step 2: Branch to interrupt service routine (ISR)

Step 3: Return from the ISR to the instruction to be killed

Step 4: Ignore that instruction and continue to execute the instructions that follow

Due to this problem, the program counter for the branch to the ISR is corrupted causing the code sequence to fail.

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will generate a REMARK when this instruction is used, warning the user about the incompatibility with interrupts.

Workaround(s):

- 1. Replace if (condition) execute (D_Unit) with if (condition) execute (AD_Unit) The AD_Unit form of this instruction executes correctly.
- Use if (condition) execute (D_Unit) || <instruction to be conditionally executed>
 When these instructions are executed in the same cycle, the instructions execute correctly.
- Prevent an interrupt from occurring during the example instruction sequence



AR3 Update Not Pipeline-Protected After BK03 Write When AR3LC = 1

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When AR3 is used as a circular addressing pointer (AR3LC bit =1), AR3 modifications are not pipeline-protected when BK03 is changed.

Algebraic example

The pipeline should stall at the (*AR3) instruction until the BK03 update has been completed, but it does not. Consequently, the AR3 is modified incorrectly (relative to the previous BK03 value).

This issue only occurs when AR3LC = 1 (circular addressing mode) and does not occur if the circular qualifier is used.

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will generate a REMARK for a BK03 modification followed

directly by an AR3 indirection.

Workaround:

Add five NOPs between the instruction updating BK03 and the instruction modifying AR3.

Advisory CPU_32

Parallel Execution of Register Bit Pair Test Instruction

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When the Register Bit Pair Test instruction is used with the indirect addressing modifiers *ARn+ or *ARn-, the auxiliary registers should be modified by 2. When this instruction is executed as a single instruction, it works correctly. When executed in parallel with another instruction that uses the data address generation unit (DAGEN), the auxiliary registers are incorrectly modified by 1.

Algebraic example

```
*AR4 = pair(LO(AC2)) || bit(AR5,pair(*AR1-))
;AR1 is modified by -1 instead of -2
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect this and reject this form of parallelism for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Only use single execution of this instruction.



SATD Causes Saturation on Logical Shifts With AND, OR, and XOR Instructions

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: For the instructions shown below, the shift should not saturate even if SATD = 1 because the

shift is logical. However, saturation does occur if SATD = 1 and $k16 \ge 0x8000$.

Algebraic Form Mnemonic Form

ACy = ACx & (k16 <<< #16) AND k16 << #16, [ACx,] ACy

ACy = ACx | (k16 <<< #16) OR k16 << #16, [ACx,] ACy

ACy = ACx ^ (k16 <<< #16) XOR k16 << #16, [ACx,] ACy

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.70 and later) will detect these instructions and issue a REMARK.

Workaround: Reset SATD before executing these instructions.

Advisory CPU_34

Byte Write Followed by Word or Long-Word Read Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If a byte write is performed followed by a word or long-word read to the same address, the

read may be performed before the write has been completed (the bypass mechanism fails)

and return incorrect data.

Algebraic example

high_byte(*AR1) = T0

AC0 = *AR1

Mnemonic example

MOV T0, high byte(*AR1)

MOV *AR1, ACO

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F

silicon.

Workaround: Insert NOPs or other useful code between the two instructions to allow the byte write to

proceed to the execute phase before performing the read.

NOTE: On the 55x architecture, if a write is made to a memory location and in the same cycle a read is

performed to the same memory location, the architecture employs a bypass read mechanism to optimize pipeline cycles. In a bypass read, the value to be written to memory is read directly from the bus as the write is being performed. This prevents additional pipeline cycles that would be

incurred if the read were forced to wait for the write to be completed.



Destination Conflicts for Bit Set/Clear/Complement Instructions

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When two instructions are paralleled as *Instruction 1* || *Instruction 2* and the memory or

register locations they modify conflict (modified locations are the same), Instruction 2 should

be prioritized. However, when the following instructions:

bit (src,Baddr) = #0 when src is an ARx or Tx register bit (src,Baddr) = #1 when src is an ARx or Tx register cbit(src,Baddr) when src is an ARx or Tx register

are executed as one of the parallel instructions, these instructions will always be given priority.

Algebraic example

bit(AR0, AR3) = #1 | AR0 = #0

Mnemonic example

BSET ARO, AR3 || MOV #0, ARO

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F

silicon.

Workaround: Avoid destination conflicts for this parallel instruction sequence.

Advisory CPU_36

Destination Conflicts When TAx Load in Parallel With Register Comparison

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When the parallel structure *Instruction 1* || *Instruction 2* is used and *Instruction 1* is a TAx load and *Instruction 2* is a register comparison instruction with the same TAx register specified as

the destination operand, the load of *Instruction 1* will fail.

NOTE: This advisory includes cases where *Instruction 1* is a load of an extended auxiliary register and the destination operand of Instruction 2 is the corresponding auxiliary register (e.g. XAR0 and AR0).

Algebraic example

 $T0 = #1 \mid | TC2 = uns(AC3 >= T0)$

Mnemonic example

MOV #1, T0 || CMPU AC3 >= T0, TC2

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate an error for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Use the following steps:

Step 1: Locate the register comparison instruction in the *Instruction 1* position, or

Step 2: Avoid the destination conflict if possible, or

Step 3: Do not use parallel execution.



Maximum and Minimum Comparison Instructions Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The following advisory only occurs when the device is operated in C54x compatibility mode (C54CM=1). The following Minimum and Maximum Comparison instructions are not pipeline-protected against memory-mapped register writes to AC1:

AC0 = min(src, AC0)or AC0 = max(src, AC0)AC2 = min(src, AC2)AC2 = max(src, AC2)or

AC3 = min(src, AC3)or AC3 = max(src, AC3)

When C54CM=1, these instructions are automatically executed as the following so this problem does not occur when the instruction explicitly references AC1:

AC1 = min(src, AC1) or AC1 = max(src, AC1)

Algebraic example

```
@000bh = #1234
                           ; 000bh is the memory address for AC1 L
AC2 = min(AC3, AC2)
                           ; compare will be based on previous value of
                           ; AC1, not #1234
```

Mnemonic example

```
MOV #1234, @000bh
                           ; 000bh is the memory address for AC1 L
MIN AC3, AC2
                           ; compare will be based on previous value of
                           ; AC1, not #1234
```

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a remark for Revisions C, D, and F silicon if a min or max instruction (with a destination that is not AC1) is found preceded by a memory access (indirect, direct or coeff) when the .lead on / .c54cm on directive has been found.

Workaround:

Insert a NOP between the two instructions.

Advisory CPU_38

Sequence of Compare Instructions Executes Incorrectly

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C. D. and F

Details:

The following code sequence executes incorrectly:

```
compare (uns(TAx relop #k8)) goto L8
                                        ; condition false
      ; No instructions using DU (16-bit) ALU
      ; between the compare/goto instructions
compare (uns(ACx relop #k8)) goto L8
                                        ; condition true
```

The second compare/goto will not go to the specified address even though the condition is true. This advisory is not affected by the state of uns, relop or the value of the constant k8. This problem does not occur if an instruction between the two compare/goto instructions uses

the Data Unit (DU) ALU.

Assembler Notification:

Assembler versions 1.80 and later will generate a WARNING for Revisions C, D, and F silicon when these instructions are encountered.

Workaround:

Ensure that an instruction that uses the Data Unit ALU is executed after each compare/goto instruction, such as ACx = ACx which functionally does not change any register contents.



High-Byte Load Corrupted by Write Stall

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When a high byte load instruction (see below) is in the READ phase of the pipeline and a previous memory write instruction is stalled by a slow memory device, the write stall causes the byte load data to be corrupted and returned as 0x0000.

Algebraic example:

Case 1:

Case 2:

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.8 and later) will generate a REMARK for silicon revisions C, D, and F if a high byte() read is preceded by a memory write within 3 cycles.

Workaround:

Insert at least three NOPs between the instruction that writes to slow memory and the high byte load instruction to prevent a write from occurring while the high byte load instruction is in the READ phase of the pipeline.



LMS Instruction Rounds Incorrectly

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The LMS instruction performs two paralleled operations in one cycle: multiply and accumulate (MAC), and addition. The instruction is executed as:

ACy = ACy + (Xmem * Ymem),

ACx = rnd (ACx + (Xmem << #16))

The rounding function should add 2^15 to the (ACx + (Xmem << #16)) part of this instruction and then round the result.

The rounding is not performed correctly and adds 2¹ under the following conditions:

M40=0, SATD=1, RDM=0, SXMD=0, and the Xmem data is >=0x8000

• If bit 15 of the ACx = rnd (ACx + (Xmem << #16)) result before rounding is 0, the rounding is performed correctly. If bits 15–1 of the ACx = rnd (ACx + (Xmem << #16)) result before rounding are 1, the rounding is performed correctly.

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a remark for LMS instructions for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

None

Advisory CPU_41

M40 Affects Smem Instruction (Smem = Smem+k16) Carry Generation

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

For the following instruction:

 Algebraic Form
 Mnemonic Form

 Smem = Smem +k16
 ADD K16, Smem

the calculation is performed in the D-unit ALU. The generation of the carry bit should always occur based on the state of bit 31 in the DU-ALU regardless of the M40 CPU control bit. However, when M40 = 1, the carry generation does not work correctly. When M40 = 0, the instruction executes correctly.

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a REMARK on the occurrence of this

instruction for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Ensure that M40 = 0 prior to executing the Smem = Smem + k16 instruction.

MDP/DP/XSP/SP Updates Not Pipeline-Protected for Extended Register Loads

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Case 1: CPL = 0 and MDP/DP

When direct addressing is specified in the Smem field of the auxiliary register load instruction:

xdst = mar(Smem)

MDP and DP are read in the address phase of the pipeline. If any previous instruction updates MDP or DP in the execute or write phases of the pipeline, the updates are not pipeline-protected and the auxiliary register load instruction may not use the updated value.

Case 2: CPL = 1 and XSP/SP

When direct addressing is specified in the Smem field of the auxiliary register load instruction: xdst = mar(Smem)

XSP and SP are read in the address phase of the pipeline. If any previous instruction updates XSP or SP in the execute or write phases of the pipeline, the updates are not pipeline-protected and the auxiliary register load instruction may not use the updated value.

In both of the above cases, updates to CPL are correctly pipeline-protected.

Case 3: *abs16(#k16) and MDP

When the *abs16(#k16) addressing syntax is specified in the Smem field of the auxiliary register load instruction:

```
xdst = mar(Smem)
```

MDP and DP are read in the address phase of the pipeline. If any previous instruction updates MDP or DP in the execute or write phases of the pipeline, the updates are not pipeline-protected and the auxiliary register load instruction may not use the updated value.

Algebraic example

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a REMARK on the occurrence of this instruction for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Maintain at least 5 cycles (NOPs or other useful code) between the instruction that modifies MDP/DP/SP/XSP and the next instruction that uses MDP/DP/SP/XSP with direct or *abs(#k16) addressing.



BKxx and BOFxx Updates Not Pipeline-Protected to MAR Instruction

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When any of the following instructions are executed in circular addressing mode, defined by either ST2 or the circular() qualifier, a BKxx or BOFxx update in the execute or write phase prior to these instructions is not pipeline-protected.

```
mar(DAy + DAx)
mar(DAy - DAx)
mar(DAx + P8)
mar(DAx - P8)
mar(Smem)
dst = mar(Smem)
```

Algebraic example: In the following example, 0x20 should be used as the buffer size but the old value, 0x10 is used.

