

Erratum (O.M. Braun, I. Barel, and M. Urbakh, Phys. Rev. Lett. **103** (2009) 194301 "*Dynamics of transition from static to kinetic friction*"): There is a mistake for the value of the damping coefficient ($\eta=0.005 \text{ s}^{-1}$). In simulation we used $\eta=0.07$ $\Omega_B=5.67 \times 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$, where $\Omega_B=(k_{\text{int}}/m_{\text{domain}})^{1/2}=8.1 \times 10^4 \text{ s}^{-1}$, $k_{\text{int}}=(N-1)K$, $m_{\text{domain}}=M/N$. (This mistake was later corrected also in R.Capozza, S.M.Rubinstein, I.Barel, M.Urbakh, and J.Fineberg, Phys. Rev. Lett. **107**, 024301 (2011) "*Stabilizing Stick-Slip Friction*")