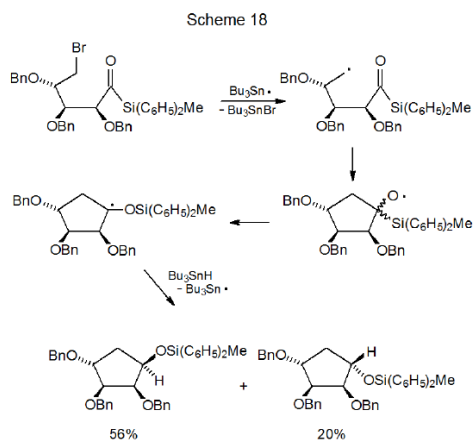


## VII. Cyclization of Acylsilanes

Acylsilanes undergo radical cyclization that involves addition of a carbon-centered radical to the carbonyl carbon atom in the acylsilyl group (Scheme 18).<sup>75</sup> This reaction is unusual in that migration of the silyl group to the radical center on oxygen stops reaction that would reverse ring formation.



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