

# Opening 3D Structure Viewer

The *3D Structure Viewer* is opened automatically when you open a PDB or MMDB file.

For example, [open](#) \$UGENE/data/samples/PDB/1CF7.PDB. The 3D Structure Viewer adds a view to the upper part of the *Sequence View*.



Notice the *Links* button on the toolbar. When you click the button the menu appears with quick links to online resources with detailed information about the molecule opened:

- PDB Wiki
- RSCB PDB
- PDBsum
- NCBI MMDB

Note that if you're online, you can access the Protein Data Bank directly from UGENE and load a required file by its PDB ID (see [Fetching Data from Remote Database](#) for details).

Hint

Don't forget to select the correct database (PDB) while fetching.