



OVP Guide to Using Processor Models

Model specific information for POWER_mpc82x

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Chapter 1

Overview

This document provides the details of an OVP Fast Processor Model variant.

OVP Fast Processor Models are written in C and provide a C API for use in C based platforms. The models also provide a native interface for use in SystemC TLM2 platforms.

The models are written using the OVP VMI API that provides a Virtual Machine Interface that defines the behavior of the processor. The VMI API makes a clear line between model and simulator allowing very good optimization and world class high speed performance. Most models are provided as a binary shared object and also as source. This allows the download and use of the model binary or the use of the source to explore and modify the model.

The models are run through an extensive QA and regression testing process and most model families are validated using technology provided by the processor IP owners. There is a companion document (OVP Guide to Using Processor Models) which explains the general concepts of OVP Fast Processor Models and their use. It is downloadable from the OVPworld website documentation pages.

1.1 Description

PPC32 Family Processor Model.

1.2 Licensing

Open Source Apache 2.0

1.3 Limitations

This model is currently under development. The FPU is incomplete.

1.4 Verification

Basic verification of ISA against reference has been performed.

1.5 Features

Chapter 2

Configuration

2.1 Location

This model's VLVN is `power.ovpworld.org/processor/powerpc32/1.0`.

The model source is usually at:

`$IMPERAS_HOME/ImperasLib/source/power.ovpworld.org/processor/powerpc32/1.0`

The model binary is usually at:

`$IMPERAS_HOME/lib/$IMPERAS_ARCH/ImperasLib/power.ovpworld.org/processor/powerpc32/1.0`

2.2 GDB Path

The default GDB for this model is: `$IMPERAS_HOME/lib/$IMPERAS_ARCH/gdb/powerpc-elf-gdb`.

2.3 Semi-Host Library

The default semi-host library file is `power.ovpworld.org/semihosting/powerpc32Newlib/1.0`

2.4 Processor Endian-ness

This model can be set to either endian-ness (normally by a pin, or the ELF code).

2.5 QuantumLeap Support

This processor is qualified to run in a QuantumLeap enabled simulator.

2.6 Processor ELF code

The ELF code supported by this model is: `0x14`.

Chapter 3

All Variants in this model

This model has these variants

| Variant | Description |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| mpc82x | (described in this document) |
| UISA | |

Table 3.1: All Variants in this model

Chapter 4

Bus Master Ports

This model has these bus master ports.

| Name | min | max | Connect? | Description |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----------|-------------|
| INSTRUCTION | 32 | 32 | mandatory | |
| DATA | 32 | 32 | optional | |

Table 4.1: Bus Master Ports

Chapter 5

Bus Slave Ports

This model has no bus slave ports.

Chapter 6

Net Ports

This model has these net ports.

| Name | Type | Connect? | Description |
|-------------|-------|----------|-------------|
| reset | input | optional | |

Table 6.1: Net Ports

Chapter 7

FIFO Ports

This model has no FIFO ports.

Chapter 8

Formal Parameters

| Name | Type | Description |
|--------------|-------------|---|
| variant | Enumeration | Selects variant (either a generic UISA or a specific model) |
| verbose | Boolean | Specify verbose output messages |
| endian | Endian | Specify Model endian |
| UISA_I.B | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.B |
| UISA_I.BCDA | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.BCDA |
| UISA_I.S | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.S |
| UISA_I.E | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.E |
| UISA_I.E.PC | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.E.PC |
| UISA_I.E.PD | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.E.PD |
| UISA_I.EC | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.EC |
| UISA_I.FP | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.FP |
| UISA_I.DFP | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.DFP |
| UISA_I.MA | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.MA |
| UISA_I.SP | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.SP |
| UISA_I.V | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.V |
| UISA_I.LMA | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.LMA |
| UISA_I.WT | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.WT |
| UISA_I.VLE | Boolean | UISA Feature UISA_I.VLE |
| ENABLE_FPU | Uns32 | Enable FPU At Startup |
| UNIMP_TO_NOP | Boolean | Map Unimplemented Instructions to NOP |
| WARN_NOP | Boolean | Warn when executing nop-mapped instructions |

Table 8.1: Parameters

Chapter 9

Execution Modes

This model does not have different execution modes.

