

***Ebi3* Cas9-KO Strategy**

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Project Overview

Project Name

Ebi3

Project type

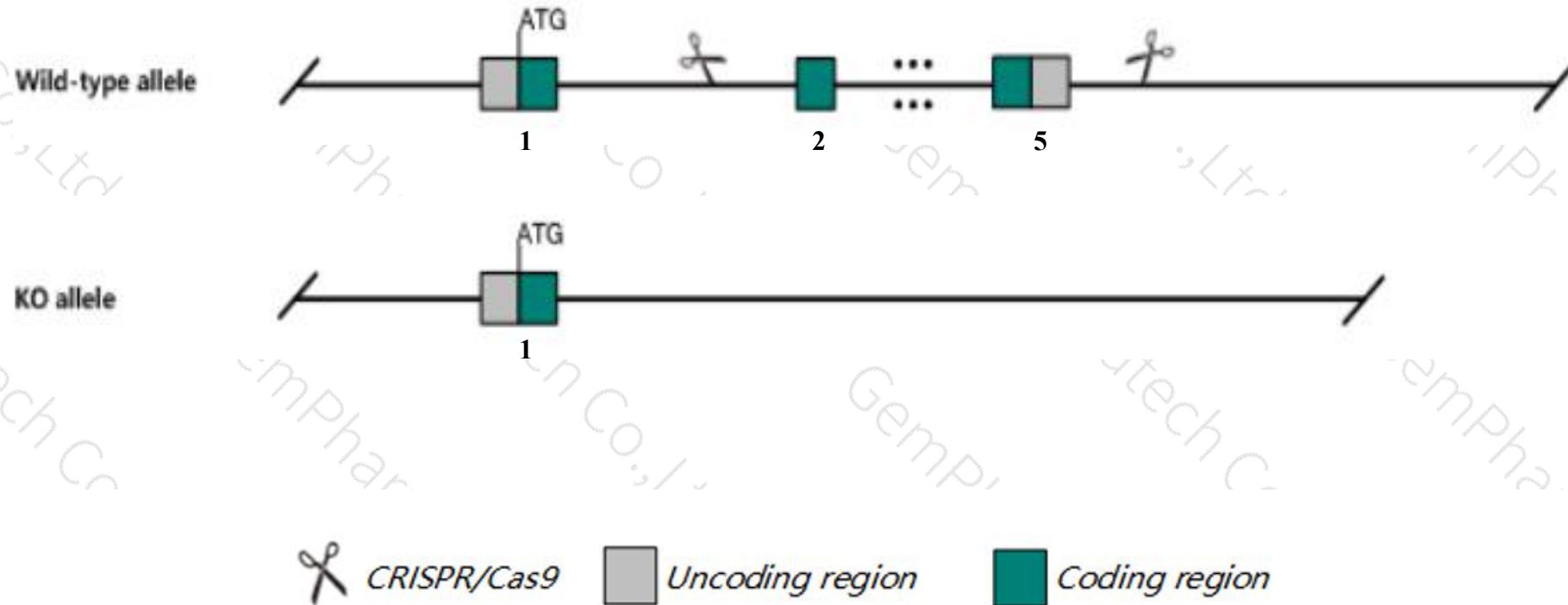
Cas9-KO

Strain background

C57BL/6JGpt

Knockout strategy

This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Ebi3* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



- The *Ebi3* gene has 1 transcript. According to the structure of *Ebi3* gene, exon2-exon5 of *Ebi3*-201(ENSMUST00000003274.7) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains 620bp coding sequence. Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Ebi3* gene. The brief process is as follows: CRISPR/Cas9 system 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.

