

# *H11-Myh6-iCre-ployA* Cas9-KI Strategy

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# Project Overview

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**Project Name** *H11-Myh6-iCre-ployA*

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**Project type** **Cas9-KI**

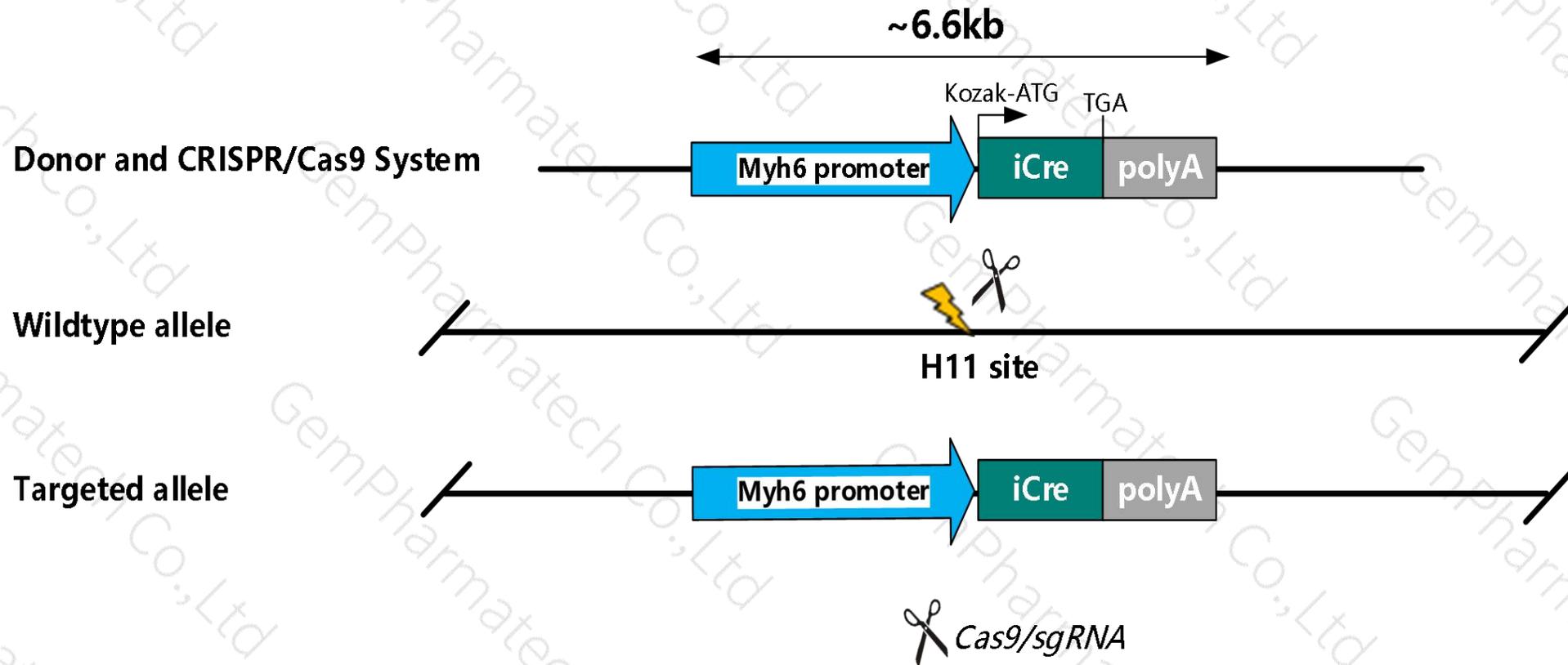
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**Strain background** **C57BL/6J**

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# Knockin strategy

The *Myh6-iCre-loyA* fragment was inserted into H11 site of mice and the schematic diagram is as follows:



