

# *Amigo2* Cas9-CKO Strategy

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# Overview

## Target Gene Name

- *Amigo2*

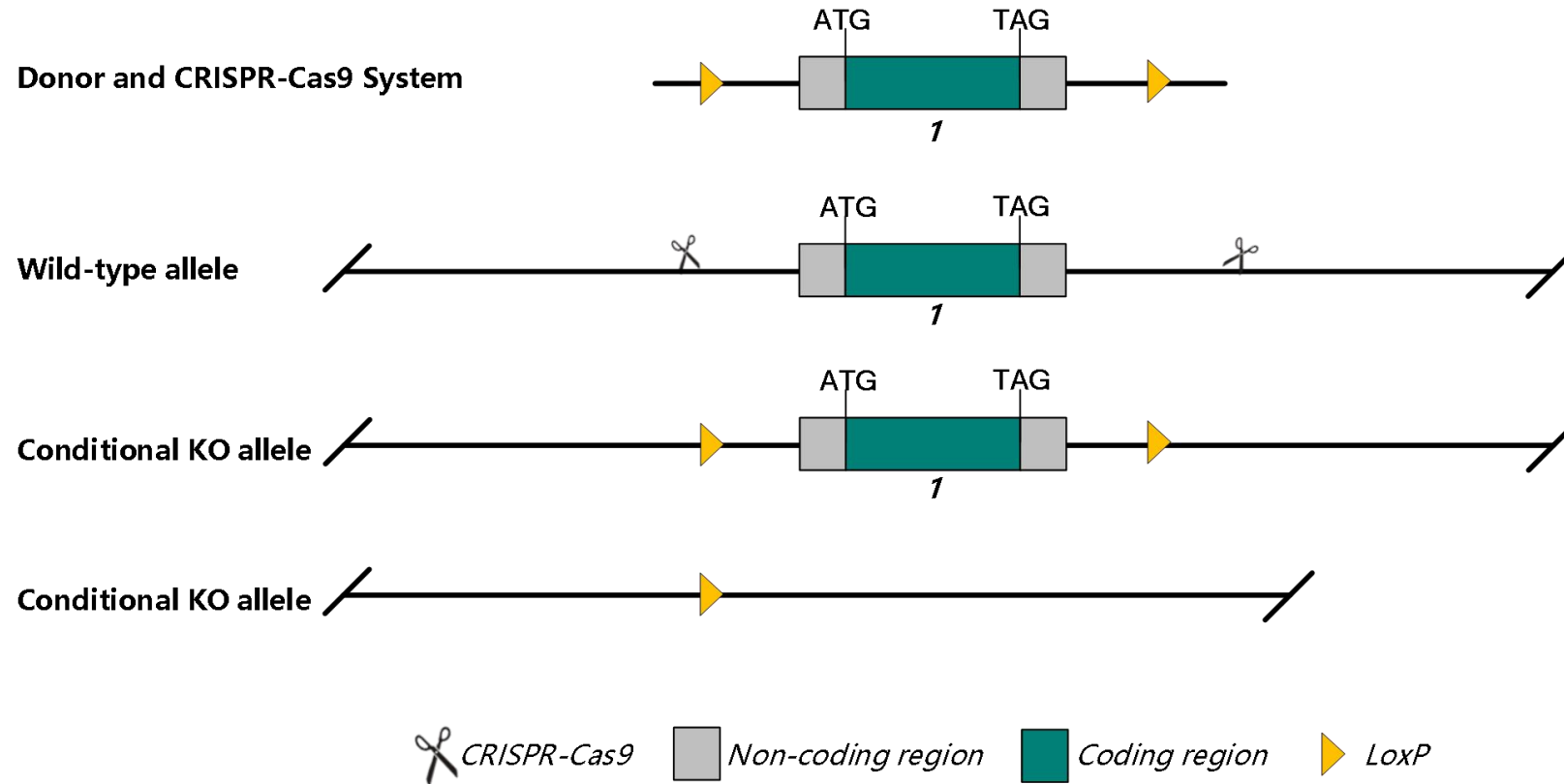
## Project Type

- Cas9-CKO

## Genetic Background

- C57BL/6JGpt

# Strain Strategy



Schematic representation of CRISPR-Cas9 engineering used to edit the *Amigo2* gene.

