

# RBcf: An VCF API for R.

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## 1 Abstract

RBcf uses the Htslib C API for parsing VCF and BCF files. This API was written by a regular user of the htsjdk library who doesn't like R.

A list of functions is available at: <https://github.com/lindenb/rbcf/blob/master/R/rbcf.R>

## 2 Examples

### 2.1 Htslib and Rbcf versions

Code:

```
# load the library
library(rbcf)
#print the version of the associated htslib
htslib.version()
#print the version of rbcf
rcbf.version()
```

Output:

```
> # load the library
> library(rbcf)
> #print the version of the associated htslib
> htslib.version()
[1] "1.10.2-dirty"
> #print the version of rbcf
> rcbf.version()
[1] "0.0-1"
>
```

## 2.2 Open and close a VCF file

Code:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# we don't need the index for this file
fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
```

Output:

```
> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # we don't need the index for this file
> fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
[1] TRUE
>
```

## 2.3 Print the INFOs in the VCF header

Code:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# we don't need the index for this file
fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
info <- bcf.infos(fp)
# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
# print the table
info
```

Output:

```
> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # we don't need the index for this file
> fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
> info <- bcf.infos(fp)
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
```

```

[1] TRUE
> # print the table
> info
      ID Number  Type
INDEL INDEL      0   Flag
IDV    IDV      1 Integer
IMF    IMF      1  Float
DP      DP      1 Integer
VDB     VDB      1  Float
RPB     RPB      1  Float
MQB     QB      1  Float
BQB     BQB      1  Float
MQSB    MQSB     1  Float
SGB     SGB      1  Float
MQOF    MQOF     1  Float
ICB     ICB      1  Float
HOB     HOB      1  Float
AC       AC      A Integer
AN       AN      1 Integer
DP4      DP4     4 Integer
MQ       MQ      1 Integer

INDEL      "Indicates that the v
IDV         "Maximum number of reads
IMF         "Maximum fraction of reads
DP
VDB         "Variant Distance Bias for filtering splice-site artefacts in RNA-seq data
RPB         "Mann-Whitney U test of Read Position Bias
MQB         "Mann-Whitney U test of Mapping Quality Bias
BQB         "Mann-Whitney U test of Base Quality Bias
MQSB        "Mann-Whitney U test of Mapping Quality vs Strand Bias
SGB         "Segreg
MQOF        "Fraction of MQO reads
ICB         "Inbreeding Coefficient Binomial test
HOB         "Bias in the number of HOMs number
AC          "Allele count in genotypes for each ALT allele, in the s
AN          "Total number of alleles
DP4         "Number of high-quality ref-forward, ref-reverse, alt-forward and
MQ          "Aver
>

```

## 2.4 Print the FORMATS in the VCF header

Code:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# we don't need the index for this file
fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
fmts <- bcf.formats(fp)
# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
# print the table
fmts
```

Output:

```
> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # we don't need the index for this file
> fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
> fmts <- bcf.formats(fp)
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
[1] TRUE
> # print the table
> fmts
      ID Number      Type      Description
PL PL          G Integer "List of Phred-scaled genotype likelihoods"
GT GT          1 String   "Genotype"
>
```

## 2.5 Print the FILTERs in the VCF header

Code:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# we don't need the index for this file
fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf",FALSE)
flt <- bcf.filters(fp)
# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
# print the table
flt
```

Output:

```
> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # we don't need the index for this file
> fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf",FALSE)
> flt <- bcf.filters(fp)
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
[1] TRUE
> # print the table
> flt
```

	ID
PASS	PASS
ACO	ACO
InbreedingCoeff	InbreedingCoeff
LCR	LCR
RF	RF
SEGDUP	SEGDUP

  

PASS	
ACO	"AlleleCount is zero (i.e. no high-confidence genotype (GQ >= 20))"
InbreedingCoeff	
LCR	
RF	"Failed random forests filter"
SEGDUP	

```
>
```

