

# *Hp* Cas9-CKO Strategy

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# Project Overview

**Project Name**

*Hp*

**Project type**

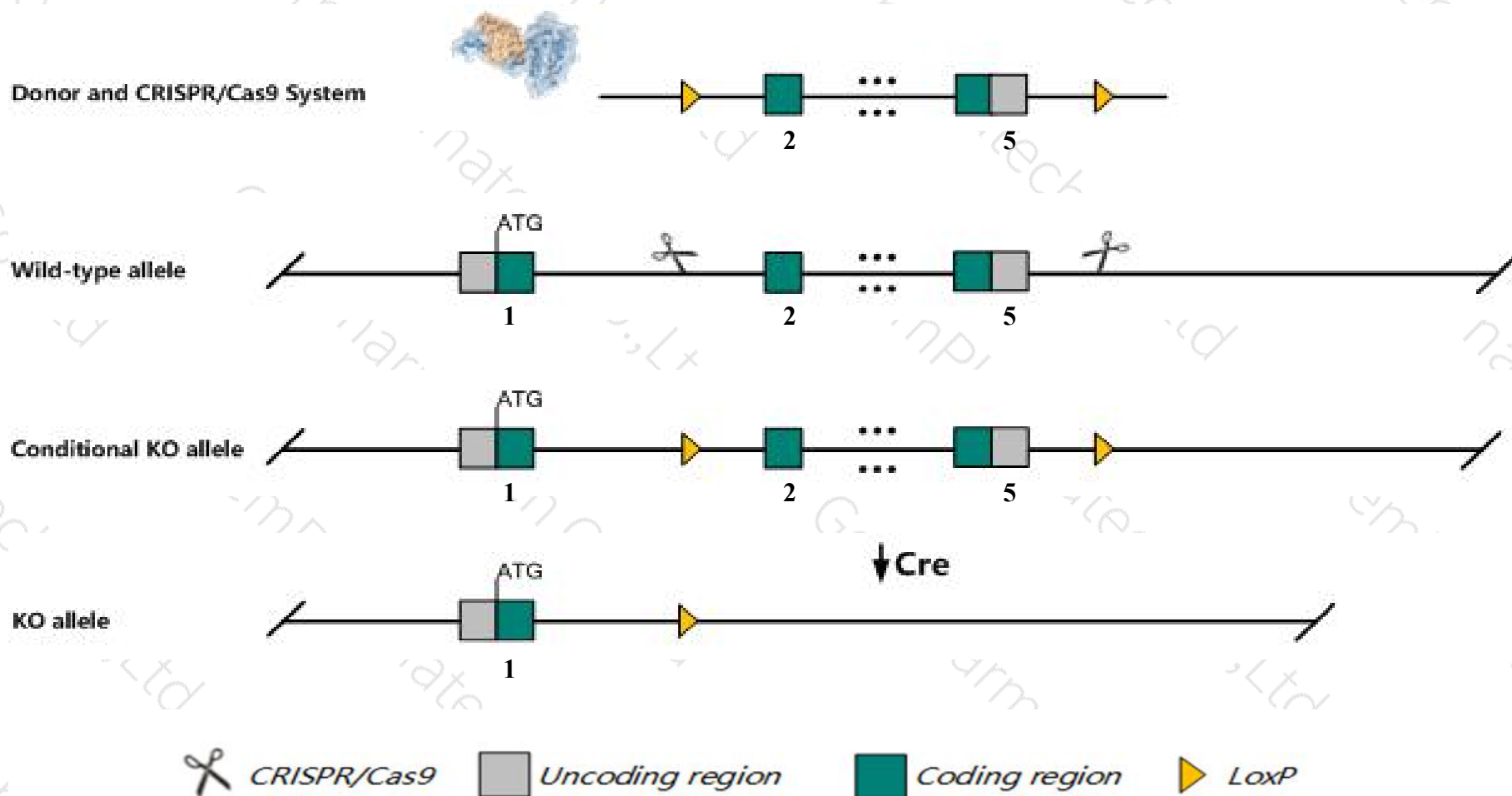
**Cas9-CKO**

**Strain background**

**C57BL/6JGpt**

# Conditional Knockout strategy

This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Hp* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



# Technical routes

- The *Hp* gene has 3 transcripts. According to the structure of *Hp* gene, exon2-exon5 of *Hp-201* (ENSMUST00000074898.7) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains 1039bp coding sequence. Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Hp* gene. The brief process is as follows: CRISPR/Cas9 system and Donor were microinjected into the fertilized eggs of C57BL/6JGpt mice. Fertilized eggs were transplanted to obtain positive F0 mice which were confirmed by PCR and sequencing. A stable F1 generation mouse model was obtained by mating positive F0 generation mice with C57BL/6JGpt mice.
- The flox mice will be knocked out after mating with mice expressing Cre recombinase, resulting in the loss of function of the target gene in specific tissues and cell types.

