Erratum

Comparative Biosequence Metrics

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Page 40, lines 1 and 2 of second column should read:

The sum s + d, does not equal $n\alpha_{max}$ because the prime on w'_{m-n} was missed.
The proper conclusion is:

$s + d = 0.5 (m + n) \alpha_{max}$ which is true whether m 3 n or not.