



AlphaServer GS80/160/320

Getting Started with Partitions

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This manual is for users and field service engineers for *Compaq AlphaServer* GS80/160/320 systems. It describes the partitioning capabilities provided by the firmware for these systems.

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Preface

Intended Audience

This manual is for users and field service engineers for *Compaq AlphaServer* GS80/160/320 systems. It describes the partitioning capabilities provided by the firmware for these systems.

Document Structure

This manual uses a structured documentation design. Topics are organized into small sections, usually consisting of two facing pages. Most topics begin with an abstract that provides an overview of the section, followed by an illustration or example. The facing page contains descriptions, procedures, and syntax definitions.

This manual has eight chapters and one appendix.

- **Chapter 1, Introduction**, briefly describes hard and soft partitions and their uses.
- **Chapter 2, Configuration Rules and Tips**, describes the hardware, firmware, and software requirements for partitioning a system, as well as tips for planning and operating a partitioned system.
- **Chapter 3, Defining Hard Partitions**, describes the SCM environment variables that must be set to define hard partitions, and the SCM **power on** command that initializes hard partitions.
- **Chapter 4, Displaying Hard Partition Status**, describes the SCM and SRM commands that can be used to display the makeup and components of hard partitions on your system.
- **Chapter 5, Defining Soft Partitions**, describes the steps used to define soft partitions, including setting SRM environment variables and the SRM **lpinit** command.
- **Chapter 6, Displaying Soft Partition Status**, describes the SCM and SRM commands that can be used to display the makeup and components of soft partitions on your system.

- **Chapter 7, Final Preparation and Booting an Operating System**, discusses the environment variables that must be set in each partition prior to booting, and shows examples of booting an operating system in a partition.
- **Chapter 8, Tips and Troubleshooting**, describes some things you may want to do after you have started using partitions on your system.
- **Appendix A, Blank Forms for Planning Partitions**, provides blank diagrams you may use to plan partitions on your system.

Documentation Titles

Table 1 Compaq Hardware Documentation

Title	Order Number
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 Documentation Kit</i>	QA-6GAAA-G8
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 User's Guide</i>	EK-GS320-UG
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 Firmware Reference Manual</i>	EK-GS320-RM
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 Getting Started with Partitions</i>	EK-GSPAR-RM
<i>AlphaServer G160/320 Installation Guide</i>	EK-GS320-IN
<i>AlphaServer GS80 Installation Guide</i>	EK-GSR80-IN
AlphaServer GS80/160/320 User Information CD (HTML files)	AG-RKSWB-BE
AlphaServer GS80/160/320 User Information CD (translations)	AG-RLVJA-BE
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 Service Documentation Kit</i>	QA-6GAAB-G8
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 Service Manual</i>	EK-GS320-SV
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 Firmware Reference Manual</i>	EK-GS320-RM
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 Service Information CD</i>	AG-RKSZ*-BE
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 System Management Console Installation and User's Guide</i>	EK-GSCON-IN
<i>AlphaServer GS160/320 Upgrade Manual</i>	EK-GS320-UP
<i>AlphaServer GS80 Upgrade Manual</i>	EK-GSR80-UP
<i>AlphaServer GS80/160/320 Site Preparation</i>	EK-GS320-SP

Table 2 Related Software Documentation

Title	Order Number
<i>Tru64 UNIX Installation Guide</i>	AA-RH8SC-TE
<i>Tru64 UNIX System Management</i>	AA-RH9FC-TE
<i>OpenVMS Alpha Version 7.2-1H1 New Features and Release Notes</i>	AA-RLMUA-TE
<i>OpenVMS Alpha Galaxy and Partitioning Guide</i>	AA-REZQC-TE

Information on the Internet

Visit the Compaq Web site at http://www.compaq.com/site_index.html for service tools and more information about the system.

Chapter 1

Introduction

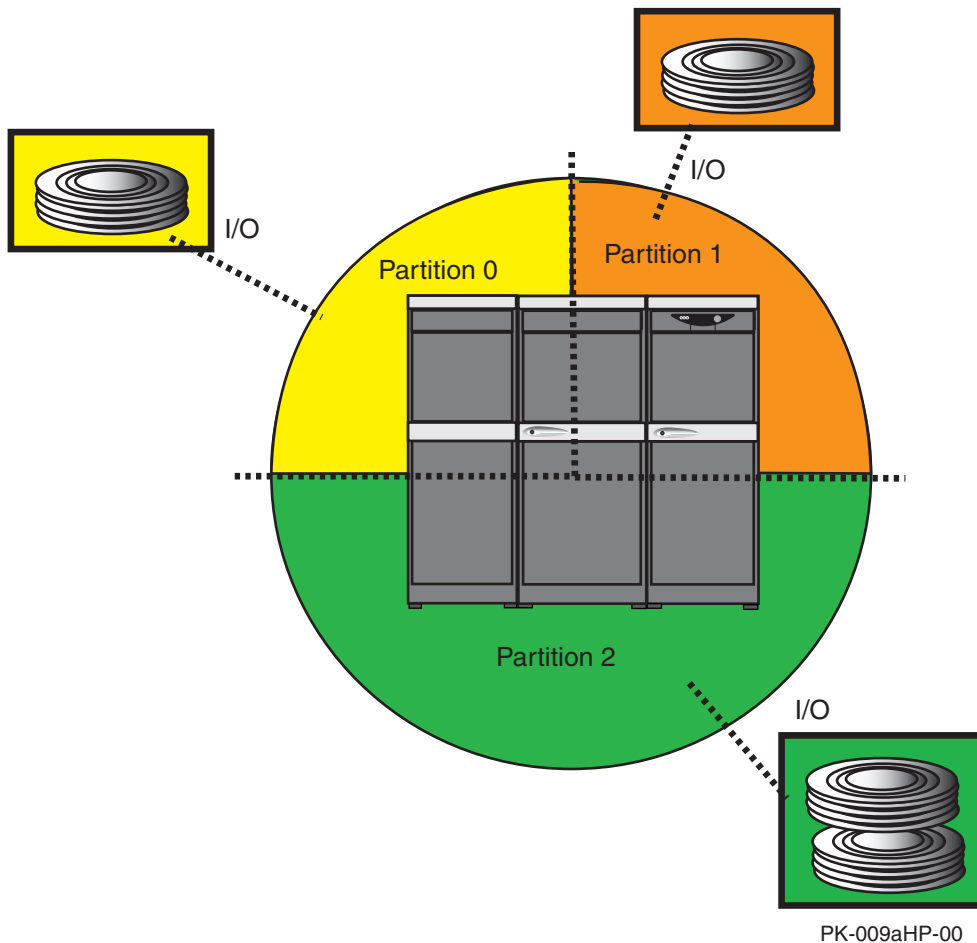
This chapter introduces partitions on the *Compaq AlphaServer* GS80, GS160, and GS320 systems. Sections include:

- Dividing a System into Partitions
- Using Partitions
- Accessing Partitions at the System Management Console
- Hard and Soft Partitions
 - Hard Partitions
 - Soft Partitions
- Overview of the Partitioning Process

1.1 Dividing a System into Partitions

Firmware on the AlphaServer GS80/160/320 systems allows the system to be divided into separate partitions, each running an instance of an operating system.

Figure 1-1 Dividing a System into Partitions



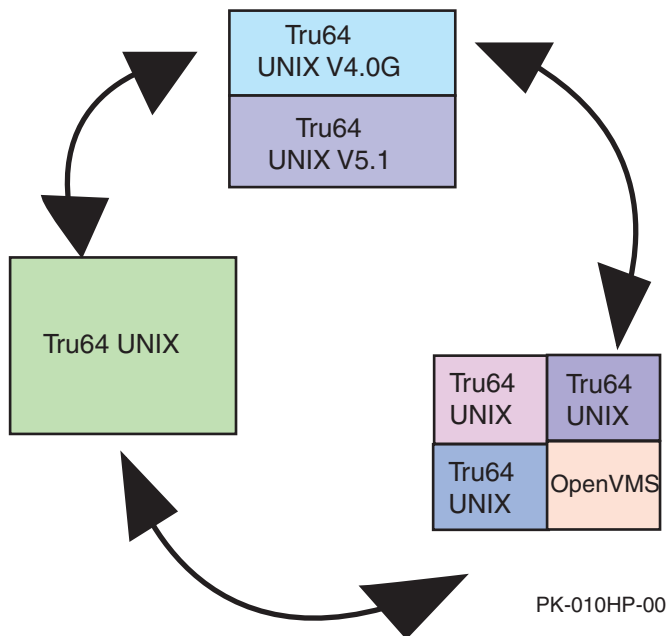
Multiple copies, or *instances*, of the *Tru64 UNIX* and/or *OpenVMS* operating systems can be run on *AlphaServer* GS80/160/320 systems. With partitions, one of these systems can be segmented into several smaller systems. Figure 1-1 illustrates the concept of partitioning; one *AlphaServer* GS320 system, including processors, memory, and I/O, is divided into three separate partitions.

For example, suppose that an installation has requirements to run applications under the *OpenVMS* operating system, and also needs to run applications under the *Tru64 UNIX* operating system. Partitioning is one way of dividing hardware resources such that separate operating systems, each with their own applications, can run in each partition.

For another example, suppose that you wish to upgrade your *Tru64 UNIX* V4.0G operating system to V5.1, but wish to keep running the old applications at the same time as testing the revisions for the upgrade. Separate partitions can be defined so that one partition runs V4.0G and another partition runs V5.1.

Further, partitions can be reallocated as required. Figure 1-2 shows how partitions might be reallocated over a period of time on a system.

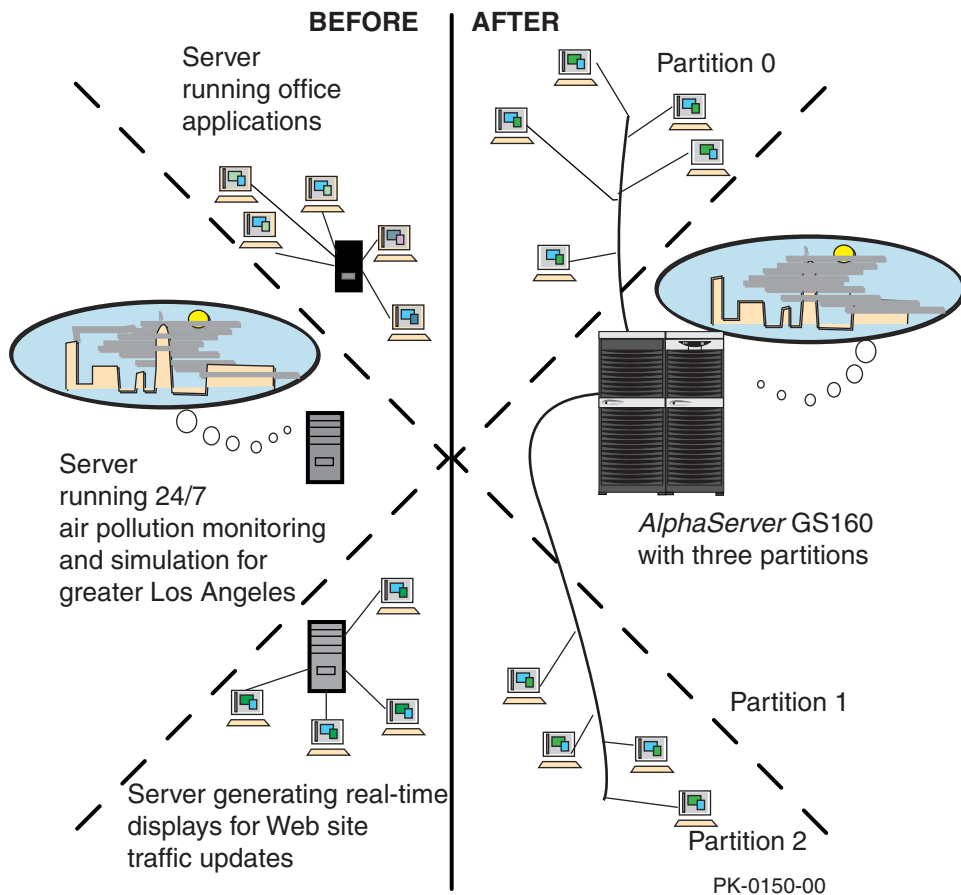
Figure 1-2 Reallocation of Partitions



1.2 Using Partitions

Partitions can be used to consolidate the work done by separate, small servers into one larger server.

Figure 1-3 Using Partitions to Consolidate Resources



One reason for using partitions is to consolidate resources, as shown in Figure 1–3.

The left side of the figure shows three separate servers, each performing user tasks in a separate environment. The right side of the figure shows that these same functions can be performed on one larger server, using partitions.

In a partitioned system, most hardware failures affect only the partition in which they occur. Thus, partitions maintain system reliability by isolating such hardware failures.

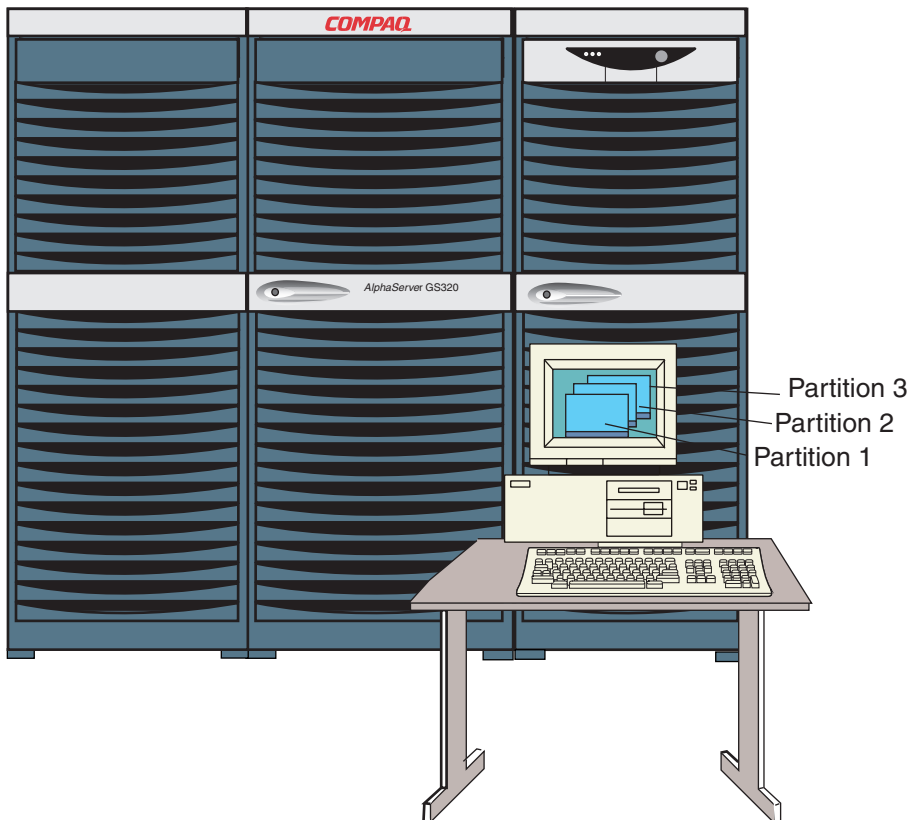
Also, businesses may wish to support applications on a known, tested system at the same time as debugging a new system. Partitions provide the means to separate the activities in different partitions.

These and other applications of partitioning are described for *Tru64 UNIX* systems in the Compaq white paper *Managing Workload with System Partitions and Resource Management* (<http://tru64unix.compaq.com/unix/literature.htm>) *OpenVMS Galaxy* partitioning opportunities are discussed in the white paper *on Reducing Business Risk with the New Compaq AlphaServer GS Series Systems Running OpenVMS* (<http://www.openvms.compaq.com/gsseries/index.html>).

1.3 Accessing Partitions at the System Management Console

A local user or service engineer interacts with partitions through the system management console. The system management console is connected directly to the system. A user may also communicate with a partition remotely through the use of a modem.

Figure 1-4 System Management Console



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Partitions are accessed through either a local or remote *console device*. A console device may consist of a serial display monitor and a keyboard, or a terminal emulator on a PC, UNIX, or VMS workstation attached to the system.

Figure 1–4 shows the system management console monitor with windows for three partitions open on the monitor screen. (See the *AlphaServer GS80/160/320 System Management Console Installation and User's Guide* for information about this console device.) In this case, a terminal emulator displays the screens; the commands typed at each screen direct the firmware to perform the actions requested within a particular partition.

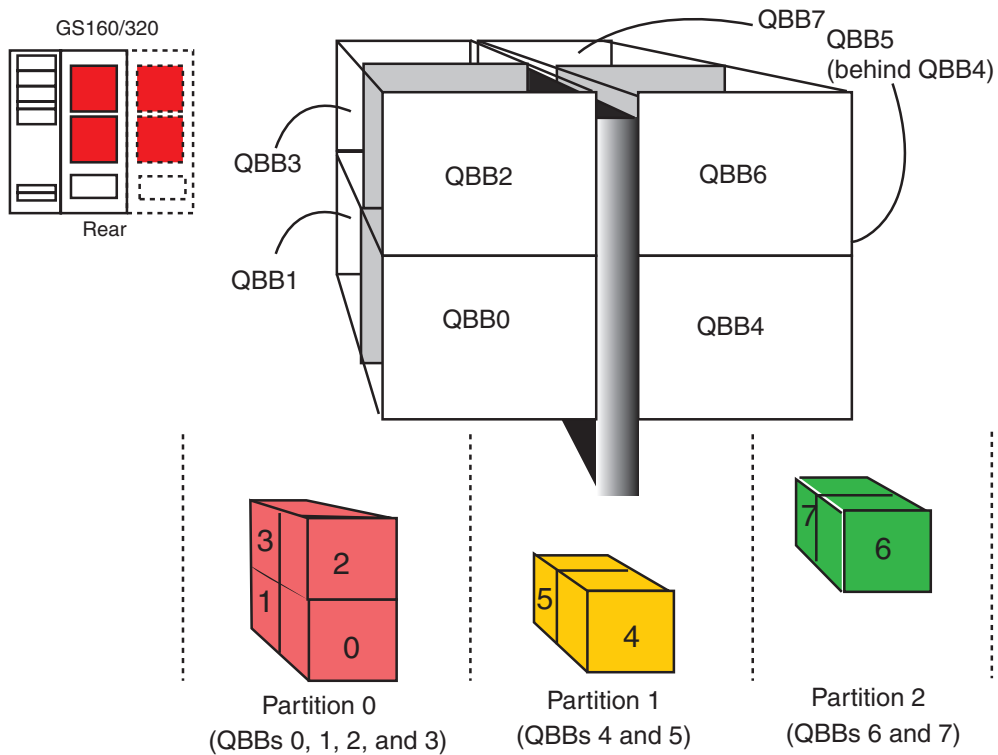
1.4 Hard and Soft Partitions

The firmware supports two types of partitions: hard (for *OpenVMS* and *Tru64 UNIX* systems) and soft (for *OpenVMS Galaxy* systems).

1.4.1 Hard Partitions (Tru64 UNIX and OpenVMS)

Hard partitions are defined using the SCM firmware by naming the QBBs in each partition. Resources cannot be shared between hard partitions.

Figure 1-5 Hard Partitions



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As shown in Figure 1–5, hard partitions are defined along QBB boundaries. The figure shows a GS320 system containing eight QBBs divided into three hard partitions.

There is no sharing of CPU, memory, or I/O resources between hard partitions. The boundaries of these partitions are considered “hard.”

An instance of an operating system may run in each hard partition; these instances run completely independently of each other.

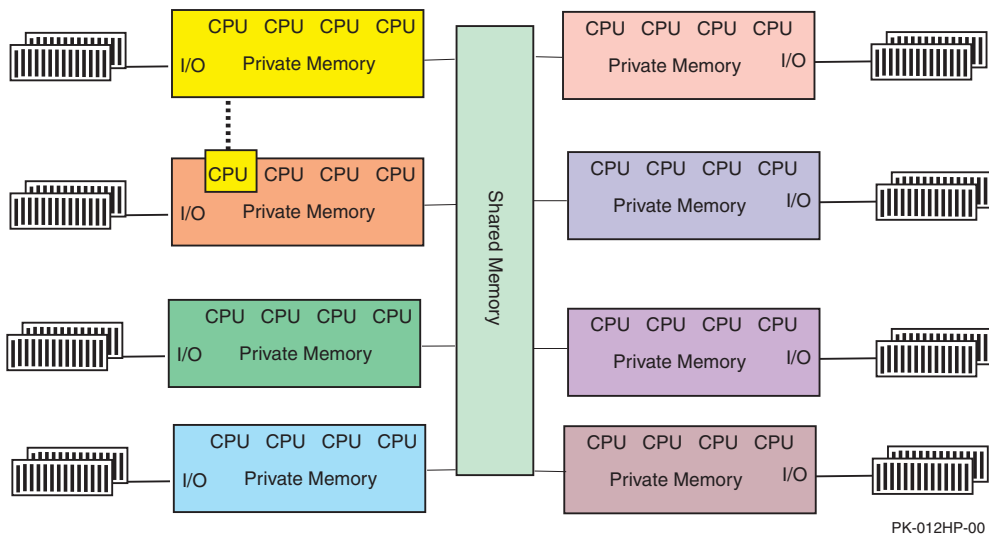
Tru64 UNIX instances do support individual applications using a specified percentage of a given resource, such as processor sets. This type of resource partitioning is described in detail in the *Tru64 UNIX System Management* manual.

OpenVMS implements resource sharing differently, building on SRM firmware-based entities called *soft partitions*, discussed next.

1.4.2 Soft Partitions (OpenVMS Galaxy)

Soft partitions are defined by naming the specific CPUs, memory allocation, and I/O modules comprising each partition. CPUs can be reassigned from one instance to another as computation load changes. Also, soft partitions allow instances to share memory. *OpenVMS Galaxy* is an implementation of soft partitions.

Figure 1-6 Soft Partitions – Memory Sharing and Dynamic CPU Allocation



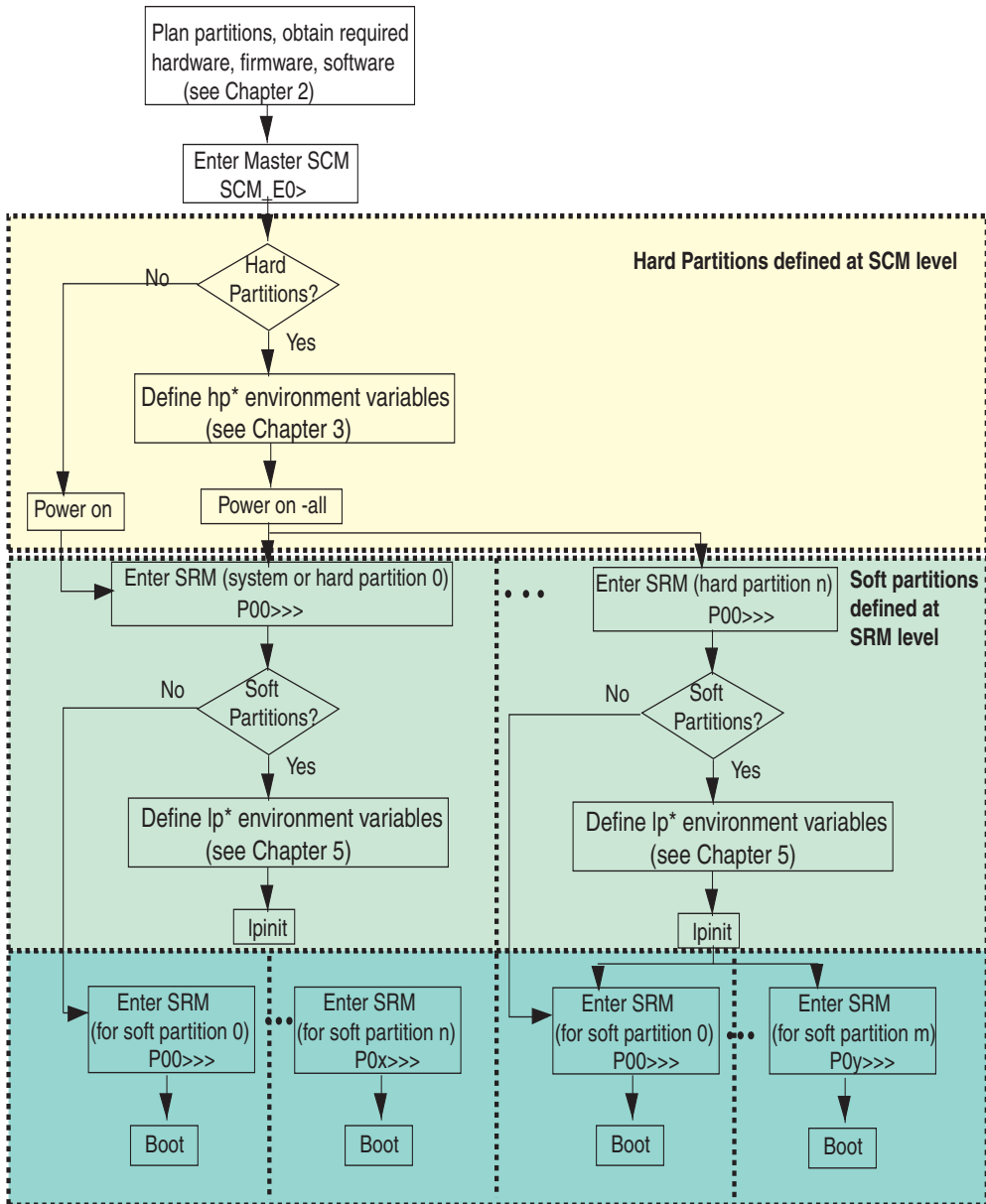
Soft partitions allow the definition of a portion of memory as shared memory; they also allow CPUs to be reassigned by agreement of the operating system instances running in the partitions. The boundaries defined by the firmware are thus considered “soft.”

