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Corrigendum

Corrigendum to "Deconstructing estradiol: Removal of B-ring generates compounds which are potent and subtype-selective estrogen receptor agonists" [Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett. 19 (2009) 1250]

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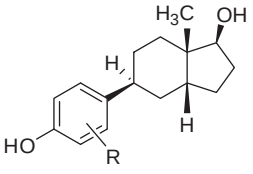
The structures of the A-CD compounds in this Letter (*Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.*, **2009**, 19, 1250) have been designated with the incorrect CD ring junction. The CD ring portion of these compounds (compound **11**) was prepared by simple hydrogenation according to the method of Hajos and Parrish (*J. Org. Chem.*, **1973**, 38, 3239). This method leads to the cis CD-ring junction rather than the indicated trans arrangement shown in the Letter. The correct cis CD ring junction has been verified via an X-ray structure determination on one of the compound **9** analogs.

We apologize for any confusion this error may cause and will make reference to the correct stereochemistry in all future publications dealing with these structures.



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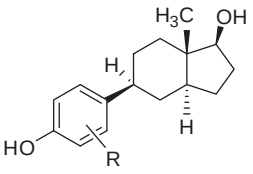

incorrect stereochemistry

Scheme 2, page 1252 has been redrawn below showing the correct stereochemistry.

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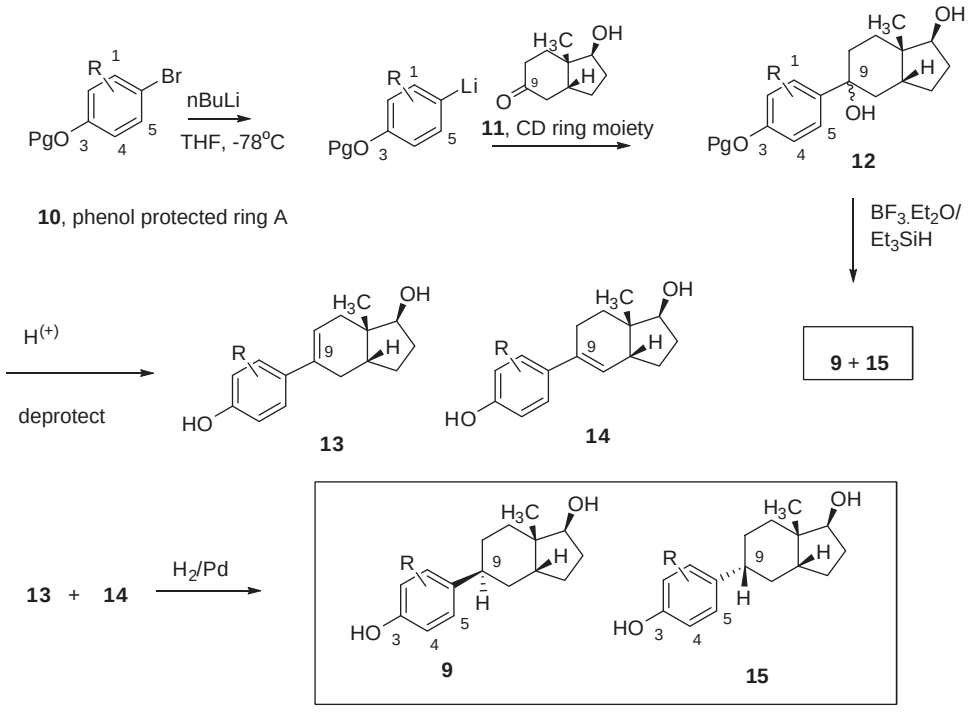

Scheme 1. Synthesis of ACD-estrogens.