The new polytype 114R belongs to the structure series (33)n34(33)m34 with the following hexagonal unit-cell parameters:

$$114R \cdot [(33)_4(34)_2]_3$$
:  $a = b = 3.073, c = 286.14$  Å.

Although 114*R* SiC was observed in an  $\alpha$ -SiC specimen milled for 6 h, it is not certain that ball milling induces the formation of 114*R* SiC. On the one hand, on increasing the ball-milling time, no increase in the amount of 114*R* grains is observed. On the other hand, an increase of the ball-milling time only induces the partial transformation of the (33) sequence into the (42) and (51) sequences, which distribute randomly in the long-range (33) stacking of the 6*H* structure, and finally 3C( $\beta$ )-SiC with more stacking faults forms (Yang *et al.*, 1999). Therefore, based on the results above, it is reason-

able to suggest that 114R SiC exists in the original  $\alpha$ -SiC powder.

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## Energetic study of the disordered solvent in the crystal structure of an isoxazole derivative. Erratum

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## Abstract

An error in printing is reported. In the paper by Pani *et al.* [*Acta Cryst.* (1998), B**54**, 872–876] the value of  $\Delta \rho_{\text{max}}$  is given incorrectly in the last sentence on page 874. The sentence

should read 'In the last difference Fourier map, the highest  $\Delta \rho$  values were found near the Cl atoms ( $\Delta \rho_{max} + 0.32 \text{ e A}^{-3}$ ); the final reliability indexes were  $R_1 = 0.072$  over 1762  $F_o > 4\sigma(F_o)$  and  $wR_2 = 0.228$  on 4029  $F_o^2$  for 245 refined parameters, with a goodness-of-fit of 0.96.'

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