

# Genomics & Bioinformatics

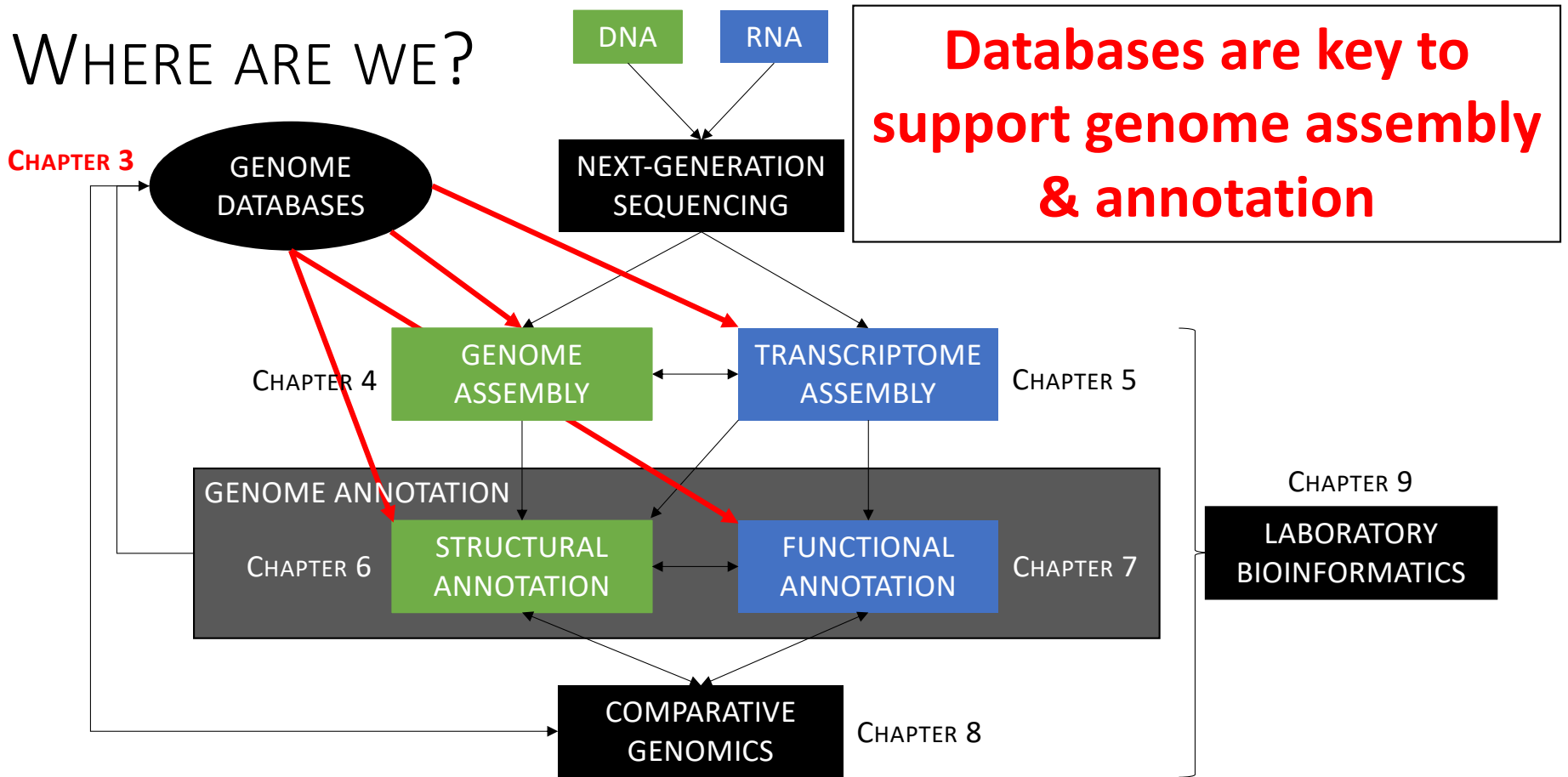


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