

**ERRATUM**

In Dr. E. Fukada's Poiseuille Award Medal Lecture, "Piezoelectricity of biopolymers," which appeared in the last issue of *Biorheology* (Vol. 32, No. 6), we regret that we overlooked some serious typographical errors.

In the *Abstract* (p. 593), the last sentence, "The tensile piezoelectric constant  $d_{31} = 10$  pC/N persisting up to 200° was also observed for aliphatic polyurea films," should read, "The tensile piezoelectric constant  $d_{31} = 10$  pC/N persisting up to 200°C was also observed for poled axomatic polyurea. Ferroelectric hysteresis was also observed for aliphatic polyurea films."

On p. 601, in the last sentence of the page,  $\theta$  should be changed to  $\phi$ : "The equations for  $\epsilon$ ,  $c$ ,  $e$ , and  $d$  for an entire system are given, where  $\theta$  is the degree of crystallinity" should read, "The equations for  $\epsilon$ ,  $c$ ,  $e$ , and  $d$  for an entire system are given, where  $\phi$  is the degree of crystallinity."  $\theta$  should also be changed to  $\phi$  on p. 604 in the last line of the first paragraph following Eq. (6): " $\theta = 0.3$  was assumed" should read " $\phi = 0.3$  was assumed."

On p. 601, Eq. (3),  $\epsilon = \epsilon_1 \frac{2\epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 - 2\phi(\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2)}{2\epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 + \phi(\epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2)}$ , should read:

$$\epsilon = \epsilon_1 \frac{2\epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 - 2\phi(\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2)}{2\epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 + \phi(\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2)}$$

On p. 604, Eqs. (4), (5) and (6),  $c = c_1 \frac{3c_1 + 2c_2 - 3\phi(c_1 - c_2)}{3c_1 + 2c_2 - 2\phi(c_1 - c_2)}$ ,

$$e = \phi e_2 \frac{5c_1}{3c_1 + 2c_2 + 2\phi(c_1 - c_2)} \frac{3\epsilon_1}{2\epsilon_1\epsilon_2 - \phi(\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2)} \text{ and}$$

$$d = \phi d_2 \frac{5c_2}{3c_1 + 2c_2 - 3\phi(c_1c_2)} \frac{3\epsilon_1}{2\epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 - \phi(\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2)}, \text{ should read:}$$

$$c = c_1 \frac{3c_1 + 2c_2 - 3\phi(c_1 - c_2)}{3c_1 + 2c_2 + 2\phi(c_1 - c_2)},$$

$$e = \phi e_2 \frac{5c_1}{3c_1 + 2c_2 + 2\phi(c_1 - c_2)} \frac{3\epsilon_1}{2\epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 - \phi(\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2)} \text{ and}$$

$$d = \phi d_2 \frac{5c_2}{3c_1 + 2c_2 - 3\phi(c_1 - c_2)} \frac{3\epsilon_1}{2\epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 - \phi(\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2)}.$$

On p. 607, the first sentence of the second-to-last paragraph, "Thin films of polyurea, less than 1 mm, were prepared by a new technique termed vapor deposition polymerization," should read, "Thin films of polyurea, less than 1  $\mu\text{m}$ , were prepared by a new technique termed vapor deposition polymerization."

In *References*, on p. 608, the page numbers for the reference, DATE, M. (1976), which were omitted, should read: 60-66. On p. 609, the following reference was omitted: FURUKAWA, T. and FUKADA, E. (1976). Piezoelectric relaxation in poly ( $\gamma$ -benzyl-glutamate). *J. Polym. Sci. Phys.* 14, 1979-2110.

The Journal deeply regrets these errors, for which we apologize to the author.