Chapter 10

Exceptions

| Exception | Code |
|------------------|-------------|
| Reset | 0 |
| Undefined | 1 |
| Arith | 2 |
| RdAlign | 3 |
| WrAlign | 4 |
| RdAbort | 5 |
| WrAbort | 6 |
| RdPriv | 7 |
| WrPriv | 8 |
| Fetch | 9 |

Table 10.1: Exceptions implemented by this processor

Chapter 11

Hierarchy of the model

A CPU core may be configured to instance many processors of a Symmetrical Multi Processor (SMP). A CPU core may also have sub elements within a processor, for example hardware threading blocks.

OVP processor models can be written to include SMP blocks and to have many levels of hierarchy. Some OVP CPU models may have a fixed hierarchy, and some may be configured by settings in a configuration register. Please see the register definitions of this model.

This model documentation shows the settings and hierarchy of the default settings for this model variant.

11.1 Level 1

This level in the model hierarchy has 2 commands.

This level in the model hierarchy has 3 register groups:

| Group name | Registers |
|-------------------|------------------|
| User | 32 |
| FloatingPoint | 32 |
| System | 7 |

Table 11.1: Register groups

This level in the model hierarchy has no children.

Chapter 12

Model Commands

A Processor model can implement one or more **Model Commands** available to be invoked from the simulator command line, from the OP API or from the Imperas Multiprocessor Debugger.

12.1 Level 1

12.1.1 isync

specify instruction address range for synchronous execution

| Argument | Type | Description |
|-----------------|-------|--|
| -addresshi | Uns64 | end address of synchronous execution range |
| -addresslo | Uns64 | start address of synchronous execution range |

Table 12.1: isync command arguments

12.1.2 itrace

enable or disable instruction tracing

| Argument | Type | Description |
|-------------------|---------|--|
| -after | Uns64 | apply after this many instructions |
| -enable | Boolean | enable instruction tracing |
| -instructioncount | Boolean | include the instruction number in each trace |
| -off | Boolean | disable instruction tracing |
| -on | Boolean | enable instruction tracing |
| -registerchange | Boolean | show registers changed by this instruction |
| -registers | Boolean | show registers after each trace |

Table 12.2: itrace command arguments

Chapter 13

Registers

13.1 Level 1

13.1.1 User

Registers at level:1, group:User

| Name | Bits | Initial-Hex | RW | Description |
|-------|------|-------------|----|-------------|
| GPR0 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR1 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR2 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR3 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR4 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR5 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR6 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR7 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR8 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR9 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR10 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR11 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR12 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR13 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR14 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR15 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR16 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR17 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR18 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR19 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR20 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR21 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR22 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR23 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR24 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR25 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR26 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR27 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR28 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR29 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR30 | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| GPR31 | 32 | 0 | rw | |

Table 13.1: Registers at level 1, group:User

13.1.2 FloatingPoint

Registers at level:1, group:FloatingPoint

| Name | Bits | Initial-Hex | RW | Description |
|-------|------|-------------|----|-------------|
| FPR0 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR1 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR2 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR3 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR4 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR5 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR6 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR7 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR8 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR9 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR10 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR11 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR12 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR13 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR14 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR15 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR16 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR17 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR18 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR19 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR20 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR21 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR22 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR23 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR24 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR25 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR26 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR27 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR28 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR29 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR30 | 64 | 0 | rw | |
| FPR31 | 64 | 0 | rw | |

Table 13.2: Registers at level 1, group:FloatingPoint

13.1.3 System

Registers at level:1, group:System

| Name | Bits | Initial-Hex | RW | Description |
|-------|------|-------------|----|-----------------|
| PC | 32 | 0 | rw | program counter |
| MSR | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| CR | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| LR | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| CTR | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| XER | 32 | 0 | rw | |
| FPSCR | 32 | 0 | rw | |

Table 13.3: Registers at level 1, group:System