

# *Opri1* Cas9-KO Strategy

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# Project Overview

**Project Name**

*Opri1*

**Project type**

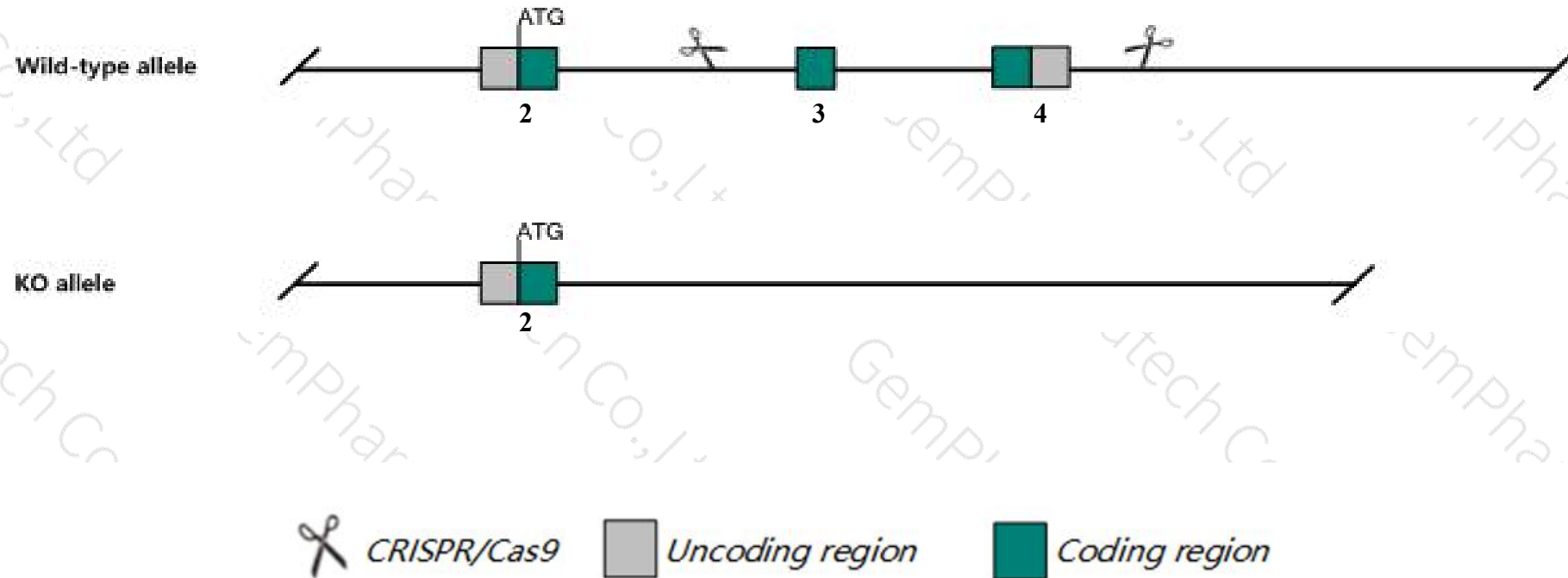
**Cas9-KO**

**Strain background**

**C57BL/6JGpt**

# Knockout strategy

This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Opr11* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



- The *Oprl1* gene has 11 transcripts. According to the structure of *Oprl1* gene, exon3-exon4 of *Oprl1-201* (ENSMUST00000071585.9) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains most of coding sequence. Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Oprl1* gene. The brief process is as follows: gRNA was transcribed in vitro. Cas9 and gRNA 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 null allele exhibit altered touch/nociception, facilitation of long-term potentiation and memory, increased dopamine release upon administration of opioid peptide agonist, impaired behavioral response to morphine, and increased susceptibility to noise-induced hearing loss.
- The *Oprl1* gene is located on the Chr2. 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)

## Oprl1 opioid receptor-like 1 [ *Mus musculus* (house mouse) ]

Gene ID: 18389, updated on 13-Aug-2019

### Summary



**Official Symbol** Oprl1 provided by [MGI](#)

**Official Full Name** opioid receptor-like 1 provided by [MGI](#)

**Primary source** [MGI:MGI:97440](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000027584](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Mus musculus](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Glires; Rodentia; Myomorpha; Muroidea; Muridae; Murinae; Mus; Mus