```
bit(ST2, #0) = 1    ; Set circular addressing mode for AR0
.
.
.
BK03 = #0x10    ; Set circular size for AR0 in ADDRESS phase
@BK03 = #0x20    ; Set circular size for AR0 in WRITE phase
mar(*AR0+DR0)    ; AR0 circular addressing
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a remark when these instructions occur for

Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Maintain at least five cycles (useful code or NOPs) between BKxx & BOFxx updates and mar instructions.

Advisory CPU_44

XSP Update Not Pipeline-Protected Against Direct Addressing

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When CPL=1, direct addressing references without the mmap() qualifier are made relative to the extended stack pointer (XSP:SP). The pipeline should automatically ensure that direct addressing references that follow a stack pointer modification are stalled until the stack pointer modification is completed. The protection of the SP works correctly. However, the protection of the XSP does not work correctly.

```
Algebraic example XSSP = old value .
```

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a warning for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Maintain at least four cycles (NOPs or useful code) between the XSP modification and the direct addressing reference.

TEXAS INSTRUMENTS

Bypass from E-Bus With Stall in AC1 Phase

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When one instruction is performing an E-bus write in the execute phase of the pipeline, while another instruction is reading the same address in the Access 1 (AC1) phase using the B-bus, and the B-bus read is stalled, a bypass condition is detected but lost and the data read from B-bus will be corrupted.

Algebraic example:

```
*+cdp(#1fc7h) = pop()
                                        ; this instruction writes through
                                         ; E-bus in the execute phase
                                         ; 0, 1, or 2 cycles of instructions
<instruction(s)>
                                        ; separating CDP references
AC0 = (AC0 + ((*AR0+) * (coef(*CDP)))), ; this instruction reads from B-bus
AC0 = (AC0 + ((*AR0+) * (coef(*CDP))))
                                        ; in the AC1 phase
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a warning for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Maintain at least three cycles (useful code or NOPs) between the E-bus write instruction and the B-bus read instruction.

Advisory CPU_46

BRCx Read Within Loop Corrupted

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When the block repeat counter (BRC) is read inside an active block repeat or local repeat loop, and the last instruction in the loop is single-repeated, the value read for the BRC will be incorrect.

Algebraic example: blockrepeat

<instructions> DAx = BRC0<instructions>

; read of BRC ; 0-4 cycles of instructions prior to single instruction ; repeat

repeat() <instruction>

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a warning for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround(s):

- 1. Do not place the single repeat instruction at the end of the block or local repeat, or
- Maintain at least five cycles (useful code or NOPs) between the BRC read and the single repeat instruction.



Parallel Execution of Exponent or Normalization Instructions

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: In code execution of the following form:

```
<instruction1> || <exponent/normalization instruction in slot 2>
<non-parallel instruction(s)>
<exponent/normalization instruction>
                                        ;this instruction will fail
```

the second exponent/normalization instruction will fail. The exponent/normalization instructions involved are:

Algebraic Form Mnemonic Form ACy = mant(ACx), Tx = -exp(ACx)MANT ACx, ACy :: NEXP ACx, Tx

Tx = exp(ACx)EXP ACx, Tx

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a warning for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Ensure the second instance of the exponent/normalization instruction is always in parallel with another instruction (nop or useful code) as in the following example:

```
<instruction1> || Tx = exp(TCx)
<non-parallel instruction(s) >
Tx = exp(TCx) \mid \mid nop
```

Advisory CPU_48

Updates of T1 in *(ARx -/+ T1) With Dual Access Not Pipeline-Protected When ARMS = 1

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

If a parallel instruction pair performs a dual access and uses the addressing mode *(ARx -/+ T1), updates of T1 are not pipeline-protected when the updates occur in the write or execute phases of the instructions prior to the parallel instruction pair.

This advisory occurs when the instruction using the addressing mode *(ARx -/+ T1) is either in the first or second position in the parallel instruction pair.

Algebraic example

```
bit(ST2, #15) = #1
                           ; ARMS bit = 1
T1 = SSP
                           ; T1 is loaded with SSP in the execute phase.
*(AR6+T1) || *AR0
                           ; AR6 should be incremented by the SSP value but
                           ; uses the previous T1 value instead.
```

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 2.20 and later) will generate a warning for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

Maintain at least five cycles (useful code or NOPs) between the instruction that instruction that updates T1 and the instruction pair that uses the *(ARx -/+ T1) indirect addressing mode.



Extended Register Move in Parallel With Tx Reference in the D-Unit

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Parallel execution of the form *Instruction 1* || *Instruction 2* will fail when

Instruction 1 is an extended register move (xdst = xsrc), and

Instruction 2 is a D-unit operation using a Tx register

The Tx register will not be loaded correctly.

Algebraic example

 $XAR0 = XAR1 \mid AC0 = T0$

Mnemonic example

MOV XAR1, XAR0 || MOV TO, ACO

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate an error for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Do not execute these instructions in parallel.

Advisory CPU_50

Parallel Execution of TAx, Smem = pop() Failure

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Parallel execution of the form *Instruction 1* || *Instruction 2* will fail when

Instruction 1 is TAx ,Smem = pop() Instruction 2 is TAy = k4, or TAy = -k4

The TAx register will not be updated by the data on the stack. This parallel instruction pair is

not supported on 1.x silicon.

Algebraic example

AR2, *AR3 = pop() || T0 = #5h ; AR2 will not be updated properly

Mnemonic example

POP AR2, *AR3 || MOV #5h, To

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate an error for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Do not execute these instructions in parallel.



False Bus Error Indication on Conditional Dual-Memory Access to MMR Space

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

For the two instruction sequences shown below:

Case 1:

If (cond = false) Execute (AD_Unit) || conditional dual memory access

Case 2:

if(cond = false) Execute (AD_Unit) conditional dual memory access

If the conditional dual memory access instruction addresses the memory-mapped register (MMR) space using either C-bus or F-bus, a bus error occurs since C-bus and F-bus cannot be used in a dual access to MMR space. If the condition in the If / Execute instruction is false, the bus error should not be generated since the second instruction was not executed. However, due to this issue, the bus error is always generated (on C-bus and F-bus dual access to MMR space) regardless of the state of the condition.

Algebraic example

```
if (T1 >= #0) execute(AD_Unit)
    push(AC2,*AR4)
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a remark for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround:

If such an instruction sequence is used (e.g. to test that a pointer is non-null and then do a dual memory access), the condition can be avoided by using a goto instruction as in the following example:

```
DR0 = pointer2 || DR1 = #0x60
TC1 = DR0 >= DR1    ; TC1 is set if pointer2 is not MMR access.
if(TC1 != 1) goto LABEL
if(cond = false) Execute (AD_Unit)
conditional dual memory access
LABEL:
```



Lmem = pair(TAx) in Parallel With TAx Update in Execute Phase

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Parallel execution of the form *Instruction 1* || *Instruction 2* will fail when

Instruction 2 is Lmem = pair(TAx) and

Instruction 1 updates a (TAx+1) register in the execute phase

The (TAx+1) register will not be loaded correctly. This form of parallelism is currently not

supported.

Algebraic example

AR1 = AC0 - Smem | Smem = pair(AR0) ; AR1 will not be updated

Mnemonic example

SUB Smem, ACO, AR1 | MOV pair(ARO), dbl(Lmem); AR1 will not be updated

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Do not execute these instructions in parallel.

Advisory CPU_53

ACx, dst2 = pop() in Parallel With ACy = k4/-k4/k16

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Parallel execution of the form *Instruction 1* || *Instruction 2* will fail when

Instruction 1 is ACx, dst2 = pop()

Instruction 2 is ACy = k4 or ACy = -k4 or ACy = k16

and ACx is not the same accumulator as ACy.

The ACx will not be updated by the pop instruction. This sequence fails only when ACx is in

the dst1 position in Instruction1.

Algebraic example

 $AC2,T1 = pop() \mid AC1 = 0$; AC2 will not be updated correctly

Mnemonic example

POP AC2, T1 $\mid \mid$ MOV #0, AC1 ; AC2 will not be updated correctly

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate an error for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

Workaround: Do not execute these instructions in parallel.

DP Update by bit(ST0,#8-0) Followed by XDP Move is Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

If one of the following Status Bit Set/Clear instructions alters the DP field in status register 0 (ST0_55):

- bit(ST0,k4) = #0 or ;clear of bit in DP field of ST0_55 (k4 = #8-0)
- bit(ST0,k4) = #1;set of bit in DP field of ST0 55 (k4 = #8-0)

and the instruction is directly followed by one of the following move instructions:

- XARx = XDP
- XCDP = XDP
- XSP = XDP
- XSSP = XDP

the extended registers are updated with the previous XDP value (from before the bit modification) instead of the correct value.

Algebraic example

```
DP = #0xffff
                           ;DP value is initially #0xffff
bit(ST0, #8) = #0
                           ;clear of bit 8 in STO 55
XAR0 = XDP
                           ; XARO should be updated to
                           ;0x7FFF but is incorrectly
                           ;updated to 0xFFFF
```

Mnemonic example

```
MOV #0xffff, DP
                           ;DP value is initially #0xffff
BCLR #8, ST0 55
                           ;clear of bit 8 in STO 55
MOV XDP, XARO
                           ; XARO should be updated to
                           ;0x7FFF but is incorrectly
```

;updated to 0xFFFF

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F silicon when it sees the above situation.

Workaround:

Insert a NOP between the bit instruction and the move from XDP.



AR0 is Not Pipeline-Protected When Read by coef(*(CDP+T0)) With C54CM = 1

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When the C54CM bit in status register 1 (ST1_55) is set to 1, coef(*(CDP+T0)) is computed as coef(*(CDP+AR0)). If any previous instruction updates the AR0 register during the execute or write phases, the pipeline should stall to postpone coef(*(CDP+T0)) but it does not.

Algebraic example

```
bit(ST1, #5) = #1
                                  ; set C54CM (=1)
CDP = #0x0
                                  ; CDP is loaded with 0x0
nop
nop
                                  ; ARO is loaded with Oxdead
mar(AR0 = #0xdead)
                                  ; ARO is loaded with Oxaaaa
AR0 = \#0xaaaa
                                  ; CDP is incorrectly loaded with Oxdead
*AR5 = coef(*(CDP+T0))
                                  ; instead of Oxaaaa
Mnemonic example
BSET #5, ST1 55
                                  ; set C54CM (=1)
MOV #0x0, CDP
                                  ; CDP is loaded with 0x0
nop
nop
AMOV #0xdead, AR0
                                  ; ARO is loaded with Oxdead
MOV #0xaaaa, AR0
                                  ; ARO is loaded with Oxaaaa
MOV coef(*(CDP+T0)), *AR5
                                  ; CDP is incorrectly loaded with Oxdead
```

NOTE: The syntax for coef(*(CDP+T0)) in both examples may be changed to coef(*(CDP+AR0)) when C54CM is set to 1.

Assembler Notification:

Whenever the assembler (versions 1.80 and later) sees a write of AR0 or a memory write, followed within five cycles by the coef form above, it will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F silicon.

; instead of Oxaaaa

Workaround:

Maintain at least five cycles (useful code or NOPs) between the instruction that updates AR0 and the instruction using coef(*(CDP+T0)).



