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Embedded microprocessors are utilized across a broad spectrum of applications, making them indispensable in

Details

Product Status	Obsolete
Core Processor	ARM926EJ-S
Number of Cores/Bus Width	1 Core, 32-Bit
Speed	400MHz
Co-Processors/DSP	-
RAM Controllers	LPDDR, LPDDR2, DDR2, SDR, SRAM
Graphics Acceleration	No
Display & Interface Controllers	LCD, Touchscreen
Ethernet	-
SATA	-
USB	USB 2.0 (2)
Voltage - I/O	1.8V, 3.3V
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 85°C (TA)
Security Features	-
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On reset, the ICache entries are invalidated and the ICache is disabled. For best performance, ICache should be enabled as soon as possible after reset.

8.7.2 Data Cache (DCache) and Write Buffer

Arm926EJ-S includes a DCache and a write buffer to reduce the effect of main memory bandwidth and latency on data access performance. The operations of DCache and write buffer are closely connected.

8.7.2.1 DCache

The DCache needs the MMU to be enabled. All data accesses are subject to MMU permission and translation checks. Data accesses that are aborted by the MMU do not cause linefills or data accesses to appear on the AMBA ASB interface. If the MMU is disabled, all data accesses are noncachable, nonbufferable, with no protection checks, and appear on the AHB bus. All addresses are flat-mapped, VA = MVA = PA, which incurs DCache cleaning and/or invalidating every time a context switch occurs.

The DCache stores the Physical Address Tag (PA Tag) from which every line was loaded and uses it when writing modified lines back to external memory. This means that the MMU is not involved in write-back operations.

Each line (8 words) in the DCache has two dirty bits, one for the first four words and the other one for the second four words. These bits, if set, mark the associated half-lines as dirty. If the cache line is replaced due to a linefill or a cache clean operation, the dirty bits are used to decide whether all, half or none is written back to memory.

DCache can be enabled or disabled by writing either 1 or 0 to bit C in register 1 of CP15 (see Tables 4-3 and 4-4 on page 4-5 in Arm926EJ-S TRM).

The DCache supports write-through and write-back cache operations, selected by memory region using the C and B bits in the MMU translation tables.

The DCache contains an eight data word entry, single address entry write-back buffer used to hold write-back data for cache line eviction or cleaning of dirty cache lines.

The Write Buffer can hold up to 16 words of data and four separate addresses. DCache and Write Buffer operations are closely connected as their configuration is set in each section by the page descriptor in the MMU translation table.

8.7.2.2 Write Buffer

The Arm926EJ-S contains a write buffer that has a 16-word data buffer and a four- address buffer. The write buffer is used for all writes to a bufferable region, write-through region and write-back region. It also allows to avoid stalling the processor when writes to external memory are performed. When a store occurs, data is written to the write buffer at core speed (high speed). The write buffer then completes the store to external memory at bus speed (typically slower than the core speed). During this time, the Arm9EJ-S processor can preform other tasks.

DCache and Write Buffer support write-back and write-through memory regions, controlled by C and B bits in each section and page descriptor within the MMU translation tables.

8.7.2.3 Write-though Operation

When a cache write hit occurs, the DCache line is updated. The updated data is then written to the write buffer which transfers it to external memory.

When a cache write miss occurs, a line, chosen by round robin or another algorithm, is stored in the write buffer which transfers it to external memory.

8.7.2.4 Write-back Operation

When a cache write hit occurs, the cache line or half line is marked as dirty, meaning that its contents are not up-to-date with those in the external memory.

When a cache write miss occurs, a line, chosen by round robin or another algorithm, is stored in the write buffer which transfers it to external memory.

8.8 Bus Interface Unit

The Arm926EJ-S features a Bus Interface Unit (BIU) that arbitrates and schedules AHB requests. The BIU implements a multi-layer AHB, based on the AHB-Lite protocol, that enables parallel access paths between multiple AHB masters and slaves in a system. This is achieved by using a more complex interconnection matrix and gives the benefit of increased overall bus bandwidth, and a more flexible system architecture.

