**Notes for 2017 on the hunting practical:**

Recast this from a scientific paper to a consultancy report with specific recommendations to the hunting regulator. Allow them to choose the scenario to model. Provide GENERIC demographic parameters, have them select reasonable demographic parameters for the scenario they choose.

Need to provide a bit of natural history context – build them a story that they can run with. Make it more realistic! Rising elephant populations in an African NP, e.g.

Need to present the models separately, as they’re getting confused about what parameter does what

Need to use functions to hide the guts of the models, so that they can handle looping easier.

Need to provide an example of a looped model (i.e. , replicate 100 run) in the practical handout.

The goal should be, not just to balance AAV, offtake and population size, but to keep population size at or above 600 (or some other fixed number)

Maybe tell them what range to vary the parameters over.

Shield all popupation sizes from going negative. Lock them at a minimulm of 0 instead.

Tell them to put the models on comparable units. I.E., use yield for all X-axes.

Conside using Ricker, so there’s density dependence, but no explicit carrying capacity. This is also good bc it introduces them to a new model.

Delete the “TRUE” population. It’s just confusing.