Lag3-p.I447T Mouse Model Strategy -CRISPR/Cas9 technology

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Project Overview



Project Name

Lag3-p.I447T

Project type

Cas9-ki(PM)

Strain background

C57BL/6JGpt

Technical Description



- The mouse *Lag3* gene has 2 transcripts.
- According to the structure of *Lag3* gene and requirements of customer, This project produced *Lag3*-p.I447T point mutation on exon7 of the transcript of *Lag3*-201(ENSMUST00000032217.1),The 447th amino acid will be mutated from I to T.
- The mouse *Lag3*-201 transcript contains 8 exons. The translation initiation site ATG is located at exon1, and the translation termination site TGA is located at exon8, encoding 521aa.
- In this project, *Lag3* gene will be modified by CRISPR/Cas9 technology. The brief process is as follows: In vitro, sgRNA and donor vectors were constructed. Cas9, sgRNA and donor were injected into the fertilized eggs of C57BL/6JGpt mice for homologous recombination, and obtained positive F0 mice identified by PCR and sequencing analysis. The stable inheritable positive F1 mice model was obtained by mating F0 mice with C57BL/6JGpt mice.

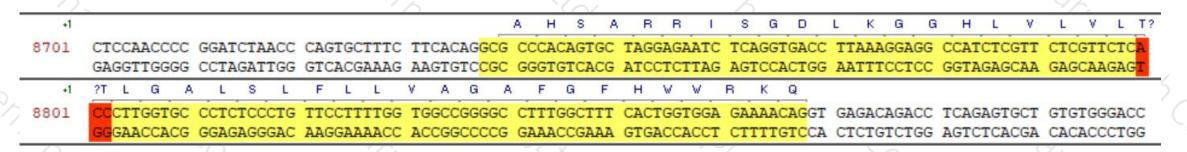
Mutation Site



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After mutation

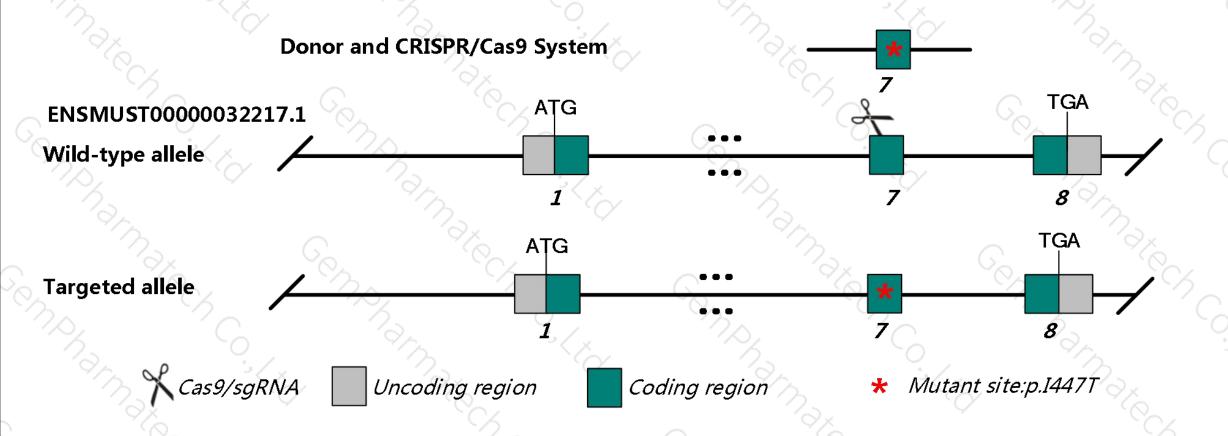


The green region is exon7 of Lag3-201, the red region represents the mutation site (ATC>ACC).

Strategy



This model uses CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Lag3* gene and the schematic diagram is as follow:



Notice



- According to the data of MGI, Mice homozygous for disruptions in this gene have a generally normal phenotype but do display reduced natural killer cell activity and increased T cell response to infection.
- > One or Two synonymous mutations of amino acids will be intronduced on exon7 of *Lag3*.
- Mouse *Lag3* gene is located on Chr6. Please take the loci in consideration when breeding this mutation mice with other gene modified strains, if the other gene is also on Chr6, it may be extremely hard to get double gene positive homozygotes.

The scheme is designed according to the genetic information in the existing database. Due to the complex process of gene transcription and translation, it cannot be predicted completely at the present technology level.

Gene name and location (NCBI)



Lag3 lymphocyte-activation gene 3 [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 16768, updated on 25-Sep-2020

Summary

Official Symbol Lag3 provided by MGI

Official Full Name lymphocyte-activation gene 3 provided by MGI

Primary source MGI:MGI:106588

See related Ensembl: ENSMUSG00000030124

Gene type protein coding
RefSeq status VALIDATED
Organism Mus musculus

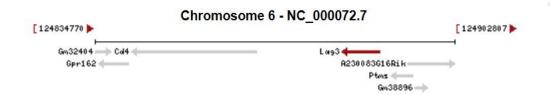
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Myomorpha; Muroidea; Muridae; Murinae; Mus; Mus

Also known as LAG; Ly6; Ly66; CD223; LAG-3

Expression Broad expression in thymus adult (RPKM 7.2), spleen adult (RPKM 4.9) and 19 other tissues See more