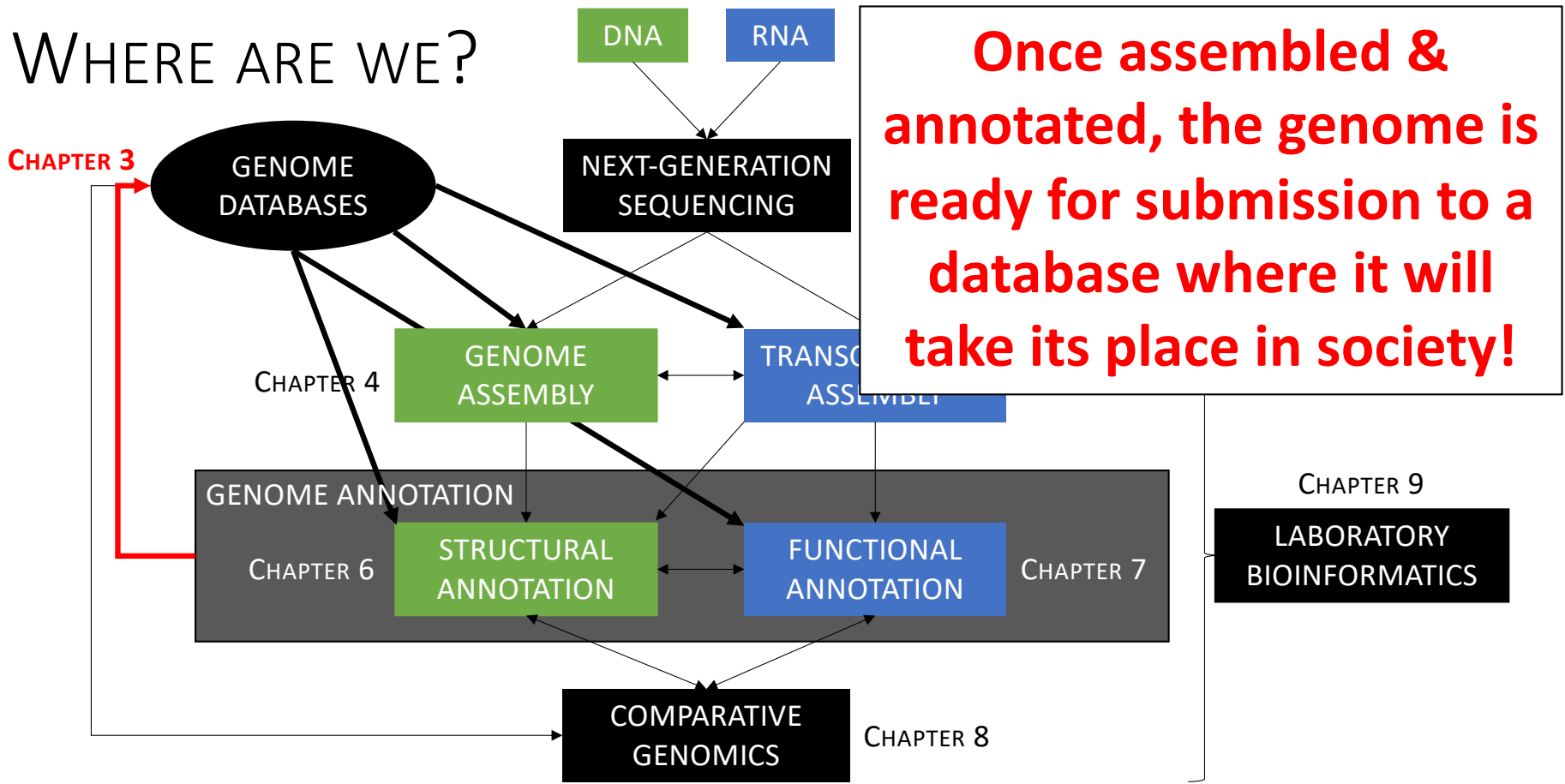
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