**Also known as** NOP; KOR3; ORGC; ORL1; Oprl; XOR1; morc; KOR-3; LC132; MOR-C

**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene is a member of the 7 transmembrane-spanning G protein-coupled receptor family, and functions as a receptor for the endogenous, opioid-related neuropeptide, nociceptin/orphanin FQ. This receptor-ligand system modulates a variety of biological functions and neurobehavior, including stress responses and anxiety behavior, learning and memory, locomotor activity, and inflammatory and immune responses. Alternatively spliced transcript variants have been described for this gene. A recent study provided evidence for translational readthrough in this gene, and expression of an additional C-terminally extended isoform via the use of an alternative in-frame translation termination codon. [provided by RefSeq, Dec 2017]

**Expression** Biased expression in whole brain E14.5 (RPKM 16.2), CNS E18 (RPKM 14.7) and 6 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [human](#) [all](#)

# Transcript information (Ensembl)

The gene has 11 transcripts,all transcripts are shown below:

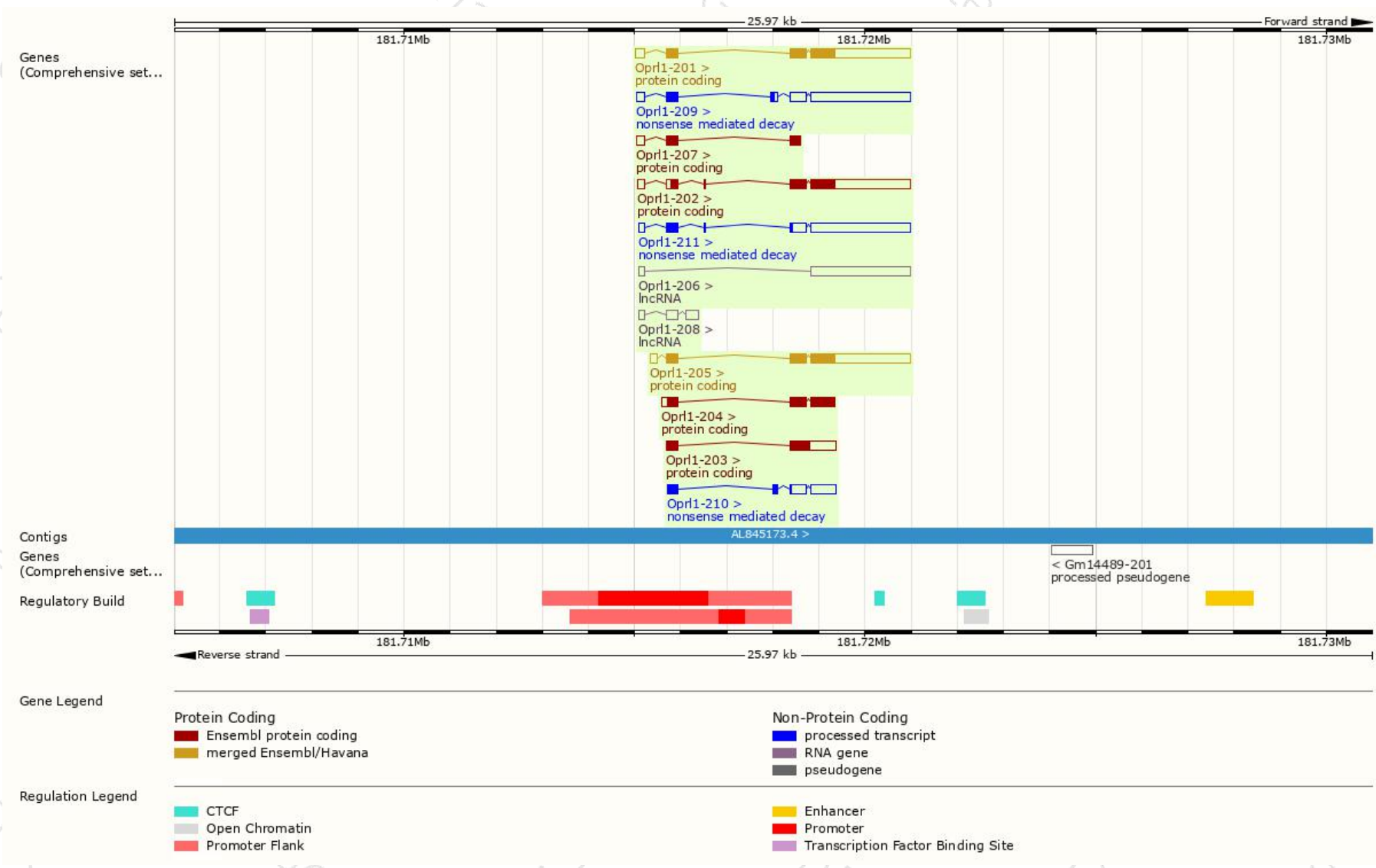
Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
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Oprl1-202	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000108763.7</a>	2971	<a href="#">353aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS84606</a>	<a href="#">B0R0C0</a>	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS ALT2