# Summary of mouse *Myh6* promoter from JAX

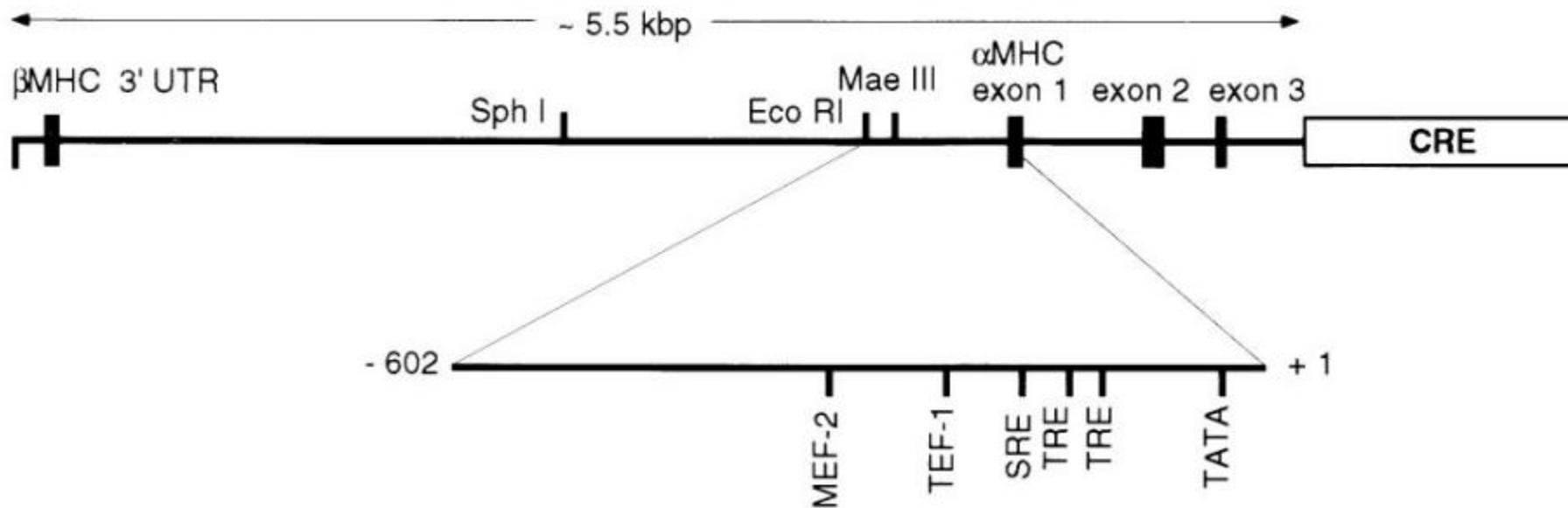
## 🔵 Tg(Myh6-cre)2182Mds

Allele Symbol: Tg(Myh6-cre)2182Mds 

<b>Allele Name</b>	transgene insertion 2182, Michael D Schneider
<b>Allele Type</b>	Transgenic (Recombinase-expressing)
<b>Allele Synonym(s)</b>	MCH-cre; MHC-Cre; MHCalphaCre; MHCcre; Tg(Myhca-cre)2182Mds; alpha-MHC-Cre <sup>+</sup> ; alphaMhc-Cre; alphaMyHC-Cre
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<b>Promoter</b>	<i>Myh6</i> , myosin, heavy polypeptide 6, cardiac muscle, alpha, murine, murine
<b>Molecular Note</b>	The transgenic construct contained the Myh7 3' untranslated region, the Myhca promoter, Myhca noncoding exons 1 and 2, and the exon 3 splice acceptor site 180 bp upstream and driving the expression of the cre recombinase sequence. The Myhca promoter drives expression in cardiac tissue.

<https://www.jax.org/strain/011038>

# The Promoter of Mouse *Myh6*



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Ramtin Agah. Targeted Expression of Cre Recombinase Provokes Cardiac-restricted, Site-specific Rearrangement in Adult Ventricular Muscle In Vivo. *Gene Recombination in Postmitotic Cells*. July 1997, 169–179.

cDNA (TTC = S). The cardiac-specific murine  $\alpha$ -myosin-heavy chain (MyHC) promoter ( $\alpha$ -5.5, provided by J. Robbins, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH) (21) was ligated as a SacI–HindIII fragment 180 bp upstream from the nls-Cre translational start site. **The resulting  $\alpha$ MyHC-Cre expression vector comprises the  $\beta$ MyHC 3' untranslated region,  $\alpha$ MyHC promoter,  $\alpha$ MyHC noncoding exons 1 and 2 (with the corresponding introns), and exon 3 splice acceptor sequence, 180 bp upstream from the nls-Cre ATG start site.**

- H11, located on mouse chromosome 11, is a safe site for foreign gene insertion. The foreign gene integrated into this site can be expressed stably and efficiently without destroying the function of endogenous gene.
- In this study, the *Myh6-iCre-ployA* gene fragment was inserted into H11 site of mice by CRISPR/Cas9 technology. The brief process is as follows: the donor vector and sgRNA were constructed in vitro, Cas9, donor and sgRNA were microinjected into the fertilized eggs of C57BL/6J mice, and F0 generation mice were obtained. The F0 positive mice were mated with C57BL/6J mice by PCR, sequencing, and southern blot, then the stable inheritance of F1 positive mice model was obtained.

- According to the existing JAX data, cre recombinase is expressed in cardiac tissue.
- Due to the insert region is large (~6.6 kb), the mouse offspring need a southern blot.
- H11 is located on Chr11. Please take the loci in consideration when breeding the Knock-in mice with other gene modified (e.g., iCre) strains, if the other gene is also on Chr11, it may be extremely hard to get double gene positive homozygotes.
- The scheme is designed according to the genetic information in the existing database. Due to the complex process of gene transcription and translation, it cannot be predicted completely at the present technology level.

