FIGURE 7.2. Genome density. Comparison of the genome density and content of humans and \textit{Escherichia coli}. Each segment is 50 kb in length and represents (A) a portion of the human \(\beta\) T-cell receptor locus and (B) a region of the \textit{E. coli} K12 genome. Note the much greater proportion of genes (red boxes) in \textit{E. coli} compared to humans.

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