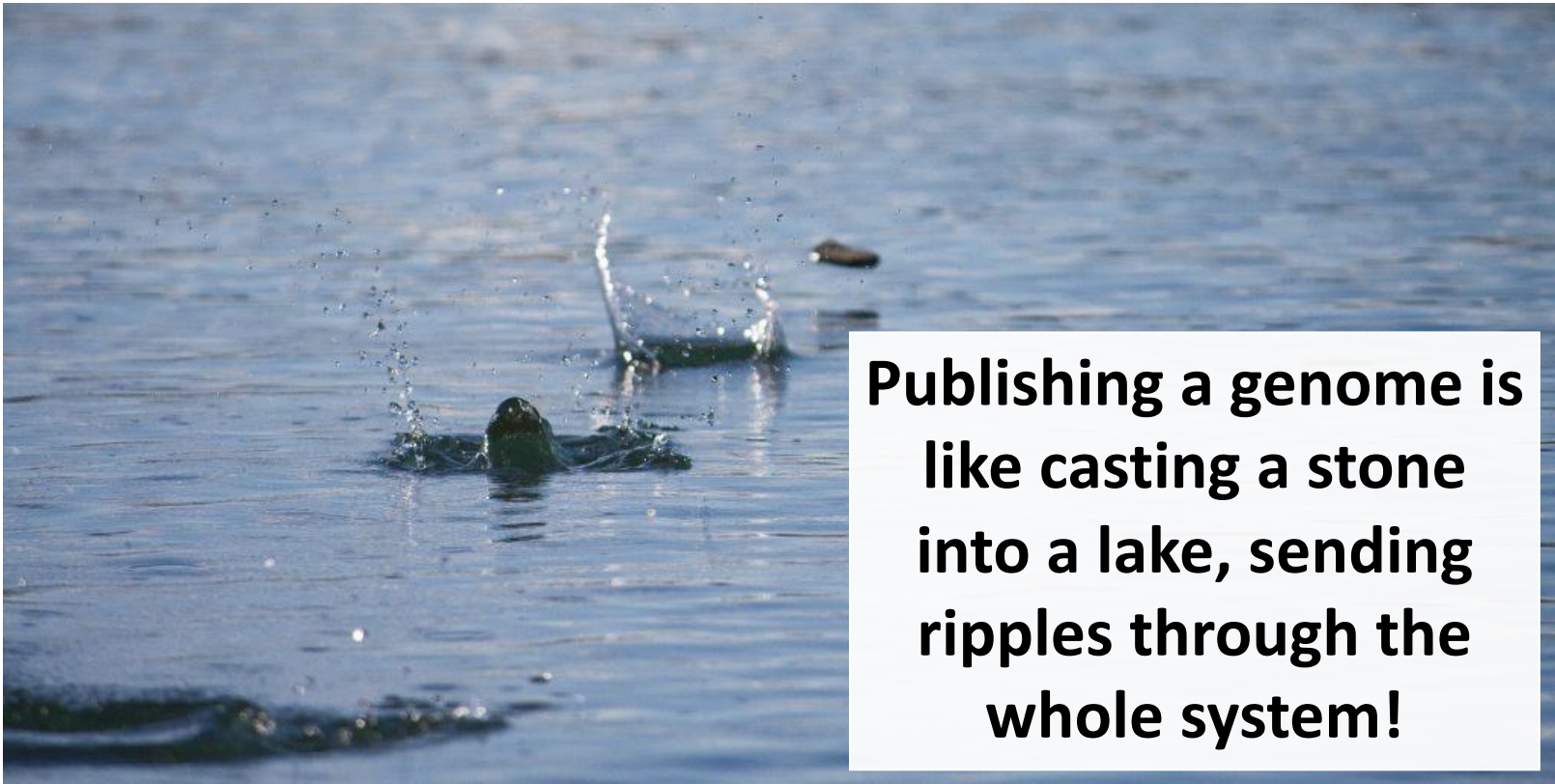
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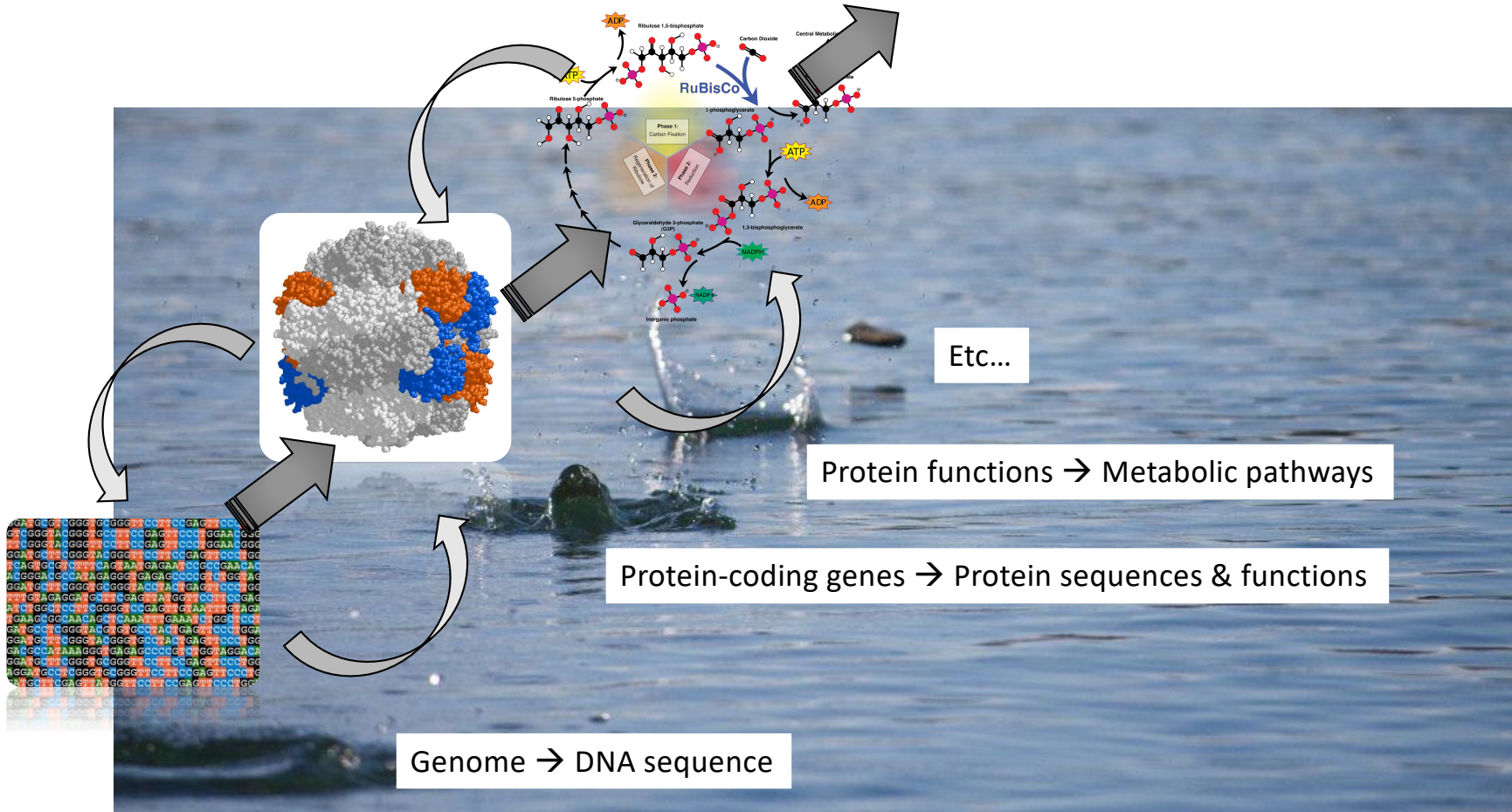