ARMS Bit Incorrectly Affects *(ARn+T1) in Parallel With Another DAGEN Instruction

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

In the case of single access memory, when ARMS=1 in status register 2 (ST2_55), *(ARn+T1) is computed as *ARn(short(#1)). In the case of dual access memory, *(ARn+T1) should not be affected by the ARMS bit and should be computed as it is. However, in this case (dual access memory), when two instructions using the data address generation unit (DAGEN) are executed in parallel (DAGEN *instr1* || DAGEN *instr2*) with ARMS=1, *(ARn+T1) is incorrectly computed as *ARn(short(#1)).

NOTE: Using implied parallelism with two DAGEN instructions (DAGEN instr1, DAGEN instr2) in this case will work properly.

p. 5p 5...).

Algebraic example

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.20 and later) will generate a WARNING for Revisions C, D, and F

silicon.

Workaround:

Reset the ARMS bit to 0 before executing two DAGEN instructions in parallel (DAGEN || DAGEN) using *(ARn+T1) and dual access memory.

Advisory CPU 57

TRNx Register Not Updated

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

In the following cases, both TRN0 and TRN1 registers should be updated by both instructions of each parallel instruction pair (*Instruction1* || *Instruction2*), but *Instruction1* does not update TRNx.

 $TRN0 = Smem \mid | max_diff_dbl(ACx,ACy,ACz,ACw,TRN1) \\ TRN1 = Smem \mid | max_diff_dbl(ACx,ACy,ACz,ACw,TRN0) \\ TRN0 = Smem \mid | min_diff_dbl(ACx,ACy,ACz,ACw,TRN1) \\ TRN1 = Smem \mid | min_diff_dbl(ACx,ACy,ACz,ACw,TRN0) \\ ; TRN1 is not updated \\ ; TRN2 is not updated \\ ; TRN3 is not updated \\ ; TRN3$

NOTE: If the same TRNx register is selected by both instructions, TRNx is updated by *Instruction2*. This behavior is correct

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate an ERROR for Revisions C, D, and F silicon

when these pairs are found.

Workaround: Do not execute these instructions in parallel.



Parallel Instruction Pair if (cond = false) execute (D_Unit) || pshboth(xsrc) Corrupts Stack

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

In the following case:

```
if (cond = false) execute (D_Unit) || pshboth(xsrc)
```

because pshboth(xsrc) is a memory write operation, the condition should be detected at the read phase in order to kill the memory write request at the execute phase. The condition is not detected until the execute phase, however, so the write request cannot be killed. As a result, invalid data is written to the memory leasting pointed to by XSR and XSSR.

invalid data is written to the memory location pointed to by XSP and XSSP.

Algebraic example

Mnemonic example

```
XCCPART label, AC1==0 || PSHBOTH XAR0
     ; If (AC1==0) is false, stack data is corrupted
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate an ERROR for Revisions C, D, and F silicon

when this is found.

Workaround:

Use one of the following:

Option 1:

if (cond = false) execute (D_Unit)

pshboth()
Option 2:

if (cond = false) execute (AD_Unit) || pshboth()

Advisory CPU_59

Return From Interrupt (RETI) Does Not Work as Second Parallel Instruction

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The return from interrupt or RETI instruction does not work properly when it is the second

instruction in a pair of parallel instructions as follows:

Instruction1 || RETI

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate an ERROR for Revisions C, D, and F silicon

when this is found.

Workaround:

Do not use RETI as the second instruction in a parallel pair.



BRC1 Preceding Nested Block Repeat is Not Protected

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The new BRC1 value updated by entering the inner block repeat loop (=BRS1) could be read during the read or execute phases of the initial BRC register read instruction under the following conditions:

- C54CM = 0 (bit in status register 1)
- BRC1 register is not equal to the BRS1 register
- BRC1 is read by an instruction during its read or execute phases
- The BRC1 read is immediately followed by a nested blockrepeat

Algebraic example

The AR1 = BRC1 instruction results in the incorrect value of BRC1 being read because it is updated by the second blockrepeat instruction before the execute phase of AR1 = BRC1.

Mnemonic example

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a REMARK if a use of BRC1 is found within four cycles of the beginning of a nested blockrepeat and a C54CM_OFF directive has been seen.

Workaround:

In the case where BRC1 is read during the execute phase, insert four instructions (useful code or NOPs) between the BRC1 read and the inner block repeat instruction.

In the case where BRC1 is read during the read phase, insert three instructions (useful code or NOPs) between the BRC1 read and the inner block repeat instruction.



MAC Operation is Affected by an M40 Qualifier Instruction Executed in Parallel

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When the M40 bit in status register 1 (ST1_55) is 0 and one of the following parallel instruction pairs is executed:

- (instruction with M40 qualifier) || (MAC instruction without M40 qualifier) ; or
- (MAC instruction without M40 qualifier) || (M40 qualifier instruction)

the MAC instruction computes as if M40 is 1, even though it has no M40 qualifier.

Algebraic example

```
bit(ST1,@M40) = #0
AC0 = M40(dbl(@#36h)) | AC3 = (AC3 * T0) + AC3
```

The MAC instruction in the example above should operate in 32-bit mode, however, the parallel instruction with the M40 qualifier affects the MAC operation.

Mnemonic example BCLR @M40, ST1 55

MOV40 dbl(@#36h) | MAC AC3, T0, AC3, AC3

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 1.80 and later) will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F silicon

when this pair is found.

Workaround:

Do not execute a MAC instruction and an instruction with an M40 qualifier in parallel.

Advisory CPU_62

TAx, $Acy = pop() \mid \mid TAz = k4/-k4$ Does Not Update TAx

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When one of the following parallel instruction pairs is executed:

TAx, $ACy = pop() \mid | dst = k4 ; or$ TAx, $ACy = pop() \mid | dst = -k4$

the TAx register specified in the pop() instruction is not updated.

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.00 and later) will generate a ERROR for Revisions C, D, and F silicon

when this pair is found.

Workaround:

Swap the positions of *Instruction1* and *Instruction2* as follows:

 $dst = k4 \mid \mid TAx, ACy = pop()$



No Pipeline Protection Between Modification of C54CM Bit and Nested Blockrepeat

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When the C54CM bit in status register 1 (ST1_55) is updated just before the start of a

blockrepeat, the following problem occurs:

If the blockrepeat is the outer loop, there is no functional problem but the BRAF bit of ST1_55 is updated before the new C54CM value takes effect.

If the blockrepeat is the inner loop, the new value of the C54CM bit is not used within the loop.

Algebraic example

```
bit(ST1,#5) = #0
blockrepeat {
blockrepeat {
AR1 = @0x43 | | mmap() ; load REA1 value into AR1
```

In the above case, REA1 should not be updated inside the nested block repeat because C54CM = 0. Due to this advisory, REA1 is updated and loaded to AR1.

Mnemonic example

```
BCLR #5, ST1_55
RPTB {
RPTB {
MOV @0x43, AR1 || mmap
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will generate a WARNING for Revisions C, D, and F silicon for any bit change of C54CM within four cycles of a block repeat.

Workaround:

Ensure there are four instructions (useful code or NOPs) between the bit modification of

C54CM and the inner blockrepeat instruction.



Wrong Value Loaded During Read of BRC0 in Nested Blockrepeat

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Under the following conditions:

- C54CM = 0 in status register 1 (ST1_55)
- A read of the BRC0 register is located within the inner loop of a nested blockrepeat
- The BRC0 read is within six instructions of the end of nested blockrepeat
- The REA0 register contains the same value as the REA1 register
- BRC1 > 0

the read of the BRC0 register will return the wrong value.

Algebraic example

```
bit(ST1, #5) = #0
                     ; C54CM = 0
BRC0 = #10
BRC1 = #10
blockrepeat {
nop
nop
nop
blockrepeat {
AR0 = BRC0
              ; read of BRCO returns incorrect value
nop
nop
nop
nop
nop
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.00 and later) will generate a WARNING for Revisions C, D, and F silicon when a read of BRC0 is found within a block repeat and within six cycles of the end of the loop.

Workaround:

Do not read BRC0 within six instructions of the end of a nested block repeat. Insert NOPs or useful code as necessary.



BRAF Bit is Cleared by return || far() With C54CM=1

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When C54CM = 1 in status register 1 (ST1_55), the instruction return || far() should not affect

the BRAF bit. However, the BRAF bit is cleared in this case.

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 2.00 and later) will generate a WARNING for Revisions C, D, and F

silicon when return || far() is found.

Workaround: Save the ST1_55 context to the stack or to an available register before call || far() and restore

it after return || far() as in the following example:

```
bit(ST1,#5) = #1 ;C54CM=1
blockrepeat{
.
push(@ST1) ; save context
call #LABEL || far()
.
@ST1 = pop() ;restore context
.
}
LABEL:
.
return || far()
```



Call and Return Are Not Pipeline-Protected Against C54CM Bit Update

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

As the behavior of call and return instructions is affected by the C54CM bit, these instructions should be protected against C54CM bit updates but they are not.

Algebraic example

bit(ST1, #5) = #0 ; clear C54CM bit

nop

call #LABEL ; new C54CM bit value is not used

Mnemonic example

BCLR #5, ST1_55 ; clear C54CM bit

NOP

CALL #LABEL ; new C54CM bit value is not used

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will generate a WARNING for Revisions C, D, and F silicon when any of the following are detected:

1) Bit(ST1, #5) = # within three cycles of a call or return

2) A direct write to ST1 within four cycles of a call or return

3) Bit(ST1, #5) = # within six cycles of a far call

4) A direct write to ST1 within seven cycles of a far call

Workaround:

Maintain at least three instructions (NOPs or useful code) between a C54CM bit update by bit instruction and a call or return instruction.

Maintain at least four instructions (NOPs or useful code) between a C54CM bit update by ST1 MMR write and a call or return instruction.

In the case of a "call || far" instruction:

Maintain at least six instructions (NOPs or useful code) between a C54CM bit update by bit instruction the "call || far" instruction.

Maintain at least seven instructions (NOPs or useful code) between a C54CM bit update by ST1 MMR write and the "call || far" instruction.



BRC0/1 Read Near End of Blockrepeat is Corrupted by INTR at End of Blockrepeat

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When the last instruction in a blockrepeat loop is a software interrupt (INTR) and one of the following conditions is true the value from the BRC0/1 read is wrong:

- An instruction reading BRC0 or BRC1 during its EXE phase is five cycles before the blockrepeat end
- An instruction reading BRC0 or BRC1 during its READ phase is four cycles before the blockrepeat end

Algebraic example

```
blockrepeat{
T3 = BRC0  ; BRC0 read will fail
nop
nop
nop
intr (#18)
}
```

Mnemonic example

```
RPTB{
MOV BRC0, T ; BRC0 read will fail
NOP
NOP
NOP
INTR #18
}
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.00 and later) will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F silicon when for every INTR at the end of a block repeat.

Workaround(s):

- 1. Do not put the INTR instruction at the end of a blockrepeat
- 2. EXE phase read of BRC is at least six cycles from a blockrepeat end, and READ phase read of BRC is at least five cycles from a blockrepeat end.



BRAF Access Followed by Interrupt is Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

In the case where an interrupt condition is decoded just after an access to the BRAF bit in status register 1 (ST1_55), the BRAF access is not pipeline-protected. For example, if C54CM = 1, an interrupt will cause the BRAF bit to be cleared. A BRAF read preceding the interrupt could read the cleared BRAF bit instead of the BRAF value present before the interrupt.

