

FESA3 5.0.1

„Sneak Preview“

What's new @GSI?

- Event triggering on beam-in flag
- Offset timing events
- Multiple timing receivers
- Multiplexing per beam production chain
- Enabling process statistics via CMX
- C++11 enabled throughout

Beam-In Flag

- **New:** optional attribute in `//instantiation-unit/classes/<class-name>/events-mapping/<event-name>/event-configuration/Timing/hardware-event:@beam-in` .
- If an action is required for only one BeamIn state, use the Event Mapping
- BeamInFlag attribute in hardware-event
- Timing hardware will only trigger on the desired flag state

```
▼ [e] SyncBeamInEvent
  ▼ [e] event-configuration
    ⑧ name
    ▼ [e] Timing
      ▼ [e] hardware-event
        ⑧ name
        ⑧ beam-in-flag
      ▶ [e] unused-event-configuration
```

```
SyncBeamIn, NONE
(SyncBeamIn)
SyncBeamIn
CMD_SYNCH#312
(CMD_SYNCH#312: beam-in-flag=true)
CMD_SYNCH#312
true
(NONE)
```

BeamIn Flag in RTAction

- If a different action is required for BeamIn and BeamOut, use a single RTAction and check the context for isBeamIn

```
void GapStart::execute(fesa::RTEvent* pEvt)
{
    const fesaGSI::TimingContextWR* contextWR =
        dynamic_cast<const fesaGSI::TimingContextWR*>(pEvt->getMultiplexingContext());

    if (contextWR->isBeamIn())
    {
```

Event Triggering



- The timing receiver can only match a contiguous block from the MSB
- Normal FESA event matches FID/Group/EventNo
- Matching e.g. EventNo/BP is not possible
- Creating two events BeamIn/Out uses more timing receiver resources.

Creating Timing Events

- `/opt/fesa/nfs/global/scripts/inject-event-id.sh`
- BeamIn Event:
 - `inject-event-id.sh 210 312 1 1 1 8`
- BeamOut Event:
 - `inject-event-id.sh 210 312 1 1 1 0`

Offset Timing Events

- The timing receiver can be programmed to generate an RTAction up to 1s after or 0.1s before the event
- An offset event behaves as a normal event
- Uses the same timing receiver resources
- If they are too close some will be marked as delayed

Event Configuration

- Optional offset attribute in event-configuration

▼ e events-mapping	GapStart, NONE, GapStartOffset, NONE, Syn
▼ e GapStartEvent	GapStart, NONE
▼ e event-configuration	(GapStart)
a name	GapStart
▼ e Timing	CMD_GAP_START#258
▼ e hardware-event	(CMD_GAP_START#258)
a name	CMD_GAP_START#258
▶ e unused-event-configuration	(NONE)
▼ e GapStartWithOffsetEvent	GapStartOffset, NONE
▼ e event-configuration	(GapStartOffset)
a name	GapStartOffset
▼ e Timing	CMD_GAP_START#258
▼ e hardware-event	(CMD_GAP_START#258: offset=500000000)
a name	CMD_GAP_START#258
a offset	500000000

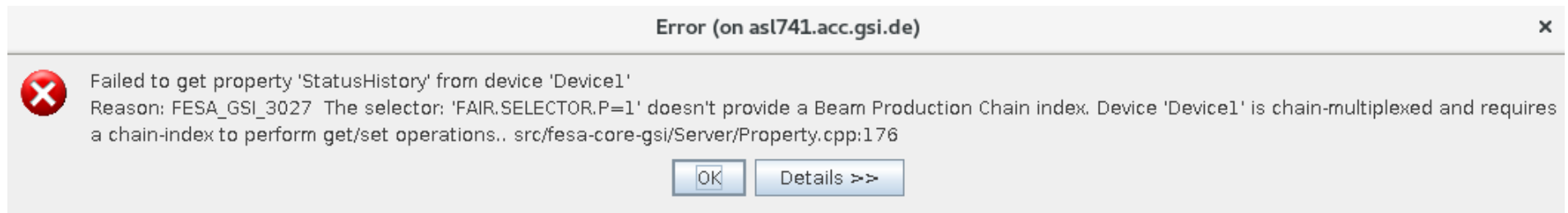
Multiplexing per Beam Production Chain

- Set mainMuxCriterion for the device in the instance file

```
<device-instance name="WRTimingTestDevice" state="development">
  <configuration>
    <description value=""/>
    <accelerator value="CRYRING"/>
    <timingDomain value="YRT1IN_TO_YRT1LQ1#200"/>
    <acceleratorZone value="YRT1IN_TO_YRT1LQ1"/>
    <mainMuxCriterion value="CHAIN"/>
    <hwEventConfigName idref="_150401163157_6">
      <dim value="25"/>
      <value>MyHardwareTriggerConfig</value>
    </hwEventConfigName>
    <hwEventBitMaskSet idref="_150401163157_7">
      <value>0x00FF</value>
    </hwEventBitMaskSet>
    <hwEventBitMaskUnset idref="_150401163157_8">
      <value>0xFF00</value>
    </hwEventBitMaskUnset>
  </configuration>
  <events-mapping>
    <wrEvent idref="_150401163157_3">
      <event-configuration-ref name="myWRConfig"/>
    </wrEvent>
  </events-mapping>
</device-instance>
```

Multiplexing per Beam Production Chain

- Behaves the same as sequence or BP multiplexing



- Get/Set work with FAIR.SELECTOR.C=x
- Timing implementation difference: The ChainID is in the Timing Payload, not the EventID.
- Event matching on chainID will never be possible