- According to the existing MGI data, mice homozygous for a knock-out allele exhibit significantly reduced numbers of invariant natural killer (NK) T cells, show impaired Th2 responses, are resistant to the induction of oxazolone-induced colitis, and display impaired early Th1 immunity against Leishmania parasitic infections.
- The floxed region is near to the N-terminal of *Yju2* gene, this strategy may influence the regulatory function of the N-terminal of *Yju2* gene.
- The *Ebi3* gene is located on the Chr17. 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 the gene knockout on gene transcription, RNA splicing and protein translation cannot be predicted at the existing technology level.

Gene information (NCBI)

Ebi3 Epstein-Barr virus induced gene 3 [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 50498, updated on 13-Mar-2020

Summary



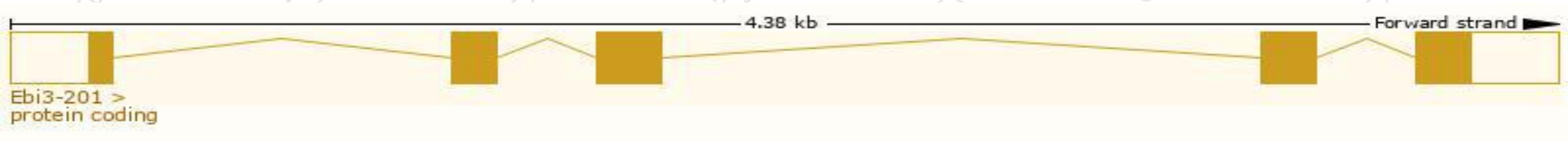
Official Symbol	Ebi3 provided by MGI
Official Full Name	Epstein-Barr virus induced gene 3 provided by MGI
Primary source	MGI:MGI:1354171
See related	Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000003206
Gene type	protein coding
RefSeq status	VALIDATED
Organism	Mus musculus
Lineage	Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Glires; Rodentia; Myomorpha; Muroidea; Muridae; Murinae; Mus; Mus
Also known as	EBI-3, IL-27
Expression	Broad expression in spleen adult (RPKM 18.1), mammary gland adult (RPKM 10.2) and 21 other tissues See more
Orthologs	human all

Transcript information (Ensembl)

