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# Correction: Systems metabolic engineering of *Escherichia coli* for hyper-production of 5-aminolevulinic acid

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Following publication of the original article [1], it came to the attention of the authors that a sentence in the Background section was not entirely accurate. The sentence in the original version of the paper:

Although natural microbial producers of 5-ALA such as algae and photosynthetic bacteria have been discovered for decades [3, 4], they are not adopted in industrial 5-ALA production due to the relatively low titer, yield, and productivity.

Has been corrected as follows:

Although natural microbial producers of 5-ALA such as algae and photosynthetic bacteria have been discovered for decades [3, 4], the production levels are relatively low and the highest titer of 5-ALA is 3.6 g/L [5].

The authors also state that the correction does not affect the discussion or conclusions and that they sincerely apologize for the unintentional errors.

The original article has been corrected.

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