

# Robo2 Cas9-CKO Strategy

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## **Project Overview**



**Project Name** 

Robo2

**Project type** 

Cas9-CKO

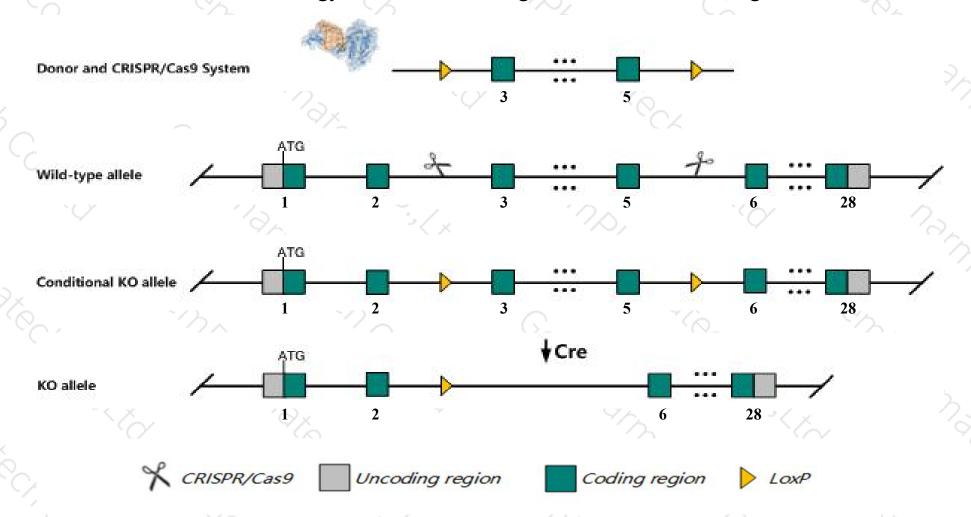
Strain background

C57BL/6JGpt

## Conditional Knockout strategy



This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Robo2* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



## Technical routes



- ➤ The *Robo2* gene has 13 transcripts. According to the structure of *Robo2* gene, exon3-exon5 of *Robo2-203*(ENSMUST00000117785.8) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains 418bp coding sequence.

  Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- ➤ In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Robo2* 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.

### **Notice**



- ➤ According to the existing MGI data, Homozygous mutants display postnatal lethality, abnormal ureteric bud development, multiple fused kidneys, multiple ureters, and abnormal commissural axon growth.
- > Transcripts 207,208,209 may not be affected.
- ➤ The effect of transcripts 201,204,205,212,213 is unknown.
- > The *Robo2* gene is located on the Chr16. 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)



#### Robo2 roundabout guidance receptor 2 [ Mus musculus (house mouse) ]

Gene ID: 268902, updated on 28-Jan-2020

#### Summary

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Official Symbol Robo2 provided by MGI

Official Full Name roundabout guidance receptor 2 provided by MGI

Primary source MGI:MGI:1890110

See related Ensembl: ENSMUSG00000052516

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 BB097918; mKIAA1568; 2600013A04Rik; 9430089E08Rik; D230004I22Rik

Expression Biased expression in CNS E18 (RPKM 11.3), whole brain E14.5 (RPKM 10.4) and 12 other tissues See more

Orthologs human all

#### Genomic context

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Location: 16; 16 C3.1

See Robo2 in Genome Data Viewer

Exon count: 34

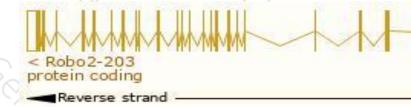
## Transcript information (Ensembl)



The gene has 13 transcripts, all transcripts are shown below:

Name 🍦	Transcript ID 👙	bp 👙	Protein 🍦	Biotype	CCDS .	UniProt 🍦	Flags
Robo2-203	ENSMUST00000117785.8	8591	<u>1508aa</u>	Protein coding	CCDS49886&	Q19AB2 €	TSL:1 GENCODE basic
Robo2-210	ENSMUST00000226478.1	8059	<u>1512aa</u>	Protein coding	-	A0A2I3BR72 ₽	GENCODE basic
Robo2-202	ENSMUST00000117200.7	5988	<u>1377aa</u>	Protein coding	-	E9Q6A0 €	TSL:5 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Robo2-213	ENSMUST00000231889.1	5900	<u>793aa</u>	Protein coding	-	A0A338P6D2₽	CDS 5' incomplete
Robo2-211	ENSMUST00000227347.1	3818	<u>1065aa</u>	Protein coding	-	A0A2I3BQB9译	CDS 3' incomplete
Robo2-201	ENSMUST00000116586.3	886	<u>207aa</u>	Protein coding	-	E9PYK2 €	CDS 5' incomplete TSL:5
Robo2-205	ENSMUST00000138852.2	774	<u>149aa</u>	Protein coding		A0A338P7C8₽	CDS 5' incomplete TSL:3
Robo2-212	ENSMUST00000231426.1	657	<u>219aa</u>	Protein coding		<u>A0A338P6W2</u> €	CDS 5' and 3' incomplete
Robo2-204	ENSMUST00000137420.1	535	<u>178aa</u>	Protein coding	(-0)	A0A338P6R3₺	CDS 5' and 3' incomplete TSL:2
Robo2-207	ENSMUST00000147408.2	430	No protein	Processed transcript	(-8)	-	TSL:5
Robo2-209	ENSMUST00000156010.1	4057	No protein	Retained intron			TSL:1
Robo2-208	ENSMUST00000149114.1	4046	No protein	Retained intron	(-)		TSL:1
Robo2-206	ENSMUST00000140062.1	2942	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:1

