

## Re: NX bit: AMD vs Intel?

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ed wrote:

On my system I get the following:

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cat /proc/cpuinfo
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<snip>

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flags : fpu vme de pse tsc msr pae mce cx8 apic sep mtrr pge  
mca cmov pat pse36 clflush mmx fxsr sse sse2 syscall nx mmxext lm  
3dnowext 3dnow lahf_lm
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<snip>

Notice I see nx in /proc/cpuinfo.

Run this command on your system to see if it shows up...

I believe this only shows that your system *\*supports\** NX, not that the operating system is actually making use of it...

James.

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E-mail address: james | Things have never been the same since my arch enemy,  
@westexe.demon.co.uk | due to a slight clerical error, put a price on my  
| shed.  
| -- Jim

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