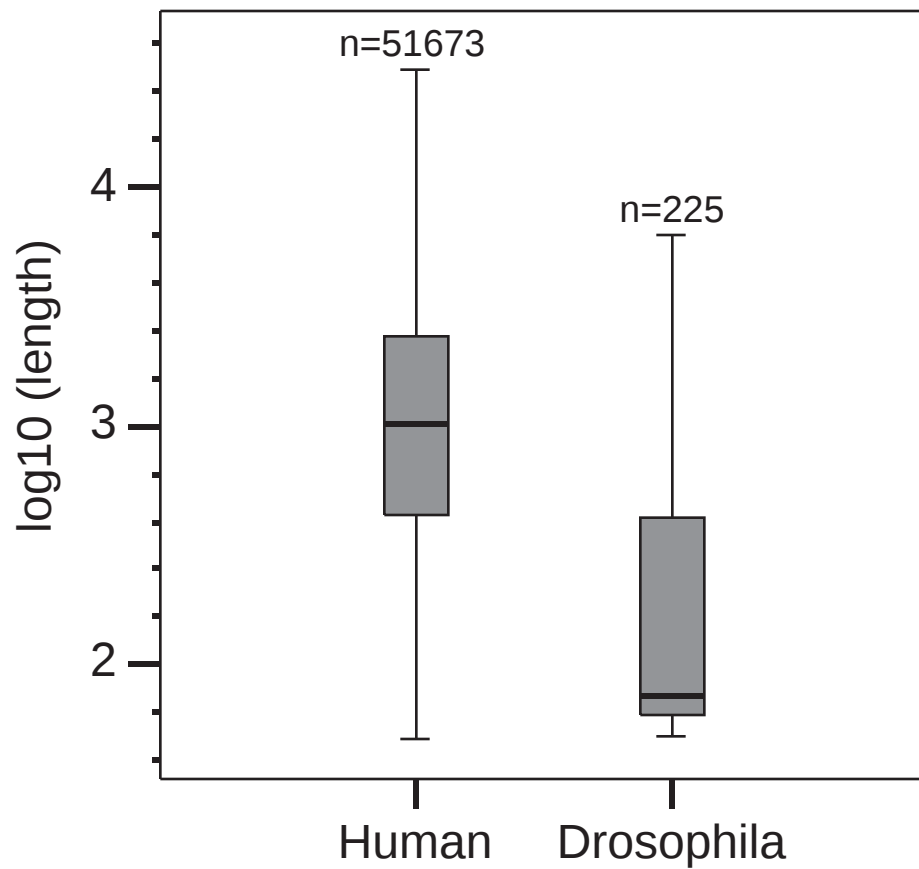




Additional data file 3. Comparative distribution of intron length between human and drosophila. The human data correspond to the present analysis, drosophila data are those used in Haddrill et al. [8] and were kindly provided by the authors. The bar in the middle of the box represents the median, the box defines the 25% and 75% quartiles, and the whiskers determine the upper and lower extremes of the length distribution. Values of length are log10 transformed for clarity.