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基因编辑技术/Gene Editing Technology

基因编辑及衍生技术

Gene Editing and Beyond

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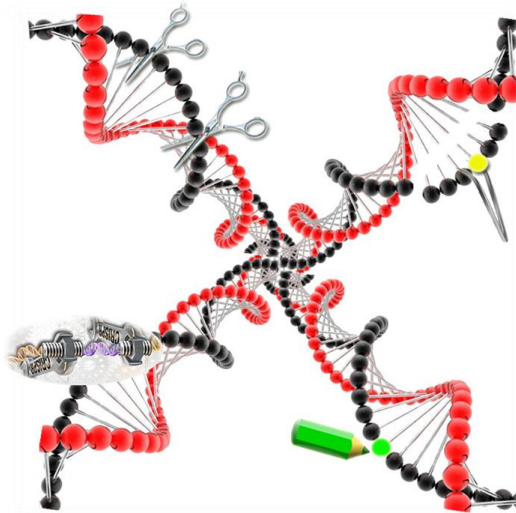
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Quick Review:

1. 画图+列表，对比总结归纳上述基因剪刀手; **Draw diagrams and make tables, to compare and summarize the above-mentioned gene scissors**
2. 思考如何利用上述工具实现基因编辑? **Think about how to utilize the above-mentioned tools to achieve gene editing?**

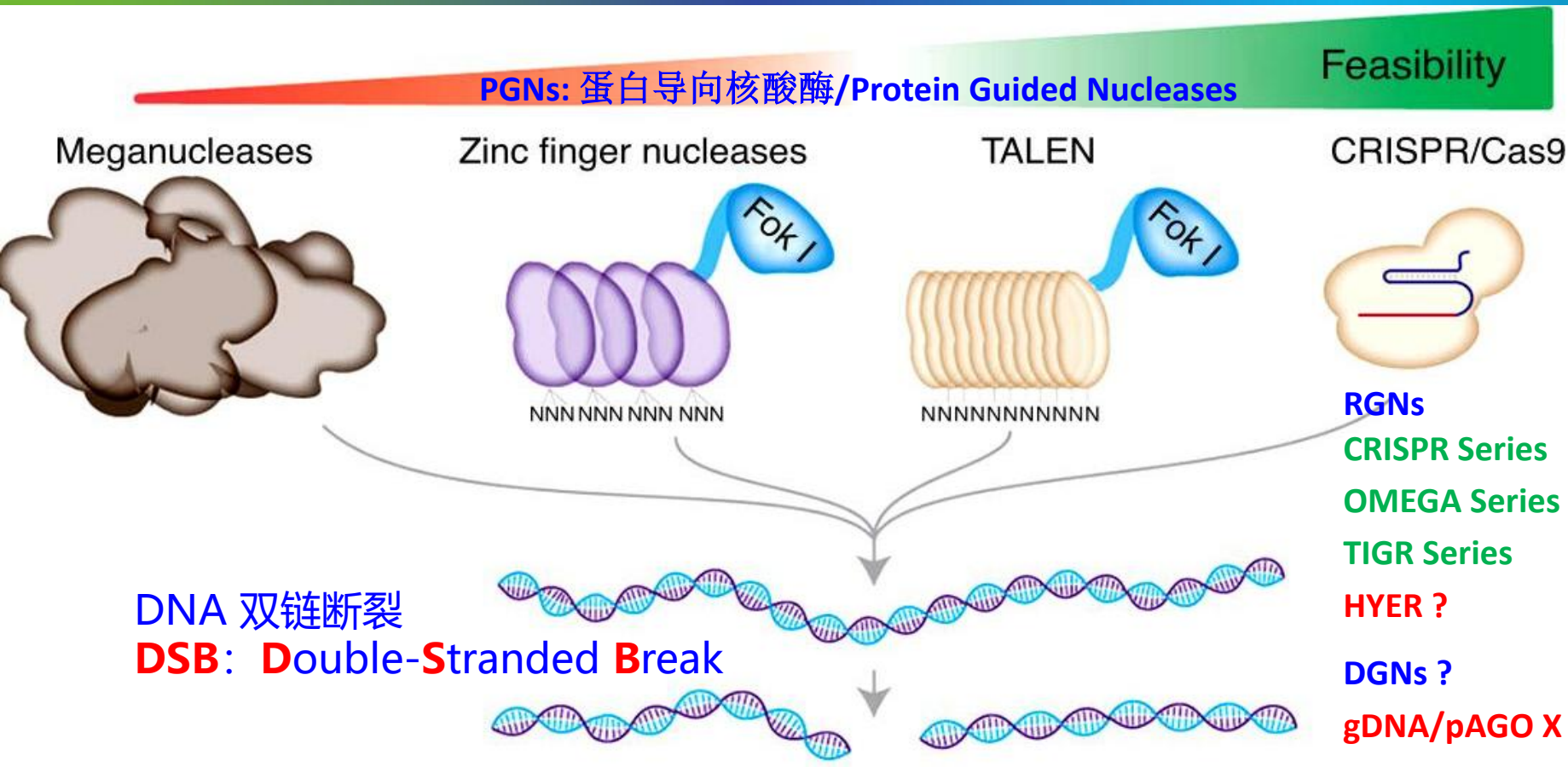
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人工特异性核酸酶技术/Programmable specific endonuclease technology



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女娲：中国上古时代的神话人物
Mythological figures in
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DNA双链断裂

DNA double-strand breaks

对于细胞来说

For cells

就是天塌下来的灾难！

It's a disaster like the sky falling!

细胞的小宇宙

The microcosm of cells

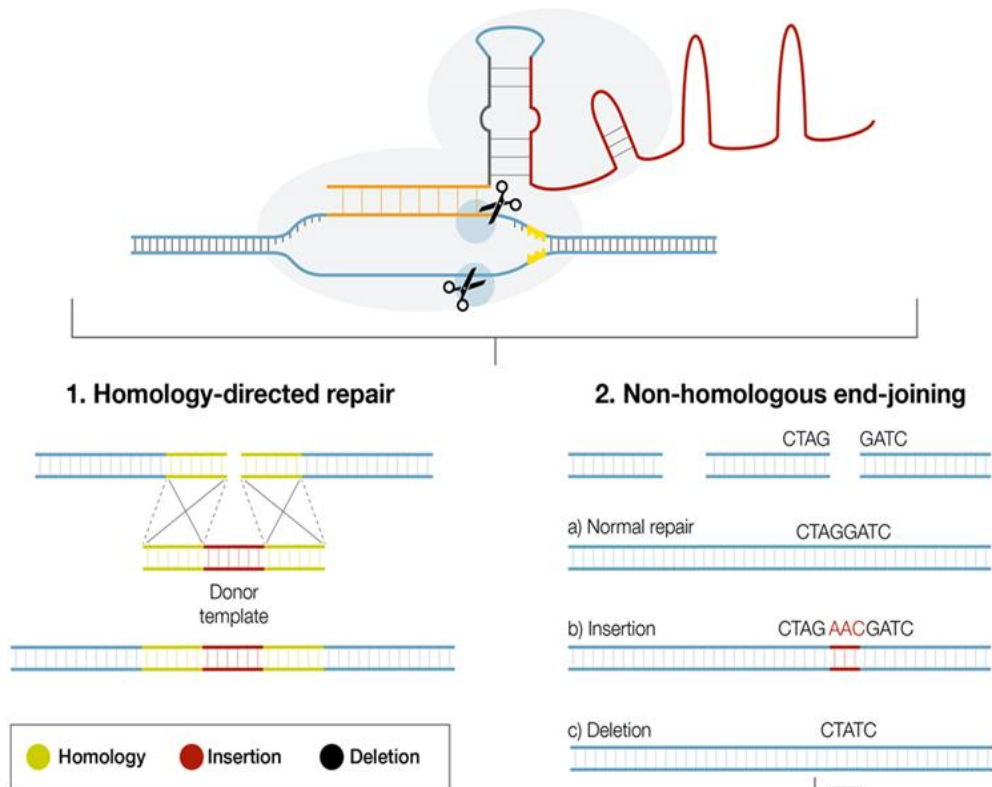
也有自己的“女娲”

There is also her own "Nuwa"



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补天之“石” / Stone for Mending the Sky—HDR & NHEJ



HDR:

Homology-**D**irected **R**epair

同源指导/引导/导向修复

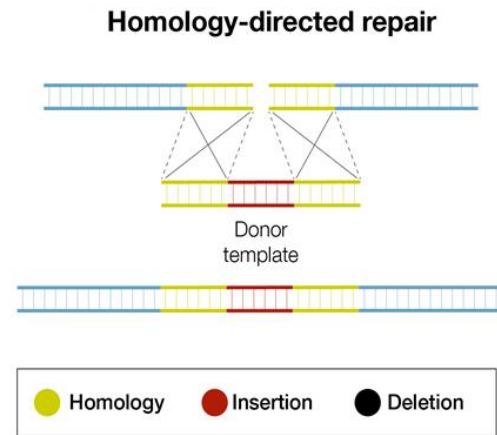
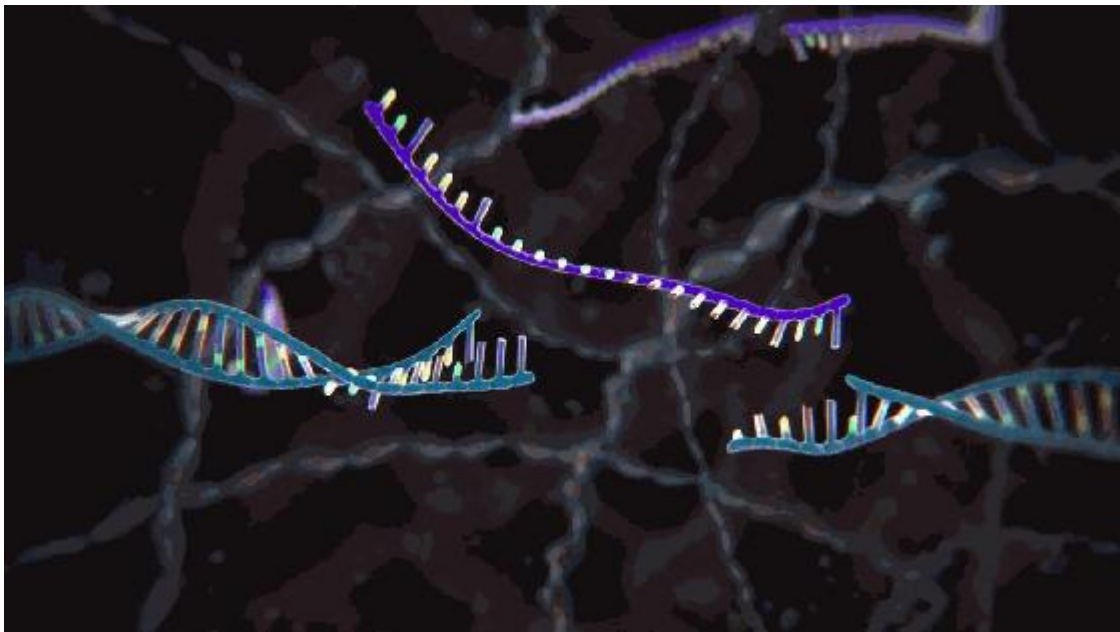
NHEJ:

Non-**H**omologous **E**nd-**J**oining

非同源末端连接

基于HDR的基因敲入（替换/点编辑）

Gene Knock-in (Replacing and Point editing) based on HDR



HDR→KI/Replace

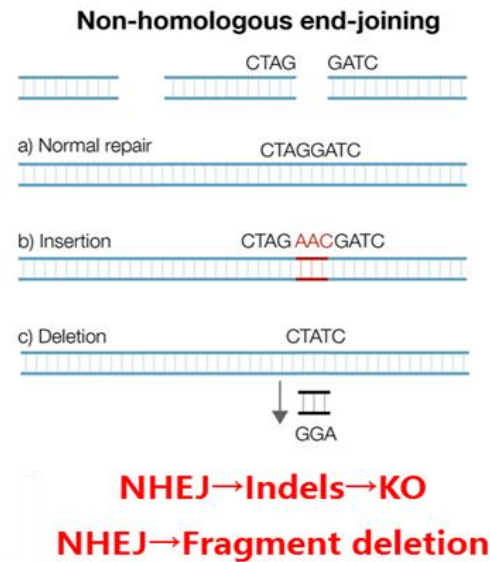
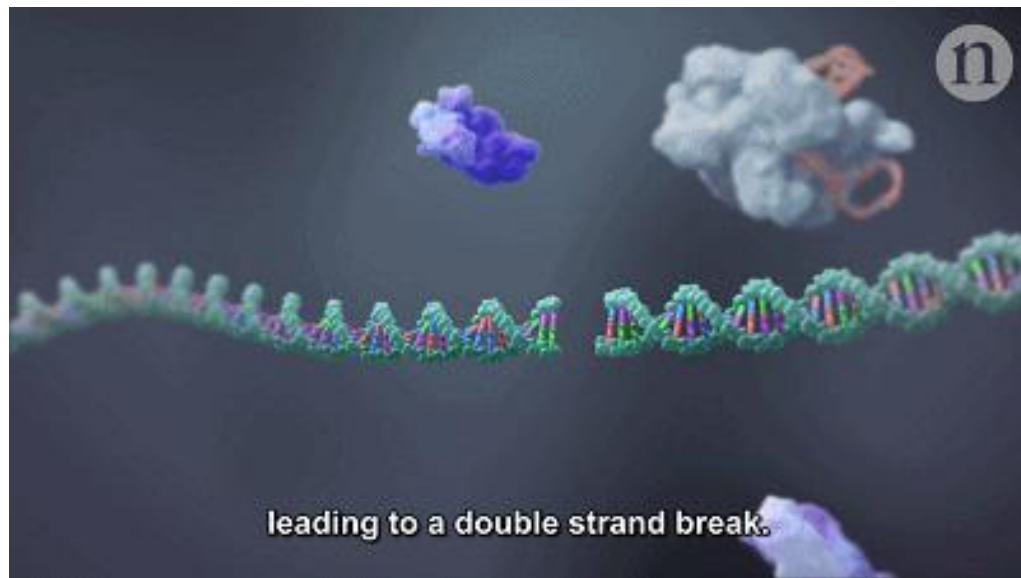
HDR→Point/Base editing



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利用NHEJ进行基因敲除

Gene Knock-out based on NHEJ



NHEJ→插入或缺失 (insertions and deletions, indels) →移码突变
变敲除/KO by Frameshift



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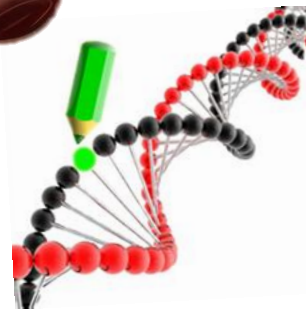
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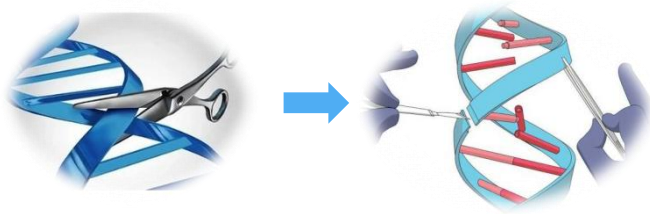
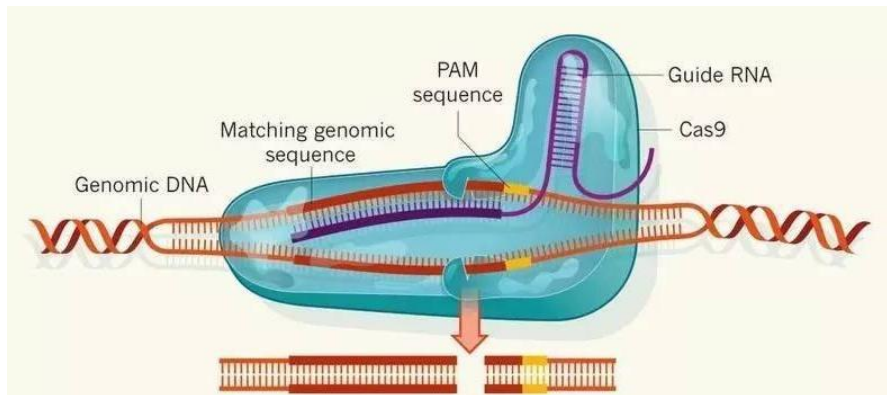
Ma Liang: character in a
Chinese Fable

碱基编辑器/Base Editors

Ma Liang's magic brush,
which make the painting
into reality



坏掉的剪刀/the Broken scissors— “nCas9” and “dCas9”



➤ 以CRISPR/Cas9为例, as an example

➤ **Cas9缺口酶** (nicking Cas9, nCas9) :

D10A **or** H840A

➤ **“死掉” 的Cas9** (dead Cas9, dCas9):

D10A **and** H840A



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CBEs (Cytosine Base Editors) --based on Cytosine deaminase

> Nature. 2016 May 19;533(7603):420-4. doi: 10.1038/nature17946. Epub 2016 Apr 20.

Programmable editing of a target base in genomic DNA without double-stranded DNA cleavage

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Developed by David Liu,

BE1: rAPOBEC1-dCas9

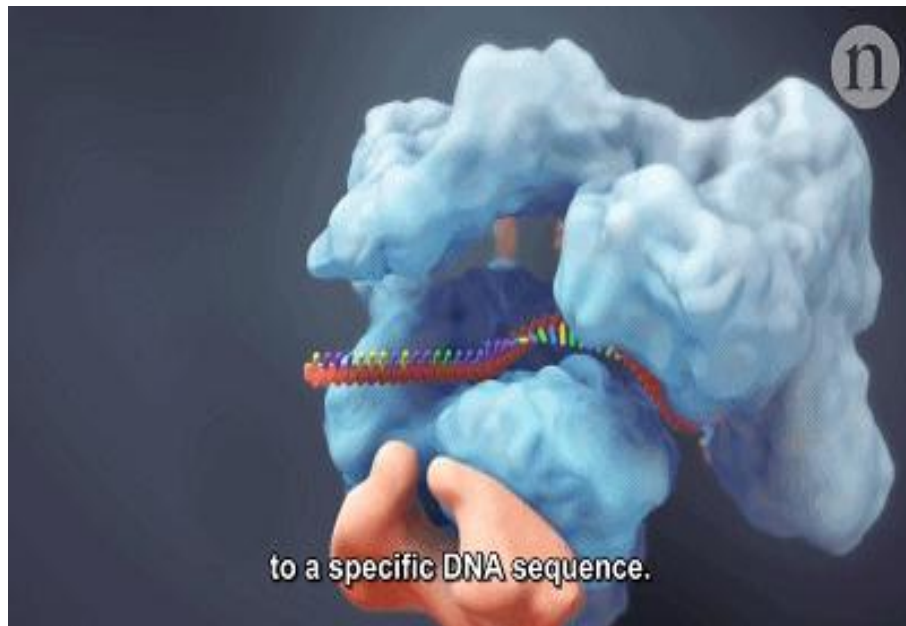
BE2: rAPOBEC1-dCas9-UGI

BE3: rAPOBEC1-nCas9-UGI

BE4: rAPOBEC1-nCas9-2×UGI

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Uracil Glycosylase Inhibitor (UGI)



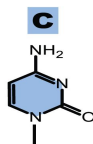
-NH₂:
amidogen



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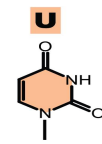
Cytosine

胞嘧啶



Uracil

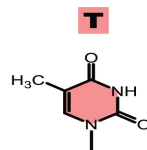
尿嘧啶



DNA聚合酶

Thymine

胸腺嘧啶



ABEs (Adenine Base Editors) --based on Adenine deaminase

Comparative Study > Nature. 2017 Nov 23;551(7681):464-471. doi: 10.1038/nature24644.

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Programmable base editing of A•T to G•C in genomic DNA without DNA cleavage

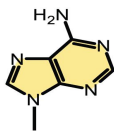
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Adenine

腺嘌呤

A

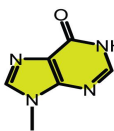


腺嘌呤
脱氨酶

Hypoxanthine

次黄嘌呤

I

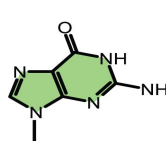


DNA聚合酶

Guanine

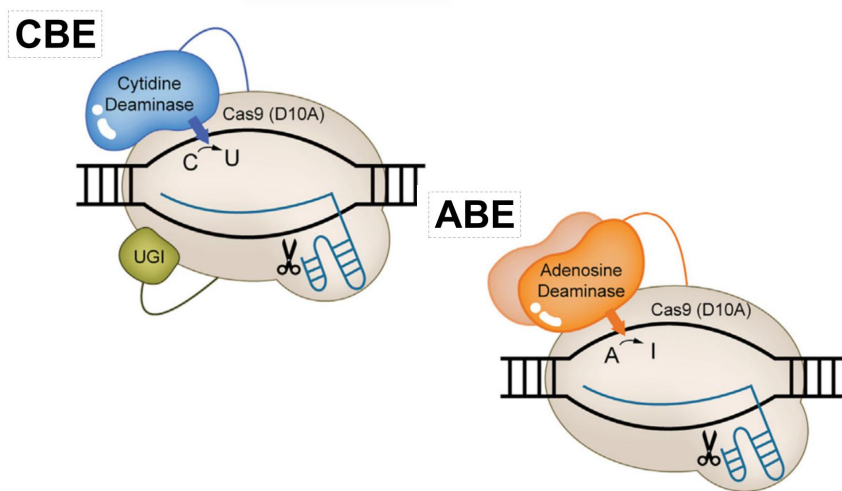
鸟嘌呤

G



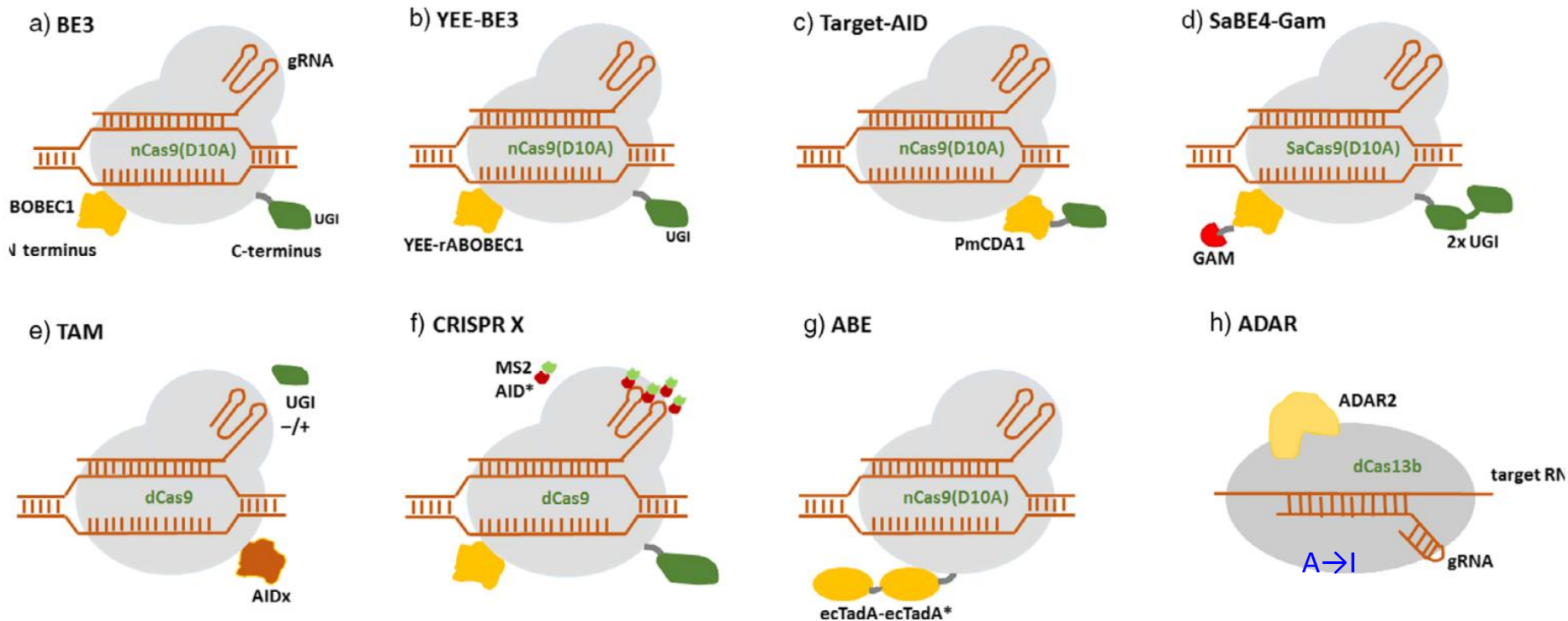
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ecTadA: *E. coli* tRNA adenosine deaminase