Figure 1–6 shows a GS320 system with eight soft partitions set up on QBB boundaries. Each partition has private memory. In addition, you can allocate shared memory that all instances can use, as shown in the center of the diagram.

In addition to shared memory, soft partitions differ from hard partitions in that, with soft partitions, operating system instances may agree to share CPU resources. CPUs can be reassigned to different instances as load varies.

Soft partitions are defined using the SRM firmware. The division of resources defined can be thought of as a starting point. Once operating system instances are running in each soft partition, resources can be reassigned as needed at the operating system level. See the *OpenVMS Alpha Galaxy and Partitioning Guide* for more information on this type of resource sharing.

1.5 Overview of the Partitioning Process



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The figure on the facing page gives an overview of the partitioning process:

- **Planning.** There are hardware, firmware, and software requirements and restrictions to meet before you can run partitions. Chapter 2 describes the major hardware configuration rules as of this printing. However, you should check the *QuickSpecs* for the most up-to-date information on the hardware, firmware, and software required. The *QuickSpecs* also list hardware that is not supported for partitioned systems and which must be removed from your system before partitions will run. The *QuickSpecs* are available on the web at <http://www.compaq.com/alphaserver/>.
- **Defining Hard Partitions (if any).** Defining hard partitions involves setting certain environment variables from the SCM. Settings for these environment variables are discussed in Chapter 3, as well as the **power on** command that initializes the settings.
- **Defining Soft Partitions (if any).** Defining soft partitions involves setting environment variables and issuing an **lpinit** command from the SRM. If hard partitions have been defined, you can define soft partitions from each hard partition's console window. Chapters 4 and 6 provide **show config** and **show device** examples that illustrate the different SRMs for each hard or soft partition. Chapter 5 discusses the environment variables for setting up soft partitions and the **lpinit** command.
- **Booting Instances of an Operating System.** Once hard and/or soft partitions are set up, you boot an instance of the operating system from within each partition. Chapter 7 discusses booting. Maintenance and troubleshooting are described in Chapter 8.

Chapter 2

Configuration Rules and Tips

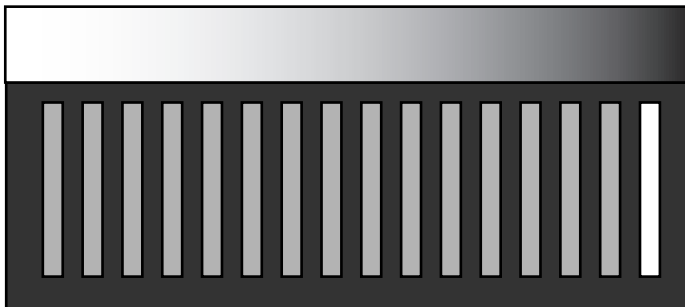
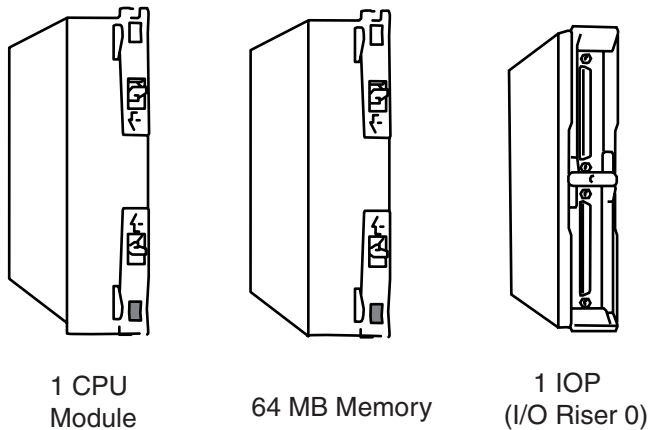
This chapter describes the configuration requirements for hard and soft partitions. Sections include:

- Hardware Required for a Hard or Soft Partition
- System Management Console
- Master and Slave SCMs
- SCM Functionality from Master and Slave SCMs
- Firmware and Software Requirements
- Planning Partitions
- Important Considerations for Partitioned Systems

2.1 Hardware Required for a Hard or Soft Partition

A partition (hard or soft) requires at least one CPU, 64 Mbytes of memory, and an I/O riser module that is connected to a master PCI box with a standard I/O module.

Figure 2-1 Hardware Requirements for Each Partition



1 PCI master box with a standard I/O module

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2-2 Getting Started with Partitions

A hard or soft partition requires at least one CPU (resident in the QBB with I/O) and 64 Mbytes of memory. I/O requirements are that at least one local I/O riser¹ (IOR 0) be present per partition connected to a master PCI box. A master PCI box is one with a DVD/CD-ROM drive and keyboard and mouse ports, etc., and contains a standard I/O module with local and modem ports for connection to a console device.

With hard partitions, at least one QBB is required per partition. Soft partitions allow more flexible assignment of resources; however, the two I/O riser modules in a QBB cannot be split between partitions.

The maximum number of partitions varies according to the configuration. With hard partitions, a two-drawer GS80 supports two hard partitions. A partition may include more than one QBB. For example, an 8-QBB GS320 system could have two partitions, one with five QBBs and one with three QBBs.

With partitions, a 2-QBB system supports two partitions and an 8-QBB GS320 system supports up to eight partitions. The number of soft partitions is limited by the constraint that the two I/O riser modules in a QBB cannot be split between partitions.

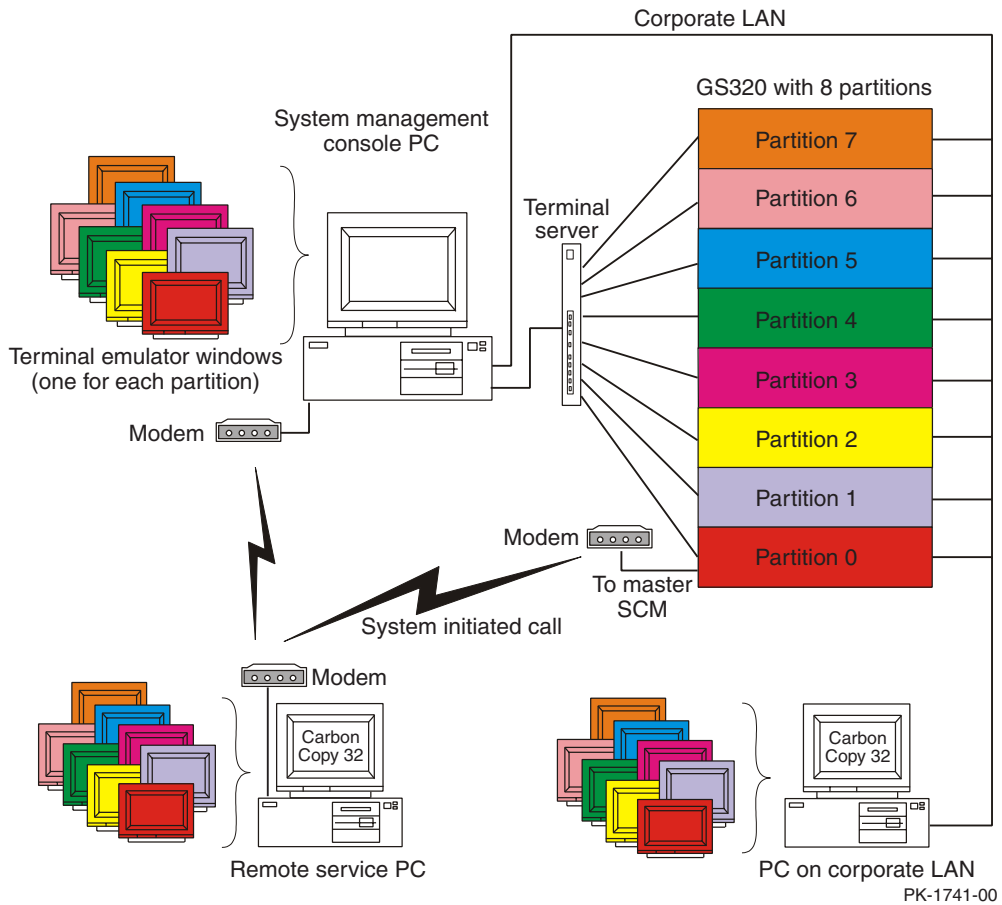
Each partition must include a master PCI box with a standard I/O module. The standard I/O module contains both SRM firmware and SCM firmware. Hard partitions are defined using the SCM firmware. Soft partitions are defined using the SRM firmware.

¹ The QBB backplane contains logic for an I/O port (IOP) with connectors for two I/O risers. One I/O riser is shown in Figure 2–1; should two I/O risers be present in a QBB, they cannot be split between partitions. Thus, I/O for partitions is defined along QBB boundaries.

2.2 System Management Console

The system management console makes it possible to manage multiple partitions with a single console device.

Figure 2-2 System Management Console



To manage partitions, it is necessary to have access to each hard or soft partition. With the system management console, an *AlphaServer* GS80/160/320 system with multiple console lines can be managed with a single device. The system management console consists of a DECserver 90M terminal server, a *Compaq Deskpro* PC, and associated hardware and software. Figure 2–2 shows an *AlphaServer* GS320 system with eight partitions.

The eight-port terminal server can connect to a maximum of eight partitions. The PC on the system management console is connected to the management channel connector on the terminal server, and each port in the terminal server is connected to a standard I/O module in a master PCI box that is defined as part of a partition. The console for each partition is displayed on the PC in a terminal emulator window.

The PC contains two network interface cards. The first connects to the terminal server via private network. The second connects to the corporate LAN, enabling remote operation of the system management console through Carbon Copy 32.

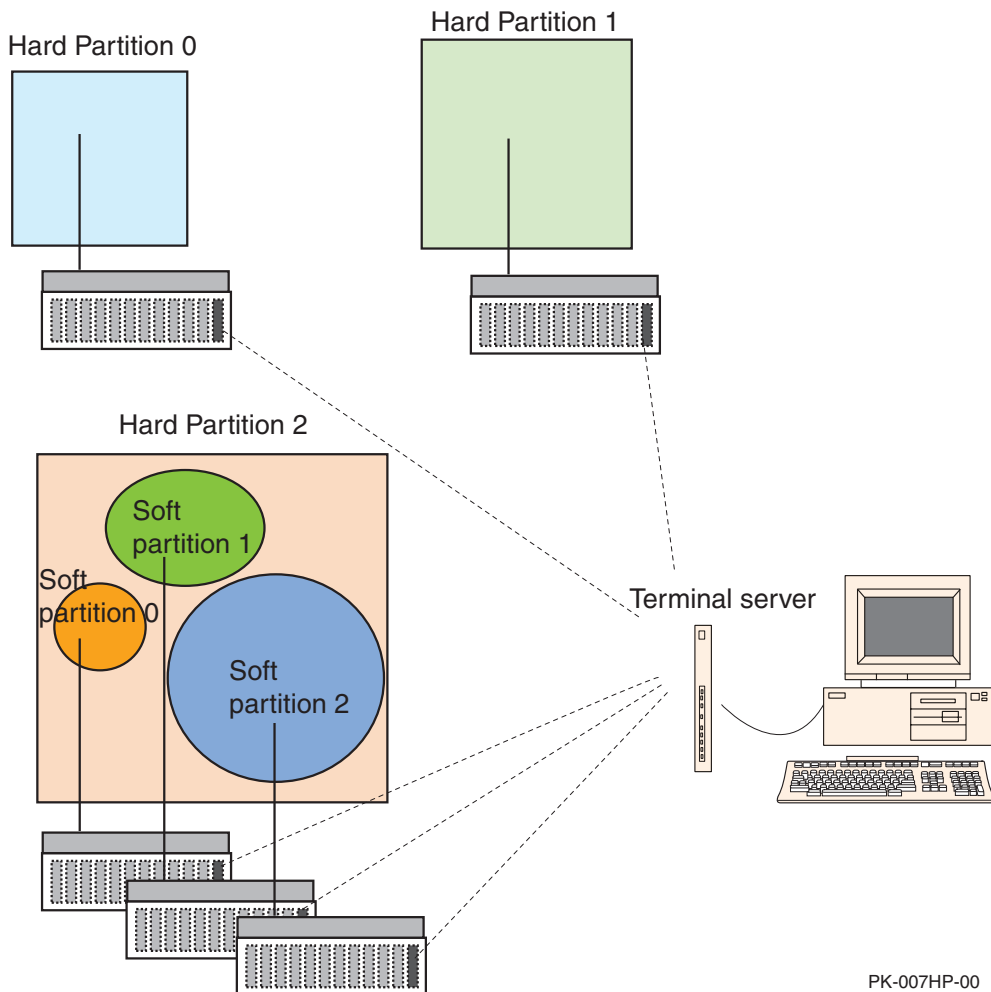
The PC also has an attached modem, which can provide Compaq Services remote access to the system with Carbon Copy 32.

For information on the system management console, its use and installation, see the *AlphaServer GS80/160/320 System Management Console Installation and User's Guide*.

2.3 Master and Slave SCMs

Multiple standard I/O modules are needed for hard or soft partitions, introducing the need for master and secondary SCMs. The master SCM controls the console serial bus (CSB). Other SCMs are secondary.

Figure 2-3 Multiple SCMs in a Partitioned System



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A user needs access to an individual partition for maintenance and debugging. This access is provided through the requirement that each partition, hard or soft, must be attached to a master PCI box with a standard I/O module.

The standard I/O module contains both SCM and SRM firmware. Only one SCM can control the console serial bus (CSB) at any given time. This SCM is called the *master SCM*. All other SCMs are called *secondary* (or *slave*) *SCMs*.

A master SCM must be:

- Attached to the operator control panel (OCP).
- Have its **scm_csb_master_eligible** environment variable set to 1. (By default, each SCM's **scm_csb_master_eligible** environment variable is set to 1. You can override a particular SCM's eligibility by setting this environment variable to 0 from the console connected to that SCM.)

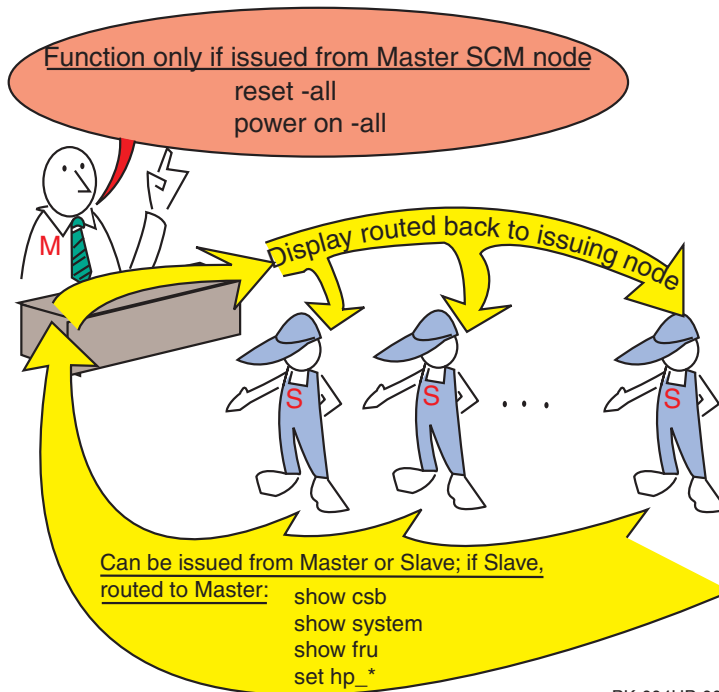
Figure 2-3 shows a system divided into three hard partitions. One hard partition is divided into three soft partitions. Each of these partitions has a master PCI box with a standard I/O module containing SCM and SRM firmware. Note that hard partition 2 is connected to three master PCI boxes. The SRM that controls the definition of soft partitions within hard partition 2 is the SRM residing on the standard I/O module in the master PCI box with the lowest-numbered hose connection to that partition.

At Vaux power-up on a system with multiple SCMs, the master SCM is selected as the one with the lowest-numbered CSB address (determined by the node ID switch setting on the PCI box) that is also connected to the OCP and has the **scm_csb_master_eligible** environment variable set to 1. The standby SCM is selected as the one with the next-lowest CSB address that is also connected to the OCP and has the **scm_csb_master_eligible** environment variable set to 1.

2.4 SCM Functionality from Master and Slave SCMs

Systemwide functionality is provided by the master SCM; hard-partition-dependent functionality is provided at the local (master or slave) level.

Figure 2-4 Systemwide Functionality

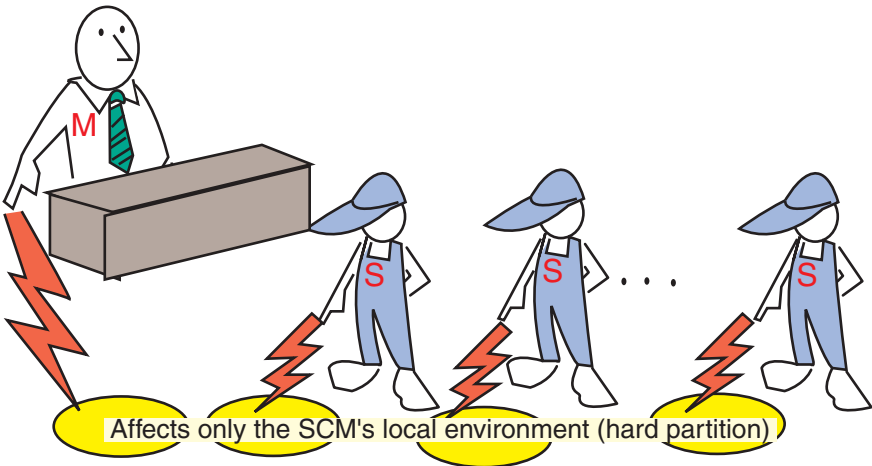


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Figure 2–4 shows which SCM commands affect the whole system (systemwide functionality). As shown, commands that affect all nodes on the console serial bus can be executed only from the master SCM. For example, commands that display information for all CSB nodes are routed through the master SCM for execution.

Figure 2–5 shows those SCM commands providing hard-partition-specific functionality. The **halt**, **reset**, and **power** commands affect only the hard partition in which they are executed; however, they do have **-partition** options that can affect other partitions if executed from the master SCM.

Figure 2–5 Partition-Dependent Functionality



Take action from local SCM (Master or Slave):

build EEPROM	el	help	show status
clear alert	erase	init	show nvr
deposit	examine	quit	test alert
disable	hangup	set*	

(*Set hp_* routed to master SCM)

Routed to Master SCM; affects only the hard partition from which it is issued (hp_count≠0):

halt [in, out]
 power [off, on]
 reset
 fault

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2.5 Firmware and Software Requirements

You must have versions of the firmware and operating system software that support hard and/or soft partitions.

Example 2-1 Firmware Requirements

P00>>> **show config**

```
                                Compaq Computer Corporation
                                Compaq AlphaSever GS320 6/731
                                ❶
SRM Console      V5.8-1, built on May 26 2000 at 12:15:01
PALcode         OpenVMS PALcode V1.81-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.75-1
Micro Firmware V5.6 ❷

QBB 0           Hard QBB 0
Quad Switch
Duplicate Tag   Up To 4 MB Caches   QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Processor 0    CPU 0               DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 1    CPU 1               EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
               CPU 1               EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
               .
               .
               .
```

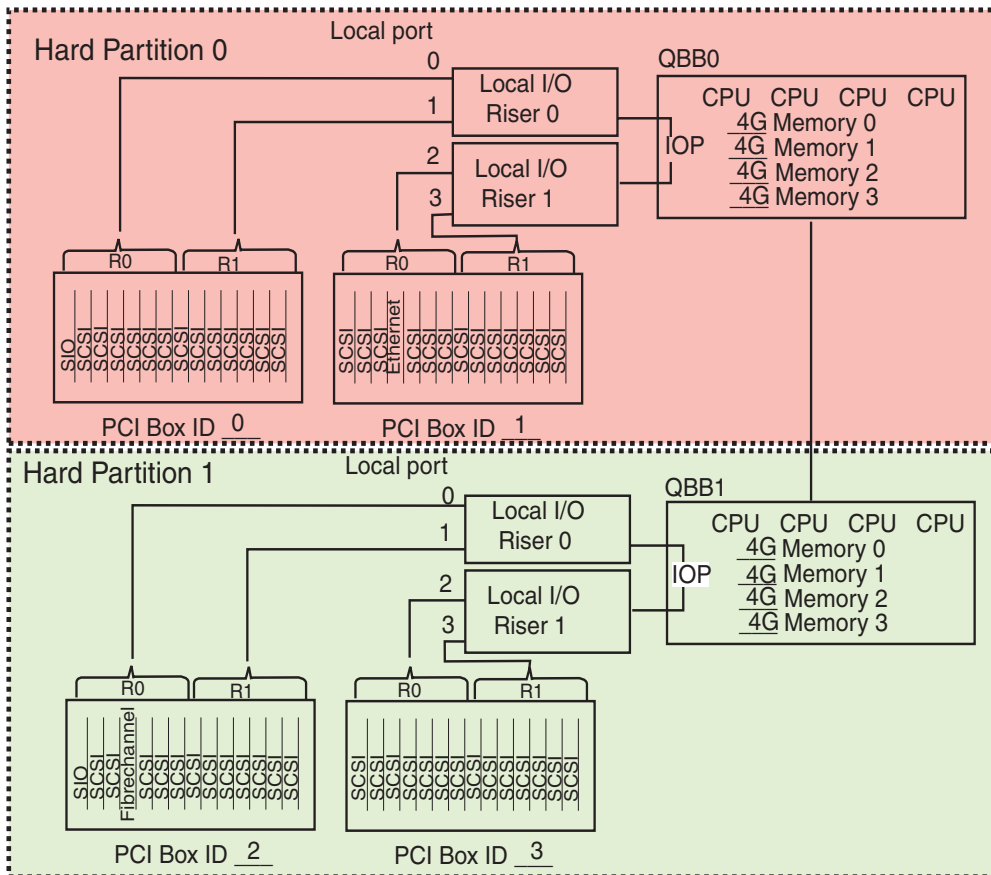
The **show config** command displays the version numbers of the SRM console firmware code as well as the micro firmware comprising the SCM. You must have micro firmware Version 5.6 or greater and SRM firmware V5.8-1 or greater to be able to run partitions.

