

Open Source of Belle II Software Task Force

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The Belle II Executive Board establishes the “Open Source of Belle II Software Task Force” and mandates it to draft an Open Source of Belle II Software Policy Document that:

- 1) Defines categories of Belle II software that fall under the Open Source of Belle II Software for consideration of the policy.
- 2) Documents advantages and disadvantages of sharing Belle II software with entities outside Belle II as well as advantages and disadvantages of making Belle II software fully open publicly.
- 3) Includes procedures for sharing Belle II software with entities outside Belle II and/or with making Belle II software fully open publicly.

The Task Force is to provide the Belle II Executive Board with a status report at the Executive Board meeting to be held during the June 2019 Belle II General Meeting. A draft for consideration and voting by the Belle II Executive Board is to be made available one week prior to the Executive Board meeting to be held during the October 2019 Belle II General Meeting. The policy will require approval by the Institutional Board before it is implemented.

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