

# Tmc8 Cas9-KO Strategy

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# Overview

## Target Gene Name

- Tmc8

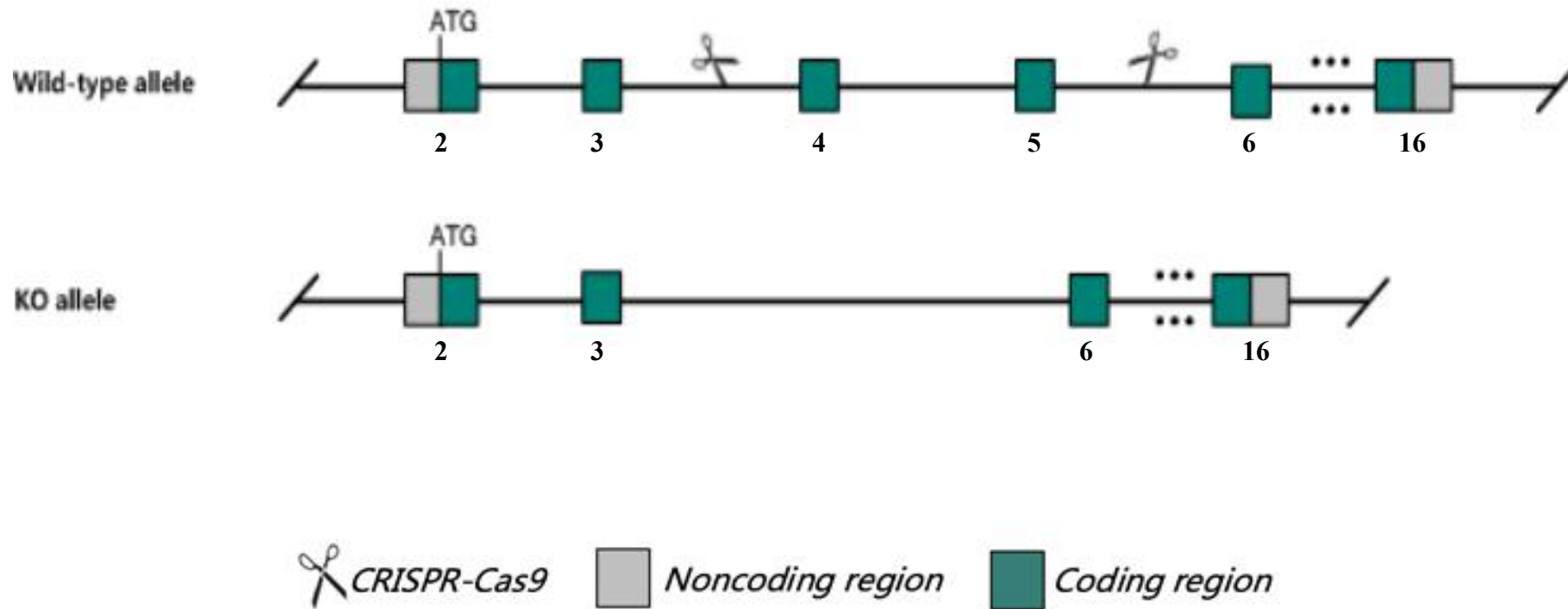
## Project Type

- Cas9-KO

## Genetic Background

- C57BL/6JGpt

# Strain Strategy



# Technical Information

- The *Tmc8* gene has 6 transcripts. According to the structure of *Tmc8* gene, exon4-exon5 of *Tmc8*-202 (ENSMUST00000106334.9) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains 236bp coding sequence. Knocking out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR-Cas9 technology to modify *Tmc8* gene. The brief process is as follows: gRNAs were transcribed in vitro. Cas9 and gRNAs 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 on-target amplicon sequencing. A stable F1-generation mouse strain was obtained by mating positive F0-generation mice with C57BL/6JGpt mice and confirmation of the desired mutant allele was carried out by PCR and on-target amplicon sequencing.