# DATABASES FORM AN INTERLOCKING NETWORK



**Publishing a genome is like casting a stone into a lake, sending ripples through the whole system!**

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# REQUIREMENTS OF GENOME DATABASES

## **Institutions in charge of molecular databases develop tools to:**

- **Harvest and curate data** (plus annotations) – that is, check both for accuracy and format – and distribute them.
- **Track and archive data** so that they do not get lost.
- **Record provenance and other information on samples** (e.g. location, vouchers, tissue type, taxonomy).
- **Provide links from the data to relevant items** in other databases, including bibliographical libraries (e.g. PubMed).
- **Provide information retrieval and analysis software** to support research: recovery of selected data and calculations with them (e.g. SRA toolkit, BLAST).
- **Provide documentation and tutorials.**
- Keep up with scientific advances in both biology and informatics.
- Be responsive to users' needs.

## GENOME DATABASES — MAJOR TYPES

- Nucleic acid sequences databases
- Protein sequences databases
- Gene ontology databases
- Metabolic pathways databases
- Specialized annotated genomes portals



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Mini-Report 2

# NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCES DATABASES



The International Nucleotide Sequence Database Collaboration (INSDC) is a partnership between 3 DNA seq. databases:

- ✓ **DDBJ**: DNA Data Bank of Japan.
- ✓ **EMBL-EBI**: European Bioinformatics Institute.
- ✓ **NCBI**: National Center for Biotechnology Information (USA).

# NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCES DATABASES



Data type	DDBJ	EMBL-EBI	NCBI
Next generation reads	<a href="#">Sequence Read Archive</a>	European Nucleotide Archive ( <a href="#">ENA</a> )	<a href="#">Sequence Read Archive</a>
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## NEXT GENERATION READS - SRA

- Sequence Read Archive ([SRA](#)) makes biological sequence data available to the research community to enhance reproducibility and allow for new discoveries.
- The SRA stores **raw sequencing data** (e.g., WGS, RNA-Seq) and alignment information from high-throughput sequencing platforms.
- [NCBI SRA Toolkit](#) allows to remotely download SRA files.
- We will learn protocols to download SRA files in Chapter 4.

**Sequence Read Archive**

**WGS of *Apostasia shenzhenica*: 180 insert size (SRR5759389)**

Run	Spots	Bases	Size	GC content	Published	Access Type
SRR5759389	84.1M	15.1Gbp	11.3G	35.5%	2017-06-27	public

This run has 2 reads per spot:



[Legend](#)

Experiment	Library Name	Platform	Strategy	Source	Selection	Layout
<a href="#">SRX2959224</a>	Apostasia180	Illumina	WGS	GENOMIC	PCR	PAIRED

[to BLAST](#)

**Design:**

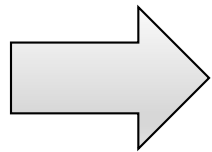
180 insert size library on Illumina

Biosample	Sample Description	Organism	Links
<a href="#">SAMN04453324</a> (SRS2316248)		<a href="#">Apostasia shenzhenica</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">PRJNA310678 [Apostasia shenzhenica isolate:ASH160606]</a></li> <li><a href="#">The Apostasia genome and the evolution of orchids.</a></li> </ul>

Bioproject	SRA Study	Title
<a href="#">PRJNA310678</a>	<a href="#">SRP109877</a>	Apostasia shenzhenica isolate:ASH160606 Genome sequencing and assembly

[Show abstract](#)

