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Molekül- und Kristallstruktur von (*S*)-*N*,*N'*-Di-*tert*-butyl-2-[*N*-(1-phenylethyl)benzamido]malonamid, einem Nebenprodukt der Vier-Komponenten-Kondensation (4CC): errata.

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The lattice constants given in the paper by Gieren & Dederer [*Acta Cryst.* (1978), B**34**, 533–539] are in error. The correct values are: $a = 8{\cdot}531$ (4), $b = 18{\cdot}017$ (8), $c = 16{\cdot}660$ (8) Å. From this follows an interchange of a and b in Fig. 5 and also a correction of $D_x = 1{\cdot}135$ g cm^{-3}. The lattice constants and D_x also have to be corrected in an earlier paper by Gieren & Dederer [*Tetrahedron Lett.* (1977), pp. 1503–1506]. The authors thank Professor J. Dunitz, who pointed out these errors.

Alle Daten sind in der Zusammenfassung gegeben.

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The crystal and molecular structure of 2-nitro-1,3-indandione dihydrate. A hydronium nitronate: errata.

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A redetermination of the cell parameters has shown that the following changes to the paper by Simonsen & Jacobson [*Acta Cryst.* (1977), B**33**, 3045–3049] should be noted: $a = 9{\cdot}633$ (1), $b = 5{\cdot}177$ (1), $c = 19{\cdot}700$ (2) Å, $\beta = 102{\cdot}597$ (7)°. The interatomic distances quoted can deviate by 0·03 Å from the more accurate interatomic distances based on the redetermined cell parameters. The influence on the bond angles is within the quoted standard deviations.

Our attention has been drawn by Dr Carl-Olof Selenius (private communication) to errors in the cell dimensions reported in our paper (Simonsen & Jacobsen, 1977). Relevant details are in the abstract.

Reference

Simonsen, O. & Jacobsen, J. P. (1977). *Acta Cryst.* B**33**, 3045–3049.

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