

**Corrigendum to: Sporadic cases are the norm for complex disease**

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Since the publication of the above paper, the authors noticed that there are some errors in the Appendix affecting the sense of this paper.

- (1) In the lines just below the first equation in the Appendix (page 5),  $x^i$  and  $z^i$  should be  $x_i$  and  $z_i$ .

- (2) In the paragraph just below Equation (A1) in the Appendix (page 5):

- $\lambda_n = 1 - \Phi(T_n)/K$  should be  $\lambda_n = [1 - \Phi(T_n)]/K$

- $\lambda_{MZ} = \lambda_0 = (1 - \Phi(T_0))/K$  should be

$$\lambda_{MZ} = \lambda_0 = [1 - \Phi(T_0)]/K$$

- $H_{01}^2 = \frac{\text{cov}_{01}(\text{MZ twins})}{K(1-K)} = \frac{[1-K-\Phi(T_0)]}{K(1-K)}$  should be

$$H_{01}^2 = \frac{\text{cov}_{01}(\text{MZ twins})}{K(1-K)} = \frac{[1-K-\Phi(T_0)]}{(1-K)}$$

The authors would like to apologise for this mistake.