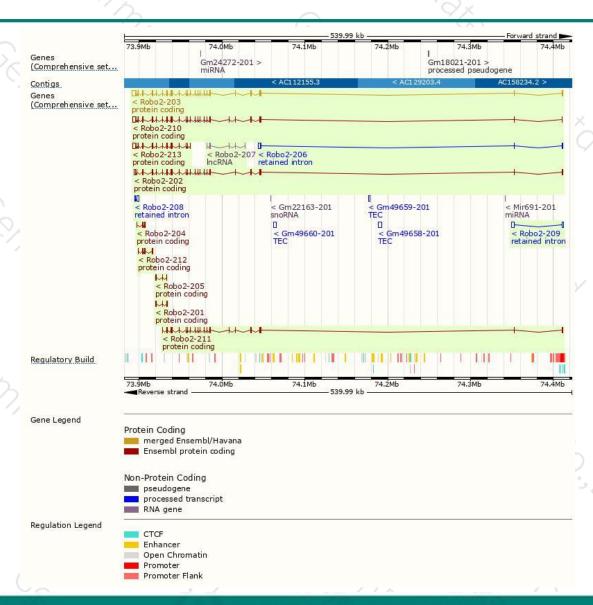
The strategy is based on the design of Robo2-203 transcript, The transcription is shown below



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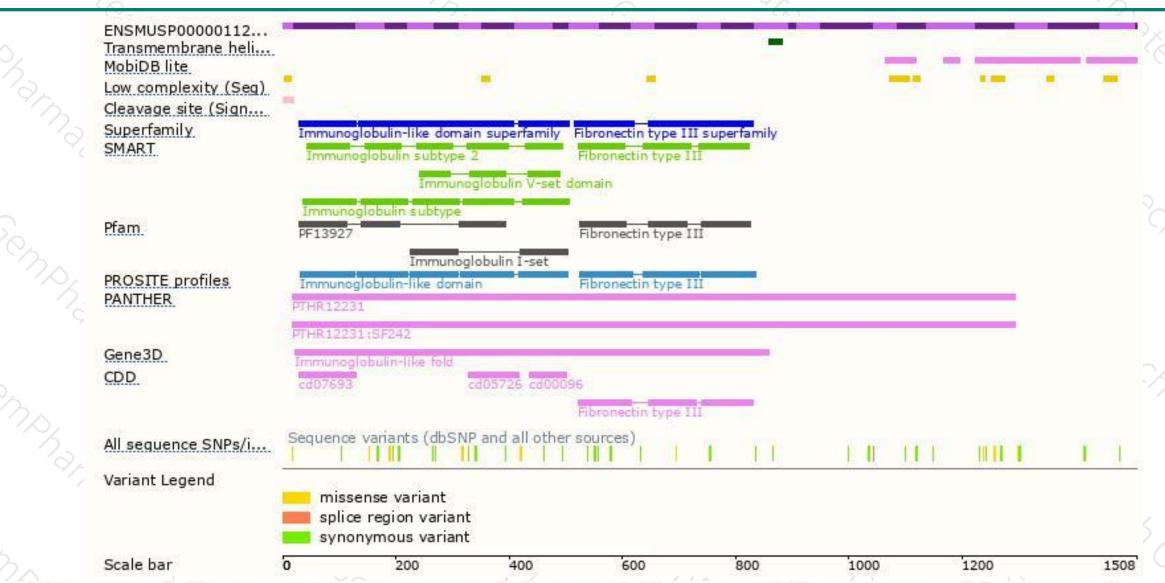
## Genomic location distribution





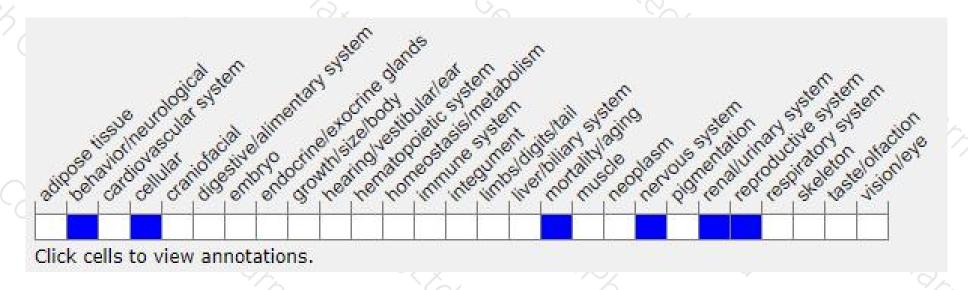
### Protein domain





## 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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