

### A CORRECTION

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We wish to correct an error that was made in our paper. It was stated that 'Inv(b) specificity appeared to be associated with B chains of both antigenic types' (Type I = kappa, Type II = lambda). Only one person in the world is known to have serum containing anti-Inv(b) activity. We now know that the particular sample used in the tests was taken after a transfusion and that it does not give identical results when used in parallel with other samples from the same patient. Dr A. Steinberg has now tested the lambda chain that gave the anomalous reaction using other samples of anti-Inv(b) and obtained a negative result. It therefore remains possible that Inv activity is associated only with kappa chains.

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