

# **Wildlife Management in Other Countries**

Sharing Experiences  
Part-II



# Key Learnings



# Game Management

1. Active population regulation by removing/adding animals by chemical immobilization/culling.
2. Well equipped dedicated game capture units (government as well as private) established to professionally undertake translocation at mass scale.
3. Effective fencing for animal containment and to reduce man-animal conflicts.
4. Saving endangered species such as white rhino, black rhino, cheetah, etc. by re-introduction in suitable reserves.

# Immobilization sequence

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White Rhino

By vehicle

# Preparation of Immobilization Equipment



# Searching for Rhino



# Locating Rhino



# Rhino darted





# Immobilized rhino being handled after covering the eyes



# Stabilizing its position in lateral recumbence



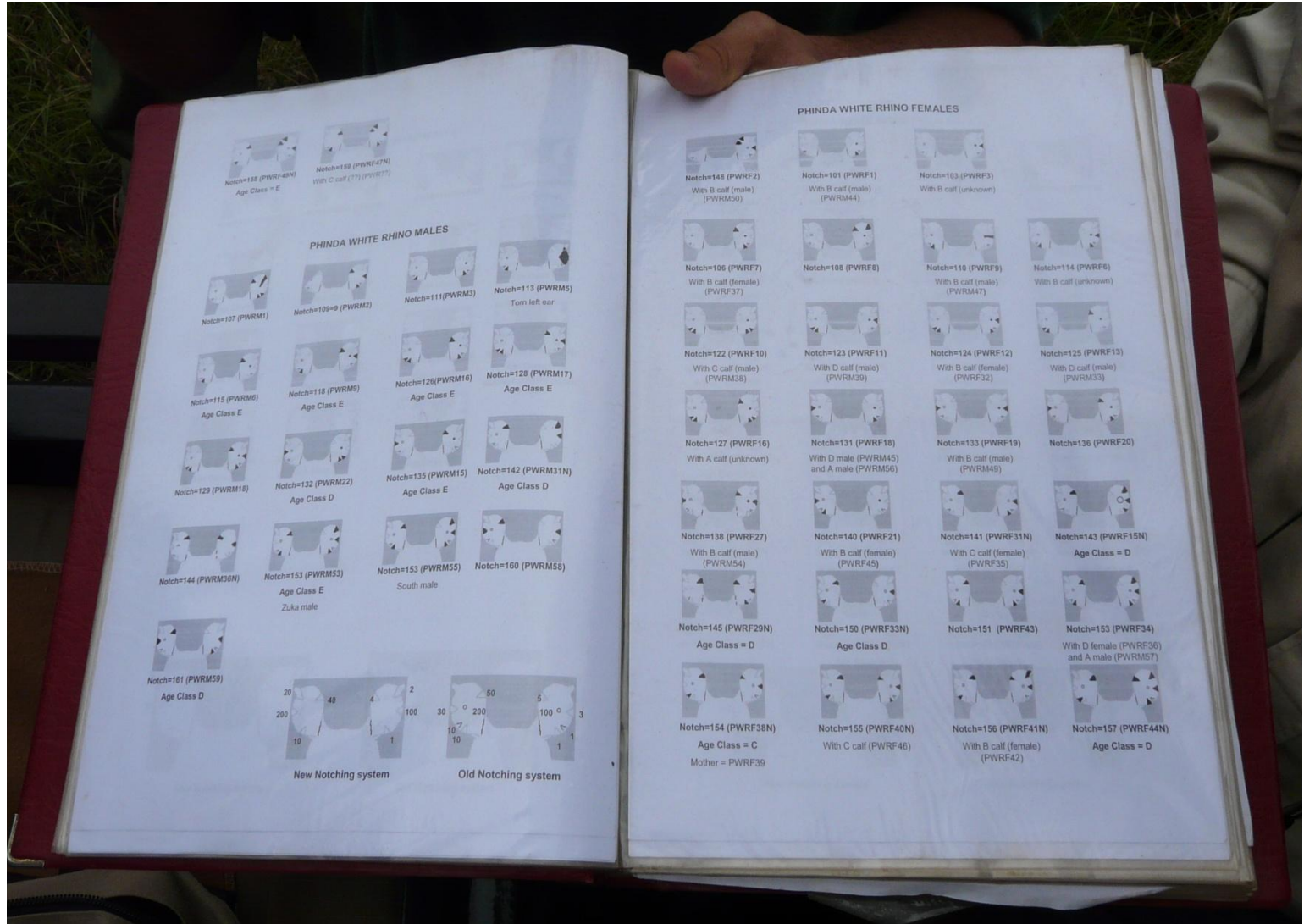
