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The Environmental Effects of Anti-Sea Lice Pesticides on Marine Zooplankton

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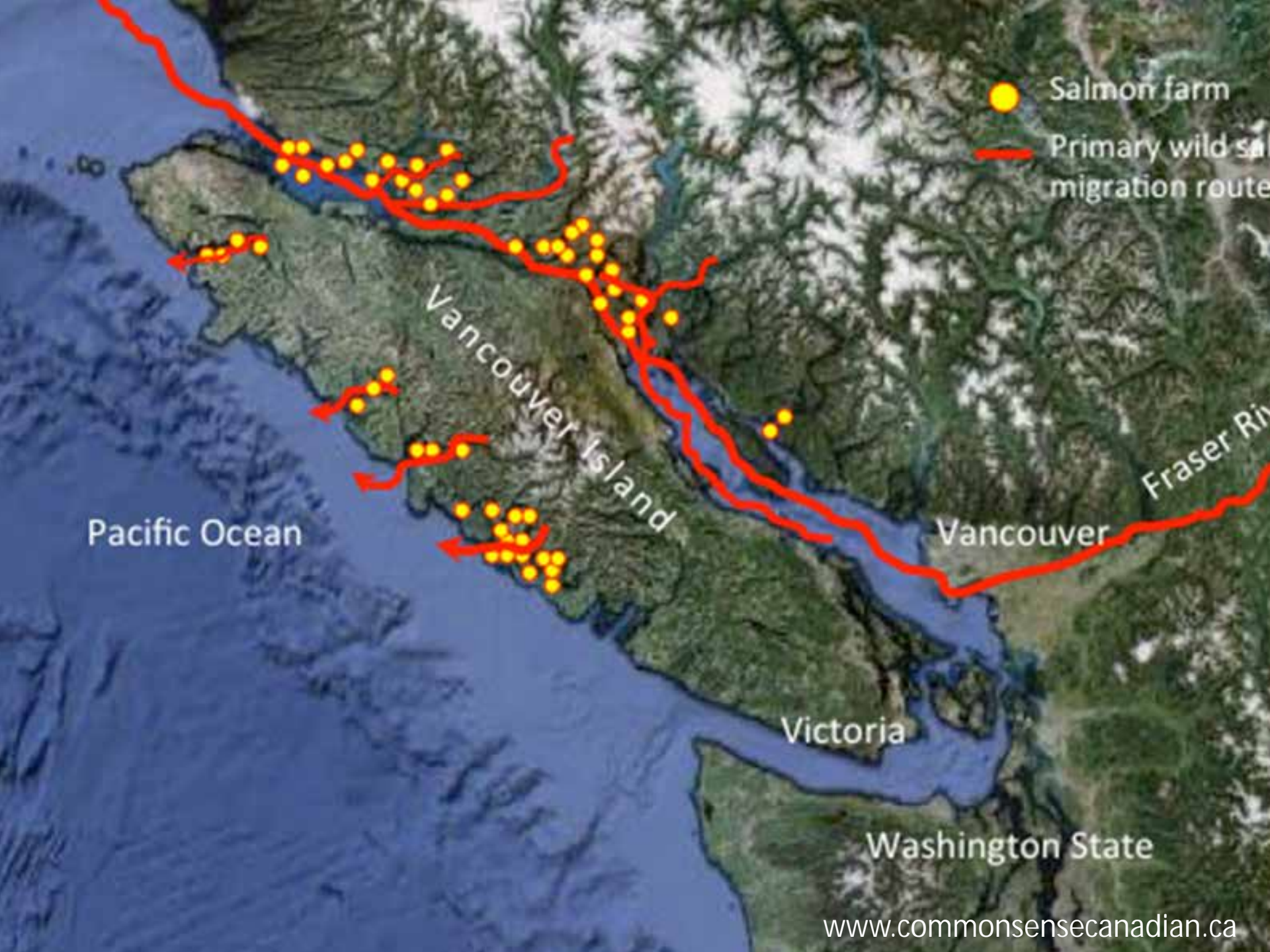
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Effect of sea-lice on salmon





