

Errata

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Due to a printing error, several lowercase psi's (ψ) are missing in the printed versions of two articles in the previous issue (vol. 58, no. 4): “New Degree Spectra of Abelian Groups” by Alexander G. Melnikov (pp. 507–525), and “Grades of Discrimination: Indiscernibility, Symmetry, and Relativity” by Tim Button (pp. 527–553). Corrections for both articles are given below by page number, and the notation appears correctly in the online version of this issue at <https://projecteuclid.org/euclid.ndjfl/1506931651>. Duke University Press regrets the error.

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The second and third sentences of the second paragraph of Section 2.5 should be read as

We also fix injective and effective maps $\psi_{\alpha,k}$, $k \in \omega$ (to be used for the operation of substitution), which are different from the $\phi_{\beta,k}$'s and also consistent with Definition 2.5 (i.e., they effectively map the primes used in the corresponding $G(\Sigma)$ - or $G(\Pi)$ -component H_k to new fresh primes which do not overlap for different k 's). In the following, we suppress α in $\psi_{\alpha,k}$.

The statement of Definition 2.11 and the sentence immediately after it should be read as

Given any finite set S and any finite string $\sigma \in \omega^{<\omega}$, define

$$H_{\sigma,S} = B_{S,\sigma,k} \left(\frac{r_{S,\sigma,k} + r_{S,\sigma,k+1}}{w_{\alpha,k}^\infty} \right)_{k \in \omega} B_{S,\sigma,k+1},$$

where $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Sigma_\alpha^0(\sigma(k)))]_{\psi_k}$ if $k \in \text{Age}_S$, and $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Pi_\alpha^0)]_{\psi_k}$ otherwise. Define

$$H_S = \bigoplus_{\sigma \in \omega^{<\omega}} H_{\sigma,S}.$$

Finally, let

$$G_{\mathcal{R}} = \bigoplus_{S \in \mathcal{R}} H_S.$$

We can effectively choose ψ_k to be consistent with Definition 2.5.

The second sentence of the proof of Lemma 2.12 should be read as

Consequently, we can apply Lemma 2.6, an effective enumeration of $\omega^{<\omega}$, and the fact that the ψ_k 's can be effectively and consistently defined.

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The phrase immediately following the first display in Section 2.6 should be read as

... where $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Sigma_\alpha^0(\sigma(k)))]_{\psi_k}$ if $k \in \text{Age}_S$, and $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Pi_\alpha^0)]_{\psi_k}$ otherwise.

The last line of Lemma 2.13 should be read as

(Equivalently, $r_{S,\sigma,k}$ is the root of $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Sigma_\alpha^0(\sigma(k)))]_{\psi_k}$.)

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The phrase immediately following the first display in the proof of Lemma 2.13 should be read as

... where $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Sigma_\alpha^0(\sigma(k)))]_{\psi_k}$ if $k \in \text{Age}_S$, and $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Pi_\alpha^0)]_{\psi_k}$ otherwise.

The last sentence of the proof of Claim 2.14 should be read as

More specifically, the formula says that $x \neq 0$ and $\psi_0(p_\alpha)^\infty | x$, and there exists y such that $\psi_1(p_\alpha)^\infty | y$ and $w_{\alpha,0}^\infty | (x + y)$.

The proof of Claim 2.15 should be read as

We prove the claim by induction. The case $k = 0$ is Claim 2.14. Suppose that we have produced $\Theta_{k-1}(x, \cdot)$. Consider the pure subgroup generated by the roots of the $B_{S,\sigma,k-1}$ -subcomponents and $B_{S,\sigma,k}$ -subcomponents. Define $\Theta_k(x, y)$ to be the formula

$$(\exists z)(\Theta_{k-1}(x, z) \wedge w_{\alpha,k-1}^\infty | (y + z) \wedge \psi_k(p_\alpha)^\infty | y).$$

By the inductive hypothesis, $z = \sum_{(S,\sigma) \in I} m_{S,\sigma} r_{S,\sigma,k-1}$. Since $\psi_k(p_\alpha)^\infty | y$, we have

$$y = \sum_{(S,\sigma) \in I} t_{S,\sigma} r_{S,\sigma,k},$$

where $t_{S,\sigma}$ are rationals. By the inductive hypothesis, we may assume that $\Theta_{k-1}(x, z)$ contains a conjunct of the form $\psi_{k-1}(p_\alpha)^\infty | z$. Consider the pure closure of the subgroup generated by $r_{S,\sigma,k}$ and $r_{S,\sigma,k-1}$ for various S 's and σ 's. Note that $w_{\alpha,k-1}^\infty | (y + z)$, and thus, by Lemma 2.8 applied to this pure subgroup we have $t_{S,\sigma} = m_{S,\sigma}$.

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The phrase immediately following the first display on the page should be read as

... where $m_{S,\sigma} \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$, and for some S the element $r_{S,\sigma,k}$ is the root of $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Sigma_\alpha^0(\sigma(k)))]_{\psi_k}$.

The statement of Claim 2.16 should be read as

For every k we can uniformly produce a Σ_α^c -formula Γ_k such that, for every element of the form $x = \sum_{(S,\sigma) \in I} m_{S,\sigma} r_{S,\sigma,k}$, $G_{\mathcal{R}} \models \Gamma_k$ if and only if for some $m_{S,\sigma} \neq 0$ the corresponding $r_{S,\sigma,k}$ is the root of $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Sigma_\alpha^0(\sigma(k)))]_{\psi_k}$.

