Additions and Corrections

Sterochemistry of Bisbenzylisoquinoline *N*-Oxides. Calafatine 2α-*N*-Oxide and Calafatine 2β-*N*-Oxide

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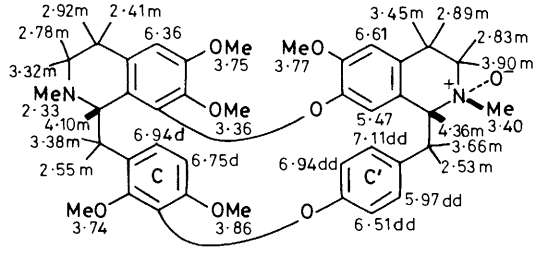
The following correction applies to this paper.

For the bisbenzylisoquinoline osornine, the left hand 2-*N*-methyl signal appears at δ 2.28, while the right hand 2′-*N*-methyl absorption is found at δ 2.40. For calafatine, the 2-*N*-methyl singlet is at δ 2.35 and the 2′-*N*-methyl is at δ 2.59. These conclusions follow from complete n.m.r. NOEDS studies on these alkaloids. It, therefore, follows that the two known *N*-oxides of calafatine correspond to 2′α-*N*-oxide (**1**) and calafatine 2′-β-*N*-oxide (**2**), with the *N*-oxide functions situated in the right-hand side of the dimers.



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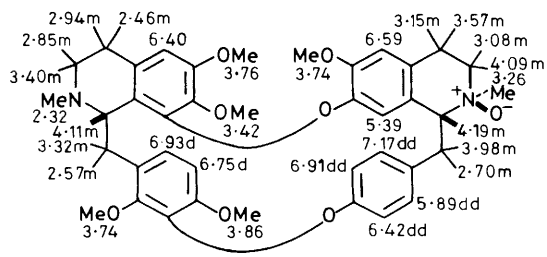

(2)

For ring C: $J_o \approx 8.5$ Hz; for ring C′: $J_o \approx 8.2$ Hz, $J_m \approx 2.2$ Hz

Photochemical Transformation of Tetrabromofuran by Oxygen into 2,3,4,4-Tetrabromobut-2-en-4-olide in the Solid State

Charles W. Shoppee,
J. Chem. Soc., Perkin Trans. 1, 1985, 45.

Page 51, right-hand column: line 12, *delete* subscript '264' and *insert* subscript '254'; line 14, *delete* '366' and *insert* '254'.

Synthesis and Reactions of 2,3-Dihydro-oxazolo[2,3-*a*]isoindol-5(9b*H*)-ones

Clifford J. Wharton and Roger Wrigglesworth
J. Chem. Soc., Perkin Trans. 1, 1985, 809.

Page 812, left-hand column, paragraph 3, line 9, *delete* '$[(CO_3)_2SO]$' and *insert* '$[(CD_3)_2SO]$'; paragraph 4, *delete* line 2 and *insert* 'hydrazine hydrate (0.6 g, 12 mmol) and (**3c**) (0.21 g, 1.2 mmol).'

Page 813, reference 1, *delete* '1905806' and *insert* '190580*b*'; reference 6, *delete* '????' and *insert* '1905'.