## 2.6 Print the Samples in the VCF header

The samples are defined in the '#CHROM' line of the VCF **Code**:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# we don't need the index for this file
fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
# print the number of samples
bcf.nsamples(fp)
# get the name for the 1st sample
bcf.sample.at(fp,1)
# get the 1-based index for the samples
bcf.sample2index(fp,c("S1","S2","S3","missing"))
```

```
# get all the samples
bcf.samples(fp)
# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
```

Output:

```
> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # we don't need the index for this file
> fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
> # print the number of samples
> bcf.nsamples(fp)
[1] 5
> # get the name for the 1st sample
> bcf.sample.at(fp,1)
[1] "S1"
> # get the 1-based index for the samples
> bcf.sample2index(fp,c("S1","S2","S3","missing"))
      S1      S2      S3 missing
      1      2      3      0
> # get all the samples
> bcf.samples(fp)
[1] "S1" "S2" "S3" "S4" "S5"
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
[1] TRUE
>
```

## 2.7 Print the Dictionary in the VCF header

Code:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# we don't need the index for this file
fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
dict <- bcf.dictionary(fp)
# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
# print the table
dict
```

Output:

```
> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # we don't need the index for this file
> fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",FALSE)
> dict <- bcf.dictionary(fp)
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
[1] TRUE
> # print the table
> dict
      chrom size
RF01  RF01 3302
RF02  RF02 2687
RF03  RF03 2592
RF04  RF04 2362
RF05  RF05 1579
RF06  RF06 1356
RF07  RF07 1074
RF08  RF08 1059
RF09  RF09 1062
RF10  RF10  751
RF11  RF11  666
>
```

## 2.8 Print the Indexed Chromosomes

Code:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# Open the indexed VCF
fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.02.vcf.gz")
# get the indexed contigs
contigs <- bcf.contigs(fp)
# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
# print the table
contigs
```

Output:

```

> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # Open the indexed VCF
> fp <- bcf.open("../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.02.vcf.gz")
> # get the indexed contigs
> contigs <- bcf.contigs(fp)
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
[1] TRUE
> # print the table
> contigs
[1] "RF01" "RF02" "RF03" "RF04" "RF05" "RF06" "RF07" "RF08" "RF09" "RF10"
[11] "RF11"
>

```

## 2.9 Scanning the variants

Code:

```

# load rbcf
library(rbcf)

# create a function counting variants in a VCF
count.variants<-function(filename) {
  # we don't need the index for this file
  fp <- bcf.open(filename,FALSE)
  # number of variants
  n<-0
  # loop while we can read a variant
  while(!is.null(vc<-bcf.next(fp))) {
    # increment the count
    n<-n+1
  }
  # dispose the vcf reader
  bcf.close(fp)
  # return the number of variant
  n
}

# filenames
vcfs<-c(

```



```

        "../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf",
        "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",
        "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.02.vcf.gz",
        "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.03.vcf.gz",
        "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.04.bcf"
    )
# print the number of variants for each vcf
for(f in vcfs) {
    cat(paste(f,"_",count.variants(f),"\n"))
}

```

Output:

```

> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
>
> # create a function counting variants in a VCF
> count.variants<-function(filename) {
+     # we don't need the index for this file
+     fp <- bcf.open(filename,FALSE)
+     # number of variants
+     n<-0
+     # loop while we can read a variant
+     while(!is.null(vc<-bcf.next(fp))) {
+         # increment the count
+         n<-n+1
+     }
+     # dispose the vcf reader
+     bcf.close(fp)
+     # return the number of variant
+     n
+ }
>
> # filenames
> vcfs<-c(
+     "../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf",
+     "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf",
+     "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.02.vcf.gz",
+     "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.03.vcf.gz",
+     "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.04.bcf"
+ )
> # print the number of variants for each vcf

```

```

> for(f in vcfs) {
+   cat(paste(f,"_",count.variants(f),"\n"))
+ }
../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf    50
../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.01.vcf    45
../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.02.vcf.gz    45
../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.03.vcf.gz    45
../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.04.bcf    45
>

```

## 2.10 Scanning the variants

Code:

```

# load rbcf
library(rbcf)

# create a function counting variants in a VCF
count.variants<-function(filename,predicate) {
  # we don't need the index for this file
  fp <- bcf.open(filename,FALSE)
  # number of variants
  n<-0
  # loop while we can read a variant
  while(!is.null(vc<-bcf.next(fp))) {
    # test the variant
    if(predicate(vc)) {
      # increment the count
      n<-n+1
    }
  }
  # dispose the vcf reader
  bcf.close(fp)
  # return the number of variant
  n
}

# A vcf
filename <- "../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf"
# filters
filters<-list(

```

```

list("desc"="accept_all","predicate"=function(ctx) {TRUE} ),
list("desc"="accept_none","predicate"=function(ctx) {FALSE} ),
list("desc"="CHROM_is_1","predicate"=function(ctx) { variant.contig(ctx) == "1" }),
list("desc"="POS_is_even","predicate"=function(ctx) { (variant.pos(ctx) % 2 == 0) }),
list("desc"="PASS_filter","predicate"=function(ctx) {!variant.is.filtered(ctx) }),
list("desc"="count(FILTER)>1","predicate"=function(ctx) {length(variant.filter(ctx)) > 1}),
list("desc"="FILTER_contains_SEGDUP","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.filter(ctx) %in% "SEGMENT_DUP" }),
list("desc"="SNP","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.is.snp(ctx)} ),
list("desc"="POS!=END","predicate"=function(ctx) { variant.pos(ctx) != variant.pos(ctx) + 1 }),
list("desc"="not_diallelic","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.nalleles(ctx) > 2 }),
list("desc"="REF_is_A","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.reference(ctx) == "A" }),
list("desc"="any_allele_is_A","predicate"=function(ctx) {"A" %in% variant.alleles(ctx)} ),
list("desc"="any_ALT_allele_is_A","predicate"=function(ctx) {"A" %in% variant.alt_alleles(ctx)} ),
list("desc"="No_QUAL","predicate"=function(ctx) {!variant.has.qual(ctx)} ),
list("desc"="variant_has_ID","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.has.id(ctx)} ),
list("desc"="variant_ID_match_rs1*","predicate"=function(ctx) {grepl("rs1*",variant.id(ctx)) }),
list("desc"="variant_has_INFO/AF_NFE","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.info(ctx)$AF > 0.01 && variant.info(ctx)$NFE > 0.01 }),
list("desc"="variant_has_INFO/AF_NFE_>1E-5","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.info(ctx)$AF > 1e-5 && variant.info(ctx)$NFE > 1e-5 }),
list("desc"="Missense_in_PLEKHN1(VEP)","predicate"=function(ctx) {
  # NO VEP annotation ?
  if(!variant.has.attribute(ctx,"CSQ")) return(FALSE);
  # get VEP annotation
  predictions <- variant.vep(ctx)
  # In SCN5A
  predictions <- predictions[which(predictions$SYMBOL=="PLEKHN1"),]
  # Consequence must contain missense
  predictions <- predictions[grepl("missense_variant",predictions$CONSEQUENCE),]
  nrow(predictions)>0
})
)

# count the variant for each filter
for(flt in filters) {
  cat(paste(flt[["desc"]],"_",count.variants(filename,flt[["predicate"]]),"\n"),
  }

```

Output:

```

> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
>
> # create a function counting variants in a VCF

```

