



8th Generation Intel[®] Core[™] Processor Families

Specification Update

*Supporting 8th Generation Intel[®] Core[™] Processor Families,
Intel[®] Pentium[®] Processors, Intel[®] Celeron[®] Processors for U
Platforms, formerly known as Whiskey Lake and Amber Lake
4-Cores*

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Revision History

Revision	Description	Date
001	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Initial release	September 2018
002	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Updated Title• Updated Table 1• Added Figure 2• Added Errata WHL107 to WHL126	November 2019
003	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Added Errata WHL127 to WHL137• Removed "Component Marking Information" tables	December 2020
004	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Added Erratum: WHL138	March 2021

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Preface

This document is an update to the specifications contained in the documents listed in the following Affected Documents/Related Documents table. It is a compilation of device and document errata and specification clarifications and changes, and is intended for hardware system manufacturers and for software developers of applications, operating system, and tools.

Information types defined in the Nomenclature section of this document are consolidated into this updated document and are no longer published in other documents. This document may also contain information that has not been previously published.

Related Documents

Document Title	Document Number/Location
AP-485, Intel® Processor Identification and the CPUID Instruction	http://www.intel.com/design/processor/applnots/241618.htm
Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 1: Basic Architecture Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2A: Instruction Set Reference Manual A-M Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 2B: Instruction Set Reference Manual N-Z Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3A: System Programming Guide Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual, Volume 3B: System Programming Guide Intel® 64 and IA-32 Intel® Architecture Optimization Reference Manual	http://www.intel.com/products/processor/manuals/index.htm
Intel® 64 and IA-32 Architectures Software Developer's Manual Documentation Changes	http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/processors/architectures-software-developer-manuals.html
Intel® Virtualization Technology Specification for Directed I/O Architecture Specification	D51397
ACPI Specifications	www.acpi.info

Nomenclature

Errata – These are design defects or errors. Errata may cause the processor’s behavior to deviate from published specifications. Hardware and software designed to be used with any given stepping must assume that all errata documented for that stepping are present on all devices.

Specification Changes – These are modifications to the current published specifications. These changes will be incorporated in the next release of the specifications.

Specification Clarifications – This describe a specification in greater detail or further highlight a specification’s impact to a complex design situation. These clarifications will be incorporated in the next release of the specifications.

Documentation Changes – This include typos, errors, or omissions from the current published specifications. These changes will be incorporated in the next release of the specifications.

Note: Errata remain in the specification update throughout the product’s lifecycle, or until a particular stepping is no longer commercially available. Under these circumstances, errata removed from the specification update are archived and available upon request. Specification changes, specification clarifications, and documentation changes are removed from the specification update, when the appropriate changes are made to the appropriate product specification or user documentation (datasheets, manuals, etc.).



Identification Information

Component Identification via Programming Interface

The processor stepping can be identified by the following register contents:

Table 1. U - Processor Lines Component Identification

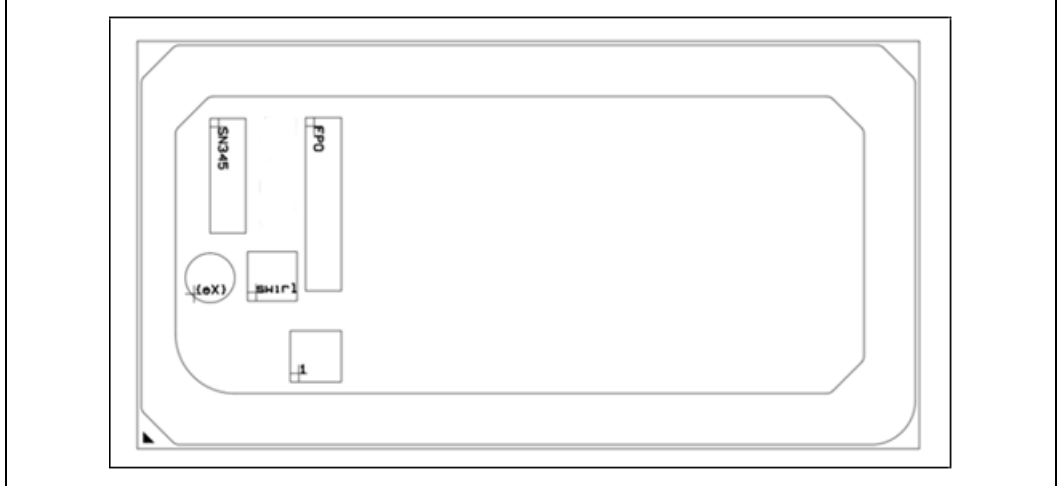
Samples	Reserved [31:28]	Extended Family [27:20]	Extended Model [19:16]	Reserved [15:14]	Processor Type [13:12]	Family Code [11:8]	Model Number [7:4]	Stepping ID [3:0]
4+2 (W0)	Reserved	0000000b	1000b	Reserved	00b	0110b	1110b	1011b
2+2 (W0)	Reserved	0000000b	1000b	Reserved	00b	0110b	1110b	1011b
2+1 (W0)	Reserved	0000000b	1000b	Reserved	00b	0110b	1110b	1011b
4+2 (V0)	Reserved	0000000b	1000b	Reserved	00b	0110b	1110b	1100b
4+2 (V0)	Reserved	0000000b	1000b	Reserved	00b	0110b	1110b	1100b

1. The Extended Family, Bits [27:20] are used in conjunction with the Family Code, specified in Bits[11:8], to indicate whether the processor belongs to the Celeron™, Pentium™, or Intel® Core™ processor family.
2. The Extended Model, Bits [19:16] in conjunction with the Model Number, specified in Bits [7:4], are used to identify the model of the processor within the processor’s family.
3. The Family Code corresponds to Bits [11:8] of the EDX register after RESET, Bits [11:8] of the EAX register after the CPUID instruction is executed with a 1 in the EAX register, and the generation field of the Device ID register accessible through Boundary Scan.
4. The Model Number corresponds to Bits [7:4] of the EDX register after RESET, Bits [7:4] of the EAX register after the CPUID instruction is executed with a 1 in the EAX register, and the model field of the Device ID register accessible through Boundary Scan.
5. The Stepping ID in Bits [3:0] indicates the revision number of that model. Refer to [Table 1](#) for the processor stepping ID number in the CPUID information.
6. Refer to Coffee Lake Processor BIOS Writers Guide for additional information. When EAX is initialized to a value of '1', the CPUID instruction returns the Extended Family, Extended Model, Processor Type, Family Code, Model Number and Stepping ID value in the EAX register. The EDX processor signature value after reset is equivalent to the processor signature output value in the EAX register.

Cache and TLB descriptor parameters are provided in the EAX, EBX, ECX and EDX registers after the CPUID instruction is executed with a 2 in the EAX register.

Component Marking Information

Figure 1. U-Processor Line Multi-Chip Package BGA Top-Side Markings



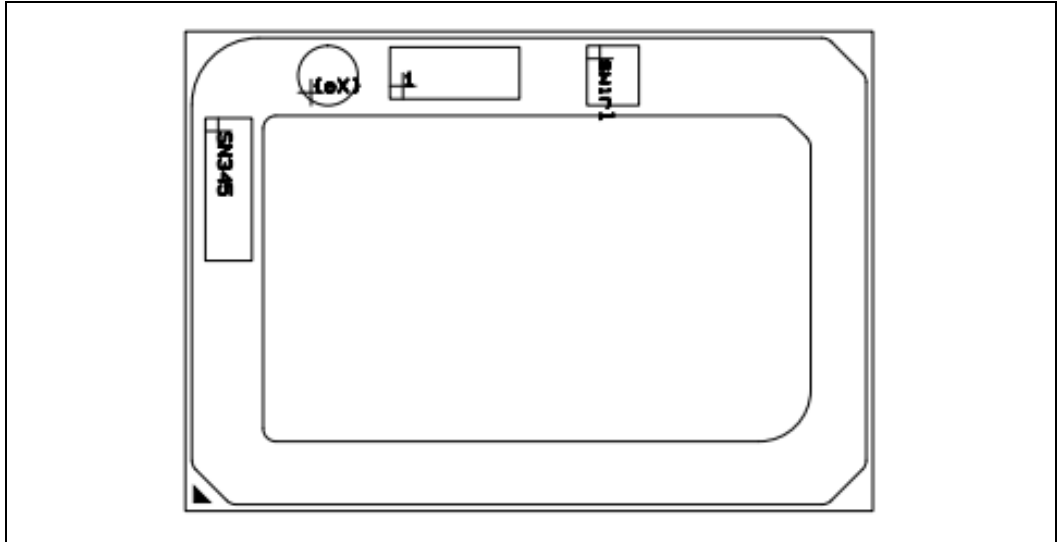
Pin Count: 1528 and Package Size: 46 mm x 24 mm

Production (SSPEC):

- FPO: FPOxxxxx
- {eX}
- SWIR1: Intel® logo

Note: "1" is used to extract the unit visual ID (2D ID).

Figure 2. Y-Processor Line Multi-Chip Package BGA Top-Side Markings



Pin Count: 1377 and Package Size: 26.5x18.5 mm

Production (SSPEC):

- FPO: FPOxxxxx
- {eX}
- SWIR1: Intel® logo

Note: "1" is used to extract the unit visual ID (2D ID).

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Summary Tables of Changes

The following table indicates the Specification Changes, Errata, Specification Clarifications or Documentation Changes, which apply to the listed processor stepping. Intel intends to fix some of the errata in a future stepping of the component, and to account for the other outstanding issues through documentation or Specification Changes as noted. This table uses the following notations:

Codes Used in Summary Table

Stepping	Description
(No mark) or (Blank Box)	This erratum is fixed in listed stepping or specification change does not apply to listed stepping

Status	Description
Doc	Document change or update that will be implemented
Planned Fix	This erratum may be fixed in a future stepping of the product
Fixed	This erratum has been previously fixed in Intel® hardware, firmware, or software
No Fix	There are no plans to fix this erratum

Errata Summary Table

ID	Processor Line/Stepping			Title
	WHL-U		AML-Y42	
	W0	V0	V0	
WHL001	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Reported Memory Type May Not be Used to Access the VMCS and Referenced Data Structures
WHL002	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Instruction Fetch May Cause Machine Check if Page Size and Memory Type Was Changed without Invalidation
WHL003	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Execution of VAESIMC or VAESKEYGENASSIST with an Illegal Value for VEX.vvvv May Produce a #NM Exception
WHL004	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	The Corrected Error Count Overflow Bit in IA32_MC0_STATUS is Not Updated When the UC Bit is Set
WHL005	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	VM Exit May Set IA32_EFER.NXE When IA32_MISC_ENABLE Bit 34 is Set to 1
WHL006	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	SMRAM State-Save Area Above the 4 GB Boundary May Cause Unpredictable System Behavior

ID	Processor Line/Stepping			Title
	WHL-U		AML-Y42	
	W0	V0	V0	
WHL007	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	x87 FPU Exception (#MF) May be Signaled Earlier Than Expected
WHL008	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Incorrect FROM_IP Value for an RTM Abort in BTM or BTS May be Observed
WHL009	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	DR6 Register May Contain an Incorrect Value When a MOV to SS or POP SS Instruction is Followed by an XBEGIN Instruction
WHL010	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Opcode Bytes F3 0F BC May Execute as TZCNT Even When TZCNT Not Enumerated by CPUID
WHL011	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	#GP on Segment Selector Descriptor that Straddles Canonical Boundary May Not Provide Correct Exception Error Code
WHL012	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	The SMSW Instruction May Execute Within an Enclave
WHL013	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG Concurrent with an SMX SENTER/SEXIT May Result in a System Hang
WHL014	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT TIP.PGD May Not Have Target IP Payload
WHL015	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Operand-Size Override Prefix Causes 64-bit Operand Form of MOVBE Instruction to Cause a #UD
WHL016	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Execution of FXSAVE or FXRSTOR With the VEX Prefix May Produce a #NM Exception
WHL017	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	WRMSR May Not Clear the Sticky Count Overflow Bit in the IA32_MCI_STATUS MSR's Corrected Error Count Field
WHL018	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	PEBS Eventing IP Field May be Incorrect After Not-Taken Branch
WHL019	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Debug Exceptions May be Lost or Misreported Following WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG
WHL020	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Complex Interactions with Internal Graphics May Impact Processor Responsiveness
WHL021	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® Processor Trace PSB+ Packets May Contain Unexpected Packets
WHL022	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Placing an Intel® PT ToPA in Non-WB Memory or Writing It Within a Transactional Region May Lead to System Instability
WHL023	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	VM Entry That Clears TraceEn May Generate a FUP
WHL024	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Performance Monitor Event for Outstanding Offcore Requests and Snoop Requests May be Incorrect
WHL025	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	ENCLU[EGETKEY] Ignores KEYREQUEST.MISCMASK
WHL026	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	POPCNT Instruction May Take Longer to Execute than Expected
WHL027	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	ENCLU[EREPORT] May Cause a #GP When TARGETINFO.MISCSELECT is Non-Zero
WHL028	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	A VMX Transition Attempting to Load a Non-Existent MSR May Result in a Shutdown

