

# ***MGC: Its Status and Future***

## **Interactome Networks**

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    - Gerhard et al., Gen Research 14:2121, 2004

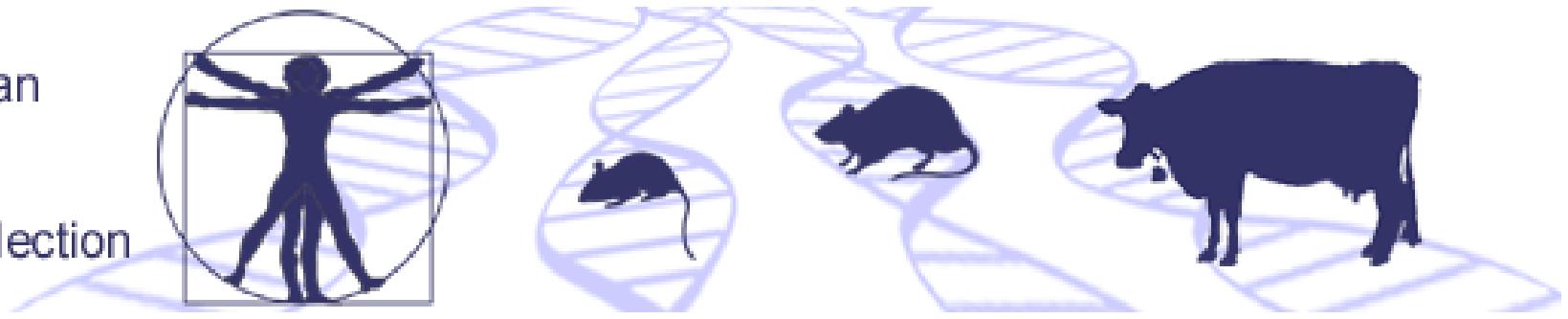
# Outline

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- FL clones from cDNA libraries (Phase I)
- PCR Generation of Human & Mouse Full-CDS Clones (Phase II)
- De novo Predictions of Human Exons, Genes, & Full-CDS Sequences (Phase III)
- Results of DNA Synthesis Pilot & Follow-up for Human and Mouse (Phase IV)
- Human ORFeome Collaboration

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# ***MGC: Phase I***

**XGC**

**ZGC**

# Method:

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- Unidirectional cDNA libraries made by a number of academic laboratories and contractors
- 5' reads from 5,000 – 20,000 clones
  - Xenopus also has 3' reads
- 5' EST used to predict initiator methionine by 4 alternative methods
  - Match to RefSeq
  - Protein comparison
  - GenomeScan comparison
  - HKScan starts (human and mouse only)

# *Current Status*



[mgc.nci.nih.gov](http://mgc.nci.nih.gov)

21-Aug-06	Human	Mouse	Rat	Cow
Total MGC full ORF clones	24,014	19,096	5,058	4,680
Non-redundant genes	14,172	13,332	4,773	4,130
Candidate clones for full-length sequencing	3,054	1,361	794	4,076
Goal	18,368	18,471	6250	10,000
% of goal	77.2	72.2	76.4	41.3



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**Clone Info**

- [Where to Buy](#)
- [Vectors & Method Overviews](#)

**Sequencing Info**

- [Candidate Clones for Genes](#)
- [MGC ESTs](#)

**MGC Info**

- [Project Summary](#)
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**Other Species Collections**

- [Danio \(ZGC\)](#)
- [Xenopus \(XGC\)](#)

# IMAGE Consortium Distributors

➤ American Type Culture Collection

➤ Invitrogen, Inc

➤ Open Biosystems

➤ MRC Geneservice

➤ Resource Center of the German Human Genome Project



# *Current Status*



xgc.nci.nih.gov

Under the auspices of NIHCD (S. Klein & D.S. Gerhard )  
Collaboration with JGI: Erika Lindquist and P. Richardson

21-Aug-06	<i>Iaevi</i> s	<i>tropicalis</i>
Total XGC full ORF clones	8,867	3,528
Non-redundant genes	8,422	2,909
Candidate clones for full-length sequencing	661	3,807
Goal (estimates)	9,200	9,000
% of goal	91.5	32.3



Morin et al.,

Genome Res 16: 796-803, 2006

Analysis: 8049 FL cDNA from *X. laevis*  
2918 FL cDNA from *X. tropicalis*

Results: 445 gene trios (allo tetraploidization-derived *X. laevis* gene pair and their shared *X. tropicalis* ortholog)

- ▶  $d_N/d_s$  comparisons within trios show evidence for purifying selection
- ▶  $d_N/d_s$  ratios within *X. laevis* are significantly elevated, i.e. relaxation of selective pressures on duplicated gene pairs

