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## Correction: Selective detection of fluoride using fused quinoline systems: effect of pyrrole

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Correction for 'Selective detection of fluoride using fused quinoline systems: effect of pyrrole' by Mahesh Akula et al., *RSC Adv.*, 2015, 5, 57231–57234.

The authors would like to correct some errors present in the original article.

In page 57232, in the third paragraph of the right column, the sentence "In cases of ligands 7 and 8, pyrrole NH and hydroxyl were blocked, respectively" should read: "In cases of ligands 8 and 9, pyrrole NH and hydroxyl were blocked, respectively".

In addition, some of the structures in Table 1 were not displayed correctly (ligands 6, 9 and 13). The corrected Table 1 is shown below.

**Table 1** Study of selective fluoride sensing with various ligands

Ligand	Structure	Anion selectivity <sup>a</sup> (red shift with intensity enhancement)
1		F <sup>-</sup> selective
2		No selectivity
3		No selectivity
4		No selectivity
5		No selectivity
6		No selectivity

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Table 1 (Contd.)

Ligand	Structure	Anion selectivity <sup>a</sup> (red shift with intensity enhancement)
7		No selectivity
8		No selectivity
9		No selectivity
10		No selectivity
11		F <sup>-</sup> selective <sup>b</sup>
12		F <sup>-</sup> selective
13		F <sup>-</sup> selective
14		F <sup>-</sup> selective

<sup>a</sup> Ligands showing selective F<sup>-</sup> sensing also show AcO<sup>-</sup> sensing, which can be easily removed by using TBDPS protection of hydroxyl group. <sup>b</sup> No red shift and no AcO<sup>-</sup> interference.

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