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LIMITATIONS AND FACTORS AFFECTING THE LACTAM REDUCTION APPROACH TO THE SYNTHESIS OF ANTHRAMYCIN ANALOGS. David E. Thurston*, Pravin T. P. Kaumaya, and Laurence H. Hurley, Tetrahedron Letters, 25, 25, 2649-2652 (1984).

A column of text was inadvertently omitted from the table on page 2650. The complete table should read:

4,5	R_1	R_2	R_3	4,5	R_1	R_2	R_3
a	H	H	H	f	H	H	$CH(CH_3)_2$
b	CH_3	OH	H	g	H	H	$(CH_2)_4CH_3$
c	H	H	CH_3	h	H	H	CH_2Ph
d	H	H	CH_2CH_3	i	H	OCH_3	CH_2Ph
e	H	H	$CH_2CH_2CH_3$	j	CH_3	OCH_2Ph	CH_2Ph

Takafumi Ikeda and C. Richard Hutchinson*, STEREOCHEMICAL CORRELATIONS OF SECOIRIDOID AGLUCONES, Tetrahedron Letters 25, 2427-2430 (1984).

The following Table 2 and first sentence following this table should replace the published version (op. cit.) to correct errors and clarify the data.

TABLE 2. OPTICAL ROTATION AND CIRCULAR DICHROISM DATA FOR **5** AND **6**

	5a	**5b**	**6a**	**6b**
$[\alpha]_D$[a] (deg)	-245(c=1.30)	+46(c=0.2)	-225(c=0.80)	+1 47(c=1.05)
$[\theta]$[b]	-20,000	+5200	-12,000	+9600
CD abs max (nm)	240	240	245	242

a run at ambient temp in $CHCl_3$. b run at ambient temp in EtOH.

The isolation of (-)-9,10-dihydro-**3b** was studied as a model for the isolation of **2b**. Treatment of (-)-9,10-dihydro-**3a** with betaglucosidase as before (48 hr) gave a 1:1 mixture of 9,10-dihydro-**3b** and (6RS)-5-epi-**3b** in 68% yield.