

# *Cenpc1* Cas9-CKO Strategy

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# Project Overview

**Project Name**

*Cenpc1*

**Project type**

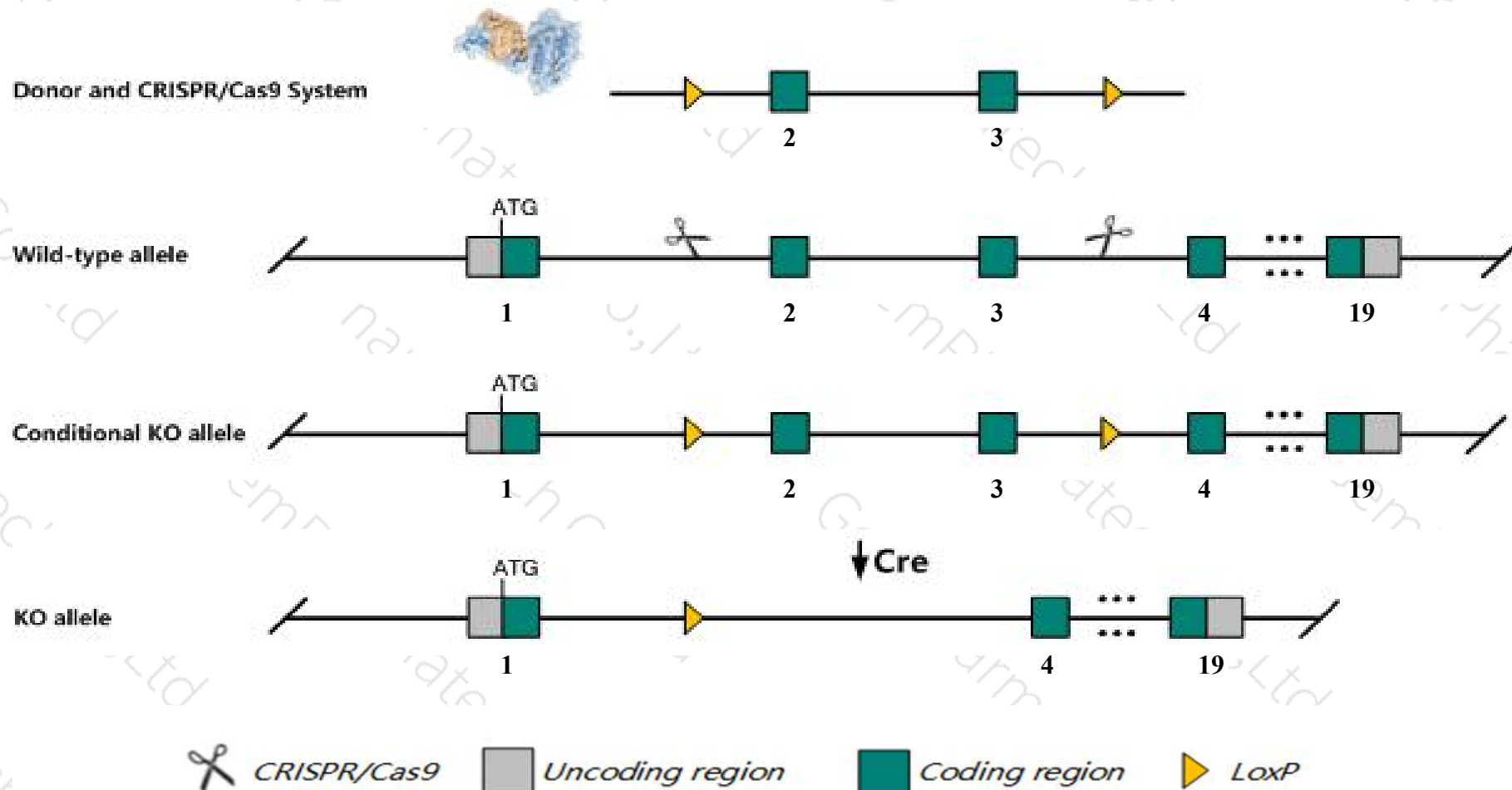
**Cas9-CKO**

**Strain background**

**C57BL/6JGpt**

# Conditional Knockout strategy

This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Cenpc1* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



