FIGURE 8.8. Apicoplast genome from Plasmodium falciparum. Recall from Aim and Scope that the apicoplast is related to chloroplasts. Genes are indicated by arrows, which show the direction of transcription. Broken lines highlight functional regions. Ribosomal RNA genes are indicated by LSU (large subunit) and SSU (small subunit). Each tRNA is labeled with the single-letter abbreviation of the corresponding amino acid.

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