ID	Processor Line/Stepping			Title
	WHL-U		AML-Y42	
	W0	V0	V0	
WHL029	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Transitions Out of 64-bit Mode May Lead to an Incorrect FDP and FIP
WHL030	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT FUP May be Dropped After OVF
WHL031	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	ENCLS[ECREATE] Causes #GP if Enclave Base Address is Not Canonical
WHL032				Replaced by Erratum: WHL121
WHL033	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Processor DDR VREF Signals May Briefly Exceed JEDEC Specification When Entering S3 State
WHL034	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	DR6.B0-B3 May Not Report All Breakpoints Matched When a MOV/POP SS is Followed by a Store or an MMX Instruction
WHL035	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	ENCLS[EINIT] Instruction May Unexpectedly #GP
WHL036	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT OVF Packet May be Lost if Immediately Preceding a TraceStop
WHL037	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG May be Counted as Multiple Instructions
WHL038	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Branch Instructions May Initialize MPX Bound Registers Incorrectly
WHL039	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Writing a Non-Canonical Value to an LBR MSR Does Not Signal a #GP When Intel® PT is Enabled
WHL040	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Processor May Run Intel® AVX Code Much Slower than Expected
WHL041	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT Buffer Overflow May Result in Incorrect Packets
WHL042	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Last Level Cache Performance Monitoring Events May be Inaccurate
WHL043	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	#GP Occurs Rather than #DB on Code Page Split Inside an Intel® SGX Enclave
WHL044	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Execution of VAESENCLAST Instruction May Produce a #NM Exception Instead of a #UD Exception
WHL045	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® SGX Enclave Accesses to the APIC-Access Page May Cause APIC-Access VM Exits
WHL046	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	CR3 Filtering Does Not Compare Bits [11:5] of CR3 and IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH in PAE Paging Mode
WHL047	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	x87 FDP Value May be Saved Incorrectly
WHL048	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	PECI Frequency Limited to 1 MHz
WHL049	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Processor Graphics IOMMU Unit May Not Mask DMA Remapping Faults
WHL050	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT CYThresh Value of 13 is Not Supported
WHL051	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Enabling VMX-Preemption Timer Blocks HDC Operation
WHL052	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Integrated Audio Codec May Not be Detected

ID	Processor Line/Stepping			Title
	WHL-U		AML-Y42	
	W0	V0	V0	
WHL053	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Display Flickering May be Observed with Specific eDP Panels
WHL054	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Incorrect Branch Predicted Bit in BTS/BTM Branch Records
WHL055	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	MACHINE_CLEAR.MEMORY ORDERING Performance Monitoring Event May Undercount
WHL056	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	CTR_FRZ May Not Freeze Some Counters
WHL057	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Instructions and Branches Retired Performance Monitoring Events May Overcount
WHL058	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Some OFFCORE_RESPONSE Performance Monitoring Events May Overcount
WHL059	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Instructions Fetch #GP After RSM During Inter® PT May Push Incorrect RFLAGS Value on Stack
WHL060	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Access to SGX EPC Page in BLOCKED State is Not WHL062Reported as an SGX-Induced Page Fault
WHL061	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	MTF VM Exit on XBEGIN Instruction May Save State Incorrectly
WHL062	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Performance Monitoring Counters May Undercount When Using CPL Filtering
WHL063	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Certain Non-Canonical IA32_BNDCFGS Values Will Not Cause VM-Entry Failures
WHL064	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	PEBS Eventing IP Field May be Incorrect Under Certain Conditions
WHL065	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	HWP's Guaranteed_Performance Updated Only on Configurable TDP Changes
WHL066	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	RF May be Incorrectly Set in the EFLAGS That is Saved on a Fault in PEBS or BTS
WHL067	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT ToPA PMI Does Not Freeze Performance Monitoring Counters
WHL068	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	HWP's Maximum_Performance Value is Reset to 0xFF
WHL069	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	HWP's Guaranteed_Performance and Relevant Status/Interrupt May be Updated More than Once Per Second
WHL070	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Some Memory Performance Monitoring Events May Produce Incorrect Results When Filtering on Either OS or USR Modes
WHL071	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	HWP May Generate Thermal Interrupt While Not Enabled
WHL072	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Camera Device Does Not Issue an MSI When INTx is Enabled
WHL073	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	BNDLDX and BNDSTX May Not Signal #GP on Non-Canonical Bound Directory Access
WHL074	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	RING_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS May be Incorrect
WHL075	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Performance Monitoring Load Latency Events May be Inaccurate for Gather Instructions

ID	Processor Line/Stepping			Title
	WHL-U		AML-Y42	
	W0	V0	V0	
WHL076	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Some Bits in MSR_MISC_PWR_MGMT May be Updated on Writing Illegal Values to This MSR
WHL077	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Violations of Intel® Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX) Access-Control Requirements Produce #GP Instead of #PF
WHL078	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH MSR Bits[11:5] Are Treated as Reserved
WHL079	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	The Intel® PT CR3 Filter is Not Re-evaluated on VM Entry
WHL080	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Display Slowness May be Observed Under Certain Display Commands Scenario
WHL081	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	CPUID TLB Associativity Information is Inaccurate
WHL082	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Unpredictable System Behavior May Occur in DDR4 Multi-Rank System
WHL083	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Processor May Hang on Complex Sequence of Conditions
WHL084	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Potential Partial Trace Data Loss in Intel® Trace Hub ODLA When Storing to Memory.
WHL085	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Display Artifacts May be Seen with High Bandwidth, Multiple Display Configurations
WHL086	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Spurious Corrected Errors May be Reported
WHL087	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Masked Bytes in a Vector Masked Store Instructions May Cause Write Back of a Cache Line
WHL088	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	MOVNTDQA From WC Memory May Pass Earlier MFENCE instructions
WHL089	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	MOVNTDQA from WC Memory May Pass Earlier Locked Instructions
WHL090	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	PEBS Record After a WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG May be Incorrect
WHL091	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Processor May Incorrectly Assert PROCHOT During PkgC10
WHL092	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	eDP 1.4 Ports with Link Rate 2.16 or 4.32 GHz May Not Resume from Low Power Graphics or System States.
WHL093	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Writing Non-Zero Values to Read Only Fields in IA32_THERM_STATUS MSR May #GP
WHL094	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Precise Performance Monitoring May Generate Redundant PEBS Records
WHL095	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Load Latency Performance Monitoring Facility May Stop Counting
WHL096	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	SGX ENCLS[EINIT] May Not Signal an Error for an Incorrectly Formatted SIGSTRUCT Input
WHL097	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Branch Instruction Address May be Incorrectly Reported on TSX Abort When Using MPX

ID	Processor Line/Stepping			Title
	WHL-U		AML-Y42	
	W0	V0	V0	
WHL098	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Setting Performance Monitoring IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_SET MSR Bit 63 May Not #GP
WHL099	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Hitting a Code Breakpoint Inside a SGX Debug Enclave May Cause the Processor to Hang
WHL100	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Performance Monitoring ASCI Status Bit May be Inaccurate
WHL101	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Processor May Hang When Executing Code in an HLE Transaction Region
WHL102	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT CYC Packets Can be Dropped When Immediately Preceding PSB
WHL103	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT VM-entry Indication Depends on the Incorrect VMCS Control Field
WHL104	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Performance Monitor Event for Outstanding Offcore Requests May be Incorrect
WHL105	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	VCVTPS2PH To Memory May Update MXCSR in the Case of a Fault on the Store
WHL106	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT May Drop All Packets after an Internal Buffer Overflow
WHL107	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT ToPA Tables Read from Non-Cacheable Memory During an Intel® TSX Transaction May Lead to Processor Hang
WHL108	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Performing an XACQUIRE to an Intel® PT ToPA Table May Lead to Processor Hang
WHL109	Fixed	Fixed	Fixed	ZMM/YMM Registers May Contain Incorrect Values
WHL110	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Data Breakpoint May Not be Detected on a REP MOVSB
WHL111	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT CYC Packet Can be Dropped When Immediately Preceding PSB
WHL112	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	When Virtualization Exceptions are Enabled, EPT Violations May Generate Erroneous Virtualization Exceptions
WHL113	Fixed	Fixed	Fixed	System May Hang with Multiple Pending Posted Writes When Using Direct MMIO Write Access Model
WHL114	No Fix	Fixed		Integrated GbE Controller May Hang During Resume from Sx
WHL115	Fixed	Fixed		Using Intel® TSX Instructions May Lead to Unpredictable System Behavior
WHL116	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT Trace May Drop Second Byte of CYC Packet
WHL117	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Unexpected Uncorrected Machine Check Errors May be Reported
WHL118	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT PSB+ Packets May be Omitted on a C6 Transition
WHL119	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Intel® PT PacketEn Change on C-state Wake May Not Generate a TIP Packet
WHL120		Fixed		Queued Invalidation Is Prevented When VTd is Disabled
WHL121	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Graphics VTd Hardware May Cache Invalid Entries

ID	Processor Line/Stepping			Title
	WHL-U		AML-Y42	
	W0	V0	V0	
WHL122	Fixed	Fixed	Fixed	Executing Some Instructions May Cause Unpredictable Behavior
WHL123	Fixed	Fixed	Fixed	Processor May Behave Unpredictably on Complex Sequence of Conditions Which Involve Branches That Cross 64 Byte Boundaries
WHL124	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	A PMI That Freezes LBRs Can Cause a Duplicate Entry in TOS
WHL125	Fixed	Fixed	Fixed	Unexpected Page Faults in Guest Virtualization Environment
WHL126	Fixed	Fixed	Fixed	SGX Key Confidentiality May be Compromised
WHL127	Fixed	Fixed	Fixed	System May Hang Under Complex Conditions
WHL128	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Instruction Fetch May Cause Machine Check if Page Size Was Changed Without Invalidation
WHL129	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	PMU MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR is Cleared after Pkg C7 or Deeper
WHL130	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Performance Monitoring General Counter 2 May Have Invalid Value Written When TSX Is Enabled
WHL131	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	A Pending Fixed Interrupt May be Dispatched Before an Interrupt of the Same Priority Completes
WHL132	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	VTd DMA Remapping Disable in Gfx IOMMU May Cause Display Artifacts or Flickering
WHL133	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Overflow Flag in IA32_MC0_STATUS MSR May be Incorrectly Set
WHL134	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Rare Internal Timing Conditions May Lead to Sporadic Hangs During Graphics VTd Flows
WHL135	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	VERR Instruction Inside VM-entry May Cause DR6 to Contain Incorrect Values
WHL136	No Fix	No Fix	No Fix	Processor May Hang if Warm Reset Triggers During BIOS Initialization
WHL137	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A. Erratum has been removed
WHL138	Fixed	Fixed	Fixed	MD_CLEAR Operations May Not Properly Overwrite All Buffers



