




## Correction to: Harden up: metal acquisition in the weaponized ovipositors of aculeate hymenoptera

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The author would like to correct the errors in the publication of the original article. The corrected details are given below for your reading.

In Elemental composition and distribution, eighth paragraph should read as “High concentrations of iron were found only in the aculeus of the giant vespid species *Vespa mandarinia*, while a high concentration of titanium was restricted to *Miscocyttarus flavitarsus*”.

Updated version of Fig. 14 is provided below.

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**Fig. 14** Ancestral state reconstructions over branches for titanium where warmer colours represent a higher concentration of titanium in the aculeus

