

INO340 M1 arrives

The INO340 primary mirror has arrived in Iran on 14 of February 2015 by crossing the Baltic Sea, Poland, Romania, Bulgaria and Turkey. The primary mirror blank is a Zerodur glass acquired in 2010. The glass was polished by Opteon, Finland between 2011 and 2014 to fit the telescope's optical requirements, following optical tests and final polishing. The mirror is 3400mm in diameter and has a thickness of 186mm with a 700mm central hole.