

Ecology of sea lice and salmon

Data collection and mathematical analysis of sea lice and salmon population ecology.

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