Errata Details

WHL001	Reported Memory Type May Not be Used to Access the VMCS and Referenced Data Structures
Problem	Bits 53:50 of the IA32_VMX_BASIC MSR report the memory type that the processor uses to access the VMCS and data structures referenced by pointers in the VMCS. Due to this erratum, a VMX access to the VMCS or referenced data structures will instead use the memory type that the Memory-Type Range Registers (MTRRs) specify for the physical address of the access.
Implication	Bits 53:50 of the IA32_VMX_BASIC MSR report that the write-back (WB) memory type will be used but the processor may use a different memory type.
Workaround	Software should ensure that the VMCS and referenced data structures are located at physical addresses that are mapped to WB memory type by the MTRRs.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL002	Instruction Fetch May Cause Machine Check if Page Size and Memory Type was Changed Without Invalidation
Problem	This erratum may cause a machine-check error (IA32_MCI_STATUS.MCACOD=0150H) on the fetch of an instruction that crosses a 4-KByte address boundary. It applies only if (1) the 4-KByte linear region on which the instruction begins is originally translated using a 4-KByte page with the WB memory type; (2) the paging structures are later modified so that linear region is translated using a large page (2-MByte, 4-MByte, or 1-GByte) with the UC memory type; and (3) the instruction fetch occurs after the paging-structure modification but before software invalidates any TLB entries for the linear region.
Implication	Due to this erratum an unexpected machine check with error code 0150H may occur, possibly resulting in a shutdown. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	Software should not write to a paging-structure entry in a way that would change, for any linear address, both the page size and the memory type. It can instead use the following algorithm: first clear the P flag in the relevant paging-structure entry (Example: PDE); then invalidate any translations for the affected linear addresses; and then modify the relevant paging-structure entry to set the P flag and establish the new page size and memory type.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL003	Execution of VAESIMC or VAESKEYGENASSIST with an Illegal Value for VEX.vvvv May Produce a #NM Exception
Problem	The VAESIMC and VAESKEYGENASSIST instructions should produce a #UD (Invalid-Opcode) exception if the value of the vvvv field in the VEX prefix is not 1111b. Due to this erratum, if CR0.TS is "1", the processor may instead produce a #NM (Device-Not-Available) exception.
Implication	Due to this erratum, some undefined instruction encodings may produce a #NM instead of a #UD exception.
Workaround	Software should always set the vvvv field of the VEX prefix to 1111b for instances of the VAESIMC and VAESKEYGENASSIST instructions.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL004	The Corrected Error Count Overflow Bit in IA32_MC0_STATUS is Not Updated, When the UC Bit is Set
Problem	After an uncorrected (UC) error is logged in the IA32_MC0_STATUS MSR (401H), corrected errors will continue to be counted in the lower 14 bits (bits 51:38) of the Corrected Error Count. Due to this erratum, the sticky count overflow bit (bit 52) of the Corrected Error Count will not get updated, when the UC bit (bit 61) is set to 1.
Implication	The Corrected Error Count Overflow indication will be lost if the overflow occurs after an uncorrectable error has been logged.
Workaround	None identified
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL005	VM Exit May Set IA32_EFER.NXE When IA32_MISC_ENABLE Bit 34 is Set to 1
Problem	When "XD Bit Disable" in the IA32_MISC_ENABLE MSR (1A0H) bit 34 is set to 1, it should not be possible to enable the "execute disable" feature by setting IA32_EFER.NXE. Due to this erratum, a VM exit that occurs with the 1-setting of the "load IA32_EFER" VM-exit control may set IA32_EFER.NXE, even if IA32_MISC_ENABLE bit 34 is set to 1. This erratum can occur only if IA32_MISC_ENABLE bit 34 was set by guest software in VMX non-root operation.
Implication	Software in VMX root operation may execute with the "execute disable" feature enabled despite the fact that the feature should be disabled by the IA32_MISC_ENABLE MSR. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	A virtual-machine monitor should not allow guest software to write to the IA32_MISC_ENABLE MSR
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL006	SMRAM State-Save Area above the 4 GB Boundary May Cause Unpredictable System Behavior
Problem	If BIOS uses the RSM instruction to load the SMBASE register with a value that would cause any part of the SMRAM state-save area to have an address above 4-GBytes, subsequent transitions into and out of System-Management Mode (SMM) might save and restore processor state from incorrect addresses.
Implication	This erratum may cause unpredictable system behavior. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available system.
Workaround	Ensure that the SMRAM state-save area is located entirely below the 4 GB address boundary.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL007	x87 FPU Exception (#MF) May be Signaled Earlier than Expected
Problem	x87 instructions that trigger #MF normally service interrupts before the #MF. Due to this erratum, if an instruction that triggers #MF is executing when an Enhanced Intel SpeedStep® Technology transitions, an Intel® Turbo Boost Technology transitions, or a Thermal Monitor events occurs, the #MF may be taken before pending interrupts are serviced.
Implication	Software may observe #MF being signaled before pending interrupts are serviced.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL008	Incorrect FROM_IP Value for an RTM Abort in BTM or BTS May be Observed
Problem	During Restricted Transactional Memory (RTM) operation when branch tracing is enabled using Branch Trace Message (BTM) or Branch Trace Store (BTS), the incorrect EIP value (From_IP pointer) may be observed for an RTM abort.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the From_IP pointer may be the same as that of the immediately preceding taken branch.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL009	DR6 Register May Contain an Incorrect Value When a MOV to SS or POP SS Instruction is Followed by an XBEGIN Instruction
Problem	If XBEGIN is executed immediately after an execution of MOV to SS or POP SS, a transactional abort occurs and the logical processor restarts execution from the fallback instruction address. If execution of the instruction at that address causes a debug exception, bits [3:0] of the DR6 register may contain an incorrect value.
Implication	When the instruction at the fallback instruction address causes a debug exception, DR6 may report a breakpoint that was not triggered by that instruction, or it may fail to report a breakpoint that was triggered by the instruction.
Workaround	Avoid following a MOV SS or POP SS instruction immediately with an XBEGIN instruction.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL010	Opcode Bytes F3 0F BC May Execute as TZCNT Even When TZCNT Not Enumerated by CPUID
Problem	If CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.BMI1 (bit 3) is 1 then opcode bytes F3 0F BC should be interpreted as TZCNT otherwise they will be interpreted as REP BSF. Due to this erratum, opcode bytes F3 0F BC may execute as TZCNT even if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.BMI1 (bit 3) is 0.
Implication	Software that expects REP prefix before a BSF instruction to be ignored may not operate correctly since there are cases in which BSF and TZCNT differ with regard to the flags that are set and how the destination operand is established.
Workaround	Software should use the opcode bytes F3 0F BC only if CPUID.(EAX=07H, ECX=0):EBX.BMI1 (bit 3) is 1 and only if the functionality of TZCNT (and not BSF) is desired.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL011	#GP on Segment Selector Descriptor that Straddles Canonical Boundary May Not Provide Correct Exception Error Code
Problem	During a # General Protection Exception (GPE), the processor pushes an error code on to the exception handler's stack. If the segment selector descriptor straddles the canonical boundary, the error code pushed onto the stack may be incorrect.
Implication	An incorrect error code may be pushed onto the stack. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL012	The SMSW Instruction May Execute Within an Enclave
Problem	The SMSW instruction is illegal within a Software Guard Extensions (SGX) enclave, and an attempt to execute it within an enclave should result in a #UD (invalid-opcode exception). Due to this erratum, the instruction executes normally within an enclave and does not cause a #UD.
Implication	The SMSW instruction provides access to CR0 bits 15:0 and will provide that information inside an enclave. These bits include NE, ET, TS, EM, MP and PE.
Workaround	None identified. If SMSW execution inside an enclave is unacceptable, system software should not enable SGX.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL013	WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG Concurrent with an SMX SENTER/SEXIT May Result in a System Hang
Problem	Performing WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG (MSR 79H) on a logical processor while another logical processor is executing an Safer Mode Extensions (SMX) SENTER/SEXIT operation (GETSEC[SENER] or GETSEC[SEXIT] instruction) may cause the processor to hang.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, the system will hang. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available system.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL014	Intel® PT TIP.PGD May Not Have Target IP Payload
Problem	When Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) is enabled and a direct unconditional branch clears IA32_RTIT_STATUS.FilterEn (MSR 571H, bit 0), due to this erratum, the resulting Target IP Packet, Packet Generation Disable (TIP.PGD) may not have an IP payload with the target IP.
Implication	It may not be possible to tell which instruction in the flow caused the TIP.PGD using only the information in trace packets when this erratum occurs.
Workaround	The Intel® PT trace decoder can compare direct unconditional branch targets in the source with the FilterEn address range(s) to determine which branch cleared FilterEn.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL015	Operand-Size Override Prefix Causes 64-bit Operand form of MOVBE Instruction to Cause a #UD
Problem	Execution of a 64-bit operand MOVBE instruction with an operand-size override instruction prefix (66H) may incorrectly cause an invalid-opcode exception (#UD).
Implication	A MOVBE instruction with both REX.W=1 and a 66H prefix will unexpectedly cause an #UD (invalid-opcode exception). Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	Do not use a 66H instruction prefix with a 64-bit operand MOVBE instruction.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL016	Execution of FXSAVE or FXRSTOR with the VEX Prefix May Produce a #NM Exception
Problem	Attempt to use FXSAVE or FXRSTOR with a VEX prefix should produce a #UD (Invalid-Opcode) exception. If either the TS or EM flag bits in CR0 are set, a #NM (device-not-available) exception will be raised instead of #UD exception.
Implication	Due to this erratum a #NM exception may be signaled instead of a #UD exception on an FXSAVE or an FXRSTOR with a VEX prefix.
Workaround	Software should not use FXSAVE or FXRSTOR with the VEX prefix.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL017	WRMSR May Not Clear the Sticky Count Overflow Bit in the IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs Corrected Error Count Field
Problem	The sticky count overflow bit is the most significant bit (bit 52) of the Corrected Error Count Field (bits[52:38]) in IA32_MCI_STATUS MSRs. Once set, the sticky count overflow bit may not be cleared by a WRMSR instruction. When this occurs, that bit can only be cleared by power-on reset.
Implication	Software that uses the Corrected Error Count field and expects to be able to clear the sticky count overflow bit may misinterpret the number of corrected errors when the sticky count overflow bit is set. This erratum does not affect threshold-based Corrected Machine Check Error Interrupt (CMCI) signaling.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL018	PEBS Eventing IP Field May be Incorrect After Not-Taken Branch
Problem	When a Precise-Event-Based-Sampling (PEBS) record is logged immediately after a not-taken conditional branch (Jcc instruction), the Eventing IP field should contain the address of the first byte of the Jcc instruction. Due to this erratum, it may instead contain the address of the instruction preceding the Jcc instruction.
Implication	Performance monitoring software using PEBS may incorrectly attribute PEBS events that occur on a Jcc to the preceding instruction.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL019	Debug Exceptions May Be Lost or Misreported Following WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG
Problem	If the WRMSR instruction writes to the IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG MSR (79H) immediately after an execution of MOV SS or POP SS that generated a debug exception, the processor may fail to deliver the debug exception or, if it does, the DR6 register contents may not correctly reflect the causes of the debug exception.
Implication	Debugging software may fail to operate properly, if a debug exception is lost or does not report complete information.
Workaround	Software should avoid using WRMSR instruction immediately after executing MOV SS or POP SS
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL020	Complex Interactions with Internal Graphics May Impact Processor Responsiveness
Problem	Under complex conditions associated with the use of internal graphics, the processor may exceed the MAX_LAT CSR values (PCI configuration space, offset 03FH, bits[7:0]).
Implication	When this erratum occurs, the processor responsiveness is affected. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL021	Intel® Processor Trace PSB+ Packets May Contain Unexpected Packets
Problem	Some Intel Processor Trace packets should be issued only between Target IP Packet.Packet Generation Enable (TIP.PGE) and Target IP Packet. Generation Disable (TIP.PGD) packets. Due to this erratum, when a TIP.PGE packet is generated it may be preceded by a Packet Stream Boundary (PSB) that incorrectly includes Flow Update Packet (FUP) and MODE.Exec packets.
Implication	Due to this erratum, FUP and MODE.Exec may be generated unexpectedly.
Workaround	Decoders should ignore FUP and MODE.Exec packets that are not between TIP.PGE and TIP.PGD packets.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL022	Placing an Intel® PT ToPA in Non-WB Memory or Writing It Within a Transactional Region May Lead to System Instability
Problem	If an Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) and Table of Physical Addresses (ToPA) are not placed in writeback (WB) memory or is written by software executing within an Intel® Transactional Synchronization Extension (Intel® TSX) transactional region, the system may become unstable.
Implication	Unusual treatment of the ToPA may lead to system instability.
Workaround	None identified. Intel® PT ToPA should reside in WB memory and should not be written within a Transactional Region.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL023	VM Entry that Clears TraceEn May Generate a FUP
Problem	If VM entry clears Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) IA32_RTIT_CTL.TraceEn (MSR 570H, bit 0) while PacketEn is 1 then a Flow Update Packet (FUP) will precede the Target IP Packet, Packet Generation Disable (TIP.PGD). VM entry can clear TraceEn if the VM-entry MSR-load area includes an entry for the IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, an unexpected FUP may be generated that creates the appearance of an asynchronous event take place immediately before or during the VM entry.
Workaround	The Intel® PT trace decoder may opt to ignore any FUP whose IP matches that of a VM entry instruction.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL024	Performance Monitor Event for Outstanding Offcore Requests and Snoop Requests May be Incorrect
Problem	The performance monitor event OFFCORE_REQUESTS_OUTSTANDING (Event 60 H, any Umask Value) should count the number of offcore outstanding transactions each cycle. Due to this erratum, the counts may be higher or lower than expected.
Implication	The performance monitor event OFFCORE_REQUESTS_OUTSTANDING may reflect an incorrect count.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL025	ENCLU[EGETKEY] Ignores KEYREQUEST.MISCMASK
Problem	The Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX) ENCLU[EGETKEY] instruction ignores the MISCMASK field in KEYREQUEST structure when computing a provisioning key, a provisioning seal key, or a seal key.
Implication	ENCLU[EGETKEY] will return the same key in response to two requests that differ only in the value of KEYREQUEST.MISCMASK. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	When executing the ENCLU[EGETKEY] instruction, software should ensure the bits set in KEYREQUEST.MISCMASK are a subset of the bits set in the current SECS's MISCSSELECT field.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL026	POPCNT Instruction May Take Longer to Execute than Expected
Problem	POPCNT instruction execution with a 32 or 64-bit operand may be delayed until previous non-dependent instructions have executed.
Implication	Software using the POPCNT instruction may experience lower performance than expected.
Workaround	None identified
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL027	ENCLU[EREPORT] May Cause a #GP When TARGETINFO.MISCSSELECT is Non-Zero
Problem	The Software Guard extensions (Intel® SGX) ENCLU[EREPORT] instruction may cause a # general protection (GP) fault, if any bit is set in TARGETINFO structure's MISCSSELECT field.
Implication	This erratum may cause unexpected general-protection exceptions inside enclaves.
Workaround	When executing the ENCLU[EREPORT] instruction, software should ensure the bits set in TARGETINFO.MISCSSELECT are a subset of the bits set in the current SECS's MISCSSELECT field.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL028	A VMX Transition Attempting to Load a Non-Existent MSR May Result in a Shutdown
Problem	A VMX transition may result in a shutdown (without generating a machine-check event) if a non-existent MSR is included in the associated MSR-load area. When such a shutdown occurs, a machine check error will be logged with IA32_MCi_STATUS.MCACOD (bits [15:0]) of 406H, but the processor does not issue the special shutdown cycle. A hardware reset must be used to restart the processor.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the hypervisor may experience an unexpected shutdown.
Workaround	Software should not configure VMX transitions to load non-existent MSRs.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL029	Transitions Out of 64-bit Mode May Lead to an Incorrect FDP and FIP
Problem	A transition from 64-bit mode to compatibility or legacy modes may result in cause a subsequent x87 FPU state save to zeroing bits [63:32] of the FDP (x87 FPU Data Pointer Offset) and the FIP (x87 FPU Instruction Pointer Offset).
Implication	Leaving 64-bit mode may result in incorrect FDP and FIP values, when x87 FPU state is saved.
Workaround	None identified. 64-bit software should save x87 FPU state before leaving 64-bit mode if it needs to access the FDP and/or FIP values.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL030	Intel® PT FUP May be Dropped After OVF
Problem	Some Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) Overflow (OVF) packets may not be followed by a Flow Update Packet (FUP) or Target IP Packet, Packet Generation Enable (TIP.PGE).
Implication	When this erratum occurs, an unexpected packet sequence is generated.
Workaround	When it encounters an OVF without a following FUP or TIP.PGE, the Intel® PT trace decoder should scan for the next TIP, TIP.PGE, or PSB+ to resume operation.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL031	ENCLS[ECREATE] Causes #GP if Enclave Base Address is Not Canonical
Problem	The ENCLS[ECREATE] instruction uses an SGX enclave control structure (SECS) referenced by the SRCPAGE pointer in the PAGEINFO structure, which is referenced by the RBX register. Due to this erratum, the instruction causes a # general-protection (GP) fault, if the SECS attributes indicate that the enclave should operate in 64-bit mode and the enclave base linear address in the SECS is not canonical.
Implication	System software will incur a general-protection fault if it mistakenly programs the SECS with a non-canonical address. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	System software should always specify a canonical address as the base address of the 64-bit mode enclave.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL032	N/A. Erratum has been Removed
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WHL033	Processor DDR VREF Signals May Briefly Exceed JEDEC Specifications when Entering S3 State
Problem	Voltage glitch of up to 200 mV on the VREF signal lasting for about 1 mS may be observed, when entering System S3 state. This violates the JEDEC DDR specifications.
Implication	Intel has not observed this erratum to impact the operation of any commercially available system.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL034	DR6.B0-B3 May Not Report All Breakpoints Matched When a MOV/POP SS is Followed by a Store or an MMX Instruction
Problem	Normally, data breakpoints match that occur on a MOV SS, r/m or POP SS will not cause a debug exception immediately after MOV/POP SS but will be delayed until the instruction boundary following the next instruction is reached. After the debug exception occurs, DR6.B0-B3 bits will contain information about data breakpoints matched during the MOV/POP SS as well as breakpoints detected by the following instruction. Due to this erratum, DR6.B0-B3 bits may not contain information about data breakpoints matched during the MOV/POP SS when the following instruction is either an MMX instruction that uses a memory-addressing mode with an index or a store instruction.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, DR6 may not contain information about all breakpoints matched. This erratum will not be observed under the recommended usage of the MOV SS, r/m or POP SS instructions (i.e., following them only with an instruction that writes (E/R)SP).
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL035	ENCLS[EINIT] Instruction May Unexpectedly #GP
Problem	When using Intel® Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX), the ENCLS[EINIT] instruction will incorrectly cause a # general protection fault (GP) if the MISCSELECT field of the SIGSTRUCT structure is not zero.
Implication	This erratum may cause an unexpected #GP, but only if software has set bits in the MISCSELECT field in SIGSTRUCT structure that do not correspond to extended features that can be written to the MISC region of the State Save Area (SSA). Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	When executing the ENCLS[EINIT] instruction, software should only set bits in the MISCSELECT field in the SIGSTRUCT structure that are enumerated as 1 by CPUID.(EAX=12H,ECX=0):EBX (the bit vector of extended features that can be written to the MISC region of the SSA).
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL036	Intel® PT OVF Packet May be Lost if Immediately Preceding a TraceStop
Problem	If an Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) internal buffer overflow occurs immediately before software executes a taken branch or event that enters an Intel PT TraceStop region, the Overflow (OVF) packet may be lost.
Implication	The trace decoder will not see the OVF packet, nor any subsequent packets (Example: TraceStop) that were lost due to overflow.

Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL037	WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG May be Counted as Multiple Instructions
Problem	When software loads a microcode update by writing to MSR IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG (79 H) on multiple logical processors in parallel, a logical processor may, due to this erratum, count the WRMSR instruction as multiple instruction-retired events.
Implication	Performance monitoring with the instruction-retired event may over count by up to four extra events per instance of WRMSR, which targets the IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG register.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL038	Branch Instructions May Initialize MPX Bound Registers Incorrectly
Problem	Depending on the current Intel® MPX (Memory Protection Extensions) configuration, execution of certain branch instructions (near CALL, near RET, near JMP, and Jcc instructions) without a BND prefix (F2H) initialize the MPX bound registers. Due to this erratum, execution of such a branch instruction on a user-mode page may not use the MPX configuration register appropriate to the current privilege level (BNDCFGU for CPL 3 or BNDCFGS otherwise) for determining whether to initialize the bound registers; it may thus initialize the bound registers when it should not, or fail to initialize them when it should.
Implication	After a branch instruction on a user-mode page has executed, a bound-range (#BR) exception may occur when it should not have or a #BR may not occur when one should have.
Workaround	If supervisor software is not expected to execute instructions on user-mode pages, software can avoid this erratum by setting CR4.SMEP[bit 20] to enable supervisor-mode execution prevention (SMEP). If SMEP is not available or if supervisor software is expected to execute instructions on user-mode pages, no workaround is identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL039	Writing a Non-Canonical Value to an LBR MSR Does Not Signal a #GP When Intel® PT is Enabled
Problem	If Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) is enabled, WRMSR will not cause a general-protection exception (#GP) on an attempt to write a non-canonical value to any of the following MSRs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MSR_LASTBRANCH_{0 - 31}_FROM_IP (680H – 69FH) • MSR_LASTBRANCH_{0 - 31}_TO_IP (6C0H – 6DFH) • MSR_LASTBRANCH_FROM_IP (1DBH) • MSR_LASTBRANCH_TO_IP (1DCH) • MSR_LASTINT_FROM_IP (1DDH) • MSR_LASTINT_TO_IP (1DEH) Instead the same behavior will occur as if a canonical value had been written. Specifically, the WRMSR will be dropped and the MSR value will not be changed.
Implication	Due to this erratum, an expected #GP may not be signaled.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL040	Processor May Run Intel® AVX Code Much Slower than Expected
Problem	After a C6 state exit, the execution rate of AVX instructions may be reduced.
Implication	Applications using AVX instructions may run slower than expected.
Workaround	It is possible for the BIOS to contain a workaround
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL041	Intel® PT Buffer Overflow May Result in Incorrect Packets
Problem	Under complex microarchitectural conditions, and Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) Overflow (OVF) packet may be issued after the first byte of a multi-byte Cycle Count (CYC) packet, instead of any remaining bytes of the CYC.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, the splicing of the CYC and OVF packets may prevent the Intel® PT decoder from recognizing the overflow. The Intel® PT decoder may then encounter subsequent packets that are not consistent with expected behavior.
Workaround	None Identified. The decoder may be able to recognize that this erratum has occurred when a two-byte CYC packet is followed by a single byte CYC, where the latter 2 bytes are 0xf302, and where the CYC packets are followed by a Flow Update Packet (FUP) and a Packet Stream Boundary+ (PSB+). It should then treat the two CYC packets as indicating an overflow.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL042	Last Level Cache Performance Monitoring Events May be Inaccurate
Problem	The performance monitoring events LONGEST_LAT_CACHE.REFERENCE (Event 2EH; Umask 4FH) and LONGEST_LAT_CACHE.MISS (Event 2EH; Umask 41H) count requests that reference or miss in the last level cache. However, due to this erratum, the count may be incorrect.
Implication	LONGEST_LAT_CACHE events may be incorrect.
Workaround	None identified. Software may use the following OFFCORE_REQUESTS model-specific sub events that provide related performance monitoring data: DEMAND_DATA_RD, DEMAND_CODE_RD, DEMAND_RFO, ALL_DATA_RD, L3_MISS_DEMAND_DATA_RD, ALL_REQUESTS.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL043	#GP Occurs Rather Than #DB on Code Page Split Inside an Intel® SGX Enclave
Problem	When executing within an Intel® Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX) enclave, a general-protection exception (#GP) may be delivered instead of a debug exception (#DB) when an instruction breakpoint is detected. This occurs when the instruction to be executed spans two pages, the second of which has an entry in the enclave page cache map (EPCM) that is not valid.
Implication	Debugging software may not be invoked when an instruction breakpoint is detected.
Workaround	Software should ensure that all pages containing enclave instructions have valid EPCM entries.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL044	Execution of VAESENCLAST Instruction May Produce a #NM Exception Instead of a #UD Exception
Problem	Execution of VAESENCLAST with VEX.L= 1 should signal a #UD (Invalid Opcode) exception, however, due to the erratum, a #NM (Device Not Available) exception may be signaled.
Implication	As a result of this erratum, an operating system may restore AVX and other state unnecessarily.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL045	Intel® SGX Enclave Accesses to the APIC-Access Page May Cause APIC-Access VM Exits
Problem	In VMX non-root operation, Intel Software Guard Extensions (SGX) enclave accesses to the APIC-access page may cause APIC-access VM exits instead of page faults.
Implication	A Virtual-Machine Monitor (VMM) may receive a VM exit due to an access that should have caused a page fault, which would be handled by the guest operating system (OS).
Workaround	A VMM avoids this erratum if it does not map any part of the Enclave Page Cache (EPC) to the guest's APIC-access address; an operating system avoids this erratum if it does not attempt indirect enclave accesses to the APIC.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL046	CR3 Filtering Does Not Compare Bits [11:5] of CR3 and IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH in PAE Paging Mode
Problem	In PAE paging mode, the CR3[11:5] is used to locate the page-directory-pointer table. Due to this erratum, those bits of CR3 are not compared to IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH (MSR 572H) when IA32_RTIT_CTL.CR3Filter (MSR 570H, bit 7) is set.
Implication	If multiple page-directory-pointer tables are co-located within a 4 KB region, CR3 filtering will not be able to distinguish between them so additional processes may be traced.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL047	x87 FDP Value May be Saved Incorrectly
Problem	Execution of the FSAVE, FNSAVE, FSTENV, or FNSTENV instructions in real-address mode or virtual-8086 mode may save an incorrect value for the x87 FPU data pointer (FDP). This erratum does not apply if the last non-control x87 instruction had an unmasked exception.
Implication	Software operating in real-address mode or virtual-8086 mode that depends on the FDP value for non-control x87 instructions without unmasked exceptions may not operate properly.
Workaround	None identified. Software should use the FDP value saved by the listed instructions only when the most recent non-control x87 instruction incurred an unmasked exception.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL048	PECI Frequency Limited to 1 MHz
Problem	The Platform Environmental Control Interface (PECI) 3.1 specification operating frequency range is 0.2 MHz to 2 MHz. Due to this erratum, PECI may be unreliable when operated above 1 MHz.
Implication	Platforms attempting to run PECI above 1 MHz may not behave as expected.
Workaround	None identified. Platforms should limit PECI operating frequency to 1 MHz.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL049	Processor Graphics IOMMU Unit May Not Mask DMA Remapping Faults
Problem	Intel® Virtualization Technology for Directed I/O specification specifies setting the Fault Processing Disable (FPD) field in the context (or extended context) entry of IOMMU to mask recording of qualified DMA remapping faults for DMA requests processed through that context entry. Due to this erratum, the IOMMU unit for Processor Graphics device may record DMA remapping faults from Processor Graphics device (Bus: 0; Device: 2; Function: 0) even when the FPD field is set to 1.
Implication	Software may continue to observe DMA remapping faults recorded in the IOMMU Fault Recording Register even after setting the FPD field.
Workaround	None identified. Software may mask the fault reporting event by setting the Interrupt Mask (IM) field in the IOMMU Fault Event Control register (Offset 038 H in GFXVTBAR).
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL050	Intel® PT CYCThresh Value of 13 is Not Supported
Problem	Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) Cycle Count (CYC) threshold is configured through CYCThresh field in bits [22:19] of IA32_RTIT_CTL MSR (570H). A value of 13 is advertised as supported by CPUID (leaf 14H, sub-lead 1H). Due to this erratum, if CYCThresh is set to 13 then the CYC threshold will be 0 cycles instead of 4096 (2 ¹³ -1) cycles.
Implication	CYC packets may be issued in higher rate than expected, if threshold value of 13 is used.
Workaround	None identified. Software should not use value of 13 for CYC threshold.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL051	Enabling VMX-Preemption Timer Blocks HDC Operation
Problem	Hardware Duty Cycling (HDC) will not put the physical package into the forced idle state while any logical processor is in VMX non-root operation and the "activate VMX-preemption timer" VM-execution control is 1.
Implication	HDC will not provide the desired power reduction when the VMX-preemption timer is active in VMX non-root operation.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL052	Integrated Audio Codec May Not be Detected
Problem	Integrated Audio Codec may lose power when Low-Power Single Pipe (LPSP) mode is enabled for an embedded DisplayPort (eDP*) or DP/HDMI ports. Platforms with Intel® Smart Sound Technology (Intel® SST) enabled are not affected.

