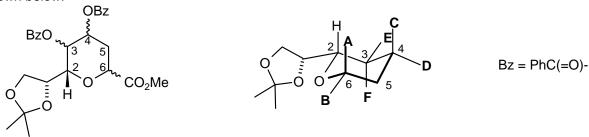


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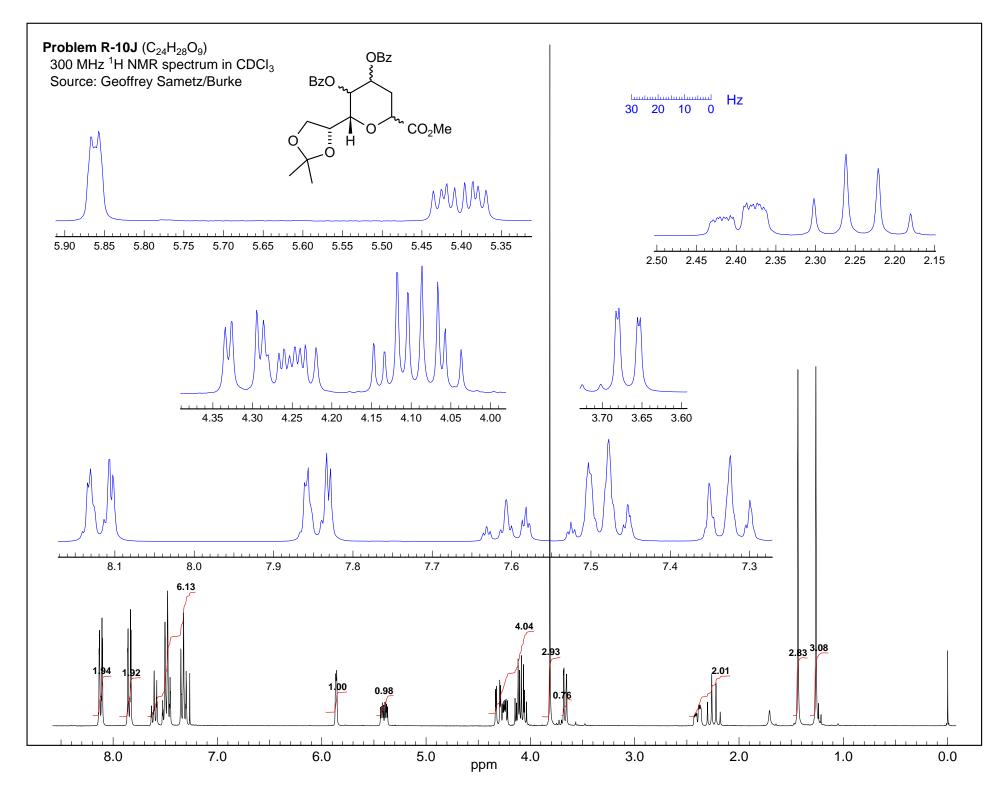
 $A = ____, B = ____(H \text{ or } CO_2Me).$ 

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 $C = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} , \;\; D = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \; (\textbf{H or OBz}).$ 

(c) Determine the stereochemistry at C-3. Explain what signal(s) you used, give their shift and multiplicity and briefly describe how you made the stereochemical assignment using the data:

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,  $B = \frac{CO_2Me}{}$  (H or  $CO_2Me$ ).  $\delta$  4.31 (H<sup>6</sup>)

The quartet at  $\delta$  2.24 (q, J = 12 Hz) is the axial proton at C-5. The three large couplings must be a  $J_{\rm gem}$  and two  $J_{\rm ax-ax}$ , thus protons on both sides are axial, and the substituents at C-6 and C-4 must both be equatorial.

The couplings of the equatorial proton  $H^{5e}$  (dddd J=12, 5, 2.5, 1 Hz) also help identify the  $H^4$  (5.40, J=5 Hz) and  $H^6$  (4.31, J=2.5 Hz) protons

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$$C = H$$
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The signal at 5.4 shows J = 12, 5, 3, so one axial-axial coupling (to H<sup>5</sup>), and two ax-eq couplings to H<sup>3</sup> and H<sup>5</sup> (this also proves that H<sup>3</sup> must be equatorial)

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$$E = H$$
,  $F = OBz$  (H or OBz).  $\delta$  5.86 (H<sup>3</sup>)

The "d" at 5.86 has to be  $H^3$  - it shows only one obvious small coupling. Since  $H^2$  is axial, this means that  $H^3$  must be equatorial, or else it would show a large  $J_{ax-ax}$ 

Could also use the axial proton at H<sup>4</sup> 5.40, ddd, J = 12, 5, 3 Hz. The 12 Hz coupling is the  $J_{ax-ax}$  to H<sup>5</sup>, the two smaller coulings have to be the  $J_{ax-eq}$  to H<sup>3</sup> and H<sup>5</sup>, hence H<sup>3</sup> has to be equatorial

The proton at  $H^2$  (  $\delta$  3.67, dd, J = 8, 2 Hz) has to be axial, if it were equatorial the ring would flip. The 8 Hz coupling is to  $H^7$ , the 2 Hz coupling must be to  $H^3$ . Thus  $H_3$  must be equatorial.