ABE7.10(ecTadA-ecTadA*-nCas9)

Different Versions of **dBEs** (**deaminase-based** Base Editors)



activation-induced cytosine deaminase (AID) ortholog **PmCDA1**



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Different Versions of **dBEs** (**deaminase-based** Base Editors)

Engineered **CRISPR-Cas12a** variants with increased activities and improved targeting ranges for gene, epigenetic and **base editing**

[BP Kleinstiver](#), [AA Sousa](#), [RT Walton](#), [YE Tak](#)... - Nature ..., 2019 - nature.com

... enAsCas12a improves the efficiency of multiplex gene **editing**, endogenous gene activation and C-to-T **base editing**, and we engineered a high-fidelity version of enAsCas12a (...)

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Hypercompact adenine **base editors** based on a **Cas12f** variant guided by engineered RNA

[DY Kim](#), [Y Chung](#), [Y Lee](#), [D Jeong](#), [KH Park](#)... - Nature chemical ..., 2022 - nature.com

... Cas12f is a hypercompact type V, **Cas12** family member. Previously, we reported ... **Editing** Technology). Having this feature in mind, we established TaRGET-based adenine **base editors** ...

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[Q Niu](#), [H Xie](#), [X Cao](#), [M Song](#), [X Wang](#)... - Plant Biotechnology ..., 2024 - pmc.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov

... We introduced the **base editor** into the elite soybean cultivar 'Xudou 18' through ... The **base-editing** events at the crRNA target sites showed an overall 2.16% **editing** efficacy (with 9216 ...)

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Innate programmable DNA binding by **CRISPR-Cas12m** effectors enable efficient **base editing**

[G Bigelyte](#), [B Duchovska](#), [R Zedaveinyte](#)... - Nucleic Acids ..., 2024 - academic.oup.com

... Cloning of **Cas12 base editors** expression vectors To obtain eukaryotic GoABE expression plasmid (pTK225), enAsCas12a sequence in enAsABE encoding plasmid (pTK221; gift from ...)

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Evolutionary mining and functional characterization of **TnpB** nucleases identify efficient miniature genome **editors**

[G Xiang](#), [Y Li](#), [J Sun](#), [Y Huo](#), [S Cao](#), [Y Cao](#), [Y Guo](#)... - Nature ..., 2024 - nature.com

... Various domains have been fused to dCas or nCas, establishing epigenome **editing**, **base editing** and prime **editing** technologies 5,6 . However, due to the large size (>1,200 amino ...)

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Development of miniature **base editors** using engineered **LscB nickase**

[D Han](#), [Q Xiao](#), [Y Wang](#), [H Zhang](#), [X Dong](#), [G Li](#)... - Nature ..., 2023 - nature.com

... and its corresponding ωRNA to develop an **LscB** system that is highly efficient in ... **LscB**-derived **base editors** (miBEs), exhibiting robust **editing** efficiency (up to 92%) to induce DNA **base** ...

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Engineered **LscB**-ωRNA system with expanded target range for **base editing**

[Q Xiao](#), [G Li](#), [D Han](#), [H Wang](#), [M Yao](#), [T Ma](#)... - Nature Chemical ..., 2024 - nature.com

... m16 RESH) and enωRNA) with robust **editing** activity and expanded the TAM range to ... **LscB**.m16*-based adenine and cytosine **base editors** demonstrating robust **base-editing** efficiency ...

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Engineering miniature **LscB** nickase for robust **base editing** with broad targeting range

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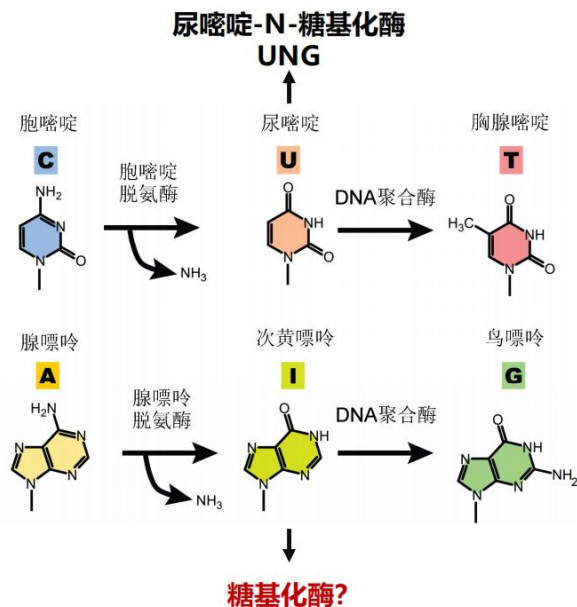
... , it is critical to improve the **editing** efficiency. Here, we focused on ... the **editing** efficiencies of **LscB**-mediated **base editors**. To test the **editing** efficiency of the **LscB**-mediated **base editor**, ...

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Mechanism of fighting against dBEs in cells

Uracil-DNA Glycosylase (UNG/UDG)



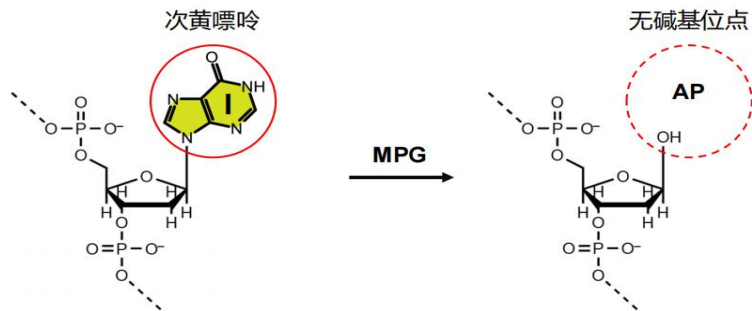
methylpurine DNA glycosylase (MPG)

MPG recognize and cut Hypoxanthine

N-甲基嘌呤 DNA 糖基化酶 (MPG) 具有切除次黄嘌呤的活性

人类 11 种 DNA 糖基化酶:

MPG, OGG1, MBD4, TDG, UNG, SMUG1, MUTHYH, NTHL1, NEIL1, NEIL2, NEIL3



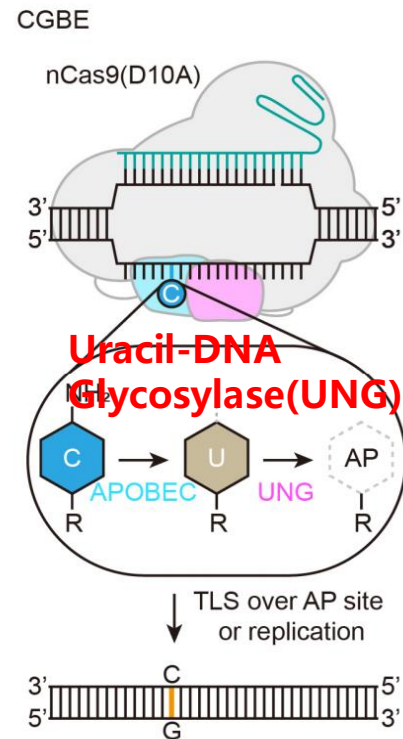
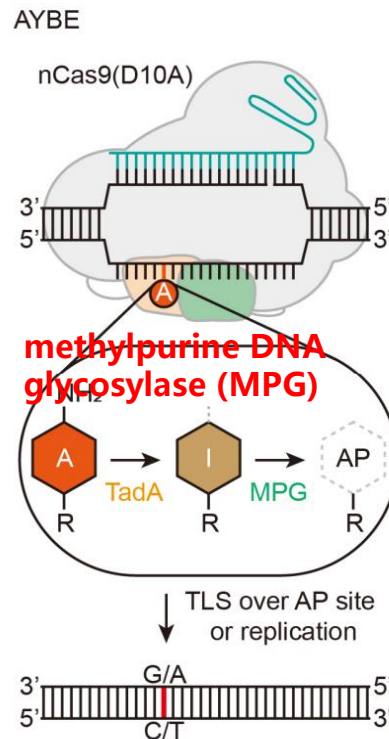
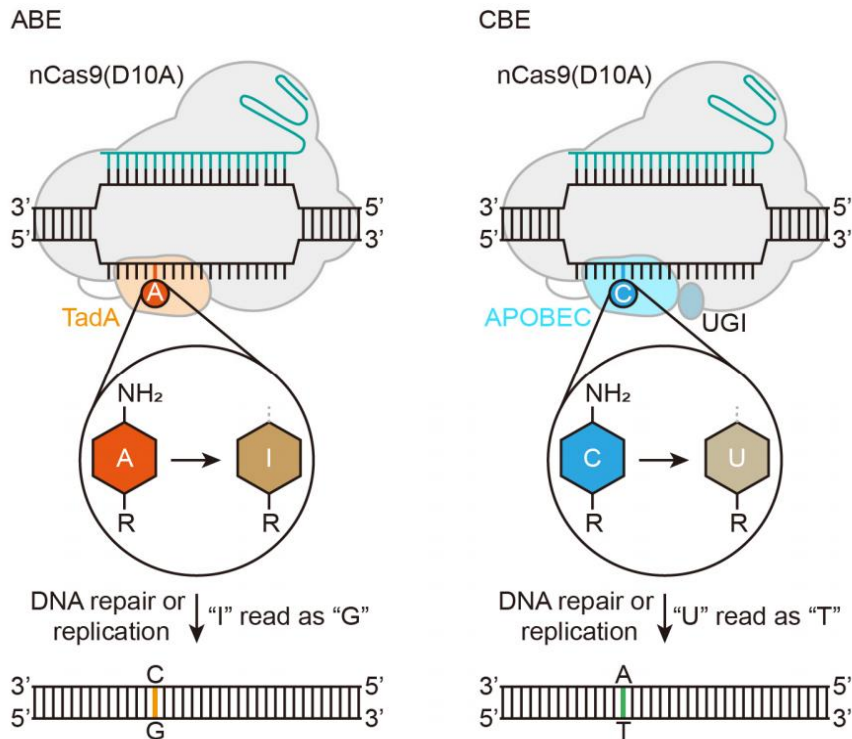
Abbrev.: MPG, N-methylpurine DNA Glycosylase; I, deoxyinosine; AP, Apurinic/apyrimidinic site

AP site: abasic site without any nucleoside



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dBEs vs dgBEs (deaminase & glycosylase-based Base Editors)



