Erratum to: *Helicobacter pylori* Isolated from a Patient with Ménétrier's Disease Increases Hepatocyte Growth Factor mRNA Expression in Gastric Fibroblasts: Comparison with *Helicobacter pylori* Isolated from Other Gastric Diseases

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We noticed errors in Figs. 3 and 4 and in their respective captions of the published article. The correct figures and captions are given below:

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Fig. 3 **a** Quantitative RT-PCR of GAPDH and cytokine mRNA expression induced by *H. pylori* ATCC43504 (control); **b** relative mRNA expression of IL-1β, **c** IL-6, **d** IL-8, **e** HGF, **f** TGF-α, **g** TGF-β1, and **h** TNF-α induced by different *H. pylori* strains in MKN45 cells. *H. pylori* strains: (a) ATCC43504, (b) MH1401, (c) MH1208,

(d) MH1303, (e) MH1112, and (f) MH1115. mRNA expression was standardized against GAPDH mRNA levels, and is expressed relative to the control *H. pylori* strain (=100%). Results are expressed as the mean ± SD of three independent experiments. * $p < 0.05$ (b) versus (a), (c), (e) or (f). ** $p < 0.05$ (b) versus (a), (c), (d), (e) or (f)

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