



# Saftlib d-bus replacement and API changes

- Late RT-Actions
  - 2 ms to FESA action, up to 5ms
- Late Function Generator Feeding
  - FG not armed at trigger time
  - Still running when armed
  - PowerSupply Abort / Flush
- Unexpected Interrupts
  - If Abort / Flush interrupts are not received saftd will reset its state
  - LM32 / saftd state mismatch

- Saftbus
  - FESA / FESL work with no code changes
  
- Interrupt handler
  - IRQ handling uses the glib mainloop
  - FG state updates sometimes too late causing unexpected IRQ
  - Separate IRQ handling and X-bus request handling

## ■ Property updates

- Status changes broadcast d-bus messages to update proxies so that clients can read status locally rather than wait for a dbus call. It generates heavy traffic.
- Replace properties with get methods (driver interface definition)
- Change properties to on-demand (redesign proxy)
- Stop updating certain properties
  - ActionCount causes a dbus signal before the timing event
  - Error counters

- Signals
  - Reduce the number of signals generated. Signals are always sent to dbus even if no-one is listening.
  
- Add blocking wait-for-event call
  - Simpler for clients than callback / wait / signal
  - Matches saftbus pipe read model
  
- Glibmm
  - Limit the available types
  - Remove conversions esp. Variant
  - Remove a dependency

- Saftlib internal events
  - A driver that can trigger actions within saftd
  - ActionSink / Condition that do not generate signals
  - e.g. SaftlibActionSink
    - Register for timing event
    - Extract BeamProcess from eventID
    - Load/Arm Function Generator for BeamProcess
  
- Shared Memory
  - Currently being integrated into PowerSupply
  - Data copied during Set instead of RT-Action
  - Loading LM32 takes most time