Regarding operating system software, you must have *Tru64 UNIX* Version 4.0 G or *Tru64 UNIX* Version 5.1 or versions later than 5.1, or *OpenVMS* Alpha Version 7.2-1H1 or later with the appropriate *OpenVMS* Galaxy license or licenses.

2.6 Planning Partitions

To visualize how you want to allocate partitions, draw a diagram of the relevant resources on your system.

Figure 2-6 Diagram of Hard Partitions

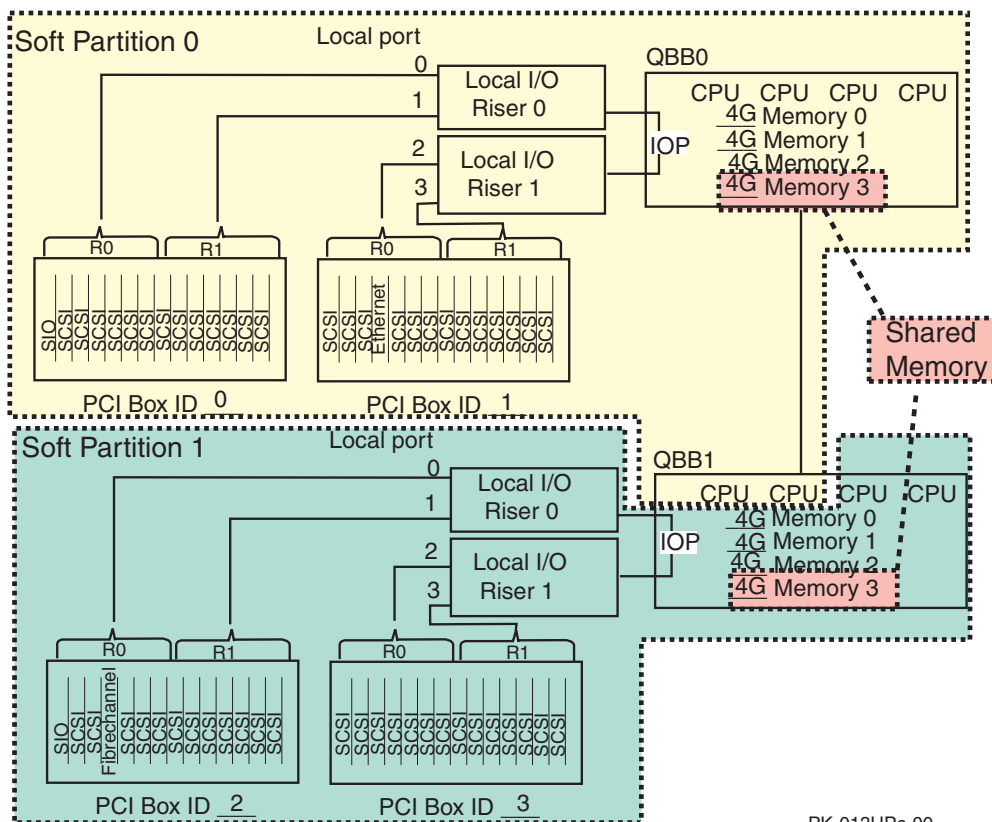


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A picture of the system helps you to plan partitions. Figure 2–6 shows such a diagram for two hard partitions on a 2-QBB system. Hard partitions are allocated on QBB boundaries; here, hard partition 0 consists of QBB0 and hard partition 1, QBB1.

Figure 2–7 shows the same system with two soft partitions. Soft partition 0 has 6 CPUs and 12 GB of local memory. Soft partition 1 has 2 CPUs and 12 GB of local memory. There are 8 GB of shared memory.

Figure 2–7 Diagram of Soft Partitions

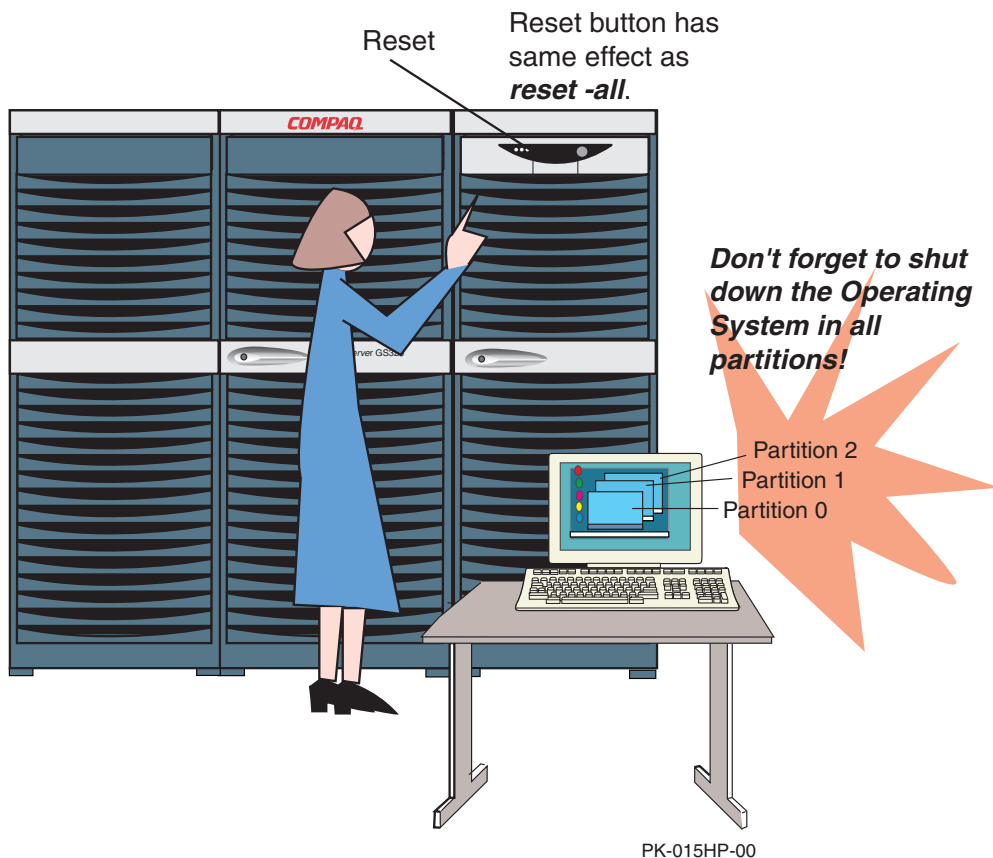


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2.7 Important Considerations for Partitioned Systems

Here are some important considerations for partitioned *AlphaServer* GS80/160/320 systems.

Figure 2-8 Halt, Fault, and Reset Buttons: Use Caution with Partitioned Systems



There are some important things to be aware of when using partitions:

- **Halt, Fault, and Reset Buttons.** Once partitions are up and running separate instances of an operating system, pressing the Halt, Fault, or Reset pushbuttons on the control panel causes the system to stop whatever is going on in all partitions. The pushbutton has the same effect as using the **-all** option on the SCM commands **halt**, **fault**, or **reset** from the master SCM. **To halt operations in an orderly manner, you must shut down the operating system for each partition at the appropriate console window before using these buttons.**
- **Keeping Partitions within a System Box.** You can maximize reliability by defining either hard or soft partitions on system box boundaries, since these are powered by one power subrack. In the unlikely circumstance of a power failure of one subrack, only one partition would go down; the others would continue operation.
- **Increasing Memory Access Efficiency in Soft Partitions.** While the configuration shown in Figure 2–7 is valid, memory access is more efficient within one QBB. In Figure 2–7, two CPUs in QBB1 must access memory in QBB0. If the instance in soft partition 0 occasionally needs the extra compute power of the two extra CPUs, it is better to shift them as required through resource sharing handled by the operating system, rather than to define them as part of the soft partition.
- **Keeping Track of Where You Are.** You will see a variety of prompts on the console screen while you are managing partitions. The following is a list of possible prompts and where you are when you see them.

SCM_En	Prompt given by the master SCM; <i>n</i> is the PCI box ID of the master PCI box containing the standard I/O running the master SCM. If your configuration is typical, you are most likely in (hard or soft) partition 0.
SLV_En	Prompt given by a secondary, or slave SCM; <i>n</i> is the PCI box ID of the master PCI box containing the standard I/O running this slave SCM. If your configuration is typical, you are most likely in (hard or soft) partition 1 – 8.
Pnn>>>	Prompt given by the SRM, where <i>nn</i> is the processor number.
\$	<i>OpenVMS</i> operating system prompt.
#	<i>Tru64 UNIX</i> operating system prompt.

Chapter 3

Defining Hard Partitions

Both *Tru64 UNIX* and *OpenVMS* recognize hard partitions. Hard partitions are divided along QBB boundaries, as discussed in Chapter 1. This chapter describes the environment variables you set from the SCM console to define hard partitions, as well as the **power on** commands used to initialize partitions.

Sections include:

- SCM Commands That Define Hard Partitions
- Detailed Directions for **hp_qbb_mask**
- Dividing a System into Hard Partitions

3.1 SCM Commands That Define Hard Partitions

Use the **SCM set command** for the **hp_count** and **hp_qbb_maskn** environment variables, and the **power on command** for initialization.

Figure 3-1 SCM Commands for Hard Partitions

SCM environment variables

define:

1. Number of partitions:

hp_count (0, 2, 3, ... 8)

```
SCM_E0> set hp_count 3
```

2. QBBs in each partition:

hp_qbb_mask* (bit mask)

```
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask0 = 3
```

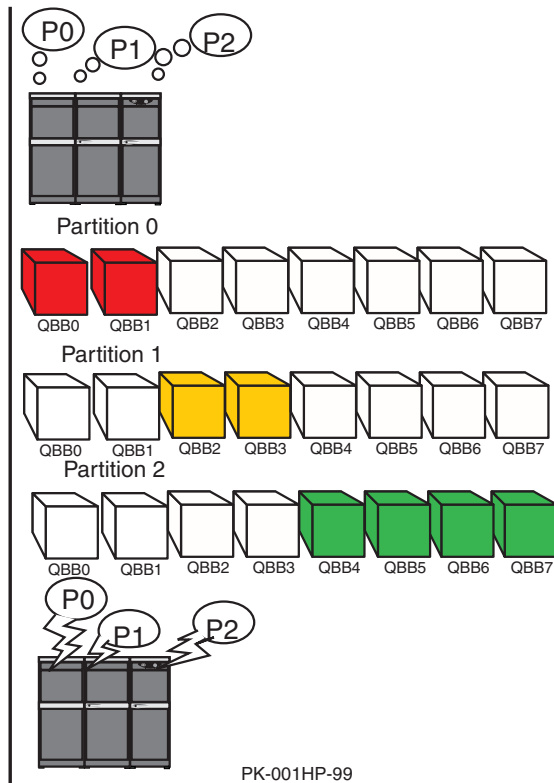
```
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask1 = C
```

```
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask2 = F0
```

Power on commands

initialize partitions defined:

```
SCM_E0> power on -all
```



At the SCM prompt, you set a value for the **hp_count** environment variable to define the number of hard partitions on your system, and values for **hp_qbb_mask n** environment variables to define the QBBs in each partition. Figure 3–1 and Table 3–1 give an overview of the environment variables and what they do. Environment variable settings for the **hp_qbb_mask n** are discussed in the next section.

Table 3–1 SCM Environment Variables for Hard Partitions

Environment Variable	Definition
hp_count n	The number of hard partitions you wish to create on the system. Possible values are 0 (partitions disabled), 1 (for one partition), 2 (for two partitions), 3 (for three partitions), and so forth, to a maximum of 8.
hp_qbb_mask * x	For the *, you supply the number of the partition, which may be 0, 1, 2, up to 7. (Partition numbers must be in sequence; for example, you could not have partitions 0, 3, and 8 only.) The value x gives a binary mask indicating which QBBs you want included as part of the partition. See Section 3.2 for detailed examples.

Note that if the **hp_*** environment variables are set, they will not change value unless you use the **set** command to change them. The firmware uses the **hp_count** environment variable to determine how many of the **hp_qbb_mask n** environment variables to use in setting up partitions.

For example, if you change the partition settings from a three-hard-partition setup to a two-hard-partition setup, and change **hp_count** from 3 to 2, the firmware will use only **hp_qbb_mask0** and **hp_qbb_mask1** to define the size of the partitions. Any settings for other **hp_qbb_mask n** environment variables will remain.

3.2 Detailed Directions for hp_qbb_mask

The `hp_qbb_mask` environment variable is set to a value that creates a binary mask in which a bit set to 1 indicates that an individual QBB belongs to a partition.

Figure 3-2 Sample QBB Bit Masks

	Partition 0							
QBB No.	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Bits set	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

= hex value 3

	Partition 1							
QBB No.	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Bits set	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0

= hex value C

	Partition 2							
QBB No.	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Bits set	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0

= hex value F0

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QBBs can be assigned to partitions in any order, although there are considerations for maximum efficiency and reliability, as described in Section 2.7. Bit values for one nibble of data are as follows:

Hex	Binary	Hex	Binary
0	0000	8	1000
1	0001	9	1001
2	0010	A	1010
3	0011	B	1011
4	0100	C	1100
5	0101	D	1101
6	0110	E	1110
7	0111	F	1111

Example 3–1 shows the SCM commands used to create hard partitions for the configuration shown in Figure 3–1.

Example 3–1 Sample Hard Partition Setup

```
SCM_E0> set hp_count 3
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask0 3
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask2 C
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask1 F
SCM_E0> power on -all
Powering on Hard_partition_0 consisting of:
QBB0
QBB1
Powering on PCI Box 0
Powering on PCI Box 1
.
.
.
```

3.3 Dividing a System into Hard Partitions

You can divide a system into hard partitions from a powered on state or a powered off state.

Example 3-2 Creating Hard Partitions from a Powered Off State

[shut down the operating system] ❶

SYSTEM1> **[Esc][Esc]scm** ❷

SCM_E0> **power off -all** ❸

.
.
.

SCM_E0> **show nvram** ❹

COM1_PRINT_EN	1
HP_COUNT	0
HP_QBB_MASK0	0
HP_QBB_MASK1	0
HP_QBB_MASK2	0
HP_QBB_MASK3	0
HP_QBB_MASK4	0
HP_QBB_MASK5	0
HP_QBB_MASK6	0
HP_QBB_MASK7	0

.
.
.

SCM_SIZING_TIME c

SCM_E0> **set hp_count 2** ❺

SCM_E0> **set hp_qbb_mask0 f**

SCM_E0> **set hp_qbb_mask1 f0**

SCM_E0> **power on -all** ❻

A **power on -par n** command supplies power to the specified partition, which goes through its own power-up process displayed at the partition's console window. You can also issue a **power on -all** command to initialize all hard partitions, as shown in Example 3-2.

- ❶ If necessary, shut down the operating system.
- ❷ Issue the escape sequence to return to the SCM firmware command-line interpreter.
- ❸ Power off the entire system.
- ❹ At the master SCM prompt (SCM_En>) check the current settings of the **hp_count** and **hp_qbb_maskn** environment variables. The values shown in Example 3–2 show that the system is unpartitioned.

Note that if the **hp_*** environment variables are set, they will not change value unless you use the **set** command to change them. The firmware uses the **hp_count** environment variable to determine how many of the **hp_qbb_maskn** environment variables to use in setting up partitions.

For example, if you change the partition settings from a three-hard-partition setup to a two-hard-partition setup, and change **hp_count** from 3 to 2, the firmware will use only **hp_qbb_mask0** and **hp_qbb_mask1** to define the size of the partitions. Any settings for other **hp_qbb_maskn** environment variables will remain.

- ❺ Set the desired environment variables.
- ❻ Here, the **power on -all** command is used to initialize all partitions.

If you are defining partitions on a system that is already powered on, issue a **reset -all** command to initialize the system with the new partition definitions. For example, simply eliminate the **power off -all** command in Example 3–2, set the desired environment variables as shown in Example 3–3, and issue a **reset -all** command.

Example 3–3 Creating Hard Partitions from a Powered On State

```
SCM_E0> set hp_count 2
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask0 f
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask1 f0
SCM_E0> reset -all
.
.
.
```


Chapter 4

Displaying Hard Partition Status

This chapter gives examples of the SCM commands to set up hard partitions and the SCM and SRM **show** commands that you use to display information about the hard partitions defined.

Sections include:

- **Show Nvram** Command (SCM)
- Setting Up for Hard Partitions (SCM)
- **Show System** Command (SCM)
- **Show Config** Command for Hard Partitions (SRM)
- **Show Device** Command for Hard Partitions (SRM)

4.1 Show Nvram Command (SCM)

The **show nvram** command displays the current settings of the **hp_*** environment variables. Here, no hard partitions have been defined.

Example 4-1 Show Nvram with No Hard Partitions

```
SCM_E0> show nvram ❶
COM1_PRINT_EN          1
HP_COUNT               0 ❷
HP_QBB_MASK0          0
HP_QBB_MASK1          0
HP_QBB_MASK2          0
HP_QBB_MASK3          0
HP_QBB_MASK4          0
HP_QBB_MASK5          0
HP_QBB_MASK6          0
HP_QBB_MASK7          0
SROM_MASK              ff f
XSROM_MASK             ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff 1 0
0
PRIMARY_CPU            ff
PRIMARY_QBB0           ff
AUTO_QUIT_SCM          1
FAULT_TO_SYS           0
DIMM_READ_DIS          1
SCM_CSB_MASTER_ELIGIBLE 1
PERF_MON               0
SCM_FORCE_FSL          0
OCP_TEXT               Uninitialized
AUTO_FAULT_RESTART     1
SCM_SIZING_TIME        c
```

- ❶ The **show nvram** command displays values stored in nonvolatile RAM on the standard I/O module containing the SCM for the hard partition. Since this system has not yet been divided into hard partitions, the `SCM_E0>` prompt shows that the master SCM resides on CSB node 0. This will remain the prompt for the master SCM.
- ❷ The **show nvram** command displays the current settings of the **hp_count** and **hp_qbb_maskn** environment variables. The values shown in Example 4–1 shows that the system is unpartitioned.

4.2 Setting Up for Hard Partitions (SCM)

This section gives an example of setting environment variables for hard partitions and powering on the partitions. These settings form the hard partitioning displayed by the `show config` and `show device` commands in later sections.

Example 4-2 Show Nvram with Hard Partitions

```
SCM_E0> set HP_COUNT 2 ❶
SCM_E0> set HP_QBB_MASK0 3
SCM_E0> set HP_QBB_MASK1 c
SCM_E0> show nvram ❷
COM1_PRINT_EN          1
HP_COUNT                2
HP_QBB_MASK0            3
HP_QBB_MASK1            c
HP_QBB_MASK2            0
HP_QBB_MASK3            0
HP_QBB_MASK4            0
HP_QBB_MASK5            0
HP_QBB_MASK6            0
HP_QBB_MASK7            0
SROM_MASK               ff f
XSROM_MASK               ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff 1 0 0
PRIMARY_CPU             ff
PRIMARY_QBB0            ff
AUTO_QUIT_SCM           1
FAULT_TO_SYS            0
DIMM_READ_DIS           1
SCM_CSB_MASTER_ELIGIBLE 1
PERF_MON                0
SCM_FORCE_FSL           0
OCP_TEXT                Uninitialized
AUTO_FAULT_RESTART      1
SCM_SIZING_TIME          c
```

- ❶ Example 4–2 shows the **hp_*** environment variables being set from the master SCM to define two hard partitions. The first partition consists of QBBs 0 and 1, and the second hard partition consists of QBBs 2 and 3.
- ❷ Here, the **show nvram** reveals that the **hp_count** environment variable has been set to 2, to indicate that two hard partitions are being defined. The hexadecimal value 3 defines QBBs 0 and 1 as hard partition 0, and the hexadecimal value C defines hard partition 1 as QBBs 2 and 3.

If you need to determine the master SCM, from which the **hp_*** environment variables can be set, the **show csb** command displays the CSB address of the master SCM. This address will appear in the SCM prompt.

Note that once **hp_*** environment variables have been set, they will not change value unless you use the **set** command from the master SCM to change them. The firmware uses the **hp_count** environment variable to determine how many of the **hp_qbb_maskn** environment variables to use in setting up partitions.

For example, if you change the partition settings from a three-hard-partition setup to a two-hard-partition setup, and change **hp_count** from 3 to 2, the firmware will only use **hp_qbb_mask0** and **hp_qbb_mask1** to define the size of the partitions. Any settings for other **hp_qbb_maskn** environment variables are ignored.

4.3 Show System Command (SCM)

You can use the SCM show system command to display the system's current partitioning, if any, as well as to find information needed to divide the system into hard partitions.

Example 4-3 Show System Command for an Unpartitioned System

```
SCM_E0> show system
```

```
System Primary QBB0 : 0
```

```
System Primary CPU : 0 on QBB0
```

```
Par hrd/csb CPU Mem IOR3 IOR2 IOR1 IOR0 GP QBB Dir PS Temp
QBB# 3210 3210 (pci_box.rio) Mod BP Mod 321 (:C)
❶
(-) 0/30 PPPP --PP --.- --.- P0.1 P0.0 P P P PP- 26.5
(-) 1/31 PPPP --PP --.- --.- P1.1 P1.0 P P P PP- 24.5
(-) 2/32 PPPP --PP --.- --.- P2.1 P2.0 P P P PP- 24.5
(-) 3/33 PPPP --PP --.- --.- P3.1 P3.0 P P P PP- 25.5

HSwitch Type Cables 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 Temp(:C)
HPM40 4-port - - - - P P P P 30.5

PCI Rise1-1 Rise1-0 Rise0-1 Rise0-0 RIO PS Temp
Cab 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 0 21 (:C)

10 - L - - - L L - L - - M M S * * PP 28.5
11 L - L - L - L - - M - - M S * * PP 28.5
12 - - - - L L L - - - M - M S * * PP 29.0
13 - - - - - L - L - M - L M S * * PP 28.5
```


Example 4–3 shows an example of an SCM **show system** command for an unpartitioned system. The dashes in the “Par” column (see ❶) indicate no partitions have been defined.

Example 4–4 shows the same system, divided into two partitions. As shown in the column at ❷, partition 0 consists of hard QBBs 0 and 1; and partition 1 consists of QBBs 2 and 3.

Example 4–4 Show System for a Partitioned System

```

Par hrd/csb CPU Mem IOR3 IOR2 IOR1 IOR0 GP QBB Dir PS Temp
   QBB# 3210 3210 (pci_box.rio) Mod BP Mod 321 (:C)
❷
(0) 0/30 PPPP --PP --.- --.- P0.1 P0.0 P P P PP- 25.5
(0) 1/31 PPPP --PP --.- --.- P1.1 P1.0 P P P PP- 24.0
(1) 2/32 PPPP --PP --.- --.- P2.1 P2.0 P P P PP- 24.0
(1) 3/33 PPPP --PP --.- --.- P3.1 P3.0 P P P PP- 24.5

HSwitch Type Cables 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 Temp(:C)
HPM40 4-port - - - - P P P P 30.5

PCI Rise1-1 Rise1-0 Rise0-1 Rise0-0 RIO PS Temp
Cab 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 0 21 (:C)

10 - L - - - L L - L - - M M S * * PP 28.5
11 L - L - L - L - - M - - M S * * PP 28.5
12 - - - - L L L - - - M - M S * * PP 29.0
13 - - - - - L - L - M - L M S * * PP 28.5

```

4.4 Show Config Command for Hard Partitions (SRM)

The SRM show config command displays configuration information.

4.4.1 Show Config for the Unpartitioned System

This example includes the show config display for the unpartitioned system.

