

**Errata to “Stability and bifurcation
of circular Kirchhoff elastic rods
by Satoshi Kawakubo, Osaka J. Math. 37 (2000), 93 – 137”**

We, the editors, regret that the following errors were caused by the technical mis-handling of the \TeX file which the author submitted to us.

p.94 Line 10: Instead of “We shall call the constant a , the Here, N is the unit principal normal”, read as

“We shall call the constant a , the torsional parameter of $\{\gamma, M\}$.”

We consider the equilibrium states of an elastic rod when it is bent and twisted and both ends are welded together to form a smooth loop. We call the mathematical model of such an equilibrium state a *closed torsional elastica*, which is just a torsional elastica such that γ is periodic. (Note that M is not necessarily periodic.) If $\gamma(s)$ is a circle and $M(s) = \mathcal{R}(as)N(s)$, then $\{\gamma, M\}$ is a closed torsional elastica. Here, N is the unit principal normal”

p.94 Lines 16 and 17: Instead of “let $\{\gamma, M\}$ be a with an n -fold circle γ of radius r and the a .” read as “let $\{\gamma, M\}$ be a closed torsional elastica with an n -fold circle γ of radius r and the torsional parameter a .”

p.112 Line 11: Instead of “DEFINITION 3.2” read as “DEFINITION 3.5”

p.115 Line 3: Instead of “DEFINITION 3.2” read as “DEFINITION 3.5”

p.116 Line 14: Instead of “DEFINITION 3.4” read as “DEFINITION 3.10”

