

Didymosphenia geminata - An Overview of a Nuisance Diatom
and its Impacts on Aquatic Systems

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Didymosphenia geminata (a.k.a. "rocksnot" or "didymo") is a native diatom that forms dense mats of growth which become nuisances to anglers and has detrimental impacts on invertebrate and fish communities. This presentation will provide a general overview of the species and recent research into the causes and effects of the blooms.