# Technical routes

- The *Cenpc1* gene has 4 transcripts. According to the structure of *Cenpc1* gene, exon2-exon3 of *Cenpc1-201* (ENSMUST00000031170.9) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains 136bp coding sequence. Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Cenpc1* 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, homozygous mutation of this gene results in early embryonic lethality and mitotic abnormalities.
- The *Cenpc1* gene is located on the Chr5. 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)

## Cenpc1 centromere protein C1 [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 12617, updated on 13-Mar-2020

### Summary

**Official Symbol** Cenpc1 provided by [MGI](#)

**Official Full Name** centromere protein C1 provided by [MGI](#)

**Primary source** [MGI:MGI:99700](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000029253](#)

**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** CENP-C, Cenpc

**Summary** This gene encodes a centromeric protein component of a nucleosome-associated complex that plays a central role in kinetochore protein assembly, mitotic progression and chromosome segregation. The human ortholog encodes a protein with DNA-binding activity, that associates constitutively to kinetochores throughout the cell cycle, as part of a prekinetochore complex, together with centromeric protein-A and centromeric protein-B. Multiple pseudogenes of this gene have been identified. Alternative splicing results in multiple transcript variants. [provided by RefSeq, Sep 2016]

**Expression** Broad expression in CNS E11.5 (RPKM 7.5), CNS E14 (RPKM 5.7) and 24 other tissues [See more](#)

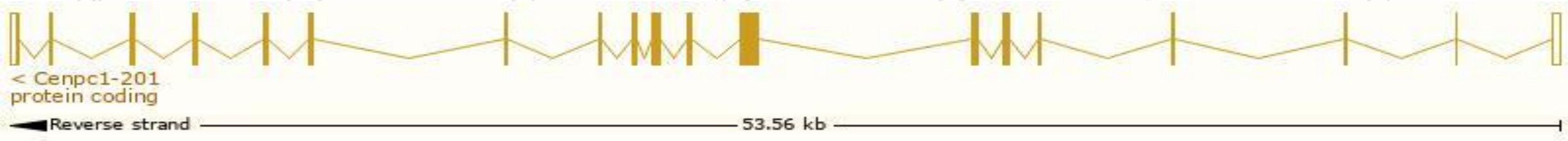
**Orthologs** [human](#) [all](#)