The first display in the proof of Claim 2.16 should be read as

$$A_{S,\sigma,i} \left(\frac{a_{S,\sigma,i} + a_{S,\sigma,i+1}}{\psi_k(v_{\alpha,i})^\infty} \right)_{i \in \omega} A_{S,\sigma,i+1}.$$

The sentence immediately following the second display in the proof of Claim 2.16 should be read as

Indeed, we may take the formula witnessing Claim 2.14 and replace $w_{\alpha,k-1}$ by $\psi_k(v_{\alpha,i})$ in the formula, and we also replace $\psi_k(p_\alpha)$ by the prime that labels the roots $a_{S,\sigma,i}$ of $A_{S,\sigma,i}$.

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The sentence immediately following the first display on the page should be read as

Indeed, the first conjunct inside the parentheses guarantees $m_{\sigma,S} = n_{\sigma,S}$, and the second conjunct says that $B_{S,\sigma,k} \cong [G(\Sigma_4^0(\sigma(k)))]_{\psi_k}$ with $\sigma(k) \leq i$.

The beginning of the third sentence in the paragraph immediately preceding the second display on the page should be read as

Using primes $\psi_k(p_{\alpha-2})$ and $\psi_k(q_{\alpha-2}) \dots$

The sentence immediately following the second display on the page should be read as

Furthermore, using a variation of Claim 2.16 with the right choice of primes (e.g., use $\psi_k(v_{\alpha-2,j})$), we can produce a uniform sequence of Σ_3^c -formulae $\{\mathcal{F}_j\}_{j \in \omega}$ such that $\mathcal{F}_j(z, c_j) \wedge \mathcal{Z}(y, z)$ holds if and only if $c_j = \sum_{(S,\sigma,s)} l_{S,\sigma,s} k_{S,\sigma,s,j}$, where $k_{S,\sigma,s,j}$ is the root of $K_{S,\sigma,s,j}$ which is the j th subcomponent of $D_{S,\sigma,s}$ that was used in its definition via the chain operation, counting from its root.

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The phrase immediately preceding the third display on the page should be read as

However, where $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1^+$ abbreviates \dots

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The proof of Lemma 8.4 should be read as

(1) Let Γ be the set of all \mathcal{L}_2^- -formulas of the form

$$\forall \bar{v} \left(\bigwedge_{i=1}^n [\phi_i(x, x) \wedge \neg \phi_i(x, v_i) \wedge \psi_i(y, y) \wedge \neg \psi_i(y, v_i)] \rightarrow [\theta(x, y, \bar{v}) \leftrightarrow \theta(y, x, \bar{v})] \right)$$

for any $n < \omega$, any $\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n, \psi_1, \dots, \psi_n \in \mathcal{L}_2^-$, and any $\theta \in \mathcal{L}_{n+2}^-$. I claim that Γ captures r in any \mathcal{L} -structure \mathcal{M} .

First, suppose $a r b$ in \mathcal{M} . Fix some $\gamma \in \Gamma$, and some $\bar{e} \in M^n$. Suppose that

$$\mathcal{M} \models \bigwedge_{i=1}^n [\phi_i(a, a) \wedge \neg \phi_i(a, e_i) \wedge \psi_i(b, b) \wedge \neg \psi_i(b, e_i)].$$

Then by Lemma 2.2, $e_i \not\approx a$ and $e_i \not\approx b$ for each $1 \leq i \leq n$. Since $a r b$, Lemma 2.7 tells us that $\mathcal{M} \models \theta(a, b, \bar{e}) \leftrightarrow \theta(b, a, \bar{e})$. Hence, $\mathcal{M} \models \gamma(a, b)$ for any $\gamma \in \Gamma$.

Next, suppose $\mathcal{M} \models \gamma(a, b)$ for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$. I claim that the following is a near-correspondence from \mathcal{M} to \mathcal{M} :

$$\Pi = \{\langle a, b \rangle, \langle b, a \rangle\} \cup \{\langle x, x \rangle \mid x \not\approx a \text{ and } x \not\approx b\}.$$

To show this, fix $n < \omega$, $\theta \in \mathcal{L}_{n+2}^-$ and $\bar{e} \in M^n$ such that $e_i \not\approx a$ and $e_i \not\approx b$ for each $1 \leq i \leq n$. Since each $e_i \not\approx a$ and $e_i \not\approx b$, by Lemma 2.2 there are formulas $\phi_i, \psi_i \in \mathcal{L}_2^-$ for each $1 \leq i \leq n$ such that $\mathcal{M} \models \phi_i(a, a) \wedge \neg\phi_i(a, e_i)$ and $\mathcal{M} \models \psi_i(b, b) \wedge \neg\psi_i(b, e_i)$. Conjoining these, we get

$$\mathcal{M} \models \bigwedge_{i=1}^n [\phi_i(a, a) \wedge \neg\phi_i(a, e_i) \wedge \psi_i(b, b) \wedge \neg\psi_i(b, e_i)].$$

Since $\mathcal{M} \models \gamma(a, b)$ for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$, we obtain that, for all $\theta \in \mathcal{L}_{n+2}^-$,

$$\mathcal{M} \models \theta(a, b, \bar{e}) \leftrightarrow \theta(b, a, \bar{e}).$$

By generalizing, Π is a near-correspondence. By the Galois connection of Theorem 4.8, $(\Pi^i)^c$ is a relativity on \mathcal{M} , and so $a r b$.

(2) This follows from Lemmas 7.4 and 8.2.

(3) This is exactly as in Lemma 8.3(3).