Belle II (construction, commissioning and prospects)

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We report on the construction and plans for initial operation of Belle II and SuperKEKB. The new facility will be an upgrade of the existing KEKB electron-positron collider, with a target luminosity of 8 x $10^{35} / cm^2/s$ - about 40 times greater than that of KEKB. The Belle II detector will study rare flavor physics processes with unprecedented sensitivity for indirect (virtual-particle) contributions from as-yet unexplored phenomena at the TeV scale.

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