```

> count.variants<-function(filename,predicate) {
+   # we don't need the index for this file
+   fp <- bcf.open(filename,FALSE)
+   # number of variants
+   n<-0
+   # loop while we can read a variant
+   while(!is.null(vc<-bcf.next(fp))) {
+       # test the variant
+       if(predicate(vc)) {
+           # increment the count
+           n<-n+1
+       }
+   }
+   # dispose the vcf reader
+   bcf.close(fp)
+   # return the number of variant
+   n
+ }
>
> # A vcf
> filename <- "../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf"
> # filters
> filters<-list(
+   list("desc"="accept_all","predicate"=function(ctx) {TRUE} ),
+   list("desc"="accept_none","predicate"=function(ctx) {FALSE} ),
+   list("desc"="CHROM_is_1","predicate"=function(ctx) { variant.contig(ctx)%
+   list("desc"="POS_is_even","predicate"=function(ctx) { (variant.pos(ctx)%
+   list("desc"="PASS_filter","predicate"=function(ctx) {!variant.is.filtere
+   list("desc"="count(FILTER)>1","predicate"=function(ctx) {length(variant.
+   list("desc"="FILTER_contains_SEGDUP","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.
+   list("desc"="SNP","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.is.snp(ctx)} ),
+   list("desc"="POS!=END","predicate"=function(ctx) { variant.pos(ctx)!=var
+   list("desc"="not_diallelic","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.nalleles(
+   list("desc"="REF_is_A","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.reference(ct
+   list("desc"="any_allele_is_A","predicate"=function(ctx) {"A" %in% var
+   list("desc"="any_ALT_allele_is_A","predicate"=function(ctx) {"A" %in%
+   list("desc"="No_QUAL","predicate"=function(ctx) {!variant.has.qual(ctx)}
+   list("desc"="variant_has_ID","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant.has.id(c
+   list("desc"="variant_ID_match_rs1*',"predicate"=function(ctx) {grepl(
+   list("desc"="variant_has_INFO/AF_NFE","predicate"=function(ctx) {variant
+   list("desc"="variant_has_INFO/AF_NFE_>1E-5","predicate"=function(ctx) {

```

```

+       list("desc"="Missense_in_PLEKHN1_(VEP)","predicate"=function(ctx) {
+           # NO VEP annotation ?
+           if(!variant.has.attribute(ctx,"CSQ")) return(FALSE);
+           # get VEP annotation
+           predictions <- variant.vep(ctx)
+           # In SCN5A
+           predictions <- predictions[which(predictions$SYMBOL=="PLEKHN1"),]
+           # Consequence must contain missense
+           predictions <- predictions[grepl("missense_variant",predictions$C
+           nrow(predictions)>0
+           })
+       )
+
>
> # count the variant for each filter
> for(flt in filters) {
+     cat(paste(flt[["desc"]],"_",count.variants(filename,flt[["predicate"]]),
+     })
accept all      50
accept none     0
CHROM is '1'    50
POS is even     24
PASS filter     48
count(FILTER)>1  2
FILTER contains SEGDUPE  1
SNP             47
POS!=END        3
not diallelic   8
REF is 'A'      6
any allele is 'A'  27
any ALT allele is 'A'  21
No QUAL         1
variant has ID   34
variant ID match 'rs1*'  2
variant has INFO/AF_NFE  50
variant has INFO/AF_NFE > 1E-5  14
Missense in PLEKHN1 (VEP)  13
>
>
>

```

## 2.11 Print a VEP table for a Variant

Code:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# A vcf
filename <- "../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf"
# we don't need the index for this file
fp <- bcf.open(filename,FALSE)
# current variant
vc <- NULL
while(!is.null(vc<-bcf.next(fp))) {
    #find the first variant having an INFO/CSQ attribute
    if(variant.has.attribute(vc,"CSQ")) break;
}

if(!is.null(vc)) {
    # get the VEP table for the variant
    predictions<-variant.vep(vc)
}

# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
# show
predictions
```

Output:

```
> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # A vcf
> filename <- "../tests/data/gnomad.exomes.r2.0.1.sites.vcf"
> # we don't need the index for this file
> fp <- bcf.open(filename,FALSE)
> # current variant
> vc <- NULL
> while(!is.null(vc<-bcf.next(fp))) {
+     #find the first variant having an INFO/CSQ attribute
+     if(variant.has.attribute(vc,"CSQ")) break;
+     }
>
> if(!is.null(vc)) {
```

```

+      # get the VEP table for the variant
+      predictions<-variant.vep(vc)
+      }
>
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
[1] TRUE
> # show
> predictions

