

# Efhd2 Cas9-CKO Strategy

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## **Project Overview**



Project Name Efhd2

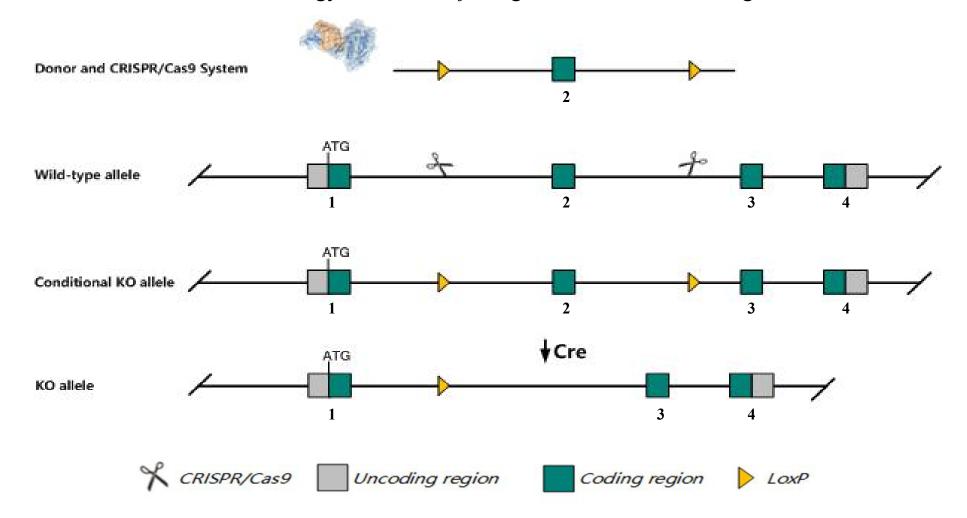
Project type Cas9-CKO

Strain background C57BL/6J

## Conditional Knockout strategy



This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Efhd2* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



### **Technical routes**



The *Efhd2* gene has 1 transcript. According to the structure of *Efhd2* gene, exon2 of *Efhd2-201* (ENSMUST00000036854.3) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains 148bp coding sequence. Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.

In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Efhd2* gene. The brief process is as follows:CRISPR/Cas9 system and Donor were microinjected into the fertilized eggs of C57BL/6J 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/6J 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.





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The *Efhd2* gene is located on the Chr4. 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



#### Efhd2 EF hand domain containing 2 [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 27984, updated on 31-Jan-2019

#### Summary

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Official Symbol Efhd2 provided by MGI

Official Full Name EF hand domain containing 2 provided by MGI

Primary source MGI:MGI:106504

See related Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000040659

Gene type protein coding
RefSeq status PROVISIONAL
Organism Mus musculus

Lineage Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Glires; Rodentia; Myomorpha;

Muroidea; Muridae; Murinae; Mus; Mus

Also known as 2600015J22Rik, AA408606, D4Wsu27e

Expression Ubiquitous expression in duodenum adult (RPKM 142.8), small intestine adult (RPKM 133.3) and 28 other tissuesSee more

Orthologs <u>human</u> all

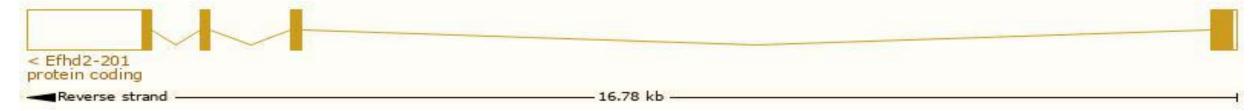
## Transcript information Ensembl



The gene has 1 transcript, and the transcript is shown below:

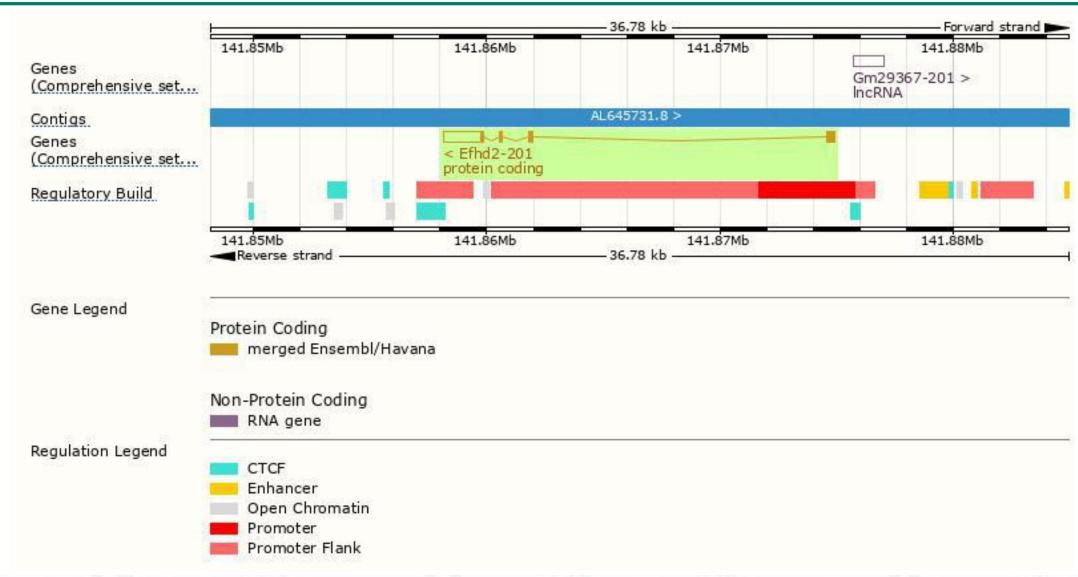
Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Efhd2-201	ENSMUST00000036854.3	2381	240aa	Protein coding	CCDS18885	Q8C845	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1

The strategy is based on the design of *Efhd2-201* transcript, The transcription is shown below



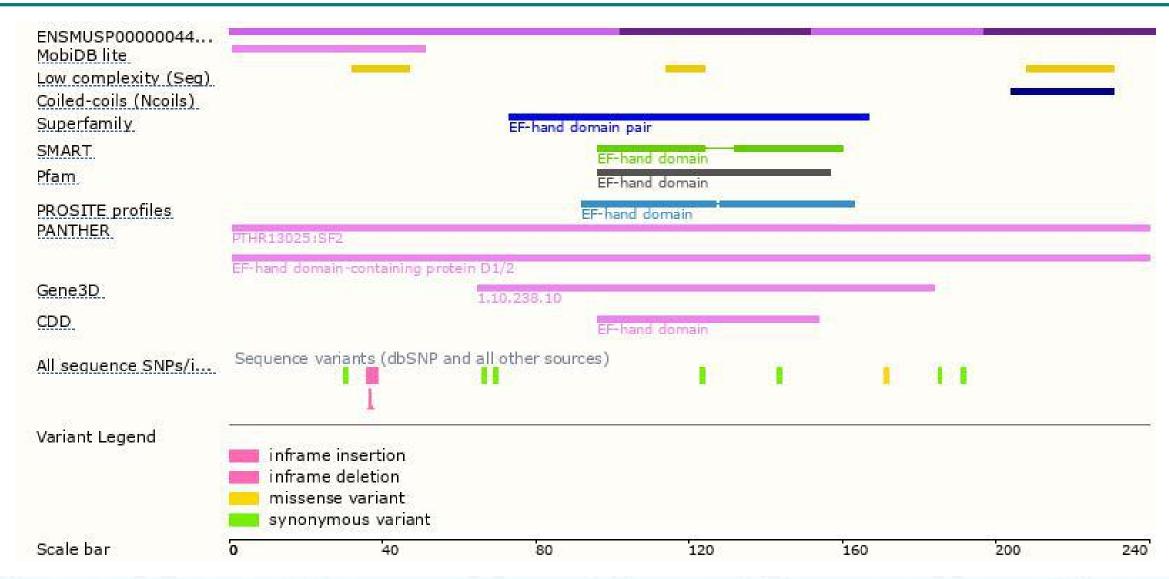
### Genomic location distribution





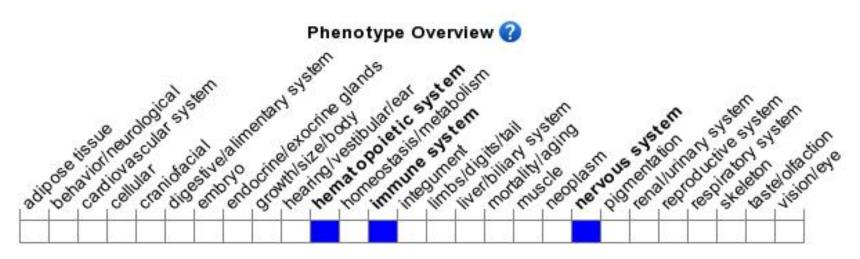
### Protein domain





## 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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