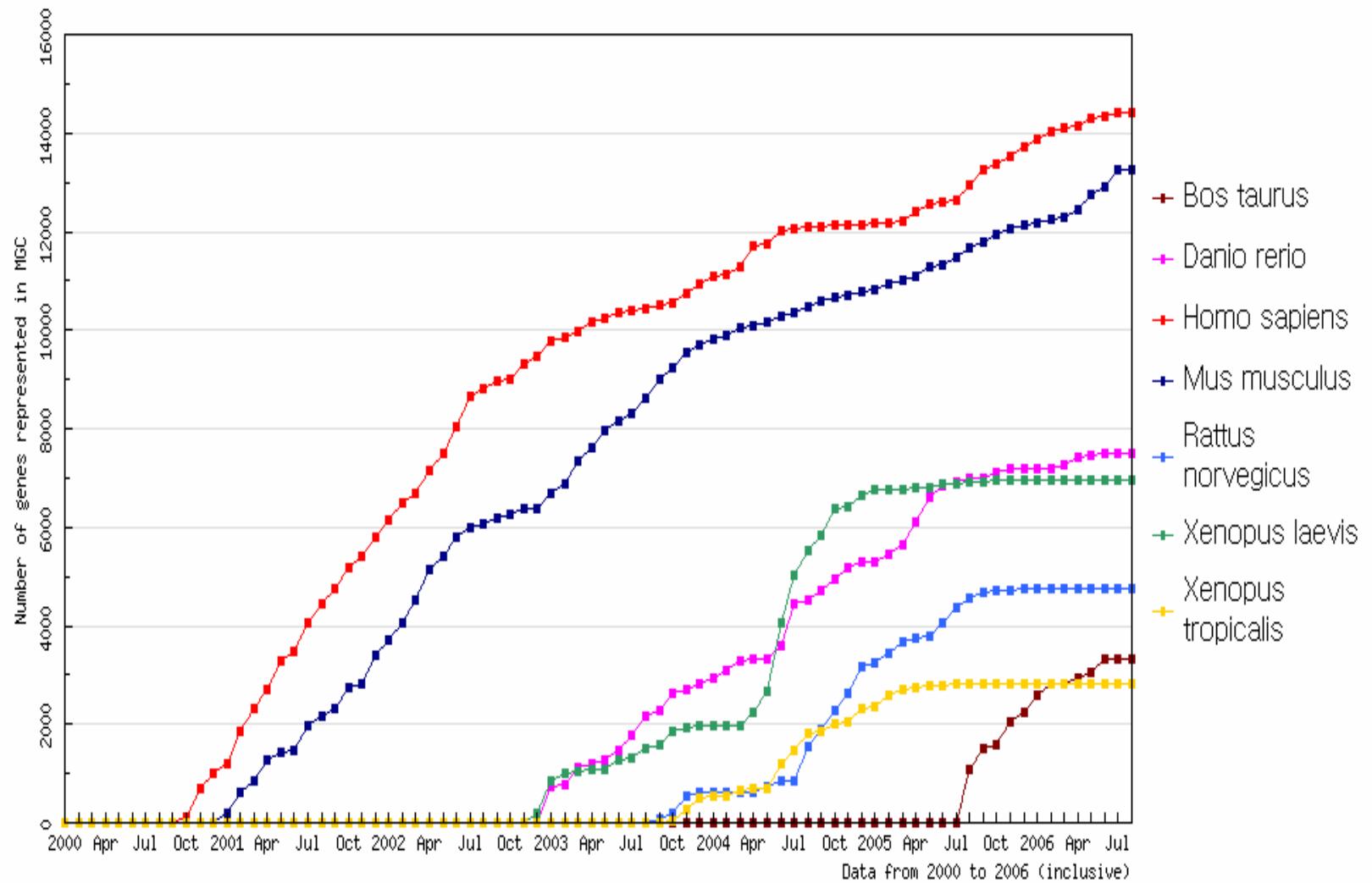
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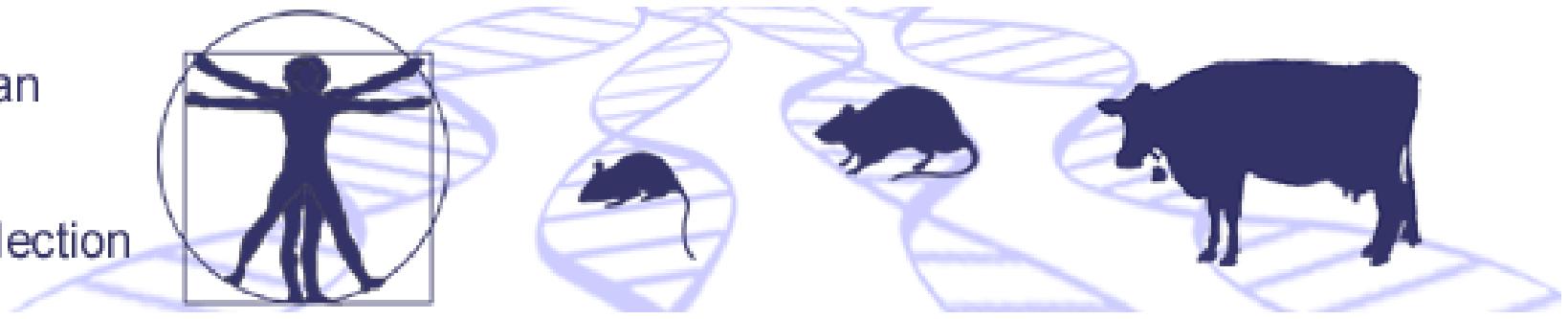


**zgc.nci.nih.gov**  
Under the auspices of NIDDK R. Rasooli

21-Aug-06	#
Total ZGC full ORF clones	8,771
Non-redundant genes	7,640
Candidate clones for full-length sequencing	1,173
Goal	15,000
% goal	50.9

