

ERRATA

Correction to

TRIVIALY EXTENDING DECOMPOSITIONS OF E^n

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The proof of Theorem 1 is incomplete, hence Theorem 1 should have been stated as a conjecture. Theorem 2 was also proved by M. E. Hamstrom "A decomposition Theorem for E^4 , Ill. J. Math. 7 (1963), 503-507.

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Correction to

SOME RENEWAL THEOREMS CONCERNING A SEQUENCE OF CORRELATED RANDOM VARIABLES

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In Theorems 3.1 and 3.2 it is assumed that the sequence of random variables $\{x_i\}$, $i = 1, 2, \dots$ has unit variance. We have not formally mentioned this in the statement of the theorems. However it is evident in the course of the proof (see equations 3.1.16 and 3.2.13).

Correction to

THE ADJOINT GROUP OF LIE GROUPS

DONG HOON LEE

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The argument which reduces the proof of Theorem B to the proof of Theorem B' on p. 184 is incorrect. Thus Theorem B should be read under the added hypothesis that G is simply connected.

Also in the final remark on p. 186, the group should be the universal covering of the group of rigid motions instead of the group of rigid motions.

Correction to
TWO-GROUPS AND JORDAN ALGEBRAS

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The figure summarizing the inductive definition of A_{k+1} when A_k is known which appears on page 824 of my paper is wrong. It should be:

If the $2^{k+1} \times 2^{k+1}$ matrix A_k is known and is given in block form by

$$A_k = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} B_1 & B_2 \\ \hline B_3 & B_4 \end{array} \right]$$

where the B_i , $1 \leq i \leq 4$, are $2^k \times 2^k$ matrices, then A_{k+1} is the $2^{k+2} \times 2^{k+2}$ matrix given in block form by

$$A_{k+1} = \left[\begin{array}{c|c|c|c} B_1 & B_1 + I + 2^k & B_2 & B_2 + 2^k \\ \hline 0 & B_1 & 0 & B_2 \\ \hline B_3 & B_3 + 2^k & B_4 & B_4 + I + 2^k \\ \hline 0 & B_3 & 0 & B_4 \end{array} \right].$$

Here O and I are the $2^k \times 2^k$ zero and identity matrices, respectively, and if $C = B_i$ or $B_j + I$, $i = 2, 3$, $j = 1, 4$, then $C + 2^k$ denotes the $2^k \times 2^k$ matrix obtained by adding 2^k to each subscript of the matrix C under the conventions (1) $a_0 = b_2$ in B_2 and B_3 , and (2) if an entry of C is zero then the corresponding entry of $C + 2^k$ is also zero.