```

	Allele	Consequence	IMPACT	SYMBOL	Gene
1	C	downstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	KLHL17	ENSG00000187961
2	A	downstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	KLHL17	ENSG00000187961
3	C	downstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	C1orf170	ENSG00000187642
4	A	downstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	C1orf170	ENSG00000187642
5	C	intron_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
6	A	intron_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
7	C	intron_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
8	A	intron_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
9	C	intron_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
10	A	intron_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
11	C	downstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	C1orf170	ENSG00000187642
12	A	downstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	C1orf170	ENSG00000187642
13	C	downstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	C1orf170	ENSG00000187642
14	A	downstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	C1orf170	ENSG00000187642
15	C	upstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
16	A	upstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
17	C	upstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583
18	A	upstream_gene_variant	MODIFIER	PLEKHN1	ENSG00000187583

  

	Feature_type	Feature	BIOTYPE	EXON	INTRON
1	Transcript	ENST00000338591	protein_coding		
2	Transcript	ENST00000338591	protein_coding		
3	Transcript	ENST00000341290	protein_coding		
4	Transcript	ENST00000341290	protein_coding		
5	Transcript	ENST00000379407	protein_coding		2/14
6	Transcript	ENST00000379407	protein_coding		2/14
7	Transcript	ENST00000379409	protein_coding		2/14
8	Transcript	ENST00000379409	protein_coding		2/14
9	Transcript	ENST00000379410	protein_coding		2/15
10	Transcript	ENST00000379410	protein_coding		2/15
11	Transcript	ENST00000433179	protein_coding		
12	Transcript	ENST00000433179	protein_coding		





16					rs540662886	2	649
17					rs540662886	1	3286
18					rs540662886	2	3286
	STRAND	FLAGS	VARIANT_CLASS	MINIMISED	SYMBOL_SOURCE	HGNC_ID	CANONICAL
1	1		SNV		HGNC	24023	YES
2	1		SNV		HGNC	24023	YES
3	-1		SNV		HGNC	28208	
4	-1		SNV		HGNC	28208	
5	1		SNV		HGNC	25284	
6	1		SNV		HGNC	25284	
7	1		SNV		HGNC	25284	
8	1		SNV		HGNC	25284	
9	1		SNV		HGNC	25284	YES
10	1		SNV		HGNC	25284	YES
11	-1		SNV		HGNC	28208	YES
12	-1		SNV		HGNC	28208	YES
13	-1		SNV		HGNC	28208	
14	-1		SNV		HGNC	28208	
15	1		SNV		HGNC	25284	
16	1		SNV		HGNC	25284	
17	1	cds_start_NF	SNV		HGNC	25284	
18	1	cds_start_NF	SNV		HGNC	25284	
	TSL	APPRIS	CCDS	ENSP	SWISSPROT	TREMBL	UNIPARC
1			CCDS30550.1	ENSP00000343930	Q6TDP4	Q0VGE6&B3KXL7	UPI00001DFBF0
2			CCDS30550.1	ENSP00000343930	Q6TDP4	Q0VGE6&B3KXL7	UPI00001DFBF0
3				ENSP00000343864			UPI000022DAF4
4				ENSP00000343864			UPI000022DAF4
5			CCDS53256.1	ENSP00000368717	Q494U1	J3KSM5	UPI00005764FF
6			CCDS53256.1	ENSP00000368717	Q494U1	J3KSM5	UPI00005764FF
7				ENSP00000368719	Q494U1	J3KSM5	UPI0000D61E06
8				ENSP00000368719	Q494U1	J3KSM5	UPI0000D61E06
9			CCDS4.1	ENSP00000368720	Q494U1	J3KSM5	UPI00001416D8
10			CCDS4.1	ENSP00000368720	Q494U1	J3KSM5	UPI00001416D8
11				ENSP00000414022	Q5SV97		UPI0000418FB0
12				ENSP00000414022	Q5SV97		UPI0000418FB0
13							
14							
15							
16							
17				ENSP00000462558		J3KSM5	UPI000268AE1F
18				ENSP00000462558		J3KSM5	UPI000268AE1F