# MGC Progress as of August 4, 2006





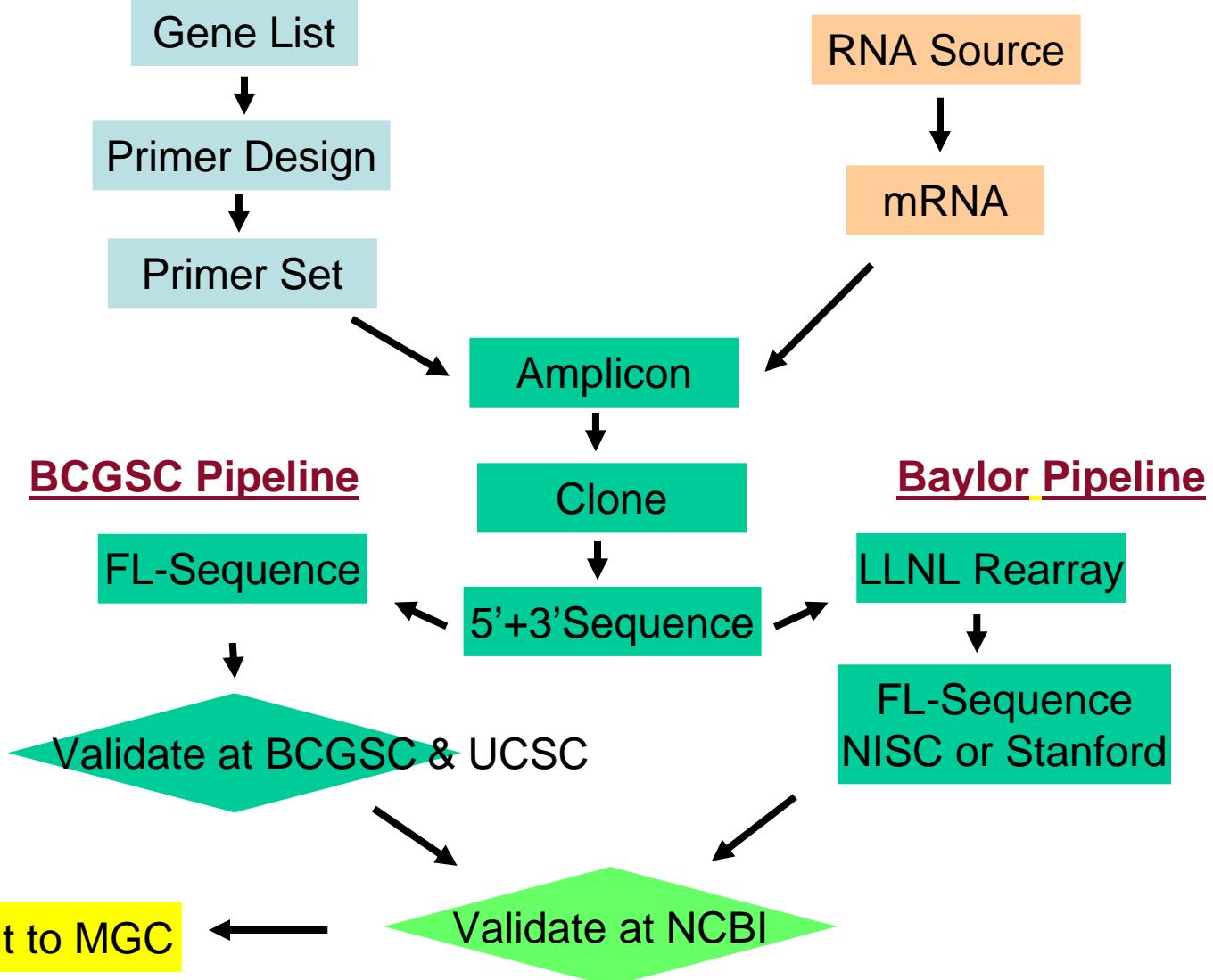
## ***MGC: Phase II***

## ***PCR-based cloning***

Pilot: 2003

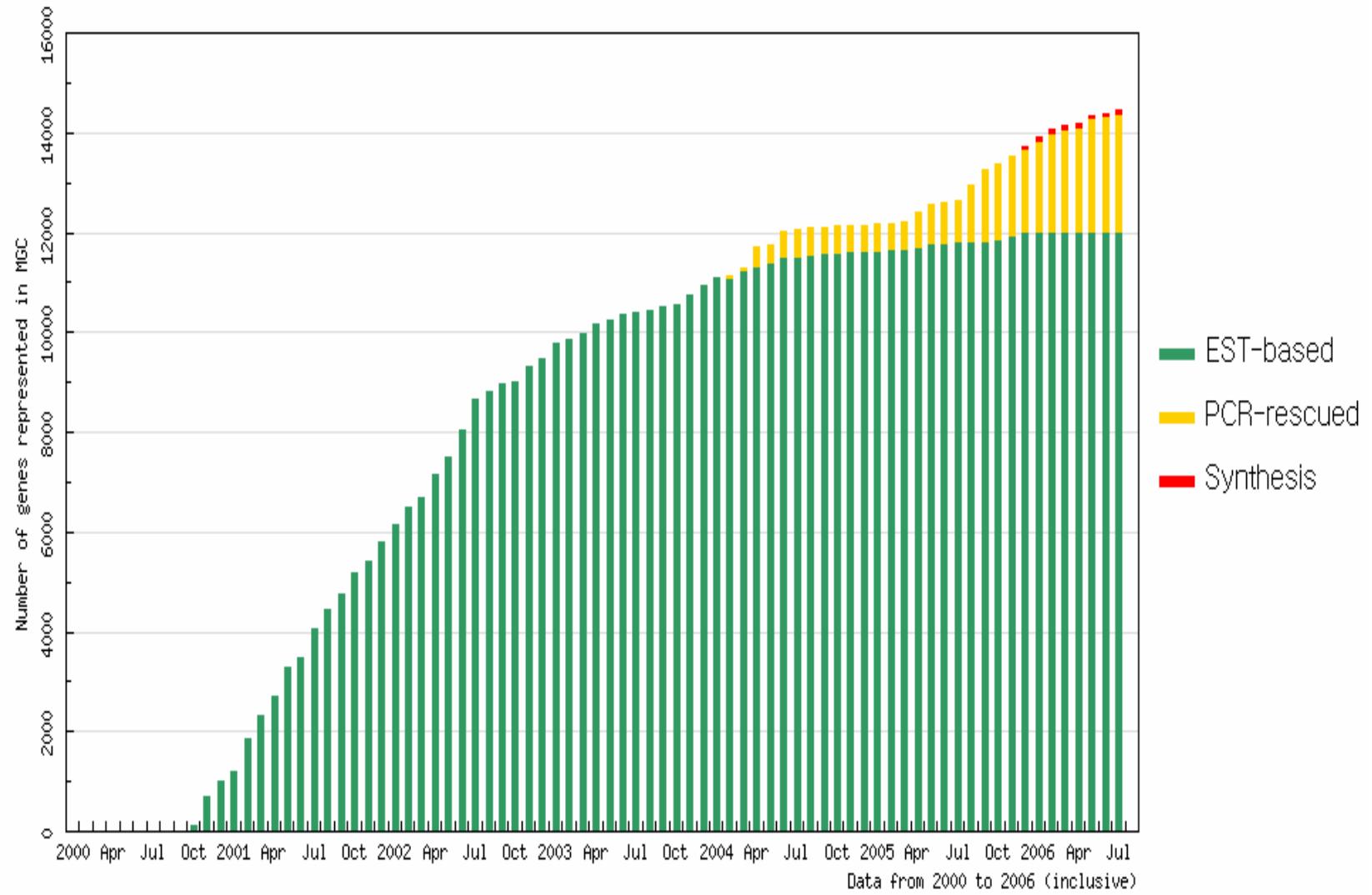
Full scale: 2004

# ORF Cloning by PCR Rescue



(Adapted from Hirst, M, 2005)

# *Progress of Homo sapiens clones by method*



# Accomplished

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- For ~80% completed 2 attempts with a composite success rate between 50-60%
  - # of genes targeted      obtained\*:

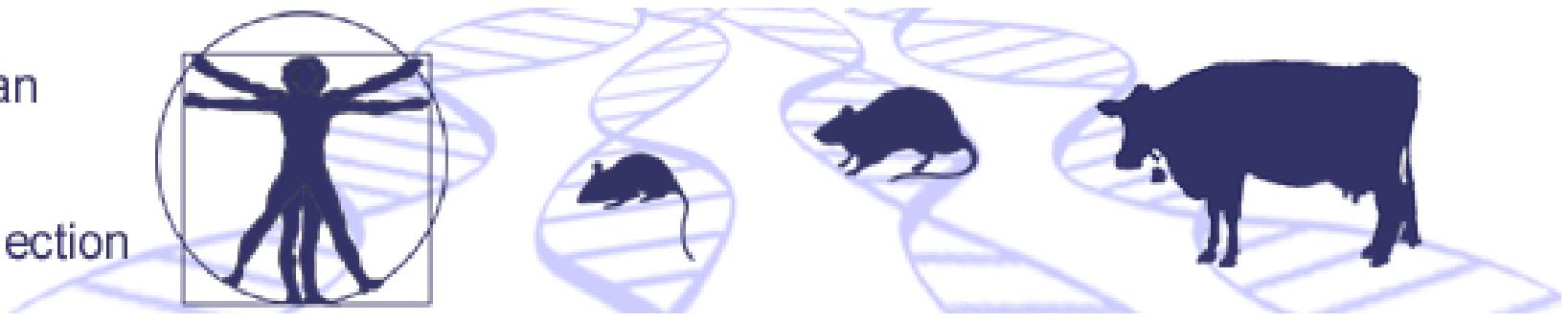
– Human	6,462	3,032
– Mouse	6,003	1,984
– Total	12,465	5,016
- \*as of August 25, 2006

# Issues Encountered

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- Targets were not stable
  - XM\_# vs. NM\_#
  - Duplicate selections
- Alternative splicing
  - Effect on QC process
- Tracking for one group—3 sites
  - Cloning and EST generation
  - Picking of clones for FL
  - FL sequencing on 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Labor intensive in all steps

