$(0,\frac{1}{2},0)$ and $(0,0,\frac{1}{2})$. Stacking of the glide-plane-related molecules, 3·32 Å apart, is observed along the [001] direction. The N—H···Cl^- hydrogen bonds link stacked molecules and infinite chains along the [001] direction are formed. The distances and angles in the system of hydrogen bonds are given in Table 3. The Cl^- anion is the acceptor in three hydrogen bonds; there are also three methine H atoms, H(2), H(4) and H(5), at distances less than 3·00 Å. All four available N-bonded H atoms are involved in hydrogen bonding.

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Statistical bias in scaling factors: erratum.

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The numerical measures of discrepancy, typically amounting to several per cent, quoted in crystal-structure determinations are not the residuals R_1 and R_2 but their square roots; R_1 and R_2 are thus typically measured in tenths of a per cent. Wilson [*Anomalous Scattering* (1975), edited by S. Ramaseshan & S. C. Abrahams, pp. 325–332. Copenhagen: Munksgaard; T. R. Lomer & A. J. C. Wilson (1975). *Acta Cryst.* B**31**, 646–647] failed to notice this, so that mentions of 'some per cent' in these papers should be read as 'some tenths of a per cent'. Later papers are either adequately vague or unaffected by this misapprehension.

All information is given in the abstract.

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Dihydro-6,7 canrénone: erratum.

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The name of the title compound in the papers by Surcouf [*Acta Cryst.* (1977), B**33**, 3891–3894; (1978), B**34**, 1049] on the steroid SC5233 is in error: For 'Dihydroxy-5,6 Canrénone' read 'Dihydro-6,7 Canrénone'. This compound is a novel steroid from the Searle Laboratories described by J. A. Cella & C. M. Kagawa [*J. Am. Chem. Soc.* (1957), **79**, 4808–4809].

Le résumé contient tous les détails pertinents.