



## Correction: Solute transport performance analysis of equivalent apertures in a single undisturbed basaltic fracture

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There was an error during production which resulted in the alpha symbol ( $\alpha$ ) being omitted from the article in some locations. Presented here are the correct Table 2 and text.

#### Effect of equivalent apertures on solute transport simulation

The solute transport simulation was performed using an analytical solution of the ADE (Eq. 10), where longitudinal dispersivity ( $\alpha_L$ ) was considered as the adjustable parameter to fit the breakthrough curves. Mean flow

velocity was chosen according to the calculated equivalent apertures (Table 1). The results demonstrated that fitted  $\alpha_L$  values based on  $V_m$  did not change abruptly (i.e. same order of magnitude) varying from 0.4 cm in the first experiment ( $Q = 3.0 \text{ mL h}^{-1}$ ) to 0.1 cm in the other three experiments (Table 2). The  $\alpha_L$  values based on  $V_h$  and  $V_l$  converged to 10 cm in most experiments. Overall,  $\alpha_L$  values tend to get closer to each other, considering the same equivalent aperture even though  $Q$  increases (Table 2).

The original article has been corrected.

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**Table 2** Results of longitudinal dispersivity and statistical performance of the transport simulations

Experiment	Longitudinal dispersivity (cm)			MAE (mg L <sup>-1</sup> )			$d_r^c$		
	$\alpha_{L-m}^a$	$\alpha_{L-h}^a$	$\alpha_{L-l}^a$	MAE <sub>m</sub> <sup>b</sup>	MAE <sub>h</sub> <sup>b</sup>	MAE <sub>l</sub> <sup>b</sup>	$d_{r-m}^c$	$d_{r-h}^c$	$d_{r-l}^c$
1	0.4	8.2	10.0	0.14	0.16	0.18	0.94	0.54	0.48
2	0.1	10.0	10.0	0.15	0.17	0.19	0.93	0.47	0.43
3	0.1	8.7	10.0	0.08	0.10	0.11	0.79	0.57	0.54
4	0.1	10.0	10.0	0.10	0.13	0.14	0.79	0.55	0.51

<sup>a</sup>  $\alpha_{L-m}$ ,  $\alpha_{L-h}$  and  $\alpha_{L-l}$  = longitudinal dispersivity based on  $a_m$ ,  $a_h$  and  $a_l$ , respectively.

<sup>b</sup> MAE<sub>m</sub>, MAE<sub>h</sub> and MAE<sub>l</sub> = Mean absolute error of simulated concentration based on  $a_m$ ,  $a_h$  and  $a_l$ , respectively.

<sup>c</sup>  $d_{r-m}$ ,  $d_{r-h}$  and  $d_{r-l}$  = index of agreement based on  $a_m$ ,  $a_h$  and  $a_l$ , respectively.