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Stock No: 008169

Transgenic



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Overview



The PS19 mouse model harbors the T34 isoform of microtubule-associated protein tau with one N-terminal insert and four microtubule binding repeats (1N4R) encoding the human P301S mutation, all driven by the mouse prion protein promoter. These mice are useful in studying neurofibrillary tangles, neurodegenerative tauopathy and Alzheimer's disease.

### Donating Investigator

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## GENETIC OVERVIEW

Genetic Background	Generation
	<a href="#">?+N3F9</a>
	(2019-07-19 00:00:00)

[Tg\(Prnp-MAPT\\*P301S\)PS19Vle](#)

Allele Type

Transgenic (Inserted expressed sequence, Humanized sequence)

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## RESEARCH APPLICATIONS

Neurobiology Research

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## BASE PRICE

Starting at:

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\$270.00 Domestic price for female 4-week

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348.51 Domestic price for breeder pair

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V I E W P R I C E L I S T

### Details

#### Detailed Description

These PS19 transgenic mice (P301S Tg mice) express the P301S mutant form of human microtubule-associated protein tau (*MAPT*), under the direction of the mouse prion protein promoter (*Pmp*). The expression of the mutant human MAPT is five-fold higher than the expression of the endogenous mouse MAPT protein. Hyperphosphorylated, insoluble mutant human MAPT protein in the brain accumulates with age causing decreased microtubule binding/density. At three months of age, transgenic mice exhibit clamping and limb retraction when lifted by the tail, which progresses to limb weakness. By ten months of age the mice exhibit a hunched back and paralysis, followed by inability to feed. Transgenic mice have a median lifespan of approximately nine months with approximately 80% dying by 12 months. Histological analysis reveals neuron degeneration in hippocampus and ventricular dilatation (brain atrophy) by eight months of age, although significant neuron degeneration in the hippocampus occurs at approximately nine months of age. Neuron loss spreads to the amygdala, neocortex and entorhinal cortex by 12 months of age. Defective translocation of endoplasmic reticulum proteins in affected neurons is observed as early as three months of age. The onset of neurofibrillary tangle formation in the neocortex, amygdala, hippocampus, brain stem and spinal cord is five months of age. Transgenic mice display neuroinflammation with microglial activation and astrogliosis. The ultrastructure of the neurofibrillary tangle-like lesions detected is similar to that found in brain lesions of human Alzheimer's disease and tauopathy patients. Degradation of synaptic function is significant by six months of age. These mice cannot be bred to homozygosity as homozygous females do not mate.

The phenotype of PS19 transgenic mice described above is based on the published information available as of 2008. In 2012-2013, publications using PS19 mice on a B6C3F1 or B6C3 genetic background report attenuated formation of tau pathology (hyperphosphorylated tau inclusions prominent by 12 months of age, significant neuronal death after 12 months of age), as well as males developing tau pathology more consistently than females. It is not determined if these phenotype differences are observed for the PS19 colony at The Jackson Laboratory. To ensure genetic stability, we periodically refresh our colony onto the hybrid B6C3F1/J genetic background (Stock No. [100010](#)). This was last performed March to November 2016.

As of October 2017, the Stock No. 008169 live colony is homozygous for the C57BL/6-derived functional *Pde6b*<sup>+</sup> allele (the C3H-derived *Pde6b*<sup>rd1</sup> allele has been selectively removed). As of May 2019, the Stock No. 008169 live colony is homozygous for the *Tlr4*<sup>+</sup> allele.

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#### Development

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#### Expression Data

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#### Control Suggestions

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#### Selected References

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### Genetics

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+ Tg(Prnp-MAPT\*P301S)PS19Vle

## - Disease/Phenotype

+ Disease Terms

+ Research Areas By Genotype

+ Mammalian Phenotype Terms by Genotype

+ References

## - Technical Support

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### Genotyping Protocols

Standard PCR: [Tg\(Prnp-MAPT\\*P301S\)PS19Vle](#)

Standard PCR: [Tg\(Prnp-MAPT\\*P301S\)PS19Vle](#)

Standard PCR: [Tg\(Prnp-MAPT\\*P301S\)PS19Vle-Chr3](#)

Probe: [Tg\(Prnp-MAPT\\*P301S\)PS19Vle-Chr3 Probe](#)

[Genotyping resources and troubleshooting](#)

### Dietary Information

LabDiet® 5K52 formulation (6% fat)

### Breeding Considerations

When maintaining a live colony, these mice can be bred as hemizygotes. These mice cannot be bred to homozygosity as homozygous females do not mate.

[Additional Breeding and Husbandry Support](#)

### Mating System

Hemizygote x Noncarrier

Noncarrier x Hemizygote

### Citation

When using the B6.Cg-Tg(Prnp-MAPT\*P301S)PS19Vle/J mouse strain in a publication, please [cite the originating article\(s\)](#) and include JAX stock #008169 in your Materials and Methods section.

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Live Mouse			
AGE	SEX	GENOTYPE	PRICE
4 weeks	Female	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
	Male	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
4 weeks	Female	Noncarrier	\$78.51
	Male	Noncarrier	\$78.51
5 weeks	Female	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
	Male	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
5 weeks	Female	Noncarrier	\$78.51
	Male	Noncarrier	\$78.51
6 weeks	Female	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
	Male	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
6 weeks	Female	Noncarrier	\$78.51
	Male	Noncarrier	\$78.51
7 weeks	Female	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
	Male	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
7 weeks	Female	Noncarrier	\$78.51
	Male	Noncarrier	\$78.51
8 weeks	Female	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
	Male	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$270.00
8 weeks	Female	Noncarrier	\$78.51
	Male	Noncarrier	\$78.51

Breeder Pair		
SEX	GENOTYPE	PRICE
Female	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	\$348.51
Male	Noncarrier	
Female	Noncarrier	\$348.51
Male	Hemizygous for Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle	

Related Products and Services		
Frozen Mouse Embryo	<a href="#">B6;C3-Tg(Prnp-MAPT*P301S)PS19Vle/J</a>	\$2595.00

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