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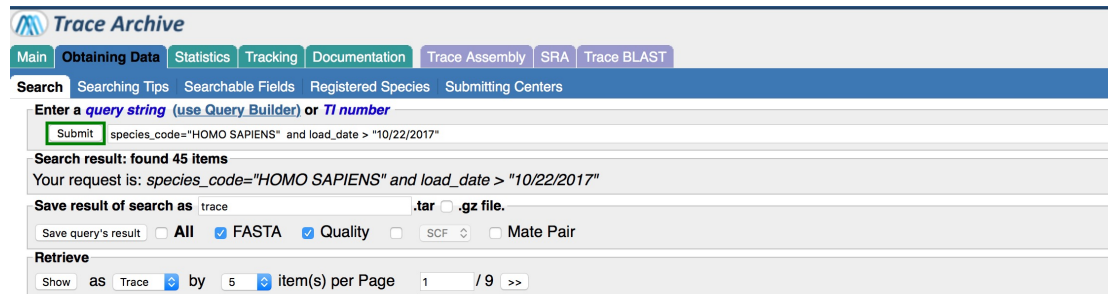


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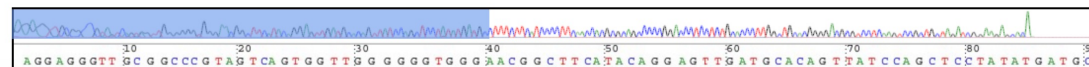
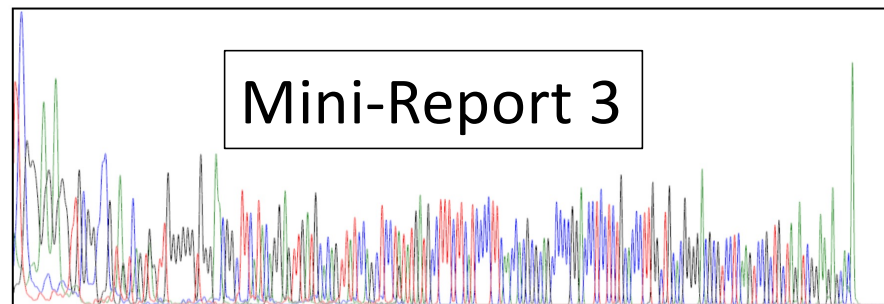


# CAPILLARY READS – TRACE ARCHIVES

[Trace Archive](#) serves as repository of sequencing data from capillary platforms e.g. Applied Biosystems ABI 3730 (= Sanger sequencing).



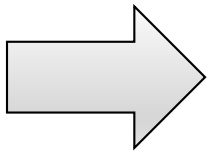
The screenshot shows the Trace Archive website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs for Main, Obtaining Data, Statistics, Tracking, Documentation, Trace Assembly, SRA, and Trace BLAST. Below this is a search bar with the text "Enter a query string (use Query Builder) or TI number". A search button is visible. The search results section shows "Search result: found 45 items" and "Your request is: species\_code='HOMO SAPIENS' and load\_date > '10/22/2017'". There are options to save the search result as a trace file, .tar, or .gz file. Below that, there are checkboxes for "All", "FASTA", "Quality", "SCF", and "Mate Pair". At the bottom, there is a "Retrieve" section with a "Show" button and a dropdown menu for "as Trace" and "by" options, along with a "5 item(s) per Page" and "1 / 9 >>" indicator.



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# ANNOTATED SEQUENCES – GENBANK

More on this database  
in Mini-Report 3

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the NCBI website with links for 'Resources' and 'How To'. The main header area contains the 'GenBank' logo, a search dropdown menu set to 'Nucleotide', a search input field, and a 'Search' button. Below the header is a horizontal menu with categories: GenBank, Submit, Genomes, WGS, Metagenomes, TPA, TSA, INSDC, and Other. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column is titled 'GenBank Overview' and contains a sub-section 'What is GenBank?' with a paragraph describing the database and its history, and another paragraph about release cycles and statistics. The right column is titled 'GenBank Resources' and lists several links: GenBank Home, Submission Types, Submission Tools, Search GenBank, and Update GenBank Records.

NCBI Resources How To Sign in to NCBI

GenBank Nucleotide Search

GenBank Submit Genomes WGS Metagenomes TPA TSA INSDC Other

## GenBank Overview

### What is GenBank?

GenBank<sup>®</sup> is the NIH genetic sequence database, an annotated collection of all publicly available DNA sequences (*Nucleic Acids Research*, 2013 Jan;41(D1):D36-42). GenBank is part of the International Nucleotide Sequence Database Collaboration, which comprises the DNA DataBank of Japan (DDBJ), the European Nucleotide Archive (ENA), and GenBank at NCBI. These three organizations exchange data on a daily basis.

A GenBank release occurs every two months and is available from the [ftp site](#). The [release notes](#) for the current version of GenBank provide detailed information about the release and notifications of upcoming changes to GenBank. Release notes for [previous GenBank releases](#) are also available. GenBank growth statistics for both the traditional GenBank divisions and the WGS division are available from each release. GenBank growth [statistics](#) for both the traditional GenBank divisions and the WGS division are available from each release.

