

**Goal**: In this assignment, you have access to the human reference genome as well as the genome annotation. In addition, you have full genome sequence data from five individuals from a family at risk of carrying mutations related to the disease.

Your task is to write a Python program that will extract the CFTR gene, translate the gene sequence to its corresponding amino-acid sequence and based on the inferred amino-acid sequence determine whether any of the five given individuals is affected.

## » Fetch the appropriate files

The main task is divided in several steps. The first step is to fetch the sequence file (in fasta format) and the appropriate annotation file (in GTF format) from the Ensembl database.

The CTFR gene is chromosome 7.

## » Warmup

- 1. What is the length of the chosen DNA sequence?
  - ▶ Tip
- 2. How many genes are annotated in the GTF file?
  - Note
- 3. What fraction of the chromosome is annotated as genes?

## » Architect a method

All the following tasks are now related to the CTFR gene.

In the annotation file (from the Ensembl database), that gene has the id ENSG00000001626 on chromosome 7.

1. How many transcripts can this gene generate?