

**ERRATUM: MINIMAL SETS OF PERIODS FOR  
 MORSE–SMALE DIFFEOMORPHISMS ON ORIENTABLE  
 COMPACT SURFACES**

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Let  $f : M_g \rightarrow M_g$  be a Morse–Smale diffeomorphism on  $M_g$  a compact orientable surface of genus  $g$ . In the article [1] we considered  $\zeta_f(t)$  the Lefschetz zeta function of  $f$ . We showed that

$$(1) \quad \zeta_f(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{p(t)}{(1-t)^2} & \text{if } f \text{ is orientation preserving and} \\ \frac{p(t)}{(1-t^2)} & \text{if } f \text{ is orientation reversing,} \end{cases}$$

where  $p(t)$  is the polynomial  $\det(Id_{*k} - tf_{*1})$ , and  $f_{*1}$  is the induced map on the 1-st homology group of  $M_g$  with rational coefficients. We showed that  $p(t)$  is a product of cyclotomic polynomials of total degree  $2g$ . If  $\zeta_f(t) \neq 1$  then it can be written as

$$(2) \quad \zeta_f(t) = \prod_{i=1}^{N_\zeta} (1 + \Delta_i t^{r_i})^{m_i},$$

where  $\Delta_i = \pm 1$ , the  $r_i$ 's are positive integers,  $m_i$ 's are nonzero integers and  $N_\zeta$  is a positive integer depending on  $f$ .

If  $\zeta_f(t) \neq 1$  the minimal set of Lefschetz periods is defined as

$$\text{MPer}_L(f) := \cap \{r_1, \dots, r_{N_\zeta}\},$$

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