## GenBank Resources

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- [Search GenBank](#)
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# ANNOTATED SEQUENCES – GENBANK

There are several ways to search and retrieve data from GenBank:

- a. Search GenBank for sequence identifiers and annotations with [Entrez Nucleotide](#).
  - Entrez is divided into three divisions: [CoreNucleotide](#) (the main collection), [dbEST](#) (Expressed Sequence Tags), and [dbGSS](#) (Genome Survey Sequences).
- b. Search and align GenBank sequences to a query sequence using [BLAST](#) (Basic Local Alignment Search Tool).

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There are several ways to search and retrieve data from GenBank:

- c. Search, link, and download sequences programmatically using [NCBI e-utilities](#) or R packages (Mini-Report 3).
- d. The ASN.1 and flatfile formats are available at **NCBI's anonymous FTP server**: <ftp://ftp.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/ncbi-asn1> and <ftp://ftp.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/genbank>.

# ANNOTATED SEQUENCES – GENBANK

## GenBank Flat File format

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VERSION    U49845.1  GI:1293613
KEYWORDS   .
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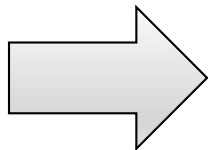
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# SAMPLES – BIOSAMPLES

The [BioSample](#) database contains descriptions of biological source materials used in experimental assays.

## Plant sample from *Apostasia shenzhenica*

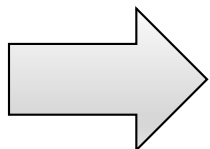
Identifiers	BioSample: SAMN07191733; Sample name: <i>Apostasia shenzhenica</i> tuber; SRA: SRS2300266	
Organism	<a href="#">Apostasia shenzhenica</a> cellular organisms; Eukaryota; Viridiplantae; Streptophyta; Streptophytina; Embryophyta; Tracheophyta; Euphyllophyta; Spermatophyta; Magnoliophyta; Mesangiospermae; Liliopsida; Petrosaviidae; Asparagales; Orchidaceae; Apostasioideae; <i>Apostasia</i>	
Package	<a href="#">Plant; version 1.0</a>	
Attributes	<b>isolate</b>	wild <i>Apostasia shenzhenica</i>
	<b>development stage</b>	reproductive growth
	<b>geographic location</b>	<a href="#">China: Shenzhen</a>
	<b>tissue</b>	tuber
BioProject	<a href="#">PRJNA310678</a> <i>Apostasia shenzhenica</i> isolate:ASH160606 Retrieve <a href="#">all samples</a> from this project	
Submission	The National Orchid Conservation Center of China, Zhongjian Liu; 2017-06-04	

Accession: SAMN07191733 ID: 7191733  
[BioProject](#) [SRA](#)



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## STUDIES — BIOPROJECT

- A [BioProject](#) is a collection of biological data related to a single initiative, originating from a single organization or from a consortium.
- A BioProject record provides users a single place to find links to the diverse data types generated for that project.



**Apostasia shenzhenica isolate:ASH160606**

Accession: PRJNA310678 ID: 310678

**Apostasia shenzhenica isolate:ASH160606 Genome sequencing**Apostasia shenzhenica has a karyotype of 2N=2X=68 with uniform small-size chromosomes . [More...](#)

Accession	PRJNA310678
Data Type	Genome sequencing
Scope	Monoisolate
Organism	<b>Apostasia shenzhenica</b> [Taxonomy ID: 1088818] Eukaryota; Viridiplantae; Streptophyta; Embryophyta; Tracheophyta; Spermatophyta; Magnoliophyta; Liliopsida; Asparagales; Orchidaceae; Apostasioideae; Apostasia; Apostasia shenzhenica
Publications	<a href="#">Zhang GQ et al.</a> , "The Apostasia genome and the evolution of orchids.", <i>Nature</i> , 2017 Sep 13;549(7672):379-383
Submission	Registration date: 2-Feb-2016 <b>Shenzhen Key Laboratory for Orchid Conservation and Utilization</b> <b>The National Orchid Conservation Center of China</b>
Relevance	Evolution

**Project Data:**

Resource Name	Number of Links
SEQUENCE DATA	
Nucleotide (total)	2986
WGS master	1
SRA Experiments	45
Protein Sequences	21743
PUBLICATIONS	
PubMed	1
OTHER DATASETS	
BioSample	38

