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The invention relates to the steroids particularly to obtaining  $22(R,S)-11\beta$ , 21-dihidroxi-16a, 17 butylidenbisoxipregn-1,4-dien-3,20 dion which has a pharmacological action on organism. The goal of the invention is to obtain this product with a desired isomer ratio. The synthesis is made by reaction  $11\beta$ , 16a, 17-trihydroxi-21 acetoxi-pregn-1,4-dien-3,20-dion 16,17-ether metilyc of cicloortobornic acid with n-butiraldehyde, the molar ratio is 1:2, in the tetrahydrofuran medium in the presence of anhydride acetic at room temperature, saponifing the obtained product in the presence of perchloric acid. In this case a product is obtained with the isomer ratio 22R:S 1:1 with purity up to 96%.