

This is the MIPS by Imagination Multi Threading Training Course

Introduction

- This class covers additions to the MIPS Architecture that are implemented for the MT Processor Core.
- A prerequisite to this training is the programming a MIPS core.



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- This course is designed for Software Engineers.
- A working knowledge of Multi Threading, such as POSIX threads is assumed.



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This course was designed for software engineers with a working knowledge of multithreading such as POSIX threads.

Overview

- Covered in this Course:
 - Fine Grain Multi Threading
 - CP0 Registers for MT and how they are used
 - Additions to the instruction set for MT
 - Inter Thread Communication (ITC)
 - Policy Manager (QOS)



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In this course we will cover

- + Fine-grained multithreading
- + CP0 registers for multithreading
- + The additional instructions that were added to the instruction set for multithreading
- + Inter-thread communications for communicating between threads
- + and the policy managers which are used to schedule the quality of service for each thread