CMX Metrics

- Enabling process statistics in FESA3@GSI
- Support for diagnostics and debugging
- Default set of potentially interesting values per FESA class built-in (notification queue length etc.)
- Possibility to add custom values for observation
- <https://www-acc.gsi.de/wiki/FESA/FESA3ProcessStatisticsWithCMX>

```
#include <fesa-core/Diagnostic/MetricsManager.h>

static int32_t integer = 32;
static bool boolean = false;
metricsManager.registerMetric(„MY_COMPONENT“, „MINE“, integer);
metricsManager.registerMetric(„MY_COMPONENT“, „MINE1“, boolean);
```

```
matthies@asl744:lnx>cmw-cmx-reader
[14195]:INF0:registry.c:189:cmx_registry_cleanup: Cleanup
Component: CMWServer pid=12426
  name="GetRequests"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="0"
  name="SetRequests"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="0"
  name="SubscriptionRequests"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="0"
  name="UnsubscriptionRequests"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="0"
  name="NotificationsSent"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="0"
Component: MY_COMPONENT pid=12426
  name="MINE"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="32"
  name="MINE1"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="BOOL"
  value="0"
Component: NotificationQ pid=12426
  name="postedMsgs"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="0"
  name="receivedMsgs"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="0"
Component: OnDemandQs pid=12426
  name="CMXTest::DiagnosticsEventSource::SRVPostedMsg"
  mtime="Thu Mar  8 16:33:42 2018"
  type="INT64"
  value="0"
```

Notification Queues

- Notification queues overflowing has caused errors
- Notification runs at lower priority
- Example class:
 - RT Action at 1 kHz issues 20 manual notifications
- 10,000 Notifications/s is the practical limit for an SCU
- New: CMX metric entry for notification queue length

Notification Queue CMX Metrics

FesaExplorer (on asl741.acc.gsi.de)

cmwdev00a.acc.gsi.de:5021 2018-03-22 10:09:38

GD_291AFD6A@ALL: Metrics

Change Cycle: 2018-03-22 09:09:29.433 Acq.: + 0 ns

Fields

CMWServer: ts = 0 SubscriptionRequests = 0 UnsubscriptionRequests = 0 NotificationsSent = 0

ConcurrencyLayers: nisticsLayer::accumulatedEvents = 0 diagnosticsLayer::maxAccumulatedEvents = 0

EventSources: DiagnosticsEventSource::firedEvents = 0 Five::DiagnosticsEventSource::enabled = 1

LogicalEvents: agnosticsEvent::treatedEvents = 0 Five::DiagnosticsEvent::triggeredSchedulers = 0

NotificationQ: postedMsgs = 456950 queueLength = 158947 receivedMsgs = 298003

RTActions: = 0 Five::RTDiagnosticSetting::completed = 0 Five::RTDiagnosticSetting::aborted = 0

ServerActions: Five::GetStatistics::SuccessfulGets = 0 Five::GetStatistics::FailedGets = 0

Get

Device Selection

- Five_DU.scuxl0052
 - Device1_new
 - GD_291AFD6A

Cycle Selection

Any

Sequence index: -1

Process index: -1

Chain index: -1

Timing group id: -1

Property Selection

- Five (0.1.0)
 - DiagnosticSetting
 - Metrics
 - Configuration

global-interface

- setting
- acquisition
 - metrics-property
 - visibility expert
 - name Metrics
 - on-change false
 - subscribable false
 - multiplexed false
 - description Generic property to retrieve deploy-unit's metrics
- cmw-server (cmwServer: direction=OUT)
- concurrency-layers (concurrencyLayers: direction=OUT)
- event-sources (eventSources: direction=OUT)
- logical-events (logicalEvents: direction=OUT)
- notification-queue (notificationQueue: direction=OUT)
- ondemand-queues (ondemandQueues: direction=OUT)
- rt-actions (rtActions: direction=OUT)
- server-actions (serverActions: direction=OUT)

Improvements

- Subscriptions: adaption of first update behaviour to avoid exceptions
 - Makes subscription to ALL usable
- Removal of implementation for „old“ timing selector format
 - FAIR.BP.x

Bug-Fixes

- Subset definition uses vardim element instead of vardim1
- Timing event Nos SEQ_START, BP_START work with offsets
- Timing events for devices in different groups (also 4.3.1 patch)
- Timing event performance improvements

Backward incompatible Changes

- DataStore::getName() returns a **const** string reference instead of a string.
- The enumeration value MultiplexingContext::TimerCtxt has been removed because it was never used
- Generated struct types now have a default constructor that initialize all their attributes to valid values (0 or, for enumerations without a value that maps to 0, the first value of the enumeration)
 - → struct types cannot be initialized with a C-style initializer anymore

Timing Configuration Backward Incompatible Changes

- Zero is now a valid Beam Process/Sequence Index.
- In previous versions zero in the selector would match ALL

„No NoneContext“

- It is not possible anymore to get and set a value of a multiplexed acquisition field with a NoneContext. This was allowed in the past FESA FWK versions, but was a bug. Trying to do so will now throw an exception.
 - Consider if the field should be multiplexed
 - Provide your own acquisition context with a selector and local timestamp

```
fesa::TimingContext timingContext("FAIR.SELECTOR.S=1", timestamp_ns);  
device->GapBeamIn.get(&timingContext);
```

- Future feature: get anything – retrieve an entry from the acquisition buffer – similar to subscription to ALL

Release Notes

- GSI:

<https://www-acc.gsi.de/wiki/FESA/FESA3ReleaseHistory>

- CERN:

<https://www-acc.gsi.de/wiki/FESA/FESA3500#relnotescern>