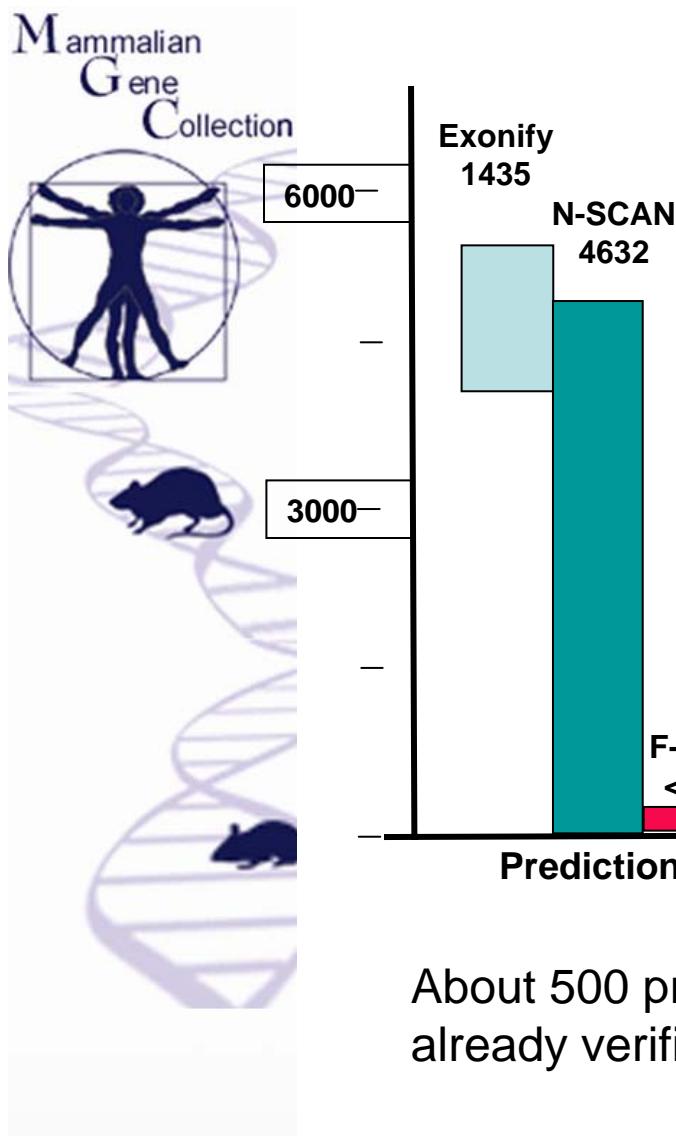


# ***MGC: Phase III***

## ***Genes without (much) experimental evidence***

# “C List” of Human Exon Predictions (M. Brent et al., & Haussler et. al.)

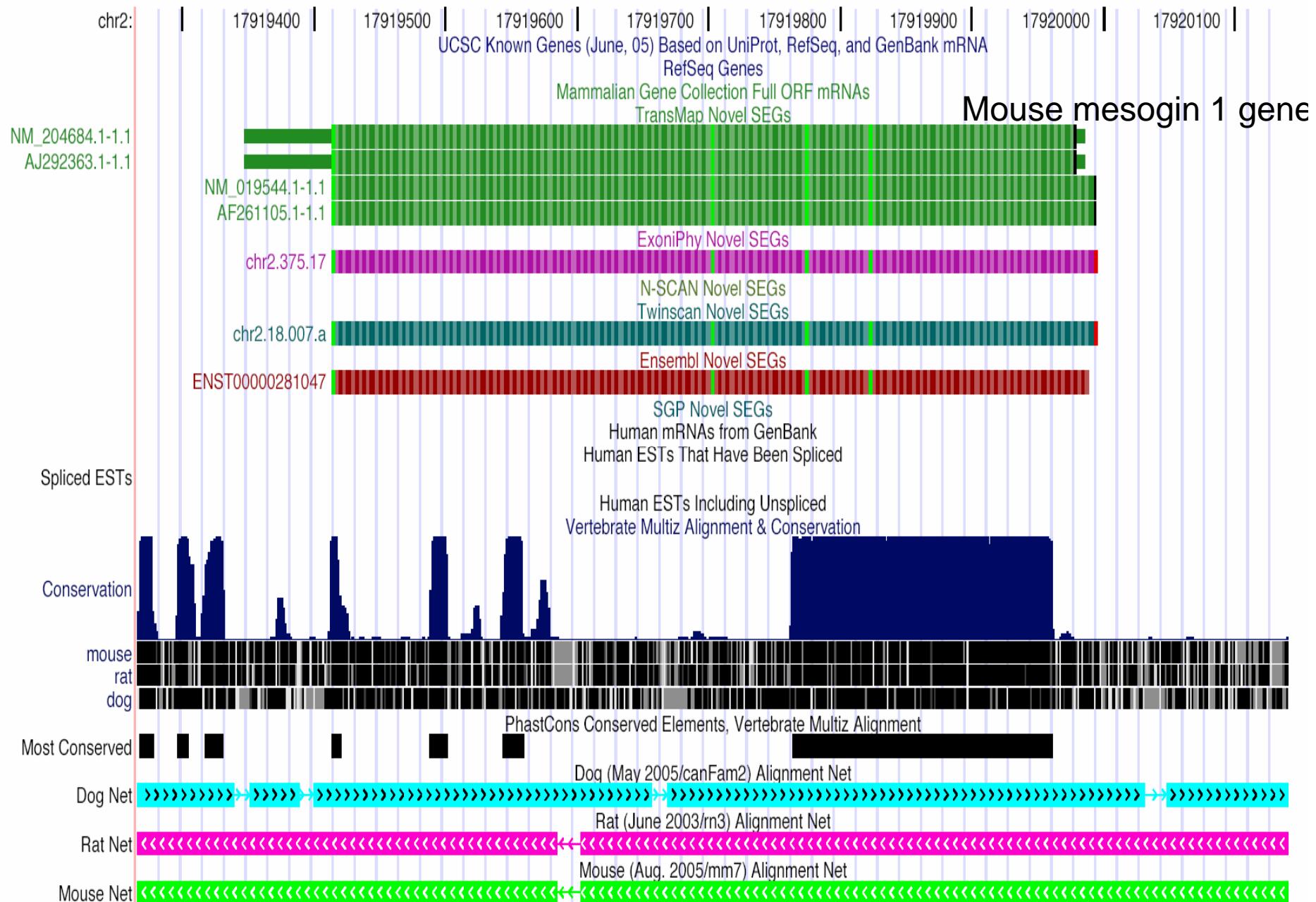
(as of January 2006)



