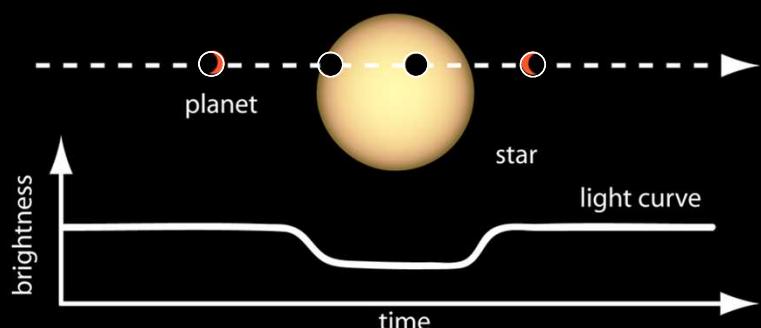


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NEXT-GENERATION TRANSIT SURVEY

Detection of Neptune and Earth sized planets around bright stars from the ground
 Aim to provide planets that will be easy to characterize further with ESPRESSO and CHEOPS

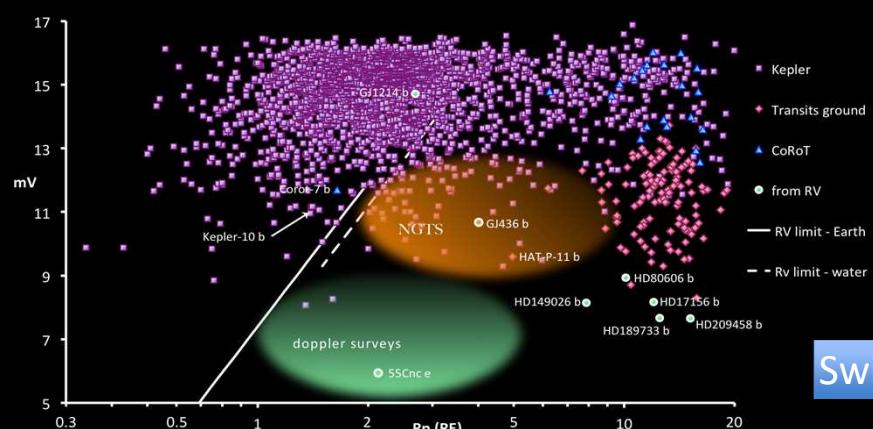
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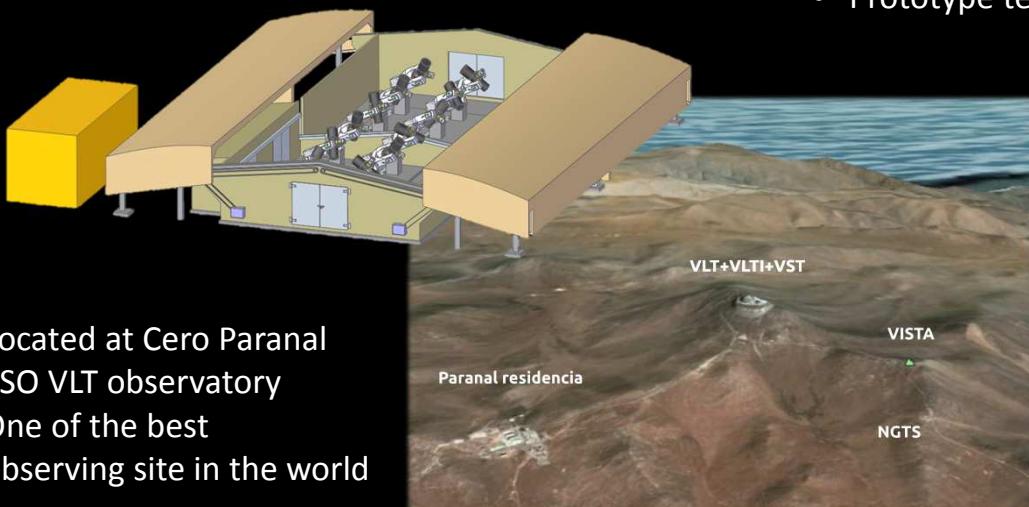


Around Bright stars *Autour d'étoiles brillantes*



- **12**, 20cm telescopes
- Detectors : **2Kx2K**
sensitive to near infrared
- **Robotic mount and observatory**
- Field of view : 96 square degree or **384 times the moon area**

Facility Installation



Located at Cero Paranal
 ESO VLT observatory
 One of the best
 observing site in the world

Swiss contribution *Contribution Suisse*

- Project management, System engineering
- Mechanical and optical expertise
- Control hardware
- Prototype tests

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