

## Appendix 7: Supplementary Information for Chapter 4

### IPM Equations

IPMs describe how the abundance and distribution of a continuously distributed trait changes in a population through discrete time. Vital rates are combined in projection kernels that describe state-dependent per-capita contributions of existing individuals to the population trait distribution in the following time step via survival and development (denoted  $(P(z', z))$ ) and sexual and asexual reproduction (denoted  $F(z', z)$  and  $C(z', z)$  respectively).

$$n(z', t + 1) = \int_L^U [G(z'|z, \sigma, \theta) * s_a(z, \theta)] n(z, t) dz + s_s * r_a(z') sdl(t), \quad (4.1.1)$$

$$mf(t + 1) = \int_L^U [p_f(z, \theta) * s_a(z, \theta) * r_f(z, \theta) * p_m * p_{fv}] n(z, t) dz, \quad (4.1.2)$$

$$sdl(t + 1) = p_e * g_i * v_s * mf(t) + s_{sb} * g_{sb} * p_e * sb(t), \quad (4.1.3)$$

and

$$sb(t + 1) = s_{sb} * (1 - g_{sb}) * sb(t) + (1 - g_i) * v_s * mf(t). \quad (4.1.4)$$

The survival probability of non-seedlings function,  $s_a(z, \theta)$ , is given by:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Logit}(s_a(z, \theta)) = & \beta_{0,s,i} + \beta_{s,z} * z + \\ & \beta_{s,\theta_t,dry} * \theta_{t,dry,i} + \beta_{s,\theta_t,wet} * \theta_{t,wet,i} + \\ & \beta_{s,\theta_p,dry} * \theta_{p,dry,i} + \beta_{s,\theta_p,wet} * \theta_{p,wet,i} + \\ & \beta_{s,\theta_{s3},dry} * \theta_{s3,dry,i} + \beta_{s,\theta_{s3},wet} * \theta_{s3,wet,i} + \\ & \beta_{s,\theta_t \times z,dry} * \theta_{t,dry,i} * z + \beta_{s,\theta_t \times z,wet} * \theta_{t,wet,i} * z + \\ & \beta_{s,\theta_p \times z,dry} * \theta_{p,dry,i} * z + \beta_{s,\theta_p \times z,wet} * \theta_{p,wet,i} * z + \\ & \beta_{s,\theta_{s3} \times z,dry} * \theta_{s3,dry,i} * z + \beta_{s,\theta_{s3} \times z,wet} * \theta_{s3,wet,i} * z, \end{aligned} \quad (4.1.5)$$

where *wet* and *dry* denote wet season and dry seasons covariation values, *i* indexes each site in Table 4.1, and the function  $g()$  takes a site *i* and returns 0 for sites in the invaded range and 1 for sites in the native range. The development function,  $G(z'|z, \sigma, \theta)$  is given by:

$$G(z'|z, \sigma, \theta) = f_G(z' | \mu_G(z, \theta), \sigma_G(z, i)), \quad (4.1.6)$$

where  $f_G$  denotes a normal probability density function,  $\mu_G(z, \theta)$  is given by:

$$\mu_G(z, \theta) = \beta_{0,G,i} \quad (4.1.7)$$

where  $f_{t2}$  and  $f_s$  denote a set of spline basis functions created by `t2` and `s()` from the `mgcv` R package (Wood 2017). *mean* and *seas* denote the mean annual value and the seasonality of the monthly values, respectively.  $\sigma_G(z, i)$  is given by:

$$\sigma_G(z, i) = \beta_{0,\sigma_G,i} + \beta_{z,\sigma_G} * z + \dots \quad (4.1.8)$$

The probability of flowering function,  $p_f(z, \theta)$ , is given by:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Logit}(p_f(z, \theta)) = & \beta_{0,p_f,i} + \beta_{z,p_f} * z + \\
& f_s(\theta_{t,mean,i}) + f_s(\theta_{p,total,i}) + \\
& \beta_{p_f,\theta_t,seas} * \theta_{t,seas,i} + \beta_{p_f,\theta_p,seas} * \theta_{p,seas,i} + \\
& \beta_{p_f,\theta_{s2},mean} * \theta_{s2,mean,i} + \beta_{p_f,\theta_{s2},seas} * \theta_{s2,seas,i} + \\
& \beta_{p_f,\theta_t \times z,seas} * \theta_{t,seas,i} * z + \beta_{p_f,\theta_p \times z,seas} * \theta_{p,seas,i} * z + \\
& \beta_{p_f,\theta_{s2} \times z,mean} * \theta_{s2,mean,i} * z + \beta_{p_f,\theta_{s2} \times z,seas} * \theta_{s2,seas,i} * z.
\end{aligned} \tag{4.1.9}$$

The number of flowers produced conditional on flowering function,  $r_f(z, \theta)$ , is given by:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Log}(r_f(z, \theta)) = & \beta_{0,r_f,i} + \beta_{z,r_f} * z + \\
& \beta_{r_f,\theta_t,mean} * \theta_{t,mean,i} + \beta_{r_f,\theta_t,seas} * \theta_{t,seas,i} + \\
& \beta_{r_f,\theta_p,total} * \theta_{p,total,i} + \beta_{r_f,\theta_p,seas} * \theta_{p,seas,i} + \\
& \beta_{r_f,\theta_{s2},mean} * \theta_{s2,mean,i} + \beta_{r_f,\theta_{s2},seas} * \theta_{s2,seas,i} + \\
& \beta_{r_f,\theta_t \times z,mean} * \theta_{t,mean,i} * z + \beta_{r_f,\theta_t \times z,seas} * \theta_{t,seas,i} * z + \\
& \beta_{r_f,\theta_p \times z,total} * \theta_{p,total,i} * z + \beta_{r_f,\theta_p \times z,seas} * \theta_{p,seas,i} * z + \\
& \beta_{r_f,\theta_{s2} \times z,mean} * \theta_{s2,mean,i} * z + \beta_{r_f,\theta_{s2} \times z,seas} * \theta_{s2,seas,i} * z + \\
& \beta_{r_f,native} * g(i) + \beta_{r_f,native \times z} * g(i) * z.
\end{aligned} \tag{4.1.10}$$

$g(i)$  is a function that returns 1 if site  $i$  in the native range (South Africa) and 0 when site  $i$  is located elsewhere. Finally, the size distribution of newly observed non-seedling plants,  $r_a(z')$ , is given by:

$$r_a(z') = f_{r_a}(z' | \mu_{r_a}, \sigma_{r_a}), \tag{4.1.11}$$

where  $f_{r_a}$  is a Gaussian probability density function.