Implication	The Audio Bus driver may attempt to do enumeration of Codecs when eDP or DP/HDMI port enters LPSP mode, due to this erratum, the Integrated Audio Codec will not be detected, and audio maybe be lost.
Workaround	Intel® Graphics Driver 15.40.11.4312 or later will prevent the Integrated Audio Codec from losing power when LPSP mode is enabled.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL053	Display Flickering May be Observed with Specific eDP Panels
Problem	The processor may incorrectly configure transmitter buffer characteristics if the associated eDP panel requests VESA equalization preset 3, 5, 6, or 8.
Implication	Display flickering or display loss maybe observed.
Workaround	Intel® Graphics Driver version 15.40.12.4326 or later contains a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL054	Incorrect Branch Predicted Bit in BTS/BTM Branch Records
Problem	Branch Trace Store (BTS) and Branch Trace Message (BTM) send branch records to the Debug Store management area and system bus respectively. The Branch Predicted bit (bit 4 of eighth byte in BTS/BTM records) should report whether the most recent branch was predicted correctly. Due to this erratum, the Branch Predicted bit may be incorrect.
Implication	BTS and BTM cannot be used to determine the accuracy of branch prediction.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL055	MACHINE_CLEAR.MEMORY_ORDERING Performance Monitoring Event May Undercount
Problem	The performance monitoring event MACHINE_CLEAR.MEMORY_ORDERING (Event C3H; Umask 02H) counts the number of machine clears caused by memory ordering conflicts. However due to this erratum, this event may undercount for VGATHER*/VPGATHER* instructions of four or more elements.
Implication	MACHINE_CLEAR.MEMORY_ORDERING performance monitoring event may undercount.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL056	CTR_FRZ May Not Freeze Some Counters
Problem	IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS.CTR_FRZ (MSR 38EH, bit 59) is set when either (1) IA32_DEBUGCTL.FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI (MSR 1D9H, bit 12) is set and a PMI is triggered, or (2) software sets bit 59 of IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_SET (MSR 391H). When set, CTR_FRZ should stop all core performance monitoring counters from counting. However, due to this erratum, IA32_PMC4-7 (MSR C5-C8H) may not stop counting. IA32_PMC4-7 are only available when a processor core is not shared by two logical processors.
Implication	General performance monitoring counters 4-7 may not freeze when IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS.CTR_FRZ is set.

Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL057	Instructions and Branches Retired Performance Monitoring Events May Overcount
Problem	<p>The performance monitoring events INST_RETIRE (Event C0H; any Umask value) and BR_INST_RETIRE (Event C4H; any Umask value) count instructions retired and branches retired, respectively. However, due to this erratum, these events may overcount in certain conditions when:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executing VMASKMOV* instructions with at least one masked vector element • Executing REP MOVS or REP STOS with Fast Strings enabled (IA32_MISC_ENABLE MSR (1A0H), bit 0 set) • An MPX #BR exception occurred on BNDLX/BNDSTX instructions and the BR_INST_RETIRE (Event C4H; Umask is 00H or 04H) is used.
Implication	INST_RETIRE and BR_INST_RETIRE performance monitoring events may overcount.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL058	Some OFFCORE_RESPONSE Performance Monitoring Events May Overcount
Problem	<p>The performance monitoring events OFFCORE_RESPONSE (Events B7H and BBH) should count off-core responses matching the request-response configuration specified in MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_0 and MSR_OFFCORE_RSP_1 (1A6H and 1A7H, respectively) for core-originated requests. However, due to this erratum, DMND_RFO (bit 1), DMND_IFETCH (bit 2) and OTHER (bit 15) request types may overcount.</p>
Implication	Some OFFCORE_RESPONSE events may overcount.
Workaround	None identified. Software may use the following model-specific events that provide related performance monitoring data: OFFCORE_REQUESTS (all sub-events), L2_TRANS.L2_WB and L2_RQSTS.PF_MISS.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL059	Instructions Fetch #GP After RSM During Inter® PT May Push Incorrect RFLAGS Value on Stack
Problem	<p>If Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) is enabled, a General Protection Fault (#GP) caused by the instruction fetch immediately following execution of an RSM instruction may push an incorrect value for RFLAGS onto the stack.</p>
Implication	Software that relies on RFLAGS value pushed on the stack under the conditions described may not work properly.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL060	Access to SGX EPC Page in BLOCKED State is Not Reported as an SGX-Induced Page Fault
Problem	<p>If a page fault results from attempting to access a page in the Intel® Software Guard Extensions (SGX) Enclave Page Cache (EPC) that is in the BLOCKED state, the processor does not set bit 15 of the error code and thus fails to indicate that the page fault was SGX-induced.</p>

Implication	Due to this erratum, software may not recognize these page faults as being SGX-induced.
Workaround	Before using the EBLOCK instruction to mark a page as BLOCKED, software should use paging to mark the page not present.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL061	MTF VM Exit on XBEGIN Instruction May Save State Incorrectly
Problem	Execution of an XBEGIN instruction while the monitor trap flag VM-execution control is 1 will be immediately followed by an MTF VM exit. If advanced debugging of RTM transactional regions has been enabled, the VM exit will erroneously save as instruction pointer the address of the XBEGIN instruction instead of the fallback instruction address specified by the XBEGIN instruction. In addition, it will erroneously set bit 16 of the pending-debug-exceptions field in the VMCS indicating that a debug exception or a breakpoint exception occurred.
Implication	Software using the monitor trap flag to debug or trace transactional regions may not operate properly. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	None identified
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL062	Performance Monitoring Counters May Undercount When Using CPL Filtering
Problem	Performance Monitoring counters configured to count only OS or only USR events by setting exactly one of bits 16 or 17 in IA32_PERFEVTSELx MSRs (186H-18DH) may not count for a brief period during the transition to a new CPL.
Implication	A measurement of ring transitions (using the edge-detect bit 18 in IA32_PERFEVTSELx) may undercount, such as CPL_CYCLES.RING0_TRANS (Event 5CH, Umask 01H). Additionally, the sum of an OS-only event and a USR-only event may not exactly equal an event counting both OS and USR. Intel has not observed any other software-visible impact
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL063	Certain Non-Canonical IA32_BNDCFGS Values will Not Cause VM-Entry Failures
Problem	If the VM-entry controls Load IA32_BNDCFGS field (bit 16) is 1, VM-entry should fail when the value of the guest IA32_BNDCFGS field in the VMCS is not canonical (that is, when bits 63:47 are not identical). Due to this erratum, VM-entry does not fail if bits 63:48 are identical but differ from bit 47. In this case, VM-entry loads the IA32_BNDCFGS MSR with a value in which bits 63:48 is identical to the value of bit 47 in the VMCS field.
Implication	If the value of the guest IA32_BNDCFGS field in the VMCS is not canonical, VM-entry may load the IA32_BNDCFGS MSR with a value different from that of the VMCS field.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL064	PEBS EventingIP Field May be Incorrect Under Certain Conditions
Problem	The EventingIP field in the Processor Event-Based Sampling (PEBS) record reports the address of the instruction that triggered the PEBS event. Under certain complex microarchitectural conditions, the EventingIP field may be incorrect.

Implication	When this erratum occurs, performance monitoring software may not attribute the PEBS events to the correct instruction.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL065	HWP's Guaranteed_Performance Updated Only on Configurable TDP Changes
Problem	According to HWP (Hardware P-states) specification, the Guaranteed_Performance field (bits[15:8]) in the IA32_HWP_CAPABILITIES MSR (771H) should be updated as a result of changes in the configuration of TDP, Running Average Power Limit (RAPL), and other platform tuning options that may have dynamic effects on the actual guaranteed performance support level. Due to this erratum, the processor will update the Guaranteed_Performance field only as a result of configurable TDP dynamic changes.
Implication	Software may read a stale value of the Guaranteed_Performance field.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL066	RF May be Incorrectly Set in The EFLAGS that is Saved on a Fault in PEBS or BTS
Problem	After a fault due to a failed Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS) or Branch Trace Store (BTS) address translation, the Resume Flag (RF) may be incorrectly set in the EFLAGS image that is saved.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, a code breakpoint on the instruction following the return from handling the fault will not be detected. This erratum only happens when the user does not prevent faults on PEBS or BTS.
Workaround	Software should always prevent faults on PEBS or BTS.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL067	Intel® PT ToPA PMI Does Not Freeze Performance Monitoring Counters
Problem	Due to this erratum, if IA32_DEBUGCTL.FREEZE_PERFMON_ON_PMI (MSR 1D9H, bit 12) is set to 1 when Intel Processor Trace (PT) triggers a Table of Physical Addresses (ToPA) PerfMon Interrupt (PMI), performance monitoring counters are not frozen as expected.
Implication	Performance monitoring counters will continue to count for events that occur during PMI handler execution.
Workaround	PMI handler software can programmatically stop performance monitoring counters upon entry.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL068	HWP's Maximum_Performance Value is Reset to 0xFF
Problem	According to HWP (Hardware P-states) specification, the reset value of the Maximum_Performance field (bits [15:8]) in IA32_HWP_REQUEST MSR (774h) should be set to the value of IA32_HWP_CAPABILITIES MSR (771H) Highest_Performance field (bits[7:0]) after reset. Due to this erratum, the reset value of Maximum_Performance is always set to 0xFF.
Implication	Software may see an unexpected value in Maximum Performance field. Hardware clipping will prevent invalid performance states.

Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL069	HWP's Guaranteed_Performance and Relevant Status/Interrupt May be Updated More than Once Per Second
Problem	According to HWP (Hardware P-states) specification, the Guaranteed_Performance field (bits[15:8]) in the IA32_HWP_CAPABILITIES MSR (771H) and the Guaranteed_Performance_Change (bit 0) bit in IA32_HWP_STATUS MSR (777H) should not be changed more than once per second nor should the thermal interrupt associated with the change to these fields be signaled more than once per second. Due to this erratum, the processor may change these fields and generate the associated interrupt more than once per second
Implication	HWP interrupt rate due to Guaranteed_Performance field change can be higher than specified
Workaround	Clearing the Guaranteed_Performance_Change status bit no more than once per second will ensure that interrupts are not generated at too fast a rate
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL070	Some Memory Performance Monitoring Events May Produce Incorrect Results When Filtering on Either OS or USR Modes
Problem	<p>The memory at-retirement performance monitoring events (listed below) may produce incorrect results when a performance counter is configured in OS-only or USR-only modes (bits 17 or 16 in IA32_PERFEVTSELx MSR). Counters with both OS and USR bits set are not affected by this erratum.</p> <p>The list of affected memory at-retirement events is as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MEM_INST_RETIRE.D.STLB_MISS_LOADS event D0H, umask 11H • MEM_INST_RETIRE.D.STLB_MISS_STORES event D0H, umask 12H • MEM_INST_RETIRE.D.LOCK_LOADS event D0H, umask 21H • MEM_INST_RETIRE.D.SPLIT_LOADS event D0H, umask 41H • MEM_INST_RETIRE.D.SPLIT_STORES event D0H, umask 42H • MEM_LOAD_RETIRE.D.L2_HIT event D1H, umask 02H • MEM_LOAD_RETIRE.D.L3_HIT event D1H, umask 04H • MEM_LOAD_RETIRE.D.L4_HIT event D1H, umask 80H • MEM_LOAD_RETIRE.D.L1_MISS event D1H, umask 08H • MEM_LOAD_RETIRE.D.L2_MISS event D1H, umask 10H • MEM_LOAD_RETIRE.D.L3_MISS event D1H, umask 20H • MEM_LOAD_RETIRE.D.FB_HIT event D1H, umask 40H • MEM_LOAD_L3_HIT_RETIRE.D.XSNP_MISS event D2H, umask 01H • MEM_LOAD_L3_HIT_RETIRE.D.XSNP_HIT event D2H, umask 02H • MEM_LOAD_L3_HIT_RETIRE.D.XSNP_HITM event D2H, umask 04H • MEM_LOAD_L3_HIT_RETIRE.D.XSNP_NONE event D2H, umask 08H
Implication	The listed performance monitoring events may produce incorrect results including PEBS records generated at an incorrect point
Workaround	None identified
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL071	HWP May Generate Thermal Interrupt While Not Enabled
Problem	Due to this erratum, the conditions for HWP (Hardware P-states) to generate a thermal interrupt on a logical processor may generate thermal interrupts on both logical processors of that core.
Implication	If two logical processors of a core have different configurations of HWP (Example: only enabled on one), an unexpected thermal interrupt may occur on one logical processor due to the HWP settings of the other logical processor.
Workaround	Software should configure HWP consistently on all logical processors of a core.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL072	Camera Device Does Not Issue an MSI When INTx is Enabled
Problem	When both Message Signaled Interrupts (MSI) and legacy INTx are enabled by the camera device, INTx is asserted rather than issuing the MSI, in violation of the PCI Local Bus Specification.
Implication	Due to this erratum, camera device interrupts can be lost leading to device failure.
Workaround	The camera device must disable legacy INTx by setting bit 10 of PCICMD (Bus 0; Device 5; Function 0; Offset 04H) before MSI is enabled
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL073	BNDLDX And BNDSTX May Not Signal #GP on Non-Canonical Bound Directory Access
Problem	BNDLDX and BNDSTX instructions access the bound's directory and table to load or store bounds. These accesses should signal #GP (general protection exception) when the address is not canonical (i.e. bits 48 to 63 are not the sign extension of bit 47). Due to this erratum, #GP may not be generated by the processor when a non-canonical address is used by BNDLDX or BNDSTX for their bound directory memory access.
Implication	Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	Software should use canonical addresses for bound directory accesses.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL074	RING_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS May be Incorrect
Problem	Under certain conditions, RING_PERF_LIMIT_REASONS (MSR 6B1H) may incorrectly assert the OTHER status bit (bit 8) as well as the OTHER log bit (bit 24).
Implication	When this erratum occurs, software using this register will incorrectly report clipping because of the OTHER reason.
Workaround	It is possible for the BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL075	Performance Monitoring Load Latency Events May be Inaccurate for Gather Instructions
Problem	The performance monitoring events MEM_TRANS_RETIRED.LOAD_LATENCY_* (Event CDH; UMask 01H; any latency) count load instructions whose latency exceed a predefined threshold, where the loads are randomly selected using the load latency facility (an extension of PEBS). However due to this erratum, these events may count incorrectly for VGATHER*/VPGATHER* instructions.
Implication	The Load Latency Performance Monitoring events may be Inaccurate for Gather instructions.
Workaround	None identified
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL076	Some Bits in MSR_MISC_PWR_MGMT May be Updated on Writing Illegal Values to this MSR
Problem	Attempts to write illegal values to MSR_MISC_PWR_MGMT (MSR 0x1AA) result in #GP (General Protection Fault) and should not change the MSR value. Due to this erratum, some bits in the MSR may be updated on writing an illegal value.
Implication	Certain fields may be updated with allowed values when writing illegal values to MSR_MISC_PWR_MGMT. Such writes will always result in #GP as expected.
Workaround	None identified. Software should not attempt to write illegal values to this MSR.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL077	Violations of Intel® Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX) Access-Control Requirements Produce #GP Instead of #PF
Problem	Intel® Software Guard Extensions (Intel® SGX) define new access-control requirements on memory accesses. A violation of any of these requirements causes a page fault (#PF) that sets bit 15 (SGX) in the page-fault error code. Due to this erratum, these violations instead cause general-protection exceptions (#GP).
Implication	Software resuming from system sleep states S3 or S4 and relying on receiving a page fault from the above enclave accesses may not operate properly.
Workaround	Software can monitor #GP faults to detect that an enclave has been destroyed and needs to be rebuilt after resuming from S3 or S4
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL078	IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH MSR Bits[11:5] Are Treated as Reserved
Problem	Due to this erratum, bits[11:5] in IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH (MSR 572H) are reserved; an MSR write that attempts to set that field to a non-zero value will result in a #GP fault.
Implication	The inability to write the identified bit field does not affect the functioning of Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) operation because, as described in erratum SKL061, the bit field that is the subject of this erratum is not used during Intel PT CR3 filtering.
Workaround	Ensure that bits 11:5 of the value written to IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH are zero, including cases where the selected page-directory-pointer-table base address has non-zero bits in this range.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL079	The Intel® PT CR3 Filter is Not Re-evaluated on VM Entry
Problem	On a VMRESUME or VMLAUNCH with both TraceEn[0] and CR3Filter[7] in IA32_RTIT_CTL (MSR 0570H) set to 1 both before the VM Entry and after, the new value of CR3 is not compared with IA32_RTIT_CR3_MATCH (MSR 0572H).
Implication	The Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) CR3 filtering mechanism may continue to generate packets despite a mismatching CR3 value, or may fail to generate packets despite a matching CR3, as a result of an incorrect value of IA32_RTIT_STATUS.ContextEn[1] (MSR 0571H) that results from the failure to re-evaluate the CR3 match on VM entry.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL080	Display Slowness May be Observed Under Certain Display Commands Scenario
Problem	Back to back access to the VGA register ports (I/O addresses 0x3C2, 0x3CE, 0x3CF) will experience higher than expected latency.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the processor may redraw the slowly when in VGA mode.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL081	CPUID TLB Associativity Information is Inaccurate
Problem	CPUID leaf 2 (EAX=02H) TLB information inaccurately reports that the shared 2nd-Level TLB is 6-way set associative (value C3H), although it is 12-way set associative. Other information reported by CPUID leaf 2 is accurate.
Implication	Software that uses CPUID shared 2nd-level TLB associativity information for value C3H may operate incorrectly. Intel has not observed this erratum to impact the operation of any commercially available software
Workaround	None identified. Software should ignore the shared 2 nd -Level TLB associativity information reported by CPUID for the affected processors.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL082	Unpredictable System Behavior May Occur in DDR4 Multi-Rank System
Problem	Due to incorrect configuration of DDR4 ODT by BIOS, it is possible for a multi-rank system to violate section 4.27 of the DDR4 JEDEC specification revision JESED79-4A.
Implication	Due to this erratum, complex microarchitectural conditions may result in unpredictable system behavior.
Workaround	A BIOS workaround has been identified. Refer to Silicon Initialization version 2.1.0 or later and release notes.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL083	Processor May Hang on Complex Sequence of Conditions
Problem	A complex set of architectural and micro-architectural conditions may lead to a processor hang with an internal timeout error (MCACOD 0400H) logged into IA32_MCi_STATUS. When both logical processors in a core are active, this erratum will not occur unless there is no store on one of the logical processors for more than 10 seconds.

Implication	This erratum may result in a processor hang. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	None Identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL084	Potential Partial Trace Data Loss in Intel® Trace Hub ODLA When Storing to Memory
Problem	When Intel® Trace Hub’s On-Die Logic Analyzer (ODLA) is configured to trace to memory, under complex microarchitectural conditions, the trace may lose a timestamp.
Implication	Some ODLA trace data may be lost. This erratum does not affect other trace data sources. Typically, lost trace data will be displayed as “OVERFLOW.” Subsequent timestamps will allow the trace decoder to resume tracing. Intel has not observed this erratum in commercially available software.
Workaround	None identified. For a particular workload, changing the memory buffer size or disabling deep compression may eliminate the microarchitectural condition that causes the erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL085	Display Artifacts May be Seen with High Bandwidth, Multiple Display Configurations
Problem	With high bandwidth, multiple display configurations, display engine underruns may occur.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the display engine may generate display artifacts.
Workaround	This erratum can be worked around by Intel® Graphics Driver revisions of 15.46.4.64.4749 or later.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL086	Spurious Corrected Errors May be Reported
Problem	Due to this erratum, spurious corrected errors may be logged in the IA32_MC0_STATUS MSR (401H) register with the valid field (bit 63) set, the uncorrected error field bit (bit 61) not set, a Model Specific Error Code (bits [31:16]) of 0x0001, and an MCA Error Code (bits [15:0]) of 0x0005. If CMCI is enabled, these spurious corrected errors also signal interrupts.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, software may see an unusually high rate of reported corrected errors. As it is not possible to distinguish between spurious and non-spurious errors, this erratum may interfere with reporting non-spurious corrected errors.
Workaround	None Identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL087	Masked Bytes in a Vector Masked Store Instructions May Cause Write Back of a Cache Line
Problem	Vector masked store instructions to WB (write-back) memory-type that cross cache lines may lead to CPU writing back cached data even for cache lines where all of the bytes are masked.
Implication	The processor may generate writes of un-modified data. This can affect Memory Mapped IO (MMIO) or non-coherent agents in the following ways:

	<p>1. For MMIO range that is mapped as WB memory type, this erratum may lead to Machine Check Exception (MCE) due to writing back data into the MMIO space. This applies only to cross page vector masked stores where one of the pages is in MMIO range.</p> <p>2. If the CPU cached data is stale, for example in the case of memory written directly by a non-coherent agent (agent that uses non-coherent writes), this erratum may lead to writing back stale cached data even if these bytes are masked.</p>
Workaround	Platforms should not map MMIO memory space or non-coherent device memory space as WB memory. If WB is used for MMIO range, software or VMM should not map such MMIO page adjacent to a regular WB page (adjacent on the linear address space, before or after the IO page). Memory that may be written by non-coherent agents should be separated by at least 64 bytes from regular memory used for other purposes (on the linear address space).
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL088	MOVNTDQA From WC Memory May Pass Earlier MFENCE instructions
Problem	An execution of (V)MOVNTDQA (streaming load instruction) that loads from write combining (WC) memory may appear to pass an earlier MFENCE instruction.
Implication	Serialization of the (V)MOVNTDQA with earlier MFENCE may not be enforced.
Workaround	It is possible for the BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL089	MOVNTDQA From WC Memory May Pass Earlier Locked Instructions
Problem	An execution of (V)MOVNTDQA (streaming load instruction) that loads from write combining (WC) memory may appear to pass an earlier locked instruction to a different cache line
Implication	Software that expects a lock to fence subsequent (V)MOVNTDQA instructions may not operate properly.
Workaround	Software should not rely on a locked instruction to fence subsequent executions of MOVNTDQA. Software should insert an MFENCE instruction if it needs to preserve order between streaming loads and other memory operations.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL090	PEBS Record After a WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG May be Incorrect
Problem	A PEBS record generated by a WRMSR to IA32_BIOS_UPDT_TRIG MSR (79H) may have an incorrect value in the Eventing EIP field if an instruction prefix was used on the WRMSR.
Implication	The Eventing EIP field of the generated PEBS record may be incorrect. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	Instruction prefixes have no architecturally defined function for the WRMSR instruction; instruction prefixes should not be used with the WRMSR instruction.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL091	Processor May Incorrectly Assert PROCHOT During PkgC10
Problem	If the PROCHOT# pin is configured as an output-only signal, PROCHOT# may incorrectly be asserted during PkgC10.