RT-PCR Verification of C List Predictions		
Loci Predictions	No. Loci Tested	RT-PCR Success Rate
EXONIFY alone	16	19%
NSCAN alone	876	9%
EXONIFY + NSCAN	1219	41%
Total Loci Tested	2111	27%

About 500 predictions, which had at least parts of the transcript already verified by PCR were submitted to BCM for cloning

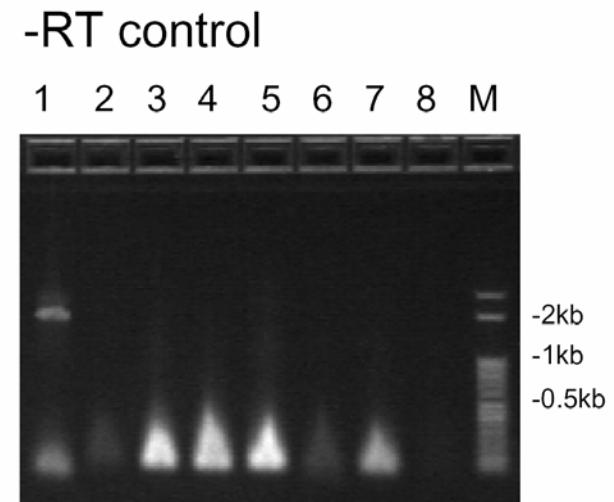
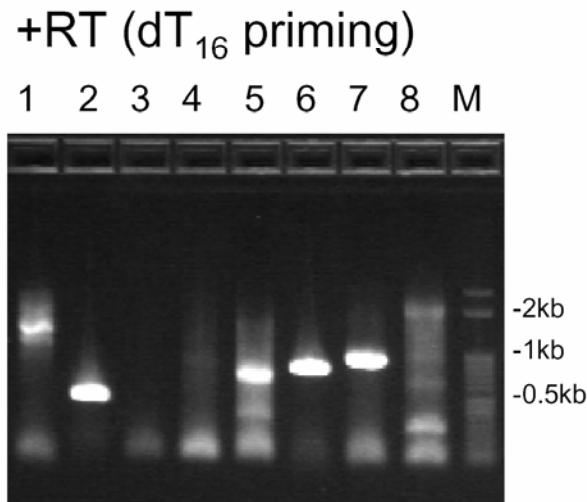
# Novel Single Exon Gene Identification (D. Haussler & A. Siepel, UCSC & Cornell U.)



## RT-PCR of the eight single exon genes (SEGs)

### RT-PCR targets:

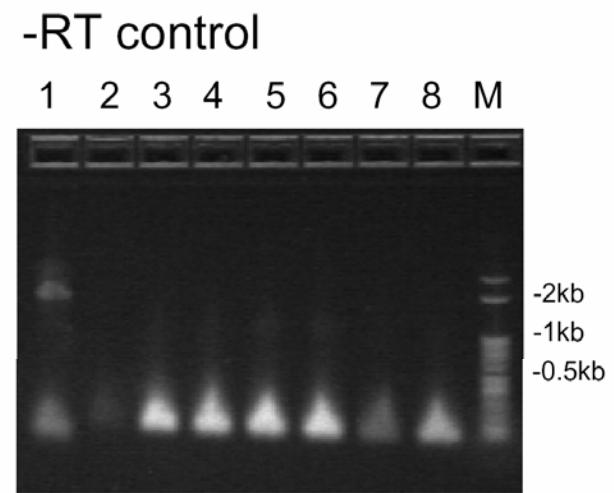
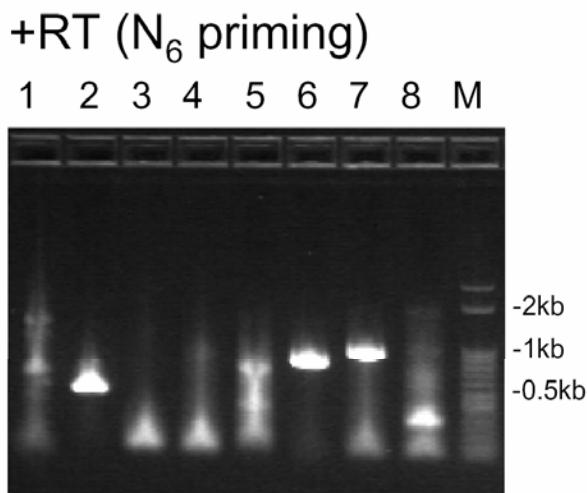
1. chr19.42.008
2. chr2.375.17
3. chr20.63.017
4. chr2.56.006
5. chr5.168.006
6. chr21.723.9
7. chr18.151.3
8. chr17.35.001