- Salmon farm
- Primary wild salmon migration route

Pacific Ocean

Vancouver Island

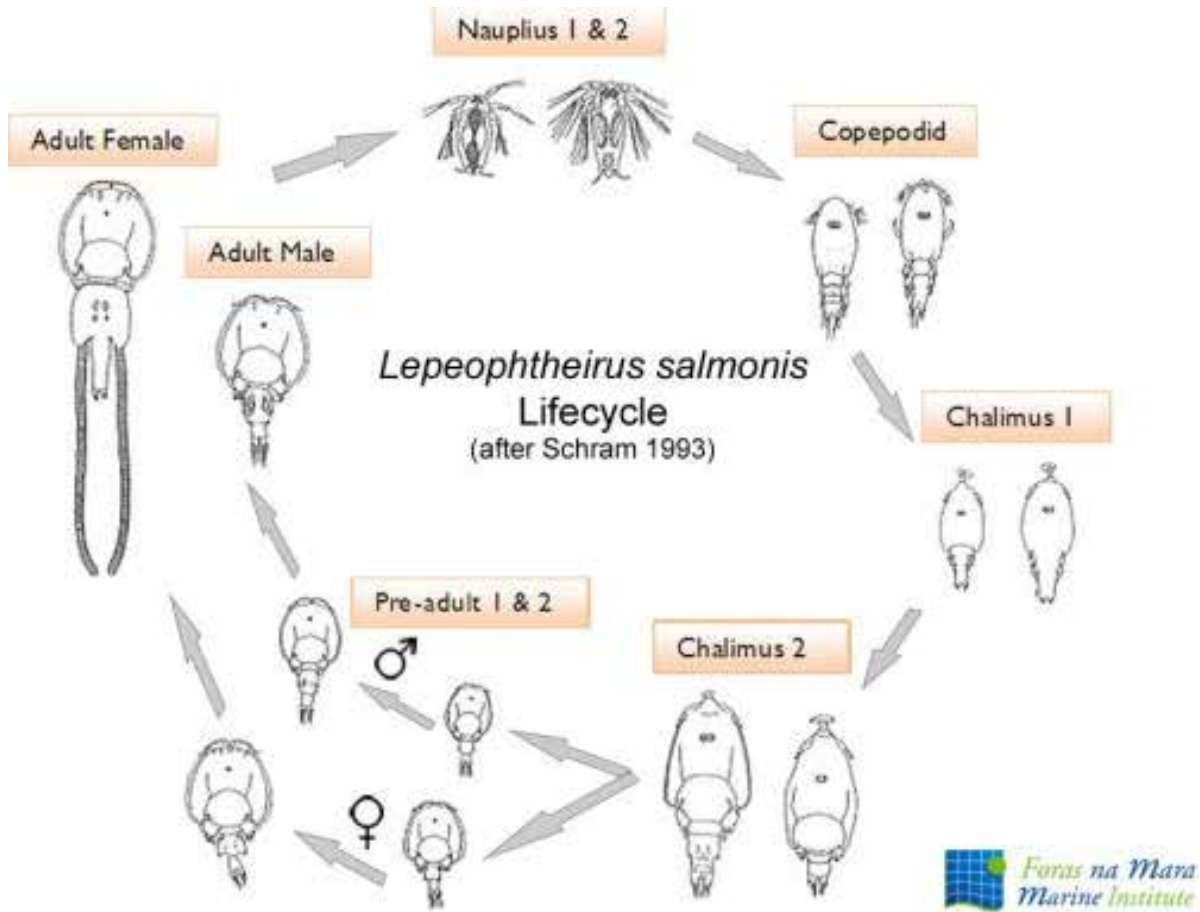
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Sea-Louse Life Cycle

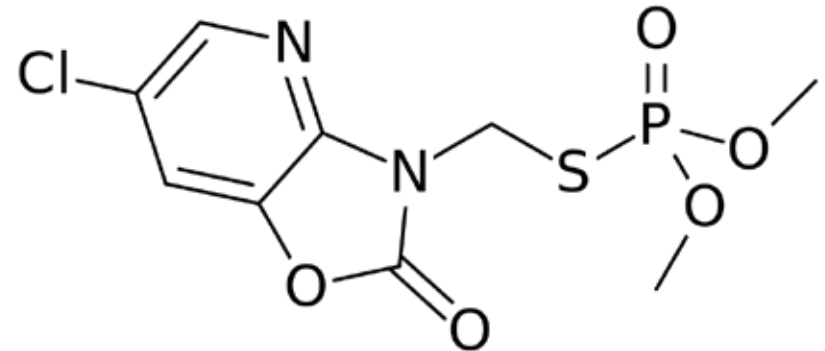


Available chemotherapeutants

- SLICE[®] (active ingredient: emamectin benzoate)
- Salmosan[®] (active ingredient: azamethiphos)
- Paramove 50[®] (active ingredient: hydrogen peroxide)



