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In the Methods section of our article, the statement "P is the normal load, which in this case is the peak repulsive force" following equation 5 should be replaced with "P is the total normal load, which here should be taken as $F_{\text{peak}}^{\text{rep}} - F_{\text{adhesion}}$ ".

This erratum does not affect any of the experimental results, discussions, or conclusions reported in the paper. The authors apologize for this unintended oversight.

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