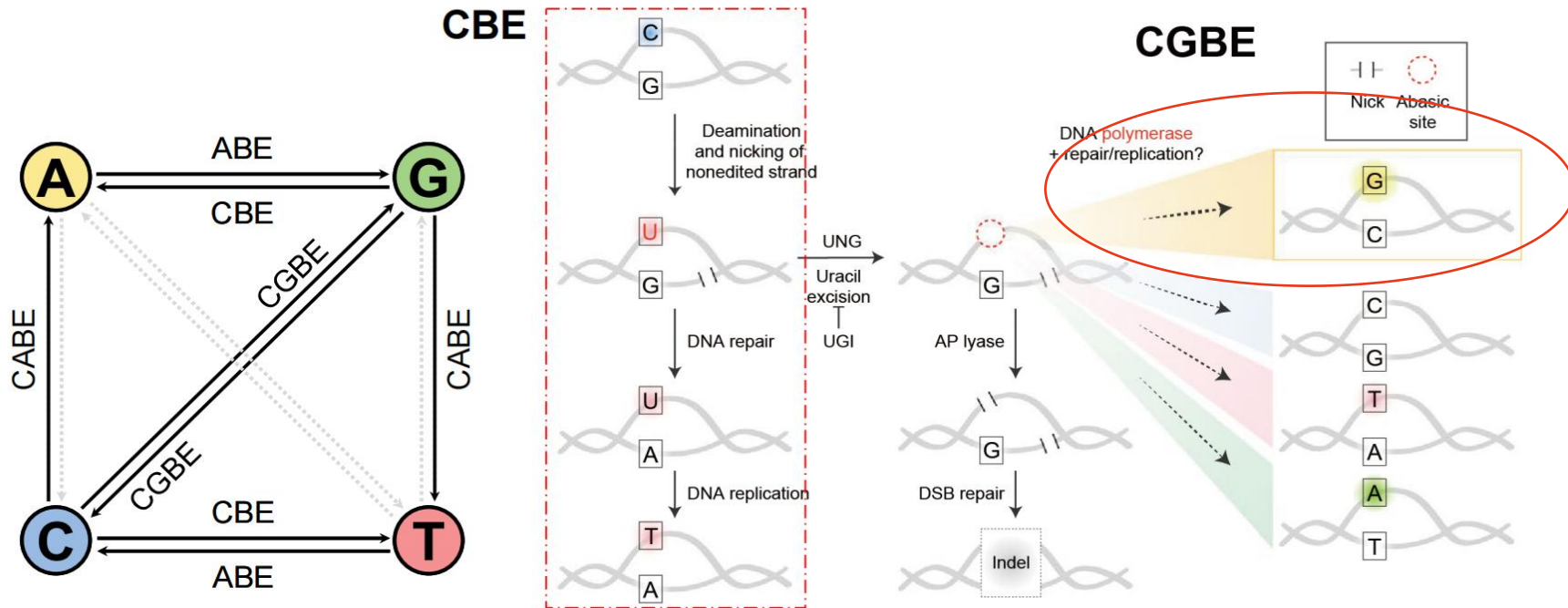
dBEs: deaminase-based Base Editors



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dgBEs

dgBEs--C-to-G Base editors (CGBE)



Abbrev.: U, Uracil; UNG, Uracil DNA Glycosylase; AP, Apurinic/apyrimidinic site; DSB, Double-Strand Break; TLS, Translesion Synthesis.



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UNG=UDG

dgBEs--A-to-Y(C/T) Base editors (AYBE)

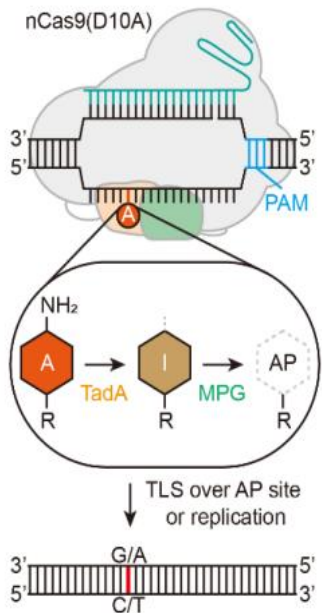
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Programmable A-to-Y base editing by fusing an adenine base editor with an N-methylpurine DNA glycosylase

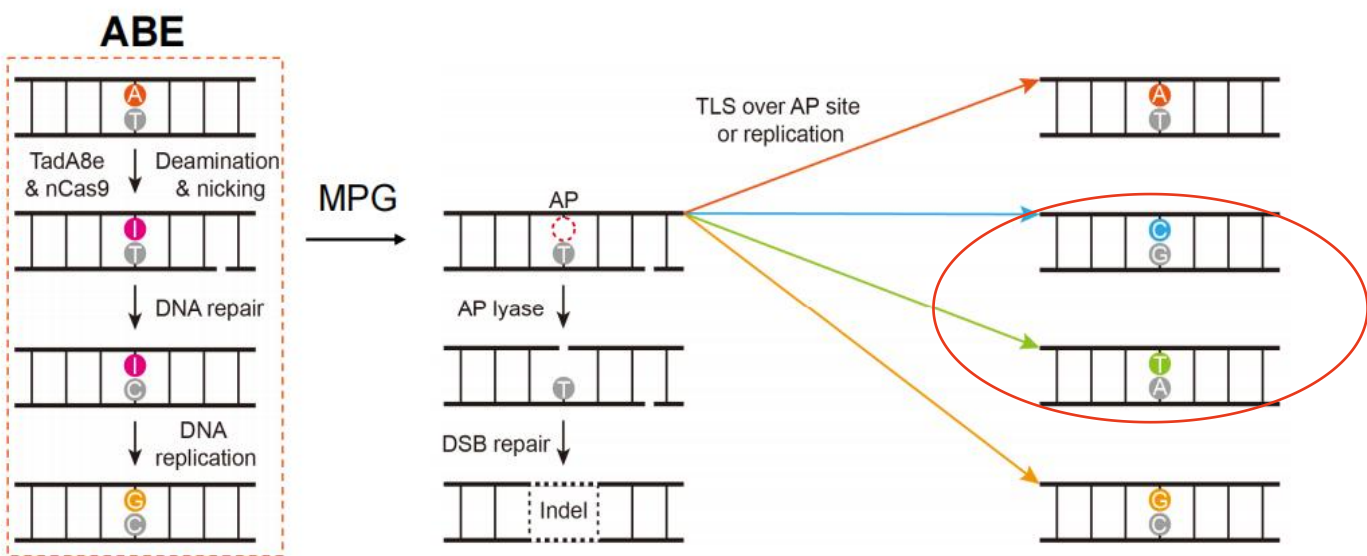
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AYBE 原型设计

ABE-MPG 融合



AYBE 碱基编辑原理



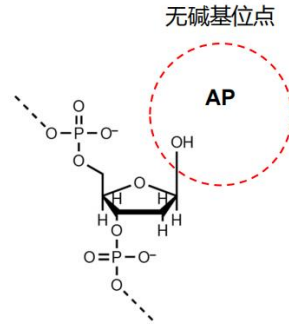
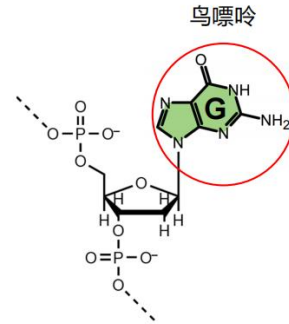
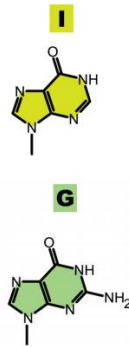
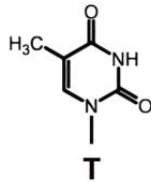
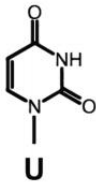
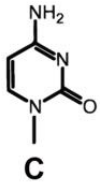
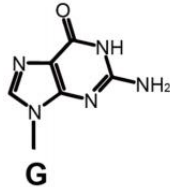
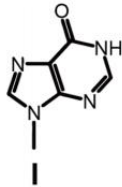
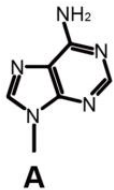
Abbrev.: AYBE, adenine transversion base editor; **MPG**, N-methylpurine DNA Glycosylase; **I**, deoxyinosine; **AP**, Apurinic/aprimidinic site; **DSB**, Double-Strand Break; **TLS**, Translesion Synthesis.



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How about Guanine and Thymine?



MPG
?



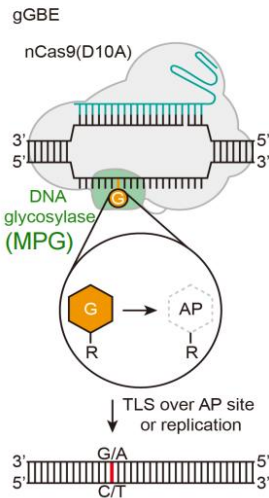
G and T cannot be converted into other bases through deamination reactions



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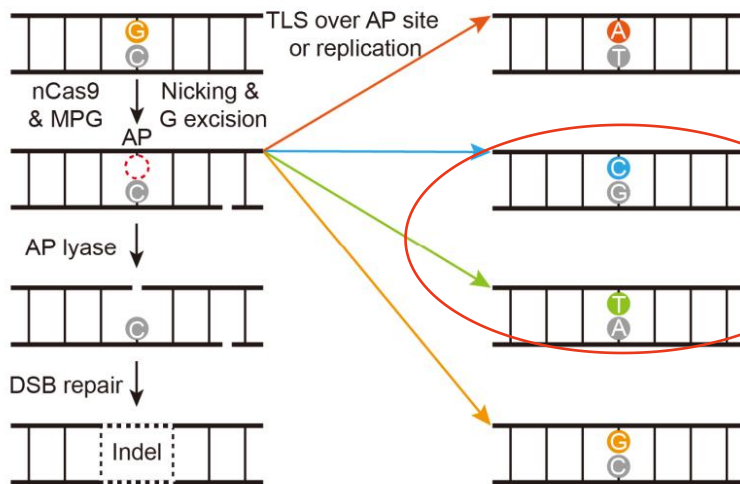
gBEs (glycosylase-based Base Editors) --gGBE (GYBE)

gGBE 原型设计



Abbrev.: gGBE, glycosylase-based guanine base editor; MPG, N-methylpurine DNA Glycosylase; I, deoxyinosine; AP, Apurinic/aprimidinic site; DSB, Double-Strand Break; TLS, Translesion Synthesis.

gGBE 碱基编辑原理



> Natl Sci Rev. 2023 May 16;10(8):nwad143. doi: 10.1093/nsr/nwad143. eCollection 2023 Aug.

Programmable deaminase-free base editors for G-to-Y conversion by engineered glycosylase

Huawei Tong¹, Nana Liu¹, Yinghui Wei¹, Yingsi Zhou¹, Yun Li¹, Danni Wu¹, Ming Jin², Shuna Cui¹, Hengbin Li¹, Guoling Li¹, Jingxing Zhou¹, Yuan Yuan¹, Hainan Zhang¹, Linyu Shi¹, Xuan Yao¹, Hui Yang^{1,3,4}



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gBEs (glycosylase-based Base Editors) --gCBE & gTBE

> Nat Biotechnol. 2024 Oct;42(10):1538-1547. doi: 10.1038/s41587-023-02050-w. Epub 2024 Jan 2.

Glycosylase-based base editors for efficient T-to-G and C-to-G editing in mammalian cells

Lijun Ye ^{# 1 2 3}, Dongdong Zhao ^{# 1 2 3}, Ju Li ^{# 4}, Yiran Wang ^{1 3 4}, Bo Li ^{1 2 3},
Yuanzhao Yang ^{1 3 5}, Xueting Hou ^{1 3}, Huibin Wang ^{1 3 5}, Zhandong Wei ^{1 3}, Xiaoqi Liu ^{1 3},
Yaqiu Li ^{1 3}, Siwei Li ^{1 3}, Yajing Liu ^{1 3}, Xueli Zhang ^{6 7 8}, Changhao Bi ^{9 10 11}

> Mol Cell. 2024 Apr 4;84(7):1257-1270.e6. doi: 10.1016/j.molcel.2024.01.021. Epub 2024 Feb 19.