	GENE_PHENO	SIFT	PolyPhen	DOMAINS	HGVS_OFFSET	GMAF	AFR_MAF	AMR_MAF
1						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
2						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
3						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
4						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
5						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
6						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
7						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
8						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
9						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
10						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
11						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
12						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
13						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
14						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
15						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
16						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
17						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
18						C:0.0008	C:0	C:0
	EAS_MAF	EUR_MAF	SAS_MAF	AA_MAF	EA_MAF	ExAC_MAF	ExAC_Adj_MAF	ExAC_AFR_MAF
1	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
2	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
3	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
4	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
5	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
6	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
7	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
8	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
9	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
10	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
11	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
12	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
13	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
14	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
15	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
16	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
17	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
18	C:0	C:0.004	C:0	C:0			C:0	C:2.146e-04
	ExAC_AMR_MAF	ExAC_EAS_MAF	ExAC_FIN_MAF	ExAC_NFE_MAF	ExAC_OTH_MAF			
1		C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05		
2		C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05		

3	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
4	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
5	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
6	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
7	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
8	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
9	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
10	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
11	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
12	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
13	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
14	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
15	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
16	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
17	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
18	C:0	C:0.0002281	C:0.002986	C:0	C:1.606e-05			
	ExAC_SAS_MAF	CLIN_SIG	SOMATIC	PHENO	PUBMED	MOTIF_NAME	MOTIF_POS	HIGH_INF_POS
1	C:0							
2	C:0							
3	C:0							
4	C:0							
5	C:0							
6	C:0							
7	C:0							
8	C:0							
9	C:0							
10	C:0							
11	C:0							
12	C:0							
13	C:0							
14	C:0							
15	C:0							
16	C:0							
17	C:0							
18	C:0							
	MOTIF_SCORE_CHANGE	LoF	LoF_filter	LoF_flags	LoF_info"			
1								
2								
3								
4								
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```

## 2.12 Print a SNPEFF table for a Variant

Code:

```
# load rbcf
library(rbcf)
# A vcf
filename <- "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.ann.vcf.gz"
# we don't need the index for this file
fp <- bcf.open(filename,FALSE)
# current variant
vc <- NULL
while(!is.null(vc<-bcf.next(fp))) {
  #find the first variant having an INFO/ANN attribute
  if(variant.has.attribute(vc,"ANN")) break;
}
if(!is.null(vc)) {
  # get SNPEFF table
  predictions<-variant.snpeff(vc)
}
# dispose the vcf reader
bcf.close(fp)
# show
predictions
```

Output:

```

> # load rbcf
> library(rbcf)
> # A vcf
> filename <- "../tests/data/rotavirus_rf.ann.vcf.gz"
> # we don't need the index for this file
> fp <- bcf.open(filename,FALSE)
> # current variant
> vc <- NULL
> while(!is.null(vc<-bcf.next(fp))) {
+   #find the first variant having an INFO/ANN attribute
+   if(variant.has.attribute(vc,"ANN")) break;
+   }
> if(!is.null(vc)) {
+   # get SNPEFF table
+   predictions<-variant.snpeff(vc)
+   }
> # dispose the vcf reader
> bcf.close(fp)
[1] TRUE
> # show
> predictions
  Allele      Annotation Annotation_Impact   Gene_Name   Gene_ID
1      C missense_variant             MODERATE Gene_18_3284 Gene_18_3284
 Feature_Type Feature_ID Transcript_BioType Rank   HGVS.c      HGVS.p
1  transcript AAA47319.1    protein_coding  1/1 c.952A>C p.Lys318Gln
 cDNA.pos / cDNA.length CDS.pos / CDS.length AA.pos / AA.length Distance
1              952/3267           952/3267           318/1088
ERRORS / WARNINGS / INFO'"
1
>

```