

Common register usage

Register	Special usage	Called function	preserves contents
rax	1st function return value.	No	No
rbx	Optional base pointer.	Yes	Yes
rcx	Pass 4th argument to function.	No	No
rdx	Pass 3rd argument to function. 2nd function return value.	No	No
rsp	Stack pointer.	Yes	Yes
rbp	Optional frame pointer.	Yes	Yes
rdi	Pass 1st argument to function.	No	No
rsi	Pass 2nd argument to function.	No	No
r8	Pass 5th argument to function.	No	No
r9	Pass 6th argument to function.	No	No
r10	Pass function's static chain pointer.	No	No
r11		No	No
r12		Yes	Yes
r13		Yes	Yes
r14		Yes	Yes
r15		Yes	Yes

Registers

bits 63-0	bits 31-0	bits 15-0	bits 15-8	bits 7-0
rax	eax	ax	ah	al
rbx	ebx	bx	bh	bl
rcx	ecx	cx	ch	cl
rdx	edx	dx	dh	dl
rsi	esi	si		sil
rdi	edi	di		dil
rbp	ebp	bp		bpil
rsp	esp	sp		spil
r8	r8d	r8w		r8b
r9	r9d	r9w		r9b
r10	r10d	r10w		r10b
r11	r11d	r11w		r11b
r12	r12d	r12w		r12b
r13	r13d	r13w		r13b
r14	r14d	r14w		r14b
r15	r15d	r15w		r15b

Register argument order

Argument	Register
first	rdi
second	rsi
third	rdx
fourth	rcx
fifth	r8
sixth	r9

Common Jumps

instruction	meaning	immediately after a cmp ...
ja	jump above	jump if destination is above source in sequence
jae	jump above or equal	jump if destination is above or in same place as source in sequence
jb	jump below	jump if destination is below source in sequence
jbe	jump below or equal	jump if destination is below or in same place as source in sequence

Table 10.2: Conditional jump instructions for unsigned values.

More Common Jumps

instruction	meaning	immediately after a cmp ...
jg	jump greater	jump if destination is greater than source
jge	jump greater or equal	jump if destination is greater than or equal to source
jl	jump less	jump if destination is less than source
jle	jump less or equal	jump if destination is less than or equal to source

Table 10.3: Conditional jump instructions for signed values.

Flow Control

opcode	location	action	see page:
call	label	call function	173
iret		return from kernel function	388
ja	label	jump above (unsigned)	239
jae	label	jump above/equal (unsigned)	239
jb	label	jump below (unsigned)	239
jbe	label	jump below/equal (unsigned)	239
je	label	jump equal	239
jg	label	jump greater than (signed)	240
jge	label	jump greater than/equal (signed)	240
jl	label	jump less than (signed)	240
jle	label	jump less than/equal (signed)	240
jmp	label	jump	241
jne	label	jump not equal	239
jno	label	jump no overflow	239
joc	label	jump on condition codes	192
leave		undo stack frame	192
ret		return from function	192
syscall		call kernel function	201
sysret		return from kernel function	390

