## Pipeline

Note: The pdf version of this file explains the pipeline while the Rmd version contains the code. Instructions:

- 1. Filter genomes on NCBI using the following criteria and download the csv results table:
  - Taxon ID: 2697049 (CoV-2)
  - Ambiguous Characters < 30
  - Nucleotide Completeness: Complete
  - Host: 9696 (human)
  - Collection date: 30th December 2003 current date
- 2. Extract accession IDs from the results tables.
- 3. Download genomes using NCBI datasets and remove duplicates using SeqKit.
- 4. Extract ORFs for S gene using EMBOSS and remove duplicates using SeqKit.
- 5. Cluster the sequences using h-clustering.
- 6. Align clusters roughly using MAFFT and remove duplicates using SeqKit.
- 7. Improve genetic diversity for each lineage.