

# Erratum: Effect of Element Directivity on Adaptive Beamforming Applied to High-Frame-Rate Ultrasound

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IN the published article “Effect of element directivity on adaptive beamforming applied to high-frame-rate ultrasound” [1], the contrast  $C$  was correctly defined as

$$C = \frac{|\mu_B - \mu_1|}{\frac{\mu_B + \mu_1}{2}}. \quad (24)$$

However, by mistake, the contrast values in the paper were calculated as

$$C = \frac{|\mu_B - \mu_1|}{2(\mu_B + \mu_1)}.$$

Therefore,  $20 \log_{10} 4 = 12.04$  dB should be added to all the contrast values in the paper to obtain the correct contrast values.

## REFERENCES

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