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The following errata were submitted by our customers and approved as valid errors by the author or editor.

Color Key: Serious Technical Mistake Minor Technical Mistake Language or formatting error Typo Question Note Update

Version	Location	Description	Submitted By	Date Submitted	Date Corrected
ePub	Page 4 Just before "Defining the Problem"	Needless space before apostrophe It 's a great => It's a great Note from the Author or Editor: Fixed by removing needless whitespace.	Eric Willigers	Sep 13, 2014	
PDF	Page 16 2nd paragraph	Examples include the amount of memory is your node using should be Examples include the amount of memory your node is using Note from the Author or Editor: Fixed.	Eric Willigers	Sep 16, 2014	
PDF	Page 19 last paragraph	the call fails as none of the clauses matches. should be the call fails as none of the clauses match. Note from the Author or Editor: The current text isn't incorrect, as "matches" corresponds to "none", i.e., "none matches", and "none" isn't necessarily plural. However, many readers are more comfortable considering "none" as plural, so we will change this text to be clearer.	Eric Willigers	Sep 16, 2014	
Printed, PDF, ePub, Mobi, Safari Books Online, Other Digital Version	Page 39 2nd paragraph	the record definition 'hostent' is missing commas between the fields Note from the Author or Editor: Should be -record(hostent, { h_name, % official name of host h_aliases = [], % alias list h_addrtype, % host address type h_length, % length of address h_addr_list = [] % list of addresses from name server }).	the rac	Jun 21, 2016	
PDF	Page 105 Full sweep of the heap	but x you should pick your own should be but you should pick your own Note from the Author or Editor: Fixed.	Eric Willigers	Sep 17, 2014	
ePub	Page 113 First sentence	"If want to let the supervisor continue to start workers" Missing "you" after "If"?	Derek Brown	Jun 24, 2014	

		Note from the Author or Editor: fixed			
PDF	Page 116 Second Paragraph	In the sentence Any other events coming out of sequence (such as Sunset when in state Day) are handled only after a transition to a state where they can be dealt with. the phrase in parentheses should be either "(such as Sunrise when in state Day)" OR "such as Sunset when in state Night)" Note from the Author or Editor: Already fixed in copyedit. Changed "In state Night, event Sunset causes" to "In state Night, event Sunrise causes" and also changed "(such as Sunset when in state Day)" to "(such as Sunrise when in state Day)".	mjtlx	Mar 15, 2016	
PDF	Page 124 last paragraph	a asynchronous --> an asynchronous Note from the Author or Editor: fixed	Shayan Pooya	Jun 09, 2014	
PDF	Page 137 Bottom code listing	stop() calls gen_fsm:sync_send_all_state_event, but we implement handle_event (not handle_sync_event). Maybe stop() should call gen_fsm:send_all_state_event instead? Note from the Author or Editor: This is already fixed in copyedit. The fix is, near the bottom of page 137, to change "the event is handled in handle_event/3" to "the event is handled in handle_sync_event/4" and change "handle_event(stop, _State, LoopData)" to "handle_sync_event(stop, _From, _State, LoopData)".	John Gallagher	Mar 17, 2016	
PDF	Page 154 Sample run in the middle	`terminate/3` function at the top of page 154 doesn't contain any code to display: Display:Shutting Down which is in the sample run. Note from the Author or Editor: Fixed, there was a discrepancy with the code.	Yuce Tekol	Dec 25, 2015	
ePub	Page 161 First sentence of first paragraph	"So, what's is happening?" Redundant apostrophe s and "is". Note from the Author or Editor: Fixed.	Derek Brown	Dec 18, 2014	
Printed, PDF, ePub	Page 191 last paragraph	The text says "Keep in mind that terminate_child/2, restart_child/2, and delete_child/2 cannot be used with simple_one_for_one strategies:" but this is not completely correct. The terminate_child/2 function can be used with simple_one_for_one as long as the child process pid, not the child specification identifier, is passed for the second argument. This is clearly documented under http://erlang.org/doc/man/supervisor.html#terminate_child-2 : "If the supervisor is simple_one_for_one, Id must be the pid() of the child process."  Steve Vinoski		Jul 19, 2016	
Printed, PDF, ePub	Page 199 Before "Abnormal or Normal Termination?" section	In the last sentence above the mentioned section is written: "How to you test these scenarios and detect these design anomalies?" Shouldn't it be "How to test..." or "How do you test..."? Note from the Author or Editor: On page 199 in the sentence just before the sidebar titled "Abnormal or Normal Termination?", change "How to you test" to "How do you test".	Carlos Galdino	Jul 03, 2016	
PDF	Page 239 Last paragraph	Typo: "netsplit" Note from the Author or Editor: Fixed, thanks.	Yuce Tekol	Dec 26, 2015	
PDF	Page 372 2nd paragraph	Duplicated sentence: "We cover other networking approaches you might need when connecting your Erlang and non-Erlang nodes to each other. We cover other networking approaches you might need when connecting your Erlang and non Erlang nodes to each other."	Johan WÃrlander	Nov 03, 2015	

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