Salmosan[®]



- Dose: 100µg/L for 30-60 minutes
- Log K_{ow}: 1.05
- Half-life in sea water: 8.9 days

Relevant Data- Salmosan[®]

1 hour LC50: 24.8µg/L
10 day LC50: 0.216 µg/L



Homarus americanus



Temora longicornis

24 hour LC50: >10 µg/L



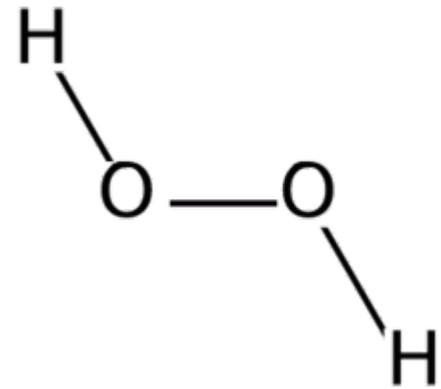
Mysidopsis bahia

96 hour LC50: 0.52 µg/L

Standard Dose= 100µg/L

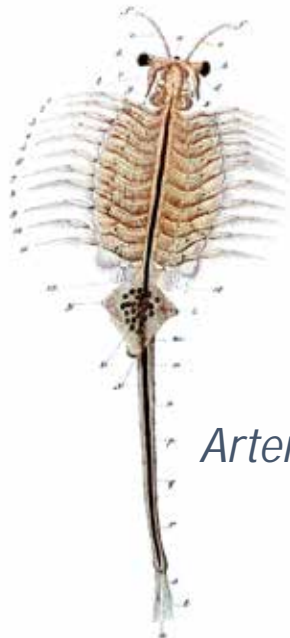
Paramove50[®]

- Dose: 1200-1800 mg/L for 40 minutes
- Log K_{ow} : -1.5
- Half-life in sea water: 7 days



Relevant Data- Paramove 50[®]