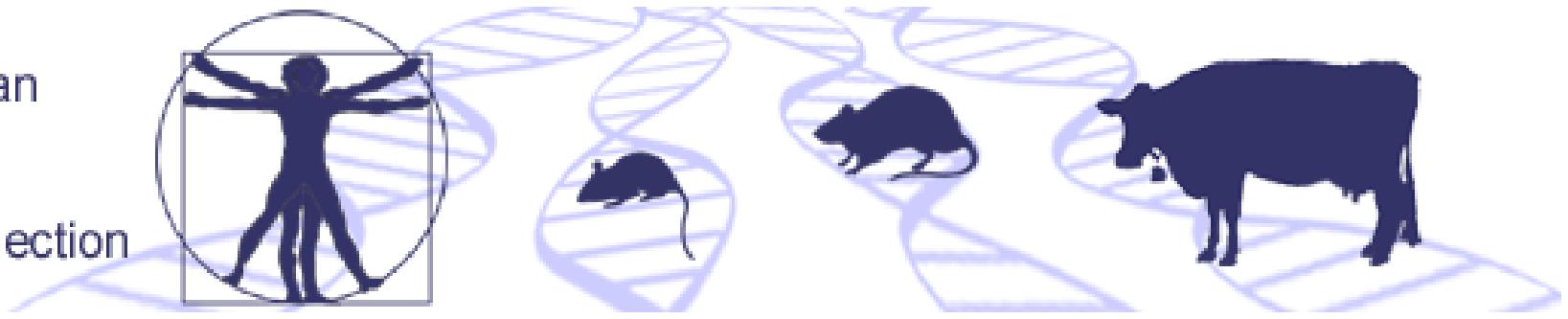
### Expected sizes

(w/ gateway tails)

1. 404 bp
2. 470 bp
3. 614 bp
4. 638 bp
5. 776 bp
6. 812 bp
7. 962 bp
8. 1,197 bp



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# ***MGC: Phase IV***

## ***In vitro Synthesis***

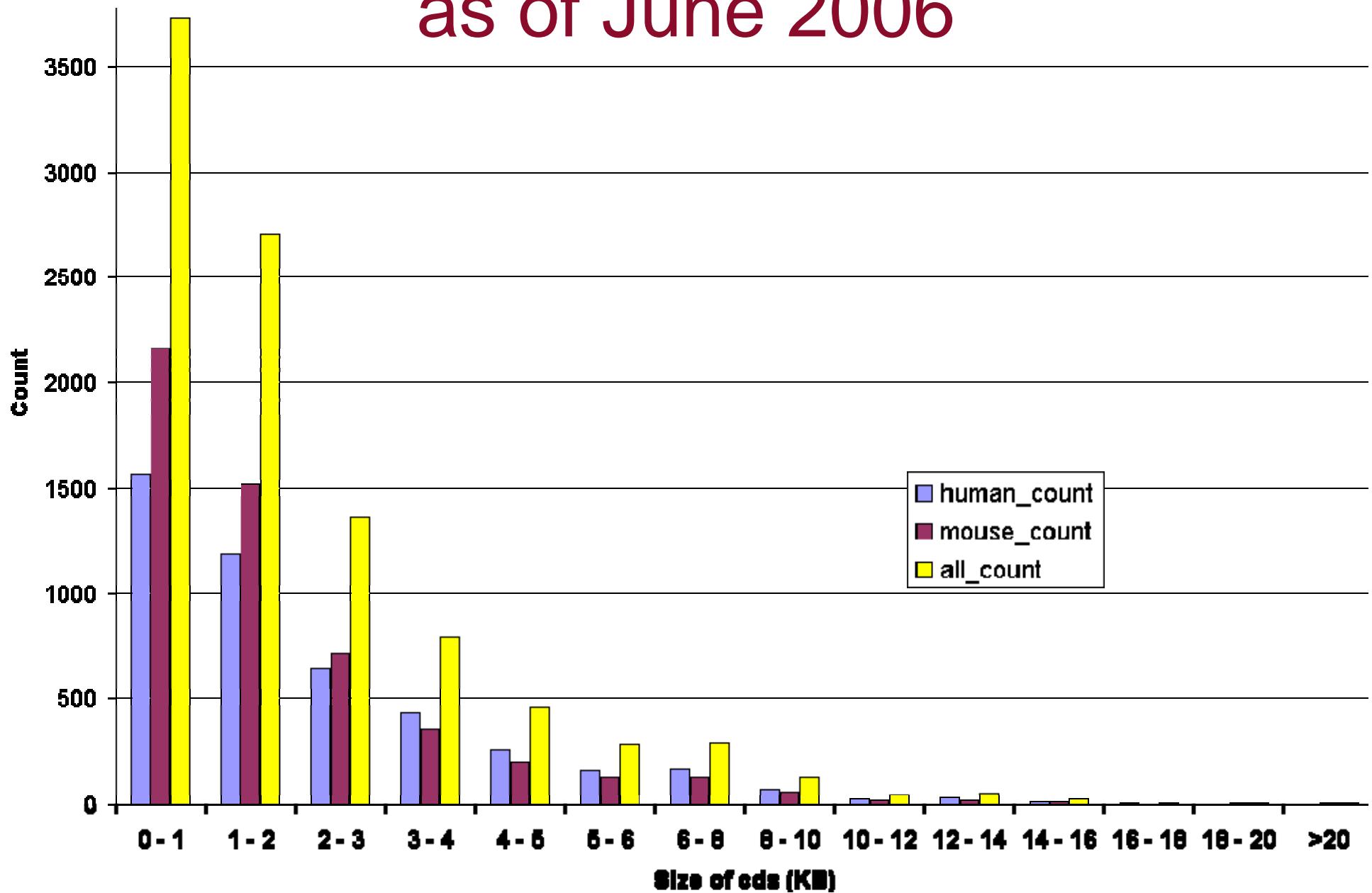
# DNA Synthesis Pilot



- 4 contractors  
Each assigned a unique set of **18 targets** (0.5-6kb, total of 65 kb) + same 3 ORFs >6kb:

Factor V	NM_000130	cds= 6,675
APC	NM_000038	cds= 8,532
Dystrophin	NM_004006	cds=11,058
- pENTR223.1-Sfi or pDONR223.1
- All delivered sequence-verified clones, sequences, and sequence traces

# Missing human and mouse genes as of June 2006



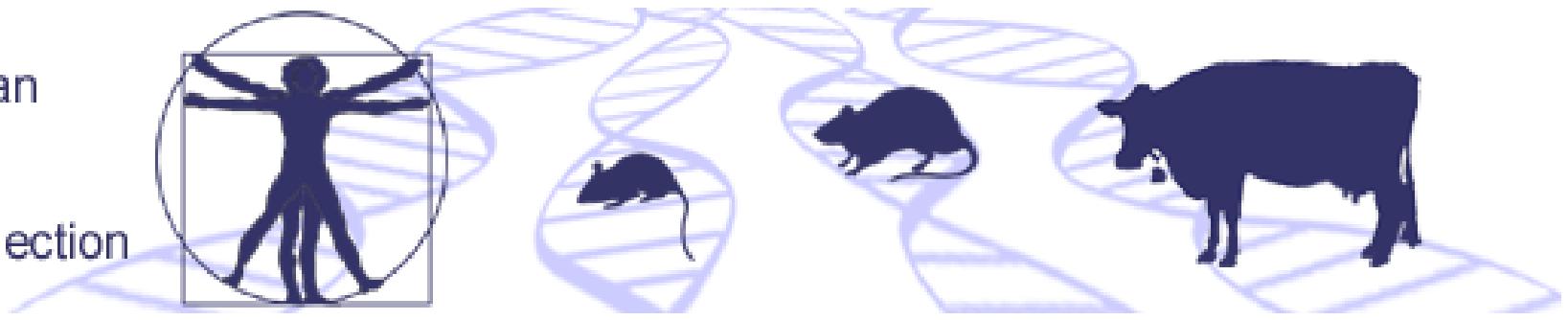
# Completing the Human and Mouse Collection through Synthesis

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- Estimated # of genes with RefSeq ID that will be verified by NCBI
  - ~2500 (almost equally divided between the 2 species)
- Expression ready vectors
- Exploring the option of 2 versions
  - with STOP codon
  - without STOP codon
- Size is directly proportional to cost

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# *ORFeome Collection* & MGC

# ORFeome Collaboration

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## Current participants

- Dana Farber-CCSB (DF-CCSB)
- Deutches Krebsforschungszentrum (DKFZ)
- Harvard Institute of Proteomics (HIP)
- IMAGE Consortium-LLNL
- Kazusa DNA Research Institute
- Mammalian Gene Collection (MGC)
- RIKEN Yokohama Institute
- Wellcome Trust-Sanger Institute (WTSI)

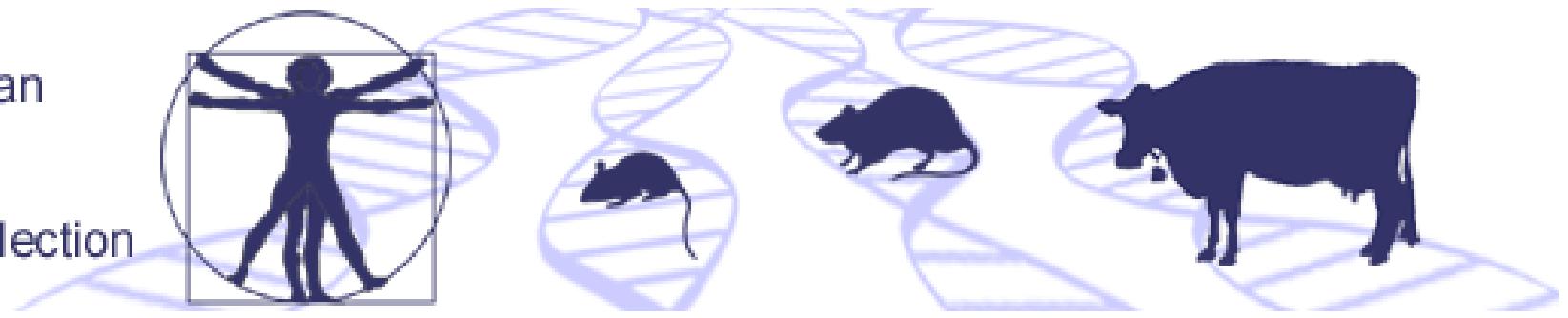
# Human ORFeome Collaboration

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## Shared Goals:

- Complete collection of human full-ORF cDNA clones (for ~18,400 genes)\*
- Expression-convenient format (Gateway Entry clones)
- ORFs + stop amino acids & - stop amino acid (for C-fusions)
  - Current plan – without STOP amino acid
- Sequence-verified clones
- Unrestricted worldwide availability



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