Erratum DANMAP 2012

In the printed version of DANMAP 2012, errors were found in Figure 4.8 concerning antimicrobial consumption (oral treatment) in pets in Denmark (page 36). This Figure has been corrected in the web version available from the 6 January 2014.

The correct Figure can be seen below. Please note that in the printed DANMAP 2012:

1) The curve for sulfonamides, including combinations with trimethoprim, was erroneously labeled “amfenicols”. This curve has been removed due to erroneous registration of sulfonamides for pet animals.
2) The curve for tetracyclines was erroneously depicted at a lower level in the printed DANMAP 2012.

Figure 4.8 Antimicrobial consumption (oral treatments) in pets\(^{(a)}\), Denmark

Note: The DAPD is calculated as the number of standard doses for one kg animal divided by the estimated live biomass in the age group or the total population (in tonnes)

\(a\) The live biomass for pets only include dogs (average weight: 20 kg), and cats (average weight: 4 kg). Census data are available only for 2000 (Statistics Denmark), and the population size was assumed to be constant (in accordance with data in the Danish Dog register; personal communication), while the cat population may have increased. The vast majority of antimicrobials for pets are used in dogs.