Example 4-5 Show Config for the System

```
P00>>> show config
```

```
Compaq Computer Corporation
Compaq AlphaServer GS160 6/731
```

```
SRM Console      V5.8-11, built on Jul 12 2000 at 16:04:25
PALcode          OpenVMS PALcode V1.83-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.78-1
Micro Firmware   V5.6
```

Show Config - QBB Section (●)

```
●
QBB 0                Hard QBB 0    ❶
Quad Switch          QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Duplicate Tag        ❷            Up To 4 MB Caches DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0          CPU 0          4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1          CPU 1          4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2          CPU 2          4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3          CPU 3          4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0             MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1             MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory            DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP                  IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0          IOR 0        ❸            NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0          FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0            PCA rev 3
PCI Box 0             Riser 0      Right Side      Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0             Hose 0       64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1             Hose 1       64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1          IOR 1        ❸            NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1          FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1            PCA rev 3
PCI Box 0             Riser 1      Left Side      Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0             Hose 2       64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1             Hose 3       64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port           GPA rev 2, GPD revs 0/0
```

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- ❶ This example is an unpartitioned, 4-QBB system, the soft and hard QBB numbers are the same. On these two pages, QBBs 0 and 1 are displayed. On the following page, QBBs 2 and 3 are displayed.
- ❷ Soft CPU numbers range from 0 – 7 on this page, and continue on the following page with numbers 8 – 15.
- ❸ Logical I/O port numbers. Constructed of the decimal equivalent for the low nibble of the CSB address for the port as shown on a **show csb** command. For QBB0, IORs 0 and 1 are occupied. (IORs 2 and 3 for QBB 0 are unoccupied.) QBB1 includes IORs 4 and 5. (IORs 6 and 7 are unoccupied.) QBB2 includes IORs 8 and 9. (IORs 10 and 11 are unoccupied.) QBB3 includes IORs 12 and 13 (IORs 14 and 15 are unoccupied.)

Example 4-5 Show Config for the System (Continued)

QBB 1	Hard QBB 1	❶	
Quad Switch			QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Duplicate Tag	❷	Up To 4 MB Caches	DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0	CPU 4	4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1	CPU 5	4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2	CPU 6	4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3	CPU 7	4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0			MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1			MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory			DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP			IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0	IOR 4	❸	NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0			FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0			PCA rev 3
PCI Box 1	Riser 0	Right Side	Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 8	64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 9	64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1	IOR 5	❸	NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1			FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1			PCA rev 3
PCI Box 1	Riser 1	Left Side	Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 10	64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 11	64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port			GPA rev 2, GPD revs 0/0

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Example 4-5 Show Config for the System (Continued)

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QBB 2          Hard QBB 2  ❶
Quad Switch                                QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Duplicate Tag  ❷          Up To 4 MB Caches DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0    CPU 8      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1    CPU 9      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2    CPU 10     4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3    CPU 11     4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0                               MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1                               MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory                               DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP                                              IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0

Local Link 0   IOR 8      ❸          NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0                               FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0                               PCA rev 3
PCI Box 2      Riser 0      Right Side    Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0      Hose 16     64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1      Hose 17     64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant

Local Link 1   IOR 9      ❸          NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1                               FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1                               PCA rev 3
PCI Box 2      Riser 1      Left Side     Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0      Hose 18     64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1      Hose 19     64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port                               GPA rev 2, GPD revs 0/0

QBB 3          Hard QBB 3  ❶
Quad Switch                                QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Duplicate Tag  ❷          Up To 4 MB Caches DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0    CPU 12     4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1    CPU 13     4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2    CPU 14     4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3    CPU 15     4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0                               MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1                               MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory                               DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP                                              IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0

Local Link 0   IOR 12     ❸          NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0                               FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0                               PCA rev 3
PCI Box 3      Riser 0      Right Side    Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0      Hose 24     64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1      Hose 25     64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant

Local Link 1   IOR 13     ❸          NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1                               FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1                               PCA rev 3
PCI Box 3      Riser 1      Left Side     Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0      Hose 26     64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1      Hose 27     64 Bit, 33 MHz  PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port                               GPA rev 2, GPD revs 0/0

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- ❶ This page continues the QBB section of a **show config** for an unpartitioned, 4-QBB system. On the facing page, information for QBBs 2 and 3 are displayed.
- ❷ Soft CPU numbers range from 8 – 15 on this page.
- ❸ Logical I/O port numbers. Constructed of the decimal equivalent for the low nibble of the CSB address for the port as shown on a **show csb** command. QBB2 includes IORs 8 and 9. (IORs 10 and 11 are unoccupied.) QBB3 includes IORs 12 and 13 (IORs 14 and 15 are unoccupied.)

The **show config** listing continues with an entry for the hierarchical switch, a memory summary, and a standard I/O summary. This section is followed by a section giving detail for the memory boards on the system.

- ❶ The hierarchical switch is present on a 4-QBB system.
- ❷ The memory summary shows the memory present in each QBB. QBBs 0 through 3 each have 4 Gbytes of memory.
- ❸ This section shows the standard I/O modules present on designated hoses.
- ❹ Detailed memory listing. The total system memory is 16 Gbytes. Memory is listed by board number for each QBB in the system. In this case, each QBB has two 2-Gbyte boards.

Example 4-5 Show Config for the System (Continued)

Show Config - I/O Adapters Listed in Order by PCI Box ID Number (✓)

✓	①	②							✓
PCI	Box	Riser	Slot	Option	Hose	Bus	Slot	Function	Name
0		0	1	Standard I/O Module	0	③			
				+ Acer Labs M1543C	0	0	7		
				+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	0	0	15		dqa
				+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	0	0	19		
				+ QLogic ISP10x0	0	0	1		pka
0		0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	0	0	2		vga
0		0	3	DECchip 21154-AA	0	0	3		
				+ DE602-AA	0	2	4		eia
				+ DE602-AA	0	2	5		eib
0		0	6	QLogic ISP10x0	1	0	6		pkb
0		1	1	QLogic ISP10x0	2	0	1		pkc
0		1	2	DEC PCI FDDI	2	0	2		fwa
0		1	6	QLogic ISP10x0	3	0	6		pkd
1		0	1	Standard I/O Module	8	③			
				+ Acer Labs M1543C	8	0	7		
				+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	8	0	15		dqb
				+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	8	0	19		
				+ QLogic ISP10x0	8	0	1		pke
1		0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	8	0	2		vgb
1		0	5	DECchip 21154-AA	9	0	5		
				+ DE602-AA	9	2	4		eic
				+ DE602-AA	9	2	5		eid
1		1	1	QLogic ISP10x0	10	0	1		pkf
1		1	3	QLogic ISP10x0	10	0	3		pkg
1		1	5	QLogic ISP10x0	11	0	5		pkh
1		1	7	DEC PCI FDDI	11	0	7		fwb
2		0	1	Standard I/O Module	16	③			
				+ Acer Labs M1543C	16	0	7		
				+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	16	0	15		dqc
				+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	16	0	19		
				+ QLogic ISP10x0	16	0	1		pki
2		0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	16	0	2		vgc
2		0	4	DECchip 21154-AA	17	0	4		
				+ DE602-AA	17	2	4		eie
				+ DE602-AA	17	2	5		eif
2		1	1	QLogic ISP10x0	18	0	1		pkj
2		1	2	QLogic ISP10x0	18	0	2		pkk
2		1	3	QLogic ISP10x0	18	0	3		pkl
3		0	1	Standard I/O Module	24	③			
				+ Acer Labs M1543C	24	0	7		
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Example 4-5 Show Config for the System (Continued)

			+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	24	0	15	dqd
			+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	24	0	19	
			+ QLogic ISP10x0	24	0	1	pkm
3	0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	24	0	2	vgd
3	0	3	QLogic ISP10x0	24	0	3	pkn
3	0	5	DECchip 21154-AA	25	0	5	
			+ DE602-AA	25	2	4	eig
			+ DE602-AA	25	2	5	eih
3	0	7	QLogic ISP10x0	25	0	7	pko
3	1	2	QLogic ISP10x0	26	0	2	pkp
✓							✓

Show Config - Logical Hose Summary (+)

+					
④					
Hose	QBB	PCA	PCI	Bus	Slots
0	0	0	0		1-3
1	0	0	1		4-7
2	0	1	0		1-3
3	0	1	1		4-7
8	1	0	0		1-3
9	1	0	1		4-7
10	1	1	0		1-3
11	1	1	1		4-7
16	2	0	0		1-3
17	2	0	1		4-7
18	2	1	0		1-3
19	2	1	1		4-7
24	3	0	0		1-3
25	3	0	1		4-7
26	3	1	0		1-3
27	3	1	1		4-7
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- ① I/O adapters on the system are listed in order for the PCI box IDs in ascending order.
- ② Within PCI box, the connecting I/O riser in the QBB is listed (0 or 1).
- ③ Standard I/O modules are of interest in partitions. Here, each QBB is connected to a PCI box containing a standard I/O module.
- ④ Logical hoses in the system are listed here in ascending order.

Example 4-5 Show Config for the System (Continued)

Show Config - I/O Adapters and Devices in Order by Logical Hose Number (✱)

✱				✱			
				①			
Slot	Option	Hose 0, Bus 0, PCI					
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pka0.7.0.1.0	SCSI Bus ID 7				
		dka0.0.0.1.0	COMPAQ BB00921B91				
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vga0.0.0.2.0					
3	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI				
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA				
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqa.0.0.15.0					
		dqa0.0.0.15.0	COMPAQ CDR-8435				
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB						
Slot	Option	Hose 0, Bus 2, PCI					
4	DE602-AA	eia0.0.0.2004.0	00-50-8B-CF-1E-06				
5	DE602-AA	eib0.0.0.2005.0	00-50-8B-CF-1E-07				
Slot	Option	Hose 1, Bus 0, PCI					
6	QLogic ISP10x0	pkb0.7.0.6.1	SCSI Bus ID 7				
		dkb400.4.0.6.1	RZ2ED-LS				
Slot	Option	Hose 2, Bus 0, PCI					
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pkc0.7.0.1.2	SCSI Bus ID 7				
		dkc0.0.0.1.2	RZ2ED-LS				
		dkc100.1.0.1.2	RZ2ED-LS				
		dkc200.2.0.1.2	RZ2ED-LS				
		dkc300.3.0.1.2	RZ2ED-LS				
2	DEC PCI FDDI	fwa0.0.0.2.2	00-60-6D-DF-F1-E6				
Slot	Option	Hose 3, Bus 0, PCI					
6	QLogic ISP10x0	pkd0.7.0.6.3	SCSI Bus ID 7				
		dkd0.0.0.6.3	RZ2ED-LS				
		dkd100.1.0.6.3	RZ2ED-LS				
		dkd200.2.0.6.3	RZ2ED-LS				
Slot	Option	Hose 8, Bus 0, PCI					
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pke0.7.0.1.8	SCSI Bus ID 7				
		dke0.0.0.1.8	COMPAQ BB00921B91				
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vgb0.0.0.2.8					
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA				
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqb.0.0.15.8					
		dqb0.0.0.15.8	COMPAQ DVD-ROM GD-5000				
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB						
Slot	Option	Hose 9, Bus 0, PCI					
5	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI				

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This section of the **show config** display lists devices connected to the system. The format for device names is:

ddau.n.c.s.h

where the fields are as defined in Table 4–1. Note in the middle column (❶) that the adapter ID (**a**) and the unit numbers (**u**) proceed in alphabetic or numeric order for the whole system. These identifiers change when partitions are defined for the system.

Table 4–1 SRM Device Naming Conventions

Field	Meaning	Description
dd	Device driver	Two-letter designator for a port or class device driver. Usually one of: <div> <div>dk SCSI drive or CD</div> <div>ei Ethernet port</div> <div>dq IDE CD-ROM</div> <div>fw FDDI device</div> <div>dr RAID set device</div> <div>mc Memory channel</div> <div>dw Ethernet token ring</div> <div>mk SCSI tape</div> <div>pk SCSI port</div> </div>
a	Adapter ID	Specifies the one-letter designator for adapter ID. One of a, b, c,... If more than 26, continue with aa, bb, etc.
u	Unit number	Specifies the device unit number. For MSCP devices, this is a unique increasing number. For SCSI devices, this is 100 times the bus node no.
n	Node number	Specifies the bus node ID.
c	Channel number	Specifies the channel or PCI function number. Only meaningful for multi-channel or multi-function devices.
s	Slot number	Specifies the device's logical slot number. The output of a show config command indicates the logical slot numbers for devices in a system.
h	Logical hose number	Specifies the device's logical hose number.

Example 4-5 Show Config for the System (Continued)

Slot	Option	Hose 9, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eic0.0.0.2004.9	00-50-8B-CF-1D-DA
5	DE602-AA	eid0.0.0.2005.9	00-50-8B-CF-1D-DB
Slot	Option	Hose 10, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pkf0.7.0.1.10	SCSI Bus ID 7
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkg0.7.0.3.10	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkg0.0.0.3.10	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg100.1.0.3.10	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg200.2.0.3.10	RZ2DD-LS
		dkg300.3.0.3.10	RZ2ED-LS
Slot	Option	Hose 11, Bus 0, PCI	
5	QLogic ISP10x0	pkh0.7.0.5.11	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkh0.0.0.5.11	RZ2ED-LS
		dkh100.1.0.5.11	RZ2ED-LS
		dkh200.2.0.5.11	RZ2ED-LS
7	DEC PCI FDDI	fwb0.0.0.7.11	00-60-6D-12-E8-6B
Slot	Option	Hose 16, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pki0.7.0.1.16	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dki0.0.0.1.16	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vgc0.0.0.2.16	
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqc0.0.0.15.16	
		dqc0.0.0.15.16	COMPAQ CDR-8435
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 17, Bus 0, PCI	
4	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
Slot	Option	Hose 17, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eie0.0.0.2004.17	00-50-8B-CF-1F-DE
5	DE602-AA	eif0.0.0.2005.17	00-50-8B-CF-1F-DF
Slot	Option	Hose 18, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pkj0.7.0.1.18	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkj400.4.0.1.18	RZ2ED-LS
2	QLogic ISP10x0	pkk0.7.0.2.18	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkk0.0.0.2.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkk100.1.0.2.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkk200.2.0.2.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkk300.3.0.2.18	RZ2ED-LS
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkl0.7.0.3.18	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkl0.0.0.3.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkl100.1.0.3.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkl200.2.0.3.18	RZ2ED-LS

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Example 4-5 Show Config for the System (Continued)

Slot	Option	Hose 24, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pkm0.7.0.1.24	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkm0.0.0.1.24	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vgd0.0.0.2.24	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkn0.7.0.3.24	SCSI Bus ID 7
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqd.0.0.15.24	
		qd0.0.0.15.24	COMPAQ DVD-ROM GD-5000
9	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 25, Bus 0, PCI	
5	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
7	QLogic ISP10x0	pko0.7.0.7.25	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dko0.0.0.7.25	RZ2ED-LS
		dko100.1.0.7.25	RZ2ED-LS
		dko200.2.0.7.25	RZ2ED-LS
		dko300.3.0.7.25	RZ2ED-LS
Slot	Option	Hose 25, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eig0.0.0.2004.25	00-50-8B-CF-1C-AC
5	DE602-AA	eih0.0.0.2005.25	00-50-8B-CF-1C-AD
Slot	Option	Hose 26, Bus 0, PCI	
2	QLogic ISP10x0	pkp0.7.0.2.26	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkp0.0.0.2.26	RZ2ED-LS
		dkp100.1.0.2.26	RZ2ED-LS
		dkp200.2.0.2.26	RZ2ED-LS



P00>>>

4.4.2 Show Config for Hard Partition 0

This example displays hard partition 0, consisting of hard QBBs 0 and 1.

Example 4-6 Show Config for Hard Partition 0

P00>>> **show config**

Compaq Computer Corporation
Compaq AlphaServer GS160 6/731

SRM Console V5.8-11, built on Jul 12 2000 at 16:04:25
PALcode OpenVMS PALcode V1.83-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.78-1
Micro Firmware V5.6

Show Config - QBB Section (●)

```
●
QBB 0                Hard QBB 0  ①
Quad Switch
Duplicate Tag        ②          Up To 4 MB Caches  DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0          CPU 0        4 MB Cache       EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1          CPU 1        4 MB Cache       EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2          CPU 2        4 MB Cache       EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3          CPU 3        4 MB Cache       EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0
Memory 1
Directory
IOP
QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0

Local Link 0 IOR 0  ③          NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0          FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0
PCA rev 3
PCI Box 0            Riser 0      Right Side     Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0            Hose 0       64 Bit, 33 MHz PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1            Hose 1       64 Bit, 33 MHz PCI rev 2.1 compliant

Local Link 1 IOR 1  ③          NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1          FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1
PCA rev 3
PCI Box 0            Riser 1      Left Side     Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0            Hose 2       64 Bit, 33 MHz PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1            Hose 3       64 Bit, 33 MHz PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port
GPA rev 2, GPD revs 0/0

QBB 1                Hard QBB 1  ①
Quad Switch
Duplicate Tag        ②          Up To 4 MB Caches  DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0          CPU 4        4 MB Cache       EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1          CPU 5        4 MB Cache       EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2          CPU 6        4 MB Cache       EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3          CPU 7        4 MB Cache       EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0
Memory 1
Directory
MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
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Example 4-6 Show Config for Hard Partition 0 (Continued)

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IOP
Local Link 0 IOR 4 ③
Remote Link 0
I/O Port 0
  PCI Box 1    Riser 0    Right Side
  PCI Bus 0    Hose 8     64 Bit, 33 MHz
  PCI Bus 1    Hose 9     64 Bit, 33 MHz
Local Link 1 IOR 5 ③
Remote Link 1
I/O Port 1
  PCI Box 1    Riser 1    Left Side
  PCI Bus 0    Hose 10    64 Bit, 33 MHz
  PCI Bus 1    Hose 11    64 Bit, 33 MHz
Global Port
IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
NE ML rev 2
FE ML rev 2
PCA rev 3
Backplane rev 3
PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI rev 2.1 compliant
NE ML rev 2
FE ML rev 2
PCA rev 3
Backplane rev 3
PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI rev 2.1 compliant
GPA rev 2, GPD revs 0/0

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- ❶ In hard partition 0, the hard and soft QBB numbers are still equivalent. Both start at 0. In this case, the partition consists of hard QBBS 0 and 1. (Assuming the **hp_*** environment variables were set as in Section 4.1.)
- ❷ Soft CPU numbers start with 0 and continue through 8, as was the case in Section 4.4.1.
- ❸ The IOR numbers are as they were for the **show config** for the entire system (see Section 4.4.1).

Example 4-6 Show Config for Hard Partition 0 (Continued)

Show Config - H-Switch, Memory, and Standard I/O Summary (■)

■ Hierarchical Switch ❶				HSA revs 1/1, HSD revs 1/1/1/1	■
QBB Size Interleave ❷				System Memory 8 GB	
0	4 GB	8-Way			
1	4 GB	8-Way			
Hose IOP PCI Box ❸				Standard I/O Modules	
0	0	0	Primary	Acer Labs M1543C rev A1-D	
8	1	1		Acer Labs M1543C rev A1-D	
■					■

Show Config - Memory Detail (▲)

▲ System Memory 8 GB ❹					▲
Board	Set	Array	Size	Address	QBB 0 Memory
0	0	0	2 GB	00000000000	
1	0	1	2 GB	00000000000	
Total Available			4 GB	8-Way Interleave	
Board	Set	Array	Size	Address	QBB 1 Memory
0	0	0	2 GB	01000000000	
1	0	1	2 GB	01000000000	
Total Available			4 GB	8-Way Interleave	
▲					▲

The **show config** listing continues with an entry for the hierarchical switch, a memory summary, and a standard I/O summary for the partition. This section is followed by a section giving detail for the memory boards in the partition.

- ❶ The hierarchical switch is considered a part of the partition.
- ❷ The memory summary shows the memory present in each QBB in the partition. QBBs 0 and 1 each have 4 Gbytes of memory each. Note that the heading “System Memory” lists total memory for this partition only.
- ❸ This section shows the standard I/O modules present on designated hoses within the partition.
- ❹ Detailed memory listing. The total system memory (actually, for the partition only) is 8 Gbytes. Memory is listed by board number for each QBB in the partition. In this case, QBBs 0 and 1 each have two 2-Gbyte boards.

Show Config - I/O Adapters Listed in Order by PCI Box ID Number (✓)

PCI Box	Riser	Slot	Option	Hose	Bus	Slot	Function	Name
0	0	1	Standard I/O Module	0	3			
			+ Acer Labs M1543C	0	0	7		
			+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	0	0	15		dqa
			+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	0	0	19		
			+ QLogic ISP10x0	0	0	1		pka
0	0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	0	0	2		vga
0	0	3	DECchip 21154-AA	0	0	3		
			+ DE602-AA	0	2	4		eia
			+ DE602-AA	0	2	5		eib
0	0	6	QLogic ISP10x0	1	0	6		pkb
0	1	1	QLogic ISP10x0	2	0	1		pkc
0	1	2	DEC PCI FDDI	2	0	2		fwa
0	1	6	QLogic ISP10x0	3	0	6		pkd
1	0	1	Standard I/O Module	8	3			
			+ Acer Labs M1543C	8	0	7		
			+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	8	0	15		dqb
			+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	8	0	19		
			+ QLogic ISP10x0	8	0	1		pke
1	0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	8	0	2		vgb
1	0	5	DECchip 21154-AA	9	0	5		
			+ DE602-AA	9	2	4		eic
			+ DE602-AA	9	2	5		eid
1	1	1	QLogic ISP10x0	10	0	1		pkf
1	1	3	QLogic ISP10x0	10	0	3		pkg
1	1	5	QLogic ISP10x0	11	0	5		pkh
1	1	7	DEC PCI FDDI	11	0	7		fwb

Show Config - Logical Hose Summary (+)

+ 4 +					
Hose	QBB	PCA	PCI	Bus	Slots
0	0	0	0		1-3
1	0	0	1		4-7
2	0	1	0		1-3
3	0	1	1		4-7
8	1	0	0		1-3
9	1	0	1		4-7
10	1	1	0		1-3
11	1	1	1		4-7
+ +					

- ❶ I/O adapters in the partition are listed in order for the PCI box IDs in ascending order. Comparing this to the display for the whole system in Example 4–5 shows that the PCI boxes connected to QBBs 0 and 1 are listed here.
- ❷ The I/O riser in the QBB providing the connection to the PCI box is listed here.
- ❸ Two standard I/O modules are resident in hard partition 0.
- ❹ Logical hose numbers attached to QBBs 0 and 1 (hard partition 0) are listed here.

Example 4-6 Show Config for Hard Partition 0 (Continued)

Show Config - I/O Adapters and Devices in Order by Logical Hose Number (✿)

✿			
①			
Slot	Option	Hose 0, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pka0.7.0.1.0	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dka0.0.0.1.0	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vga0.0.0.2.0	
3	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqa.0.0.15.0	
		dqa0.0.0.15.0	COMPAQ CDR-8435
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 0, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eia0.0.0.2004.0	00-50-8B-CF-1E-06
5	DE602-AA	eib0.0.0.2005.0	00-50-8B-CF-1E-07
Slot	Option	Hose 1, Bus 0, PCI	
6	QLogic ISP10x0	pkb0.7.0.6.1	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkb0.0.0.6.1	COMPAQ BA03611C9B
		dkb100.1.0.6.1	RZ2DD-LS
Slot	Option	Hose 2, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pkc0.7.0.1.2	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkc0.0.0.1.2	RZ2ED-LS
		dkc100.1.0.1.2	RZ2ED-LS
		dkc200.2.0.1.2	RZ2ED-LS
		dkc300.3.0.1.2	RZ2ED-LS
2	DEC PCI FDDI	fwa0.0.0.2.2	00-60-6D-DF-F1-E6
Slot	Option	Hose 3, Bus 0, PCI	
6	QLogic ISP10x0	pkd0.7.0.6.3	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkd0.0.0.6.3	RZ2ED-LS
		dkd100.1.0.6.3	RZ2ED-LS
		dkd200.2.0.6.3	RZ2ED-LS
Slot	Option	Hose 8, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pke0.7.0.1.8	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dke0.0.0.1.8	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vgb0.0.0.2.8	
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqb.0.0.15.8	
		dqb0.0.0.15.8	COMPAQ DVD-ROM GD-5000
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 9, Bus 0, PCI	
5	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
Slot	Option	Hose 9, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eic0.0.0.2004.9	00-50-8B-CF-1D-DA
5	DE602-AA	eid0.0.0.2005.9	00-50-8B-CF-1D-DB
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Example 4-6 Show Config for Hard Partition 0 (Continued)

Slot	Option	Hose 10, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pkf0.7.0.1.10	SCSI Bus ID 7
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkg0.7.0.3.10	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkg0.0.0.3.10	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg100.1.0.3.10	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg200.2.0.3.10	RZ2DD-LS
		dkg300.3.0.3.10	RZ2ED-LS
Slot	Option	Hose 11, Bus 0, PCI	
5	QLogic ISP10x0	pkh0.7.0.5.11	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkh0.0.0.5.11	RZ2ED-LS
		dkh100.1.0.5.11	RZ2ED-LS
		dkh200.2.0.5.11	RZ2ED-LS
7	DEC PCI FDDI	fwb0.0.0.7.11	00-60-6D-12-E8-6B

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This section of the **show config** for partition 0 shows the devices connected to the partition (❶). In this case, for partition 0, the device adapter IDs and the unit numbers remain the same as for the listing for the entire system, since they are connected to QBBs 0 and 1.

4.4.3 Show Config for Hard Partition 1

This example displays information for hard partition 1.

Example 4-7 Show Config for Hard Partition 1

P00>>> **show config**

Compaq Computer Corporation
Compaq AlphaServer GS160 6/731

SRM Console V5.8-11, built on Jul 12 2000 at 16:04:25
PALcode OpenVMS PALcode V1.83-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.78-1
Micro Firmware V5.6

Show Config - QBB Section (●)

```
●
QBB 0          Hard QBB 2  ①
Quad Switch
Duplicate Tag  ②          Up To 4 MB Caches  DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0    CPU 0      4 MB Cache         EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1    CPU 1      4 MB Cache         EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2    CPU 2      4 MB Cache         EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3    CPU 3      4 MB Cache         EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0
Memory 1
Directory
IOP
Local Link 0 IOR 0 ③      NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0      FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0
PCI Box 2 Riser 0 Right Side Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0 Hose 16 64 Bit, 33 MHz PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1 Hose 17 64 Bit, 33 MHz PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 1 ③      NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1      FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1
PCI Box 2 Riser 1 Left Side Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0 Hose 18 64 Bit, 33 MHz PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1 Hose 19 64 Bit, 33 MHz PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port      GPA rev 2, GPD revs 0/0
QBB 1          Hard QBB 3  ①
Quad Switch
Duplicate Tag  ②          Up To 4 MB Caches  DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0    CPU 4      4 MB Cache         EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
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Example 4-7 Show Config for Hard Partition 1 (Continued)

Processor 1	CPU 5	4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2	CPU 6	4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3	CPU 7	4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0			MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1			MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory			DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP			IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0 IOR 4		③	NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0			FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0			PCA rev 3
PCI Box 3	Riser 0	Right Side	Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 24	64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 25	64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 5		③	NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1			FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1			PCA rev 3
PCI Box 3	Riser 1	Left Side	Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 26	64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 27	64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port			GPA rev 2, GPD revs 0/0

- ❶ In this example, hard partition 1 consists of hard QBBs 2 and 3. Note that the soft partition numbers begin again with 0.
- ❷ Soft CPU numbers also restart at 0 within hard partition 1. Here, they range from 0 through 7.
- ❸ The logical I/O port numbers also restart at 0 within hard partition 1.

