

There is a mistake in the definition of stability for affirmative action with minority reserves in *Effective Affirmative Action in School Choice*. The correct definition of stability is as follows:

For minority reserves, a matching μ does not have a blocking pair if for all $c \succ_s \mu(s)$ then $|\mu(c)| = q_c$ and either

- (i) $s \in S^m$, $|\mu(c) \cap S^m| \geq r_c^m$ and $s' \succ_c s$ for all $s' \in \mu(c)$,
- (ii) $s \in S^M$, $|\mu(c) \cap S^m| > r_c^m$ and $s' \succ_c s$ for all $s' \in \mu(c)$,
- (iii) $s \in S^M$, $|\mu(c) \cap S^m| \leq r_c^m$ and $s' \succ_c s$ for all $s' \in \mu(c) \cap S^M$.

Note that it is implicitly assumed in our paper that $r_c^m \leq q_c$ since the number of reserved seats cannot exceed the quota of the school. Without this assumption, (i) should be written as

- (i) $s \in S^m$, $|\mu(c) \cap S^m| \geq \min\{r_c^m, q_c\}$ and $s' \succ_c s$ for all $s' \in \mu(c)$.

Our original definition was correct (see <http://www.cireqmontreal.com/wp-content/uploads/2012/01/11-12hafalir.pdf>). But while we were revising our definition for *Theoretical Economics* to make it more readable, we introduced the error. We would like to thank Yuichiro Kamada, Fuhito Kojima, and Joana Pais for pointing the error in the published version.