10.9.19 AIC Write Protection Mode Register

Name:AIC_WPMR

Address:0xFFFFF1E4

Access:Read/Write

Reset:See Table 10-3

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
			WP	KEY			
23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
			WP	KEY			
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
			WP	KEY			
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
		_		—	—		WPEN

WPEN: Write Protection Enable

0: Disables write protection if WPKEY corresponds to 0x414943 ("AIC" in ASCII).

1: Enables write protection if WPKEY corresponds to 0x414943 ("AIC" in ASCII).

See Section 10.8.8 "Register Write Protection" for list of write-protected registers.

WPKEY: Write Protection Key

Value	Name	Description
0x414943 PASSWD		Writing any other value in this field aborts the write operation of bit WPEN.
	Always reads as 0.	

ddress:0xFFFI	FF1E8						
ccess:Read-or	nly						
eset:See Table	e 10-3						
31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
	—	—	—	_	_	—	
23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
			WPV	SRC			
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
			WPV	SRC			
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	_						WPVS

10.9.20 **AIC Write Protection Status Register**

Name:AIC_WPSR

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WPVS: Write Protection Violation Status

0: No write protection violation has occurred since the last read of the AIC_WPSR.

1: A write protection violation has occurred since the last read of the AIC_WPSR. If this violation is an unauthorized attempt to write a protected register, the associated violation is reported into field WPVSRC.

WPVSRC: Write Protection Violation Source

When WPVS = 1, WPVSRC indicates the register address offset at which a write access has been attempted.

21.13.13 PMC Programmable Clock Register

Name:PMC_PCKx

Address:0xFFFFFC40

Access:Read/Write

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
-	_	—	—	—	-	_	—
23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
-	-	-	—	—	-	-	—
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
-	_	—	—	—	—	_	—
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
-		PRES		-		CSS	

This register can only be written if the WPEN bit is cleared in the PMC Write Protection Mode Register.

CSS: Master Clock Source Selection

Value	Name	Description	
0	SLOW_CLK	Slow Clock is selected	
1	MAIN_CLK	Main Clock is selected	
2	PLLA_CLK	PLLACK/PLLADIV2 is selected	
3	PLLB_CLK	PLLBCK is selected	
4	MCK_CLK	Master Clock is selected	

PRES: Programmable Clock Prescaler

Value	Name	Description	
0	CLOCK_DIV1	Selected clock	
1	CLOCK_DIV2	Selected clock divided by 2	
2	CLOCK_DIV4	Selected clock divided by 4	
3	CLOCK_DIV8	Selected clock divided by 8	
4	CLOCK_DIV16	Selected clock divided by 16	
5	CLOCK_DIV32	Selected clock divided by 32	
6	CLOCK_DIV64	Selected clock divided by 64	
7	_	Reserved	

24.5 Fuse Controller (FUSE) User Interface

Table 24-1:Register Mapping

Offset	Register	Name	Access	Reset
0x00	Fuse Control Register	FUSE_CR	Write-only	-
0x04	Fuse Mode Register	FUSE_MR	Write-only	_
0x08	Fuse Index Register	FUSE_IR	Read/Write	0x00000000
0x0C	Fuse Data Register	FUSE_DR	Read/Write	_
0x10	Fuse Status Register 0	FUSE_SR0	Read-only	0x00000000
0x14	Fuse Status Register 1	FUSE_SR1	Read-only	0x00000000
0x34	Fuse Status Register 9	FUSE_SR9	Read-only	0x00000000
0x38-0xDC	Reserved	_	_	_
0xE0-0xFC	Reserved	_	_	_

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1	NFD0 = D16,, NFD15 = D31	1.8V	1.8V	DDR2 or LPDDR or LPSDR + NAND Flash 1.8V
1	NFD0 = D16,, NFD15 = D31	1.8V	3.3V	DDR2 or LPDDR or LPSDR + NAND Flash 3.3V
1	NFD0 = D16,, NFD15 = D31	3.3V	1.8V	16-bit SDR + NAND Flash 1.8V

Table 25-6: Connection Examples with Various VDDNF and VDDIOM (Continued)

27.6.7 PMECC Status Register

Name: PMECC_SR

Address:0xFFFFE018

Access: Read-only

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
_	-	-	—	-	—	-	—
23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
_	-	—	—	—	—	-	—
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
_	-	-	—	-	—	-	—
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
_	_	_	ENABLE	_	_	_	BUSY

BUSY: The Kernel of the PMECC is Busy

ENABLE: PMECC Module Status

0: The PMECC module is disabled and can be configured.