Example 4-7 Show Config for Hard Partition 1 (Continued)

Show Config - H-Switch, Memory, and Standard I/O Summary (■)

Hierarchical Switch ❶			HSA revs 1/1, HSD revs 1/1/1/1		
QBB	Size	Interleave	System Memory 8 GB		
0	4 GB	8-Way			
1	4 GB	8-Way			
Hose	IOP	PCI Box	Standard I/O Modules		
16	0	2	Primary		
24	1	3	Acer Labs M1543C rev A1-E		
			Acer Labs M1543C rev A1-E		

Show Config - Memory Detail (▲)

System Memory 8 GB ❷					
Board	Set	Array	Size	Address	QBB 0 Memory
0	0	0	2 GB	00000000000	
1	0	1	2 GB	00000000000	
Total Available			4 GB	8-Way Interleave	
Board	Set	Array	Size	Address	QBB 1 Memory
0	0	0	2 GB	01000000000	
1	0	1	2 GB	01000000000	
Total Available			4 GB	8-Way Interleave	

- ❶ The hierarchical switch is shown as present in hard partition 1.
- ❷ The memory summary shows the memory present in each QBB. Note that soft QBB numbers are used in this display.
- ❸ This section shows the standard I/O modules present in hard partition 1. Note that the hose numbers are not restarted at 0. Hose numbers remain constant regardless of partitioning.
- ❹ Detailed memory listing. The “System Memory” refers to the memory for the hard partition. Each QBB contains two boards of 2 GB each.

Show Config - I/O Adapters Listed in Order by PCI Box ID Number (✓)

PCI	Box	Riser	Slot	Option	Hose	Bus	Slot	Function	Name
	2	0	1	Standard I/O Module	16	3			
				+ Acer Labs M1543C	16	0	7		
				+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	16	0	15		dqa
				+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	16	0	19		
				+ QLogic ISP10x0	16	0	1		pka
2		0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	16	0	2		vga
2		0	4	DECchip 21154-AA	17	0	4		
				+ DE602-AA	17	2	4		eia
				+ DE602-AA	17	2	5		eib
		1	1	QLogic ISP10x0	18	0	1		pkb
		1	2	QLogic ISP10x0	18	0	2		pkc
		1	3	QLogic ISP10x0	18	0	3		pkd
3		0	1	Standard I/O Module	24	3			
				+ Acer Labs M1543C	24	0	7		
				+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	24	0	15		dqb
				+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	24	0	19		
				+ QLogic ISP10x0	24	0	1		pke
3		0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	24	0	2		vgb
3		0	3	QLogic ISP10x0	24	0	3		pkf
3		0	5	DECchip 21154-AA	25	0	5		
				+ DE602-AA	25	2	4		eic
				+ DE602-AA	25	2	5		eid
3		0	7	QLogic ISP10x0	25	0	7		pkg
3		1	2	QLogic ISP10x0	26	0	2		pkh

Show Config - Logical Hose Summary (+)

4				
Hose	QBB	PCA	PCI Bus	Slots
16	0	0	0	1-3
17	0	0	1	4-7
18	0	1	0	1-3
19	0	1	1	4-7
24	1	0	0	1-3
25	1	0	1	4-7
26	1	1	0	1-3
27	1	1	1	4-7

- ❶ I/O adapters on the system are listed in order for the PCI box IDs in ascending order. Note that the PCI box IDs remain the same whether or not the system is partitioned. They are the settings on the node ID switches of the PCI boxes, and are unique and constant through the system.
- ❷ Within PCI box, the connecting I/O riser in the QBB is listed (0 or 1).
- ❸ Standard I/O modules are of interest in partitions. Hard partition 1 contains two standard I/O modules.
- ❹ Logical hoses in hard partition 1 are listed here. Note that these numbers remain the same whether or not the system is partitioned.

Example 4-7 Show Config for Hard Partition 1 (Continued)

Show Config - I/O Adapters and Devices in Order by Logical Hose Number (✿)

✿ ① ✿			
Slot	Option	Hose 16, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pka0.7.0.1.16	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dka0.0.0.1.16	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vga0.0.0.2.16	
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqa.0.0.15.16	
		dqa0.0.0.15.16	COMPAQ CDR-8435
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 17, Bus 0, PCI	
4	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
Slot	Option	Hose 17, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eia0.0.0.2004.17	00-50-8B-CF-1F-DE
5	DE602-AA	eib0.0.0.2005.17	00-50-8B-CF-1F-DF
Slot	Option	Hose 18, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pkb0.7.0.1.18	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkb0.0.0.1.18	COMPAQ BA03611C9B
		dkb100.1.0.1.18	RZ2DD-LS
2	QLogic ISP10x0	pkc0.7.0.2.18	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkc0.0.0.2.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkc100.1.0.2.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkc200.2.0.2.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkc300.3.0.2.18	RZ2ED-LS
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkd0.7.0.3.18	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkd0.0.0.3.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkd100.1.0.3.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkd200.2.0.3.18	RZ2ED-LS
Slot	Option	Hose 24, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pke0.7.0.1.24	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dke0.0.0.1.24	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vgb0.0.0.2.24	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkf0.7.0.3.24	SCSI Bus ID 7
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqb.0.0.15.24	
		dqb0.0.0.15.24	COMPAQ DVD-ROM GD-5000
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		

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Slot	Option	Hose 25, Bus 0, PCI	
5	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
7	QLogic ISP10x0	pkg0.7.0.7.25	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkg0.0.0.7.25	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg100.1.0.7.25	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg200.2.0.7.25	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg300.3.0.7.25	RZ2ED-LS
Slot	Option	Hose 25, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eic0.0.0.2004.25	00-50-8B-CF-1C-AC
5	DE602-AA	eid0.0.0.2005.25	00-50-8B-CF-1C-AD
Slot	Option	Hose 26, Bus 0, PCI	
2	QLogic ISP10x0	pkh0.7.0.2.26	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkh0.0.0.2.26	RZ2ED-LS
		dkh100.1.0.2.26	RZ2ED-LS
		dkh200.2.0.2.26	RZ2ED-LS

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This section of the **show config** display lists devices connected to hard partition 1 (see ❶).

NOTE: *The device name’s adapter ID and unit number are restarted at “a” and “0”, respectively, for second and consecutive hard partitions. This is significant when you are defining the boot device and other parameters for a hard partition.*

4.5 Show Device Command for Hard Partitions (SRM)

The **show device** command displays information about the I/O devices connected to the system.

4.5.1 Show Device for Unpartitioned System

This example displays a **show device** for the same system as used in Section 4.4.1.

Example 4-8 Show Device for Unpartitioned System

P00>>> **show device**

dka0.0.0.1.0	DKA0	COMPAQ	BB00921B91	3B05	❶
dkb400.4.0.6.1	DKB400		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc0.0.0.1.2	DKC0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc100.1.0.1.2	DKC100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc200.2.0.1.2	DKC200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc300.3.0.1.2	DKC300		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd0.0.0.6.3	DKD0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd100.1.0.6.3	DKD100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd200.2.0.6.3	DKD200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dke0.0.0.1.8	DKE0	COMPAQ	BB00921B91	3B05	
dkg0.0.0.3.10	DKG0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg100.1.0.3.10	DKG100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg200.2.0.3.10	DKG200		RZ2DD-LS	0306	
dkg300.3.0.3.10	DKG300		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh0.0.0.5.11	DKH0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh100.1.0.5.11	DKH100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh200.2.0.5.11	DKH200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkl0.0.0.1.16	DKI0	COMPAQ	BB00921B91	3B05	❶
dkj400.4.0.1.18	DKJ400		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkk0.0.0.2.18	DKK0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkk100.1.0.2.18	DKK100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkk200.2.0.2.18	DKK200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkk300.3.0.2.18	DKK300		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkl0.0.0.3.18	DKL0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkl100.1.0.3.18	DKL100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkl200.2.0.3.18	DKL200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkm0.0.0.1.24	DKM0	COMPAQ	BB00921B91	3B05	
dko0.0.0.7.25	DKO0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dko100.1.0.7.25	DKO100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dko200.2.0.7.25	DKO200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dko300.3.0.7.25	DKO300		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkp0.0.0.2.26	DKP0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkp100.1.0.2.26	DKP100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkp200.2.0.2.26	DKP200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	

dqa0.0.0.15.0	DQA0	COMPAQ CDR-8435	0013	②
dqb0.0.0.15.8	DQB0	COMPAQ DVD-ROM GD-5000	0211	
dqc0.0.0.15.16	DQC0	COMPAQ CDR-8435	0013	②
dqd0.0.0.15.24	DQD0	COMPAQ DVD-ROM GD-5000	0211	
eia0.0.0.2004.0	EIA0	00-50-8B-CF-1E-06		③
eib0.0.0.2005.0	EIB0	00-50-8B-CF-1E-07		
eic0.0.0.2004.9	EIC0	00-50-8B-CF-1D-DA		
eid0.0.0.2005.9	EID0	00-50-8B-CF-1D-DB		
eie0.0.0.2004.17	EIE0	00-50-8B-CF-1F-DE		③
EIF0.0.0.2005.17	EIF0	00-50-8B-CF-1F-DF		
eig0.0.0.2004.25	EIG0	00-50-8B-CF-1C-AC		
eih0.0.0.2005.25	EIH0	00-50-8B-CF-1C-AD		
fwa0.0.0.2.2	FWA0	00-60-6D-DF-F1-E6		④
fwb0.0.0.7.11	FWB0	00-60-6D-12-E8-6B		
pka0.7.0.1.0	PKA0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	⑤
pkb0.7.0.6.1	PKB0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkc0.7.0.1.2	PKC0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkd0.7.0.6.3	PKD0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pke0.7.0.1.8	PKE0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkf0.7.0.1.10	PKF0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkg0.7.0.3.10	PKG0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkh0.7.0.5.11	PKH0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkj0.7.0.1.16	PKI0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	⑤
pkj0.7.0.1.18	PKJ0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkk0.7.0.2.18	PKK0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkl0.7.0.3.18	PKL0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkm0.7.0.1.24	PKM0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkn0.7.0.3.24	PKN0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pk0.7.0.7.25	PKO0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkp0.7.0.2.26	PKP0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	

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- ① Looking back at the cutoff points for logical hose numbers for the two partitions as shown by the **show config** displays for partition 0 and partition 1 of this system, we can predict the division point in this example for the **dk** devices (SCSI). The break is at logical hose 16. (Remember from Table 4–1 that the logical hose number is the last number in the device name.)
- ② Likewise, for **dq** (IDE CD-ROM) devices, the devices are divided beginning with the second partition at logical hose 16.
- ③ For Ethernet ports, the division occurs at logical hose 17.
- ④ Both FDDI devices are in partition 0.
- ⑤ The **pk** (SCSI ports) divide at logical hose 16.

4.5.2 Show Device for Hard Partition 0

This example shows the display provided by a show device command for hard partition 0.

Example 4-9 Show Device for Hard Partition 0

P00>>> show device

dka0.0.0.1.0	DKA0	COMPAQ	BB00921B91	3B05	❶
dkb0.0.0.6.1	DKB0	COMPAQ	BA03611C9B	3B06	
dkb100.1.0.6.1	DKB100		RZ2DD-LS	0306	
dkc0.0.0.1.2	DKC0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc100.1.0.1.2	DKC100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc200.2.0.1.2	DKC200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc300.3.0.1.2	DKC300		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd0.0.0.6.3	DKD0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd100.1.0.6.3	DKD100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd200.2.0.6.3	DKD200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dke0.0.0.1.8	DKE0	COMPAQ	BB00921B91	3B05	
dkg0.0.0.3.10	DKG0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg100.1.0.3.10	DKG100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg200.2.0.3.10	DKG200		RZ2DD-LS	0306	
dkg300.3.0.3.10	DKG300		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh0.0.0.5.11	DKH0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh100.1.0.5.11	DKH100		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh200.2.0.5.11	DKH200		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dqa0.0.0.15.0	DQA0	COMPAQ	CDR-8435	0013	❷
dqb0.0.0.15.8	DQB0	COMPAQ	DVD-ROM GD-5000	0211	
eia0.0.0.2004.0	EIA0		00-50-8B-CF-1E-06	❸	
eib0.0.0.2005.0	EIB0		00-50-8B-CF-1E-07		
eic0.0.0.2004.9	EIC0		00-50-8B-CF-1D-DA		
eid0.0.0.2005.9	EID0		00-50-8B-CF-1D-DB		
fwa0.0.0.2.2	FWA0		00-60-6D-DF-F1-E6	❹	
fwb0.0.0.7.11	FWB0		00-60-6D-12-E8-6B		
pka0.7.0.1.0	PKA0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	❺
pkb0.7.0.6.1	PKB0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkc0.7.0.1.2	PKC0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkd0.7.0.6.3	PKD0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pke0.7.0.1.8	PKE0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkf0.7.0.1.10	PKF0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkg0.7.0.3.10	PKG0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkh0.7.0.5.11	PKH0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	

P00>>>

- ❶ As determined from the last section, partition 0 contains the 18 **dk** devices connected to the logical hoses that are part of partition 0. Their numbering here in partition 0 is the same as it was for the entire system.
- ❷ The two expected **dq** devices are shown here as part of partition 0.
- ❸ The four Ethernet ports in partition 0 are shown here.
- ❹ Both FDDI devices on the system are, as predicted, part of partition 0.
- ❺ The eight Ethernet ports that are part of partition 0 are listed here.

4.5.3 Show Device for Hard Partition 1

This example shows the display provided by a show device command for hard partition 1.

Example 4-10 Show Device for Hard Partition 1

P00>>> show device

dka0.0.0.1.16	DKA0	COMPAQ BB00921B91	3B05	❶
dkb0.0.0.1.18	DKB0	COMPAQ BA03611C9B	3B06	
dkb100.1.0.1.18	DKB100	RZ2DD-LS	0306	
dkc0.0.0.2.18	DKC0	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc100.1.0.2.18	DKC100	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc200.2.0.2.18	DKC200	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc300.3.0.2.18	DKC300	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd0.0.0.3.18	DKD0	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd100.1.0.3.18	DKD100	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd200.2.0.3.18	DKD200	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dke0.0.0.1.24	DKE0	COMPAQ BB00921B91	3B05	
dkg0.0.0.7.25	DKG0	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg100.1.0.7.25	DKG100	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg200.2.0.7.25	DKG200	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg300.3.0.7.25	DKG300	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh0.0.0.2.26	DKH0	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh100.1.0.2.26	DKH100	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkh200.2.0.2.26	DKH200	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dqa0.0.0.15.16	DQA0	COMPAQ CDR-8435	0013	❷
dqb0.0.0.15.24	DQB0	COMPAQ DVD-ROM GD-5000	0211	
eia0.0.0.2004.17	EIA0	00-50-8B-CF-1F-DE		❸
eib0.0.0.2005.17	EIB0	00-50-8B-CF-1F-DF		
eic0.0.0.2004.25	EIC0	00-50-8B-CF-1C-AC		
eid0.0.0.2005.25	EID0	00-50-8B-CF-1C-AD		
pka0.7.0.1.16	PKA0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	❺
pkb0.7.0.1.18	PKB0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkc0.7.0.2.18	PKC0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkd0.7.0.3.18	PKD0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pke0.7.0.1.24	PKE0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkf0.7.0.3.24	PKF0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkg0.7.0.7.25	PKG0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkh0.7.0.2.26	PKH0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	

- ❶ The 18 SCSI devices with logical hose connections 16 and up appear here as part of hard partition 1. Note that the adapter ID lettering begins again at a. That is, the **dka...** device is listed as **dki....** in Example 4–8.
- ❷ Logical hoses 16 and 24 are attached to partition 1, so these two IDE CD-ROM-devices are listed here. Again, adapter ID lettering begins again at a.
- ❸ The four Ethernet ports in hard partition 1 appear here. Again, adapter ID lettering begins again at a.
- ❹ (There are no FDDI devices attached to hard partition 1, as there were in partition 0.)
- ❺ The eight Ethernet ports that are part of hard partition 1 are listed here. Again, adapter ID lettering restarts at a.

Chapter 5

Defining Soft Partitions

OpenVMS Galaxy recognizes soft partitions as well as hard partitions. Soft partitions are the basis for dynamic resource sharing for *OpenVMS*, as discussed in Chapter 1. (See the *OpenVMS Alpha Galaxy and Partitioning Guide* for more information.) This chapter describes the SRM environment variables you set to define soft partitions, as well as the **lpinit** command used to initialize soft partitions.

Sections include:

- SRM Commands That Define Soft Partitions
- Console Window for Soft Partitions
- Detailed Directions for **lp_io_mask**
- Detailed Directions for **lp_cpu_mask**
- Detailed Directions for **lp_mem_size**
- Detailed Directions for **lp_shared_mem_size**
- **Lpinit** Command
- Soft Partitions Within Hard Partitions

5.1 SRM Commands That Define Soft Partitions

Soft partitions are defined by setting environment variables that define the number of partitions, as well as the CPUs, I/O risers, and memory sizes of each partition, the size of shared memory, and the partition to receive error interrupts. Soft partitions are initialized with the `lpinit` command.

Figure 5-1 Soft Partitions on a GS160 System

SRM environment variables

define:

1. Number of partitions:

`lp_count (0, 1, 2, 3, ... 8)`

```
P00>>> set lp_count 3
```

2. Resources in each partition:

```
P00>>> set lp_io_mask0 1
```

```
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask0 F
```

```
P00>>> set lp_mem_size0 6GB
```

```
P00>>> set lp_io_mask1 6
```

```
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask1 FF0
```

```
P00>>> set lp_mem_size1 12GB
```

```
P00>>> set lp_io_mask2 8
```

```
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask2 F000
```

```
P00>>> set_mem_size2 10GB
```

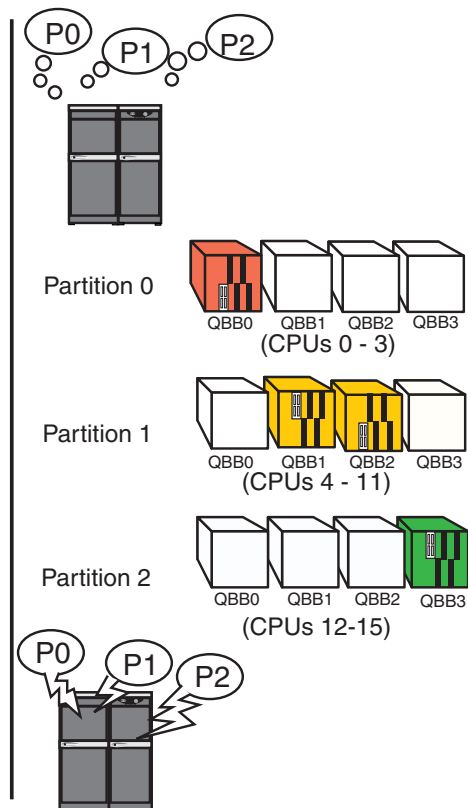
```
P00>>> set lp_shared_mem_size 4GB
```

```
P00>>> set lp_error_target 0
```

Lpinit command

initialize partitions defined:

```
P00>>> lpinit
```



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You set values for environment variables to define the number of partitions, the CPU, memory, and I/O resources belonging to each partition, the amount of shared memory, and the partition to receive error interrupts. Figure 5–1 and Table 5–1 give an overview of the environment variables and what they do.

