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Generations of Istanbul families, the elderly, and the social economy of welfare – CORRIGENDUM

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The original publication of this article contained an error in Table 2. The corrected table is reproduced below:

Table 2. The elderly (65+) in Istanbul, percentages resident in selected household types, 1907* and 2000

	1907			2000		
	M	F	Total	M	F	Total
Household type						
Solitary	–	–	8.1	7.9	21.6	15.7
No-family	–	–	6.1	1.5	4.3	3.1
Nuclear family	23.4	11.1	18.9	64.4	35.8	48.4
(Couple, without offspring)+	6.2	6.0	6.1	39.6	19.6	28.4
(Couple with offspring)+	11.1	–	6.1	21.2	6.7	13.1
Extended family	22.2	61.1	40.0	7.4	25.5	17.5
(Single parent with couple)+	11.1	58.2	32.4	5.4	24.5	16.1
Multiple family	33.3	21.7	27.0	19.4	12.5	15.3
(Stem family)+	24.7	6.7	16.2	13.9	8.1	10.6
Elders with offspring (est.)	76.5	83.5	79.7	51.0	54.5	52.8
Elders without offspring (est.)	23.5	16.5	20.3	49.0	45.5	47.2
Numbers	81	67++	148	8,222	10,459	18,681

* The 1907 sample is too small to use as a basis for reliable statements, especially in comparison with 2000. There are, however, no other household data available for that period. The intention in presenting the 1907 figures is to provide a suggestive basis for discussion. + percentages of total.

++ elderly females underreported in 60–75 age cohorts. See Figure 1.

Sources: Ottoman census rosters for the permanent Muslim population of Istanbul, 1907, and Turkish census, Istanbul census file, 2000. This table does not include unclassifiable households.

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