# Technical Information

- The *Amigo2* gene has 2 transcripts. According to the structure of *Amigo2* gene, exon 1 of *Amigo2*-202 (ENSMUST00000229890.2) is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains all of coding sequence. Knocking out the region will result in disruption of gene function.
- In this project we use CRISPR-Cas9 technology to modify *Amigo2* 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 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.
- 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.

# Gene Information

**Amigo2** adhesion molecule with Ig like domain 2 [ *Mus musculus* (house mouse) ]

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Gene ID: 105827, updated on 5-Mar-2024

## Summary

<b>Official Symbol</b>	Amigo2 provided by <a href="#">MGI</a>
<b>Official Full Name</b>	adhesion molecule with Ig like domain 2 provided by <a href="#">MGI</a>
<b>Primary source</b>	<a href="#">MGI:MGI:2145995</a>
<b>See related</b>	<a href="#">Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000048218</a> <a href="#">AllianceGenome:MGI:2145995</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>	Ali1; AMIGO-2
<b>Summary</b>	Acts upstream of or within positive regulation of synapse assembly. Predicted to be located in nucleus and plasma membrane. Predicted to be integral component of membrane. Is expressed in several structures, including brain; branchial arch; cranial ganglion; genitourinary system; and retina. Orthologous to human AMIGO2 (adhesion molecule with Ig like domain 2). [provided by Alliance of Genome Resources, Apr 2022]
<b>Expression</b>	Ubiquitous expression in frontal lobe adult (RPKM 2.9), lung adult (RPKM 2.6) and 28 other tissues <a href="#">See more</a>
<b>Orthologs</b>	<a href="#">human</a> <a href="#">all</a>
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## Genomic context

**Location:** 15 F1; 15 52.91 cM

See Amigo2 in [Genome Data Viewer](#)

**Exon count:** 2

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/gene/105827>

# Transcript Information

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

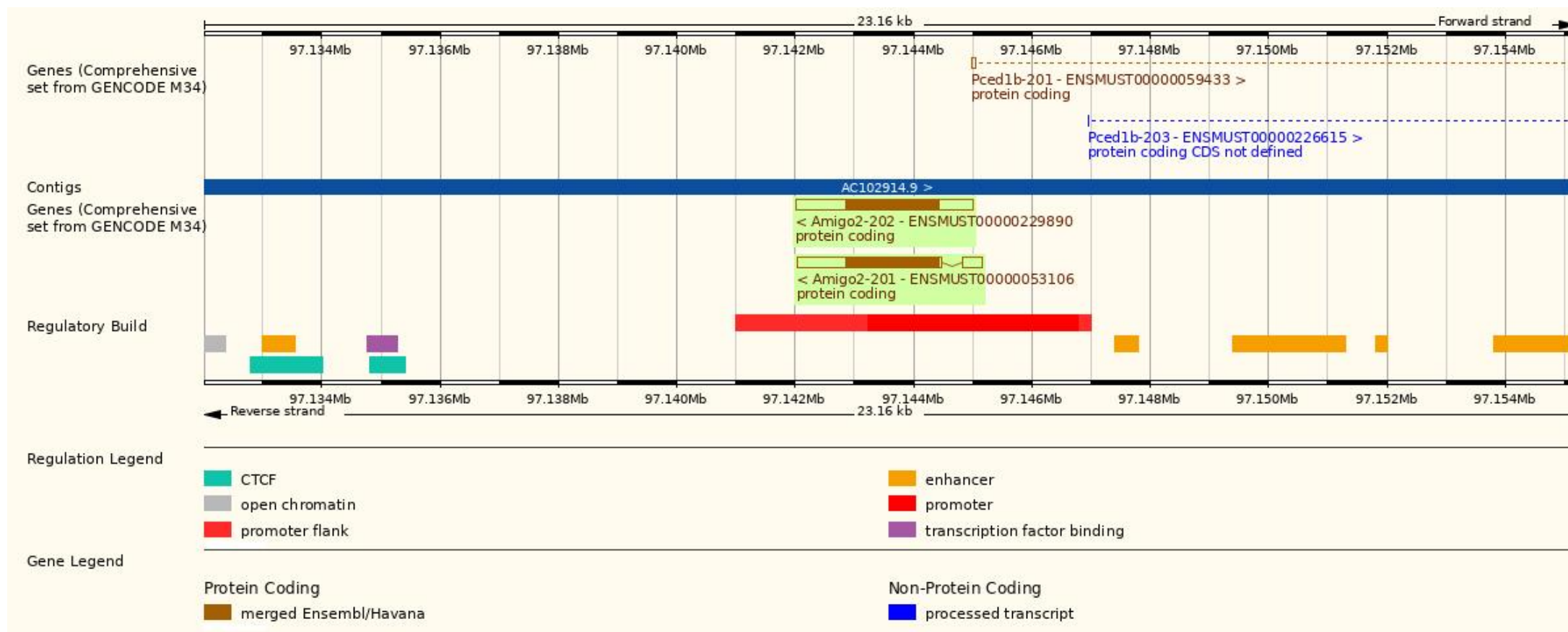
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Transcript ID	Name	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt Match	Flags	
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The strategy is based on the design of *Amigo2-202* transcript, the transcription is shown below:



Source: <http://asia.ensembl.org/>

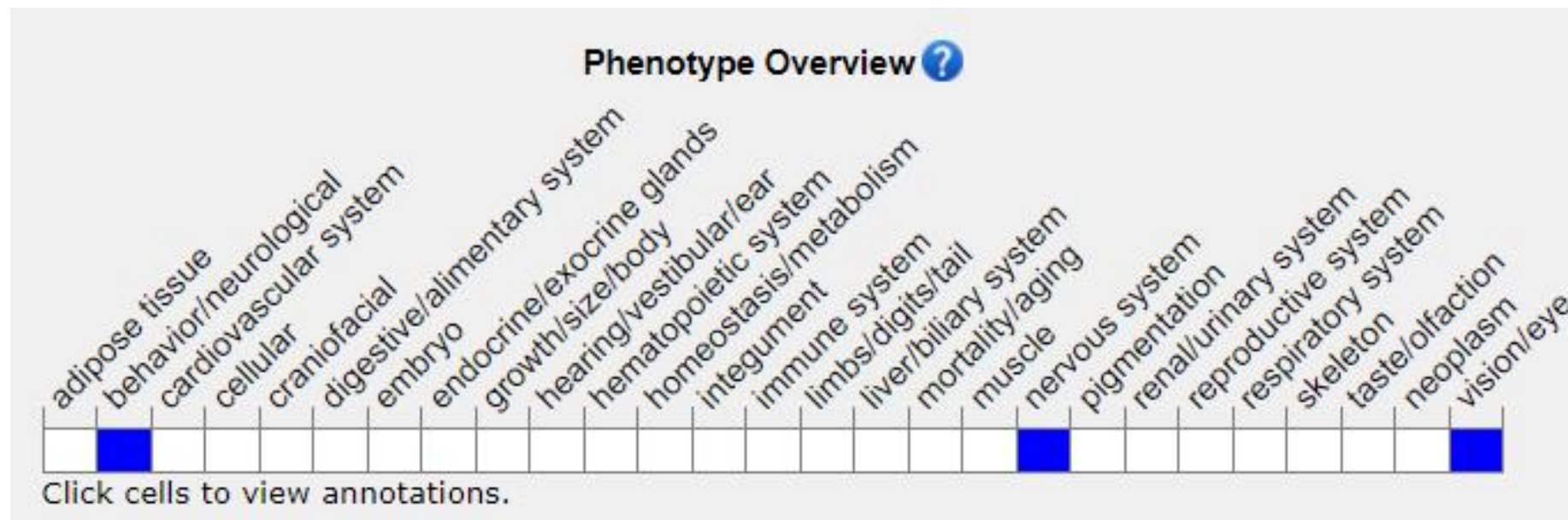
# Genomic Information



# Protein Information



# Mouse Phenotype Information (MGI)



Homozygous null mice exhibit starburst amacrine cell and rod bipolar cell dendrite arbor expansion and enhanced direction selectivity of direction-selective ganglion cell responses to starburst amacrine cell signals.

# Important Information

- The knockout region overlaps with *Pced1b* gene, which may affect the function of this gene.
- *Amigo2* is located on Chr 15. 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.
- 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 the existing technology level.