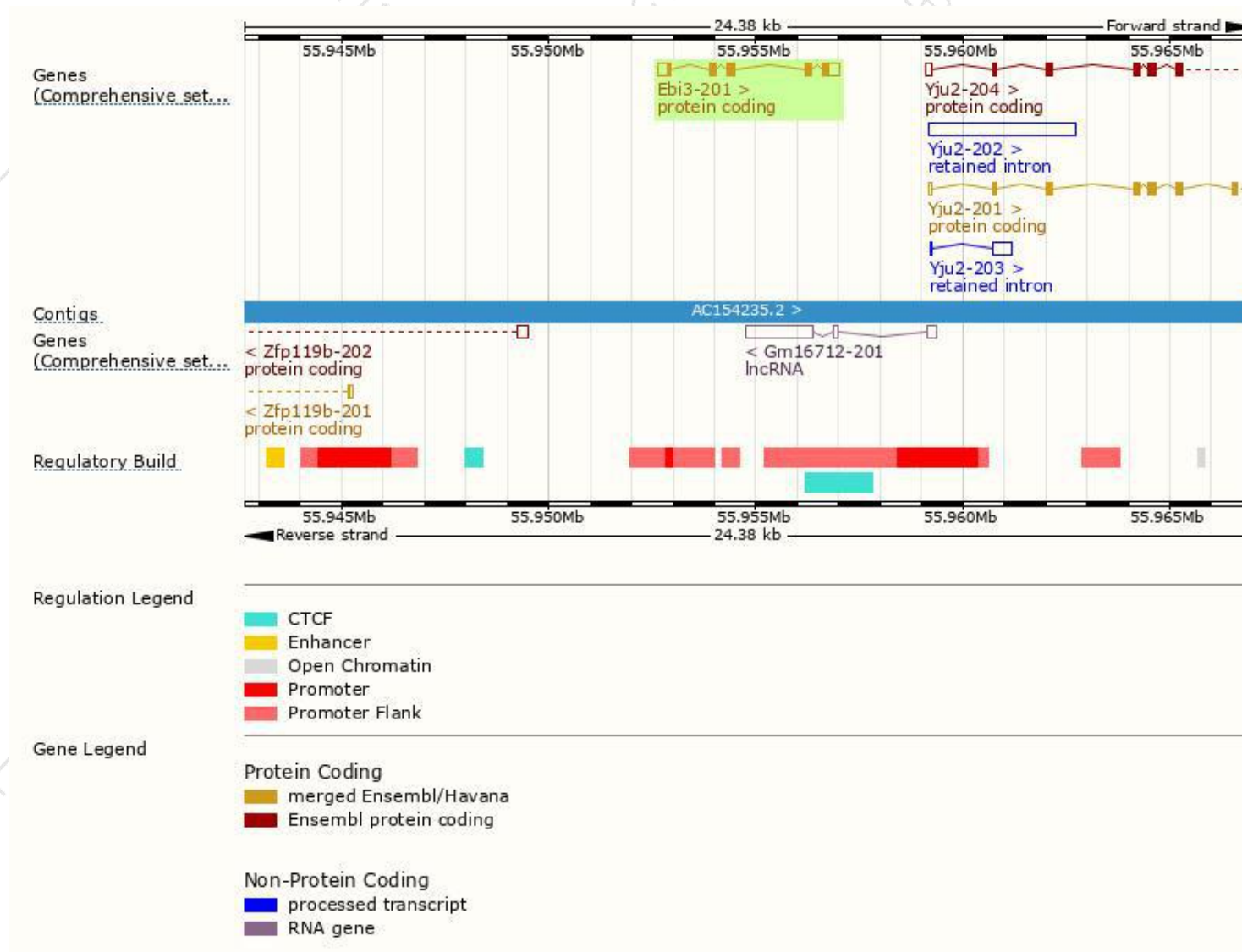
The gene has 1 transcript, and the transcript is shown below:

Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Ebi3-201	ENSMUST00000003274.7	1154	228aa	Protein coding	CCDS28888	Q35228 Q3U1K3	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1

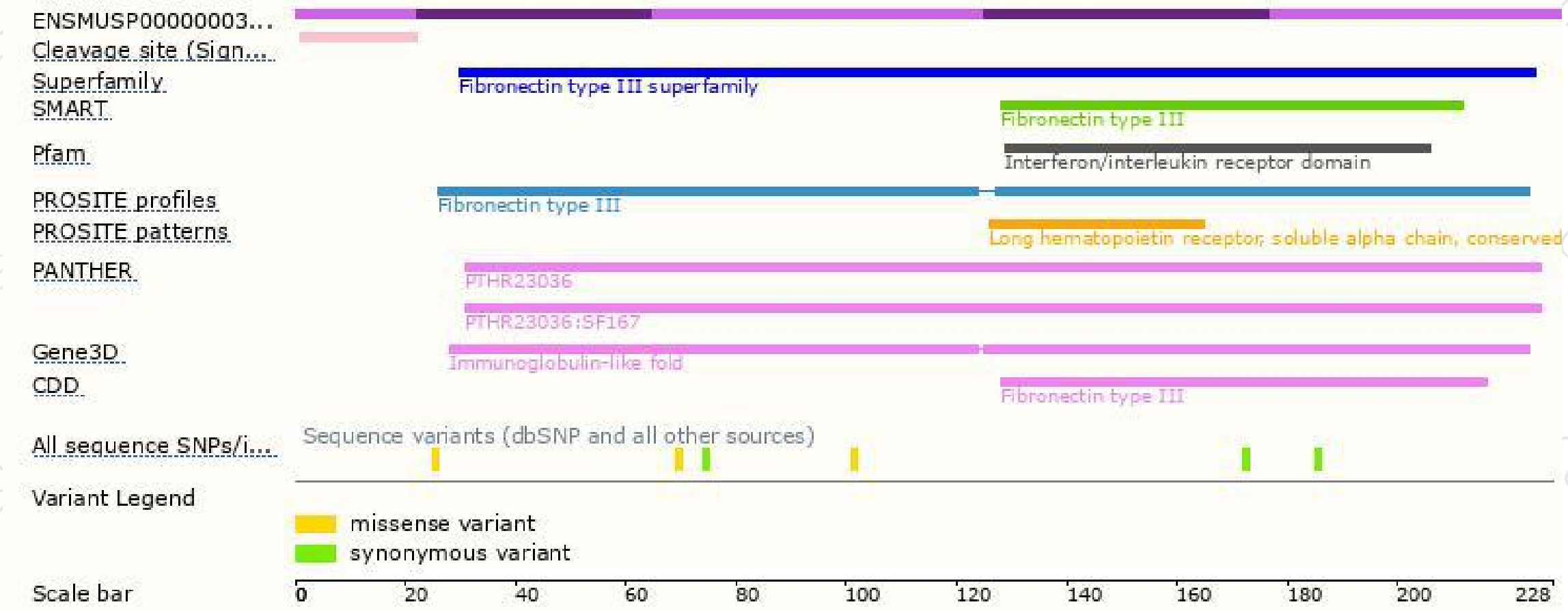
The strategy is based on the design of *Ebi3-201* transcript, the transcription is shown below:



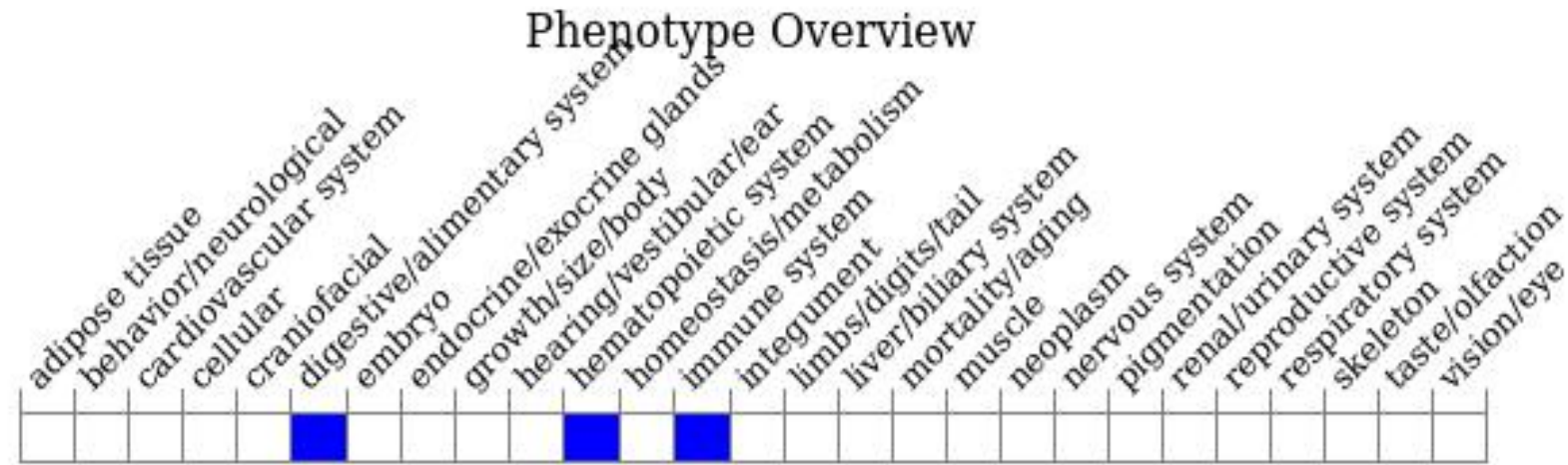
Genomic location distribution



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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If you have any questions, you are welcome to inquire.

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