Gill Damage and
Mortality: 2380 mg/L



Artemia salina

Matthews et al., 1995

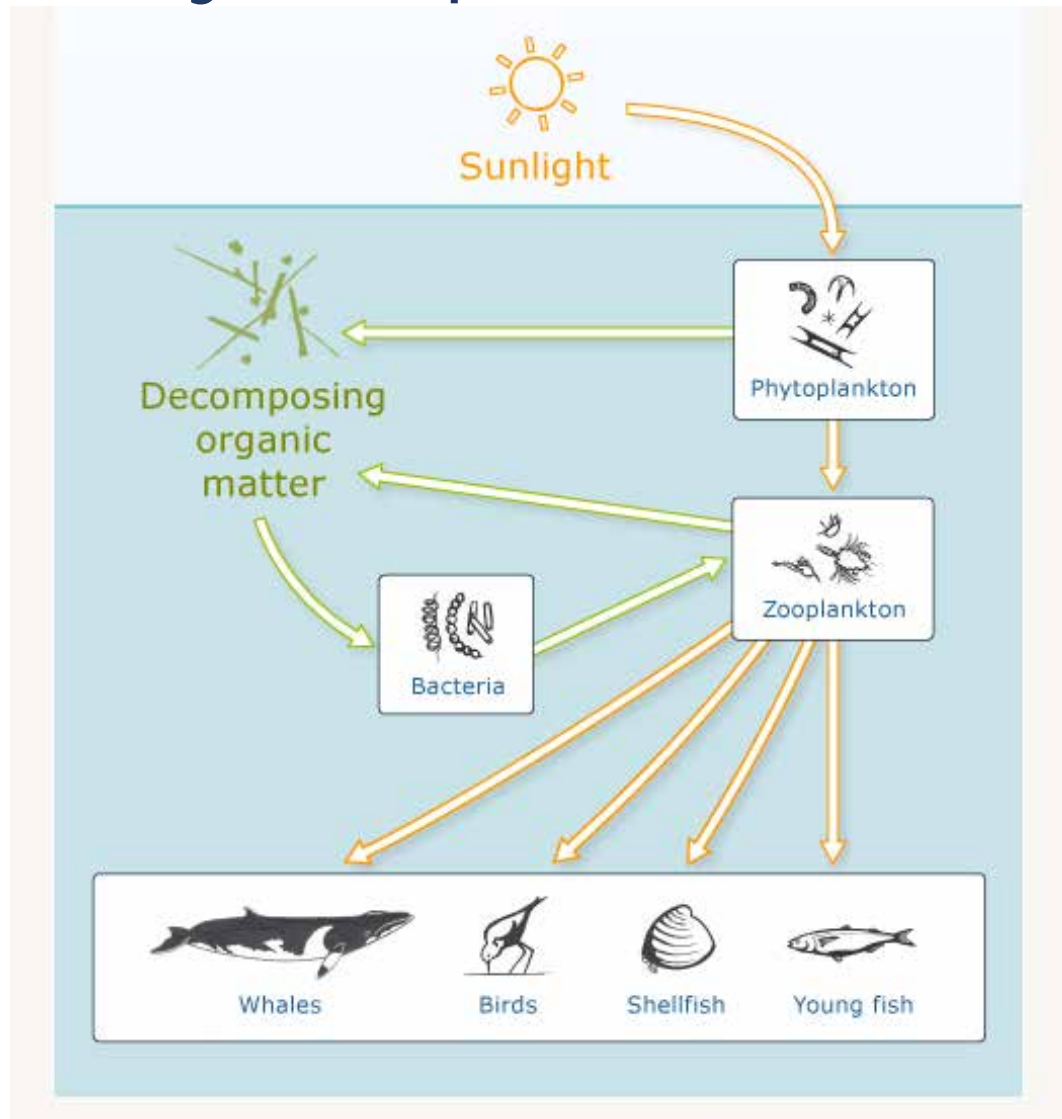


Atlantic salmon

24 hour LC50: 800 mg/L

Standard Dose= 1200-1800 mg/L

Why Study Zooplankton?



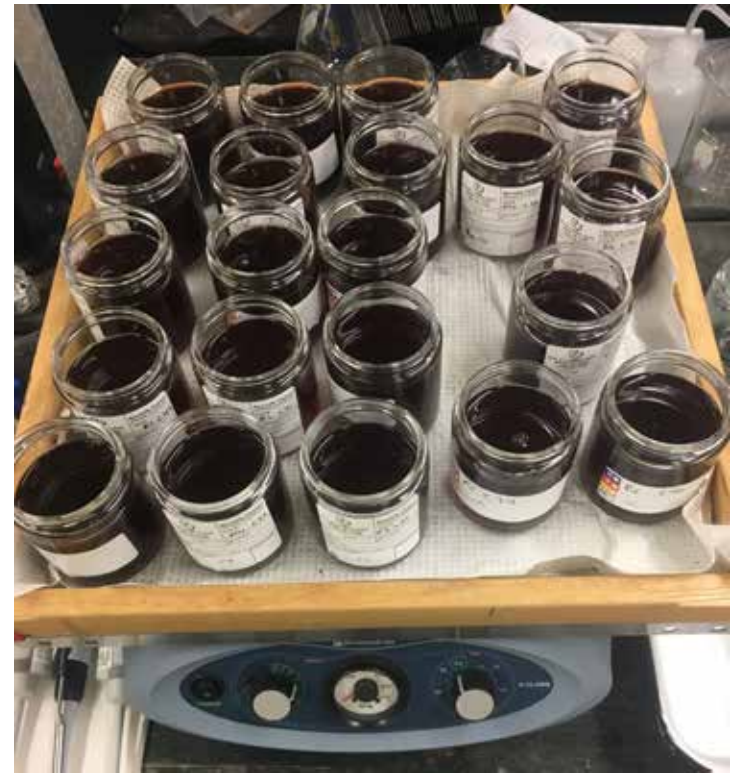
Objectives

1. To determine the lethal toxicity of Salmosan[®] and Paramove[®] 50 to zooplankton assemblages under realistic exposure concentrations and durations.
2. To determine the sub-lethal toxicity of Salmosan[®] and Paramove[®] 50 to one species of copepod under realistic exposure concentrations and durations