- According to the existing MGI data, Homozygotes for a null allele exhibit partial postnatal lethality, susceptibility to induced acute hemolysis, and altered renal iron loading during aging and after ischemic injury. Homozygotes for a knock-in allele show reduced cholesterol efflux and enhanced nephropathy in STZ-induced diabetes.
- The *Hp* gene is located on the Chr8. If the knockout mice are crossed with other mice strains to obtain double gene positive homozygous mouse offspring, please avoid the two genes on the same chromosome.
- This Strategy is designed based on genetic information in existing databases. Due to the complexity of biological processes, all risk of loxp insertion on gene transcription, RNA splicing and protein translation cannot be predicted at existing technological level.



# Gene information (NCBI)

## Hp haptoglobin [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 15439, updated on 19-Mar-2019

### Summary



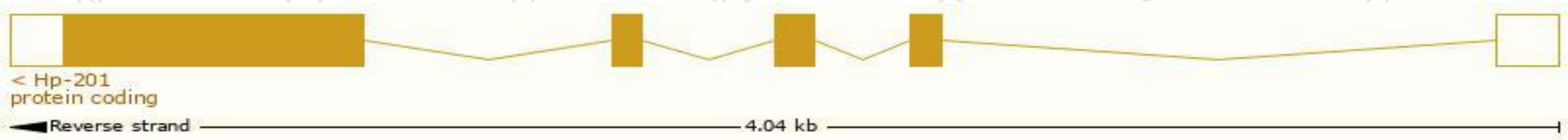
<b>Official Symbol</b>	Hp provided by <a href="#">MGI</a>
<b>Official Full Name</b>	haptoglobin provided by <a href="#">MGI</a>
<b>Primary source</b>	<a href="#">MGI:MGI:96211</a>
<b>See related</b>	<a href="#">Ensembl:ENSMUSG000000031722</a>
<b>Gene type</b>	protein coding
<b>RefSeq status</b>	REVIEWED
<b>Organism</b>	<a href="#">Mus musculus</a>
<b>Lineage</b>	Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Glires; Rodentia; Myomorpha; Muroidea; Muridae; Murinae; Mus; Mus
<b>Also known as</b>	HP-1, preHP2
<b>Summary</b>	This gene encodes a plasma glycoprotein called haptoglobin that binds free hemoglobin. The encoded preproprotein undergoes proteolytic processing to generate alpha and beta subunits that form a disulfide-linked tetrameric protein that plays an important role in the sequestration and clearance of extracorporeal hemoglobin. Mice lacking the encoded protein exhibit stunted development of lymphoid organs associated with lower counts of mature T and B cells in the blood and secondary lymphoid compartments. [provided by RefSeq, Aug 2016]
<b>Expression</b>	Biased expression in liver adult (RPKM 929.2), liver E18 (RPKM 861.9) and 6 other tissues <a href="#">See more</a>
<b>Orthologs</b>	<a href="#">human</a> <a href="#">all</a>