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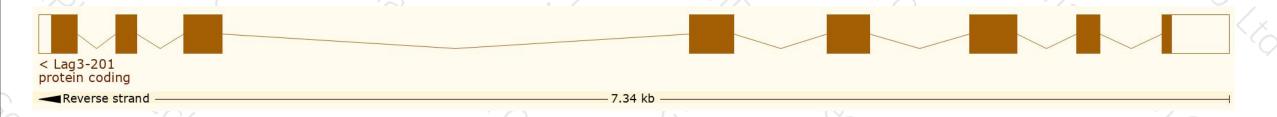
Transcript information (Ensembl)



The gene has 2 transcripts, and all transcripts are shown below:

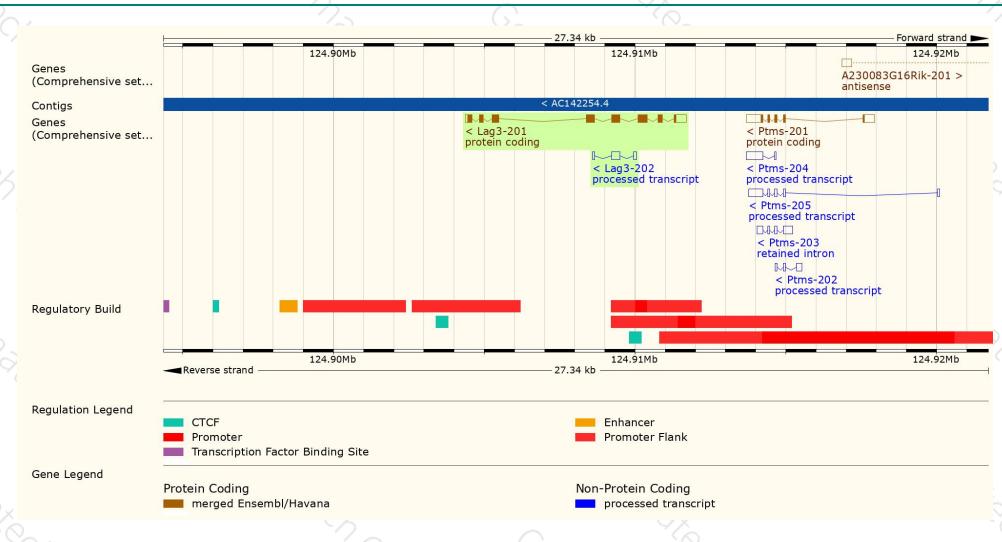
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Lag3-201	ENSMUST00000032217.1	2001	<u>521aa</u>	Protein coding	CCDS20536&	Q61790 &	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Lag3-202	ENSMUST00000139571.1	426	No protein	Processed transcript	-	S-1	TSL:3

The strategy is based on the design of *Lag3*-201 transcript, the transcription is shown below:



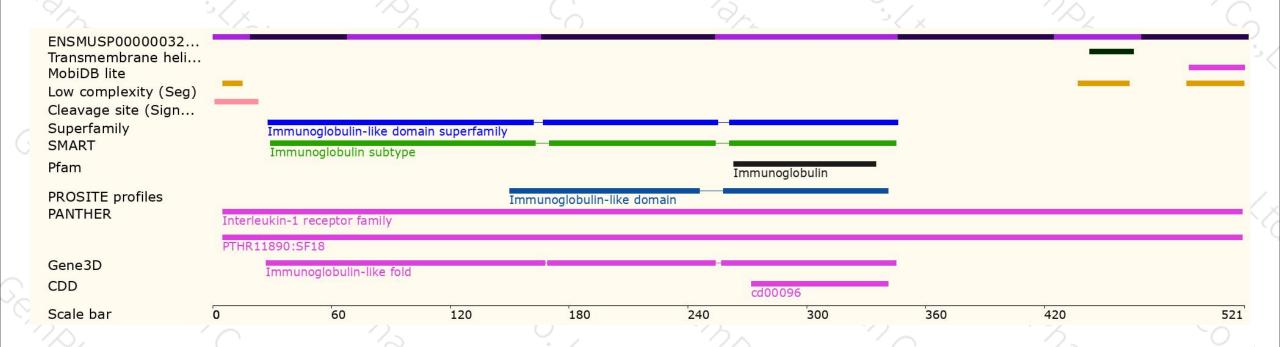
Genomic location distribution





Protein domain



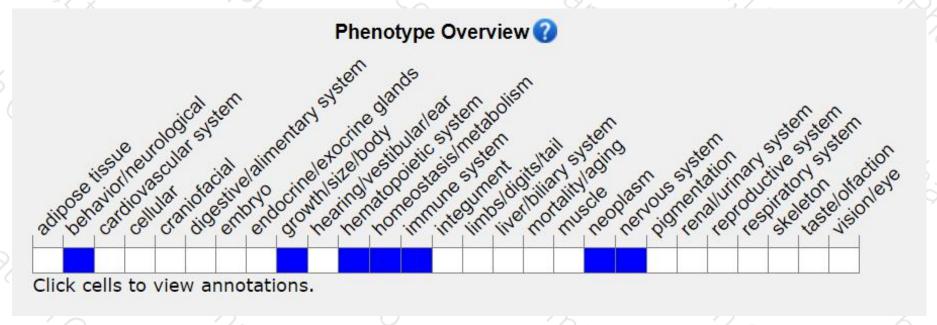


Mouse phenotype description(MGI)



URL link is as follows:

http://www.informatics.jax.org/marker/MGI:106588



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If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us. Tel: 025-5864 1534