Oprl1-203	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000108766.1</a>	1241	<a href="#">213aa</a>	Protein coding	-	<a href="#">P35377</a>	TSL:1 GENCODE basic
Oprl1-204	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000108767.1</a>	1248	<a href="#">367aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS17222</a>	<a href="#">P35377</a> <a href="#">Q542U1</a>	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P3
Oprl1-205	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000108768.7</a>	2914	<a href="#">367aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS17222</a>	<a href="#">P35377</a> <a href="#">Q542U1</a>	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P3
Oprl1-206	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000126835.1</a>	2297	No protein	lncRNA	-	-	TSL:1
Oprl1-207	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000148334.7</a>	640	<a href="#">141aa</a>	Protein coding	-	<a href="#">B0R0B7</a>	CDS 3' incomplete TSL:3
Oprl1-208	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000151241.1</a>	647	No protein	lncRNA	-	-	TSL:5
Oprl1-209	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000183693.7</a>	3102	<a href="#">95aa</a>	Nonsense mediated decay	-	<a href="#">P35377</a>	TSL:1
Oprl1-210	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000184127.1</a>	1257	<a href="#">111aa</a>	Nonsense mediated decay	-	<a href="#">P35377</a>	TSL:1
Oprl1-211	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000184795.1</a>	2938	<a href="#">94aa</a>	Nonsense mediated decay	-	<a href="#">V9GX47</a>	TSL:1

