



## Correction: Straightening out halogen bonds

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The authors regret an error in eqn (1) of the published manuscript. The correct equation is:

$$\psi = \left| \frac{\left( \frac{\theta_1 + \theta_2}{2} \right)}{180} \cos \theta_1 \cdot \cos \theta_2 \right| \quad (1)$$

 Furthermore, the definition of type  $\alpha$  halogen bonds should also read:

$$0.9 \geq \psi \geq 1$$

The Royal Society of Chemistry apologises for these errors and any consequent inconvenience to authors and readers.

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