

Errata

In the paper entitled 'Direct search methods in the optimisation of cancer chemotherapy regimens' (volume 61, pp. 101–109, 1990), in the legend to Figure 2, line 6, the symbols have been interchanged. This should read: 'Nelder–Mead method (NM), Box method (B) -----,.

In the paper entitled 'A specialist leukaemia/lymphoma registry in the UK. Part 1: incidence and geographical distribution of Hodgkin's disease' (volume 60, pp. 942–947, 1990), there are mistakes in two of the statistical equations.

p. 943 For the investigation of a smaller scale heterogeneity we have applied a goodness-of-fit test of a mixture of Poisson distributions:

$$O_i \simeq \text{Poisson}(E_i)$$

where O_i is the observed number and E_i the expected number of cases in the i th ward $1 \leq i \leq 3292$.

p. 947 (Appendix 2)

$$P_{ex} = \max [\text{pr}(O_i \geq n) : \text{pr}(O_i \geq n) < 0.01, n \geq 1]$$