Sampling



Methods

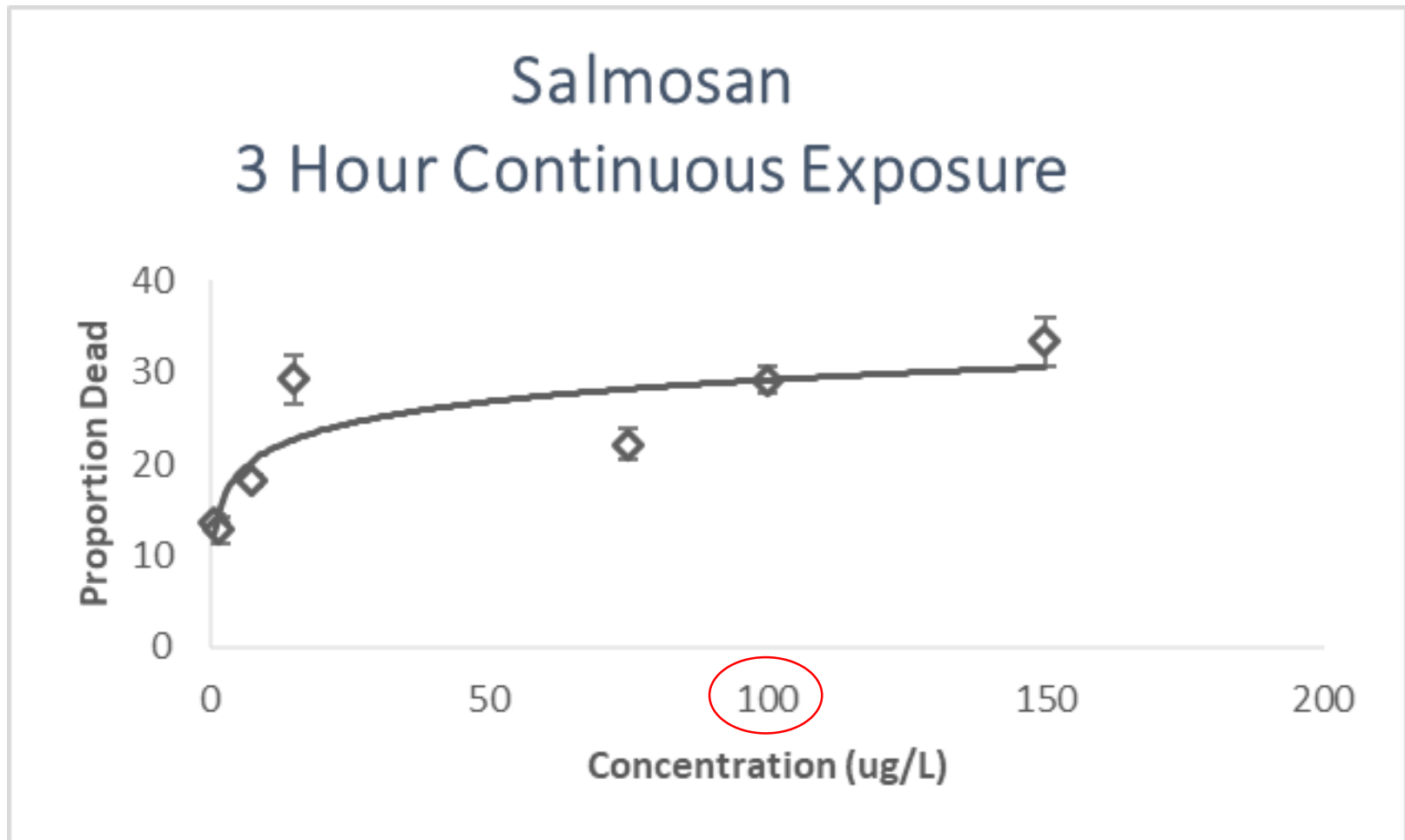


Analysis

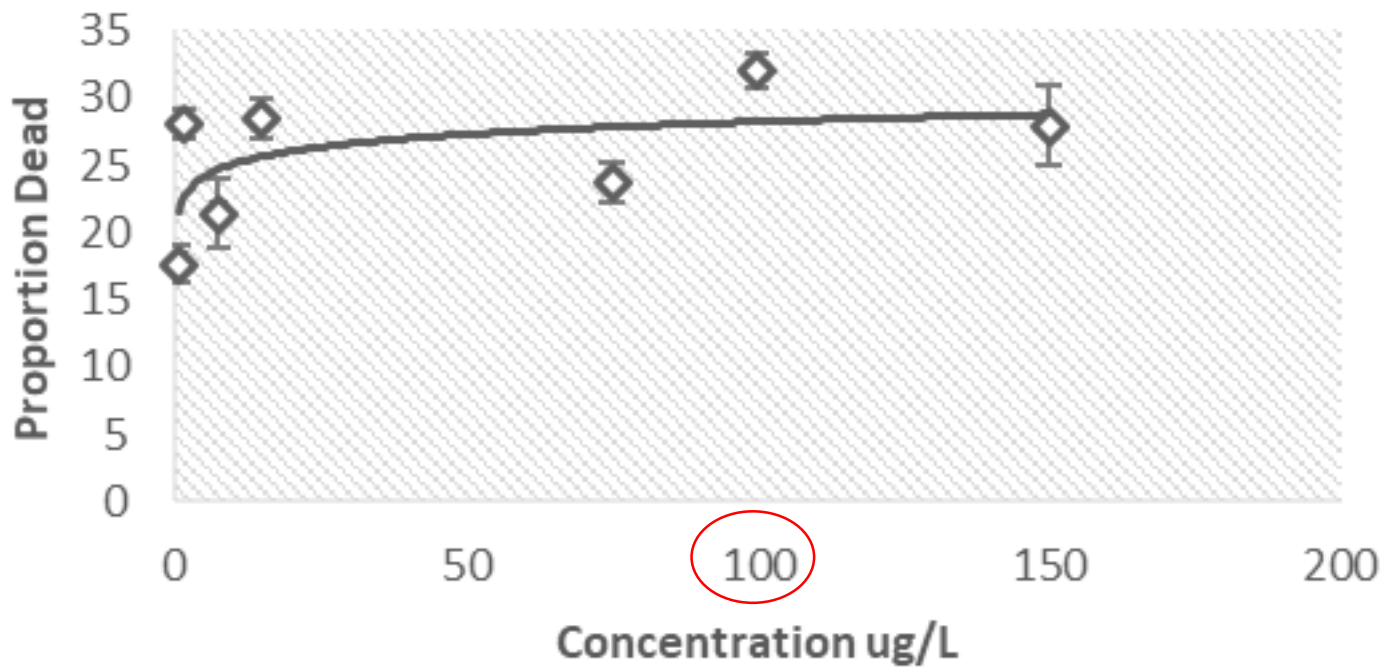


