

Script for ESOcast 187 Light: First Light for SPECULOOS

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New ESOcast intro	New ESOcast introduction
Title: First Light for SPECULOOS	
1. A new quartet of planet-hunting telescopes is ready to begin operations at ESO's Paranal Observatory.	
2. The SPECULOOS project has made its first observations at a site in northern Chile... ...also home to ESO's Very Large Telescope .	
3. SPECULOOS, named after the delicious spiced biscuit, is the Search for habitable Planets EClipsing ULtra-cOOl Stars .	
4. The project's four telescopes will search for Earth-like planetsin the habitable zone of nearby brown dwarfs and ultra-cool stars .	
5. With one thousand stars to study, astronomers expect to find a host of new planetary neighbours ...	
6. ...and to learn more about these fascinating alien worlds .	
00:00 [Outro]	<i>Produced by ESO, the European Southern Observatory. Reaching new heights in Astronomy.</i>