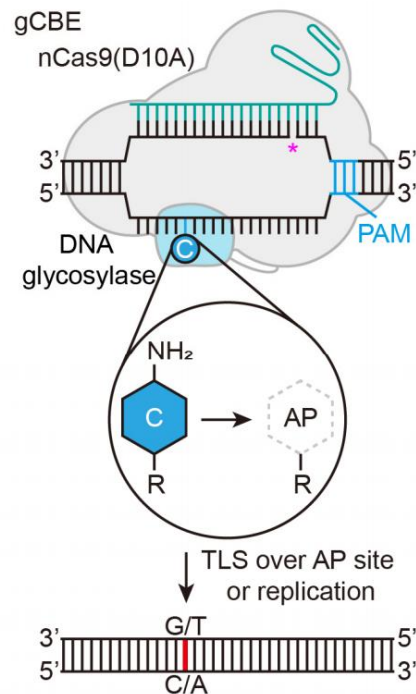
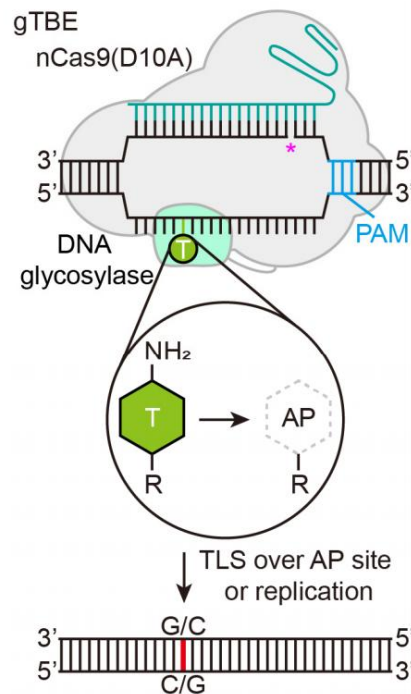
Protein language models-assisted optimization of a uracil-N-glycosylase variant enables programmable T-to-G and T-to-C base editing

Yan He ¹, Xibin Zhou ², Chong Chang ³, Ge Chen ³, Weikuan Liu ¹, Geng Li ³, Xiaoqi Fan ³,
Mingsun Sun ³, Chensi Miao ³, Qian Yue Huang ³, Yunqing Ma ³, Fajie Yuan ⁴, Xing Chang ⁵

> Nat Commun. 2024 Jun 8;15(1):4897. doi: 10.1038/s41467-024-49343-5.

Development of deaminase-free T-to-S base editor and C-to-G base editor by engineered human uracil DNA glycosylase

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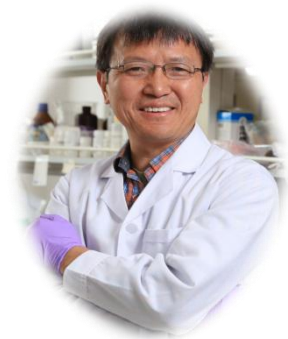
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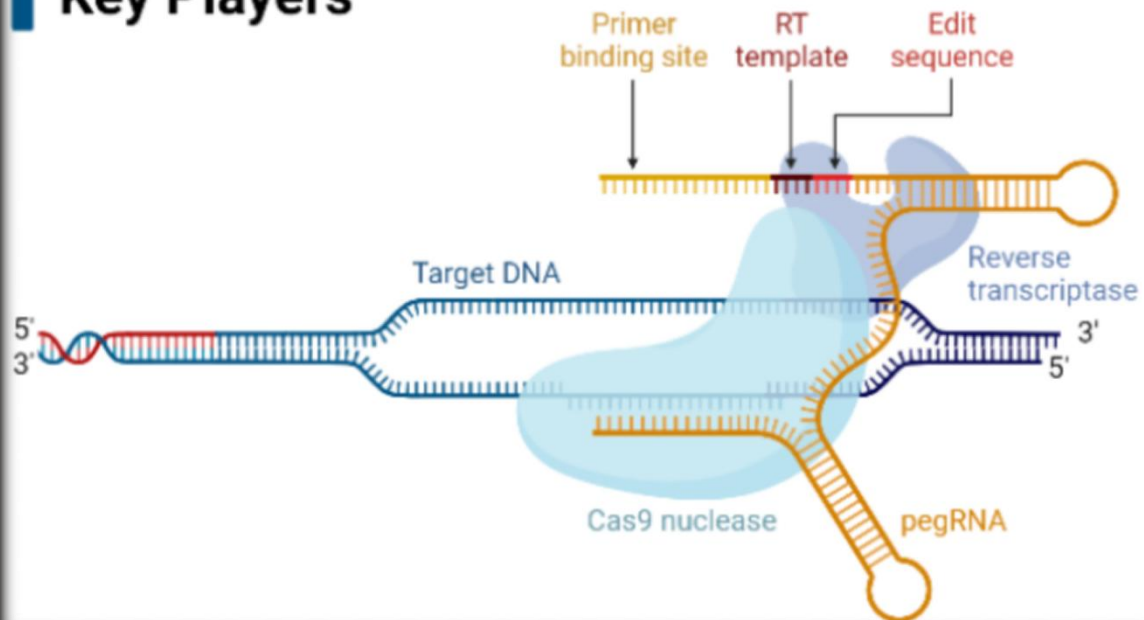
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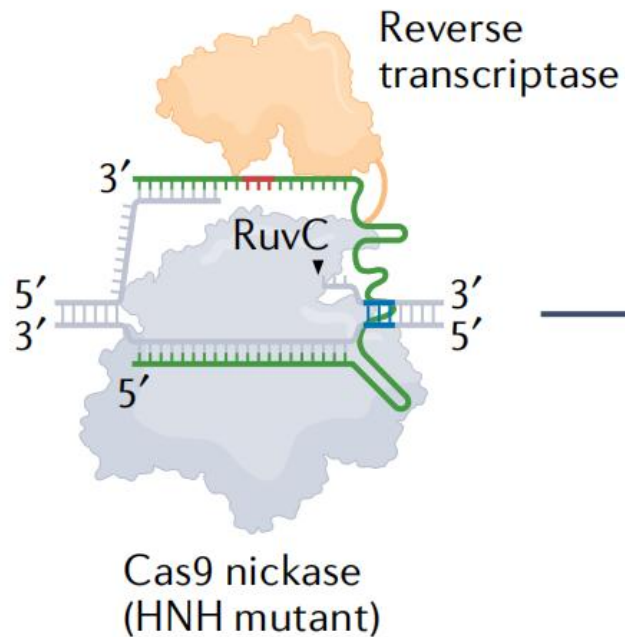


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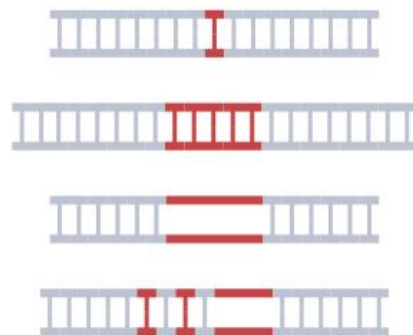
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1. PE1 and beyond



Reverse transcription



Precise nucleotide changes, insertions, deletions and combinations

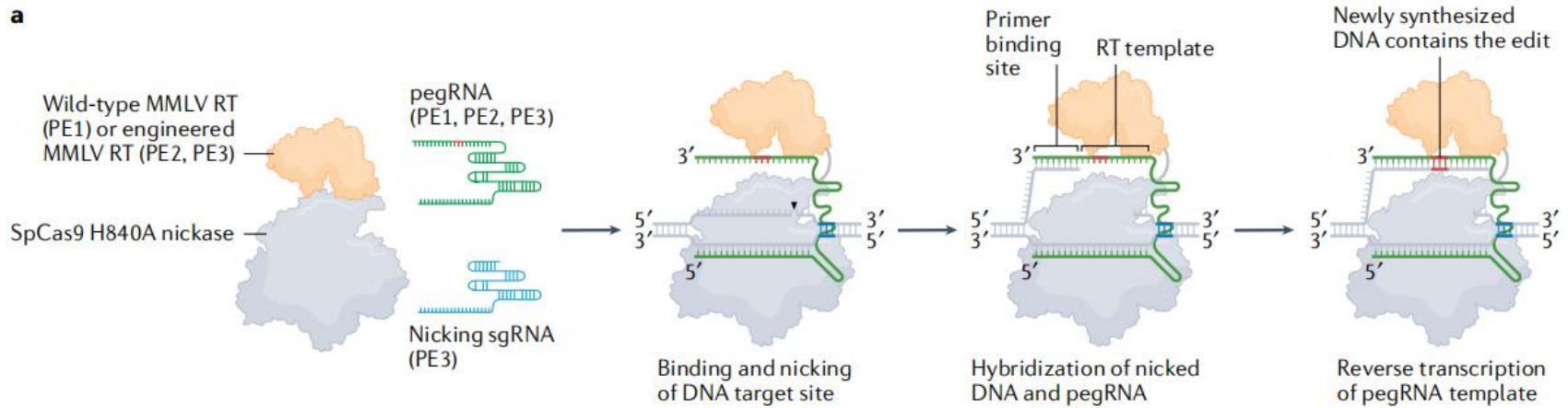
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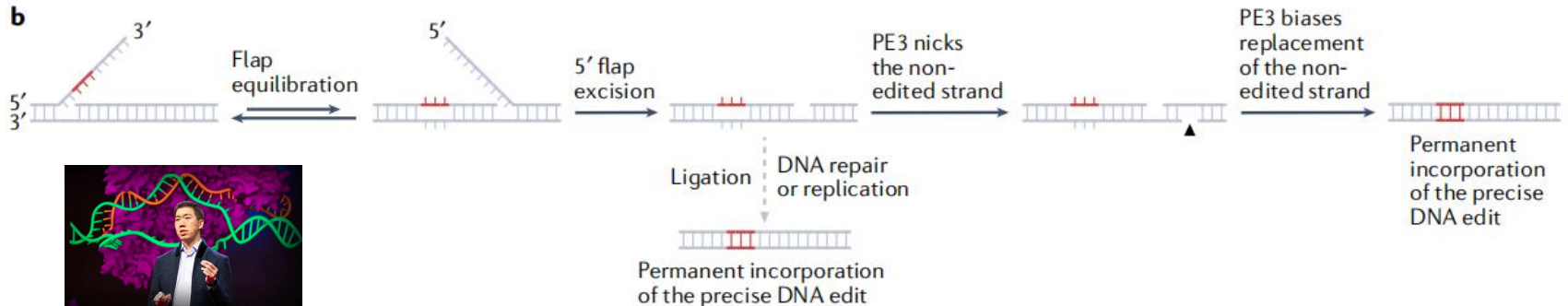
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2. PE2 and beyond