1: The PMECC module is enabled and the configuration registers cannot be written.

29.9.3.4 Null Delay Setup and Hold

If null setup parameters are programmed for NWE and/or NCS, NWE and/or NCS remain active continuously in case of consecutive write cycles in the same memory (see Figure 29-13). However, for devices that perform write operations on the rising edge of NWE or NCS, such as SRAM, either a setup or a hold must be programmed.





29.9.3.5 Null Pulse

Programming null pulse is not permitted. Pulse must be at least set to 1. A null value leads to unpredictable behavior.

29.9.4 Write Mode

The WRITE_MODE parameter in the SMC_MODE register of the corresponding chip select indicates which signal controls the write operation.

29.9.4.1 Write is Controlled by NWE (WRITE_MODE = 1):

Figure 29-14 shows the waveforms of a write operation with WRITE_MODE set to 1. The data is put on the bus during the pulse and hold steps of the NWE signal. The internal data buffers are switched to output mode after the NWE_SETUP time, and until the end of the write cycle, regardless of the programmed waveform on NCS.

DDR2-SDRAM location twice to acknowledge these commands.

- 13. Program "Disable DLL reset" by clearing DLL bit in the Configuration Register (see "DDRSDRC Configuration Register").
- 14. A Mode Register set (MRS) cycle is issued to program the parameters of the DDR2-SDRAM devices, in particular CAS latency, burst length and to disable DLL reset. The application must configure the MODE field value to 3 in the Mode Register (see "DDRS-DRC Mode Register") and perform a write access to the DDR2-SDRAM to acknowledge this command. The write address must be chosen so that BA[1:0] are set to 0. For example, with a 16-bit 128 MB SDRAM (12 rows, 9 columns, 4 banks) bank address, the SDRAM write access should be performed at the address 0x20000000.
- 15. Program "OCD calibration default" by configuring the OCD field value to 7 in the Configuration Register (see "DDRSDRC Configuration Register").
- 16. An Extended Mode Register set (EMRS1) cycle is issued to OCD default value. The application must configure the MODE field value to 5 in the Mode Register (see "DDRSDRC Mode Register") and perform a write access to the DDR2-SDRAM to acknowledge this command. The write address must be chosen so that BA[1] is set to 0 and BA[0] is set to 1. For example, with a 16-bit 128 MB DDR2-SDRAM (12 rows, 9 columns, 4 banks) bank address, the DDR2-SDRAM write access should be performed at the address 0x20400000.
- 17. Program "Exit from OCD calibration mode" by configuring the OCD field value to 0 in the Configuration Register (see "DDRSDRC Configuration Register").
- 18. An Extended Mode Register set (EMRS1) cycle is issued to enable OCD exit. The application must configure the MODE field value to 5 in the Mode Register (see "DDRSDRC Mode Register") and perform a write access to the DDR2-SDRAM to acknowledge this command. The write address must be chosen so that BA[1] is set to 0 and BA[0] is set to 1. For example, with a 16-bit 128 MB DDR2-SDRAM (12 rows, 9 columns, 4 banks) bank address, the DDR2-SDRAM write access should be performed at the address 0x20400000.
- 19. Program the Normal mode in the Mode Register (see "DDRSDRC Mode Register") and perform a write access to any DDR2-SDRAM address to acknowledge this command.
- 20. Perform a write access to any DDR2-SDRAM address.
- 21. Write the refresh rate into the COUNT field in the DDRSDRC Refresh Timer Register (DDRSDRC_RTR). (Refresh rate = delay between refresh cycles). The DDR2-SDRAM device requires a refresh every 15.625 μs or 7.81 μs. With a 133 MHz frequency, DDRSDRC_RTR.COUNT must be configured to 15.625 × 133 MHz = 2079 (0x081F) or 7.81 × 133 MHz = 1039 (0x040F).

