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**Absence of  $M3$  Quenching in  $^{26}\text{Mg}$**   
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Equation (4) should be

$$\frac{\sum B(M3)_{\text{expt.}}}{\sum B(M3)_{\text{theo.}}} = \frac{49.8(52)}{48.3} = 1.03(11). \quad (4)$$

In addition, the Fig. 2 caption should read

FIG. 2. Comparison between experimental results and shell-model predictions for  $\sum B(M3)$ . For states above 8.4 MeV the level numbers do not indicate any claimed correspondence between the experimental and theoretical levels; they are only for bookkeeping purposes.

Table I (with its caption) should read as follows:

TABLE I. Excitation energies and  $B(M3)$  values for the  $3^+$  states in  $^{26}\text{Mg}$ .

State	Expt	$E(\text{keV})$ Theory	$B(M3)$ ( $10^2 \mu_N^2 \text{ fm}^4$ )	
			Expt	Theory
$3_1^+$	3941	3921	3.4(11)	1.4
$3_2^+$	4350	4510	7.0(30)	4.5
$3_3^+$	6125	6268	1.9(4)	6.0
$3_4^+$	7242	7281	11.7(20)	9.8
$3_5^+$	7724	7602	2.3(7)	0.6
$3_6^+$	8248	8004	11.8(21)	9.7
$3_7^+$	8456	8404	4.0(13)	16.3
$3_8^+$	9423	9115	4.0(15)	0.07
$3_9^+$	9902	9304	1.6(15)	0.03
$3_{10}^+$	10 213	9576	2.1(11)	0.01
$\sum B(M3)$			49.8(52)	48.4