# Gene information (NCBI)

## Myh6 myosin, heavy polypeptide 6, cardiac muscle, alpha [ *Mus musculus* (house mouse) ]

Gene ID: 17888, updated on 12-Aug-2019

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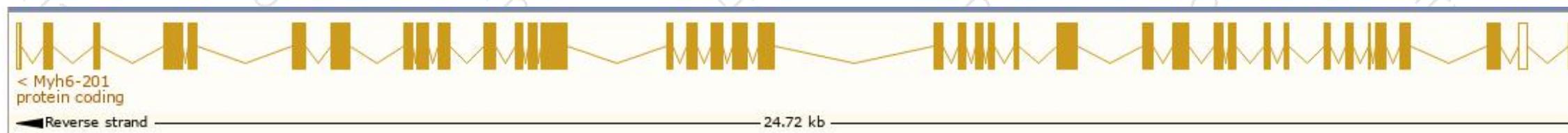
<b>Official Symbol</b>	Myh6 provided by <a href="#">MGI</a>
<b>Official Full Name</b>	myosin, heavy polypeptide 6, cardiac muscle, alpha provided by <a href="#">MGI</a>
<b>Primary source</b>	<a href="#">MGI:MGI:97255</a>
<b>See related</b>	<a href="#">Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000040752</a>
<b>Gene type</b>	protein 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>	Myhca; Myhc-a; AA517445; alphaMHC; alpha-MHC; A830009F23Rik
<b>Expression</b>	Restricted expression toward heart adult (RPKM 1317.1) <a href="#">See more</a>
<b>Orthologs</b>	<a href="#">human</a> <a href="#">all</a>

# Transcript information (Ensembl)

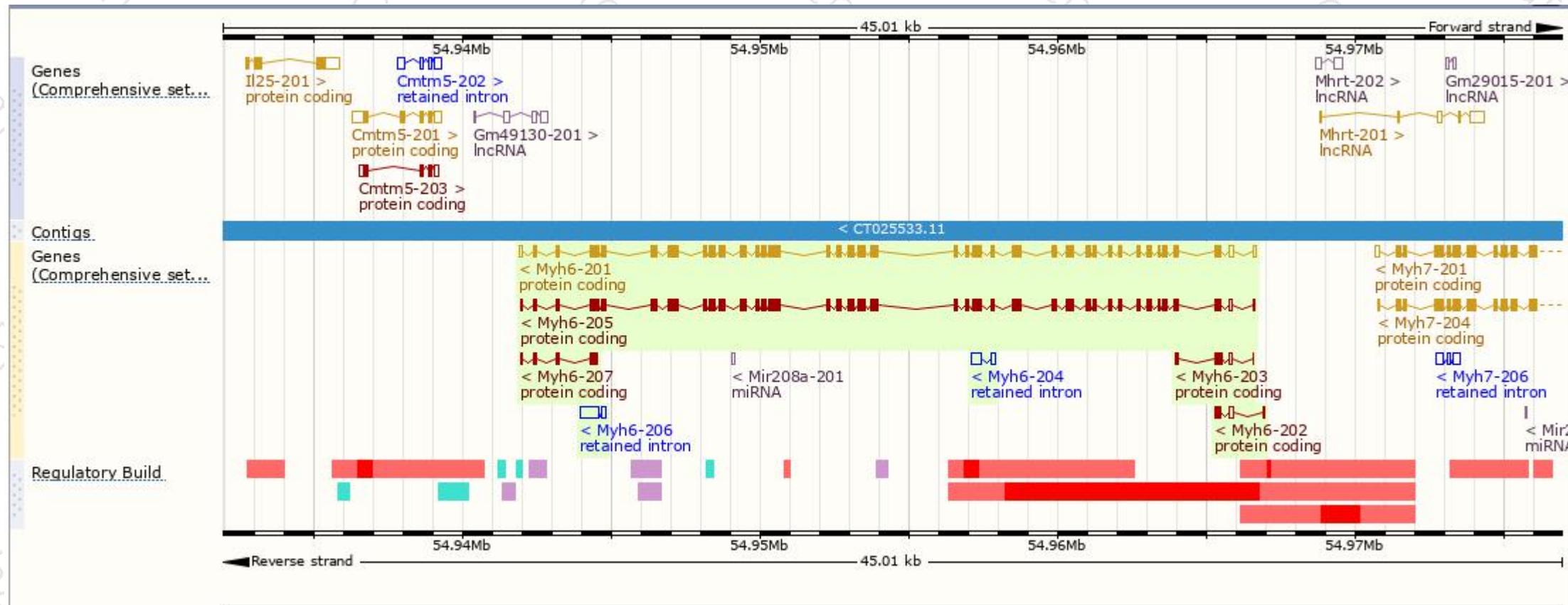
The gene has 7 transcripts, and the transcript is shown below :

Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Myh6-201	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000081857.13</a>	6113	<a href="#">1938aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS36927</a>	<a href="#">B2RQQ1</a> <a href="#">Q02566</a>	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Myh6-205	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000226297.1</a>	6008	<a href="#">1938aa</a>	Protein coding	<a href="#">CCDS36927</a>	<a href="#">B2RQQ1</a> <a href="#">Q02566</a>	GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Myh6-207	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000228731.1</a>	542	<a href="#">162aa</a>	Protein coding	-	<a href="#">A0A2I3BPY4</a>	CDS 5' incomplete
Myh6-203	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000124930.7</a>	411	<a href="#">94aa</a>	Protein coding	-	<a href="#">Q1WNP4</a>	CDS 3' incomplete TSL:1
Myh6-202	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000111456.1</a>	376	<a href="#">63aa</a>	Protein coding	-	<a href="#">B8JJH3</a>	CDS 3' incomplete TSL:3
Myh6-206	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000227905.1</a>	718	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	-
Myh6-204	<a href="#">ENSMUST00000131892.1</a>	511	No protein	Retained intron	-	-	TSL:3

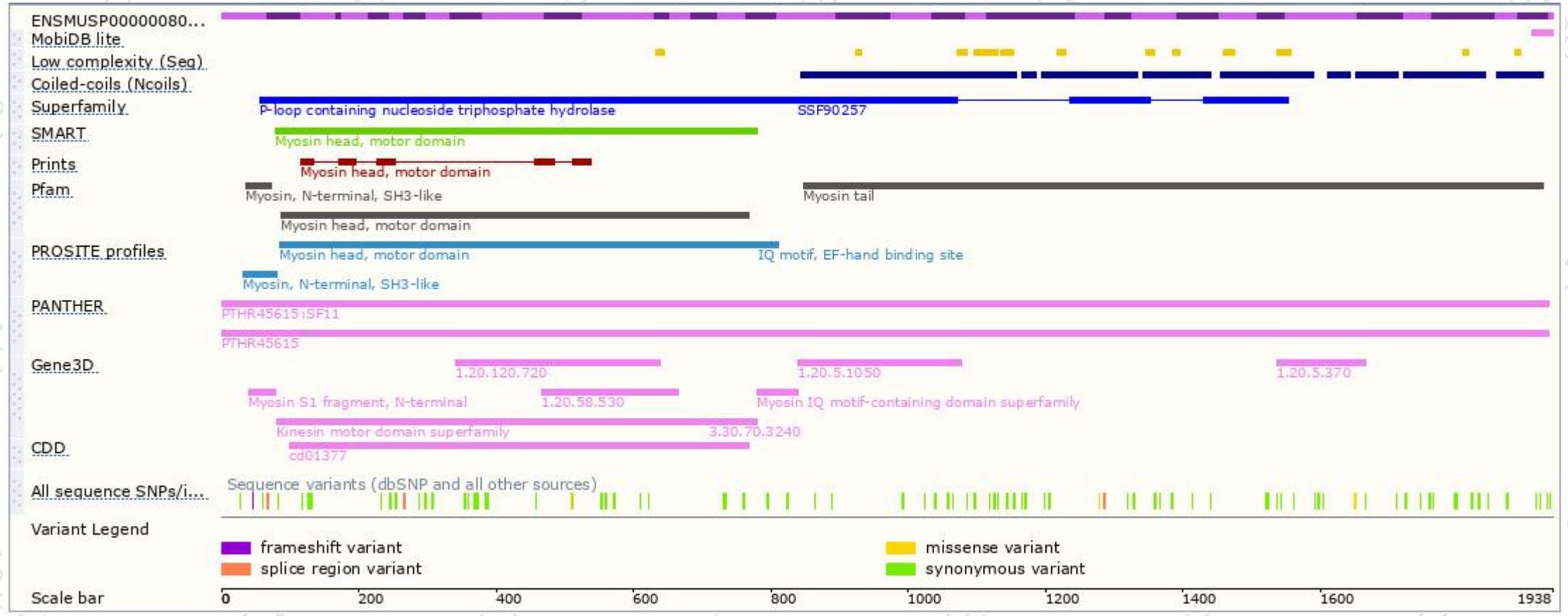
The strategy is based on the design of *Myh6-201* transcript, The transcription is shown below



# Genomic location distribution



# Protein domain



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