After initialization, the DDR2-SDRAM devices are fully functional.

30.5 Functional Description

30.5.1 SDRAM Controller Write Cycle

The DDRSDRC allows burst access or single access in Normal mode (DDRSDRC_MR.MODE = 0). Whatever the access type, the DDRS-DRC keeps track of the active row in each bank, thus maximizing performance.

The SDRAM device is programmed with a burst length equal to 8. This determines the length of a sequential data input by the write command that is set to 8. The latency from write command to data input is fixed to 1 in the case of DDR-SDRAM devices. In the case of SDR-SDRAM devices, there is no latency from write command to data input.

To initiate a single access, the DDRSDRC checks if the page access is already open. If row/bank addresses match with the previous row/ bank addresses, the controller generates a write command. If the bank addresses are not identical or if bank addresses are identical but the row addresses are not identical, the controller generates a precharge command, activates the new row and initiates a write command. To comply with SDRAM timing parameters, additional clock cycles are inserted between precharge/active (T_{RP}) commands and active/ write (TRCD) command. As the burst length is fixed to 8, in the case of single access, it has to stop the burst, otherwise seven invalid values may be written. In the case of SDR-SDRAM devices, a Burst Stop command is generated to interrupt the write operation. In the case of DDR-SDRAM devices, Burst Stop command is not supported for the burst write operation. In order to then interrupt the write operation, DM must be set to 1 to mask invalid data (see Figure 30-2 and Figure 30-5) and DQS must continue to toggle.

To initiate a burst access, the DDRSDRC uses the transfer type signal provided by the master requesting the access. If the next access is a sequential write access, writing to the SDRAM device is carried out. If the next access is a write non-sequential access, then an automatic access break is inserted, the DDRSDRC generates a precharge command, activates the new row and initiates a write command. To comply with SDRAM timing parameters, additional clock cycles are inserted between precharge/active (TRP) commands and active/ write (TRCD) commands.

For a definition of timing parameters, refer to Section 30.7.4 "DDRSDRC Timing Parameter 0 Register".

Write accesses to the SDRAM devices are burst oriented and the burst length is programmed to 8. It determines the maximum number of column locations that can be accessed for a given write command. When the write command is issued, eight columns are selected. All accesses for that burst take place within these eight columns, thus the burst wraps within these eight columns if a boundary is reached. These eight columns are selected by addr[13:3]. addr[2:0] is used to select the starting location within the block.

- Multiple transfers involving the same peripheral must not be programmed and enabled on different channels, unless this peripheral integrates several hardware handshaking interfaces.
- When a peripheral has been defined as the flow controller, the targeted DMAC channel must be enabled before the peripheral. If you do not ensure this and the first DMAC request is also the last transfer, the DMAC channel might miss a Last Transfer Flag.
- When the AUTO bit is set to TRUE, the BTSIZE field is automatically reloaded from its previous value. BTSIZE must be initialized to
 a non zero value if the first transfer is initiated with the AUTO bit set to TRUE, even if LLI mode is enabled, because the LLI fetch
 operation will not update this field.

31.8.1 DMAC Global Configuration Register

Name: DMAC_GCFG

Address:0xFFFFEC00

Access: Read/Write

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
_	—	—	I	—	-	-	—
23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
_	—	—	I	—	-	-	—
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
_	—	—	_	—	_	-	DICEN
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
_	-	_	ARB_CFG	—	_	-	—

Note: Bit fields 0, 1, 2, and 3 have a default value of 0. This should not be changed.

This register can only be written if the WPEN bit is cleared in "DMAC Write Protection Mode Register".

ARB_CFG: Arbiter Configuration

Value	Name	Description
0	FIXED	Fixed priority arbiter (see "Basic Definitions")
1	ROUND_ROBIN	Modified round robin arbiter.

DICEN: Descriptor Integrity Check

0: Descriptor Integrity Check Interface is Disabled.

1: Descriptor Integrity Check Interface is Enabled.