# Transcript information (Ensembl)

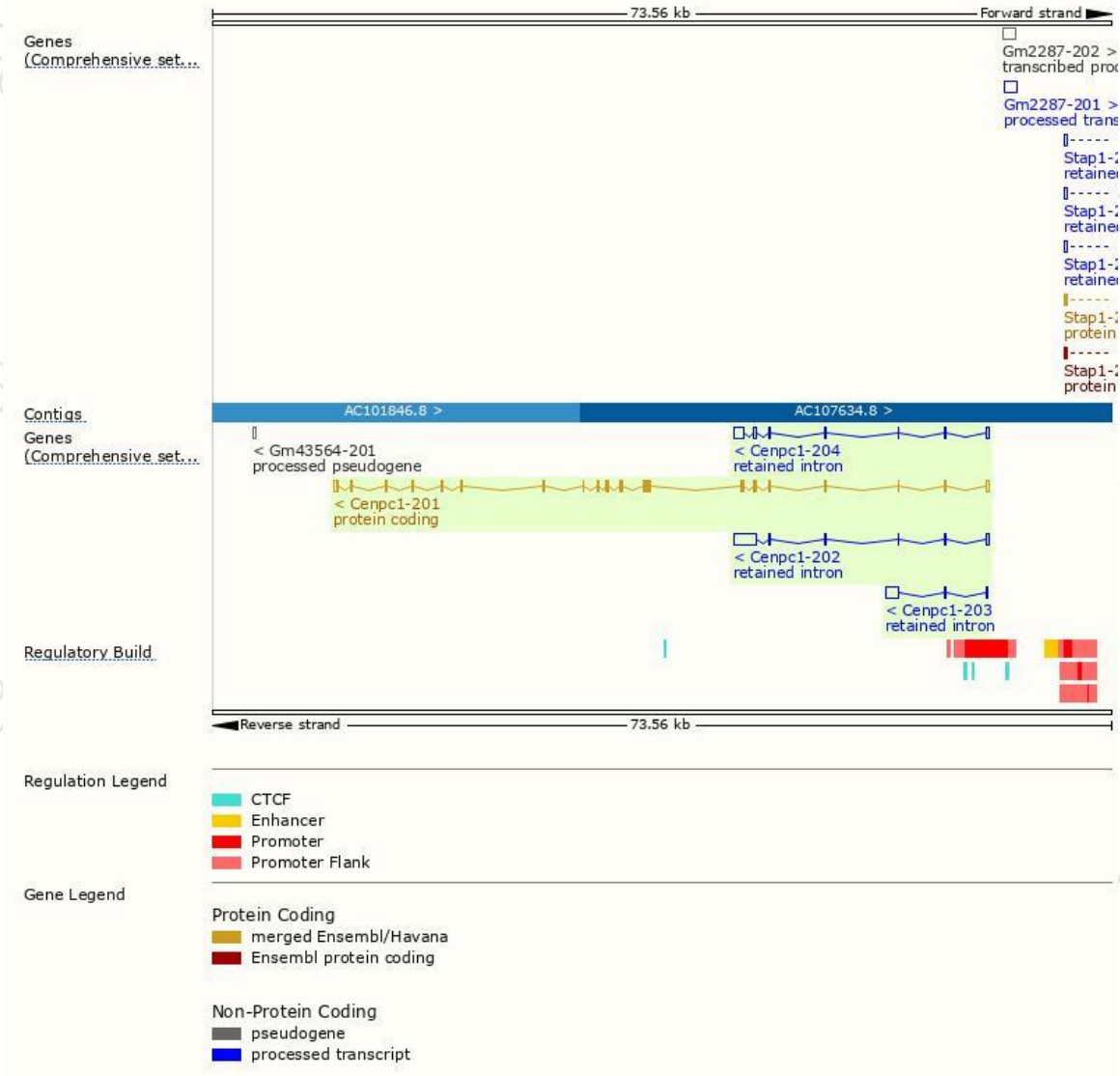
The gene has 4 transcripts,all transcripts are shown below:

Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Cenpc1-201	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000031170.9</a>	3192	<a href="#">906aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS39123</a>	<a href="#">P49452</a>	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS is a system to annotate alternatively spliced transcripts based on a range of computational methods to identify the most functionally important transcript(s) of a gene. APPRIS P1
Cenpc1-202	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000198059.4</a>	2341	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:2
Cenpc1-204	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000199392.4</a>	1469	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:2
Cenpc1-203	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000199141.1</a>	1370	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:2

The strategy is based on the design of *Cenpc1-201* transcript,the transcription is shown below:

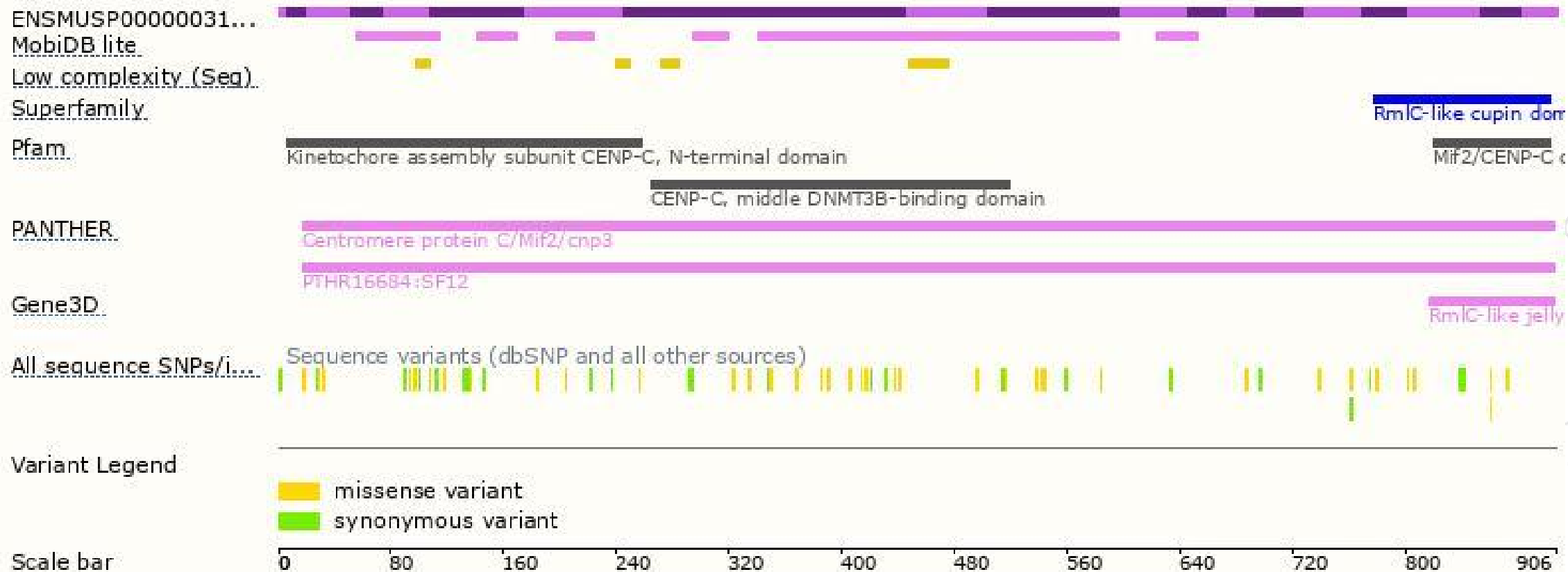


# Genomic location distribution

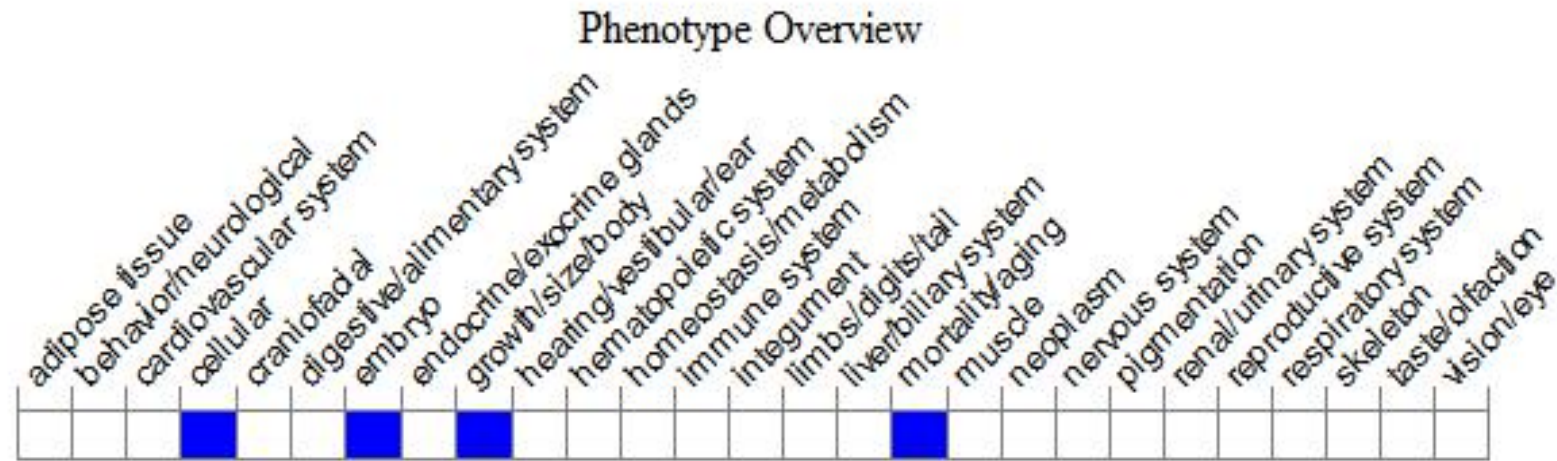




# Protein domain



# 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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