# Marking animal by notching



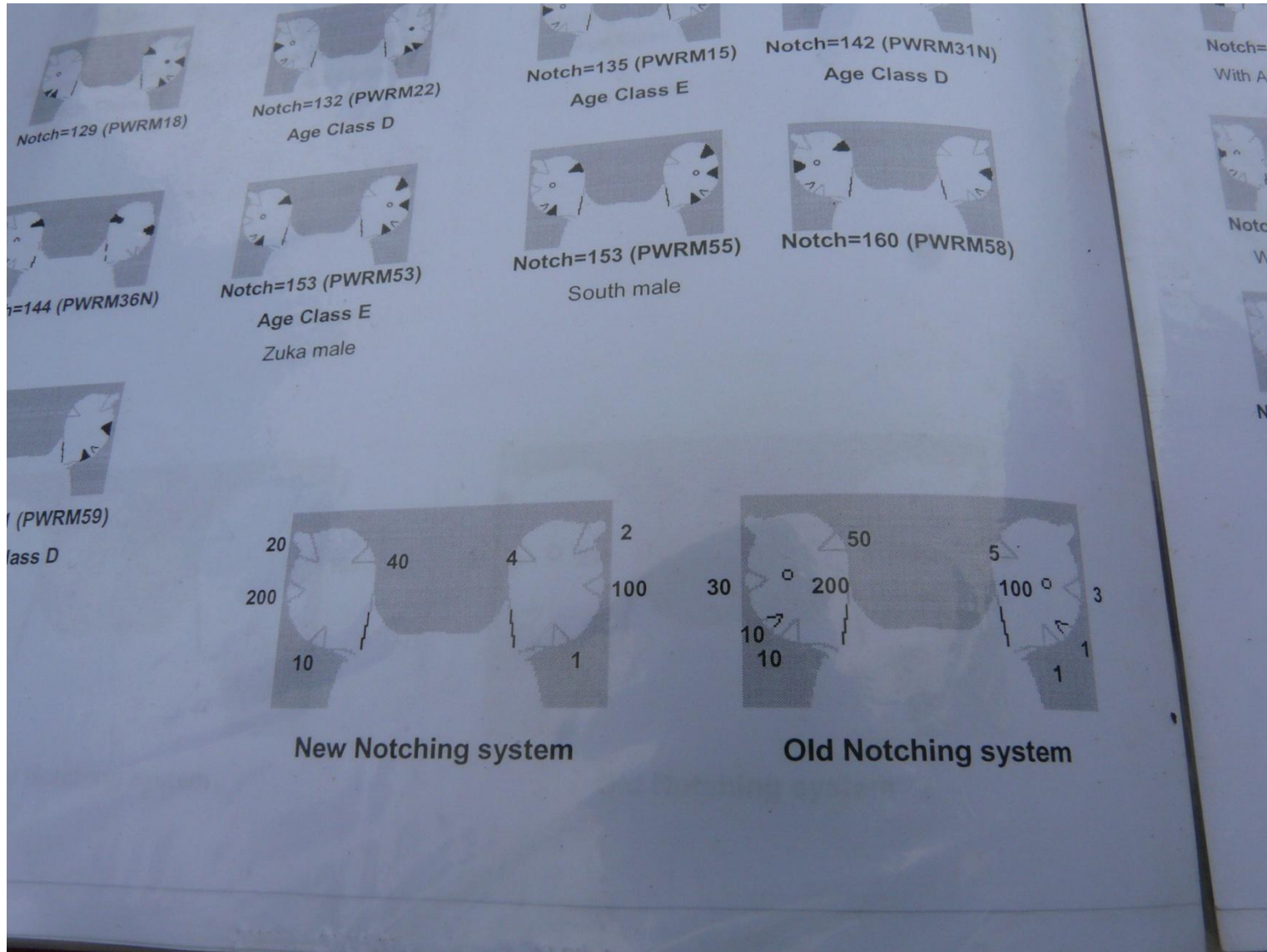




# Notching System



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# Giving antidote







# Animal recovering



# Animal recovering



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# Immobilization sequence

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Buffalo

By helicopter

# Briefing before the operation



# Preparation of stretcher for animal recovery







# Veterinarian departing for searching and immobilizing the animal



# The flight



# Darted animal being recovered





# Stabilizing and securing the animal on the stretcher



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# Loading the animal in the recovery vehicle





# Shifting the animal from recovery vehicle to transport vehicle



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# Preparation for releasing the animal in the holding boma





