

# Identification and Characterisation of the Murine Homologue of the Gene Responsible for Cystinosis, Ctns

## ABSTRACT

Ctns, the murine homologue of CTNS that causes cystinosis, have been identified, characterised and localised. Furthermore, our research has revealed a distinct expression pattern between the human and murines, providing crucial information for creating -logotype models of cystitis in mice.

## INTRODUCTION

The discovery of a gene responsible for the development of cystinosis, a condition that is caused by a mutation in a gene on chromosome 16, has revolutionised the field of cancer research. The gene is known as CXCR4. The CXCR4 gene encodes a protein that is involved in the production of cyclin D1, and in the regulation of cell growth and differentiation.

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## CONCLUSION

Remarkable conclusions Although the products of CTNS, the gene responsible for nephropathic cystinosis, and its murine homologue, Ctns, are highly conserved between humans and mice (and have been repeatedly expressed in both human and mouse models), they exhibit a distinct expression pattern that is essential for studying the pathogenesis of cystitis in vivo.