CORRIGENDUM

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In Grimmond and Oke (1999), we inadvertently missed a negative sign in a coefficient for equation (6), misstated equations (10) and (15) and the definition of $\overline{\lambda_C}$ in Figure 2.

For equation (6) C_3 should be -15.98.

The equations should appear as:

Ba₀ is
$$z_0 = (\overline{z_H} - z_d) \exp \left(-\frac{0.4}{\left(0.5 \frac{\sum C_{db} L_{y,ib} z_{Hib} + \sum C_{dt} L_{y,it} z_{H_{it}}}{A_T}\right)^{0.5}} \right)$$
 (10)

and

Ra_d is
$$\frac{z_d}{z_H} = I - \left(\frac{1 - exp(-(c_{d_1} 2\lambda_F)^{0.5})}{(c_{d_1} 2\lambda_F)^{0.5}} \right)$$
 (15)

$$\overline{\lambda_C} = \{\!\!\left[\overline{D_x D_y} - \overline{L_x L_y}\right] + \left[\!\!\left[\overline{L_x L_y} E_R + 2(\overline{L_y z_H}) + 2(\overline{L_x z_H})\right]\!\!\right] / \overline{D_x D_y}$$
 (Fig 2.)

where E_R is an enhancement factor which accounts, for example, for the area of a roof being greater than the plan area of the building. A flat roof would have an E_R value of 1.

All other terms are defined in Grimmond and Oke (1999). These are typographical errors and do not impact the content of the paper.

REFERENCES

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