Name:DMAC_W	/PSR						
Address:0xFFF	FEDE8						
Access:Read-or	nly						
31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
—	_	—	—	—	-	—	—
23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
			WPV	′SRC			
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
			WPV	'SRC			
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	WPVS

31.8.22 DMAC Write Protection Status Register

WPVS: Write Protection Violation Status

0: No write protection violation has occurred since the last read of the DMAC_WPSR.

1: A write protection violation has occurred since the last read of the DMAC_WPSR. If this violation is an unauthorized attempt to write a protected register, the associated violation is reported into field WPVSRC.

WPVSRC: Write Protection Violation Source

When WPVS = 1, WPVSRC indicates the register address offset at which a write access has been attempted.



Figure 32-5: Setup Transaction Followed by a Data OUT Transaction

32.6.2.2 Data IN Transaction

Data IN transactions are used in control, isochronous, bulk and interrupt transfers and conduct the transfer of data from the device to the host. Data IN transactions in isochronous transfer must be done using endpoints with ping-pong attributes.

Using Endpoints Without Ping-pong Attributes

To perform a Data IN transaction using a non ping-pong endpoint:

- 1. The application checks if it is possible to write in the FIFO by polling TXPKTRDY in the endpoint's UDP_CSRx (TXPKTRDY must be cleared).
- 2. The application writes the first packet of data to be sent in the endpoint's FIFO, writing zero or more byte values in the endpoint's FIFO Data Register x (UDP_FDRx).
- 3. The application notifies the USB peripheral it has finished by setting the TXPKTRDY in the endpoint's UDP_CSRx.
- 4. The application is notified that the endpoint's FIFO has been released by the USB device when TXCOMP in the endpoint's UDP_CSRx has been set. Then an interrupt for the corresponding endpoint is pending while TXCOMP is set.
- 5. The microcontroller writes the second packet of data to be sent in the endpoint's FIFO, writing zero or more byte values in the endpoint's UDP_FDRx.
- 6. The microcontroller notifies the USB peripheral it has finished by setting the TXPKTRDY in the endpoint's UDP_CSRx.
- 7. The application clears the TXCOMP in the endpoint's UDP_CSRx.

After the last packet has been sent, the application must clear TXCOMP once this has been set.

TXCOMP is set by the USB device when it has received an ACK PID signal for the Data IN packet. An interrupt is pending while TXCOMP is set.

Warning: TX_COMP must be cleared after TX_PKTRDY has been set.

Note: Refer to Chapter 8 of the Universal Serial Bus Specification, Rev 2.0, for more information on the Data IN protocol layer.

Field	Value
CMDNB (command number)	2 (CMD2)
RSPTYP (response type)	2 (R2: 136 bits response)
SPCMD (special command)	0 (not a special command)
OPCMD (open drain command)	1
MAXLAT (max latency for command to response)	0 (NID cycles ==> 5 cycles)
TRCMD (transfer command)	0 (No transfer)
TRDIR (transfer direction)	X (available only in transfer command)
TRTYP (transfer type)	X (available only in transfer command)
IOSPCMD (SDIO special command)	0 (not a special command)

Table 34-7:Fields and Values for HSMCI_CMDR

The HSMCI_ARGR contains the argument field of the command.

To send a command, the user must perform the following steps:

- Fill the argument register (HSMCI_ARGR) with the command argument.
- Set the command register (HSMCI_CMDR) (see Table 34-7).

The command is sent immediately after writing the command register.

While the card maintains a busy indication (at the end of a STOP_TRANSMISSION command CMD12, for example), a new command shall not be sent. The NOTBUSY flag in the Status Register (HSMCI_SR) is asserted when the card releases the busy indication.

If the command requires a response, it can be read in the HSMCI Response Register (HSMCI_RSPR). The response size can be from 48 bits up to 136 bits depending on the command. The HSMCI embeds an error detection to prevent any corrupted data during the transfer.

The following flowchart shows how to send a command to the card and read the response if needed. In this example, the status register bits are polled but setting the appropriate bits in the HSMCI Interrupt Enable Register (HSMCI_IER) allows using an interrupt method.

WKUPTYP: Wakeup Signal Type

- 0: Setting the bit LINWKUP in the control register sends a LIN 2.0 wakeup signal.
- 1: Setting the bit LINWKUP in the control register sends a LIN 1.3 wakeup signal.

