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# Author Correction: A novel methodology for epidemic risk assessment of COVID-19 outbreak

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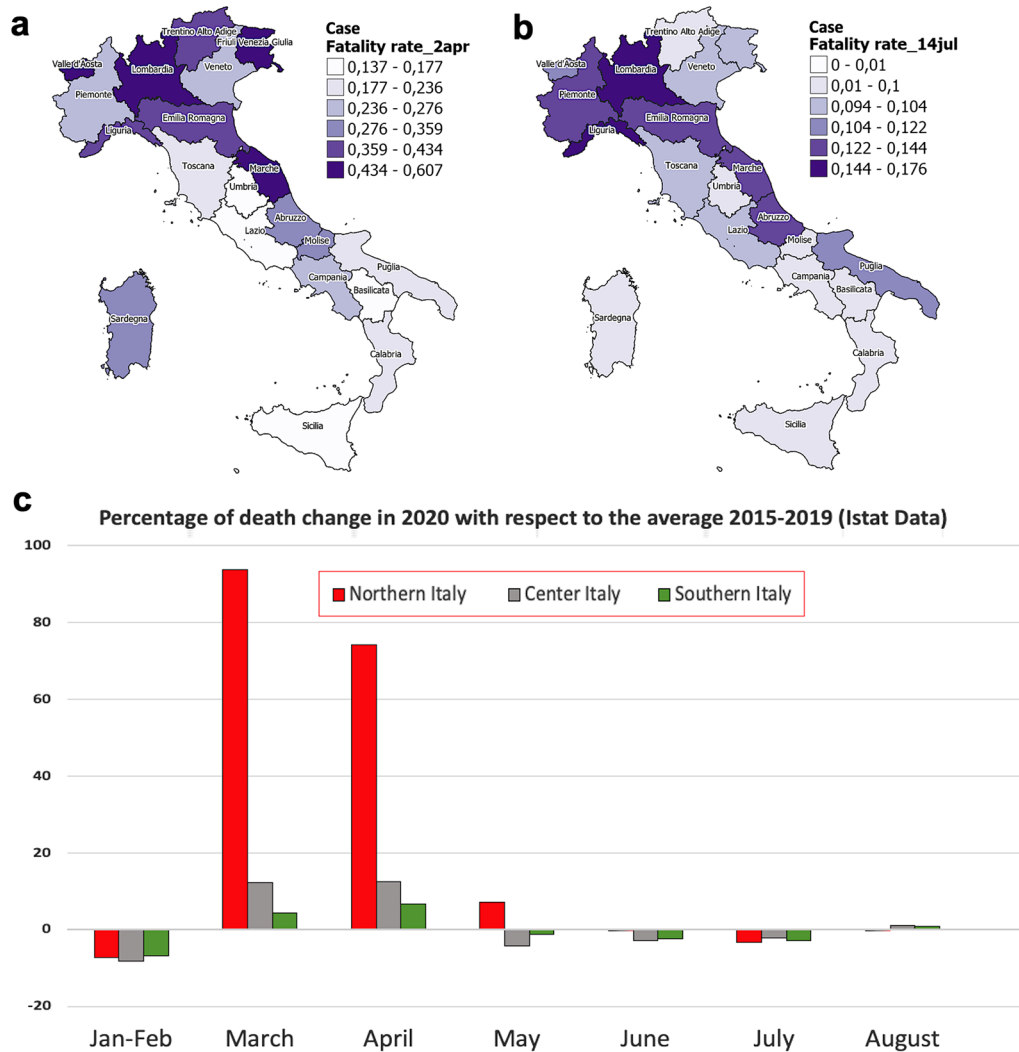
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The original version of this Article contained an error in Figure 1a where the values shown in the key for 'Case Fatality rate\_2apr' were incorrect.

The original Figure 1 and accompanying legend appear below.

The original Article has been corrected.

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**Figure 1.** (a) Color geographic maps of the apparent case fatality rate in the various regions on April 2, 2020 and on July 14, 2020 (b), data released by the Italian Ministry of Health<sup>4</sup>. Maps were realized with QGIS 3.10 (<https://qgis.org/en/site/>). (c) Percentage of deaths change in 2020 with respect to the average taken in the period 2015–2019 (ISTAT<sup>22</sup>).

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