## ▼ SRA Data Details

Parameter	Value
Data volume, Gbases	467
Data volume, Tbytes	0.24

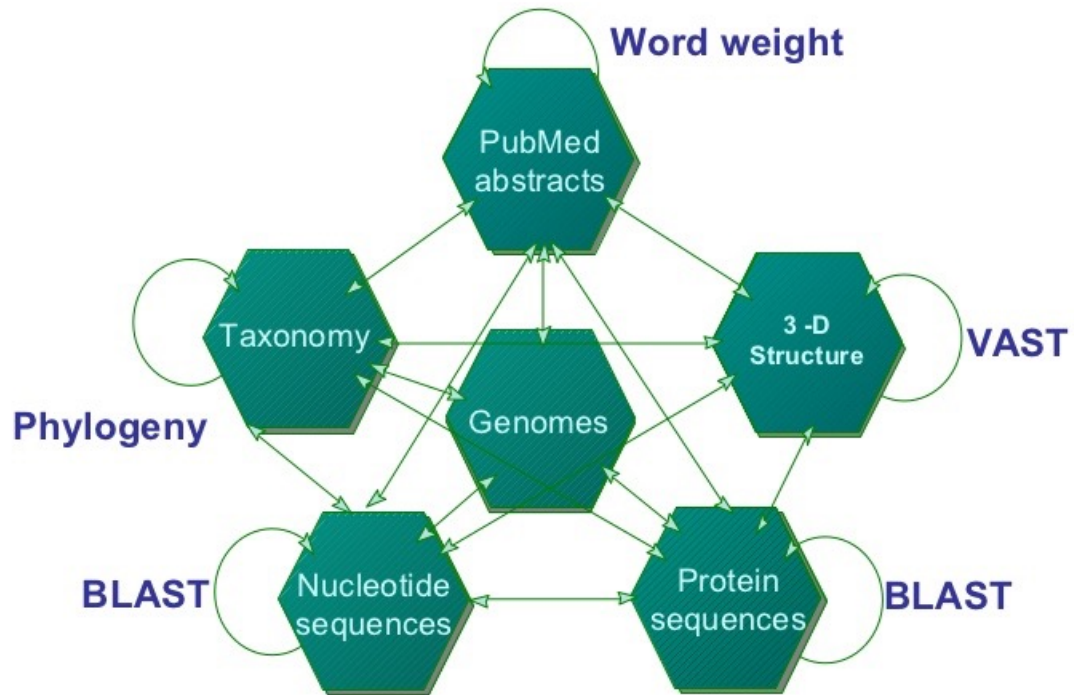
# ADDITIONAL USEFUL DATABASES – NCBI

NCBI (via Entrez platform) allows accessing 39 databases

NCBI Resources How To Sign in to NCBI

Search NCBI databases

Literature	Genes
Books MeSH NLM Catalog PubMed PubMed Central	EST Gene GEO DataSets GEO Profiles HomoloGene
Health	Proteins
ClinVar dbGaP GTR MedGen OMIM PubMed Health	Conserved Domains Protein Protein Clusters Structure
Genomes	Chemicals
Assembly BioCollections BioProject BioSample Clone dbVar Genome GSS Nucleotide Probe SNP SRA Taxonomy	BioSystems PubChem BioAssay PubChem Compound PubChem Substance



## ASSEMBLY

- The new [Assembly Archive](#) at NCBI is a **repository of fully and partially complete genomic assemblies** that exists in association with sequence submissions in GenBank and trace submissions in the NCBI Trace Archive.
- The repository provides users with the **ability to access and evaluate the assemblies** from which finished genomic nucleotide sequence has been derived.
- Many benefits accrue to users of this data, including for example the **ability to determine that a spurious frame shift has occurred, or that a putative SNP is not well supported by adequate coverage.**

# ASSEMBLY

## Sequence Set Browser [Show help](#)

Project:  [Search](#) [List of all Projects](#)

### PEFY0000000.1 *Apostasia shenzhenica*

[Master](#) [Contigs](#) [Download](#) [History](#)

# of Contigs:	12,380
# of Proteins:	21,743
# of Scaffolds/Chrs:	2,985
Total length:	322,899,837 bp
BioProject:	<a href="#">PRJNA310678</a>
BioSample:	<a href="#">SAMN04453324</a>
Keywords:	WGS
Annotation:	Scaffolds
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WGS:	PEFY01000001:PEFY01012380
Scaffolds:	<a href="#">KZ451883:KZ454867</a> 2,985 scaffolds, 21,743 proteins, total length is 348,733,136 bases
Reference:	<a href="#">The Apostasia genome and the evolution of orchids</a> : Nature 549 (7672), 379-383 (2017) – <a href="#">show 35 authors</a>
Submission:	Submitted (25-OCT-2017) Shenzhen Key Laboratory for Orchid Conservation and Utilization, The National Orchid Conservation Center of China, Wangtong Road, Shenzhen 518114, China – <a href="#">Liu,Z.-J.</a>

The *Apostasia shenzhenica* whole genome shotgun (WGS) project has the project accession PEFY00000000. This version of the project (01) has the accession number PEFY01000000, and consists of sequences PEFY01000001-PEFY01012380.

