

Claims

1. A composition for use in masking the odor of a fish semiochemical in water,  
5 wherein the attraction between an ectoparasite and a fish in water is reduced,  
**characterized in that** the composition comprises a compound, and is added to said  
water or is administered to a fish in said water, wherein said compound is diallyl  
sulfide, and wherein said fish semiochemical is isophorone.
- 10 2. A composition according to claim 1, wherein said fish is a Salmonidae,  
preferably selected from the group consisting of Atlantic salmon, Coho salmon,  
Chinook, rainbow trout, Arctic char and other farmed salmon species.
3. A composition according to claim 1, wherein said parasite is sea lice  
15 (*Lepeophtheirus salmonis*, *Caligus* sp.).