

***Cyp11b2* Cas9-CKO Strategy**

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Project Overview

Project Name

Cyp11b2

Project type

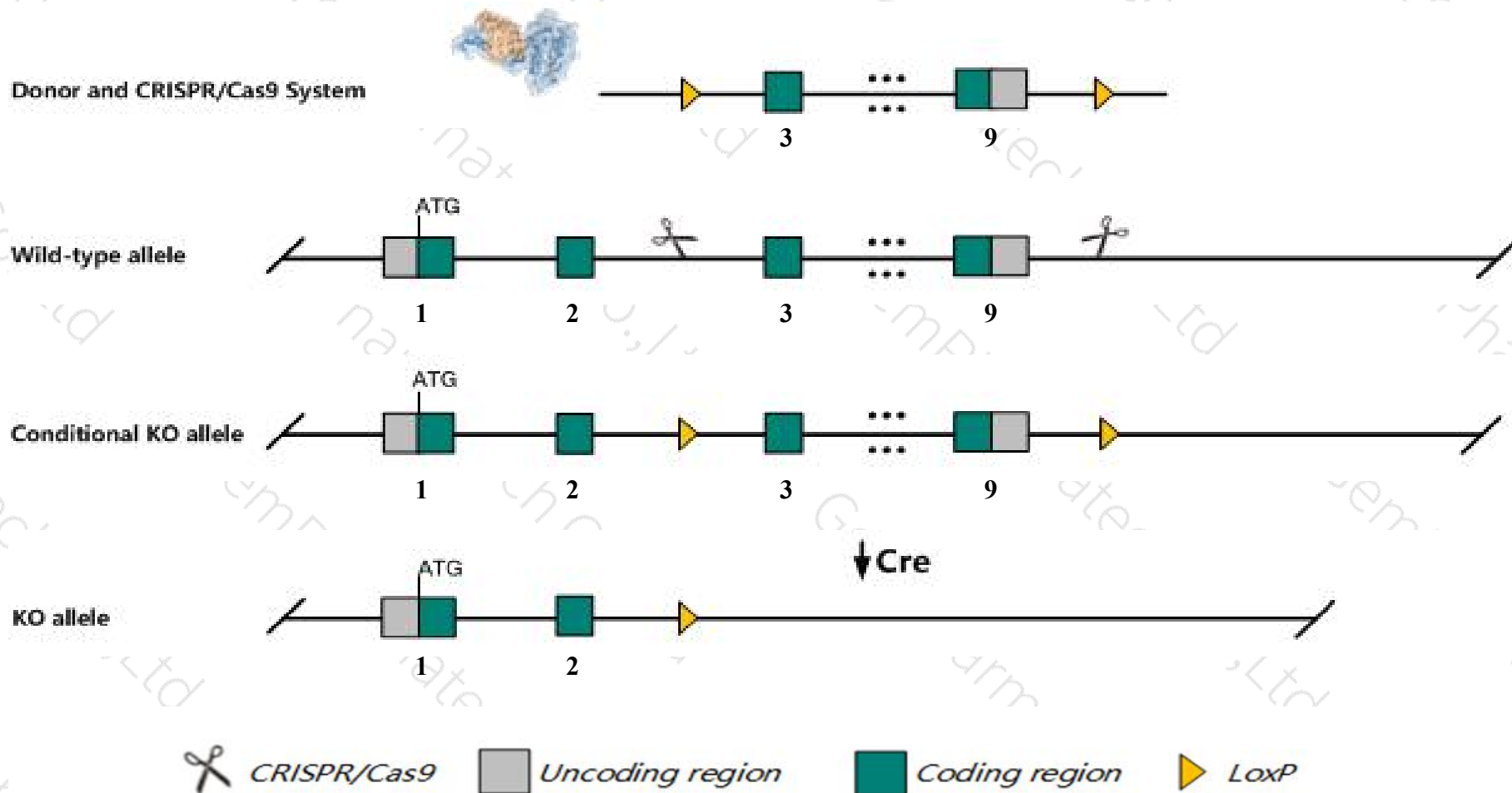
Cas9-CKO

Strain background

C57BL/6JGpt

Conditional Knockout strategy

This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Cyp11b2* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