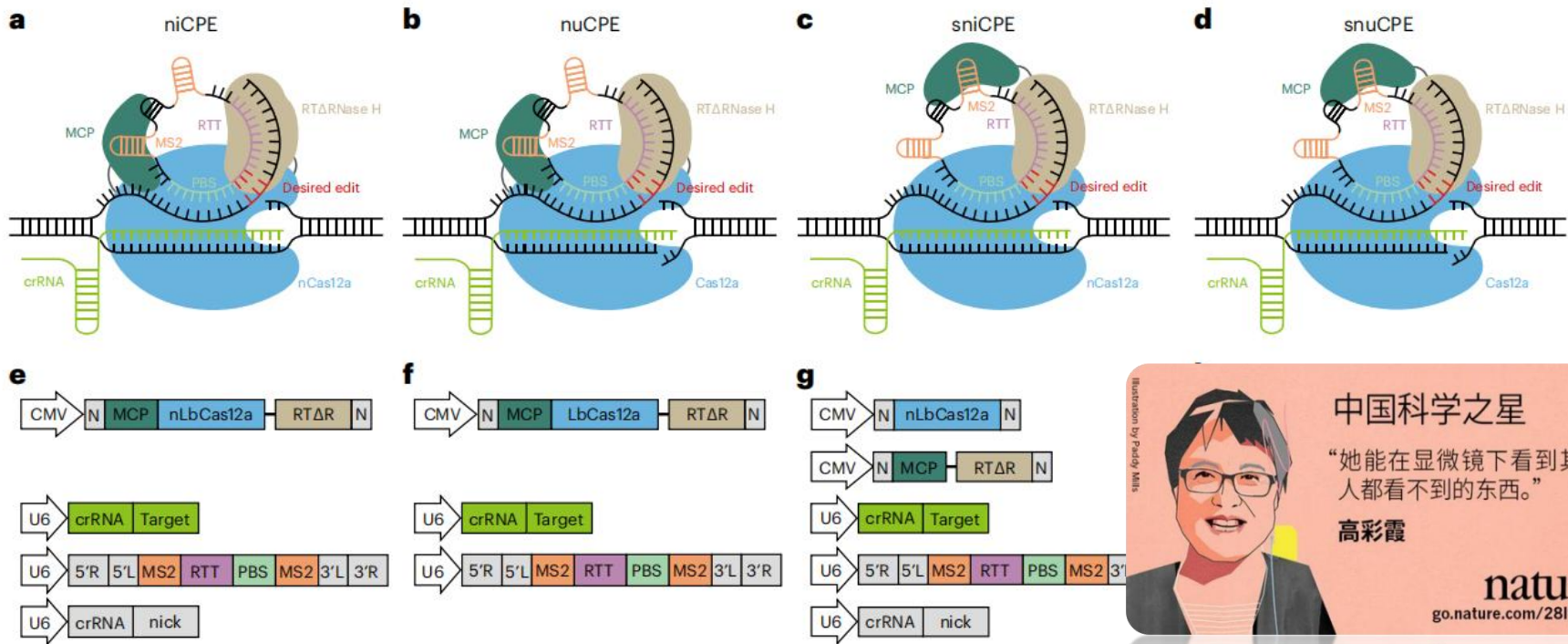
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3. circular RNA-mediated PEs



Recruitment by MCP

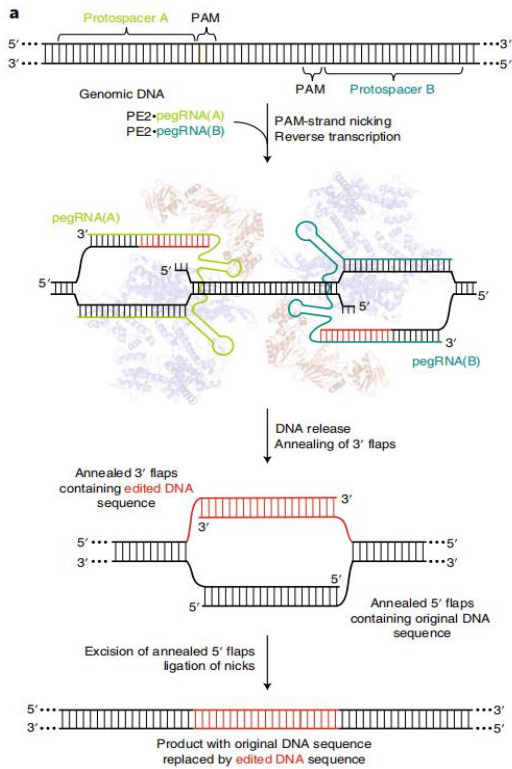


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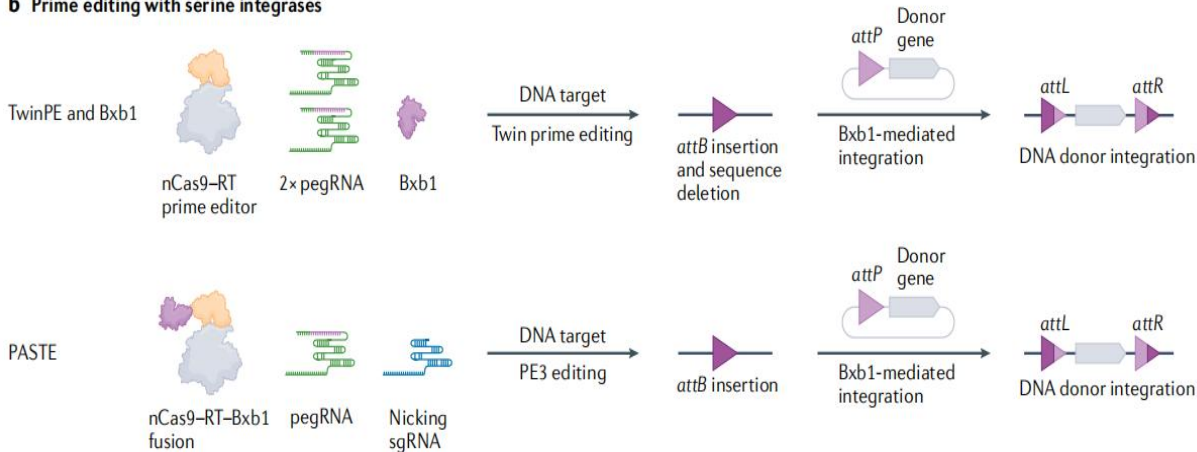


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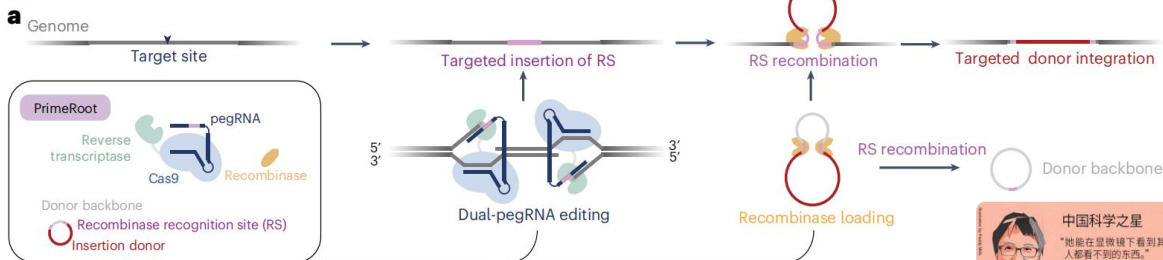
4. twinPE and beyond



b Prime editing with serine integrases



PrimeRoot



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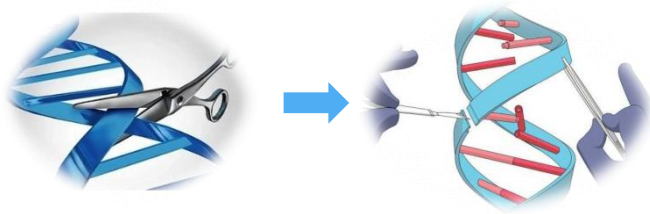
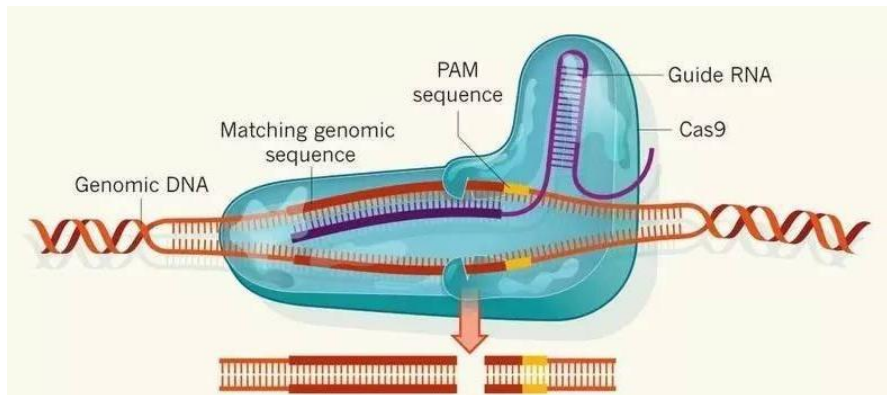
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Amazing and
Versatile CRISPR



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坏掉的剪刀/the Broken scissors— “nCas9” and “dCas9”



➤ 以CRISPR/Cas9为例, as an example

➤ **Cas9缺口酶** (nicking Cas9, nCas9) :

D10A **or** H840A

➤ **“死掉” 的Cas9** (dead Cas9, dCas9):

D10A **and** H840A



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A phoenix rising from flames. The background is a fiery orange and red sky with a bright yellow sun or fire source at the bottom center. A phoenix, depicted with long, flowing white and yellow feathers, is shown rising from the flames, its wings spread wide. The overall scene is dramatic and symbolic of rebirth.

CRISPR之凤凰涅槃

凤凰：The auspicious beast second only to the dragon in Chinese mythology, which is assumed can reborn from the ashes

凤凰涅槃—dCas9

Phenix Rebirth - dCas9

Cas9死了？不，

Is Cas9 dead? No,

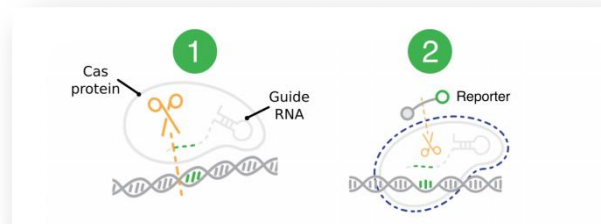
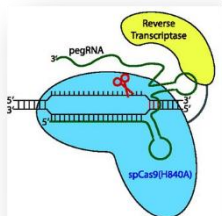
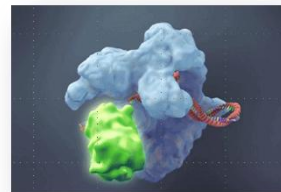
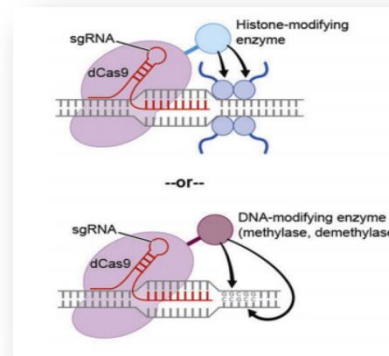
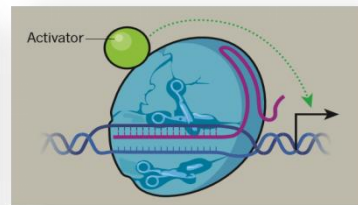
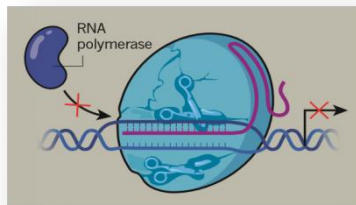
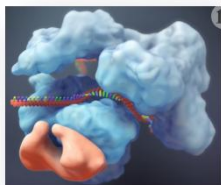
它还活着！

It is still alive!

并且很精彩！

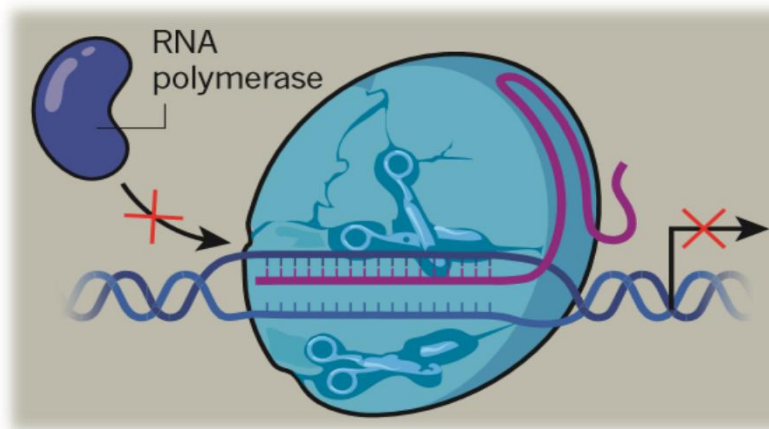
And a wonderful living!