Based on protocol by Elliott and Tang, 2009

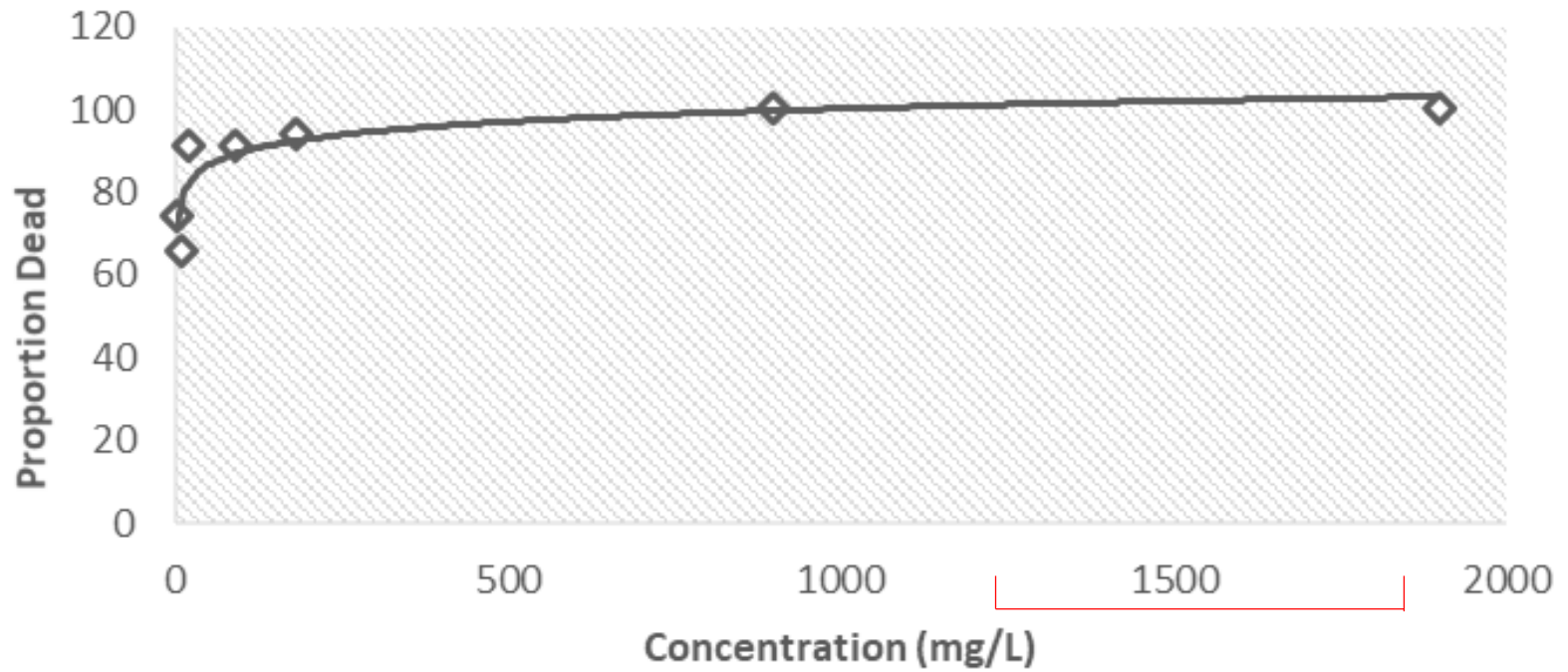
