

Script for ESOcast Light 118: A Tale of Three Stellar Cities

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[Visual starts] New ESOcast intro	New ESOcast introduction Incl ESO logo
Title: A Tale of Three Stellar Cities	
Surprise: astronomers have found what look like three different generations of baby stars within the Orion Nebula Cluster.	
The Orion Nebula is a large cloud of dust and gas where stars form.	
Until now , we thought all stars form at the same time in such a nebula.	
Using the OmegaCAM on ESO's VLT Survey Telescope astronomers found something different...	
...it seems that three generations of young stars formed in bursts in the Orion Nebula Cluster during the last 3 million years and will continue to grow older together.	
[Outro]	<i>Produced by ESO, the European Southern Observatory. Reaching new heights in Astronomy.</i>