

Mtch2 Cas9-CKO Strategy

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Project Overview

Project Name

Mtch2

Project type

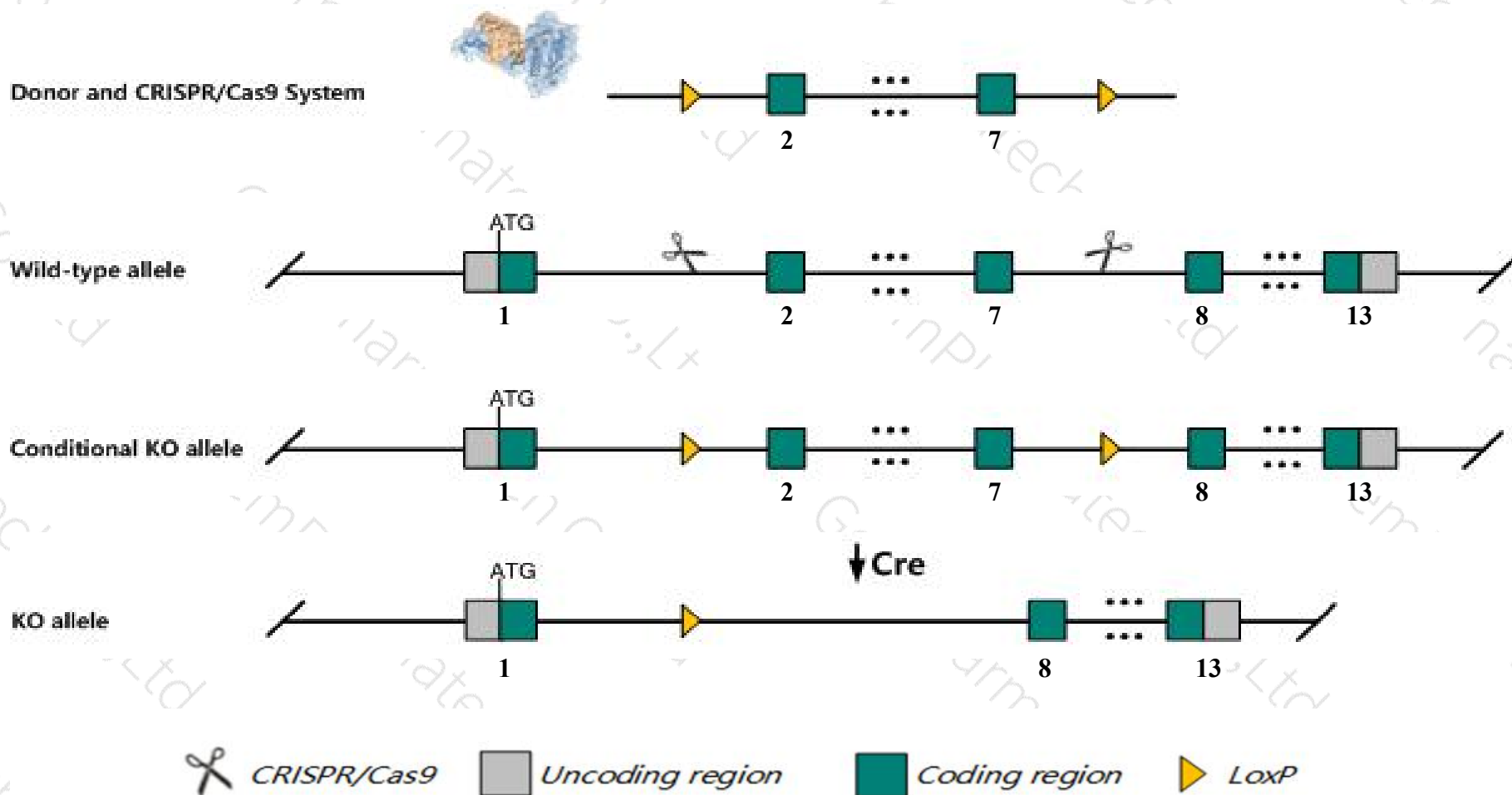
Cas9-CKO

Strain background

C57BL/6JGpt

Conditional Knockout strategy

This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Mtch2* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



Technical routes

- The *Mtch2* gene has 11 transcripts. According to the structure of *Mtch2* gene, exon2-exon7 of *Mtch2*-205 (ENSMUST00000136872.7) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains 392bp coding sequence. Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Mtch2* 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, Mice homozygous for a knock-out allele exhibit abnormal mesoderm development, disorganized extraembryonic tissue, lack of amnion and chorion formation, decreased embryo size, and lethality at around E7.5.
- Non-coding transcripts 204, 206 and 210 may not be affected.
- The *Mtch2* 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 loxp insertion on gene transcription, RNA splicing and protein translation cannot be predicted at existing technological level.