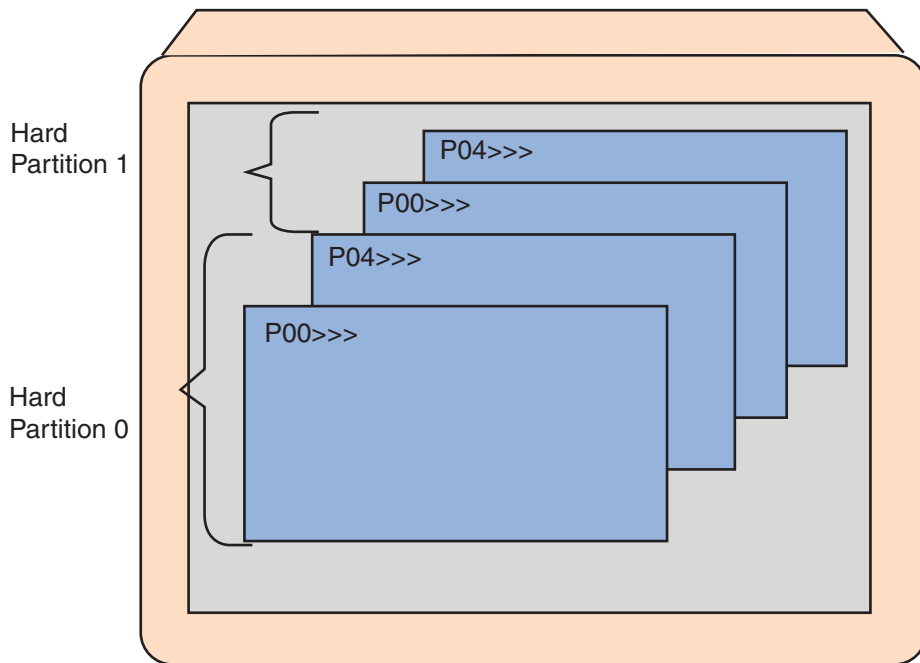
Table 5–1 SRM Environment Variables for Soft Partitions

Environment Variable	Definition
lp_count <i>n</i>	<p>The number of soft partitions to create. Possible values:</p> <p>0 Default. All IOPs, CPUs, and memory are assigned to one soft partition. No shared memory is defined.</p> <p>1 One soft partition is created (partition 0).</p> <p>2-8 From two to eight soft partitions can be defined.</p>
lp_io_mask * <i>x</i>	<p>For the *, supply the partition number (0 – 7). The value <i>x</i> gives a binary mask indicating the soft QBB numbers (as displayed by show config as discussed in Chapter 4) for QBBs (containing I/O risers) to be included in the partition. See Section 5.2 for details.</p>
lp_cpu_mask * <i>x</i>	<p>For the *, supply the partition number. The value <i>x</i> gives a binary mask indicating which CPUs (using “soft” CPU numbers, as displayed by show config as discussed in Chapter 4) are part of the partition. See Section 5.4 for details.</p>
lp_mem_size * <i>n</i>	<p>For the *, you supply the number of the partition. The value <i>n</i> can be a size or list of sizes. See Section 5.5 for details.</p>
lp_shared_mem_size <i>n</i>	<p>Size of memory shared by all partitions. See Section 5.6 for details.</p>
lp_error_target	<p>The number of the soft partition that is to receive error interrupts. The primary CPU of this soft partition will receive the interrupts. If lp_count is 0, lp_error_target is ignored.</p>

5.2 Console Window for Soft Partitions

If your system has soft partitions within hard partitions, you must select the right console window to define the `lp_*` environment variables and issue the `lpinit` command. This is the window whose SRM is on the standard I/O with the lowest hose number within the partition.

Figure 5-2 Console Window Whose SRM Is Connected to the Lowest-Numbered Hose in the Hard Partition



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You must have a standard I/O module for each hard or soft partition on your system. When you define soft partitions, you must choose the SRM console that resides on the standard I/O module that controls the hard partition in which it is resident. This is the standard I/O module connected to the lowest-numbered hose in the hard partition. If cabling for the system is standard, the SRM prompt in each case will be P00>>>.

For example, in Figure 5–2, there are two hard partitions defined on a system with four standard I/O modules. To define soft partitions within the hard partitions, you would choose the console window with the prompt P00>>> to define soft partitions within hard partition 0. You would also choose the console window with the prompt P00>>> to define soft partitions within hard partition 1.

If you cannot be sure from the SRM prompt which console window to use to define soft partitions within a hard partition, find the one within the hard partition from which the command **show lp*** works. This is the one from which you can define the **lp*** environment variables.

5.3 Detailed Directions for lp_io_mask

The `lp_io_mask` environment variable is set to a value that creates a binary mask in which a bit set to 1 indicates that an individual IOP (same as soft QBB number) belongs to a soft partition.

Figure 5-3 Sample lp_io_mask Bit Masks

Partition 0									
Soft									
QBB No.	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
Bits set	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	= hex value 3

Partition 1									
Soft									
QBB No.	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
Bits set	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	= hex value C

Partition 2									
Soft									
QBB No.	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
Bits set	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	= hex value F0

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I/O ports (IOPs), defined by the soft QBB number for the QBB in which they reside, can be assigned to logical partitions in any order. Soft QBB numbers are displayed by a **show config** command. Each soft partition must contain at least one IOP with an I/O riser connected to a master PCI box with a standard I/O module.

Bit values for one nibble of data are as follows:

Hex	Binary	Hex	Binary
0	0000	8	1000
1	0001	9	1001
2	0010	A	1010
3	0011	B	1011
4	0100	C	1100
5	0101	D	1101
6	0110	E	1110
7	0111	F	1111

Example 5-1 Sample lp_io_mask Setup

```
P00>>> set lp_io_mask0 3
P00>>> set lp_io_mask1 C
P00>>> set lp_io_mask2 F0
```

In Example 5-1, the first command defines the IOPs in QBBS 0 and 1 as part of soft partition 0. The second command defines the IOPs in QBBS 2 and 3 as part of soft partition 1. The third command defines the IOPs in QBBS 4, 5, 6, and 7 as part of soft partition 2.

Figure 5–4 shows some examples of bit masks for the **lp_cpu_mask** environment variable on a fully populated GS320 system (up to 32 processors) with no hard partitions. Both hexadecimal and decimal are given for bit place values.

Note that if you are defining a soft partition within a hard partition, the SCM firmware, when the hard partition is powered on, supplies new “soft” CPU numbers from 0 with the QBB with the lowest hard QBB number within the partition and proceeding upward. An SRM **show config** display for the partition will show the soft CPU numbers, as described in Chapter 4. You can use the table on page 5-7 to construct values for as many hexadecimal digits as you need to form a bit mask.

Example 5–2 shows the SRM commands used to create **lp_cpu_mask** environment variables for the configuration shown in Figure 5–4.

Example 5–2 Sample lp_cpu_mask Setup

```
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask0 FFF
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask1 FF000
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask2 FFF00000
```

5.5 Detailed Directions for lp_mem_size

The `lp_mem_size` environment variable is set to a value, or a list of values, that define the amount of private memory allocated to a soft partition.

Example 5-3 Example for Constructing lp_mem_size

```
P00>>> show config ❶

                               Compaq AlphaServer GS320 6/731

QBB 0          Hard QBB 0
.
.
.
QBB      Size      Interleave          System Memory 64 GB ❷
0         16 GB     32-Way ❸
1         16 GB     32-Way
2         16 GB     32-Way
3         16 GB     32-Way
```

As shown in Example 5-3, the SRM command **show config** (see ❶) displays the system memory size (see ❷). From this number, you assign the amount of memory in each soft partition. The total amount of memory for all partitions and that allocated for shared memory (see next section) cannot exceed this total. Note that if *less* than the total amount of memory is allocated for partitions and shared memory, the unallocated memory is unusable by any partition.

The format of the command is:

set lp_mem_size* [*size* | *list-of-sizes*]

where:

- * Partition number (0 – 7).
- size* Can be specified in hexadecimal bytes, decimal megabytes (MB) or decimal gigabytes (GB). The size must be on a 64 MB boundary. The size must also be at least as much memory required by the operating system that will be booted in soft partition *n*. For example, *OpenVMS* requires 64 MB.
 - Can be bound to a QBB by using the form

$n = size$

where n is the QBB number and $size$ is as described previously.

Only one unbound (not attached to a QBB) $size$ may be given for any partition. Note that if **lp_shared_mem_size** allocates memory that is bound to specific QBBs, so must the **lp_mem_size** allocations be bound to specific QBBs.

*list-of
-sizes* A comma-separated list of sizes from particular QBBs (see ❸ in Example 5–3) for soft partition n . One element in the list of sizes must be at least the minimum amount of memory required by the operating system that will be booted in soft partition n . Each size can be specified in hexadecimal bytes, decimal megabytes (MB), or decimal gigabytes (GB). Each size must be on a 64 MB boundary.

No more than one size can be bound to an individual QBB. No more than one unbound size can be given. Note that if **lp_shared_mem_size** allocates memory from specific QBBs, so must the **lp_mem_size** allocations be bound to specific QBBs.

Example 5-4 Examples of lp_mem_size

```
P00>>> set lp_mem_size0 100000000 ❶  
P00>>> set lp_mem_size1 1024 MB ❷  
P00>>> set lp_mem_size2 0=64 MB, 2=2 GB ❸
```

- ❶ Soft partition 0 is assigned 100000000 hex bytes from any QBBs in the system (or hard partition). (If neither MB or GB is specified, the number is taken as hex.)
- ❷ Soft partition 1 is assigned 1024 (decimal) Mbytes from any QBBs in the system (or hard partition).
- ❸ Soft partition 2 is assigned 64 Mbytes from QBB0 and 2 Gbytes from QBB2 in the system (or hard partition).

Example 5-5 Illegal Use of lp_mem_size

```
P00>>> set lp_mem_size_0 0=64 MB, 0=128MB  
P00>>> set lp_mem_size_1 1=100 MB
```

- ❶ Two allocations are bound to QBB0.
- ❷ Allocation is not on a 64 MB boundary.

5.6 Detailed Directions for lp_shared_mem_size

The lp_shared_mem_size environment variable defines the amount of memory to be shared by the defined soft partitions.

Example 5-6 Example of Constructing lp_shared_mem_size

P00>>> **show config** ❶

```
Compaq AlphaServer GS320 6/731
SRM Console      V5.8-11, built on Jul 12 2000 at 16:04:25
PALcode         OpenVMS PALcode V1.83-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.78-1
Micro Firmware  V5.6

QBB 0           Hard QBB 0
Quad Switch
Duplicate Tag    QSA rev 2, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
                  Up To 4 MB Caches      DTag revs 1/1/1/1
CPU 0           CPU 0      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 1           CPU 1      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 2           CPU 2      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 3           CPU 3      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
.
.
.
Hierarchical Switch
                  HSA revs 1/1, HSD revs 1/1/1/1
.
.
.

QBB      Size      Interleave      System Memory 64 GB ❷
0        16 GB     32-Way ❸
1        16 GB     32-Way
2        16 GB     32-Way
3        16 GB     32-Way
```


As shown in Example 5–6, the SRM command **show config** (❶) displays the system memory size (see ❷). From this number, you assign the amount of memory to be shared. The total amount of memory for all partitions (see previous section) and that allocated for shared memory cannot exceed this total. Note that if *less* than the total amount of memory is allocated for partitions and shared memory, the unallocated memory is unusable by any partition.

The format of the command is:

set lp_shared_mem_size [*size* | *list-of-sizes*]

where:

size Can be specified in hexadecimal bytes, decimal megabytes (MB) or decimal gigabytes (GB). The size must be on a 64-MB boundary.

Can be bound to a QBB by using the form

n = *size*

where *n* is the QBB number and *size* is as described previously.

list-of-sizes A comma-separated list of sizes from particular QBBs (see ❸ in Example 5–6) for shared memory. Each size can be specified in hexadecimal bytes, decimal megabytes (MB), or decimal gigabytes (GB). Each size must be on a 64-MB boundary. No more than one size can be bound to an individual QBB. No more than one unbound size may be given. Also, if **lp_shared_mem_size** is allocated from specific QBBs, so must the **lp_mem_size** allocations.

Example 5–7 Examples of lp_shared_mem_size

```
P00>>> set lp_shared_mem_size 100000000 ❶
P00>>> set lp_shared_mem_size 1024 MB ❷
P00>>> set lp_shared_mem_size 0 = 64 MB, 2 = 2 GB ❸
```

- ❶ 100000000 hex bytes from any QBBs in the system is allocated for memory to be shared by all soft partitions.
- ❷ 1024 (decimal) Mbytes from any QBBs in the system is allocated for memory to be shared by all soft partitions.
- ❸ 64 Mbytes from QBB0 and 2 Gbytes from QBB2 is allocated for memory to be shared by all soft partitions.

5.7 Lpinit Command

An lpinit command initializes the soft partitions defined, either for the system (no hard partitions) or within a hard partition, at the system (or partition) console device.

Example 5-8 Show Config Command for a Hard Partition

```
P00>>> show config

Compaq Computer Corporation
Compaq AlphaServer GS320 6/731

SRM Console      V5.8-11, built on Jul 12 2000 at 16:04:25
PALcode          OpenVMS PALcode V1.83-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.78-1
Micro Firmware   V5.6

QBB 0            Hard QBB 1 ❶
Quad Switch      Duplicate Tag ❷      Up To 4 MB Caches      QSA rev 2, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
                                         DTag revs 1/1/1/1
CPU 0            CPU 0      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 1            CPU 1      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 2            CPU 2      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 3            CPU 3      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
Memory 0         MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1         MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 2         MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 3         MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
.
.
.

QBB 1            Hard QBB 2 ❶
Quad Switch      Duplicate Tag ❷      Up To 4 MB Caches      QSA rev 2, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
                                         DTag revs 1/1/1/1
CPU 0            CPU 4      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 1            CPU 5      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 2            CPU 6      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
CPU 3            CPU 7      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.2.3
Memory 0         MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1         MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 2         MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 3         MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
```

Soft partitions within hard partitions are discussed in the next section. For convenience, simply assume for now that the **show config** command in Example 5–8 was issued from the console device for the second hard partition of a 3-hard-partition system.

Note the QBB numbering. A “soft QBB number” is given on the left, and the hard QBB number is given on the right (see ❶).

Note the processor numbering: two columns are given. The first column gives the processor numbers shown on the QBB (see ❷). The second column gives what we might call the “soft CPU numbers,” running from 0 through 7, so that there is a unique CPU number for each CPU in the hard partition (see ❸).

Example 5–9 shows how two soft partitions might be set up within this hard partition. Note that soft CPU numbers 0, 1, 2, and 3 are allocated to soft partition 0, and soft CPU numbers 4, 5, 6, and 7 are allocated to soft partition 1 (see ❶). Likewise, soft QBB numbers are used in setting the **lp_io_mask** environment variables.

Shared memory is divided between the two QBBs.

The **lpinit** command initializes the soft partitions defined, and the soft partitions are started up with displays at their respective console devices.

Example 5–9 Setting Up Soft Partitions

```
P00>>> set lp_count 2
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask0 f ❶
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask1 f0
P00>>> set lp_error_target 0
P00>>> set lp_io_mask0 1 ❷
P00>>> set lp_io_mask1 2
P00>>> set lp_mem_size0 0 = 3 GB
P00>>> set lp_mem_size1 0 = 3 GB
P00>>> set lp_shared_mem_size 0=1GB, 1=1GB
P00>>> lpinit
```

5.8 Soft Partitions Within Hard Partitions

It is possible to define soft partitions within hard partitions in a system.

Table 5–2 Example of Soft Partitions Within Hard Partitions

	Hard Part. 0	Hard Part. 1	Hard Partition 2		
			Soft Part. 0	Soft Part. 1	Soft Part. 2
Hard QBB Number	0, 1	2, 3	4	5, 6	6, 7
Soft QBB Number	0, 1	0, 1	0	1, 2	2, 3
Systemwide CPU Number	0–7	8–15	16–19	20, 21, 24, 25	22, 23, 26–31
Soft CPU Number	0–7	0–7	0–3	4, 5, 8, 9	6, 7, 10–15
Number of PCI Boxes	4; 2 with SIO	4; 1 with SIO	2; 1 with SIO (from soft QBB0)	2 with SIO (from soft QBB1)	4; 2 with SIO (from soft QBB2 and 3)
Memory	From QBB0 and 1	From QBB2 and 3	1 GB	2 GB	2 GB
Shared memory: 5 GB					

Table 5–2 shows how a system might be divided into hard partitions and soft partitions. The table shows three hard partitions. The third hard partition is then divided into three soft partitions. An example of the commands that would define such partitioning is given below.

Example 5–10 Soft Partitions Within Hard Partitions

```
SCM_E0> set hp_count 3
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask0 3
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask1 c
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask2 f0
SCM_E0> power on -all
```

.

.

.

```
SCM_E0> quit
```

.

.

.

[go to the console device or terminal emulator screen
that controls hard partition 2]

```
P00>>> set lp_count 3
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask0 f
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask1 330
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask2 fcc0
P00>>> set lp_error_target 0
P00>>> set lp_io_mask0 1
P00>>> set lp_io_mask1 2
P00>>> set lp_io_mask2 c
P00>>> set lp_mem_size0 1GB
P00>>> set lp_mem_size1 2GB
P00>>> set lp_mem_size2 2GB
P00>>> set lp_shared_mem_size 0 = 5GB, 1 = 5GB, 2 = 5GB
P00>>> lpinit
```


Chapter 6

Displaying Soft Partition Status

This chapter describes the SCM and SRM **show** commands that are useful with partitions.

Sections include:

- Setting Up for Soft Partitions
- **Show Config** for Soft Partitions
- **Show Device** for Soft Partitions

6.1 Setting Up for Soft Partitions

The examples in this and following subsections deals with a four-QBB system divided into two soft partitions.

Example 6-1 Setting the lp_* Environment Variables

```
P00>>> set lp_count 2 ❶
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask0 FF
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask1 FF00
P00>>> set lp_io_mask0 3
P00>>> set lp_io_mask1 C
P00>>> set lp_shared_mem_size 2gb
P00>>> set lp_mem_size0 0=2gb
P00>>> set lp_mem_size1 1=1gb
P00>>> show lp* ❷
lp_count                2
lp_cpu_mask0            FF
lp_cpu_mask1            FF00
lp_cpu_mask2            0
lp_cpu_mask3            0
lp_cpu_mask4            0
lp_cpu_mask5            0
lp_cpu_mask6            0
lp_cpu_mask7            0
lp_error_target         0
lp_io_mask0             3
lp_io_mask1             C
lp_io_mask2             0
lp_io_mask3             0
lp_io_mask4             0
lp_io_mask5             0
lp_io_mask6             0
lp_io_mask7             0
lp_mem_size0            0=2gb
lp_mem_size1            1=1gb
lp_mem_size2            0
lp_mem_size3            0
lp_mem_size4            0
lp_mem_size5            0
lp_mem_size6            0
lp_mem_size7            0
lp_shared_mem_size      2gb
P00>>> lpinit ❸
the system is currently partitioned
proceeding will cause the system to be repartitioned automatically

do you want to proceed? [Y/(N)] y
unpartitioning system
```

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Example 6-1 Setting the lp_* Environment Variables (Continued)

OpenVMS PALcode V1.83-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.78-1

```
system = QBB 0 1 2 3          + HS

QBB 0 = CPU 0 1 2 3 + Mem 0 1      + Dir + IOP + PCA 0 1      + GP (Hard QBB 0)
QBB 1 = CPU 0 1 2 3 + Mem 0 1      + Dir + IOP + PCA 0 1      + GP (Hard QBB 1)
QBB 2 = CPU 0 1 2 3 + Mem 0 1      + Dir + IOP + PCA 0 1      + GP (Hard QBB 2)
QBB 3 = CPU 0 1 2 3 + Mem 0 1      + Dir + IOP + PCA 0 1      + GP (Hard QBB 3)
micro firmware version is V5.6
shared RAM version is 1.4
hose 0 has a standard I/O module
starting console on CPU 0
.
.
.
P00>>>
```

- ❶ Here, the system is divided into two soft partitions. CPUs 0 – 7 are defined as part of partition 0; CPUs 8 – 15 are defined as part of partition 1. The I/O in QBBs 0 and 1 are defined as part of partition 0; and the I/O in QBBs 2 and 3 are defined as part of partition 1. To test a system with a limited amount of memory, partition 0 is set up with 2 GB memory, partition 1, with 1 GB, and shared memory allocated is 2 GB. The remaining 11 GB is unallocated in this partitioning setup.
- ❷ The **show lp*** command displays the recently defined environment variables.
- ❸ The **lpinit** command initializes the partitions defined by the environment variables. In this case, the firmware informs the user that the system is already (soft) partitioned, and asks if the system is to be repartitioned as defined. The user answers yes, so the new partitioning is initialized. If the user had answered no, the old partitions would have remained in effect, although the environment variables would remain with the new settings.

6.2 Show Config for Soft Partitions

6.2.1 Show Config for Soft Partition 0

In this example, a four-QBB system has been divided into two soft partitions. The example shows the show config for soft partition 0.

Example 6-2 Show Config for Soft Partition 0

P00>>> **show config**

Compaq Computer Corporation
Compaq AlphaServer GS160 6/731

SRM Console V5.8-11, built on Jul 12 2000 at 16:04:25
PALcode OpenVMS PALcode V1.83-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.78-1
Micro Firmware V5.6

Show Config - QBB Information for Hard Partition (●)

QBB 0 ●		Hard QBB 0		
Quad Switch				QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Duplicate Tag		●	Up To 4 MB Caches	DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0	CPU 0		4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1	CPU 1		4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2	CPU 2		4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3	CPU 3		4 MB Cache	EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory				DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP				IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0 IOR 0				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 0	Riser 0		Right Side	Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 0		64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 1		64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 1				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 0	Riser 1		Left Side	Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 2		64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 3		64 Bit, 33 MHz	PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port				GPA rev 1, GPD revs 0/0

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6-4 Getting Started with Partitions

The information in this section is for the entire system, since no hard partitions have been defined. If hard partitions had been defined, this information would apply to the entire hard partition from which the **show config** command had been issued. The information in this section is chiefly useful for establishing:

- ❶ The soft QBB numbers used in defining the I/O that is included in a given partition.
- ❷ The soft CPU numbers used in defining the CPU resources that are included in a given partition.

Example 6-2 Show Config for Soft Partition 0 (Continued)

QBB 1 ❶		Hard QBB 1		
Quad Switch				QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Duplicate Tag ❷		Up To 4 MB Caches		DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0	CPU 4	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1	CPU 5	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2	CPU 6	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3	CPU 7	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory				DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP				IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0 IOR 4				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 1	Riser 0	Right Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 8	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 9	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 5				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 1	Riser 1	Left Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 10	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 11	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port				GPA rev 1, GPD revs 0/0
QBB 2 ❶		Hard QBB 2		
Quad Switch				QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Duplicate Tag ❷		Up To 4 MB Caches		DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0	CPU 8	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1	CPU 9	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2	CPU 10	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3	CPU 11	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory				DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP				IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0 IOR 8				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 2	Riser 0	Right Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 16	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 17	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 9				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 2	Riser 1	Left Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0	Hose 18	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1	Hose 19	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port				GPA rev 1, GPD revs 0/0
				[Continued on next page]

Example 6-2 Show Config for Soft Partition 0 (Continued)

QBB 3 ❶	Hard QBB 3		QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Quad Switch			
Duplicate Tag ❷	Up To 4 MB Caches		DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0 CPU 12	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1 CPU 13	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2 CPU 14	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3 CPU 15	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0			MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1			MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory			DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP			IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0 IOR 12			NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0			FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0			PCA rev 3
PCI Box 3 Riser 0	Right Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0 Hose 24	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1 Hose 25	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 13			NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1			FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1			PCA rev 3
PCI Box 3 Riser 1	Left Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0 Hose 26	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1 Hose 27	64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port			GPA rev 1, GPD revs 0/0

Example 6-2 Show Config for Soft Partition 0 (Continued)

Show Config – H-Switch, Memory, and Standard I/O Summary and Memory Detail for Hard Partition (■)

Hierarchical Switch

QBB

Size

Interleave

0

4 GB

8-Way

1

4 GB

8-Way

2

4 GB

8-Way

3

4 GB

8-Way

System Memory 16 GB

Hose

IOP

PCI Box

0

0

0

8

1

1

16

2

2

24

3

3

Primary

Standard I/O Modules

Acer Labs M1543C rev A1-D

Acer Labs M1543C rev A1-D

System Memory 16 GB

Board

Set

Array

Size

Address

QBB 0 Memory

0

0

0

2 GB

00000000000

1

0

1

2 GB

00000000000

Total Available

4 GB

8-Way Interleave

Board

Set

Array

Size

Address

QBB 1 Memory

0

0

0

2 GB

01000000000

1

0

1

2 GB

01000000000

Total Available

4 GB

8-Way Interleave

Board

Set

Array

Size

Address

QBB 2 Memory

0

0

0

2 GB

02000000000

1

0

1

2 GB

02000000000

Total Available

4 GB

8-Way Interleave

Board

Set

Array

Size

Address

QBB 3 Memory

0

0

0

2 GB

03000000000

1

0

1

2 GB

03000000000

Total Available

4 GB

8-Way Interleave

The information given on the facing page shows memory for the entire system, since there are no hard partitions. If the system had been divided into hard partitions, this section would list the memory for the hard partition of which this soft partition is a part.