“八臂哪吒” /Nezha's eight arms-- CRISPR-derived technologies

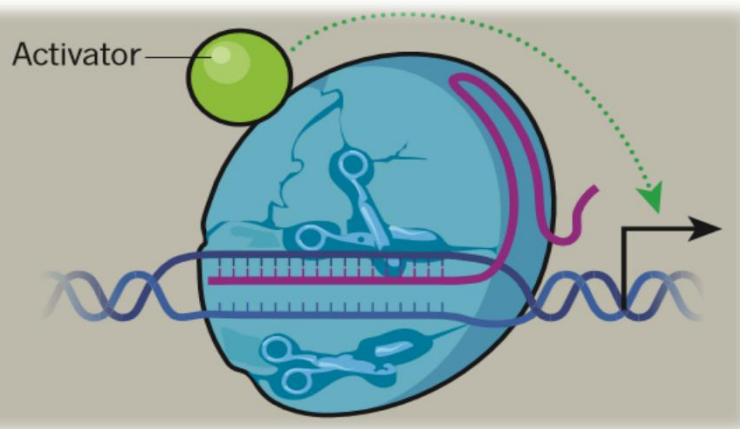


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“八臂哪吒” /Nezha's eight arms-- CRISPRi and CRISPRa



- CRISPR interference (CRISPRi)

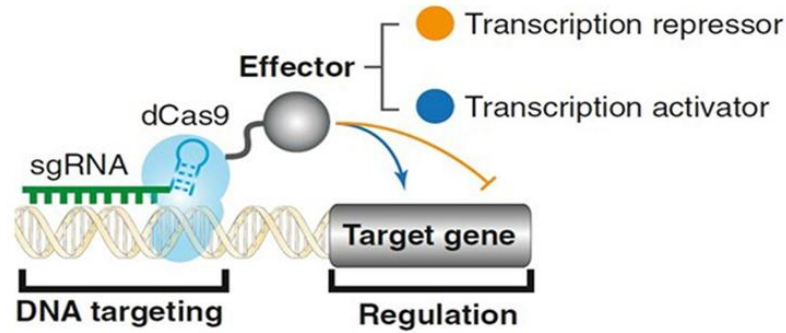


- CRISPR activator (CRISPRa)

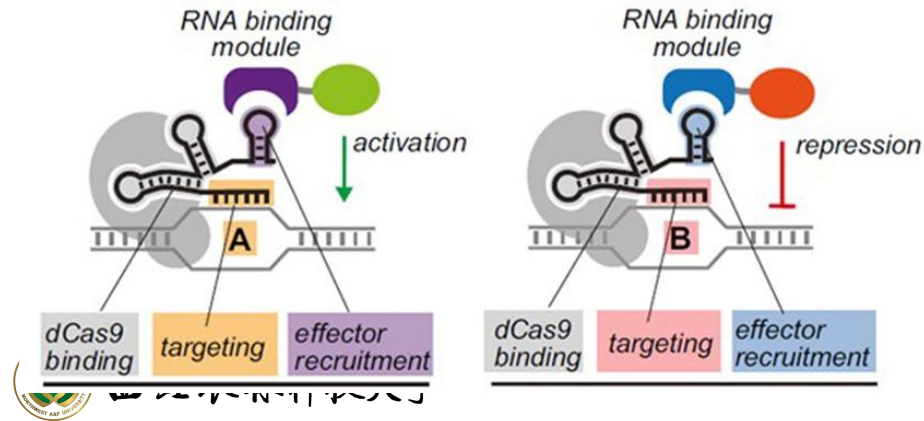


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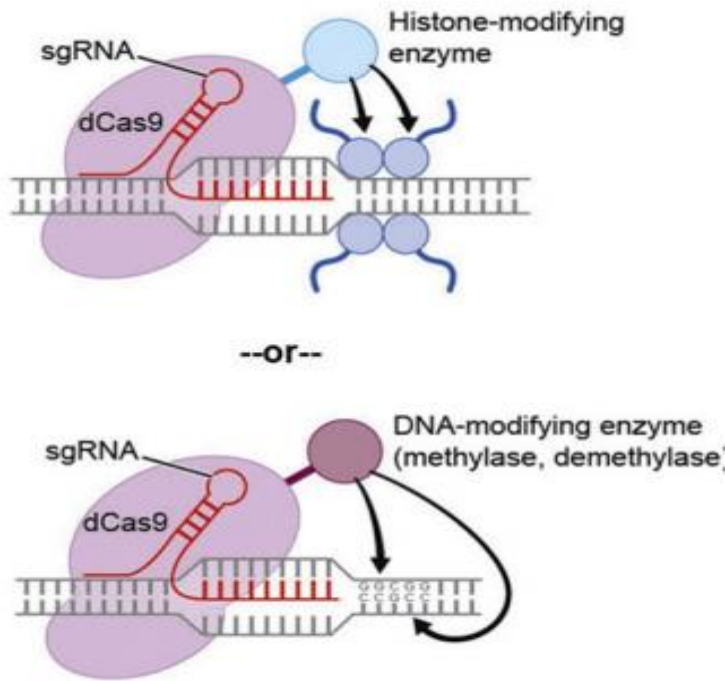
(1) dCas9 fusion



(2) sgRNA tether



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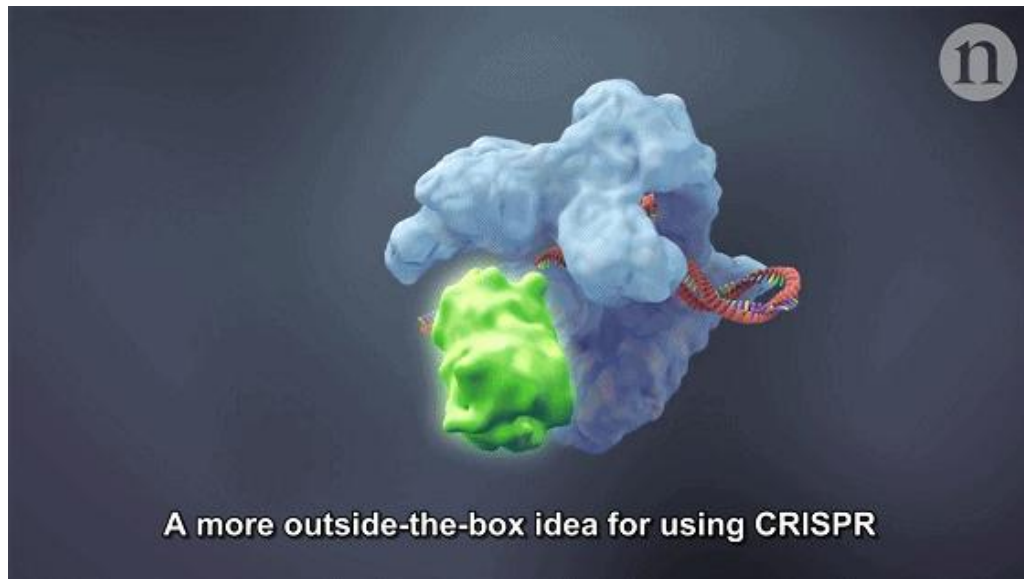
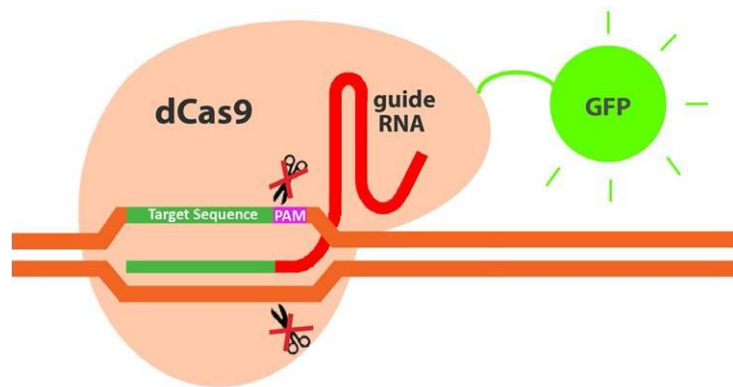


dCas9 fusion/sgRNA tether



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“八臂哪吒” /Nezha's eight arms-- CRISPR imaging



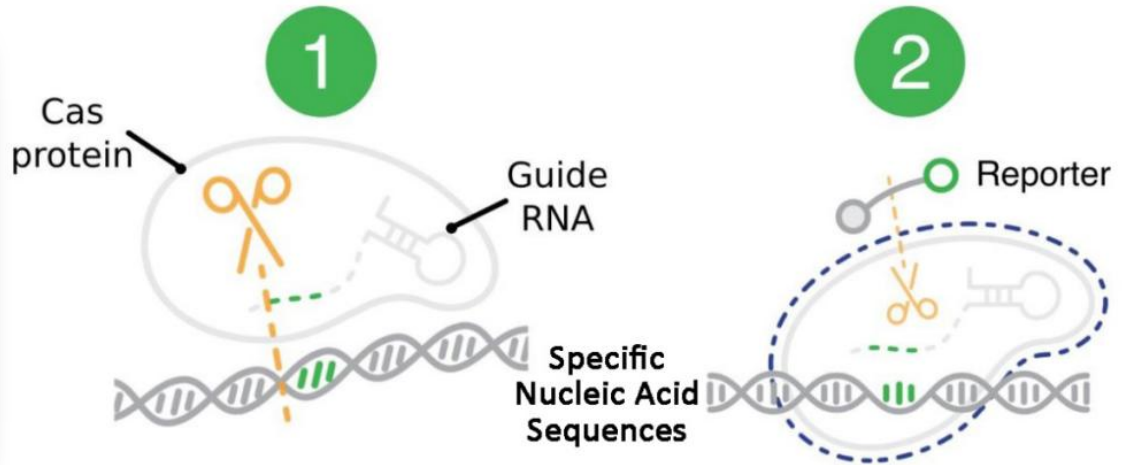
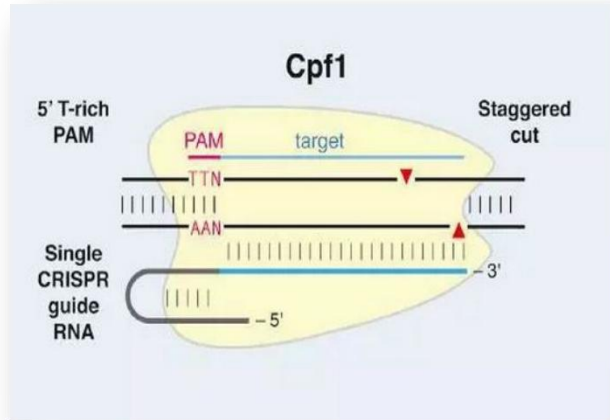
Genomic dynamic imaging and living cell tracing



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“八臂哪吒” /Nezha's eight arms-- CRISPR detection

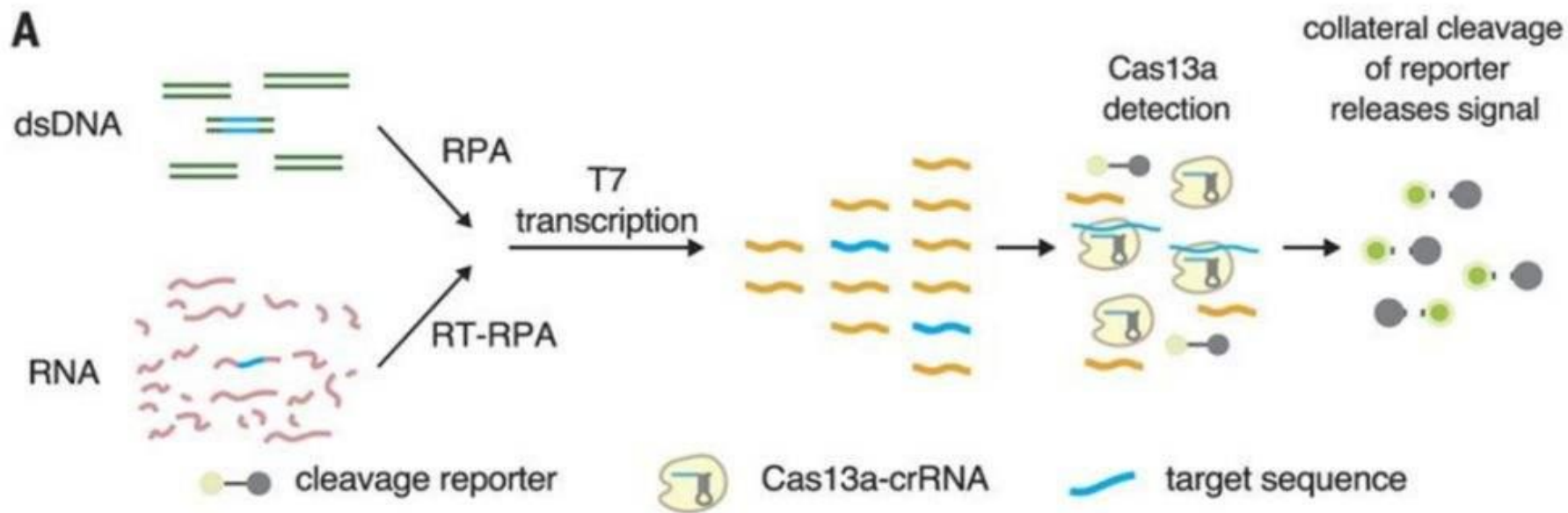
DNA Endonuclease Targeted CRISPR Trans Reporter (DETECTR)