Technical routes

- The *Cyp11b2* gene has 2 transcripts. According to the structure of *Cyp11b2* gene, exon3-exon9 of *Cyp11b2-201* (ENSMUST00000167634.1) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains most of the coding sequence. Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Cyp11b2* 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 null allele exhibit some postnatal lethality, altered blood chemistry, hypotension, and abnormal adrenal cortex morphology.
- The N-terminal of *Cyp11b2* gene will remain several amino acids, it may remain the partial function of *Cyp11b2* gene.
- The *Cyp11b2* gene is located on the Chr15. 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)

Cyp11b2 cytochrome P450, family 11, subfamily b, polypeptide 2 [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 13072, updated on 13-Mar-2020

Summary



Official Symbol Cyp11b2 provided by [MGI](#)

Official Full Name cytochrome P450, family 11, subfamily b, polypeptide 2 provided by [MGI](#)

Primary source [MGI:MGI:88584](#)

See related [Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000022589](#)

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 ALDOS, Cpn2, Cyp11b, Cyp11b-2

Expression Restricted expression toward adrenal adult (RPKM 151.7)[See more](#)

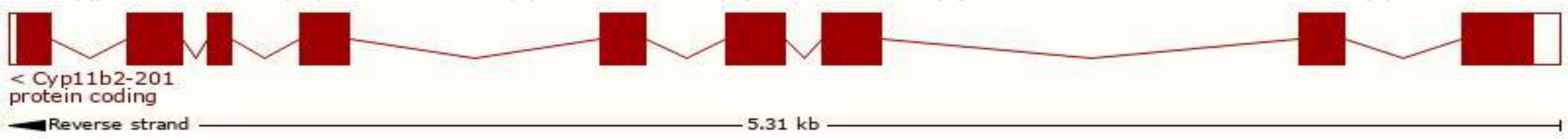
Orthologs [human](#) [all](#)

Transcript information (Ensembl)

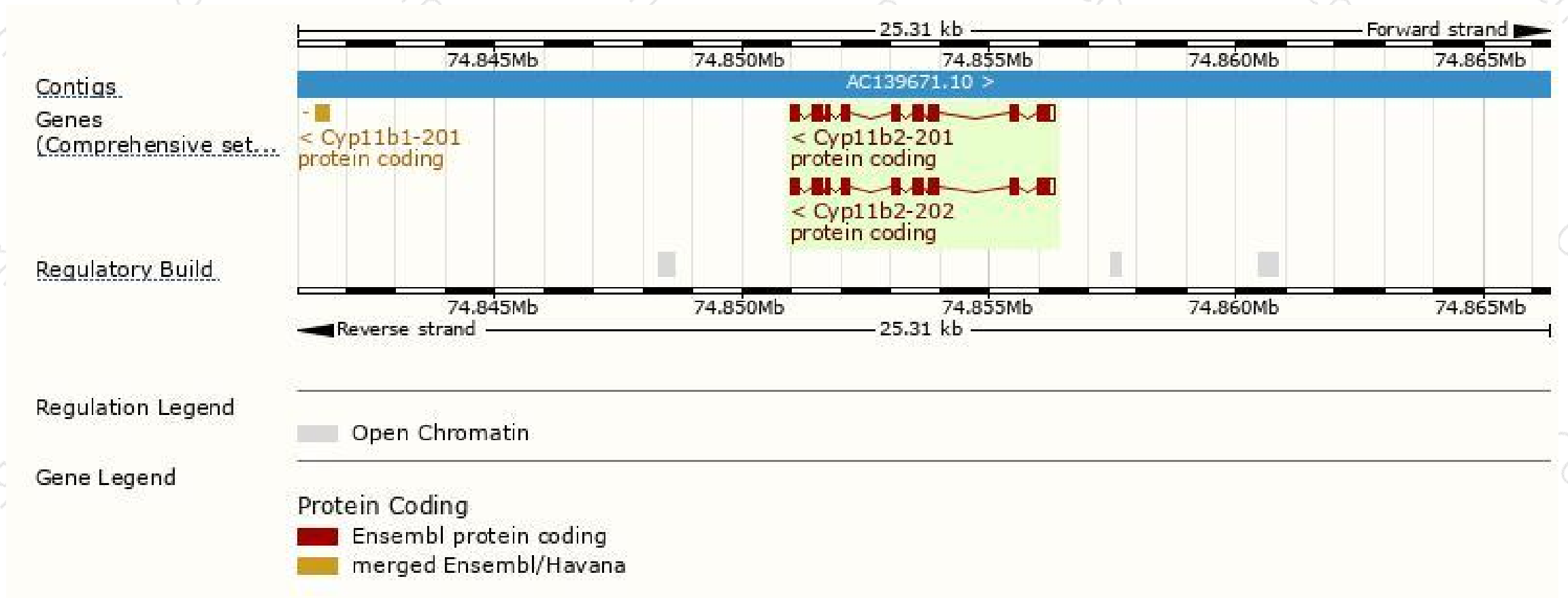
The gene has 2 transcripts,all transcripts are shown below:

Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Cyp11b2-201	ENSMUST00000167634.1	1625	502aa	Protein coding	CCDS27536	G3UWE4	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 P2
Cyp11b2-202	ENSMUST00000238900.1	1625	500aa	Protein coding	-	P15539	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 ALT2

The strategy is based on the design of *Cyp11b2-201* transcript,The transcription is shown below



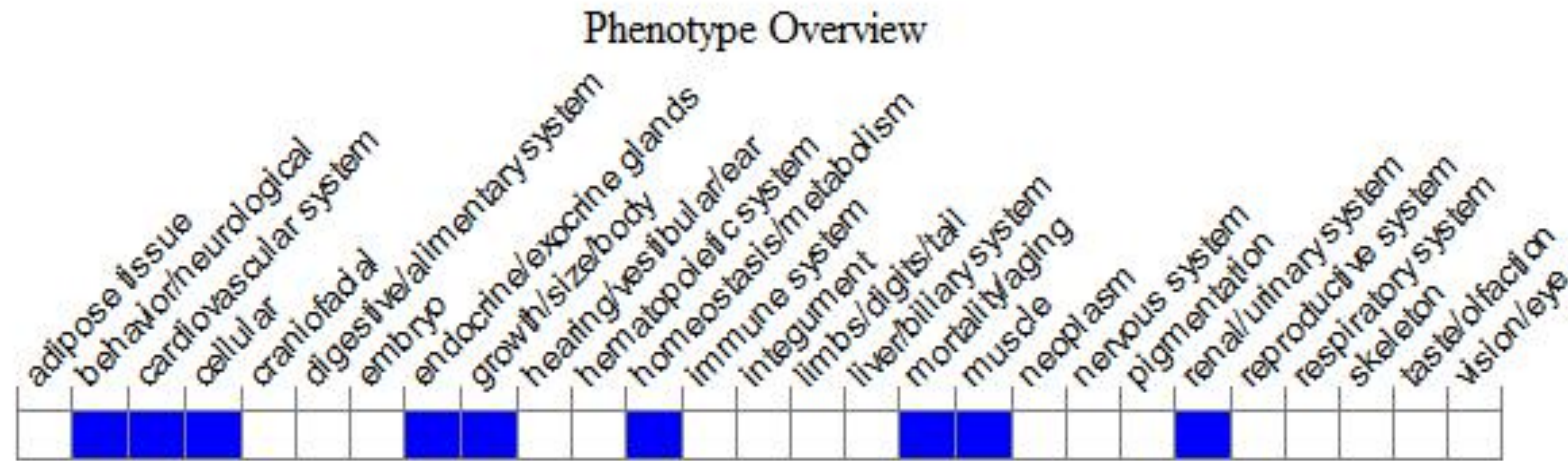
Genomic location distribution



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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