On the Revisions C, D, and F silicon, when C54CM=1, an interrupt condition causes the following to occur:

- Store current BRAF value
- Clear BRAF bit
- **Execute ISR**
- Restore BRAF value upon return from interrupt

On the a future revision silicon, when C54CM=1, an interrupt will result in the following:

- Store current BRAF value
- Leave BRAF unaltered
- **Execute ISR**
- Restore BRAF value upon returning from interrupt

Algebraic example

T3 = @ST1; BRAF bit will be cleared before it is stored to T3 <interrupt asserted>

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will generate a REMARK for every direct read of ST1 (xxx = @ST1 L).

Workaround(s):

- 1. Use the device in native 55x mode.
- 2. If C54x compatibility mode is enabled, disable the interrupts, read the BRAF bit, and then enable the interrupts.

Conditional D_Unit Execution of MMR Write With False Condition Corrupts MMR

Revision(s) Affected: Revis

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

For the two instruction sequences shown below:

Case 1:

Case 2:

```
if(cond = false) Execute (D_Unit)
```

MMR write

the memory mapped register (MMR) should not be updated because the condition is false, but in this case the MMR is corrupted. If the condition is true, the MMR is updated correctly.

NOTE: This advisory only occurs with D_Unit.

Algebraic example

Mnemonic example

XCCPART label, AR3 != #0 ;AR3 = 0, condition is false MOV #2, *AR3 := #0 ;MMR at 0x0000h is corrupted

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will generate a WARNING for Revisions C, D, and F

silicon.

Workaround: Use the AD_Unit instead of the D_Unit in these cases.

Advisory CPU_70

Corrupted Read of BRC0/1 Near the End of a Blockrepeat

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When BRC1 or BRC0 is read within seven instructions of the end of blockrepeat loop, the read may be corrupted under certain pipeline conditions when a stall is being generated.

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.00 and later) will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F silicon

for any BRC0/1 read within seven cycles of the end of a block repeat.

Workaround:

Do not read BRC0 or BRC1 within seven instructions of the end of a nested blockrepeat.

Insert NOPs or useful code as necessary.



Potential Pipeline Corruption During Interrupts

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C and D

Details:

A read on the program bus may be stalled due to a pending memory write. This could potentially cause pipeline corruption if an interrupt condition occurs during this time. The corruption leads to an illegal value loaded into the Program Counter instead of the ISR start address. This condition can occur on double writes to internal memory, single writes to I/O space, or a single write to slow external memory through the EMIF. This problem is fixed for internal memory accesses in silicon Revisions C, D, and F.

This problem can also occur when executing code from external memory (SRAM, SDRAM) that calls a routine in internal memory and an interrupt condition occurs during this time. This problem is corrected in revision F and later devices.

Assembler Notification:

None

Workaround:

The internal DSP memory is divided into top and bottom sides (TOP and BOT) as shown in the following example (these are word addresses, not byte addresses):

```
TOP
       0 \times 000000 - 0 \times 07 FFF
       0x10000 - 0x17FFF
TOP
       0x20000 - 0x27FFF
TOP
TOP
       0x30000 - 0x37FFF
BOT
       0x08000 - 0x0FFFF
BOT
       0x18000 - 0x1FFFF
BOT
       0x28000 - 0x2FFFF
BOT
       0x38000 - 0x3FFFF
```

The following conditions must be satisfied:

- While interrupts are active, all internal data accesses must be entirely in the TOP memory regions or entirely in the BOT memory regions. This includes data and program accesses as well as stack accesses and context stores to the stack. Branches to another side of memory are possible only if interrupts are disabled before the branch, and then enabled once the branch has succeeded.
- 2. Interrupts must be disabled during all write accesses to external memory and I/O space.



C54CM Bit Update and *CDP With T0 Index is Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When the C54CM bit in status register 1 (ST1 55) is set to 1, the T0 index for single/dual/coefficient memory accesses should be replaced with AR0 for 54x compatibility. Therefore, if a C54CM bit update is followed by an instruction utilizing the DAGEN and T0 index, a stall should be generated to postpone the DAGEN until the C54CM bit update is complete. In the following cases, the stall is not created and the incorrect index is used (AR0/T0):

Case 1

C54CM bit update by bit instruction

0-4 cycles

B-bus access with 'coef(*CDP+T0)' using address modifier: *ABS16(#k) or *(#k).

Case 2

C54CM bit update by MMR write

0-5 cycles

B-bus access with 'coef(*CDP+T0)' using address modifier: *ABS16(#k) or *(#k).

Algebraic example

```
bit(ST1, #5) = #1
                                          ; set C54CM (=1)
AC0 = *(#60h)*coef(*(CDP+T0))
                                          ; TO incorrectly used as index
Mnemonic example
BSET #5, ST1 55
                                          ; set C54CM (=1)
MOV (#60h) *coef(*(CDP+T0)), AC0
                                          ; TO incorrectly used as index
                                          ; 0xaaaa
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F silicon when this condition is found.

Workaround(s):

- 1. In the case where the C54CM bit is updated by a bit instruction, maintain at least five cycles (useful code or NOPs) between the C54CM bit update and the DAGEN instruction.
- 2. In the case where the C54CM bit is updated by a MMR write of ST1 55, maintain at least six cycles (useful code or NOPs) between the C54CM bit update and the DAGEN instruction.

Certain Instructions Not Pipeline-Protected From Resets

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

In the following cases, instructions may not execute properly due to insufficient pipeline protection from reset conditions:

Case 1

The following instruction(s) is not executed properly when closely preceded by a hardware or software reset:

```
DP = #K16  ;OR
DAGEN operation affected by any status bit ;OR
if (cond) execute (AD Unit)
```

These instructions (which depend on ST0_55, ST1_55 and ST2_55) will not execute correctly if they are located in the first four instructions following the reset (including the delay slot in the reset vector).

Case 2

IFR0/1 or ST1 MMR read instructions may return invalid read data when followed by a software reset.

Case 3

The BRAF bit is not cleared correctly by a software reset which follows the bit (ST1, #BRAF) = #1 instruction.

Assembler Notification:

None

Workaround:

Use the appropriate workaround, based on the Case.

Case 1

Do not put the following instruction(s) in the second slot of a parallel instruction pair. Also do not use the following instruction(s) as the first, second, or third instructions at beginning of program space:

```
DP = #K16  ;OR
DAGEN-operation affected by any status bit ;OR
if (cond) execute (AD Unit)
```

Case 2

Ensure at least three cycles between IFR0/1 or ST1 MMR read and a software reset.

Case 3

Ensure at least five cycles between bit(ST1, #BRAF) = #1 and a software reset



Tx Not Protected When Paralleled With Extended Register Instruction

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

An extra stall should be generated between a Tx update in the EXE phase and its use in the D-Unit. During the following sequence, the stall is not generated and therefore the previous data of Tx is used by the D-Unit:

- 1) Tx is updated in EXE phase
- 2) In the next cycle, instruction slot #1 is one of the following extended register related instructions (instruction does not necessarily have to involve Tx):

```
dst = src
dst = dbl (Lmem)
dbl (Lmem) = src
pshboth (src)
dst = popboth()
```

and instruction slot #2 is a D-unit instruction which uses Tx updated in the previous instruction.

Algebraic example

```
T3 = #0 .  
T3 = #1  
XAR0 = AR3 || AC0 = T3 ;AC0 is updated by #0, not #1
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will generate a REMARK for Revisions C, D, and F silicon when this condition is found

when this condition is found.

Workaround:

Insert a NOP between the Tx update in EXE phase and the Tx usage by the D-unit in slot #2 when paralleled with extended register related instruction in slot #1.

Advisory CPU_75

MMR Writes to ST0 and ST2 Are Not Pipeline-Protected Against Interrupts

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Memory mapped writes to the ST0 and ST2 status registers are not Pipeline-Protected against hardware or software interrupts. The context store of the interrupt should be stalled while the status register writes complete, but this is not the case. This will be fixed in silicon a future revision.

Algebraic Example

```
ST0_L = CSR || mmap()
<interrupt occurs> ; write to ST0 does not complete
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will generate a REMARK if an MMR write of ST0/ST1 is detected.

Workaround(s):

- 1. In the case of an interrupt caused by the INTR instruction, one NOP should be inserted between the MMR ST0/2 register write and the INTR instruction.
- In the case of hardware interrupts, all interrupts should be masked or disabled until the MMR ST0/2 register write completes. Insert 5 NOPs between the hardware interrupt disable and the MMR ST0/2 write instruction. Insert 6 NOPs between the MMR ST0/2 restore and hardware interrupt enable instruction.



DELAY Smem Does Not Work With Circular Addressing

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When using circular addressing mode with the 'DELAY Smem' instruction in the following

case:

smem = (end address of a circular buffer)

the incorrect destination address is used for the delay instruction. The destination address used is (end of circular buffer)+1, which is outside of the circular buffer. The correct

functionality would be for the destination address to wrap around to the beginning address of

the circular buffer.

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will detect the use of delay(Smem) and generate a

REMARK.

Workaround: Do not use circular addressing mode with the 'DELAY' instruction.

Advisory CPU_77

D-Unit Instruction Not Protected From ST2 Update

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When the following sequence occurs:

- 1. ST2 register is updated by an MMR write
- 2. Next instruction is a D-unit instruction (DU-ALU, DU-MAC1,2 or DU-shifter) that is affected by the RDM bit (bit 10 of the ST2 register)

a stall should be generated to allow the ST2 update to complete. The stall does not occur, therefore the D-Unit instruction does not execute properly with respect to the RDM bit.

Algebraic Example

```
@ST2 = @ST2 ^* #0x0400 || mmap() ; RDM is reversed at WRITE phase.
AC0 = rnd(*AR0 << DR0) ; RDM is referenced at EXE phase.
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will attempt to detect any instruction using rnd() and will

generate a WARNING if the instruction is preceded by a MMR write to ST2.

Workaround:

Insert a NOP between the MMR write of ST2 and the D-Unit instruction.



Assembler Does Not Detect Violation of Max Local Repeat Block Size

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The maximum size of a repeat block local to the IBQ was defined in the instruction set reference guides as being limited to 61 bytes. This 61-byte limit is not accurate in all conditions, therefore the documentation is in error. Assemblers 2.00 and earlier check to ensure that the size of a local repeat block, excluding the last instruction, is less than or equal to 55 bytes. Under the following conditions:

- The repeat block is misaligned such that it starts at the 4th byte of the IBQ
- The last instruction of the repeat block is seven bytes (3-byte body + *(#k) addressing mode)

The size of the repeat block (minus the last instruction) should actually be limited to 54 bytes. If this limit is exceeded in this case, the loop will not fit within the IBQ, causing the CPU to hang.

Even though this is a specification error and not a hardware exception, it is included in this document to inform the user of this condition and its effect (possible CPU hang).

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.20 and later) will check for the proper maximum local repeat block size for all silicon revisions.

Workaround(s):

- Ensure that the size of a local repeat block excluding the last instruction is equal to or less than 54 bytes. A future version of the assembler will check for the proper limit.
 OR
- 2. If the last instruction of a local repeat block is a 7-byte instruction (3-byte body + *(#k) addressing mode), and the remainder of the local repeat block is 55 bytes, use the '.align' directive to align the first instruction of the local repeat block to a 32-bit boundary. This will ensure the repeat block is aligned to the first byte of the IBQ.

