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In this article, comparisons of norepinephrine concentrations were made between the Maudsley Reactive (MR/HAR) and the two Non-Reactive (MNR/HAR and MNRA/HAR) strains. Unfortunately, a mistake was made in tabulating the data throughout the paper so that the results for the two Non-Reactive strains were reversed. This can be corrected by inserting MNRA for MNR and vice versa throughout the paper. The ages for the three strains were also incorrectly reported. The correct ages should read MR/HAR, 5½ months; MNR/HAR, 7 months; MNRA/HAR, 7 months.

The major point of the paper was that the two Non-Reactive strains both differed in tissue NE concentrations from the Reactive strain, but not from each other. Thus, the revision of the data does not alter this principal conclusion. However, in the two cases where the results from the two Non-Reactive strains did not parallel each other compared with the Reactive (telencephalic and brainstem norepinephrine concentrations) the MNR/HAR strain emerges as being different from both MNRA/HAR and MR/HAR strains.