

Building a Solar Funnel:

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Parts:

Small hose clamp (needs to open up to 1.5")



Large hose clamp (needs to open up to 5") Or sturdy Rubber band(s)



Oil change funnel with circular opening with a 5" diameter (or less)



Gray or white grocery bag, or double-thickness of vinyl shower curtain



1.25" Eyepiece ~15-26mm (with rubber eyecup removed)



Tools:

Hacksaw

Tape measure

Flat head screwdriver or 5/16" hex driver for tightening hose clamp

Medium to Fine Sandpaper

Additionally, you will need to stop down your telescope aperture opening to 1-2" with a cover. I used a hat box from Hobby Lobby with window insulation foam to make a push-on fit.

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