## **NOTE**

## CORRECTION TO "ON THEORY AND APPLICATION OF BIB DESIGNS WITH REPEATED BLOCKS"

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The following changes should be made in the above paper (Ann. Statist. 5 932-945). The changes do not affect the substance of the arguments.

On page 934, both occurrences of the symbols " $\sigma^2/k(1-k/v)$ " should be replaced by " $(\sigma^2/k)(1-k/v)$ ".

On page 937, the seventh line should be

"
$$h_i = f_{d^*i} - (\lambda/\lambda_4)\bar{f}_{d^*i}, \quad h' = (h_1, \dots, h_{b^*}).$$
"

In Proposition 4.2, replace: "d = e(vCk)" by "b = e(vCk)", and add the additional hypothesis that  $b_1^* = b_1$ . Similarly, in Propositions 4.3 and 4.4, add the additional hypothesis that  $b_5^* = b_5$ .

On page 938, replace the equals sign in the fourth line by " $\neq$ ".

In the proof of Corollary 5.1, the first sentence should read

"In a BIB
$$(v, b, r, k, \lambda)$$
,  $(v/k) = (b/\lambda)(k-1)/(v-1)$ ."

Finally, the following changes should be made in Table 1. The frequency of block 158 for  $b^* = 27$  should be 2; of 245 and 246 for  $b^* = 43$  should be 0 and 1, respectively; of 124 for  $b^* = 51$  should be 2; and of 124 for  $b^* = 55$  should be 1.

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