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##Genome-Assembly-Data-START##  
Assembly Method      : AllPaths v. 49292; Pbjelly v. 14.1; fragscaff v. 140324  
Assembly Representation : Full  
Expected Final Version : Yes  
Genome Coverage       : 455.49x  
Sequencing Technology  : Illumina; PacBio  
##Genome-Assembly-Data-END##
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## GENOME

- This resource organizes information on genomes including sequences, maps, chromosomes, assemblies, and annotations.
- You can download genomes directly using this [ftp](#) or browse by [organisms](#).

# GENOME

## Organism Overview

ID: 32002

## Acanthisitta chloris (rifleman)

Acanthisitta chloris overview

**Lineage:** Eukaryota[2661]; Metazoa[876]; Chordata[376]; Craniata[368]; Vertebrata[368]; Euteleostomi[362]; Archelosauria[104]; Archosauria[99]; Dinosauria[95]; Saurischia[95]; Theropoda[95]; Coelurosauria[95]; Aves[95]; Neognathae[92]; Passeriformes[23]; Acanthisittidae[1]; Acanthisitta[1]; **Acanthisitta chloris[1]**

The rifleman (*Acanthisitta chloris*) is a small subsocial passerine bird native to New Zealand. Perching birds (i.e., passerines) are usually divided into the songbirds (oscines) and non-songbirds (suboscines) based, in part, on differences in the anatomy of the tracheal structures used to produce sound. The rifleman is thought to belong to an [More...](#)

### Summary

**Submitter:** BGI  
**Assembly level:** Scaffold  
**Assembly:** GCA\_000695815.1 ASM69581v1 **scaffolds:** 53,875 **contigs:** 120,312 **N50:** 20,602 **L50:** 14,656  
**BioProjects:** PRJNA253841, PRJNA212877  
**Whole Genome Shotgun (WGS):** INSDC: JJRS00000000.1  
**Statistics:** total length (Mb): 1035.88  
protein count: 16077  
GC%: 41.6  
**NCBI Annotation Release:** 100

### Publications

1. Comparative genomics reveals insights into avian genome evolution and adaptation. Zhang G, et al. Science 2014 Dec 12
2. tRNAscan-SE: a program for improved detection of transfer RNA genes in genomic sequence. Lowe TM, et al. Nucleic Acids Res 1997 Mar 1

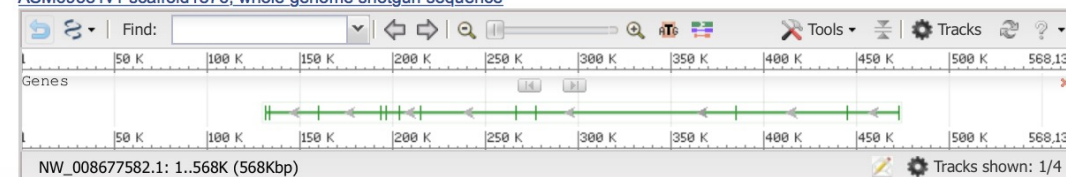
### Genome Assembly Annotation

Loc	Type	Name	RefSeq	INSDC	Size (Mb)	GC%	Protein	tRNA	Other RNA	Gene	Pseudogene
		master WGS	-	JJRS00000000.1	1,031.1	41.6	2,369	-	-	2,713	146

### Genome Region

[Acanthisitta chloris isolate BGI\\_N310 unplaced genomic scaffold, ASM69581v1 scaffold1876, whole genome shotgun sequence](#)

Go to nucleotide: [Graphics](#) [FASTA](#) [GenBank](#)



# Exercises

1. Navigate to NCBI and get familiar with its structure and databases.
2. How many genomes are available for the Giant panda and how do they compare?
3. Search your favorite organism and determine what type of genomic data are available for it.



# Mini-Report 2

The image is a composite graphic with a background of a swimmer in blue water. Overlaid on this background are several scientific and educational elements:

- Central Diagram:** A detailed diagram of the C<sub>3</sub> photosynthesis pathway. It shows the conversion of Ribulose 1,5-bisphosphate and Carbon Dioxide into 3-phosphoglycerate by the enzyme RuBisCo. This process is coupled with the conversion of ATP to ADP. The pathway then proceeds through Phase 1: Carbon Fixation, involving Glyceraldehyde 3-phosphate (GAP) and 1,3-bisphosphoglycerate, eventually leading to Organic phosphate. A large grey arrow points from this diagram towards the right.
- 3D Protein Structure:** A 3D model of a protein complex, likely RuBisCo, shown in white, orange, and blue. A grey arrow points from this structure towards the central diagram.
- KEGG Logo:** A colorful, circular logo for the Kyoto Encyclopedia of Genes and Genomes (KEGG).
- DNA Sequence:** A vertical strip of DNA sequence on the left side, with letters (A, T, C, G) in various colors.
- Logos:** At the bottom, there are logos for UniProt, GENEONTOLOGY (with the tagline "Unifying Biology"), and NCBI.
- Text:** The text "In class" is written in white on a dark blue background at the bottom center.