



**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS  
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**Revised Course Request: Common Course  
(*Substantive Modifications*)**

SDSU

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**Institution**

**Division/Department**

Shadi Bedoor

**Institutional Approval Signature**

3/30/2023

**Date**

USD

Arts & Sciences /  
Physics

**Effective term of the change:** Fall 2023

**2.2. Add justification for all changes noted above:**

PHYS 185-185L Solar System Astronomy and Lab (2-3 cr., 0-1 cr.) are common courses delivered by BHSU, DSU, SDSU, and USD. In an effort to align the lecture and lab components and modify 0-credit labs, PHYS 185-185L will be changed to deliver a common 2+1 credit lecture/lab.

**Section 3. Other Course Information**

**Will this course equate (i.e., be considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common courses in the common course database ([Course Inventory](#)**

**[Report](#))?    Yes                  No**

*If yes, indicate the course(s) to which the course will equate (add lines as needed):*

**Prefix & No.    Course Title**

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Subject: RE: Physics Clean-up

Doug:

USD teaches PHYS 111/L, PHYS 113/L, PHYS 185/L, PHYS 187/L classes. The proposed modification fits our current practices. We concur with these changes on the board level. Thank you for putting these together.

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