

Correction to
“A nonlinear elliptic system for maps
from Hermitian to Riemannian manifolds
and rigidity theorems in Hermitian geometry”

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Since in the proofs of Lemmata 6 and 7 a positivity condition is used that is stronger than positivity of ω^m , we need to strengthen the definition of an astheno-Kähler manifold (beginning of §4).

We therefore propose the following

Definition. Let X be an m -dimensional Hermitian manifold with Hermitian metric $\gamma_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} dz^\alpha dz^{\bar{\beta}}$. X is called astheno-Kähler if

$$\omega := \frac{1}{2} i \gamma_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} dz^\alpha \wedge dz^{\bar{\beta}}$$

satisfies

$$\partial\bar{\partial}\omega^{m-2} = 0.$$

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