Erratum: Towards cosmological concordance on galactic scales

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The 2dFGRS luminosity function (LF) which was provided to us was incorrectly normalized (values were too low by about \sim 15 per cent). As we used this LF to constrain our models for the conditional luminosity function (CLF), the normalizations of all our models are incorrect by a similar amount. Using the properly normalized 2dFGRS LF, we have repeated the entire analysis described in the paper. This results in a number of small modifications of most figures (only Figures 2, 4 and 8 are unaffected), and of the actual confidence levels on Ω_m and σ_8 reported in the paper.

The most important effect is that for a given cosmology, the best-fitting value of the average mass-to-light ratio of clusters decreases by about 15 percent. This in turn, implies that, under the prior that $\langle M_{\rm vir}/L\rangle_{\rm cl}=(350\pm70)\,h\,{\rm M}_{\odot}$, the best-fitting value of σ_8 increases by about 8 per cent. In particular, equation (17) should read

$$\sigma_8 = 0.73 \left[\frac{\langle M_{\text{vir}}/L \rangle_{\text{cl}}}{350 \, h \, \text{M}_{\odot}} \right]^{0.5} \tag{1}$$

with equation (33) changing accordingly. The new version of the paper, including the corrected constraints and the corresponding figures, is available at http://xxx.lanl.gov/abs/astro-ph/0301104, or, upon request, directly from the authors.

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