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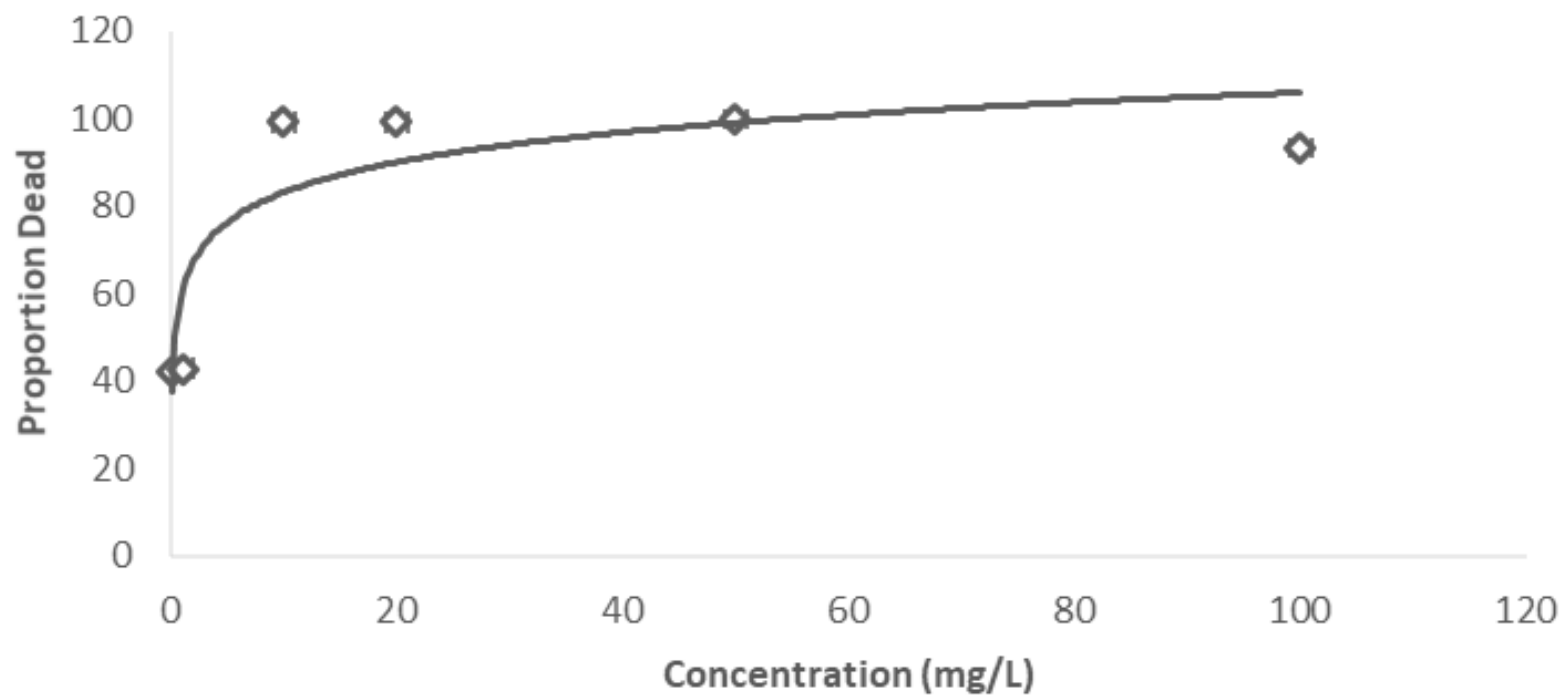
Salmosan 48 Hour Exposure



