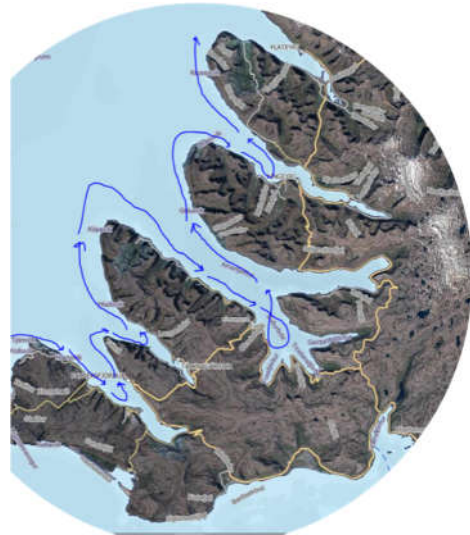


## Integrated pest management (IPM)

In its operations, Arnarlax ehf. tries in all way to search for non-medicinal ways to reduce sea lice load and risk for resistance built-up with use of lumpfish and sealice skirts. Good cooperation and communication is between Arnarlax and fellow company Arctic Fish in areas where both companies are operating, so-called ABM scheme (Area-based management).



Lice levels are constantly monitored by counting lice at least every 14 days and weekly during the sensitive period. All data is publicly available at Arnarlax website. According to ASC standard Arnarlax is allowed to use 3 medicinal delicing treatments per production cycle but tries in any way to avoid that.

After a farm site has been harvested out and finished fallowing, benthic sampling is carried out by Akvaplan Niva. Parasiticide residue levels are analysed outside the area of the farm amongst other things regarding the seafloor.

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