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## Corrigendum to "Synthesis of α-hydroxy-γ-butyrolactones from acrylates and 1,3-dioxolanes using N-hydroxyphthalimide (NHPI) as a key catalyst" [Tetrahedron Lett. 46 (2005) 3687]

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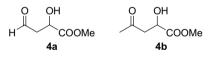
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The names of the products are presented incorrectly.

2-Hydroxy-4-(1,3-dioxolan-2-yl)valerate (**3a**) should be read methyl 3-(1,3-dioxolan-2-yl)-2-hydroxypropanoate (**3a**). 2,5-Dihydroxypentanoic acid (**5a**) should be read 2,4-dihydroxybutyric acid (**5a**). 2-Hydroxy-4-methyl-4-(1,3-dioxolan-2-yl)valerate (**3b**) should be read methyl 2-hydroxy-3-(2-methyl-1,3-dioxolan-2-yl)propanoate (**3b**). Methyl 2-hydroxy-5-oxahexanoate (**4b**) should be read methyl 2-hydroxy-4-oxopentanoate (**4b**).

In addition, the structures of the products **4a** and **4b** in Eqs. 2 and 6, respectively, should be replaced with the version depicted below.

The authors apologize for these errors.



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