Show Config - I/O Adapters for the Soft Partition (✓)

Show Config - Logical Hose Summary for the Soft Partition (+)

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- ❶ I/O adapters for the soft partition are listed for the PCI box IDs in ascending order. Note that the PCI box IDs remain the same whether or not the system is partitioned. They are the settings on the node ID switches of the PCI boxes, and are unique and constant through the system.
- ❷ Within the PCI box, the connecting I/O riser in the QBB is listed (0 or 1).
- ❸ Standard I/O modules are of interest in partition. All standard I/O modules in the system or hard partition are listed. Soft partition 0 contains only two standard I/O modules, however. By looking at the logical hose numbers (❹) you determine which standard I/Os belong to which soft partition.
- ❹ Logical hoses in soft partition 0 are listed here. Note that these numbers remain the same whether or not the system is partitioned.

Example 6-2 Show Config for Soft Partition 0 (Continued)

Show Config - I.O Adapters and Devices in Order by Logical Hose Number (✿)

✿			
①			
Slot	Option	Hose 0, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pka0.7.0.1.0	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dka0.0.0.1.0	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vga0.0.0.2.0	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkb0.7.0.3.0	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkb0.0.0.3.0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb100.1.0.3.0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb200.2.0.3.0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb300.3.0.3.0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb400.4.0.3.0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb500.5.0.3.0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb600.6.0.3.0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqa.0.0.15.0	
		dqa0.0.0.15.0	COMPAQ S C-140S
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 1, Bus 0, PCI	
5	QLogic ISP10x0	pkc0.7.0.5.1	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkc0.0.0.5.1	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkc100.1.0.5.1	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkc200.2.0.5.1	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkc300.3.0.5.1	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
6	DEC PCI FDDI	fwa0.0.0.6.1	00-60-6D-DF-F0-9A
Slot	Option	Hose 2, Bus 0, PCI	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkd0.7.0.3.2	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkd0.0.0.3.2	RZ2ED-LS
		dkd100.1.0.3.2	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkd200.2.0.3.2	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
Slot	Option	Hose 3, Bus 0, PCI	
4	DEGPA-SA		
7	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
Slot	Option	Hose 3, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eia0.0.0.2004.3	00-50-8B-95-01-C6
5	DE602-AA	eib0.0.0.2005.3	00-50-8B-95-01-C7
Slot	Option	Hose 8, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pke0.7.0.1.8	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dke0.0.0.1.8	COMPAQ BB009235B6
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vgb0.0.0.2.8	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkf0.7.0.3.8	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkf0.0.0.3.8	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf100.1.0.3.8	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf200.2.0.3.8	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf300.3.0.3.8	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf400.4.0.3.8	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf500.5.0.3.8	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf600.6.0.3.8	RZ2ED-LS

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7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqb.0.0.15.8	
		dqb0.0.0.15.8	COMPAQ S C-140S
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 9, Bus 0, PCI	
6	DEC PCI FDDI	fwb0.0.0.6.9	00-60-6D-DF-F1-E3
Slot	Option	Hose 10, Bus 0, PCI	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkg0.7.0.3.10	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkg0.0.0.3.10	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg100.1.0.3.10	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkg200.2.0.3.10	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
Slot	Option	Hose 11, Bus 0, PCI	
4	DEGPA-SA		
7	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
Slot	Option	Hose 11, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eic0.0.0.2004.11	00-50-8B-95-03-5E
5	DE602-AA	eid0.0.0.2005.11	00-50-8B-95-03-5F

This section of the **show config** display lists devices connected to soft partition 0. The devices are listed in order by logical hose number (❶).

6.2.2 Show Config for Soft Partition 1

This example displays the show config for soft partition 1.

Example 6-3 Show Config for Soft Partition 1

❶

```
P08>>> show config
```

```
Compaq Computer Corporation
Compaq AlphaServer GS160 6/731
```

```
SRM Console      V5.8-11, built on Jul 12 2000 at 16:04:25
PALcode          OpenVMS PALcode V1.83-1, Tru64 UNIX PALcode V1.78-1
Micro Firmware    V5.6
```

Show Config - QBB Information for Hard Partition (●)

```
●
QBB 0 ❷      Hard QBB 0
Quad Switch
Duplicate Tag ❸      Up To 4 MB Caches      QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Processor 0      CPU 0      4 MB Cache      DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 1      CPU 1      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2      CPU 2      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3      CPU 3      4 MB Cache      EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0
Memory 1
Directory
IOP
Local Link 0 IOR 0
Remote Link 0
I/O Port 0
  PCI Box 0      Riser 0      Right Side      Backplane rev 3
  PCI Bus 0      Hose 0      64 Bit, 33 MHz      PCI rev 2.1 compliant
  PCI Bus 1      Hose 1      64 Bit, 33 MHz      PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 1
Remote Link 1
I/O Port 1
  PCI Box 0      Riser 1      Left Side      Backplane rev 3
  PCI Bus 0      Hose 2      64 Bit, 33 MHz      PCI rev 2.1 compliant
  PCI Bus 1      Hose 3      64 Bit, 33 MHz      PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port
GPA rev 1, GPD revs 0/0
```

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The information in this section is for the entire system, since no hard partitions have been defined. If hard partitions had been defined, this information would apply to the entire hard partition from which the **show config** had been issued.

- ❶ Note that the processor prompt for soft partition 1 denotes soft processor number 8, the lowest soft processor number for a CPU in this partition.
- ❷ The soft QBB numbers used in defining the I/O that is included in the soft partition.
- ❸ The soft CPU numbers used in defining the CPU resources that are included in the partition.

Example 6-3 Show Config for Soft Partition 1 (Continued)

QBB 1	②	Hard QBB 1		QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Quad Switch				
Duplicate Tag	③	Up To 4 MB Caches		DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0	CPU 4	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1	CPU 5	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2	CPU 6	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3	CPU 7	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory				DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP				IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0 IOR 4				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 1 Riser 0		Right Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0 Hose 8		64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1 Hose 9		64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 5				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 1 Riser 1		Left Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0 Hose 10		64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1 Hose 11		64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port				GPA rev 1, GPD revs 0/0
QBB 2	②	Hard QBB 2		QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
Quad Switch				
Duplicate Tag	③	Up To 4 MB Caches		DTag revs 1/1/1/1
Processor 0	CPU 8	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 1	CPU 9	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 2	CPU 10	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Processor 3	CPU 11	4 MB Cache		EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
Memory 0				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Memory 1				MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
Directory				DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOP				IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
Local Link 0 IOR 8				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 0				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 0				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 2 Riser 0		Right Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0 Hose 16		64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1 Hose 17		64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Local Link 1 IOR 9				NE ML rev 2
Remote Link 1				FE ML rev 2
I/O Port 1				PCA rev 3
PCI Box 2 Riser 1		Left Side		Backplane rev 3
PCI Bus 0 Hose 18		64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI Bus 1 Hose 19		64 Bit, 33 MHz		PCI rev 2.1 compliant
Global Port				GPA rev 1, GPD revs 0/0

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Example 6-3 Show Config for Soft Partition 1 (Continued)

```

QBB 3 ②      Hard QBB 3
Quad Switch
Duplicate Tag ③      Up To 4 MB Caches
Processor 0  CPU 12   4 MB Cache
Processor 1  CPU 13   4 MB Cache
Processor 2  CPU 14   4 MB Cache
Processor 3  CPU 15   4 MB Cache
Memory 0
Memory 1
Directory
IOP
Local Link 0 IOR 12
Remote Link 0
I/O Port 0
  PCI Box 3  Riser 0   Right Side
    PCI Bus 0  Hose 24  64 Bit, 33 MHz
    PCI Bus 1  Hose 25  64 Bit, 33 MHz
Local Link 1 IOR 13
Remote Link 1
I/O Port 1
  PCI Box 3  Riser 1   Left Side
    PCI Bus 0  Hose 26  64 Bit, 33 MHz
    PCI Bus 1  Hose 27  64 Bit, 33 MHz
Global Port

QSA rev 4, QSD revs 0/0/0/0
DTag revs 1/1/1/1
EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
EV67 pass 2.4, 731 MHz
MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
MPA rev 2, MPD revs 1/1
DMA rev 1, DMD rev 1
IOA rev 2, IOD revs 0/0
NE ML rev 2
FE ML rev 2
PCA rev 3
Backplane rev 3
PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI rev 2.1 compliant
NE ML rev 2
FE ML rev 2
PCA rev 3
Backplane rev 3
PCI rev 2.1 compliant
PCI rev 2.1 compliant
GPA rev 1, GPD revs 0/0

```

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Example 6-3 Show Config for Soft Partition 1 (Continued)

Show Config - H-Switch, Memory, and Standard I/O Summary and Memory Detail for Hard Partition (■)

Hierarchical Switch

HSA revs 1/1, HSD revs 1/1/1/1

QBB

Size

Interleave

0

4 GB

8-Way

1

4 GB

8-Way

2

4 GB

8-Way

3

4 GB

8-Way

System Memory 16 GB

Hose

IOP

PCI

Box

0

0

0

8

1

1

16

2

2

Primary

24

3

3

Standard I/O Modules

Acer Labs M1543C rev A1-D

Acer Labs M1543C rev A1-D

System Memory 16 GB

Board

Set

Array

Size

Address

QBB 0 Memory

0

0

0

2 GB

00000000000

1

0

1

2 GB

00000000000

Total Available

4 GB

8-Way Interleave

Board

Set

Array

Size

Address

QBB 1 Memory

0

0

0

2 GB

01000000000

1

0

1

2 GB

01000000000

Total Available

4 GB

8-Way Interleave

Board

Set

Array

Size

Address

QBB 2 Memory

0

0

0

2 GB

02000000000

1

0

1

2 GB

02000000000

Total Available

4 GB

8-Way Interleave

Board

Set

Array

Size

Address

QBB 3 Memory

0

0

0

2 GB

03000000000

1

0

1

2 GB

03000000000

Total Available

4 GB

8-Way Interleave

The information given on the facing page shows memory for the entire system. If the system had been divided into hard partitions, this section would list the memory for the hard partition of which this soft partition is a part.

Note that the hose summary is also for the entire system (hard partition).

Example 6-3 Show Config for Soft Partition 1 (Continued)

Show Config - I/O Adapters for the Soft Partition (✓)

①	②								
PCI Box	Riser	Slot	Option	Hose	Bus	Slot	Function		
Name									
0	0	1	Standard I/O Module	0	③				
1	0	1	Standard I/O Module	8					
2	0	1	Standard I/O Module	16					
			+ Acer Labs M1543C	16	0	7			
			+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	16	0	15	dqa		
			+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	16	0	19			
			+ QLogic ISP10x0	16	0	1	pka		
2	0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	16	0	2	vga		
2	0	3	QLogic ISP10x0	16	0	3	pkb		
2	0	6	DEC PCI FDDI	17	0	6	fwa		
2	1	3	QLogic ISP10x0	18	0	3	pkc		
2	1	4	DEGPA-SA	19	0	4			
2	1	7	DECchip 21154-AA	19	0	7			
			+ DE602-AA	19	2	4	eia		
			+ DE602-AA	19	2	5	eib		
3	0	1	Standard I/O Module	24	③				
			+ Acer Labs M1543C	24	0	7			
			+ Acer Labs M1543C IDE	24	0	15	dqb		
			+ Acer Labs M1543C USB	24	0	19			
			+ QLogic ISP10x0	24	0	1	pkd		
3	0	2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	24	0	2	vgb		
3	0	3	QLogic ISP10x0	24	0	3	pke		
3	0	5	QLogic ISP10x0	25	0	5	pkf		
3	0	6	DEC PCI FDDI	25	0	6	fwb		
3	1	3	QLogic ISP10x0	26	0	3	pkg		
3	1	4	DEGPA-SA	27	0	4			
3	1	7	DECchip 21154-AA	27	0	7			
			+ DE602-AA	27	2	4	eic		
			+ DE602-AA	27	2	5	eid		

Show Config - Logical Hose Summary for the Soft Partition (+)

+ ④						+
Hose	QBB	PCA	PCI	Bus	Slots	
16	2	0	0		1-3	
17	2	0	1		4-7	
18	2	1	0		1-3	
19	2	1	1		4-7	
24	3	0	0		1-3	
25	3	0	1		4-7	
26	3	1	0		1-3	
27	3	1	1		4-7	
+						+

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- ❶ IO adapters for soft partition 1 are listed here for the PCI box IDs in ascending order. Note that the PCI box IDs remain the same whether or not the system is partitioned. They are the settings on the node ID switches of the PCI boxes, and are unique and constant throughout the system.
- ❷ Within the PCI box, the connecting I/O riser in the QBB is listed (0 or 1).
- ❸ Standard I/O modules are of interest in partitions. All standard I/O modules in the system or hard partition are listed. Soft partition 1 contains only two standard I/O modules, however. By looking at the logical hose numbers (❹), you determine which standard I/Os belong to which soft partition.
- ❹ Logical hoses in soft partition 1 are listed here. Note that these numbers remain the same whether or not the system is partitioned.

Example 6-3 Show Config for Soft Partition 1 (Continued)

Show Config - I/O Adapters and Devices in Order by Logical Hose Number (✿)

✿			
①			
Slot	Option	Hose 16, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pka0.7.0.1.16	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dka0.0.0.1.16	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vga0.0.0.2.16	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkb0.7.0.3.16	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkb100.1.0.3.16	RZ2DD-LS
		dkb200.2.0.3.16	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb300.3.0.3.16	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb400.4.0.3.16	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb500.5.0.3.16	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkb600.6.0.3.16	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqa.0.0.15.16	
		dqa0.0.0.15.16	COMPAQ S C-140S
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 17, Bus 0, PCI	
6	DEC PCI FDDI	fwa0.0.0.6.17	00-60-6D-DF-F0-65
Slot	Option	Hose 18, Bus 0, PCI	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkc0.7.0.3.18	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkc0.0.0.3.18	RZ2ED-LS
		dkc100.1.0.3.18	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkc200.2.0.3.18	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkc500.5.0.3.18	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkc600.6.0.3.18	RZ2ED-LS
Slot	Option	Hose 19, Bus 0, PCI	
4	DEGPA-SA		
7	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
Slot	Option	Hose 19, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eia0.0.0.2004.19	00-50-8B-95-03-26
5	DE602-AA	eib0.0.0.2005.19	00-50-8B-95-03-27
Slot	Option	Hose 24, Bus 0, PCI	
1	QLogic ISP10x0	pkd0.7.0.1.24	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkd0.0.0.1.24	COMPAQ BB00921B91
2	ELSA GLoria Synergy	vgb0.0.0.2.24	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pke0.7.0.3.24	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dke0.0.0.3.24	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dke100.1.0.3.24	RZ2DD-LS
		dke200.2.0.3.24	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dke300.3.0.3.24	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dke400.4.0.3.24	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
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		dke500.5.0.3.24	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dke600.6.0.3.24	RZ2ED-LS
7	Acer Labs M1543C		Bridge to Bus 1, ISA
15	Acer Labs M1543C IDE	dqb.0.0.15.24	
		dqb0.0.0.15.24	COMPAQ S C-140S
19	Acer Labs M1543C USB		
Slot	Option	Hose 25, Bus 0, PCI	
5	QLogic ISP10x0	pkf0.7.0.5.25	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkf0.0.0.5.25	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf100.1.0.5.25	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf200.2.0.5.25	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkf300.3.0.5.25	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
6	DEC PCI FDDI	fwb0.0.0.6.25	00-60-6D-12-E9-B8
Slot	Option	Hose 26, Bus 0, PCI	
3	QLogic ISP10x0	pkg0.7.0.3.26	SCSI Bus ID 7
		dkg0.0.0.3.26	RZ2ED-LS
		dkg100.1.0.3.26	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
		dkg200.2.0.3.26	COMPAQ BB00911CA0
Slot	Option	Hose 27, Bus 0, PCI	
4	DEGPA-SA		
7	DECchip 21154-AA		Bridge to Bus 2, PCI
Slot	Option	Hose 27, Bus 2, PCI	
4	DE602-AA	eic0.0.0.2004.27	00-50-8B-95-01-EA
5	DE602-AA	eid0.0.0.2005.27	00-50-8B-95-01-EB

This section of the **show config** display lists devices connected to soft partition 1. The devices are listed in order by logical hose number (❶).

NOTE: *The device name's adapter ID and unit number are restarted at "a" and "0", respectively, for second and consecutive soft partitions. This is significant when you are defining the boot device and other parameters for a soft partition.*

6.3 Show Device for Soft Partitions

6.3.1 Show Device for Soft Partition 0

This example shows the display provided by a `show device` command for soft partition 0 of the system shown in Section 6.1.

Example 6-4 Show Device for Soft Partition 0

P00>>> `show device`

dka0.0.0.1.0	DKA0	COMPAQ BB00921B91	3B05	❶
dkb0.0.0.3.0	DKB0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb100.1.0.3.0	DKB100	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb200.2.0.3.0	DKB200	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb300.3.0.3.0	DKB300	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb400.4.0.3.0	DKB400	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb500.5.0.3.0	DKB500	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb600.6.0.3.0	DKB600	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B07	
dkc0.0.0.5.1	DKC0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkc100.1.0.5.1	DKC100	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkc200.2.0.5.1	DKC200	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkc300.3.0.5.1	DKC300	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkd0.0.0.3.2	DKD0	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd100.1.0.3.2	DKD100	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkd200.2.0.3.2	DKD200	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dke0.0.0.1.8	DKE0	COMPAQ BB009235B6	B013	
dkf0.0.0.3.8	DKF0	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf100.1.0.3.8	DKF100	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf200.2.0.3.8	DKF200	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf300.3.0.3.8	DKF300	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf400.4.0.3.8	DKF400	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf500.5.0.3.8	DKF500	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf600.6.0.3.8	DKF600	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg0.0.0.3.10	DKG0	RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg100.1.0.3.10	DKG100	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkg200.2.0.3.10	DKG200	COMPAQ BB00911CA0	3B05	
dqa0.0.0.15.0	DQA0	COMPAQ S C-140S	SE05	❷
dqb0.0.0.15.8	DQB0	COMPAQ S C-140S	SE05	
eia0.0.0.2004.3	EIA0	00-50-8B-95-01-C6		❸
eib0.0.0.2005.3	EIB0	00-50-8B-95-01-C7		
eic0.0.0.2004.11	EIC0	00-50-8B-95-03-5E		
eid0.0.0.2005.11	EID0	00-50-8B-95-03-5F		
fwa0.0.0.6.1	FWA0	00-60-6D-DF-F0-9A		❹
fwb0.0.0.6.9	FWB0	00-60-6D-DF-F1-E3		
pka0.7.0.1.0	PKA0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.	❺
pkb0.7.0.3.0	PKB0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkc0.7.0.5.1	PKC0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkd0.7.0.3.2	PKD0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pke0.7.0.1.8	PKE0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkf0.7.0.3.8	PKF0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkg0.7.0.3.10	PKG0	SCSI Bus ID 7	5.57	

- ❶ The 26 SCSI devices connected to the logical hoses that are connected to soft partition 0 are listed here.
- ❷ Two IDE CD-ROM devices are connected to soft partition 0.
- ❸ Four Ethernet ports are connected to soft partition 0.
- ❹ Two FDDI devices are connected to soft partition 0.
- ❺ Seven Ethernet ports are connected to soft partition 0.

6.3.2 Show Device for Soft Partition 1

This example shows the display provided by a `show device` command for soft partition 1 defined by the commands in Section 6.1.

Example 6-5 Show Device for Soft Partition 1

P08>>> `show device`

dka0.0.0.1.16	DKA0	COMPAQ	BB00921B91	3B05	❶
dkb100.1.0.3.16	DKB100		RZ2DD-LS	0306	
dkb200.2.0.3.16	DKB200	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb300.3.0.3.16	DKB300	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb400.4.0.3.16	DKB400	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb500.5.0.3.16	DKB500	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkb600.6.0.3.16	DKB600	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkc0.0.0.3.18	DKC0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkc100.1.0.3.18	DKC100	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkc200.2.0.3.18	DKC200	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkc500.5.0.3.18	DKC500	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkc600.6.0.3.18	DKC600		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkd0.0.0.1.24	DKD0	COMPAQ	BB00921B91	3B05	
dke0.0.0.3.24	DKE0	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dke100.1.0.3.24	DKE100		RZ2DD-LS	0306	
dke200.2.0.3.24	DKE200	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dke300.3.0.3.24	DKE300	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dke400.4.0.3.24	DKE400	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dke500.5.0.3.24	DKE500	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dke600.6.0.3.24	DKE600		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkf0.0.0.5.25	DKF0	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf100.1.0.5.25	DKF100	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf200.2.0.5.25	DKF200	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkf300.3.0.5.25	DKF300	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkg0.0.0.3.26	DKG0		RZ2ED-LS	0306	
dkg100.1.0.3.26	DKG100	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dkg200.2.0.3.26	DKG200	COMPAQ	BB00911CA0	3B05	
dqa0.0.0.15.16	DQA0	COMPAQ	S C-140S	SE05	❷
dqb0.0.0.15.24	DQB0	COMPAQ	S C-140S	SE05	
eia0.0.0.2004.19	EIA0		00-50-8B-95-03-26		❸
eib0.0.0.2005.19	EIB0		00-50-8B-95-03-27		
eic0.0.0.2004.27	EIC0		00-50-8B-95-01-EA		
eid0.0.0.2005.27	EID0		00-50-8B-95-01-EB		
fwa0.0.0.6.17	FWA0		00-60-6D-DF-F0-65		❹
fwb0.0.0.6.25	FWB0		00-60-6D-12-E9-B8		
pka0.7.0.1.16	PKA0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	❺
pkb0.7.0.3.16	PKB0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkc0.7.0.3.18	PKC0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkd0.7.0.1.24	PKD0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pke0.7.0.3.24	PKE0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkf0.7.0.5.25	PKF0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	
pkg0.7.0.3.26	PKG0	SCSI	Bus ID 7	5.57	

- ❶ The 27 SCSI devices with logical hose connections 16 and up appear here as part of soft partition 1. Note that the adapter ID lettering begins again at a.
- ❷ Logical hoses 16 and 24 are attached to soft partition 1, so these two IDE CD-ROM devices are listed here. Again, adapter ID lettering begins again at a.
- ❸ The four Ethernet ports in soft partition 1 appear here. Again, adapter ID lettering begins again at a.
- ❹ The two FDDI devices attached to soft partition 1 appear here.
- ❺ The seven Ethernet ports that are part of soft partition 1 are listed here. Again, adapter ID lettering restarts at a.

Chapter 7

Setting Up and Booting Partitions

This chapter describes how to initialize environment variables within each partition and indicates how to install and boot an operating system in each partition.

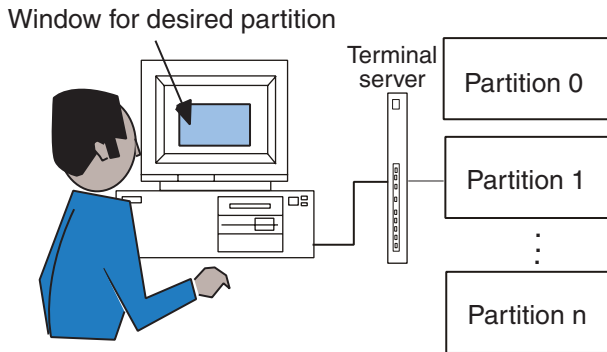
Sections include:

- Set Environment Variables for Each Partition
- Installing and Booting an Operating System in Each Partition

7.1 Set Environment Variables for Each Partition

You must set certain SRM environment variables within each partition.

Figure 7-1 Select Specific Partitions at System Management Console



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Once you have defined and initialized hard and/or soft partitions on each system, you must set SRM environment variables as required for each partition. First, display the desired partition window at the system management console. Directions on displaying partition windows in a system are given in the *AlphaServer GS80/160/320 System Management Console Installation and User's Guide*.

Next, set the SRM environment variable unique to each partition. Some examples follow.

Example 7-1 Examples of Partition-Specific Environment Variables

```
P00>>> set auto_action halt    ❶
P00>>> set os_type unix        ❷
P00>>> set bootdef_dev dka0    ❸
.
.
.
```

- ❶ In general, it is reasonable to set **auto_action** to **halt** in each partition when you are first starting up. Once you are sure that the partitions have been defined as you wish, you can install and boot the operating system in each partition. Once you have partitions running smoothly, you can make changes to **auto_action** as desired. Options are **halt** (system halts on reset and returns to the SRM console prompt), **boot** (system boots on reset), or **restart** (system attempts to restart operating system from where it was).
- ❷ Be sure to define the operating system to be run in the partition.
- ❸ Using the **show device** listings discussed in Chapters 4 and 6, define your default boot device and other boot parameters for each partition.

