

Correction to “Adsorption of Rh, Pd, Ir, and Pt on the Au(111) and Cu(111) Surfaces: A Density Functional Theory Investigation”

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In the original article, *Journal of Physical Chemistry C* **2014**, *118*, 19051–19061, page 19058, the experimental work function results reported as reference data the Figure 7, except

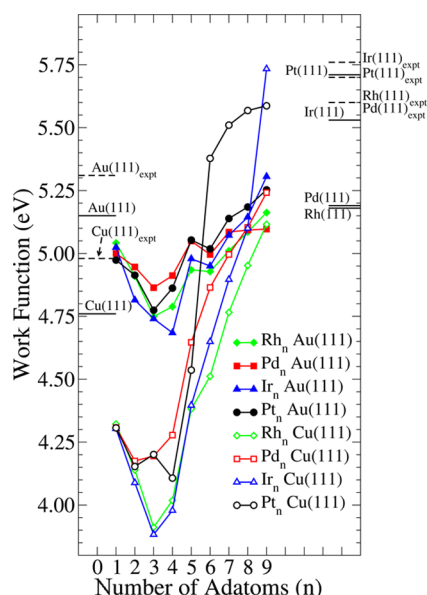


Figure 7. Work function of the $\text{TM}_n/\text{Au}(111)$ and $\text{TM}_n/\text{Cu}(111)$ systems as a function of the number of TM adatoms, n . The theoretical (horizontal solid lines) and experimental¹ (horizontal dashed lines) work function values for clean surfaces are indicated for reference. For Rh(111), the experimental work function was quoted from Castro et al.²

for Rh and Au, were for polycrystalline samples (e.g., $\Phi = 4.65$ eV for Cu, 5.12 eV for Pd, 5.27 eV for Ir, and 5.65 eV for Pt) and not for the single-crystal TM(111) surface as it was indicated in Figure 7 and mentioned along in the text. The experimental work function for the single-crystal TM(111) surfaces is 4.98 eV for Cu, 5.60 eV for Rh, 5.60 eV for Pd, 5.76 eV for Ir, 5.70 eV for Pt, and 5.31 eV for Au.^{1,2} We would like to point out that the corrected work function values of TM(111) do not change any conclusion drawn in our article as the deviations of the theoretical values from the experimental ones are of similar magnitude but of opposite sign.

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