

# Calcrl Cas9-CKO Strategy

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## **Project Overview**



Project Name Calcrl

Project type

Cas9-CKO

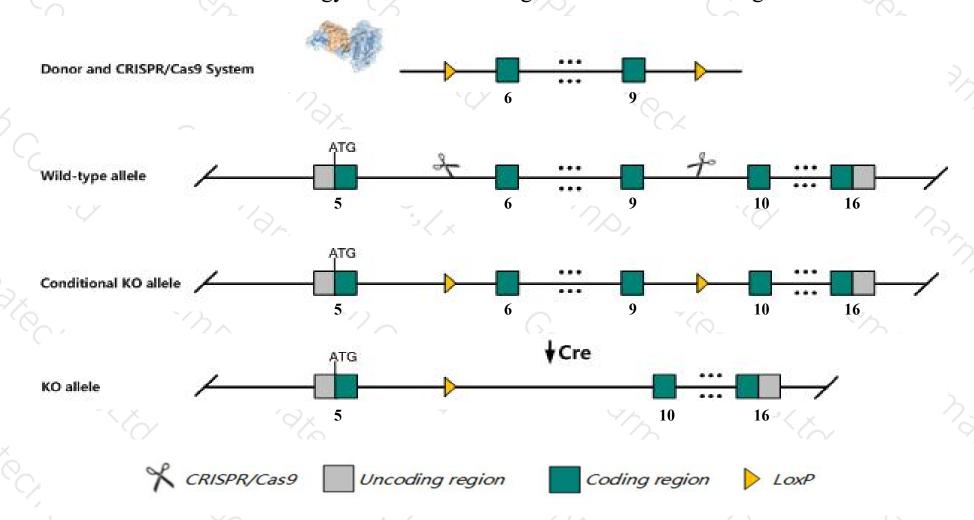
Strain background

C57BL/6JGpt

## Conditional Knockout strategy



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



### Technical routes



- ➤ The *Calcrl* gene has 3 transcripts. According to the structure of *Calcrl* gene, exon6-exon9 of *Calcrl-201*(ENSMUST0000074262.8) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains 446bp coding sequence.

  Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Calcrl* 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 mutation of this gene results in lethality between E13.5-E14.5, hydrops fetalis and cardiovascular defects such as thin vascular smooth muscle walls and small, disorganized hearts resulting from a decrease in cell proliferation and an increase in apoptosis.
- > The *Calcrl* 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)



#### Calcrl calcitonin receptor-like [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 54598, updated on 31-Jan-2019

#### Summary

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Official Symbol Calcrl provided by MGI

Official Full Name calcitonin receptor-like provided by MGI

Primary source MGI:MGI:1926944

See related Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000059588

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 AV071593, CRLR

Expression Biased expression in lung adult (RPKM 53.6), bladder adult (RPKM 7.2) and 3 other tissuesSee more

Orthologs human all

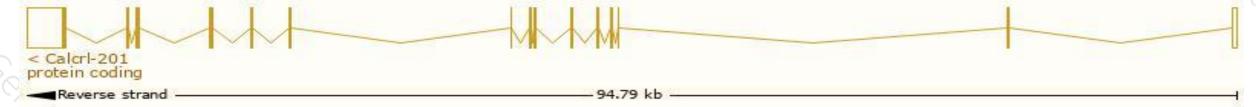
## Transcript information (Ensembl)



The gene has 3 transcripts, all transcripts are shown below:

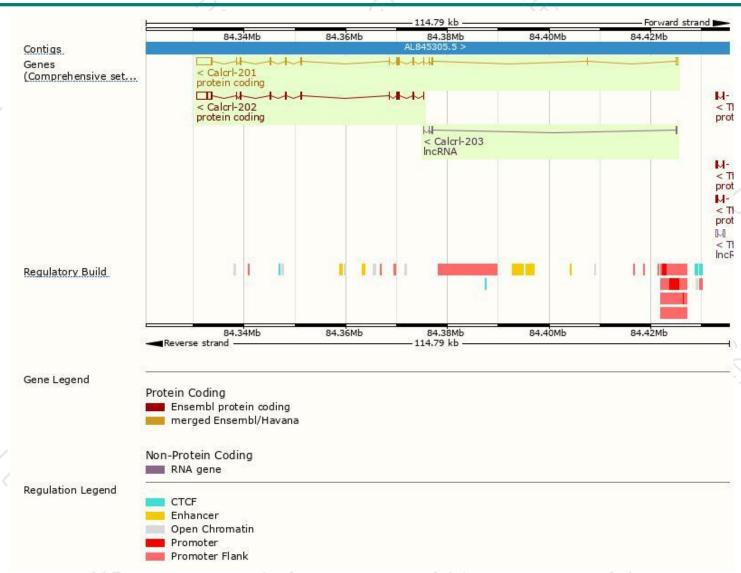
Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Calcri-201	ENSMUST00000074262.8	4882	<u>463aa</u>	Protein coding	CCDS16184	A2AR99 Q9R1W5	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Calcri-202	ENSMUST00000099944.3	3973	<u>463aa</u>	Protein coding	CCDS16184	A2AR99 Q9R1W5	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Calcri-203	ENSMUST00000151295.1	500	No protein	IncRNA	-	-	TSL:5

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



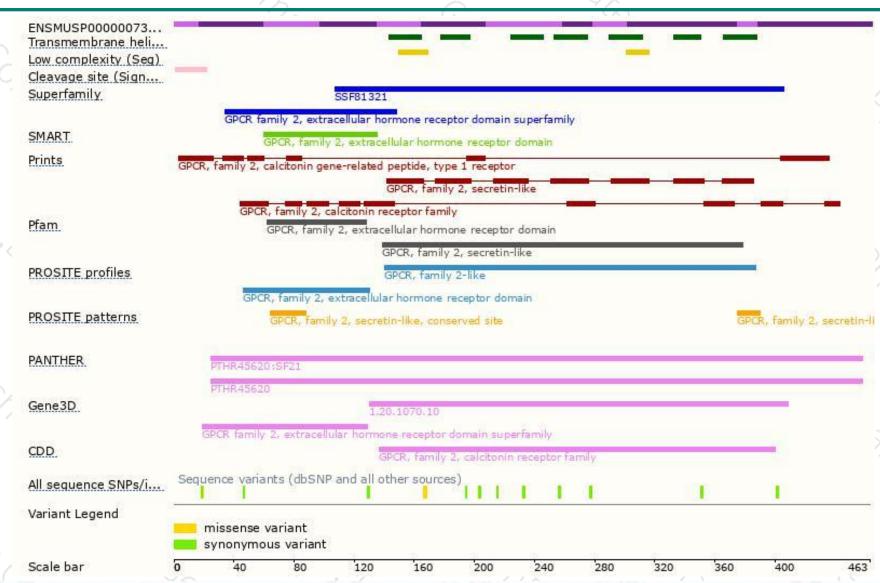
### Genomic location distribution





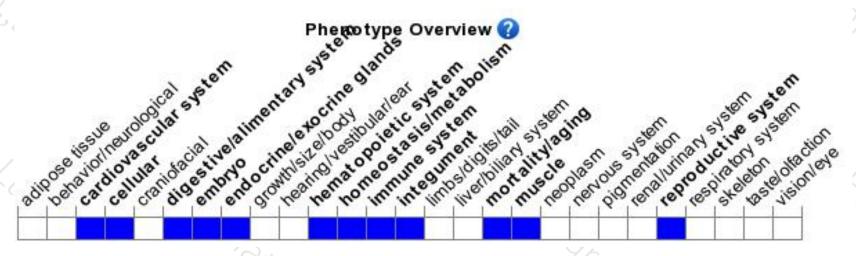
### Protein domain





## 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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