

# Giant Pacific Octopus preys on prawn <sup>[1]</sup>

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VENUS XWing camera captured Giant Pacific Octopus (*Enteroctopus dofleini*) preying on a spot prawn (*Pandalus platyceros*) at the forensic research site in the Strait of Georgia. The short video shows how the prawn manages to escape the mighty predator.

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