CRISPR/Cas12a Non-specific bypass-cutting effect

Specific High-sensitivity Enzymatic Reporter Unlocking (SHERLOCK)

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Infinite possible by gene editing
and beyond technologies



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Gene editing and beyond — 改变世界的技术/Technologies that changing the world

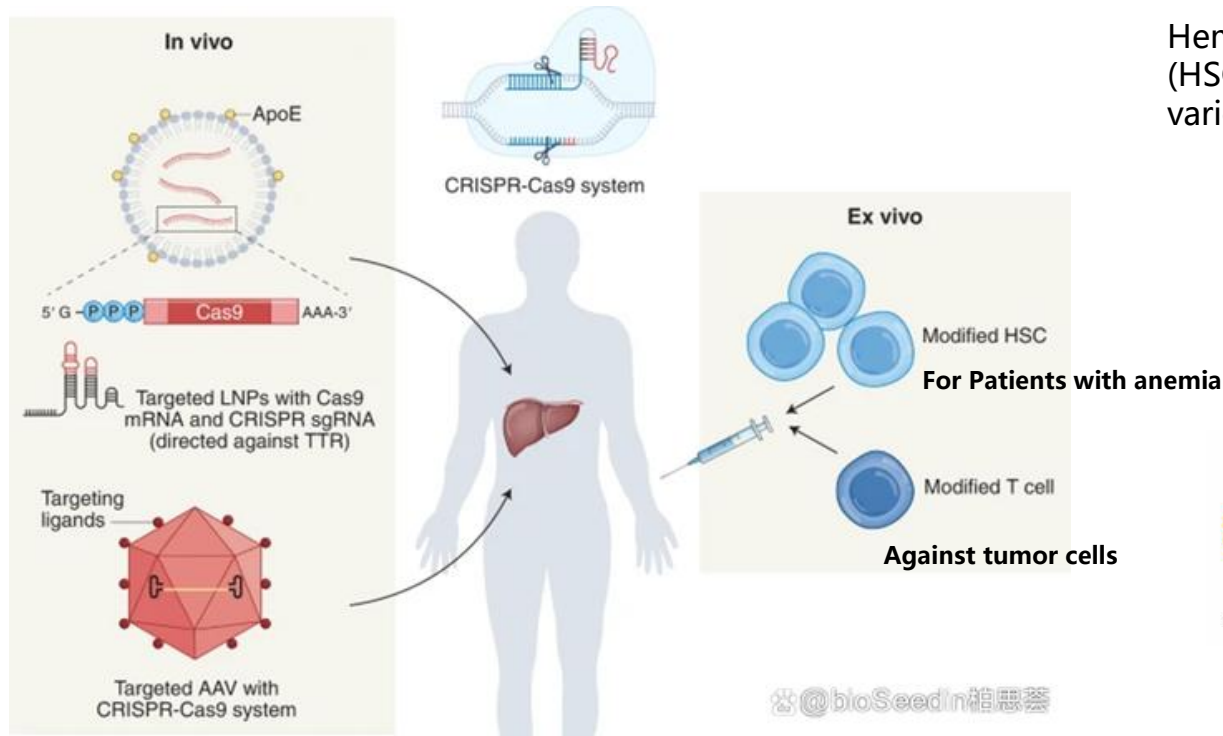


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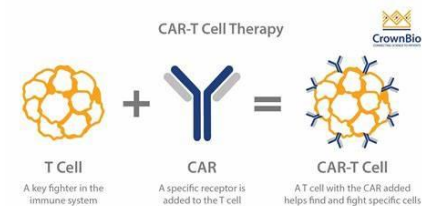
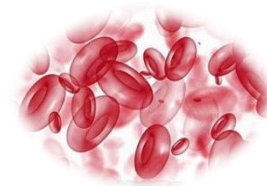
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Engineering of **Animal**, **Plant** and **Microbe** lives for **Agricultural Breeding**, **Gene Therapy**, as well as **Life Investigation**.

In vivo & Ex vivo Gene Therapy



Hematopoietic stem cells (HSC) for differentiating into various blood cells



Targeting viruses lurking in the human body



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Building the organ factory , xenotransplantation changes the future

打造未来器官工厂 异种移植改变未来

潘登科博士
Dr. Pan DK



FIRST GENETICALLY MODIFIED PIG LIVER TRANSPLANT

TRANPLANTE DE HIGADO CERDO

CHINA PERFORMS THE FIRST GENETICALLY MODIFIED PIG LIVER TRANSPLANT TO A HUMAN

in an unprecedented medical advance, a team of surgeons in China successfully transplanted a genetically modified pig liver into a brain-dead human patient.

PROCEDURE DETAILS

- Conducted at Xijing Military Hospital in Xi'an
- Lin Wang's team used a liver from a 7-month-old Bama miniature pig with six genetic modifications
- Liver was implanted as an additional organ and functioned for 10 days

IMPLICATIONS AND FUTURE

- Represents a step towards using animal organs as 'therapeutic bridges'
- Further research needed to assess long-term viability

Challenges and ethical considerations

- Risk of immunological rejection and zoonotic diseases

Bama miniature pig

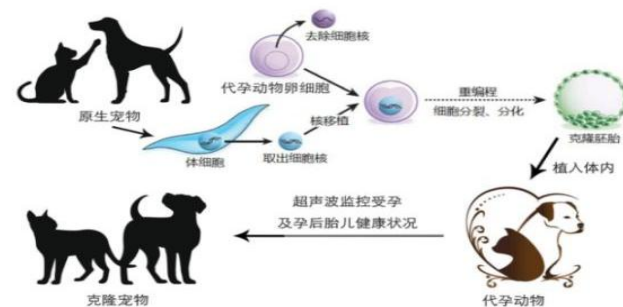
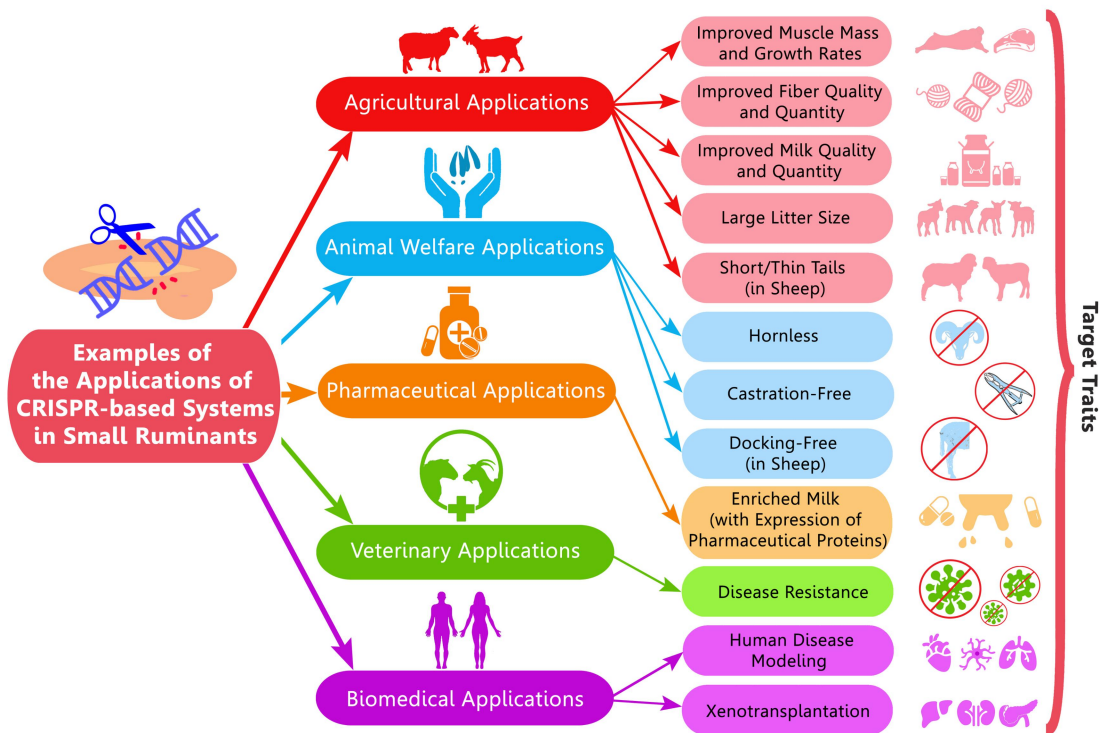
组织等生物产品的研发

First Genetically Modified Pig Liver Transplant to human

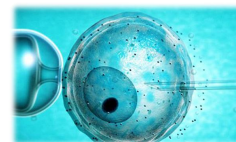
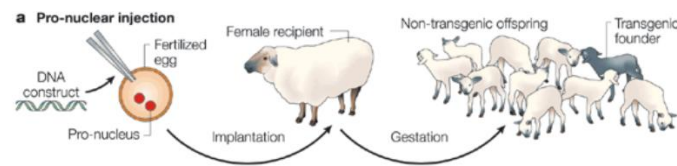


Pigs for xenotransplantation

Animal Engineering and Breeding



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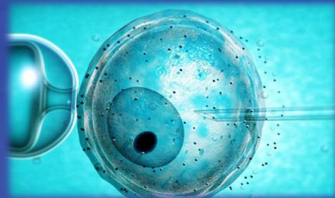


By embryo microinjection



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基因编辑婴儿:
Gene-edited babies-
伦理之殇
Tragedy of Ethics in Research

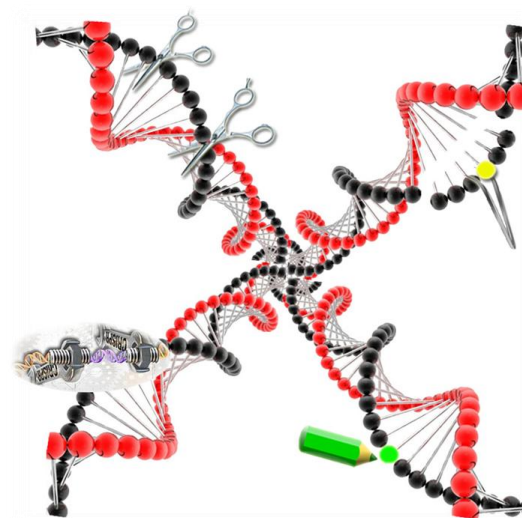


Once caused huge
controversy in public



Assignments and Discussions:

1. 请列举5种以上基于不同基因编辑工具的基因敲除策略, 并简述其基本原理; Please list more than five gene knockout strategies based on different gene editing tools and briefly introduce their basic molecular principles
2. 试论述制备基因编辑动物的是和制备基因编辑婴儿的非; Try to discuss the different ethical considerations in the development of Genetically Edited Animals vs. Genetically Edited human Infants





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