# Gene Information

## Tmc8 transmembrane channel-like gene family 8 [Mus musculus (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 217356, updated on 12-Apr-2023

### Summary

<b>Official Symbol</b>	Tmc8 provided by <a href="#">MGI</a>
<b>Official Full Name</b>	transmembrane channel-like gene family 8 provided by <a href="#">MGI</a>
<b>Primary source</b>	<a href="#">MGI:MGI:2669037</a>
<b>See related</b>	<a href="#">Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000050106</a>
<b>Gene type</b>	protein coding
<b>RefSeq status</b>	VALIDATED
<b>Organism</b>	<a href="#">Mus musculus</a>
<b>Lineage</b>	Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Glires; Rodentia; Myomorpha; Muroidea; Muridae; Murinae; Mus; Mus
<b>Also known as</b>	EVIN2, Ever2, mFLJ00400
<b>Summary</b>	Predicted to enable mechanosensitive ion channel activity; protein sequestering activity; and tumor necrosis factor binding activity. Predicted to be involved in several processes, including negative regulation of protein binding activity; regulation of extrinsic apoptotic signaling pathway via death domain receptors; and zinc ion homeostasis. Predicted to act upstream of or within ion transport. Predicted to be located in Golgi apparatus; endoplasmic reticulum; and nuclear membrane. Human ortholog(s) of this gene implicated in epidermodysplasia verruciformis. Orthologous to human TMC8 (transmembrane channel like 8). [provided by Alliance of Genome Resources, Apr 2022]
<b>Expression</b>	Biased expression in thymus adult (RPKM 68.4), spleen adult (RPKM 27.6) and 9 other tissues <a href="#">See more</a>
<b>Orthologs</b>	<a href="#">human</a> <a href="#">all</a>

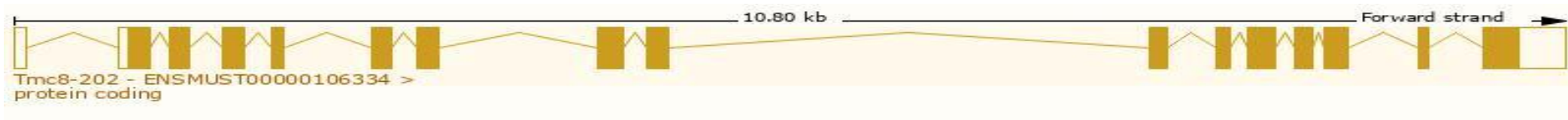
Source: <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/>

# Transcript Information

The gene has 6 transcripts, all transcripts are shown below:

Transcript ID	Name	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt Match	Flags
<a href="#">ENSMUST00000119455.2</a>	Tmc8-204	2736	<a href="#">723aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS56824</a>	<a href="#">Q7TN58-2</a>	Ensembl Canonical GENCODE basic APPRIS ALT2 TSL:1
<a href="#">ENSMUST00000106334.9</a>	Tmc8-202	2644	<a href="#">723aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS56824</a>	<a href="#">Q7TN58-2</a>	GENCODE basic APPRIS ALT2 TSL:1
<a href="#">ENSMUST00000050874.14</a>	Tmc8-201	2577	<a href="#">722aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS25689</a>	<a href="#">Q7TN58-1</a>	GENCODE basic APPRIS P5 TSL:1
<a href="#">ENSMUST00000117781.8</a>	Tmc8-203	2344	<a href="#">722aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS56825</a>	<a href="#">B0QZP7</a>	GENCODE basic APPRIS ALT2 TSL:1
<a href="#">ENSMUST00000127080.9</a>	Tmc8-205	693	<a href="#">166aa</a>	Protein coding		<a href="#">B1ATB9</a>	TSL:3 CDS 3' incomplete
<a href="#">ENSMUST00000156458.2</a>	Tmc8-206	485	No protein	Retained intron		-	TSL:3

