Pesticide likely to lose potency against sea lice, scientists say

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Scientists at an international sea lice conference in Victoria yesterday said that it is almost inevitable that sea lice at B.C. salmon farms will become resistant to the chemical pesticide used to kill them. Resistance to treatment has been documented in Chile and Norway. The general treatment for sea lice at salmon farms is the product Slice, which uses the chemical emamectin benzoate to kill lice.

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