DLC: Data Length Control

0-255: Defines the response data length if DLM = 0, in that case the response data length is equal to DLC+1 bytes.

PDCM: DMAC Mode

0: The LIN mode register US_LINMR is not written by the DMAC.

1: The LIN mode register US_LINMR (excepting that flag) is written by the DMAC.

Assuming ADC CHSR = 0x000 01600



Figure 41-13: Buffer Structure

Assuming ADC_CHSR = 0x000_01600

As soon as touchscreen conversions are required, the pen detection function may help the post-processing of the buffer. Refer to Section 41.6.11.4 "Pen Detection Status".

41.6.11.1 Classical ADC Channels Only

When no touchscreen conversion is required (i.e., TSMODE = 0 in ADC_TSMR), the structure of data within the buffer is defined by ADC_MR, ADC_CHSR, ADC_SEQRx. See Figure 41-13.

If the user sequence is not used (i.e., USEQ is cleared in ADC_MR) then only the value of ADC_CHSR defines the data structure. For each trigger event, enabled channels will be consecutively stored in ADC_LCDR and automatically read to the buffer.

When the user sequence is configured (i.e., USEQ is set in ADC_MR) not only does ADC_CHSR modify the data structure of the buffer, but ADC_SEQRx registers may modify the data structure of the buffer as well.

41.6.11.2 Touchscreen Channels Only

When only touchscreen conversions are required (i.e., TSMODE \neq 0 in ADC_TSMR and ADC_CHSR equals 0), the structure of data within the buffer is defined by ADC_TSMR.

When TSMODE = 1 or 3, each trigger event adds two half-words in the buffer (assuming TSAV = 0), first half-word being XPOS of ADC_XPOSR then YPOS of ADC_YPOSR. If TSAV/TSFREQ \neq 0, the data structure remains unchanged. Not all trigger events add data to the buffer.

When TSMODE = 2, each trigger event adds four half-words to the buffer (assuming TSAV = 0), first half-word being XPOS of ADC_XPOSR followed by YPOS of ADC_YPOSR and finally Z1 followed by Z2, both located in ADC_PRESSR.

When TAG is set (ADC_EMR), the CHNB field (four most significant bits of ADC_LCDR) is cleared when XPOS is transmitted and set when YPOS is transmitted, allowing an easier post-processing of the buffer or a better checking of the buffer integrity. In case 4-wire with Pressure mode is selected, Z1 value is transmitted to the buffer along with tag set to 2 and Z2 is tagged with value 3.

XSCALE and YSCALE (calibration values) are not transmitted to the buffer because they are supposed to be constant and moreover only measured at the very first start up of the controller or upon user request.

There is no change in buffer structure whatever the value of PENDET bit configuration in ADC_TSMR but it is recommended to use the pen detection function for buffer post-processing (refer to Section 41.6.11.4 "Pen Detection Status").

KEYSIZE: Key Size

Value	Name	Description		
0	AES128	AES Key Size is 128 bits		
1	AES192	AES Key Size is 192 bits		
2	AES256	AES Key Size is 256 bits		

Values which are not listed in the table must be considered as "reserved".

OPMOD: Operation Mode

Value	Name	Description
0	ECB	ECB: Electronic Code Book mode
1	CBC	CBC: Cipher Block Chaining mode
2	OFB	OFB: Output Feedback mode
3	CFB	CFB: Cipher Feedback mode
4	CTR	CTR: Counter mode (16-bit internal counter)

Values which are not listed in the table must be considered as "reserved".

For CBC-MAC operating mode, set OPMOD to CBC and LOD to 1.

LOD: Last Output Data Mode

0: No effect.

After each end of encryption/decryption, the output data are available either on the output data registers (Manual and Auto modes) or at the address specified in the Channel Buffer Transfer Descriptor for DMA mode.

In Manual and Auto modes, the DATRDY flag is cleared when at least one of the Output Data registers is read.

1: The DATRDY flag is cleared when at least one of the Input Data Registers is written.