Gene information (NCBI)

Mtch2 mitochondrial carrier 2 [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 56428, updated on 5-Mar-2019

Summary

Official Symbol Mtch2 provided by [MGI](#)

Official Full Name mitochondrial carrier 2 provided by [MGI](#)

Primary source [MGI:MGI:1929260](#)

See related [Ensembl:ENSMUSG000000027282](#)

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 2310034D24Rik, 4930539J07Rik, HSPC032

Summary This gene encodes a member of the SLC25 family of nuclear-encoded transporters that are localized in the inner mitochondrial membrane. Members of this superfamily are involved in many metabolic pathways and cell functions. Genome-wide association studies in human have identified single-nucleotide polymorphisms in several loci associated with obesity. This gene is one such locus, which is highly expressed in white adipose tissue and adipocytes, and thought to play a regulatory role in adipocyte differentiation and biology. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene. A recent study showed this gene to be an authentic stop codon readthrough target that can produce two isoforms from the same mRNA by use of alternative in-frame translation termination codons.
[provided by RefSeq, Dec 2017]

Expression Ubiquitous expression in testis adult (RPKM 96.2), large intestine adult (RPKM 54.2) and 27 other tissues [See more](#)

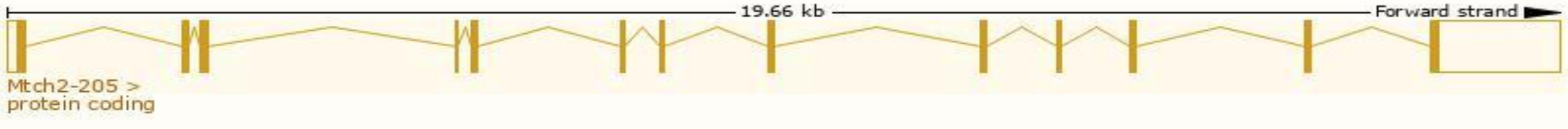
Orthologs [human](#) [all](#)

Transcript information (Ensembl)

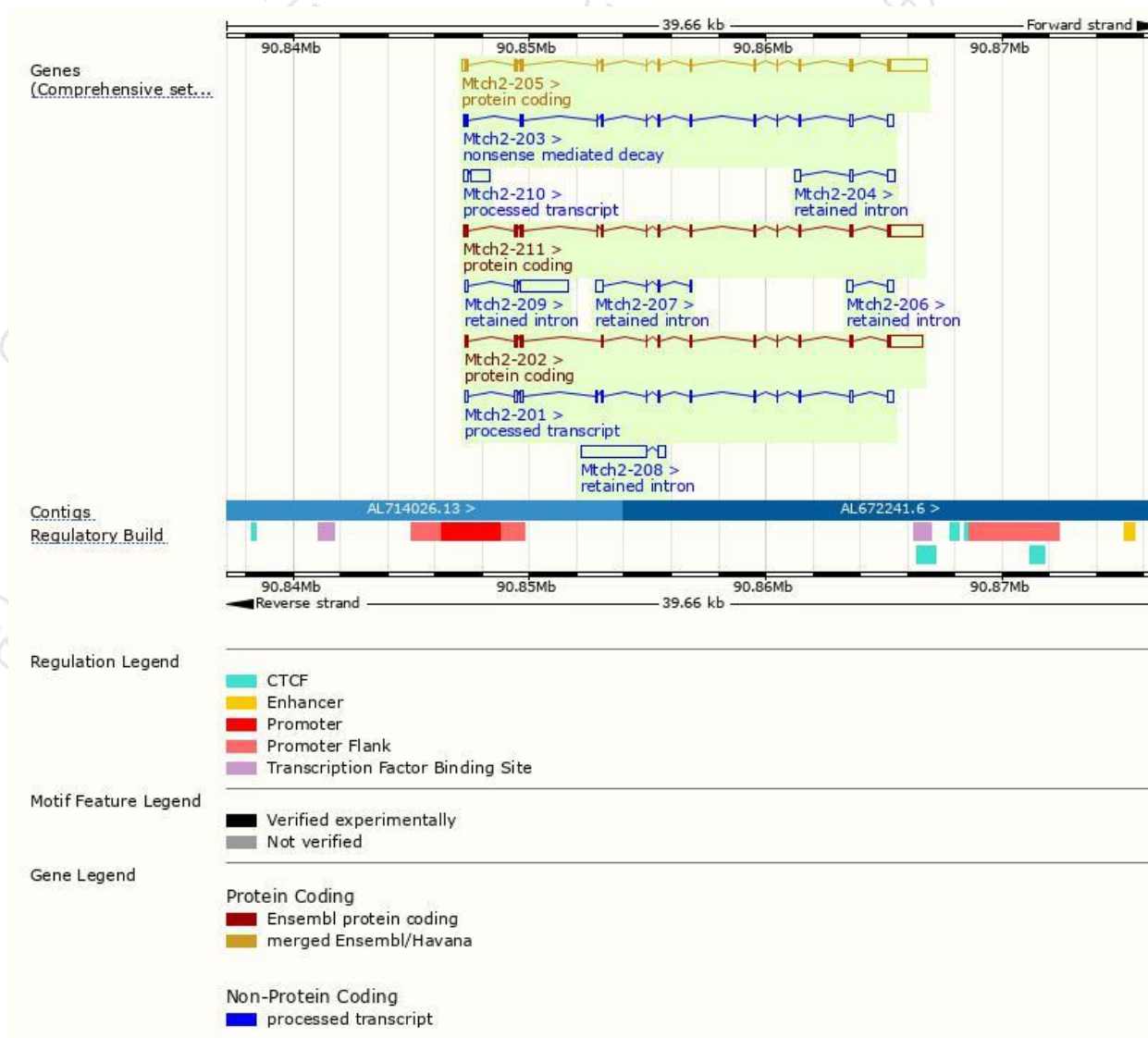
The gene has 11 transcripts,all transcripts are shown below:

Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Mtch2-205	ENSMUST00000136872.7	2596	303aa	Protein coding	CCDS16416	Q791V5	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Mtch2-211	ENSMUST00000150232.7	2377	312aa	Protein coding	CCDS84547	Q9D050	TSL:1 GENCODE basic
Mtch2-202	ENSMUST00000111467.3	2281	294aa	Protein coding	CCDS84548	A2AFW6	TSL:5 GENCODE basic
Mtch2-203	ENSMUST00000111468.9	1066	45aa	Nonsense mediated decay	-	D6RCZ1	TSL:1
Mtch2-201	ENSMUST00000057216.14	1047	No protein	Processed transcript	-	-	TSL:1
Mtch2-210	ENSMUST00000148936.1	998	No protein	Processed transcript	-	-	TSL:1
Mtch2-208	ENSMUST00000144696.1	3103	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:2
Mtch2-209	ENSMUST00000146392.7	2241	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:1
Mtch2-204	ENSMUST00000135026.1	574	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:2
Mtch2-207	ENSMUST00000143773.1	457	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:5
Mtch2-206	ENSMUST00000142350.1	412	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:2

The strategy is based on the design of *Mtch2-205* transcript,The transcription is shown below



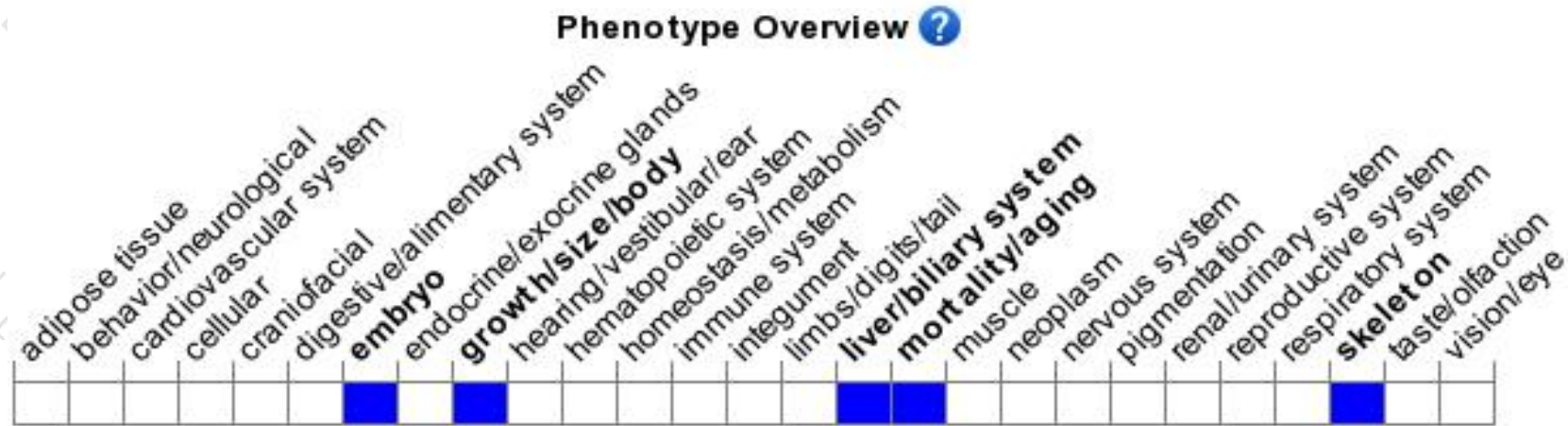
Genomic location distribution



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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