Script for ESOcast Light 110: Ingredient for life found around infant stars

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Title: Ingredient for life found around infant stars	
Astronomers have used ALMA to take a close look at the cocoon of dust and gas surrounding infant Sun-like stars .	ALMA footage
What did they find?	Zoom-in on protostar.
Traces of an organic molecule with the exotic name methyl isocyanate, never seen before around such young stars.	Molecular clumps in the inner dusty envelope of the low-mass protostar. (They are called corinos.)
This molecule plays a key role in the formation of peptides and amino acids	Zoom-in further to the molecule, methyl isocyanate (CH ₃ NCO).
essential ingredients needed for life as we know it .	

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