

Erratum

**Erratum to “Kinetic model studies on the chemical ligation
of oligonucleotides via hydrazone formation”**
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The publisher regrets that the units of k_1 were missing in the abstract of the above article. The fifth sentence of the abstract should read:

‘Ligation of a 3'-hydrazine-modified oligonucleotide with oligonucleotides bearing an aromatic aldehyde in 5'-position showed fast reaction kinetics (k_1 about $10^{-1} \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$) and irreversible hydrazone formation’.

Also, in Figure 2, ‘ $\mathbf{19} \xrightarrow{k_3}$ by-product’ should read ‘ $\mathbf{19} \xrightarrow{k_2}$ by-product’.

In addition an error occurred in the data within Table 1. The value of k_2/s^{-1} for the ligation of **19** and **24** should be $1.08 \pm 0.12 \times 10^{-5}$.