Advisory CPU_79

IDLE Cannot Copy the Content of ICR to ISTR

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When an IDLE instruction is decoded, the content of the Idle Configuration Register (ICR) is supposed to be copied to Idle Status Register (ISTR) when the instruction preceding the IDLE completes its WRITE phase. However, during the following sequence, the ICR to ISTR copy does not happen:

- IDLE is decoded
- A wakeup interrupt condition (NMI or any maskable interrupt which is enabled in the IER0/IER1 registers) is captured or is currently pending.
- The ICR to ISTR would normally happen here, but does not occur.

Assembler Notification:

None

Workaround:

Make sure all interrupts are masked (disabled) via the IER0/IER1 registers before IDLE instruction is decoded. This workaround does not work for the NMI interrupt.



SP/SSP Access Followed by a Conditional Execute is Not Protected Against Interrupts

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Any of the following instructions are not protected against interrupts when followed by a AD-unit conditional execute instruction for which the condition is false. (This exception only applies to conditional execution of the next instruction and not a conditional execute of a parallel instruction):

- SP = SP + K8 (revision 1.x only)
- MMR-read access to SP/SSP
- dst = XSP/XSSP
- dbl(Lmem) = XSP/XSSP
- push_both(XSP/XSSP)
- XSP/XSSP = pop()
- MMR-write access to SP/SSP

Algebraic Example

```
nop
SP = SP - #1
if (TC1) execute (AD_Unit) ; where TC1 = 0, condition is false.
<interrupt occurs>
AR6 += #1
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will attempt to identify a code sequence that may cause the exception and generate a REMARK.

Workaround:

Case 1: When SP/SSP is read in the read phase, insert 2 NOPs between the SP/SSP instruction and the conditional execute instruction.

Case 2: When SP/SSP is read or written in the execute phase, insert three NOPs between the SP/SSP instruction and the conditional execute instruction.

Case 3: When SP/SSP is written in the write phase, insert four NOPs between the SP/SSP instruction and the conditional execute instruction.



Corruption of CSR or BRCx Register Read When Executed in Parallel With Write

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Under the following conditions:

- CSR, BRC0 or BRC1 register is read in the EXE phase in parallel with a write to the same register
- the instruction is stalled due to a previous write access

The register read may be corrupted, returning the new value from the register write instruction. The possible parallel instruction pairs which may cause this condition are as follows:

```
; Smem should be updated by old
Smem
      = CSR
                 CSR = TAx
Smem
      = CSR
                 CSR = Smem
                                  ; register value, but is updated to
      = BRC0 |
Smem
                 BRC0 = TAx
                                  ; TAx value instead
      = BRC0
                 BRC0 = Smem
Smem
TAx
      = BRC0
                 BRC0 = TAx
      = BRC0
                 BRC0 = Smem
TAx
Smem
      = BRC1
                 BRC1 = TAx
Smem
      = BRC1
                 BRC1 = Smem
                 BRC1 = TAx
TAx
      = BRC1
      = BRC1 ||
                 BRC1 = Smem
TAx
```

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.30 and later) will detect the above parallel pairs and generate a

WARNING.

Workaround:

Do not execute these instructions in parallel.

Advisory CPU_91

C16, XF, and HM Bits not Reinitialized by Software Reset

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

According to Section 5.6 (Software Reset) of the *TMS320C55x DSP CPU Reference Guide* (literature number SPRU371), the software reset only affects IFR0/1, ST0_55, ST1_55 and ST2_55. In this case, the reset value should be the same as those forced by a hardware reset (C16 = 0, HM = 0, XF = 1). Instead, the software reset does not affect the C16, XF and HM bits and they retain their previous values.

Assembler Notification:

Assembler (versions 2.40 and later) will generate a REMARK on any "RESET" instruction.

Workaround:

None



Interrupted Conditional Execution After Memory Write May Execute Unconditionally in the D-Unit

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When a memory write instruction is executed just before a conditional statement in the D unit and an interrupt is asserted between the conditional execute and the next instruction to be executed based on the conditional's result, the next instruction may get executed regardless of the conditional's result. Note, this exception may also occur in a local repeat, if the local repeat includes a memory write instruction at the end. See the following examples.

Example 1:

```
Memory Write
If ( Conditional ) execute ( D unit )
< Hardware Interrupt Asserted >
instruction to be executed based on the Conditional gets executed
regardless of Conditional
```

Example 2:

```
Local Repeat {
If ( Conditional ) execute ( D unit )
< Hardware Interrupt Asserted >
instruction to be executed based on the Conditional gets executed
regardless of Conditional
Memory Write
```

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 2.40 and later) will detect the above condition and generate a REMARK.

Workaround:

Put a NOP between the memory write instruction and the conditional execution.

Example 1:

```
Memory Write
NOP
If ( Conditional ) execute ( D unit )
< Hardware Interrupt Asserted >
instruction to be executed based on the Conditional gets executed
regardless of Conditional
      or replace:
If ( Conditional ) execute ( D unit )
If ( Conditional ) execute ( AD unit )
```



Interrupted Conditional Execution After Long Memory-Mapped Register Write is Executed
Unconditionally in the D Unit / AD Unit

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When a long memory-mapped register (MMR) write instruction is executed just before or during a conditional statement in the D / AD unit and:

- an interrupt is asserted between the conditional execute and the next instruction to be executed
- no single MMR write follows before or during the return from interrupt

then, the instruction to be executed based on the conditional gets executed regardless of the conditional's value. See the following examples.

Example 1:

Return_int

```
long MMR Write
                                                      ; no single MMR write
      If (Conditional) execute (AD unit / D unit)
                                                      ; no single MMR write
      < Hardware Interrupt Asserted >
      instruction to be executed based on the Conditional gets executed
      regardless of Conditional
ISR:
                                                      ; no single MMR write
                                                      ; no single MMR write
      Return int
                                                      ; no single MMR write
Example 2:
      If (Conditional) execute ( AD unit / D unit) ; no single MMR write
      < Hardware Interrupt Asserted >
      instruction to be executed based on the Conditional gets executed
      regardless of Conditional
ISR:
      long MMR write
                                                      ; no single MMR write
```



; no single MMR write

Interrupted Conditional Execution After Long Memory-Mapped Register Write is Executed Unconditionally in the D Unit / AD Unit (Continued)

Example 3:

```
If ( Conditional ) execute ( AD unit / D unit ) ; no single MMR write
      < Hardware Interrupt Asserted >
      instruction to be executed based on the Conditional gets executed
      regardless of Conditional
ISR:
      long MMR write || Return int
```

long memory mapped register (MMR) is any of the following instructions that point to 0x0 through 0x5F with "Lmem" addressing:

```
dbl(Lmem) = pop()
dbl( Lmem ) = ACx, copr()
dbl(Lmem) = LCRPC
dbl(Lmem) = src
dbl(Lmem) = ACx
dbl( Lmem ) = saturate( uns( ACx ) )
Lmem = pair( Dax )
\mbox{HI(Lmem)} = \mbox{HI(ACx)} >> \mbox{\#1}, \mbox{LO(Lmem)} = \mbox{LO(ACx)} >> \mbox{\#1}
Lmem = pair( HI( ACx ))
Lmem = pair( LO( ACx ))
Lmem = dbl( coeff )
```

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 2.40 and later) will generate a REMARK on any return-from-interrupt instruction. The assembler will avoid the remark if it is able to determine that a single memory write occurs before the return-from-interrupt and there is no long MMR write between the single memory write and the return-from-interrupt instruction.

Workaround:

Put a dummy single memory write (e.g. @#0x1f = AR0 || mmap() : 0x1f is a reserved space.) in front of all "Return_int" and make sure that no long memory writes are in parallel with "Return int".

Example 1:

```
long MMR Write
                                                      ; no single MMR write
      If (Conditional) execute (AD unit / D unit)
                                                      ; no single MMR write
      < Hardware Interrupt Asserted >
      instruction not to be executed
ISR:
                                                      ; no single MMR write
                                                      ; no single MMR write
      single MMR write
      Return int
                                                      ; no single MMR write
```



"LCRPC = Lmem || Lmem = LCPRC" May Not Work Correctly

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: "LCRPC = Lmem || Lmem = LCPRC" can be used to update the LCPRC by the data at

"Lmem" and save the current LCPRC to the same location as follows:

New LCRPC <- Old Lmem
New LCRPC -> New Lmem

Example 1:

Before execution: LCPRC = 0x00123456, Lmem = 0xFFFFFFF

After execution: LCRPC = 0xFFFFFFF, Lmem = 0xFFFFFFF instead of the expected

0x00123456

Assembler Notification: Assembler (versions 2.40 and later) will generate a WARNING if the above condition is found.

Workaround: Do not use the parallel combination of instructions.



"return-int" (Under Fast - Ret Config) May Lead to Some Instructions Not Working Correctly

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Under fast return configuration, when an interrupt is asserted at any of the following cases:

- during single repeat
- just before conditional execute next instruction, such as, XCN_PMC, XCN_PMU, XCN_PMC_S, XCN_PMU_S, etc.

and also if the corresponding "return_int" is stalled at ADDRESS or ACCESS1 phase,

- the single repeat is executed more than expected and if it is located at the end of blockrepeat/localrepeat, the BRCx may be not decremented.
- the instruction to be executed conditionally is executed unconditionally.

Example 1:

```
AR0 = #0
repeat( #15 )
AR0 = AR0 + #1 ; An interrupt is asserted here.
AR0 = AR0 ^ #16 ; AR0 is expected to be 0 but not.
If ( AR0 != #0 ) goto ERROR
...

ISR:
AR1 = AR1 - #1
mar( *AR1+ ) | return int; Stalled at ADDRESS phase.
```

Example 2:.

Assembler Notification:

The assembler (versions 2.40 and later) will generate a REMARK on any return-from-interrupt instruction that does not have at least six NOP instructions preceding it.

Workaround:

If "hold" feature, which can cause CPU stall, is not used, put six NOPs just before return_int to avoid it from stall.

Example:.



Long (32-Bit) Read From MMR Gets Corrupted

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

When "Lmem" (see instruction list below) points to address "0x4A" or "0x4D", two memory-mapped registers (MMR)—IVPH and ST2 for "0x4A"; SP and SSP for "0x4D"—are supposed to be read. However, a corrupted value is read from ST2 (for the case of "0x4A") and SSP (for the case of "0x4D").

NOTE: The following shows the corresponding part of the MMR mapping.

Address	Register
4A	IVPH
4B	ST2
4C	SSP
4D	SP

Example

```
@#0x4a = #0xaaaa | | mmap() ; IVPH <= 0xaaaa
@#0x4b = #0x1111 | | mmap() ; ST2 <= 0x1111
push(dbl(@#0x4a)) | | mmap() ; @SP-1 <= ST2, @SP-2 <= IVPH</pre>
```

The stack, pointed by SP-1, should be updated with ST2, but instead, gets a corrupted value.

The following is the entire list of Lmem instructions:

- push(dbl(Lmem))
- dbl(coeff) = Lmem
- ACy = ACx + dbl(Lmem)
- ACy = ACx dbl(Lmem)
- ACy = dbl(Lmem) ACx
- RETA = dbl(Lmem)
- ACx = M40(dbl(Lmem))
- pair(HI(ACx)) = Lmem
- pair(LO(ACx)) = Lmem
- pair(TAx) = Lmem
- dst = dbl(Lmem)
- HI(ACy) = HI(Lmem) + HI(ACx) , LO(ACy) = LO(Lmem) + LO(ACx)
- HI(ACy) = HI(ACx) HI(Lmem) , LO(ACy) = LO(ACx) LO(Lmem)



Long (32-Bit) Read From MMR Gets Corrupted (Continued)

- HI(ACy) = HI(Lmem) HI(ACx), LO(ACy) = LO(Lmem) LO(ACx)
- HI(ACx) = Tx HI(Lmem), LO(ACx) = Tx LO(Lmem)
- HI(ACx) = HI(Lmem) + Tx, LO(ACx) = LO(Lmem) + Tx
- HI(ACx) = HI(Lmem) Tx, LO(ACx) = LO(Lmem) Tx
- HI(ACx) = HI(Lmem) + Tx, LO(ACx) = LO(Lmem) Tx
- HI(ACx) = HI(Lmem) Tx, LO(ACx) = LO(Lmem) + Tx

Assembler Notification: Pending

Workaround:

Use "4B" instead of "4A", "4C" instead of "4D". For example,