Implication	When this erratum occurs, PROCHOT# may be incorrectly asserted. This can lead to the system fan unnecessarily turning on during PkgC10 or other unexpected platform behaviors.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL092	eDP 1.4 Ports with Link Rate 2.16 or 4.32 GHz May Not Resume from Low Power Graphics or System States.
Problem	When the Embedded Display Port is operating with link rates 2.16 GHz or 4.32 GHz, the port may not resume from DC5, DC6 display low power states or S3, S4, or S5 system states. This erratum only affects systems with eDP 1.4-compliant display panels.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the system may hang when resuming from system idle or S3/4/5 states.
Workaround	The graphics device driver can contain a workaround for this erratum; Intel Graphics Driver revisions 15.49 PR1 or later contains this workaround.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL093	Writing Non-Zero Values to Read Only Fields in IA32_THERM_STATUS MSR May #GP
Problem	IA32_THERM_STATUS MSR (19CH) includes read-only (RO) fields as well as writable fields. Writing a non-zero value to any of the read-only fields may cause a #GP.
Implication	Due to this erratum, software that reads the IA32_THERM_STATUS MSR, modifies some of the writable fields, and attempts to write the MSR back may #GP.
Workaround	Software should clear all read-only fields before writing to this MSR.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL094	Precise Performance Monitoring May Generate Redundant PEBS Records
Problem	Processor Event Based Sampling (PEBS) may generate redundant records for a counter overflow when used to profile cycles. This may occur when a precise performance monitoring event is configured on a general counter while setting the Invert and Counter Mask fields in IA32_PERFEVTSELx MSRs (186H - 18DH), and the counter is reloaded with a value smaller than 1000 (through the PEBS-counter-reset field of the DS Buffer Management Area).
Implication	PEBS may generate multiple redundant records, when used to profile cycles in certain conditions.
Workaround	It is recommended for software to forbid the use of the Invert bit in IA32_PERFEVTSELx MSRs or restrict PEBS-counter-reset value to a value of at least 1000
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL095	Load Latency Performance Monitoring Facility May Stop Counting
Problem	The performance monitoring events MEM_TRANS_RETIRED.LOAD_LATENCY_* (Event CDH; UMask 01H; any latency) count load instructions whose latency exceed a predefined threshold, where the loads are randomly selected using the Load Latency facility (PEBS extension). However due to this erratum, load latency facility may stop counting load instructions when Intel® HyperThreading Technology is enabled.

Implication	Counters programmed with the affected events stop incrementing and do not generate PEBS records.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL096	SGX ENCLS[EINIT] May Not Signal an Error for an Incorrectly Formatted SIGSTRUCT Input
Problem	The ENCLS[EINIT] instruction leaf may not signal an error on a specific combination of SIGSTRUCT values even though the signature does not fully comply with RSA signature specifications.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, ENCLS[EINIT] instruction leaf may pass the checks although the SIGSTRUCT signature doesn't fully comply with RSA signature specifications. This erratum does not compromise the security of SGX and does not impact normal usage of SGX.
Workaround	None identified. Software is not expected to be impacted by this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL097	Branch Instruction Address May be Incorrectly Reported on TSX Abort When Using MPX
Problem	When using Intel® Memory Protection Extensions (Intel® MPX), an Intel® Transactional Synchronization Extensions (Intel® TSX) transaction abort will occur in case of legacy branch (that causes bounds registers INIT) when at least one MPX bounds register was in a NON-INIT state. On such an abort, the branch Instruction address should be reported in the FROM_IP field in the Last Branch Records (LBR), Branch Trace Store (BTS) and Branch Trace Message (BTM) as well as in the Flow Update Packets (FUP) source IP address for Processor Trace (PT). Due to this erratum, the FROM_IP field in LBR/BTS/BTM, as well as the Flow Update Packets (FUP) source IP address that correspond to the TSX abort, may point to the preceding instruction.
Implication	Software that relies on the accuracy of the FROM_IP field/FUP source IP address and uses TSX may operate incorrectly when MPX is used.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL098	Setting Performance Monitoring IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_SET MSR Bit 63 May Not #GP
Problem	Bit 63 of IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_SET MSR (391H) is reserved. Due to this erratum, setting the bit will not result in General Protection Fault (#GP).
Implication	Software that attempts to set bit 63 of IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS_SET MSR does not generate #GP. There are no other system implications to this behavior.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL099	Hitting a Code Breakpoint Inside a SGX Debug Enclave May Cause the Processor to Hang
Problem	Under complex microarchitecture conditions, the processor may hang when hitting code breakpoint inside an Intel® Software Guard Extensions (SGX) debug enclave. This may happen only after opt-out entry into a SGX debug enclave and when the execution would set the accessed bit (A-bit) in any level of the paging or Extended Page Table (EPT) structures used to map the code page, and when both logical processors on the same physical core are active.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the processor may hang while debugging an SGX debug enclave.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL100	Performance Monitoring ASCII Status Bit May be Inaccurate
Problem	The Anti Side-Channel Interference (ASCI) field in IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS (MSR 38EH, bit 60) should be set when the count in any of the configured performance counters (i.e. IA32_PMCx or IA32_FIXED_CTRx) was altered due to direct or indirect operation of Intel® SGX. Due to this erratum, the ASCII bit may not be set properly when IA32_FIXED_CTR0 is used.
Implication	Software that relies on the value of the ASCII bit in IA32_PERF_GLOBAL_STATUS for its operation may not operate correctly when IA32_FIXED_CTR0 is used.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL101	Processor May Hang When Executing Code in an HLE Transaction Region
Problem	Under certain conditions, if the processor acquires an Hardware Lock Elision (HLE) lock via the XACQUIRE instruction in the Host Physical Address range between 40000000H and 403FFFFFFH, it may hang with an internal timeout error (MCACOD 0400H) logged into IA32_MCI_STATUS.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the processor may hang after acquiring a lock via XACQUIRE.
Workaround	BIOS can reserve the host physical address ranges of 40000000H and 403FFFFFFH (Example: map it as UC/MMIO). Alternatively, the Virtual Machine Monitor (VMM) can reserve that address range so no guest can use it. In non-virtualized systems, the OS can reserve that memory space.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL102	Intel® PT CYC Packets Can be Dropped When Immediately Preceding PSB
Problem	Due to a rare microarchitectural condition, generation of an Intel® Processor Trace (PT) Packet Stream Boundary (PSB) packet can cause a single Cycle Count (CYC) packet, possibly along with an associated Mini Time Counter (MTC) packet, to be dropped.
Implication	An Intel® PT decoder that is using CYCs to track time or frequency will get an improper value due to the lost CYC packet.
Workaround	If an Intel® PT decoder is using CYCs and MTCs to track frequency, and either the first MTC following a PSB shows that an MTC was dropped, or the CYC value appears to be 4095 cycles short of what is expected, the CYC value associated with that MTC should not be used. The decoder should wait for the next MTC before measuring frequency again.

Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .
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WHL103	Intel® PT VM-entry Indication Depends on the Incorrect VMCS Control Field
Problem	An Intel® Processor Trace Paging Information Packet (PIP), which includes indication of entry into non-root operation, will be generated on VM-entry as long as the "Conceal VMX in Intel® PT" field (bit 19) in Secondary Execution Control register (IA32_VMX_PROCBASED_CTL2, MSR 048BH) is clear. This diverges from expected behavior, since this PIP should instead be generated only with a zero value of the "Conceal VMX entries from Intel® PT" field (Bit 17) in the Entry Control register (IA32_VMX_ENTRY_CTL2 MSR 0484H).
Implication	An Intel® PT trace may incorrectly expose entry to non-root operation.
Workaround	A virtual machine monitor (VMM) should always set both the "Conceal VMX entries from Intel® PT" field in the Entry Control register and the "Conceal VMX in Intel® PT" in the Secondary Execution Control register to the same value.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL104	Performance Monitor Event for Outstanding Offcore Requests May be Incorrect
Problem	The performance monitor event OFFCORE_REQUESTS_OUTSTANDING (Event 60 H, any Umask Value) should count the number of offcore outstanding transactions each cycle. Due to this erratum, the counts may be higher or lower than expected.
Implication	The performance monitor event OFFCORE_REQUESTS_OUTSTANDING may reflect an incorrect count.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL105	VCVTPS2PH To Memory May Update MXCSR in the Case of a Fault on the Store
Problem	Execution of the VCVTPS2PH instruction with a memory destination may update the MXCSR exceptions flags (bits [5:0]) if the store to memory causes a fault (Example: #PF) or VM exit. The value written to the MXCSR exceptions flags is what would have been written if there were no fault.
Implication	Software may see exceptions flags set in MXCSR, although the instruction has not successfully completed due to a fault on the memory operation. Intel has not observed this erratum to affect any commercially available software.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL106	Intel® PT May Drop All Packets After an Internal Buffer Overflow
Problem	Due to a rare microarchitectural condition, an Intel® Processor Trace (Intel® PT) Table of Physical Addresses (ToPA) entry transition can cause an internal buffer overflow that may result in all trace packets, including the Overflow (OVF) packet, being dropped.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, all trace data will be lost until either PT is disabled and re-enabled via IA32_RTIT_CTL.TraceEn [bit 0] (MSR 0570H) or the processor enters and exits a C6 or deeper C state.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL107	Intel® PT ToPA Tables Read from Non-Cacheable Memory During an Intel® TSX Transaction May Lead to Processor Hang
Problem	If an Intel® PT (Intel® Processor Trace) ToPA (Table of Physical Addresses) table is placed in UC (Uncacheable) or USWC (Uncacheable Speculative Write Combining) memory, and a ToPA output region is filled during an Intel® TSX (Transaction Synchronization) transaction, the resulting ToPA table read may cause a processor hang.
Implication	Placing Intel® PT ToPA tables in non-cacheable memory when Intel® TSX is in use may lead to a processor hang.
Workaround	None identified. Intel® PT ToPA tables should be located in WB memory if Intel® TSX is in use.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL108	Performing an XACQUIRE to an Intel® PT ToPA Table May Lead to Processor Hang
Problem	If an XACQUIRE lock is performed to the address of an Intel® PT (Intel® Processor Trace) ToPA (Table of Physical Addresses) table, and that table is later read by the CPU during the HLE (Hardware Lock Elision) transaction, the processor may hang.
Implication	Accessing ToPA tables with XACQUIRE may result in a processor hang.
Workaround	None identified. Software should not access ToPA tables using XACQUIRE. An OS or hypervisor may wish to ensure all application or guest writes to ToPA tables to take page faults or EPT violations.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL109	ZMM/YMM Registers May Contain Incorrect Values
Problem	Under complex microarchitectural conditions values stored in ZMM and YMM registers may be incorrect.
Implication	Due to this erratum, YMM and ZMM registers may contain an incorrect corrupted value. Intel® has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	It is possible for BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL110	Data Breakpoint May Not be Detected on a REP MOVBS
Problem	A REP MOVBS instruction that causes an exception or a VM exit may not detect a data breakpoint that occurred on an earlier memory access of that REP MOVBS instruction.
Implication	A debugger may miss a data read/write access if it is done by a REP MOVBS instruction.
Workaround	Software that relies on data breakpoint for correct execution should disable fast strings (bit 0 in IA32_MISC_ENABLE MSR).
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL111	Intel® PT CYC Packet Can be Dropped When Immediately Preceding PSB
Problem	Due to a rare microarchitectural condition, generation of an Intel® PT (Processor Trace) PSB (Packet Stream Boundary) packet can cause a single CYC (Cycle Count) packet, possibly along with an associated MTC (Mini Time Counter) packet, to be dropped.

Implication	An Intel® PT decoder that is using CYCs to track time or frequency will get an improper value due to the lost CYC packet.
Workaround	If an Intel® PT decoder is using CYCs and MTCs to track frequency, and either the first MTC following a PSB shows that an MTC was dropped, or the CYC value appears to be 4095 cycles short of what is expected, the CYC value associated with that MTC should not be used. The decoder should wait for the next MTC before measuring frequency again.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL112	When Virtualization Exceptions are Enabled, EPT Violations May Generate Erroneous Virtualization Exceptions
Problem	An access to a GPA (Guest-Physical Address) may cause an EPT-violation VM exit. When the "EPT-violation #VE" VM-execution control is 1, an EPT violation may cause a #VE (virtualization exception) instead of a VM exit. Due to this erratum, an EPT violation may erroneously cause a #VE when the "suppress #VE" bit is set in the EPT paging-structure entry used to map the GPA being accessed. This erratum does not apply when the "EPT-violation #VE" VM-execution control is 0 or when delivering an event through the IDT. This erratum applies only when the GPA in CR3 is used to access the root of the guest paging-structure hierarchy (or, with PAE paging, when the GPA in a PDPTE is used to access a page directory).
Implication	When using PAE paging mode, an EPT violation that should cause an VMexit in the VMM may instead cause a VE# in the guest. In other paging modes, in addition to delivery of the erroneous #VE, the #VE may itself cause an EPT violation, but this EPT violation will be correctly delivered to the VMM.
Workaround	A VMM may support an interface that guest software can invoke with the VMCALL instruction when it detects an erroneous #VE.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL113	System May Hang with Multiple Pending Posted Writes When Using Direct MMIO Write Access Model
Problem	Under complex conditions, if a device fails to consume at least 8 posted writes within 5us and its device driver uses a Direct MMIO write access software model and Enhanced Intel® SpeedStep® Technology is enabled, the system may hang with an internal timer error machine check with error code IA32_MCI_STATUS[15:0] = 0x0400
Implication	Due to this erratum, the system may hang. Intel has only observed this erratum to occur with a direct MMIO write access model.
Workaround	It is possible for the BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL114	Integrated GbE Controller May Hang During Resume from Sx
Problem	During a resume from Sx state, the integrated GbE controller may hang.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the system may hang. Systems that disable the integrated GbE controller are not affected by this erratum.
Workaround	Systems that implement integrated GbE should: Disable LVM: The mechanism for disabling LVM is specific to system design but should be disabled either via EC or hardware change. Disabling LVM may increase the S0i3 power floor.