# Transcript information (Ensembl)

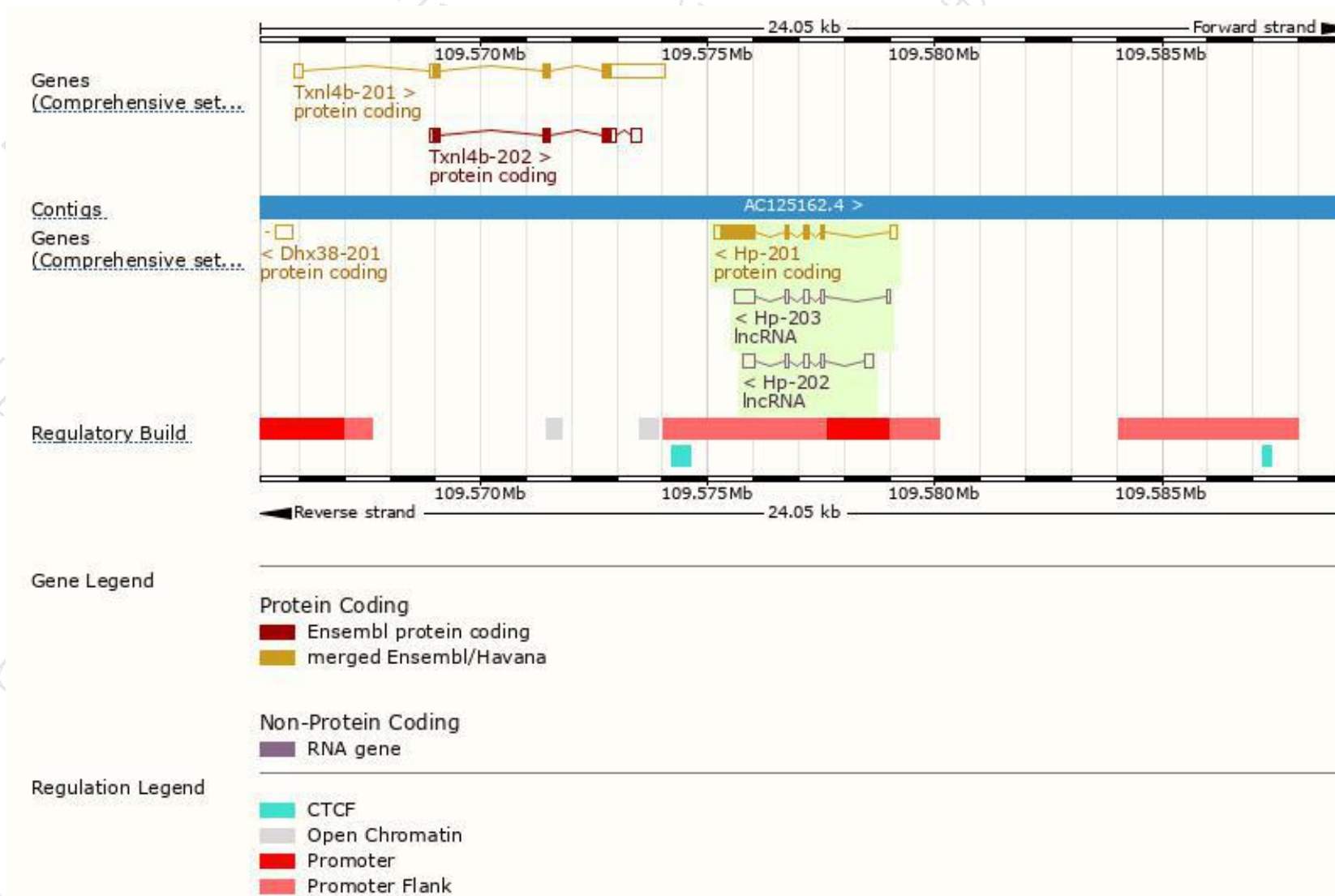
The gene has 3 transcripts,all transcripts are shown below:

Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Hp-201	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000074898.7</a>	1345	<a href="#">347aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS40470</a>	<a href="#">Q3UBS3</a> <a href="#">Q61646</a>	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Hp-203	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000212918.1</a>	801	No protein	lncRNA	-	-	TSL:3
Hp-202	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000212018.1</a>	749	No protein	lncRNA	-	-	TSL:3

