angles for the phenyl groups are 38.9 (1) and 12.6 (2)° respectively.

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Abstract

An error in the name of the title compound of the paper by Vega, Díanez, López-Castro & Márquez [Acta Cryst. (1984), C40, 1941–1944] is corrected. The correct name is ethyl

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(Z)-5,6,7,8,9-pentaacetoxy-2-amino-4-nitromethyl-D-glycero-D-ido-2-nonene-3-carboxylate. Thus, throughout the text D-glycero-D-manno should read D-glycero-D-ido

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