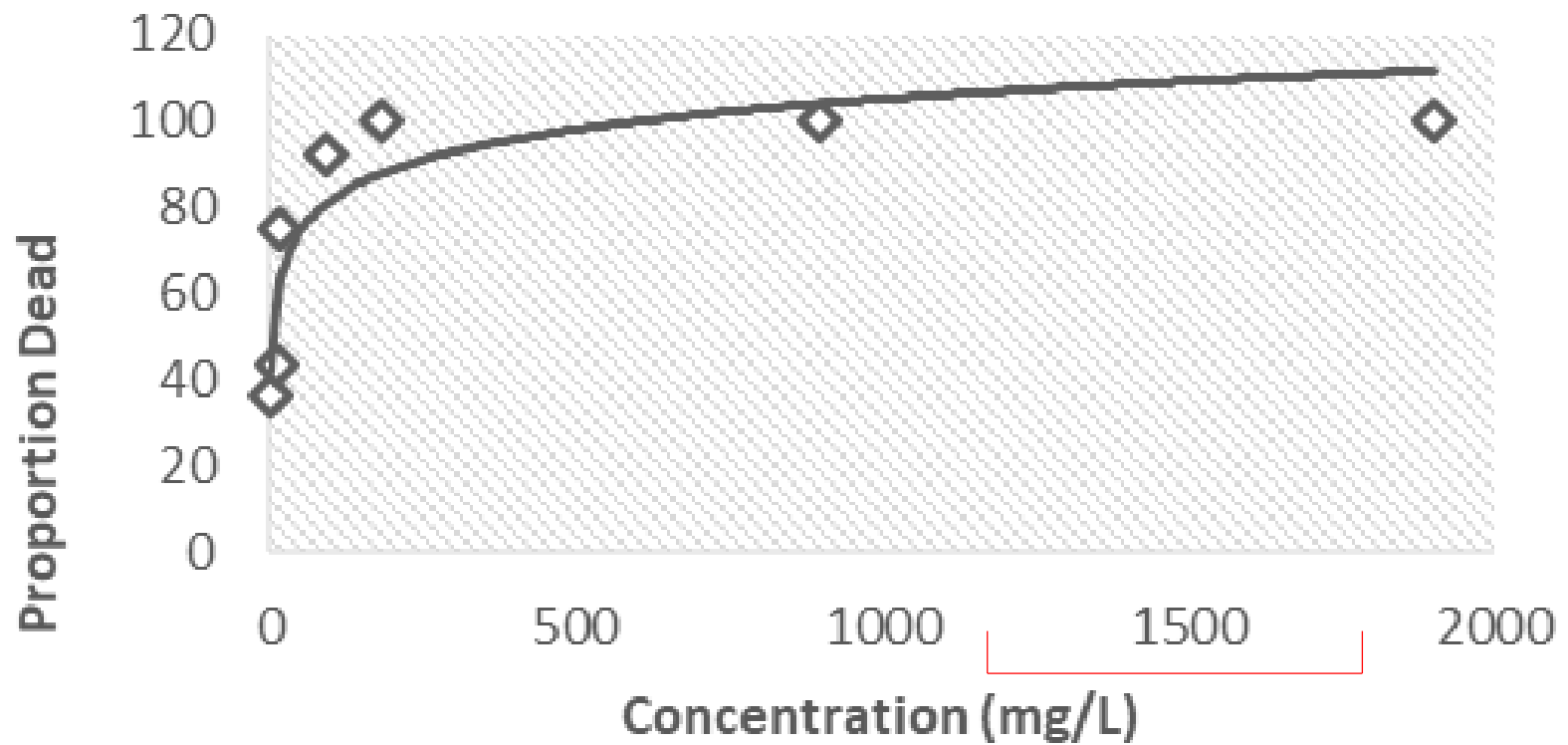
Paramove50 3 Hour Continuous Exposure



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