cc = condition codes

Jump List

instruction	action	condition codes
ja	jump if above	$(CF = 0) \cdot (ZF = 0)$
jae	jump if above or equal	$CF = 0$
jb	jump if below	$CF = 1$
jbe	jump if below or equal	$(CF = 1) + (ZF = 1)$
jc	jump if carry	$CF = 1$
jcxz	jump if cx register zero	$ZF = 1$
jecxz	jump if ecx register zero	$(ZF = 0) \cdot (SF = OF)$
jrcxz	jump if rcx register zero	$SF = OF$
je	jump if equal	$SF \neq OF$
jg	jump if greater	$(ZF = 1) + (SF \neq OF)$
jge	jump if greater or equal	$(CF = 1) + (ZF = 1)$
jl	jump if less	$CF = 1$
jle	jump if less or equal	$CF = 0$
jna	jump if not above	$(CF = 0) \cdot (ZF = 0)$
jae	jump if not above or equal	$CF = 1$
jb	jump if not below	$CF = 0$
jbe	jump if not below or equal	$(CF = 0) \cdot (ZF = 0)$
jnc	jump if not carry	$CF = 0$
jne	jump if not equal	$ZF = 0$
jng	jump if not greater	$(ZF = 1) + (SF \neq OF)$
jnge	jump if not greater or equal	$SF \neq OF$
jnl	jump if not less	$SF = OF$
jnle	jump if not less or equal	$(ZF = 0) \cdot (SF = OF)$
jno	jump if not overflow	$OF = 0$
jnp	jump if not parity or equal	$PF = 0$
jns	jump if not sign	$SF = 0$
jnz	jump if not zero	$ZF = 0$
jo	jump if overflow	$OF = 1$
jp	jump if parity	$PF = 1$
jpe	jump if parity even	$PF = 1$
jpo	jump if parity odd	$PF = 0$
js	jump if sign	$SF = 1$
jz	jump if zero	$ZF = 1$

Table 10.1: Conditional jump instructions.

Arithmetic functions

opcode	source	destination	action	see page:
add	Simm/sreg	sreg/mem	add	214
adds	mem	sreg	add	214
and	Simm/sreg	sreg/mem	bit-wise and	290
ands	mem	sreg	bit-wise and	290
cmps	Simm/sreg	sreg/mem	compare	237
cmps	mem	sreg	compare	237
dec	sreg/mem		decrement	249
div	sreg/mem		unsigned divide	315
idiv	sreg/mem		signed divide	317
imul	sreg/mem		signed multiply	310
inc	sreg/mem		increment	248
leaw	mem	sreg	load effective address	191
mul	sreg/mem		unsigned multiply	309
neg	sreg/mem		negate	322
ors	Simm/sreg	sreg/mem	bit-wise inclusive or	290
ors	mem	sreg	bit-wise inclusive or	290
sals	Simm/scl	sreg/mem	shift arithmetic left	302
sars	Simm/scl	sreg/mem	shift arithmetic right	301
shl	Simm/scl	sreg/mem	shift left	302
shr	Simm/scl	sreg/mem	shift right	301
sub	Simm/sreg	sreg/mem	subtract	215
subs	mem	sreg	subtract	215
tests	Simm/sreg	sreg/mem	test bits	238
tests	mem	sreg	test bits	238
xors	Simm/sreg	sreg/mem	bit-wise exclusive or	290
xors	mem	sreg	bit-wise exclusive or	290

s = b, w, l, q; w = L, q

x87 Floating Point

opcode	source	destination	action	see page:
fadds	mem/float		add	373
faddp			add/pop	373
fchs			change sign	373
fcom	mem/float		compare	373
fcomp			compare/pop	373
fcos			cosine	373
fdiv	mem/float		divide	373
fdivp			divide/pop	373
fld	mem/float		load floating point	373
fild	mem/int	mem/int	store integer	373
fld	mem/float		load floating point	373
fmul	mem/float		multiply	373
fmulp			multiply/pop	373
fsin			sine	373
fsqrt			square root	373
fst	mem/float	mem/int	floating point store	373
fstps	mem/float		store	373
fsubb	mem/float		subtract/pop	373

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SSE floating point

opcode	source	destination	action	see page:
cvttsd2si	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{mem}$	sreg	scalar double to signed integer	368
cvttsd2ss	sxmm/sreg	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{sreg}$	scalar double to single float	368
cvttsi2dq	sreg	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{mem}$	signed integer to scalar double	368
cvttsi2dq	sreg	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{mem}$	signed integer to scalar double	368
cvttsi2ss	sreg	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{mem}$	signed integer to scalar single	368
cvttsi2ssq	sreg	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{mem}$	signed integer to scalar single	368
cvttsd2sd	sxmm/sreg	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{mem}$	scalar single to scalar double	368
cvttsd2si	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{mem}$	sreg	scalar single to signed integer	368
cvttsd2siq	$\text{sxmm}/\text{sreg}/\text{mem}$	sreg	scalar single to signed integer	368