The strategy is based on the design of *Oprl1-201* transcript,The transcription is shown below



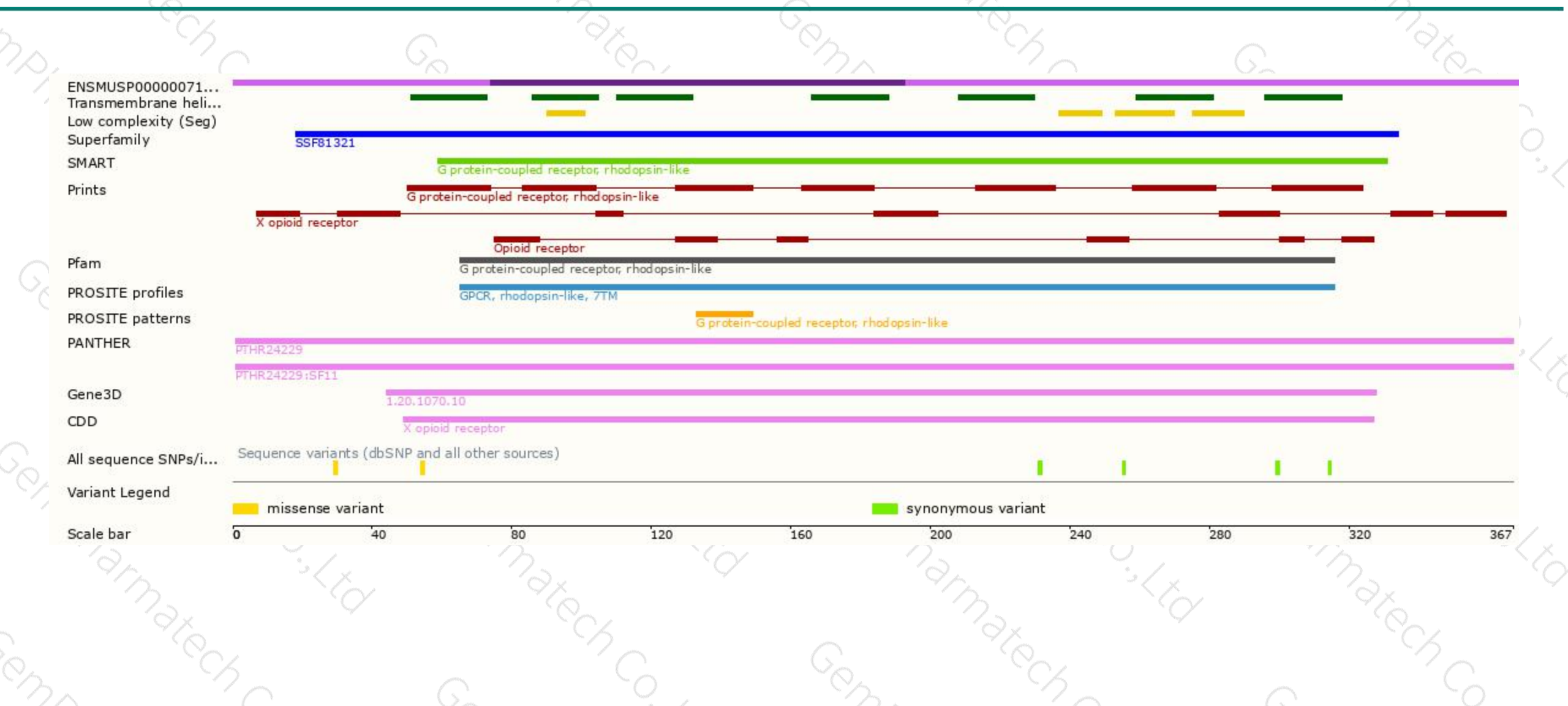


# Genomic location distribution

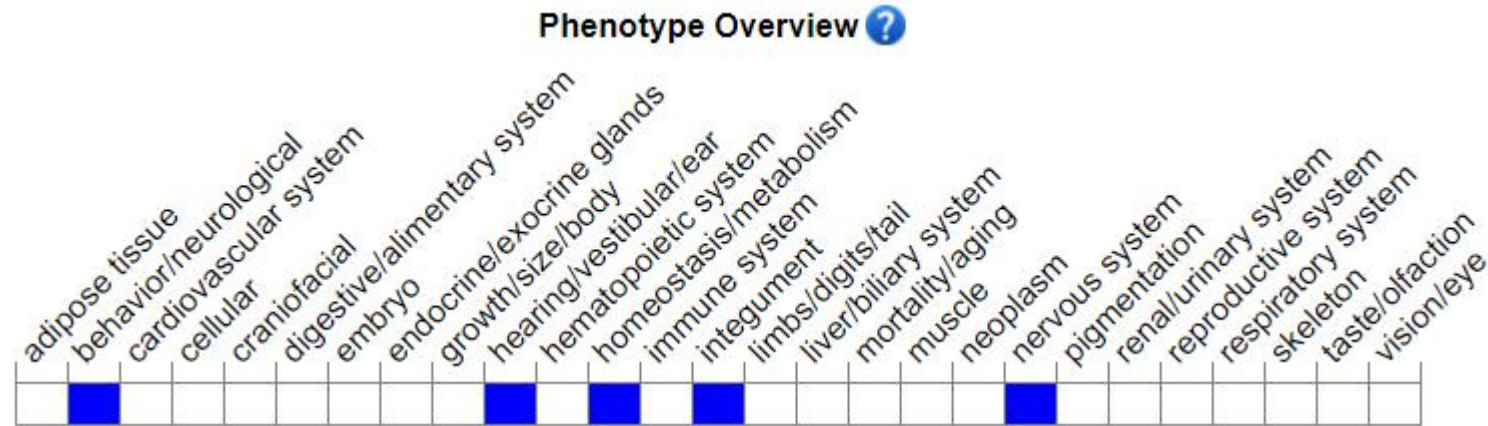




# Protein domain



# 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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