

Gen ATP7B

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Template:Infobox - gen The **ATP7B gene** (13q14.3-q21.1; OMIM: 606882 (<https://omim.org/entry/606882>)) encodes the eponymous product. The full name is: ATPase, Cu²⁺ transporting, beta polypeptide.

Mutations of this gene cause Wilson's disease. As ATP7B ATPase is a large transmembrane protein (8 transmembrane segments, a copper-binding domain and an ATP-binding domain), there are many mutations causing the non-functionality of this protein.

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So far, about 300 such mutations are known, manifesting in different sections of the protein. However, about 40 % (the value varies geographically) of Wilson's disease is caused by a single mutation (H1069Q). This affects the ATP-binding domain and makes it impossible to split the already bound ATP molecule.

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- Oregon Health&Science University (<https://www.ohsu.edu/xd/>)

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