Palaeoenvironmental controls on the distribution of Cretaceous herbivorous dinosaurs

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Table 1 of the paper “Palaeoenvironmental controls on the distribution of Cretaceous herbivorous dinosaurs” by Richard J. Butler and Paul M. Barrett contains an error. The significant correlation between the dinosaur clade Hadrosauridae and the ‘Terrestrial’ environmental category is indicated as being positive in nature; this correlation is actually a negative correlation as indicated correctly in the text (page 3). A corrected version of Table 1 follows.

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Table 1 Results of the Chi-squared tests of association between depositional environments and dinosaur groups

	“Marine” (136)			“Coastal” (225)			“Terrestrial” (1482)		
	χ^2	+/-	p	χ^2	+/-	p	χ^2	+/-	p
Ankylosauria (240)	7.46 ₍₂₈₎	+	0.006**	0.43 ₍₃₃₎	N/A	0.61	5.95 ₍₁₇₉₎	–	0.015*
Nodosauridae (90)	4.91 ₍₁₂₎	+	0.027*	2.74 ₍₁₆₎	N/A	0.098	7.98 ₍₆₂₎	–	0.005**
Ankylosauridae (79)	1.55 ₍₃₎	N/A	0.213	2.66 ₍₅₎	N/A	0.103	4.69 ₍₇₁₎	+	0.03*
Ornithopoda (ichnology) (72)	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.272 ₍₄₆₎	N/A	0.602	0.272 ₍₄₆₎	N/A	0.602
Non-hadrosaurid Ornithopoda (321)	0.03 ₍₂₃₎	N/A	0.872	11.17 ₍₅₇₎	+	0.008**	7.02 ₍₂₄₁₎	–	0.008**
Hadrosauridae (391)	43.17 ₍₅₉₎	+	<0.0001**	0.84 ₍₅₃₎	N/A	0.359	25.85 ₍₂₇₉₎	–	<0.0001**
Hadrosaurinae (111)	1.43 ₍₅₎	N/A	0.232	2.76 ₍₈₎	N/A	0.097	4.65 ₍₉₈₎	+	0.031*
Lambeosaurinae (59)	0.61 ₍₃₎	N/A	0.436	1.03 ₍₅₎	N/A	0.311	1.41 ₍₅₁₎	N/A	0.236
Pachycephalosauria (69)	5.71 ₍₀₎	–	0.017*	1.65 ₍₅₎	N/A	0.199	6.93 ₍₆₄₎	+	0.008**
Ceratopsia (353)	32.17 ₍₁₎	–	<0.0001**	1.65 ₍₃₆₎	N/A	0.2	22.99 ₍₃₁₆₎	+	<0.0001**
Chasmosaurinae (113)	7.43 ₍₁₎	–	0.006**	0.004 ₍₁₄₎	N/A	0.952	3.05 ₍₉₈₎	N/A	0.081
Sauropoda – ichnology only (27)	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.8 ₍₉₎	N/A	0.8	0.8 ₍₁₈₎	N/A	0.8
Sauropoda – total-evidence (354)	1.34 ₍₂₁₎	N/A	0.247	4.87 ₍₃₁₎	–	0.027*	6.68 ₍₃₀₂₎	+	0.0097**
Macronaria (190)	3.11 ₍₈₎	N/A	0.08	14.36 ₍₇₎	–	0.0002**	18.38 ₍₁₇₅₎	+	<0.0001**
Herbivorous theropods (94)	4.00 ₍₂₎	–	0.046*	2.1 ₍₇₎	N/A	0.148	6.35 ₍₈₅₎	+	0.012*