```
#0xaaaa
                           mmap()
                                    ; IVPH <= 0xaaaa
                                    ; ST2 <= 0x1111
@#0x4b
        =
             #0x1111
                           mmap()
```

push(dbl(@#0x4b)) ; @SP-1 <= IVPH, @SP-2 <= ST2 mmap()

Advisory CPU_109

Bus Error Issued on Byte Access to I/O Space With Address Range 0x0 to 0x5f

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

A bus error, which is captured on IFR1 bit 8 as "BERRINTF" and ST3 bit 7 as "CBERR", is issued when an illegal bus access occurs. All I/O space (0x0 to 0xffff) is byte read/write-accessible without any bus errors. However, a bus error is wrongly issued when a byte access is made to the I/O space with address range 0x0 to 0x5f.

The following is the entire list of byte-accessible instructions that will give bus errors when trying to read I/O space address 0x0 to 0x5f:

- dst = uns(high_byte(Smem))
- dst = uns(low byte(Smem))
- ACx = low_byte(Smem) << SHIFTW
- ACx = high_byte(Smem) << SHIFTW
- high byte(Smem) = src
- low_byte(Smem) = src

Assembler Notification: Pending

Workaround:

Use one of the following workarounds:

- Do not use any of the above instructions to access the I/O space, address 0x0 to 0x5f
- Ignore the bus error, by either not setting IER1[8] or by not using ST3[7].



3.3 Device-Level Advisories

Advisory DL 1

Writes to Peripheral Registers Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Writes performed to the peripheral registers (in I/O space) are posted to the peripheral

controller to be completed in the next available time slot. When the write is posted, the peripheral controller sends a ready signal back to the CPU even though the write has only been posted, not completed. In this case, the CPU has no visibility to any latency associated with the write. Since only one write can be posted to the peripheral controller, this effect only occurs on the last write in a sequence because the CPU is stalled if there is more than one

write request pending to the peripheral controller).

An example of the effect of this exception is configuration writes to the EMIF control registers. The CPU could proceed with a write to external memory space before the final EMIF control

register write is complete.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: The last write in a sequence of writes to peripheral registers can be verified by polling the

peripheral register to verify that it has been updated.

Advisory DL_2

Software Modification of MPNMC Bit is Not Pipeline-Protected

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Software modification of the MPNMC bit in status register 3 (ST3_55) is not pipeline-protected

so changes to the device memory map may not become valid before the instructions that

immediately follow the modification.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Insert six NOPs after the MPNMC modification.

Advisory DL_3

CLKOUT Output Cannot be Disabled Through ST3_55 Register

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Setting the CLKOFF bit (CLKOFF = 1) in the ST3_55 register does not cause the CLKOUT

output signal to be disabled.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: CLKOUT can be disabled by setting bit 15 (CLKOUT disable) in the External Bus Selection

Register (0x6C00).



Die ID Register Requires TCK (JTAG) Held High to be Read Correctly

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Reading the Die ID register will give incorrect results if the TCK (JTAG) pin is not held high.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Make sure the TCK pin is not held low during the Die ID Register read operation.

Advisory DL_7

RETI Instruction may Affect the XF State

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The XF pin state is saved on the stack as a part of the ST1 context saving during interrupts

servicing. If the XF pin state is changed inside the ISR, upon execution of the RETI, the XF bit will be restored to the value prior to entering the ISR. If XF state is not changed inside the ISR,

then there is no issue.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: BIOS takes care of this problem with software workaround, which is transparent to the users.

Non-BIOS users who are changing XF pin state in an ISR should also modify the ST1 value

on the stack to maintain the correct XF pin state upon exiting the ISR.

Advisory DL_9

USB and DMA Do Not IDLE

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: USB and DMA transfer do not IDLE after going through the peripheral IDLE configuration as

shown below:

1. Set USB idle (IDLEEN bit) in the USBIDLECTL register

Set the PERI bit in the ICR register

3. After the IDLE instruction, USB does not idle

4. Set the DMA IDLE in the ICR register

5. Set the PERI bit in the ICR register

6. After the IDLE instruction, DMA does not idle

Assembler Notification: None



First Word of Data on Consecutive DMA Transmissions Using McBSP is Lost

Revision(s) Affected: Revis

Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When executing multiple DMA transfers consecutively using the same DMA Transmit Channel and McRSP, an extra DMA TX request generated by the McRSP, at the end of the first transfer.

and McBSP, an extra DMA TX request generated by the McBSP at the end of the first transfer will not be serviced by the DMA until the next DMA transfer is initiated by the McBSP. At the next DMA transfer, this DMA TX request will be serviced as soon as the DMA TX channel is

enabled.

This transmitted data will remain valid on the bus as long as the McBSP is disabled. However, once the McBSP is enabled, it sends out another DMA TX request, and the DMA transmits the

second word. This results in the loss of the first word of data on consecutive DMA

transmissions.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Only the systems where McBSP is turned off following each block of DMA transfer are

affected. In such case, a dummy DMA transfer with the DMA synchronization event set to no sync event will flush out the pending TX request from the McBSP before programming the

DMA to send the next block of data to the McBSP.

Advisory DL_11

If Bit 2 of Idle Control Register is Not Set, Device Fails to Enter Maximum Idle State

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The device is unable to enter maximum idle state if Bit 2 (Reserved) of the Idle Control

Register is not set. [Maximum idle state is the state when all clock domains (CPU, peripheral,

etc.) that are capable of being idled are idled.]

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Always set Bit 2 of the Idle Control Register to enter maximum idle state.

Advisory DL_12

Rev ID Register Shows Incorrect Silicon Revision Number

Revision(s) Affected: Revision F

Details: Revision F silicon incorrectly identifies itself as silicon revision C or D. Also, the ROMID

register has the same silicon revision as D.

Assembler Notification: None



System Register (SYSR) Cannot be Read or Written

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The System Register (SYSR) cannot be read or written without JTAG clock. SYSR does not

control CLOCKOUT divisor when a JTAG connection to the debugger is not present. Writes to

this register without JTAG fail to divide down clock out.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory DL_14

Glitch on External Bus Configuration

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Hardware glitch on control signals occurs while the external bus switches from EMIF (full or

data) to EHPI (mux or non-mux).

Assembler Notification: None

Heavy CPU Activity on USB Registers May Stall DMA Channels Servicing Other Peripherals

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Heavy CPU activity on the USB registers may stall DMA channels servicing other peripherals

(such as McBSPs or GPIOs). The CPU and the DMA share the same peripheral bus to access the USB and the McBSP registers. The CPU has the higher priority when there is a resource-sharing conflict between the CPU and the DMA. The USB module operates at 24 MHz and takes 6 to 10 cycles (of 24-MHz clock) to complete a CPU read or write request. For a DSP running at 144 MHz, this USB register access time amounts to 36 to 60 cycles of

the CPU clock and the DMA channel is stalled for this period until the CPU read or write is

complete.

During the USB module initialization, control data transfer, or interrupt servicing, the CPU may access multiple USB registers back-to-back, which can add up the peripheral bus stall time to the point where the DMA may start losing McBSP data. This limitation will not affect the performance of an application during the USB bulk, interrupt, or isochronous data transfer

since all USB data endpoints are serviced by the dedicated DMA channels.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Insert NOPs between two register accesses. The number of NOPs to insert depends on the

CPU speed. For a DSP running at 144 MHz, one should insert 60 NOPs in between two

back-to-back USB register accesses by the CPU.

The problem is fixed on TMS320VC5509A.



3.4 Bootloader Advisories

Advisory BL_1

Boot Mode Selection Fails

Revision(s) Affected: Revision C

Details: The bootloader program included in the on-chip ROM has a problem related to bootmode

selection. This prevents the use of all bootmodes except HPI boot.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: This problem only affects customers creating stand-alone demos with the 5509 prototypes.

Application code must be reloaded via the HPI or Code Composer Studio™ Integrated Development Environment (IDE) each time the system is powered up. This problem is

corrected in Revision D and later of the silicon.

Advisory BL_3

USB Bootloader Returns Incorrect DescriptorType Value When String Descriptors are

Requested by the Host

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions D and F

Details: When the host requests for the string descriptor, the USB bootloader returns 0x00 for

DescriptorType value instead of 0x03.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Ignore the DescriptorType returned by the DSP. String Descriptor is not necessary for

successfully bootloading the device through the USB.

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3.5 Direct Memory Access (DMA) Advisories

Advisory DMA_1

Early Sync Event Stops Block Transfer

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When a DMA block transfer is initiated by a sync event, if the same sync event occurs before

the last element of the block transfer has been completed, an event drop occurs and the

channel becomes disabled.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Ensure that the duration between the sync events is long enough to allow the block transfer to

complete. The DMA end-of-block interrupt can be used as an indicator.

Advisory DMA_2

DMA Does Not Support Burst Transfers From EMIF to EMIF

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The DMA controller does not support burst mode transfers with the EMIF as both the source

and the destination port.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Do not use burst mode for EMIF-to-EMIF transfers.

Advisory DMA_3

SYNC Bit Not Held Active for the Entire DMA Transfer

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: SYNC (synchronization status) bit in the CSR is not held active for the entire duration of the

DMA transfer. The bit is only active for the length of the internal DMA request. This prevents

polling this bit to determine if a channel is busy.

Assembler Notification: None

Advisory DMA_4

DMA Half-Frame Interrupt Occurs at Element (N/2+1) Instead of (N/2)

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If data packing is disabled, the DMA half-frame interrupt occurs at element (N/2+1) instead

of N/2. If data packing is enabled, the half-frame interrupt occurs at \geq N/2.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory DMA_5

DMA Peripheral Does Not Idle When DMAI Bit Field is Set in

IDLEC Configuration Register

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The DMA peripheral does not idle after setting the DMAI bit field and the PERI bit field in the

Idle Configuration Register and then executing the IDLE instruction. However, idling the clock

domain will idle the DMA as well.

Assembler Notification: None



3.6 External Memory Interface (EMIF) Advisories

Advisory EMIF_3

Asynchronous Interface May Fail When HOLD = 0 and ARDY Input is Used

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When performing asynchronous memory transfers using ARDY to insert wait-states and with

the READ_HOLD and/or WRITE_HOLD values programmed to 0, subsequent cycles may be

processed too early causing cycles to fail. This will be corrected in a future revision.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: When using the ARDY input with asynchronous memory, program the READ_HOLD and

WRITE_HOLD bits of the corresponding CE Space Control Register to 1, 2, or 3.

Advisory EMIF_7

Setup Period Can be Reduced by One Cycle Under Certain Conditions

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: During the second and subsequent back-to-back accesses, if the HOLD bit field is set to 0 and

the STROBE bit field is less than or equal to 3 in the CE Space Control Register, then the

setup period is reduced by 1 clock cycle. This does not apply to the first of several

back-to-back accesses nor to isolated accesses.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory EMIF_8

ARDY Pin Requires Strong Pullup Resistor

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When the parallel bus is used to access external memory, a strong pullup resistor is required

for the ARDY pin for the asynchronous memory interface.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Pull up ARDY with a 2.2- $k\Omega$ resistor.



Advisory EMIF_9

External Memory Write After Read Reversal

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If an external memory write is followed immediately by an external memory read, the external

memory read will occur first, followed by the write. See the example below.

Example:

MOV #1770h, *(100001h) ; External Memory Write
MOV *(#100000h), AR1 ; External Memory Read

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Insert two NOPs between the memory write/read pair.

Example:

MOV #1770h, *(100001h); External Memory Write

NOP NOP

MOV *(#100000h), AR1 ; External Memory Read

Advisory EMIF_10

Block Write Immediately Following a Block Read May Cause Data Corruption

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When performing a block write immediately following a block read, data may get corrupted.

See the example below.

Example:

Write 0x55 to addr1 Write 0xAA to addr2

Read addr1 Read addr2

When executed, the above code will follow this order:

Write 0x55 to addr1

Read addr1

Write 0xAA to addr2

Read addr2

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Insert two NOPs between write and read. Since reads occur before writes in the pipeline, the

read must be delayed after the write so that the read does not occur before the write.



Advisory EMIF_11

EMIF Asynchronous Access Hold = 0 is Not Valid for Strobe > 3

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: For asynchronous EMIF accesses, a hold time of 0 is not valid for strobe lengths greater than

3 cycles if the ARDY_OFF bit is not set. If the above configuration is used but the ARDY_OFF

bit is clear, then the EMIF automatically gives a hold time of 1 cycle.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory EMIF_12

8-Bit Asynchronous Mode on 5509 EMIF Not Supported

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Access to external memory configured as 8-bit asynchronous memory will no longer be

supported.

Assembler Notification: None



Advisory EMIF_13

After Changing CE Control Registers and Disabling SDRAM Clock in Divide-by-8 and Divide-by-16 Modes, Asynchronous Access Followed by SDRAM Access Will Not Supply a Ready Signal to CPU

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If the SDRAM clock (EMIF.CLKMEM) is set to divide-by-8 and divide-by-16 of the CPU clock and if the user disables the SDRAM clock before accessing asynchronous memory, the EMIF

will fail to supply the ready signal to the CPU under the following two conditions:

• Case 1:

SDRAM access

Switch off the SDRAM clock

Change CE Space Control Register to Asynchronous Mode Perform an asynchronous access to the *same* CE space

Case 2:

SDRAM access

Switch off the SDRAM clock

Change CE Space Control Register to Asynchronous Mode Perform an asynchronous access to a *different* CE space

This failure of the ready signal will make the CPU wait indefinitely.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Switch the SDRAM clock to divide-by-1 before programming the CE Space Control Register to

asynchronous memory.



3.7 Enhanced Host Port Interface (EHPI) Advisories

Advisory EHPI_2

Falling Edge of HRDY is Delayed Several CPU Clock Cycles

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The falling edge of HRDY may be delayed for several CPU clock cycles after the rising edge

of the internal strobe (exclusive NOR of HDS1 and HDS2) which ends a cycle. This means that for several CPU clock cycles, a host could sample HRDY as being high, even though there is internal activity occurring due to the previous EHPI cycle. In multiplexed mode, this applies to reads with auto-increment and writes with or without auto-increment. In

non-multiplexed mode, this applies to writes.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Ensure that the host does not sample HRDY to initiate a new cycle until at least four CPU

cycles after the rising edge of the internal strobe (exclusive NOR of HDS1 and HDS2).

Advisory EHPI_3