7.2 Installing and Booting an Operating System in Each Partition

Within each partition, install and boot the desired operating system.

Example 7-2 Booting the OpenVMS Operating System

```
P00>>> boot -f1 0
(boot dkb0.0.0.3.0 -flags 0)
block 0 of dkb0.0.0.3.0 is a valid boot block
reading 926 blocks from dkb0.0.0.3.0
bootstrap code read in
base = 4e0000, image_start = 0, image_bytes = 73c00
initializing HWRPB at 2000
GCT base = 200000
initializing page table at 7fbe8000
initializing machine state
setting affinity to the primary CPU
jumping to bootstrap code
```

OpenVMS (TM) Alpha Operating System, Version V7.2-1H1

%SMP-I-SECMSG, CPU #01 message: START

.
.
.

```
Accounting information:
Buffered I/O count:          34447      Peak working set size:
8800
Direct I/O count:           11247      Peak virtual size:
1363584
Page faults:                12711      Mounted volumes:
26
%PBA0 CPU00: 02-AUG-2000 14:42:17 Port is Reinitializing.
Charged CPU time:           0 00:00:24.08      Elapsed time:      0
00:04:37.40"
```

Welcome to OpenVMS (TM) Alpha Operating System, Version V7.2-1H1

Username: **SYSTEM**
Password:

7-4 Getting Started with Partitions

If the operating system has not yet been installed in the partition, do so. See the *Tru64 UNIX Installation Guide* or the *OpenVMS Alpha Galaxy Guide* for information on installing an operating system in a partition.

Once installed, boot the operating system from each partition, as shown in Example 7-2.

Chapter 8

Tips and Troubleshooting

This chapter describes some things you may want to do after you have defined and initialized partitions on your system. Sections include:

- How to Stop a Hung Partition
- Halting All Partitions to Reconfigure
- Correcting Errors in Environment Variables
- Using Tools to Debug a Partition
- Powering Off or Resetting a Hard Partition

8.1 How to Stop a Hung Partition

You can stop a hung operating system instance in a hard partition by issuing an SCM halt in -partition command from the master SCM. To stop an instance within a soft partition, issue an SRM halt command using the CPU number for the primary CPU for the instance.

Example 8-1 Halting a Hung OS Instance in a Hard Partition

```
SCM_E0> halt in -par 2
```

Example 8-2 Halting a Hung OS Instance in a Soft Partition

```
$ [Ctrl/P]  
P00>>>
```

To halt an operating system instance in a hard partition, you connect to the master SCM for the system and issue a **halt in -par** command for the desired partition (see Example 8–1). This leaves the partition at the SRM console; you would connect to the partition for further debugging.

To halt an operating system instance in a soft partition, you connect to the hard partition in which the soft partition resides. Do a **show config**, if necessary, to determine the soft CPU number for the boot processor for the desired soft partition, and issue a Ctrl/P to halt the operating system (see Example 8–2).

8.2 Halting All Partitions to Reconfigure

You may wish to change the allocations set for partitions on your system. Shut down the operating system in each partition. For hard partitions, change the SCM `hp_*` environment variables in each partition and reset the system. For soft partitions, change the SRM `lp_*` environment variables and issue an `lpinit` command.

Example 8-3 Reconfiguring Hard Partitions

```
[shut down the operating system] ❶
.
.
.

P00>>> [Esc][Esc]scm ❷
SCM_E0> show nvram ❸
COM1_PRINT_EN 1
HP_COUNT 3 ❹
HP_QBB_MASK0 7
HP_QBB_MASK1 78
HP_QBB_MASK2 80
HP_QBB_MASK3 0
HP_QBB_MASK4 0
HP_QBB_MASK5 0
HP_QBB_MASK6 0
HP_QBB_MASK7 0
SR0M_MASK ff f
XSROM_MASK ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff 1 0 0
PRIMARY_CPU ff
PRIMARY_QBB0 ff
AUTO_QUIT_SCM 1
FAULT_TO_SYS 0
DIMM_READ_DIS 1
SCM_CSB_MASTER_ELIGIBLE 1
PERF_MON 0
SCM_FORCE_FSL 0
OCP_TEXT Uninitialized
AUTO_FAULT_RESTART 1
SCM_SIZING_TIME c

SCM_E0> set hp_count 2 ❺
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask0 f
SCM_E0> set hp_qbb_mask1 f0
SCM_E0> reset -all ❻
```

In Example 8–3, a 3-partition system is reconfigured to a 2-partition system.

- ❶ Shut down the operating system in each hard partition currently defined.
- ❷ At the console window showing the master SCM, escape to the SCM.
- ❸ A **show nvram** from an SCM in any of the hard partitions reveals the current **hp_*** environment variable settings.
- ❹ In this case, the system is set up with partition 0 consisting of QBBs 0, 1, and 2, partition 1 consisting of QBBs 3, 4, 5, and 6, and partition 2 consisting of QBB 7.
- ❺ In this example, two partitions are defined, with partition 0 consisting of QBBs 0, 1, 2, and 3, and partition 1 consisting of QBBs 4, 5, 6, and 7.
- ❻ The **reset –all** command resets the entire system.

Example 8-4 Reconfiguring Soft Partitions

```
[shut down operating system in all soft partitions]
.
.
.
P00>>> show lp*      ❶
lp_count 2
lp_cpu_mask0 fff
lp_cpu_mask1 fffff000
lp_error_target 0
lp_io_mask0 1
lp_io_mask1 2
lp_mem_size0 0= 3 GB
lp_mem_size1 1 = 3 GB
lp_shared_mem_size 0,1 = 1 GB
P00>>> set lp_count 0    ❷
P00>>> init      ❸
Are you sure you want to reset ALL partitions? (Y/N) Y    ❹
.
.
.
P00>>> set lp_count 2    ❺
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask0 ffff
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask1 fff00000
P00>>> set lp_error_target 0
P00>>> set lp_io_mask0 1
P00>>> set lp_io_mask1 2
P00>>> set lp_mem_size0 0 = 3 GB
P00>>> set lp_mem_size1 1 = 3 GB
P00>>> set lp_shared_mem_size 0,1 = 1GB
P00>>> lpinit      ❻
.
.
.
```

In Example 8–4, the system is reconfigured from three partitions to two partitions.

- ❶ Shut down the operating system in all soft partitions. At the window from which the **lpinit** was issued, start with a **show lp*** to display the current settings for soft partition environment variables. (If the **show lp*** command does not show these environment variables, you are at the wrong window. If you do not remember the window from which the **lpinit** was issued, move from window to window until **show lp*** works.)
- ❷ Set the **lp_count** environment variable to 0.
- ❸ Issue an **init** command to disable partitions with the **lp_count** variable set to 0.
- ❹ The **init** command queries to determine if you want to reset all partitions. Type Y for yes.
- ❺ Key in the new settings for the **lp_*** environment variables.
- ❻ Issue an **lpinit** command.

8.3 Correcting Errors in Environment Variables

To correct a mistake in setting bit masks for partitioning environment variables, issue an `init`, change the definition, and issue an `lpinit`. (When you initialize partitions, any doubly allocated modules will be noted at the master SCM console window.)

Example 8-5 Correcting a Bad Bit Mask

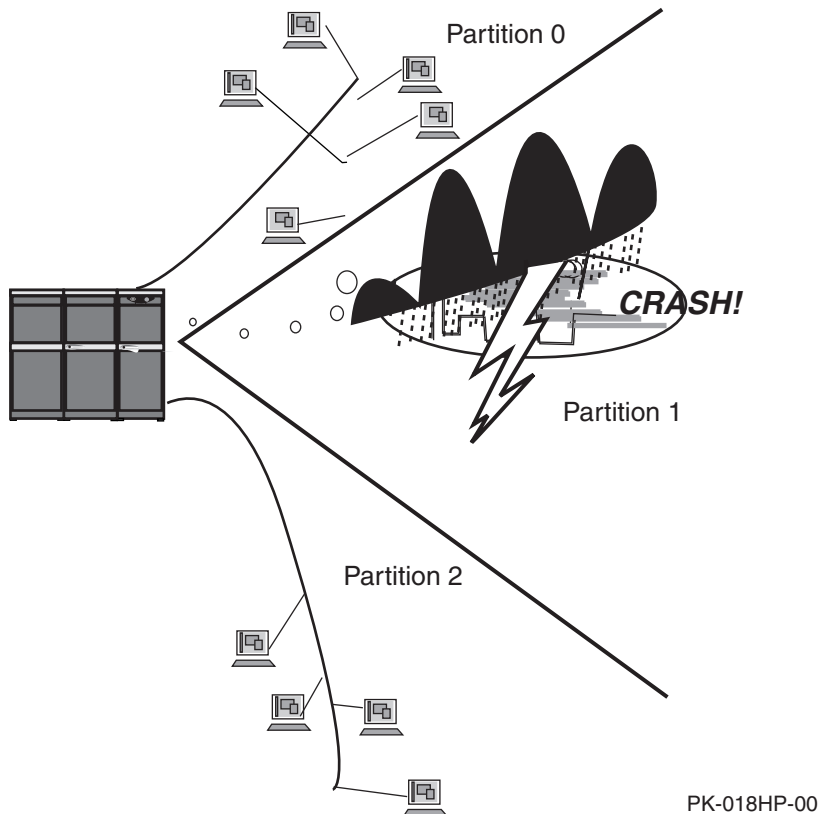
```
P00>>> init      ❶
Are you sure you want to reset ALL partitions? (Y/<N>) Y
.
.
.
P00>>> set lp_cpu_mask1 ffff0000    ❷
P00>>> lpinit
```


Continuing from the previous section, where not all processors were allocated, we do an **init** to reset all partitions (❶). At ❷, we correct the bit mask for partition 0 to include the CPUs in QBB4 and issue an **lpinit** to initialize the partitions.

8.4 Using Tools to Debug a Partition

You can analyze crash dumps and run WEBES from a partition while other partitions are operating normally.

Figure 8-1 Debugging One Partition



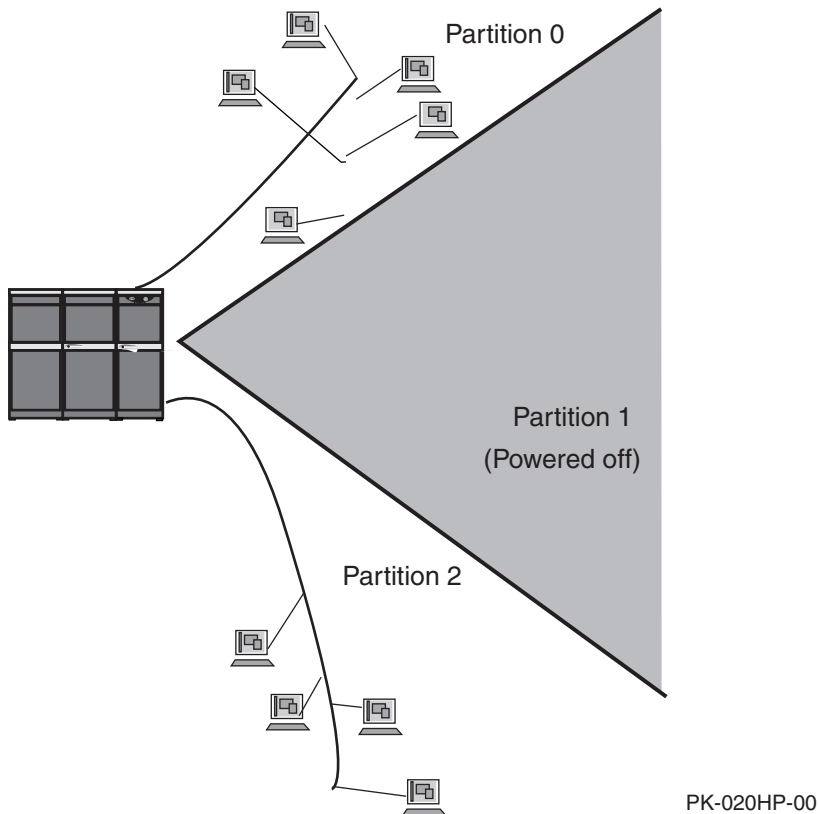
A partition can crash, while other partitions remain up and running. You can use the same tools to debug the problem partition as you would for a non-partitioned system. You must first ensure that the tool has been installed on each partition. For information on how to install the *Compaq* Web-Based Enterprise Service (WEBES), go to <http://www.compaq.com> and search for WEBES.

Note that in the case of faults, if a partition consists of more than one QBB, a fault will cause faults to occur on other partitions with more than one QBB. If a partition consists of one QBB, a fault causes no other fault in other partitions.

8.5 Powering Off or Resetting a Hard Partition

If a faulty component is found in a hard partition, you can power off this partition for removal and replacement while leaving other hard partitions running.

Figure 8–2 Powering Off One Partition



If you identify a faulty component within a hard partition, you can issue a **power off** command (no qualifiers) from the SRM console prompt for the partition to remove power from the QBBs in the hard partition.

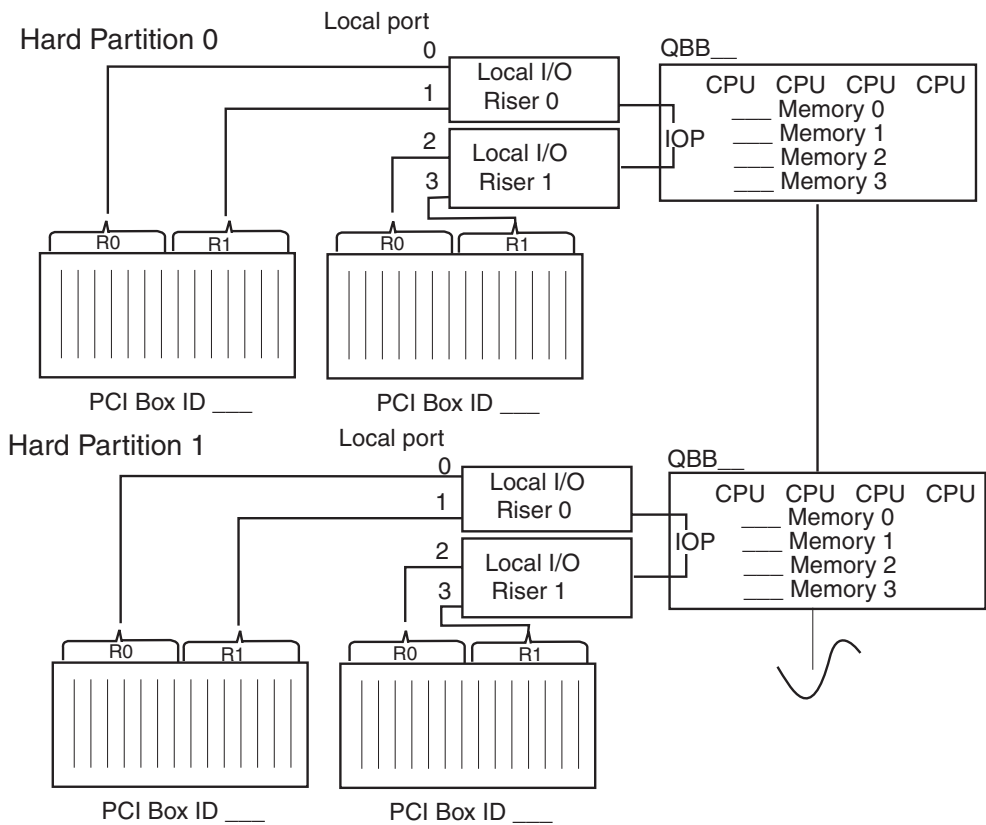
WARNING: The power off command from the SRM within a hard partition does not remove power from PCI boxes connected to the partition.

Similarly, you can issue a **reset** command from the SRM within a hard partition to reinitialize all registers for the partition.

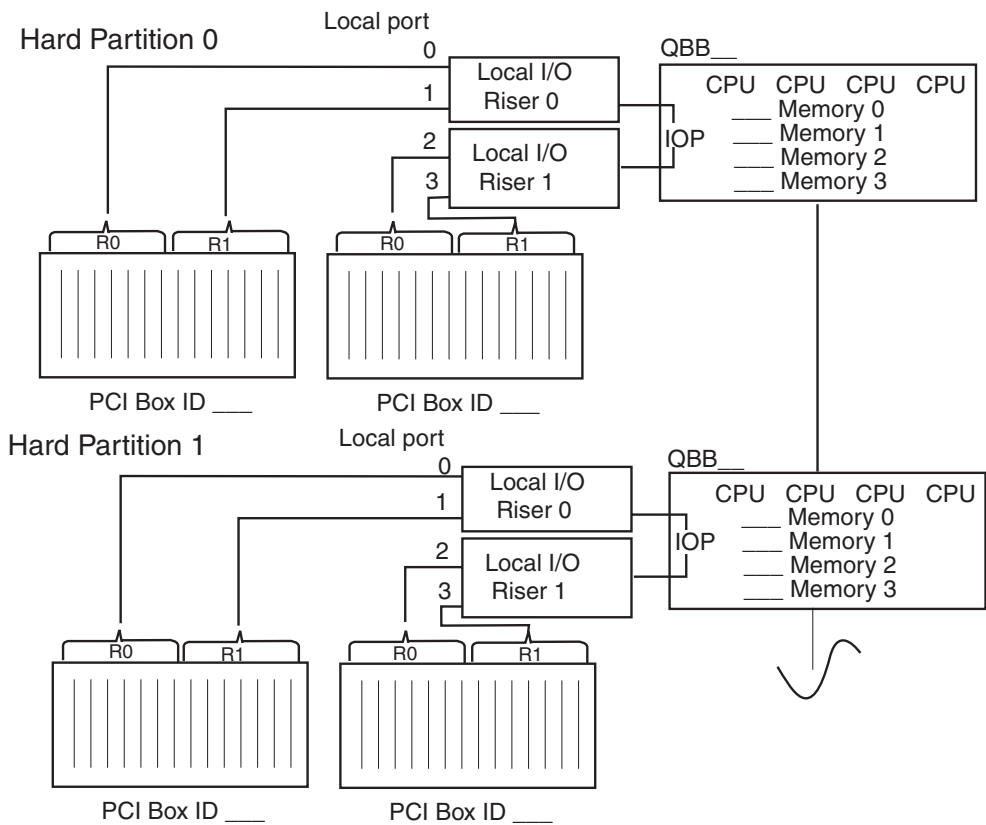
Appendix A

Blank Forms for Planning Partitions

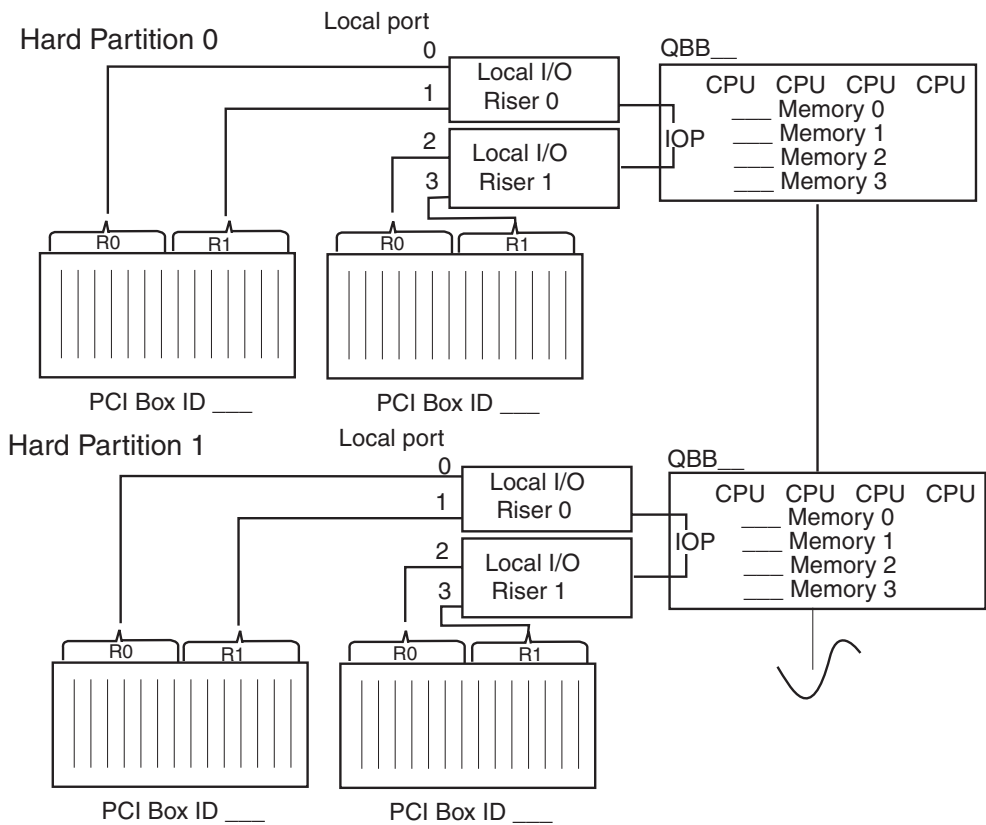
Blank diagrams like those in Section 2.6 for planning partitions are included here for your use.



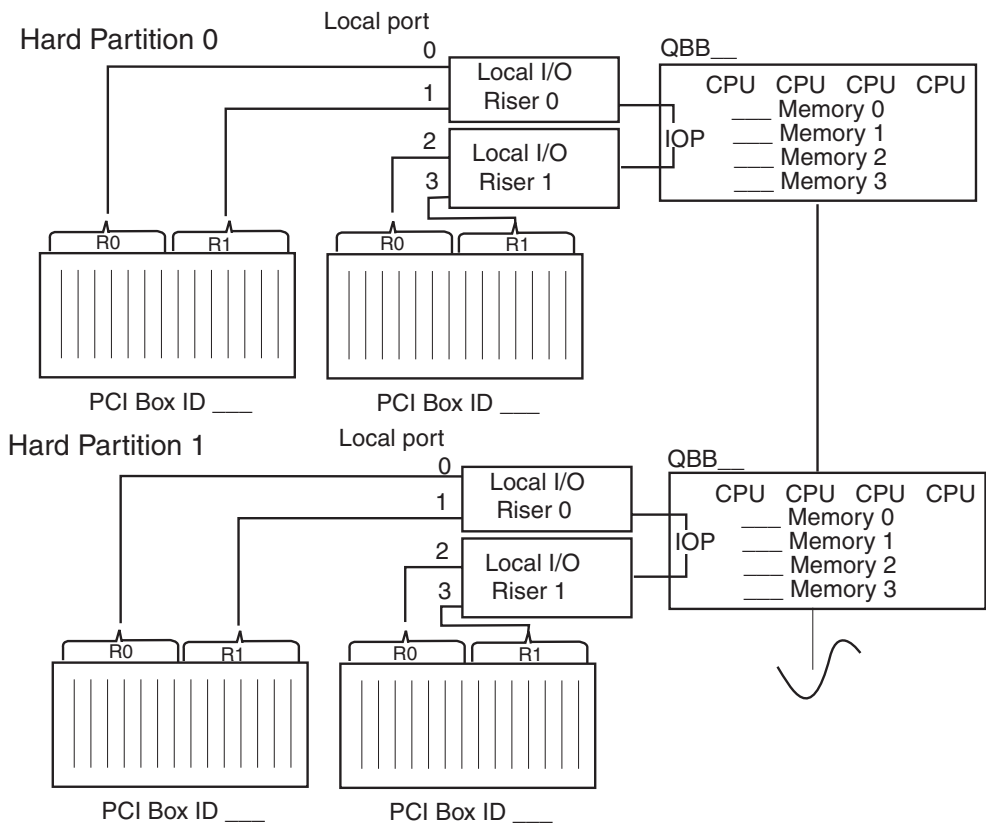
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