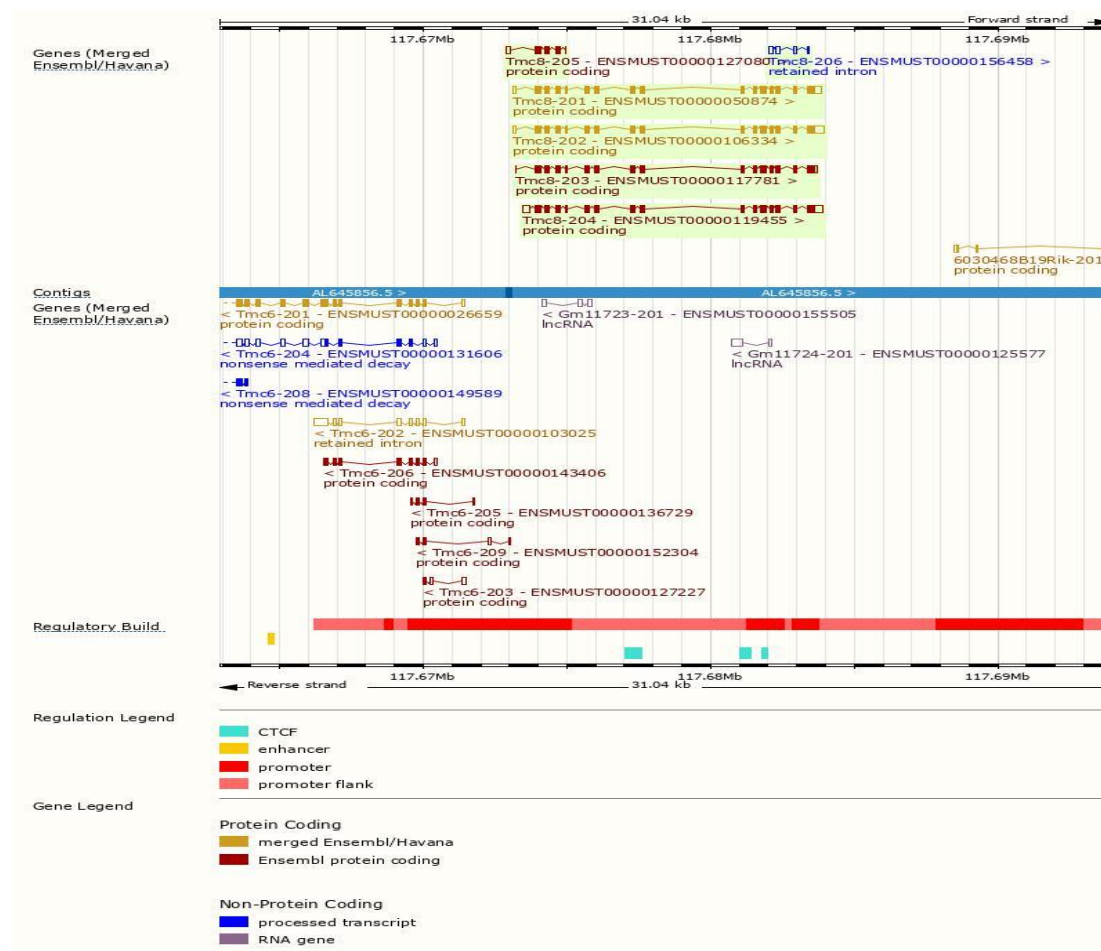
The strategy is based on the design of *Tmc8-202* transcript, the transcription is shown below:



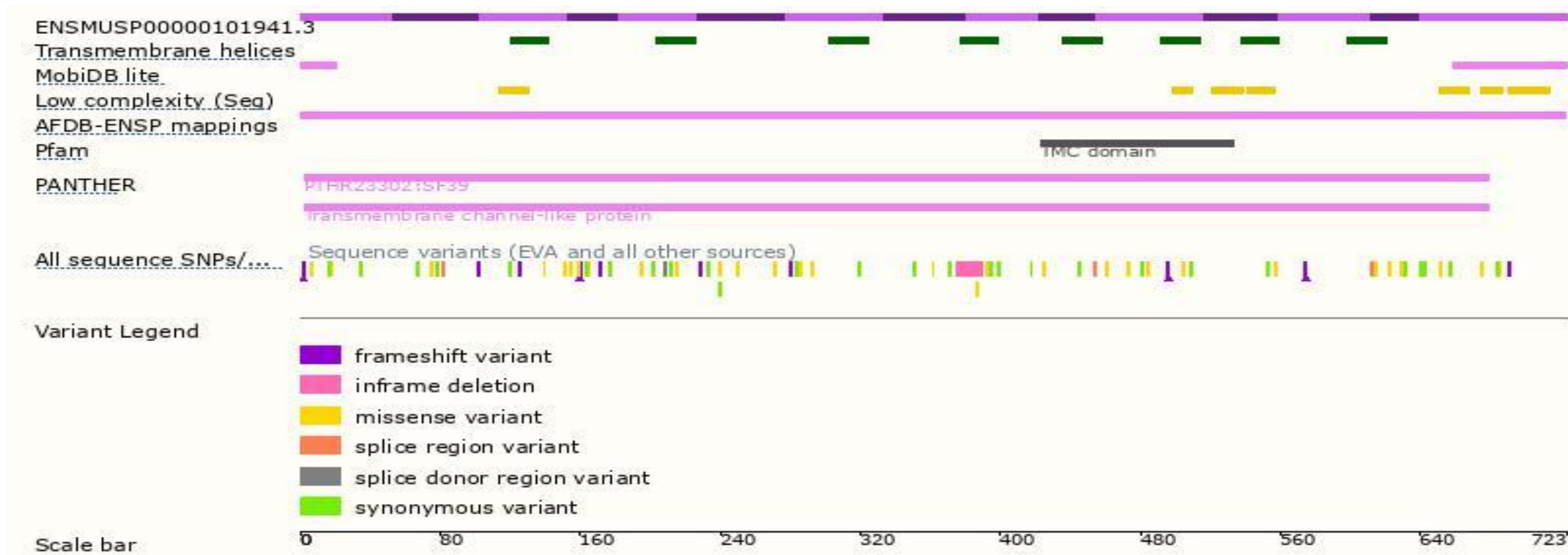
Source: <https://www.ensembl.org>



# Genomic Information

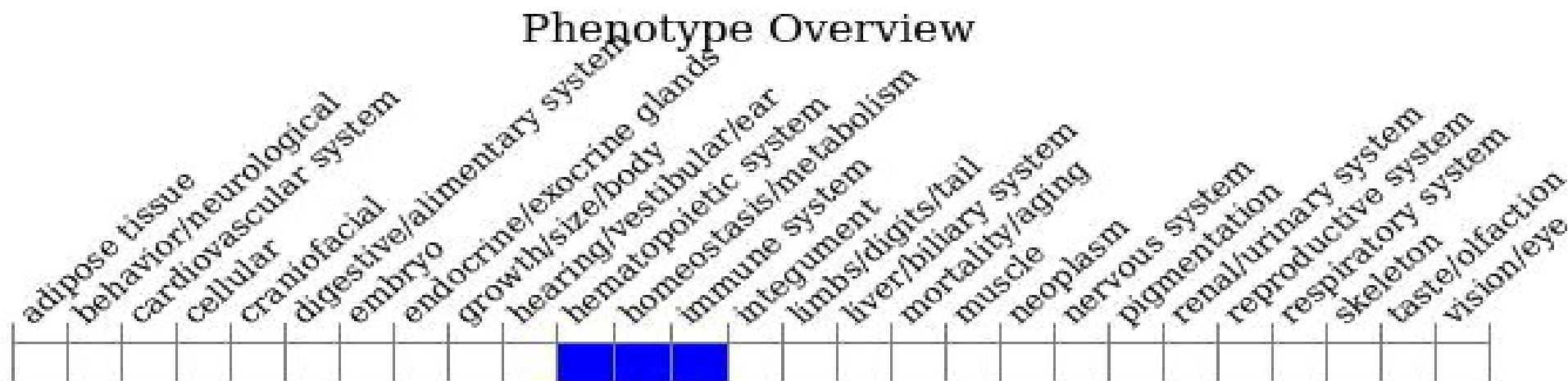


# Protein Information





# Mouse Phenotype Information (MGI)



- Mice homozygous for a knock-out allele are viable, fertile and overtly normal with no major defects in T cell subset numbers or function.

# Important Information

- *Tmc8* is located on Chr11. If the knockout mice are crossed with other mouse strains to obtain double homozygous mutant offspring, please avoid the situation that the second gene is on the same chromosome.
- The KO region contains functional region of the *Gm11723*. Knockout the region may affect the function of *Gm11723* gene.
- The KO region is about ~1.5kb away to the N-terminal of *Tmc6* gene, this strategy may influence the regulatory function of the N-terminal of *Tmc6* gene.
- This Strategy is designed based on genetic information in existing databases. Due to the complexity of biological processes, all risks of the mutation on gene transcription, RNA splicing and protein translation cannot be predicted at the existing technology level.