Gen 2_2, 3 Suggestions

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- # Inquis Gen 2 Gen 3 Codebase Suggestions for Zach S.
- *The following suggestions are derived from code reviewed in the main branch of inquis_gen_2_2 <877e567d7b8383b5dc6bacf775bbc0a010b0521e> and inquis_gen_3_0 <9dfa6d65ccb128b5cd307f8082603f34d296797b>*

GEN3

CMS

CLI

- **Questions:**
- 81 what is cfg_overload for
- _<funName> -> local and <funName> -> global?
- 85 n t s to check sd_card_mount() and see why/if it is okay to emit non-blocking error if error thrown
- 101 n t s to check check_string_allocates(0,0) if the check is safe / comprehensive for potential string memory leaks
- 96 config file contents bbstr not deleted in else branch
- 115 CMD_CHECK_IS is a redundant assert (we need only one system wide realistically) -> CMD_CHECK_IS leads back to a function in CLI; couldn't we call that printf directly with a conditional?
- 117 What is GPIO Typedef; what is it for
- 120 CMD_CHECK_IS used instead of if (...) {emit_log_comment_record(...)} -> We should have one way to handle errors visible to all modules; should even be a separate module
- 104 function never called

[15h10 22 aug 2025 ~ faster to drop these questions and comments into powerpoint from the getgo]

Suggestions:

LOG

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- note to self to check where emit_log_error_once is called; may be unsafe given warning about static/dynamic string usage
- note to self to make suggestion regarding base case of empty comment in emit_log_comment_record, which returns instead of emitting associated default comment, allowing for accidentally implementing silent errors (should not be possible)

Suggestions:

HANDLE

COMMON

What is cfg_overload for

```
81 bool cfg_overload = false;
82 Config *config = NULL;
```

- _<funName> -> local and <funName> -> global?

void _load_config() {

- 101 n t s to check check_string_allocates(0,0) if the check is safe / comprehensive for potential string memory leaks

```
check_str_allocates(0, 0);
}
```

- 96 config_file_contents bbstr not deleted in else branch

```
if (config_file_contents) {
    check_str_allocates(1, 0);
    config = load_config(config_file_contents);
    bbstr_del(config_file_contents);
}
else {
    emit_log_comment_record("Unable to load config from SD Card. Trying defaults\n");
    config = load_config(NULL);
}
```



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CMD_CHECK_IS(argc >= 2, "Wrong number of arguments");

- 117 What is GPIO_Typedef; what is it for

GPI0_TypeDef *block;
uint16_t pin;
Err err = cli_parse_gpio_pin_st
CMD_CHECK_IS(! err, "GPI0 pin no



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Err err = cli_parse_gpio_pin_string(argv[1], &block, &pin);
CMD_CHECK_IS(! err, "GPIO pin not in correct format");

- 85 n t s to check sd_card_mount() and see why/if it is okay to emit non-blocking error if error thrown

```
Err err = sd_card_mount();
if (err != 0) {
   emit_log_comment_record("SD card failed to mount but continuing without it.\n");
}
```

- 104 function never called

```
void _cmd_gpio(int argc, char **argv) {
    if (argc == 0) {
```

LOG

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