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n. pl. er·ra·ta (-tə)

An error in printing or writing, especially such an error noted in a list of corrections and bound into a book.

[Latin *errātum*, from neuter past participle of *errāre*, to stray; see **ers-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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