	Configure the following BIOS policies in reference code: Set SlpS0WithGbeSupport of PCH_PM_CONFIG policy to TRUE Configure SlpS0VmRuntimeControl,SlpS0Vm070VSupport, and SlpS0Vm075V Support of PCH_PM_CONFIG policies to FALSE
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL115	Using Intel® TSX Instructions May Lead to Unpredictable System Behavior
Problem	Under complex microarchitectural conditions, software using Intel® TSX (Transactional Synchronization Extensions) may result in unpredictable system behavior. Intel has only seen this under synthetic testing conditions. Intel is not aware of any commercially available software exhibiting this behavior.
Implication	Due to this erratum, unpredictable system behavior may occur.
Workaround	It is possible for BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum. Please see the Intel® White Paper "Performance Monitoring Impact of TSX Memory Ordering Issue" Doc ID#604224 or contact your Intel® Representative for more information.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL116	Intel® PT Trace May Drop Second Byte of CYC Packet
Problem	Due to a rare microarchitectural condition, the second byte of a 2-byte CYC (Cycle Count) packet may be dropped without an OVF (Overflow) packet.
Implication	A trace decoder may signal a decode error due to the lost trace byte.
Workaround	None identified. A mitigation is available for this erratum. If a decoder encounters a multi-byte CYC packet where the second byte has bit 0 (Ext) set to 1, it should assume that 4095 cycles have passed since the prior CYC packet, and it should ignore the first byte of the CYC and treat the second byte as the start of a new packet.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL117	Unexpected Uncorrected Machine Check Errors May be Reported
Problem	In rare micro-architectural conditions, the processor may report unexpected machine check errors. When this erratum occurs, IA32_MC0_STATUS (MSR 401H) will have the valid bit set (bit 63), the uncorrected error bit set (bit 61), a model specific error code of 03H (bits [31:16]) and an MCA error code of 05H (bits [15:0]).
Implication	Due to this erratum, software may observe unexpected machine check exceptions.
Workaround	None Identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL118	Intel® PT PSB+ Packets May be Omitted on a C6 Transition
Problem	An Intel® PT (Intel® Processor Trace) PSB+ (Packet Stream Boundary+) set of packets may not be generated as expected when IA32_RTIT_STATUS.PacketByteCnt[48:32] (MSR 0x571) reaches the PSB threshold and a logical processor C6 entry occurs within the following one KByte of trace output.
Implication	After a logical processor enters C6, Intel® PT output may be missing PSB+ sets of packets.
Workaround	None Identified.

Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .
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WHL119	Intel® PT PacketEn Change on C-state Wake May Not Generate a TIP Packet
Problem	A TIP.PGE (Target IP, Packet Generation Enabled) or TIP.PGD (Target IP, Packet Generation Disabled) packet may not be generated if Intel® PT (Intel® Processor Trace) PacketEn changes after IA32_RTIT_STATUS.FilterEn (MSR 571H, bit 0) is re-evaluated on wakeup from C6 or deeper sleep state.
Implication	When code enters or exits an IP filter region without a taken branch, tracing may begin or cease without proper indication in the trace output. This may affect trace decoder behavior.
Workaround	None identified. A trace decoder will need to skip ahead to the next TIP or FUP packet to determine the current IP.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL120	Queued Invalidation is Prevented When VTd is Disabled
Problem	While both the DMA-Remapping and Interrupt-Remapping capabilities are disabled in the Default VTd Engine, then Queued Invalidation is incorrectly disabled.
Implication	Due to this erratum, unexpected system behavior may occur.
Workaround	It is possible for the BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL121	Graphics VTd Hardware May Cache Invalid Entries
Problem	The processor's graphics IOMMU (I/O Memory Management Unit) may cache invalid VTd context entries. This violates the VTd specification for HW Caching Mode where hardware implementations of this architecture must not cache invalid entries.
Implication	Due to this erratum, unpredictable system behavior and/or a system hang may occur.
Workaround	Software should flush the Gfx VTd context cache after any update of context table entries.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL122	Executing Some Instructions May Cause Unpredictable Behavior
Problem	Under complex micro-architectural conditions, executing an X87, AVX, or integer divide instruction may result in unpredictable system behavior.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, the system may behave unpredictably. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	It is possible for the BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL123	Processor May Behave Unpredictably on Complex Sequence of Conditions Which Involve Branches That Cross 64 Byte Boundaries
Problem	Under complex micro-architectural conditions involving branch instructions bytes that span multiple 64-byte boundaries (cross cache line), unpredictable system behavior may occur.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, the system may behave unpredictably

Workaround	It is possible for BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL124	A PMI That Freezes LBRs Can Cause a Duplicate Entry in TOS
Problem	If a PMI (Performance Monitor Interrupt) is taken while LBRs (Last Branch Records) are enabled and IA32_DEBUGCTL.FREEZE_LBRS_ON_PMI[bit 11]=1 (MSR 01D9H), a taken branch that performs an LBR update near the time of the PMI may instead record a duplicate of the prior entry into the TOS (Top of Stack) entry.
Implication	Software may unexpectedly observe the appearance of back-to-back execution of the same branch.
Workaround	In general, software can ignore the TOS entry if it matches the TOS-1 entry. Note that certain code sequences with no intervening taken branches can legitimately insert a valid duplicate LBR record in the TOS entry.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL125	Unexpected Page Faults in Guest Virtualization Environment
Problem	Under complex micro-architectural conditions, a virtualized guest could observe unpredictable system behavior.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, systems operating in a virtualization environment may exhibit unexpected page faults (double faults) leading to guest OS shutdown.
Workaround	It is possible for BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL126	SGX Key Confidentiality May be Compromised
Problem	Under complex micro-architectural conditions, it may be possible for the value of SGX keys to be inferred using speculative execution side channel methods.
Implication	If exposed, such keys could allow an attacker to access SGX enclave data. Processors that do not support Hyper-Threading are not affected by this issue.
Workaround	It is possible for BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL127	System May Hang Under Complex Conditions
Problem	Under complex conditions, insufficient access control in graphics subsystem may lead to a system hang or crash upon a register read.
Implication	When this erratum occurs, a system hang, or crash may occur.
Workaround	It is possible for a combination of BIOS and a graphics driver to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL128	Instruction Fetch May Cause Machine Check if Page Size was Changed without Invalidation
Problem	This erratum may cause a machine-check error (IA32_MCi_STATUS.MCACOD=005H with IA32_MCi_STATUS.MSCOD=00FH or IA32_MCi_STATUS.MCACOD=0150H with IA32_MCi_STATUS.MSCOD=00FH) on the fetch of an instruction. It applies only if (1) instruction bytes are fetched from a linear address translated using a 4-Kbyte page and cached in the processor; (2) the paging structures are later modified so that these bytes are translated using a large page (2-Mbyte, 4-Mbyte or 1-GByte) with a different physical address (PA), memory type (PWT, PCD and PAT bits), or User/Supervisor (U/S) bit; and (3) the same instruction is fetched after the paging structure modification but before software invalidates any TLB entries for the linear region.
Implication	Due to this erratum an unexpected machine check with error code 0150H with MSCOD 00FH may occur, possibly resulting in a shutdown. This erratum could also lead to unexpected correctable machine check (IA32_MCi_STATUS.UC=0) with error code 005H with MSCOD 00FH.
Workaround	Software should not write to a paging-structure entry in a way that would change the page size and either the physical address, memory type or User/Supervisor bit. It can instead use one of the following algorithms: first clear the P flag in the relevant paging-structure entry (example: PDE); then invalidate any translations for the affected linear addresses; and then modify the relevant paging-structure entry to set the P flag and establish the new page size. An alternative algorithm: first change the physical page attributes (combination of physical address, memory type and User/Supervisor bit) in all 4K pages in the affected linear addresses; then invalidate any translations for the affected linear addresses; and then modify the relevant paging-structure entry to establish the new page size.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL129	PMU MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR is Cleared After Pkg C7 or Deeper
Problem	The Performance Monitoring Unit Uncore Performance Fixed Counter (MSR_UNC_PERF_FIXED_CTR (MSR 395h)) is cleared after pkg C7 or deeper.
Implication	Due to this erratum, once the system enters pkg C7 or deeper the uncore fixed counter does not reflect the actual count.
Workaround	None Identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL130	Performance Monitoring General Counter 2 May have Invalid Value Written When TSX Is Enabled
Problem	When Transactional Synchronization Extensions (TSX) is enabled, and there are aborts (HLE or RTM) overlapping with access or manipulation of the IA32_PMC2 general-purpose performance counter (Offset: C3h) it may return invalid value.
Implication	Software may read invalid value from IA32_PMC2.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL131	A Pending Fixed Interrupt May be Dispatched Before an Interrupt of the Same Priority Completes
Problem	Resuming from C6 Sleep-State, with Fixed Interrupts of the same priority queued (in the corresponding bits of the IRR and ISR APIC registers), the processor may dispatch the second interrupt (from the IRR bit) before the first interrupt has completed and written to the EOI register, causing the first interrupt to never complete.
Implication	Due to this erratum, Software may behave unexpectedly when an earlier call to an Interrupt Handler routine is overridden with another call (to the same Interrupt Handler) instead of completing its execution.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL132	VTd DMA Remapping Disable in Gfx IOMMU May Cause Display Artifacts or Flickering
Problem	If system software enables VTd translations for the Gfx IOMMU (TE=1) and then switches the Gfx IOMMU to disable translations (TE=0) while the display is enabled, display memory underrun condition can occur.
Implication	Due to this erratum, momentary display corruption may occur. Intel has only observed this issue when BIOS pre-boot DMA protection was enabled for Gfx IOMMU.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL133	Overflow Flag in IA32_MC0_STATUS MSR May be Incorrectly Set
Problem	Under complex micro-architectural conditions, a single internal parity error seen in IA32_MC0_STATUS MSR (401h) with MCACOD (bits 15:0) value of 5h and MSCOD (bits 31:16) value of 7h, may set the overflow flag (bit 62) in the same MSR.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the IA32_MC0_STATUS overflow flag may be set after a single parity error. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL134	Rare Internal Timing Conditions May Lead to Sporadic Hangs During Graphics VTd Flows
Problem	When both SGX and Graphics RC6 features are enabled, under complex microarchitectural conditions, VTd operations towards the Gfx IOMMU may lead to unexpected system behavior.
Implication	Due to this erratum, unexpected system behavior will occur.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL135	VERR Instruction Inside VM-entry May Cause DR6 to Contain Incorrect Values
Problem	Under complex micro-architectural conditions, a VERR instruction that follows a VM-entry with a guest-state area indicating MOV SS blocking (bit 1 in the Interruptibility state) and at least one of B3-B0 bits set (bits 3:0 in the pending debug exception) may lead to incorrect values in DR6.
Implication	Due to this erratum, DR6 may contain incorrect values. Intel has not observed this erratum with any commercially available software.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL136	Processor May Hang if Warm Reset Triggers During BIOS Initialization
Problem	Under complex micro-architectural conditions, when the processor receives a warm reset during BIOS initialization, the processor may hang with a machine check error reported in IA32_MCI_STATUS, with MCACOD (bits [15:0]) value of 0400H, and MSCOD (bits [31:16]) value of 0080H.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the processor may hang. Intel has only observed this erratum in a synthetic test environment.
Workaround	None identified.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

WHL137	N/A. Erratum has been Removed
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WHL138	MD_CLEAR Operations May Not Properly Overwrite All Buffers
Problem	On processors that enumerate the MD_CLEAR CPUID bit (CPUID.(EAX=7H,ECX=0):EDX[MD_CLEAR=10]), L1D_FLUSH, RSM, and VERW memory instructions should overwrite affected buffers with constant data. Under complex micro-architectural conditions, these instructions may not overwrite all affected buffers.
Implication	Due to this erratum, the use of MD_CLEAR operations to prevent MDS (Microarchitectural Data Sampling) or TAA (Intel Transactional Synchronization Extensions Asynchronous Abort) side-channel methods from revealing previously accessed data may not be fully effective.
Workaround	It is possible for BIOS to contain a workaround for this erratum.
Status	For the steppings affected, refer to the Summary Table of Changes .

