Erratum

Oxygen-minimum zone sediments in the northeastern Arabian Sea off Pakistan: a habitat for the bacterium *Thioploca*

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- On page 39, the first sentence of the second paragraph is incorrect. It should read: 'The biomass estimations of this study (volume of sheaths including filaments: $155 \pm 38 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ m}^{-2}$) can be compared to wet weight data for the Chilean *Thioploca* community (up to 800 g wet weight m^{-2} , Schulz et al. 1996).'
- On page 32 (heading) and on page 35 (right column, line 3) 'biovolume' should be replaced by 'volume'.
- On page 40, in the first sentence of the fourth paragraph, 'denitrification' should be replaced by 'nitrate reduction'. This sentence should read: 'Assuming that *Thioploca* oxidizes sulfide by nitrate reduction, which has been shown for natural samples from Chile (Otte et al. 1999), it has to be hypothesized that nitrate-containing sediment horizons are close to horizons with sulfate-reducing activity or that both substrates co-occur.'