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

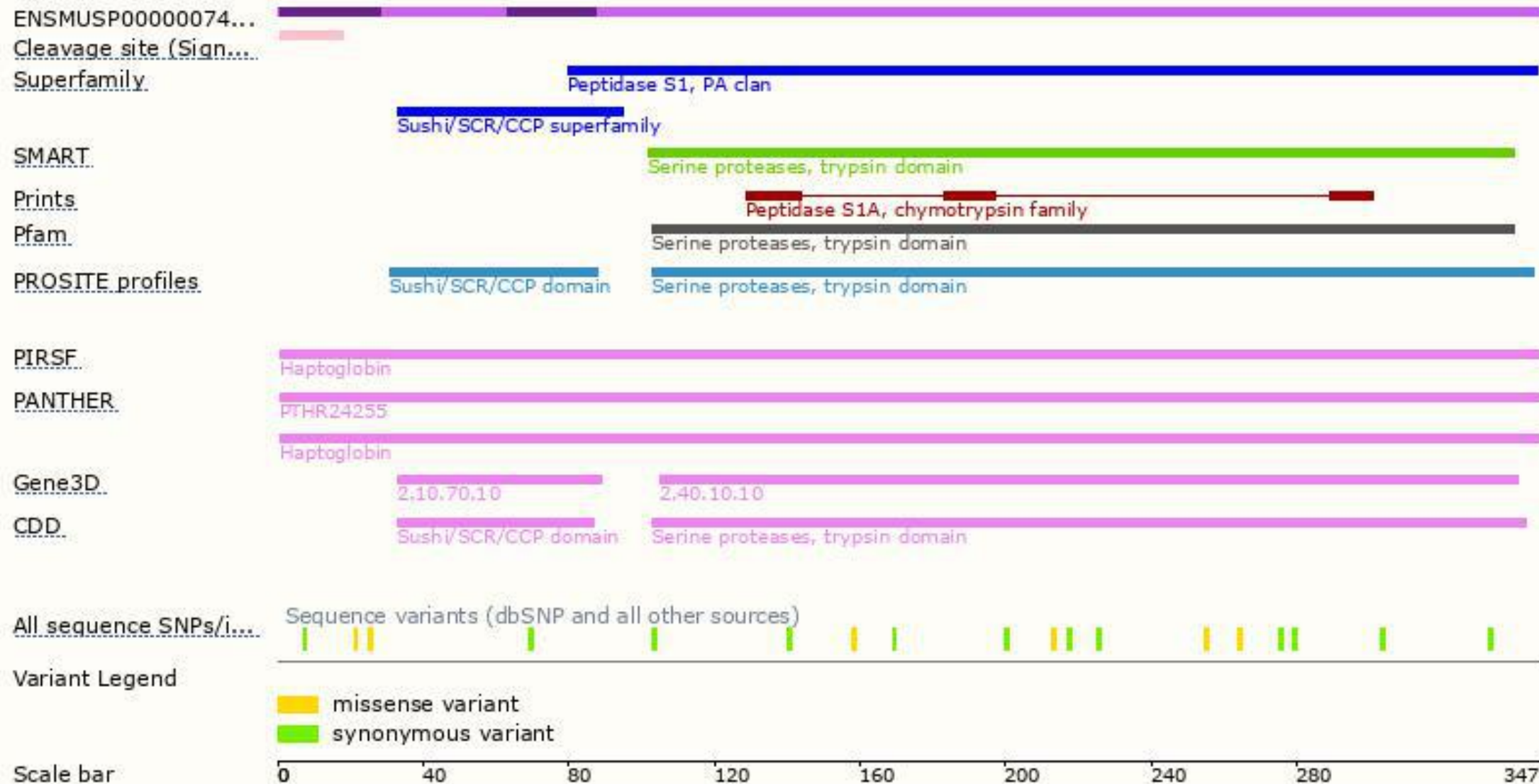


# Genomic location distribution

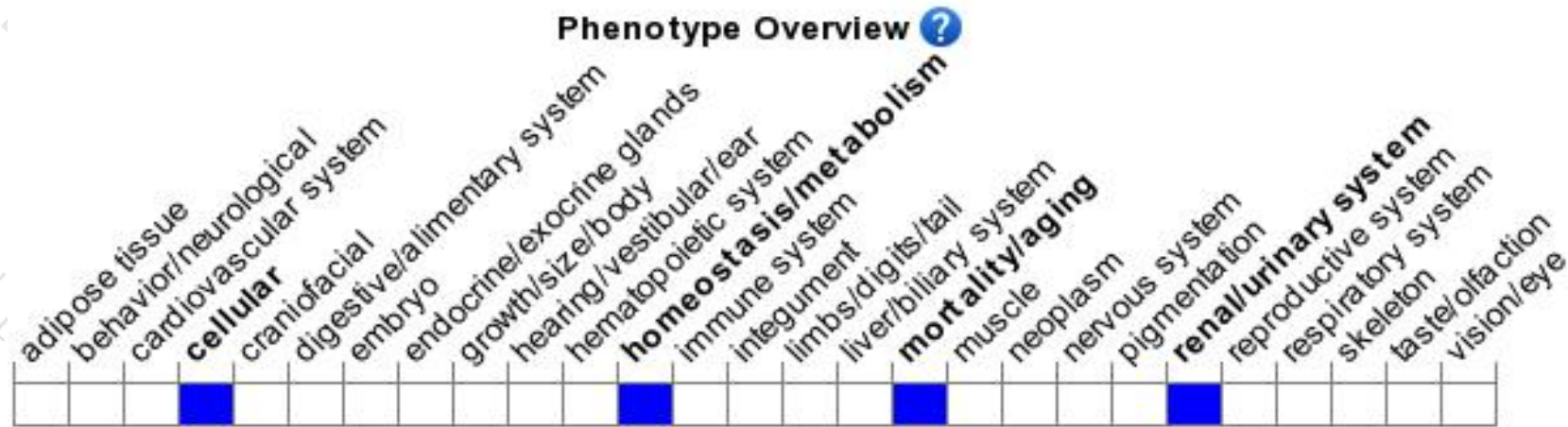




# Protein domain



# Mouse phenotype description(MGI)



*Phenotypes affected by the gene are marked in blue. Data quoted from MGI database(<http://www.informatics.jax.org/>).*

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