No more Output Data Register reads is necessary between consecutive encryptions/decryptions (see Section 44.4.5 "Last Output Data Mode").

Warning: In DMA mode, reading to the Output Data registers before the last data encryption/decryption process may lead to unpredictable results.

CFBS: Cipher Feedback Data Size

Value	Name	Description
0	SIZE_128BIT	128-bit
1	SIZE_64BIT	64-bit
2	SIZE_32BIT	32-bit
3	SIZE_16BIT	16-bit
4	SIZE_8BIT	8-bit

Values which are not listed in table must be considered as "reserved".

CKEY: Key

Value	Name	Description
0xE	PASSWD	This field must be written with 0xE the first time the AES_MR is programmed. For subsequent programming of the AES_MR, any value can be written, including that of 0xE. Always reads as 0.

46.6.1 TRNG Control Register

Name:TRNG_CR

Address:0xF8048000

Access: Write-only

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
			KI	EY			
23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
			KI	EY			
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
			KI	EY			
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
_	_	_	_	_	_	_	ENABLE

ENABLE: Enables the TRNG to Provide Random Values

0: Disables the TRNG.

1: Enables the TRNG if 0x524E47 ("RNG" in ASCII) is written in KEY field at the same time.

KEY: Security Key

Value	Name	Description
0x524E47	PASSWD	Writing any other value in this field aborts the write operation.

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47.15.1.3 Timing Extraction













Problem Fix/Workaround

- 1. Boot from Serial Flash or Data Flash on SPI
- 2. Connect the NAND Flash on D16–D23 and set NFD0_ON_D16 to 1 in CCFG_EBICSA register. **Warning!** This prohibits connecting another device on the EBI.

51.1.6 Universal Synchronous Asynchronous Receiver Transmitter (USART) - SAM9N12 / SAM9CN11 / SAM9CN12 - Rev. A

51.1.6.1 Bad frame detection issue

If a bad frame is received (incorrect baud rate) with the last data bit being sampled at 1, there is no detection of frame error.

Problem Fix/Workaround

There is no general fix. When performing baud rate detection with receive part, the transmit frame must be sent with a parity bit set to 0.

51.2 Errata: Revision B Parts

51.2.1 Boot ROM - SAM9CN12 - Rev. B

51.2.1.1 Boot from SPI Data/Serial Flash Devices do not work with All Memories

The boot from SPI Data/Serial Flash series does not work with all memories.

Problem Fix/Workaround

Use one of the following Data/Serial Flashes: AT45DB321, AT45DB642, AT25DF161, AT25DF512B, AT25DF021, AT25DF041A, AT25DF321, AT25DF641A, M25P05, M25P10, M25P20, M25P80, M25P16, M25P32, M25P64.

51.2.2 Reset Controller (RSTC) - SAM9N12 / SAM9CN11 - Rev. B

51.2.2.1 RSTC: Reset during SDRAM Accesses

When a Reset (User reset, watchdog, software reset) occurs during SDRAM read access, the SDRAM clock is turned off while data is ready to be read on the data bus. The SDRAM maintains the data until the clock restarts.

This leads to a data bus conflict and adversely affects the boot memories connected on the EBI:

- NAND Flash boot functionality, if the system boots out of internal ROM.
- NOR Flash boot, if the system boots on an external memory connected on the EBI CS0.

Problem Fix/Workaround

- 1. Boot from Serial Flash or Data Flash on SPI
- 2. Connect the NAND Flash on D16–D23 and set NFD0_ON_D16 to 1 in CCFG_EBICSA register. **Warning!** This prohibits connecting another device on the EBI.

51.2.3 LCD Controller (LCDC) - SAM9N12 / SAM9CN11 / SAM9CN12 - Rev. B

51.2.3.1 LCDC: LCDC PWM Is Not Usable

When slow clock is selected as the source clock to feed PWM with (CLKPWMSEL in LCDC_LCDCFG0), the output waveform generated is corrupted. When the MCK is selected the prescaler (PWMPS in LCDC_LCDCFG6) is not sized to generate the PWM output in a range of 200 Hz–1 kHz.

Problem Fix/Workaround

Use standalone PWM output instead of LCDC embedded PWM.