

Correction to the paper  
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The proof of (iii)  $\Rightarrow$  (iv) in Theorem 4.2 is incorrect as given. Here is a correct version:

In an AC-lattice  $L$  we are given that  $M^*(a, q)$  holds for all  $a \in L$  and all atoms  $q$  of  $L$ . We are to prove that if  $a \vee b \succ a$ , then  $b \succ a \wedge b$ . Since  $a \vee b \succ a$ , we cannot have  $b \leq a$ . Hence there is an atom  $q$  such that  $q \leq b$  but  $q \not\leq a$ . Then  $a < q \vee a \leq a \vee b$  shows  $q \vee a = a \vee b$ . Using  $M^*(a, q)$  we have  $b = b \wedge (a \vee b) = b \wedge (a \vee q) = (b \wedge a) \vee q$ . Since  $q \not\leq a \wedge b$  we have that  $b \succ a \wedge b$  as desired.

It should be noted that Lemma 4.1 now follows as a Corollary of Theorem 4.2 and need not be separately stated.

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