

Corrigendum**The *in situ* Generation of Thiazyl Trichloride: A Synthone for C–N–S Heterocycles**

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The ^{14}N n.m.r. spectrum of a solution of $(\text{NSCl})_3$ and an excess of sulphuryl chloride in chloroform was reported to show a strong signal at -4 p.p.m., attributed to NSCl_3 , in addition to peaks at 338 and -262 p.p.m. for NSCl and $(\text{NSCl})_3$, respectively. In more recent experiments we have observed only the latter two peaks in the ^{14}N n.m.r. spectra of such solutions over the temperature range 0 to $+60$ °C using either recrystallized or unrecrystallized $(\text{NSCl})_3$. Nevertheless, such solutions do behave as though they contain the reagent ' NSCl_3 ' in reactions with methacrylonitrile or thioacetamide to give 4-cyanoisothiazole or 5-methyl-1,3,2,4-dithiazolium chloride, respectively, as described in the communication.