Corrigendum: The Biological Basis of Mathematical Beauty

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A Corrigendum on

In the original article, there was an error. The square root symbol is missing from our description of the results.

A correction has been made to the **Results** section, subsection **Primary Finding**, paragraph two:

"Let r_{ij} denote the **beauty rating** that the ith subject gives to the jth formula; let u_{ij} denote individual i's **understanding** of the jth formula; let N denote the total number of subjects; let $x_j := \sum_{i=1}^{N} r_{ij}/N$ and $y_j := \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{N} \left(r_{ij} - x_j\right)^2 /(N-1)}$ be the mean beauty rating (**m-BR**) and standard deviation of beauty ratings (**sd-BR**), given to the jth formula across subjects, respectively; let $\mu_j := \sum_{i=1}^{N} u_{ij}/N$ and $\sigma_j := \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{N} \left(u_{ij} - \mu_j\right)^2 /(N-1)}$ be the mean understanding rating of the formula (**m-UR**) and standard deviation of the understanding rating (**sd-UR**), given to the jth formula across subjects, respectively."

The authors apologize for this error and state that this does not change the scientific conclusions of the article in any way. The original article has been updated.