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Erratum: Existence and damping of dust acoustic solitary waves in a bounded geometry [Phys. Rev. E 87, 063101 (2013)]

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The propagation of the solitary wave in a dusty plasma bounded in finite geometry has been investigated in this paper. It is noted that there are several errors that should be corrected. The corrections are as follows: Eqs. (11)–(13) can be substituted into Eq. (8) only in the linearized case. Therefore, the term containing ψ^2 in Eqs. (14), (16), and (26) should be deleted. Equations (14), (16), and (26) in the paper should be replaced by the following equations, respectively:

$$\frac{\frac{\partial^2 Y_0(r)}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial Y_0(r)}{\partial r}}{Y_0(r)} = \frac{Z_d N_d + (s\beta' v + s\eta)\psi - \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2}}{\psi} = \lambda,\tag{14}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} + \lambda \psi = Z_d N_d + (s\beta' \nu + s\eta) \psi, \tag{16}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} - \beta^2 \psi = Z_d N_d + (s\beta' \nu + s\eta) \psi. \tag{26}$$

Moreover, Eq. (34) should be replaced by

$$A = \frac{6\pi R Z_d}{2\beta' c} J_1(\beta R). \tag{34}$$

The corrected equations cannot be treated in the manner of the original paper, retaining the nonlinear terms; therefore, the results obtained cannot be considered reliable for solitary waves.

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