# Aligning the truck with the release gate



# Animal moving into the boma



# Animal inside the boma



# Quarantine Bomas

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# Transport Vehicles

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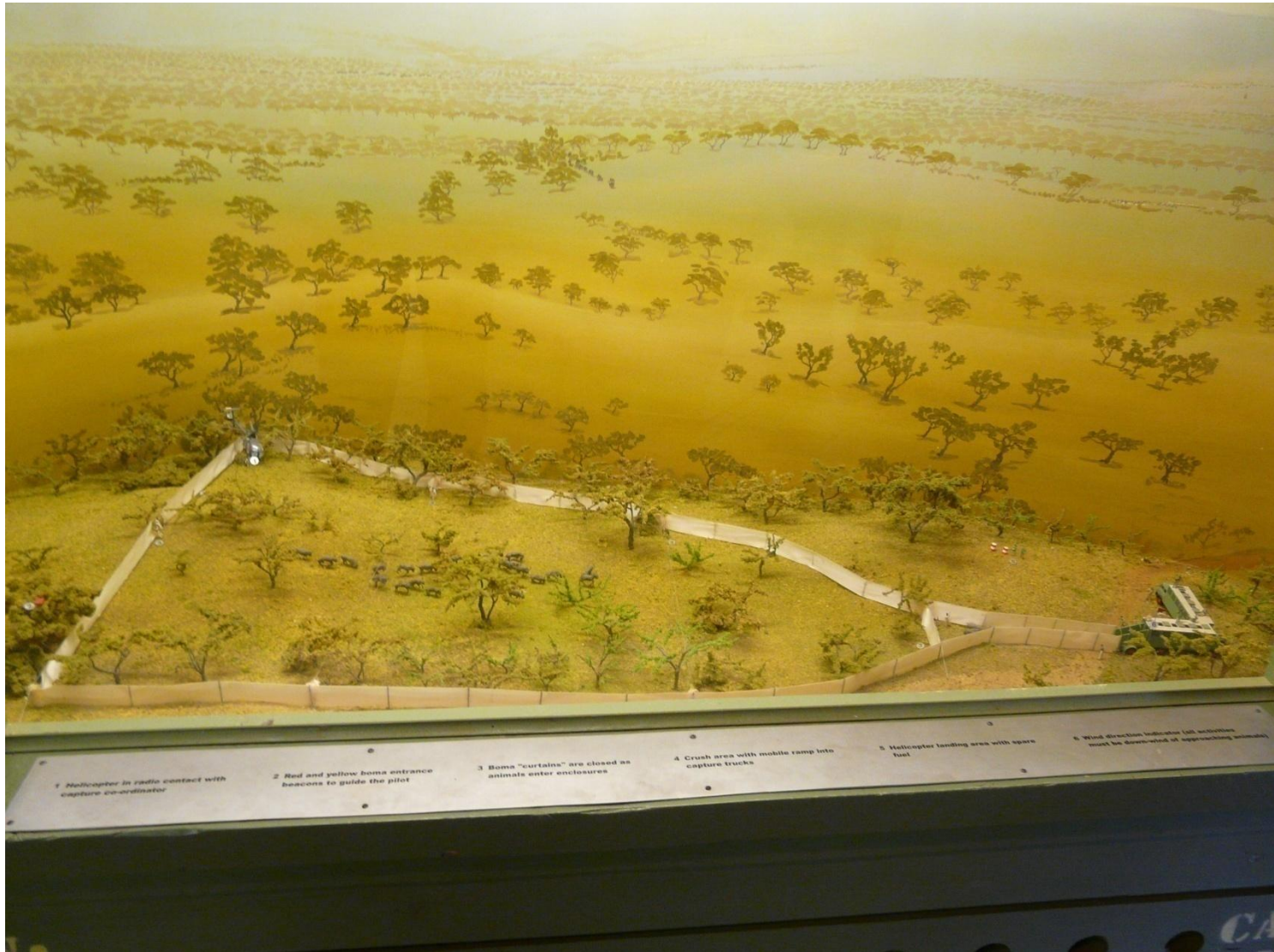








# Mass game capture boma model



# Applicability in India

1. The PAs in India are small and have become islands due to absence of effective corridors.
2. Some PAs have abundance of a particular wildlife and some have nominal or almost negligible population of the same species.
3. Therefore active population management is absolutely essential particularly for highly endangered species such as Asiatic lion, tiger, barasingha, and gaur etc. as well as some problematic species such as blackbuck, nilgai etc.

# Active Management of Wildlife Populations

# TRANSLOCATION OF 51 GAUR TO BANDHAVGARH TIGER RESERVE







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# Action plan for re-introduction of Gaur

- Pre-capture requirements.
- Pre-capture process.
- Capture process.
- Designing of release quarantine boma at Bandhavgarh.
- Designing of holding boma at Kanha.
- Designing of transport trucks/containers.
- Designing of stretcher.
- Calendar of activities.

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### TEMPORARY HOLDING PENS FOR GAUR/ANIMAL RELOCATION.

