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Subject: Re: Why are molecules drawn right to left?  
Posted by [thomas](#) on Fri, 19 Sep 2014 19:46:54 GMT  
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The name has nothing to do with the orientation of the drawing.  
After the name has been translated into a molecule graph, atom coordinates are generated by locating small rigid fragments first, assigning reasonable coordinates to their atoms and then combining these fragments in a way that there are no colliding atoms. What is left or right or top or bottom is not relevant for the algorithm.

Thomas

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