DSPINT Interrupt Missed by the CPU

Revision(s) Affected: Revision C

Details: Host to DSP interrupts caused by writing 1 to the DSPINT bit in the HPIC register are

sometimes missed by the CPU. Subsequent host to DSP interrupts may also be missed once

this condition has occurred. This will be corrected in a future silicon revision.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Implement a handshake between the DSP and the host so that the DSP must acknowledge

that each interrupt has been received. If there is no acknowledgement, the host must then assume that the interrupt was not received. This can be done by designating a memory

location to be written by the DSP and read by the host after each interrupt.

If an interrupt is missed by the CPU, the host must first write a 0 to the DSPINT bit in the HPIC

register before writing a 1 to DSPINT to resend the interrupt. This will reinitialize the DSPINT

state machine in the EHPI peripheral.



Advisory EHPI_4 EHPI Selection in Bus Selection Register Prevents the Device From Entering IDLE3

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C and D

Details: When the Bus Selection Register has the parallel bus bit field with EHPI mode selected, the

5509 will not enter maximum idle state.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Set the HOST Mode IDLE Bit in the Bus Selection Register to allow the 5509 to enter

maximum idle condition.



3.8 Real-Time Clock (RTC) Advisories

Advisory RTC_1

RTC Fails to Oscillate External Crystal

Revision(s) Affected: Revision C

Details: The real-time clock fails to oscillate the external crystal.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Connect RTCX2 to an external 32-kHz oscillator. The input voltage to RTCX2 needs to be

between 0 V and 1 V. When driving with a higher voltage, RTCX1 and RTCX2 may be shorted together and a series resistor (\sim 500 k Ω) from the combined RTCX1 and RTCX2 signal to a higher voltage driver may be used. This connection will limit the voltage going into the RTC

module. This problem is fixed on Revision D and later of the silicon.

Advisory RTC_2

RTC Does Not Generate an Alarm Every Second

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The Real Time Clock cannot generate an alarm every second.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: If a periodic alarm is required to be generated faster than every minute, then use the periodic

interrupt. The periodic interrupt can generate an interrupt once every minute to 122 µs.

Advisory RTC_3

RTC Interrupts are Perceived by the User as Happening One Second Before

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When the user reads the Real Time Clock time register, these register are read one second

after the RTC's internal timer counter register. The RTC interrupts are triggered by the internal counter register, thus it seems to the user that the interrupt was triggered one second earlier. For example, an alarm set to every minute alarm generates an interrupt at xx:xx:59 instead of

xx:xx:00.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Take into account the one second difference when using the alarm interrupt.



Advisory RTC_4

Any Year Ending in 00 Will Appear as a Leap Year

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Since the year can be varied from 00–99 only, any year ending with 00 will always appear as a

Leap Year, which is not always the case. For example, 2100 ends in 00 and is not a Leap

Year.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory RTC_5

Midnight and Noon Transitions Do Not Function Correctly in 12h Mode

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The normal transition from Midnight and Noon should be the following:

11:59am \to 12:00pm \to 12:59pm \to 1:00pm 11:59pm \to 12:00am \to 12:59am \to 1:00am

However, if the RTC is used in the 12h time format, the transitions around Noon and Midnight

are as below:

11:59am \to 12:00am \to 12:59am \to 1:00pm 11:59pm \to 12:00pm \to 12:59pm \to 1:00am

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: The problem can be worked around using the 24h mode.

3.9 Universal Serial Bus (USB) Advisories

Advisory USB_1

USB I/O Does Not Power Down When the Clock Domain is Idled

Revision(s) Affected: Revision C

Details: Idling the clock domain to achieve lowest power operation will not idle the USB I/O cells. This

leads to approximately 1-mA power consumption on the USB I/O supply.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory USB_2

CPU Might Miss Back-to-Back USB Interrupts When CPU Speed is Less Than or

Equal to 24 MHz

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When the CPU operates with a clock less than or equal to half the USB module clock,

back-to-back USB interrupts might be missed by the CPU. Back-to-back interrupts occur when multiple endpoints are active simultaneously or when SOF or SETUP events occur with one endpoint. The USB module needs to operate at 48 MHz, so the CPU needs to operate at a

clock speed greater than 24 MHz.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Recommended CPU operating frequency is 48 MHz or higher if the USB module is running.



Advisory USB_3

Supply Ripple Can Affect USB Communication

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The digital phase-lock loop (PLL) used by the USB to generate 48-MHz clock is affected by CV_{DD} core supply ripple. Severe supply ripple will affect the USB clock enough to cause intermittent CRC and handshake errors during USB communication.

Assembler Notification:

None

Workaround(s):

 A 10-μF capacitor, located within a centimeter of 5509, connected between CV_{DD} supply pin is sufficient:

PGE Package – CV_{DD} pin 95 and V_{SS} pin 100 GHH Package – CV_{DD} pin G11 and V_{SS} pin F11

2. A 48-MHz clock source can be used. This clock source will be jitterless, however, it cannot be disabled during standby modes.

Advisory USB_4

Bus Keeper Disable Bit in Bus Selection Register Disables USB I/O Cells and All Internal Pullup and Pulldown Resistors

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The Bus Keeper Disable bit (Bit 12) of the External Bus Selection Register (I/O address 0x6C00) disables the USB I/O cells and all internal pullup and pulldown resistors. Hence, when the bus keepers are disabled, the USB module cannot transfer data.

Assembler Notification:

Workaround:

None

None

Advisory USB_5

USB Input Cell Does Not Power Down When USB is Placed in IDLE

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

USB input cells are always powered unless the oscillator is disabled.

Assembler Notification:

None

Workaround:

None



Advisory USB_6

CPU Read/Write to USB Module may Return Incorrect Result if the USB Clock is Running Slower Than Recommended Speed (48 MHz)

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: If the CPU speed is x12 or higher than the USB module clock speed, then the USB RAM and

register read/write will return incorrect result. This is not an issue during normal USB operation where the USB module clock is 48 MHz. But at power up, the USB DPLL is in bypass div2 mode; hence, the USB module clock is CLKIN/2. As most of the applications program the DSP

PLL first and then all other modules (including USB), this can be problem if the

(CPU clock):(USB module clock) ratio > 12:1.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Program the USB PLL first to speed up the USB module clock to 48 MHz before programming

the DSP PLL.



3.10 Watchdog Timer Advisories

Advisory WT_1

Watchdog Timer Fails to Reset the Device Upon Timer Expiration if CPU is Running Faster Than Input Clock (PLL Multiplier > 1)

Revision(s) Affected: Revision C

Details: The Watchdog Timer does not provide enough cycles to reset the PLL if the CPU is running at

speeds faster than the input clock (PLL Multiplier > 1). This problem is fixed in Revision D and

later of the silicon.

Assembler Notification: None



3.11 Inter-Integrated Circuit (I²C) Advisories

Advisory I2C_1

I²C 10-Bit Addressing Access Fails to Generate the Correct Clock

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When using the I²C for 10-bit Master/Slave access, the last two clock pulses of the SCL are

compressed to the point where the SCL signal does not have enough rise time to cross the

high threshold. This causes corruption in the last two address bits.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Use I²C 7-bit addressing mode.

Advisory I2C_2

NACK Sets the BUSBUSY Bit, Even if the Bus is not Busy

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: A NACK signal will set the BUSBUSY bit when the bus is not busy.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: To check for an actual bus-busy after a NACK, write 1 to the BUSBUSY to force an update of

the bit. If the BUSBUSY bit clears, the bus is not busy. If the BUSBUSY bit remains at 1, then

the bus is really busy.

Advisory I2C_3

ARDY Interrupt is not Generated Properly in Non-Repeat Mode if STOP Bit is Set

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: In non-repeat mode, if the STP bit of ICMDR is set, the master sends the STOP condition and

does not assert ARDY interrupt after sending data. If the STP bit is set, the I²C sends the

STOP condition and clears the ARDY bit.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: If the ARDY interrupt is desired after sending data, start the data transfer without setting the

STP bit. If the STOP bit is not set beforehand, the master will not send the STOP condition and asserts the ARDY interrupt after sending the data. Set the STP bit when the last ARDY

interrupt arrives (all data sent out).



Advisory I2C_4

I²C START or STOP Condition Empties Unread Slave DXR

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Data in the DXR is lost when START and STOP conditions occur on the bus prior to reading

the DXR.

Example:

A slave DSP has a 10-byte message that it needs to deliver to a master DSP. These bytes are

labelled 0–9 from the beginning to the end:

Slave buffer: "0" 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ("0" loaded into DXR for transfer)

Slave DXR: 0 Master reads: -Master buffer: -

Assume the master sees this data as two 3-byte packets and then a 4-byte block. The master

DSP might create a START condition and then read in 3 bytes first:

Slave buffer: "0 1 2 3" 4 5 6 7 8 9 ("3" loaded into DXR for transfer)

Slave DXR: 3 Master reads: 0 1 2 Master buffer: 0 1 2

The master code might be structured to go and do some processing on those first 3 bytes

before doing anything else, so it creates a STOP condition:

Slave buffer: "0 1 2 3" 4 5 6 7 8 9 ("3" was loaded into DXR for transfer)

Slave DXR: – (Data cleared)

Master reads: – Master buffer: 0 1 2

Then the DXR is loaded with the next value in the buffer:

Slave buffer: "0 1 2 3 4" 5 6 7 8 9 ("4" now loaded into DXR for transfer)

Slave DXR: 4
Master reads: Master buffer: 0 1 2

The master issues another START condition and reads the next 3 bytes:

Slave buffer: "0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7" 8 9 ("7" loaded into DXR for transfer)

Slave DXR: 7
Master reads: 4 5 6
Master buffer: 0 1 2 4 5 6

If the master DSP issues a STOP condition now, the slave DSP will lose the 7 and ready the next byte for transfer:

Slave buffer: "0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8" 9 ("8" now loaded into DXR for transfer)

Slave DXR: 8 Master reads: –

Master buffer: 0 1 2 4 5 6



I²C START or STOP Condition Empties Unread Slave DXR (Continued)

When the master tries to read the remaining 4 bytes, it will get garbage:

Slave buffer: "0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9" (buffer spent)

Slave DXR: Z (some invalid data)

Master reads: 8 9 X Y (X and Y are invalid data)

Master buffer: 0 1 2 4 5 6 8 9 X Y

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory I2C_5

Repeated Start Mode Does Not Work

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Repeated Start Mode does not work on the I²C peripheral.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory I2C_6

Bus Busy Bit Does Not Reflect the State of the I²C Bus When the I²C is in Reset

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: The Bus Busy bit (BB) indicates the status of the I²C bus. The Bus Busy bit is set to '0' when

the bus is free and set to '1' when the bus is busy. The I²C peripheral cannot detect the state of the I²C bus when it is in reset (IRS bit is set to '0'); therefore, the Bus Busy bit will keep the state it was at when the peripheral was placed in reset. The Bus Busy bit will stay in that state until the I²C peripheral is taken out of reset (IRS bit set to '1') and a START condition is detected on the I²C bus. When the device is powered up, the Bus Busy bit will stay stuck at the default value of '0' until the IRS bit is set to '1' and the I²C peripheral detects a START

condition.

Systems using a multi-master configuration can be affected by this issue.

Assembler Notification: None

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Workaround: Wait a certain period after taking the I²C peripheral out of reset (setting the IRS bit to '1')

before starting the first data transfer. The period should be set equal to or larger than the total time it takes for the longest data transfer in the application. By waiting this amount of time, it can be ensured that any previous transfers finished. After this point, BB will correctly reflect

the state of the I²C bus.



Advisory I2C_7

I²C Slave DRR Overwritten by New Data

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: Instead of sending a NACK to the I²C master when the slave DRR register is full, the data in

the DRR is overwritten without setting any error flags. This means that the slave must always

read the DRR before new data can arrive or the data will be lost.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: None

Advisory I2C_8

DMA Receive Synchronization Pulse Gets Generated Falsely

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When receiving an I²C data stream in master mode (i.e., a read is performed), and the DMA is

started, a DMA synchronization event is triggered upon enabling the DMA channel if a byte is present in the DRR (even if it has already been read). This leads to the first byte read being a

duplicate of the previous byte that was already read from the DRR.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Set DMA transfers from DRR to read one more byte than necessary and discard the first byte.



3.12 Multichannel Buffered Serial Port (McBSP) Advisories

Advisory MCBSP_1

McBSP May Not Generate a Receive Event to DMA When Data Gets Copied From RSR to DRR

Revision(s) Affected: Revisions C, D, and F

Details: When there is heavy peripheral activity, and the DRR is read, a new receive interrupt might not

be generated to the DMA when data in the RSR is copied to the DRR. When this condition occurs, the McBSP overwrites the DRR before the DMA had an opportunity to read its value.

This problem arises when the DRR read occurs at the "exact moment" the REVT needs to be generated. The DRR servicing gets delayed if there are other heavy DMA channels or CPU

activities on the peripheral bus.

Assembler Notification: None

Workaround: Optimize the peripheral bus access by the CPU and the DMA by carefully scheduling the DMA

and CPU activities so the DMA channel servicing the DRR is not stalled to the point where

new data is about the move in the DRR.



3.13 Hardware Accelerator Advisories

Advisory HWA_1

Pixel Interpolation Hardware Accelerator

Revision(s) Affected:

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

The pixel interpolation computation is wrong by one pixel unit in "Decoder" mode, when "Rounding Mode" is set to zero and when half-pixel interpolation is performed in the middle of four full-resolution pixels (i.e., in the middle of two rows of pixels).

In "Decoder" mode, the Pixel Interpolator data path is configured to deliver two interpolated pixels per cycle. Each section of the data path implements the computations shown below, normalized according to video decoding standards:

$$U = \frac{A + B + Rnd}{2} \qquad M = \frac{A + B + C + D + 1 + Rnd}{4} \qquad R = \frac{B + D + Rnd}{2}$$

$$A \qquad \square \qquad \square \qquad B$$

$$\square \qquad \square \qquad \square$$

$$M \qquad R$$

$$C \qquad \square \qquad \square$$

U and R results are interpolated from lines and columns, respectively. M is computed from two following full-resolution pixels lines. Two U, R, or M results are computed during each cycle by the data path, according to the instruction being executed by the accelerator for the M results set (the results are denoted as M0 and M1). When "Rounding Mode" (Rnd in the above picture) is set to 1, the faulty data path section is implemented, M0 = (A+B+C+D+2)/4, which is the correct result; but when "Rounding Mode" is set to 0, the data path section implements M0=(A+B+C+D)/4. This is not correct and generates a bit exactness issue. The M1 result is always correct, regardless of the "Rounding Mode" state.

Assembler Notification:

Workaround:

Do not use the PI data path in the "Decoder" software when computing M type points and when software-rounding is needed. Instead, use a routine consisting of regular C55x instruction combinations. This routine must be called from the point where the one using PI HWA instructions is and should take the same parameters and data organization. Hence, the new routine should perform following steps:

- Unpack the pixels in the CPU
- Diagonal interpolation

None



Pixel Interpolation Hardware Accelerator (Continued)

The routine below describes the M points computation (diagonal interpolation) for a full block:

Presetting:

- DR1 is set with the block size (8 or 16 pixels)
- AR2 is pointing to the first element in the block

Code example:

Begin:

```
DR2 = DR1 + #2
                                  ; DR2 = blk size+2
AR4 = AR2
                                   ; AR4 -> block[0][0]
AR5 = AR2
DR3 = DR1 - #1
                                   ; DR3 = block_size - 1
BRC0 = DR3
                                   ; BRC0 = block size - 1
AR5 = AR5 + DR2
                                   ; AR5 -> block[1][0]
DR0 = #2 ; DR0 = 2

AC3 = DR0 - @rounding_control ; AC3 = 2-rounding_control

| DR1 = DR1 >> #1 ; DR1 = block_size/2
                                  ; rnd_temp = 2-rounding control
@rnd temp = AC3
| DR1 = DR1 - #1
                                  ; DR1 = block size/2 - 1
BRC1 = DR1
                                  ; BRC1 = block size/2 - 1
XAR3 = XDP
AR3 = AR3 + \#rnd temp
                                   ; AR3 -> rnd temp
|| localrepeat {
                                   ; repeat blk size times
AC0 = (*AR4 + << #16) + (*AR5 + << #16)
                                         ; AC0 = b[i][j]+b[i+1][j]
AC0 = AC0 + (*AR3 << #16)
                                   ; AC0 = AC0 + rnd
|| localrepeat {
AC1 = (*AR4 - << #16) + (*AR5 + << #16) ; AC0 = b[i][j+1]+b[i+1][j+1]
AC0 = AC0 + AC1
                                   ; AC0 = sum(b[i][j]) + rnd
*(AR4+DR0) = HI(AC0 << \#(-2)); b[i][j] = (sum(b[i][j])+rnd)/4
| AC1 = AC1 + (*AR3 << #16)
                                          ; AC1 = AC1 + rnd
AC0 = (*AR4 - << #16) + (*AR5 + << #16)
                                         ; AC0 = b[i][j+2]+b[i+1][j+2]
AC1 = AC1 + AC0
                                          ; AC1 = sum(b[i][j]) + rnd
*(AR4+DR0) = HI(AC1 << #(-2)); b[i][j+1] = (sum(b[i][j])+rnd)/4
| \ | \ AC0 = AC0 + (*AR3 << #16)
                                          ; AC0 = AC0 + rnd
mar (*AR4+) || mar (*AR5+)
}
```



3.14 Power Management Advisories

Advisory PM_1

Repeated Interrupts During CPU Idle

Revision(s) Affected: Revis

Revisions C, D, and F

Details:

Any external interrupt staying low for an extended period should generate only one interrupt. The interrupt signal should normally be required to go high, then low again before additional interrupts would be generated. However, on the 5509, if the external interrupt stays low while the CPU domain enters the idle state, the associated interrupt flag is set again. This causes the CPU to exit the idle state, and if the associated interrupt enable bit is set, the interrupt service routine will also be executed.

In case of CPU in idle and the external interrupt is driven low to wake up the CPU, repeated interrupt will be generated until the external interrupt signal driven high after the CPU wakes

up.

When the CPU is not in idle, the interrupt responds as expected (only a single interrupt is

generated).

Assembler Notification:

Notification: None

Workaround: Limit the low pulse durations of external interrupts so that they are not still asserted when the

CPU goes into idle or when waking up the CPU from idle.



4 Documentation Support

For device-specific data sheets and related documentation, visit the TI web site at: http://www.ti.com.

For further information regarding the TMS320VC5509, please see the latest versions of:

- TMS320C55x DSP CPU Reference Guide (literature number SPRU371)
- TMS320C55x DSP Mnemonic Instruction Set Reference Guide (literature number SPRU374)
- TMS320C55x DSP Algebraic Instruction Set Reference Guide (literature number SPRU375)
- TMS320C55x DSP Peripherals Overview Reference Guide (literature number SPRU317)
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