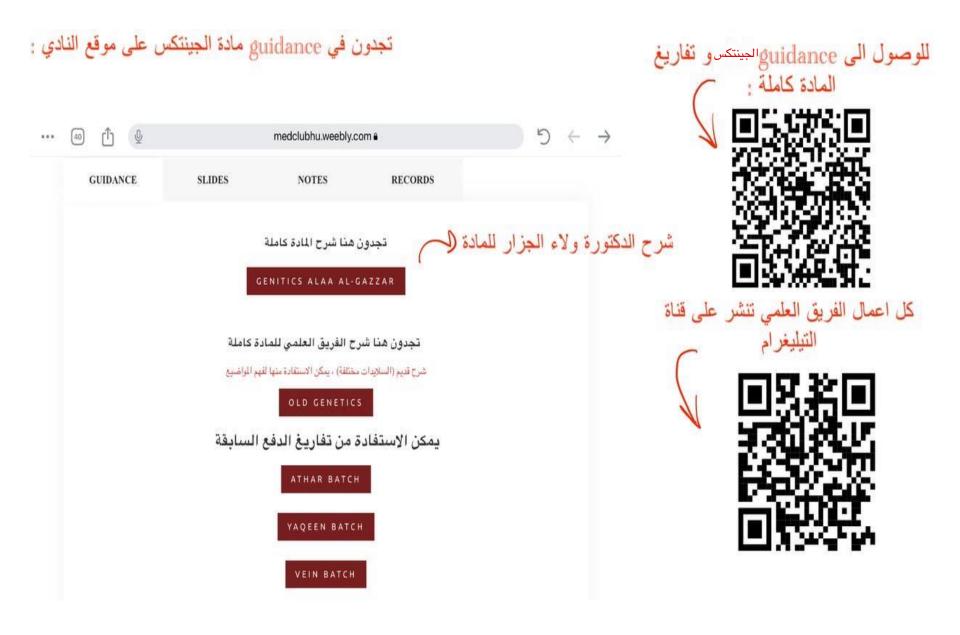


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Gene expression

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يعني کيف الجين بعبر عن Gene expression حاله و بعطي بروتين

- ال gene expression بشىمل :
- 1. Transcription from DNA to mRNA
- 2. Translation from mRNA to proteins

Definition: Gene expression can be defined as the gene (DNA) undergoes transcription into <u>mRNA that can</u> <u>translate the encoded genetic</u> <u>information into protein</u>.

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Transcription (RNA synthesis)

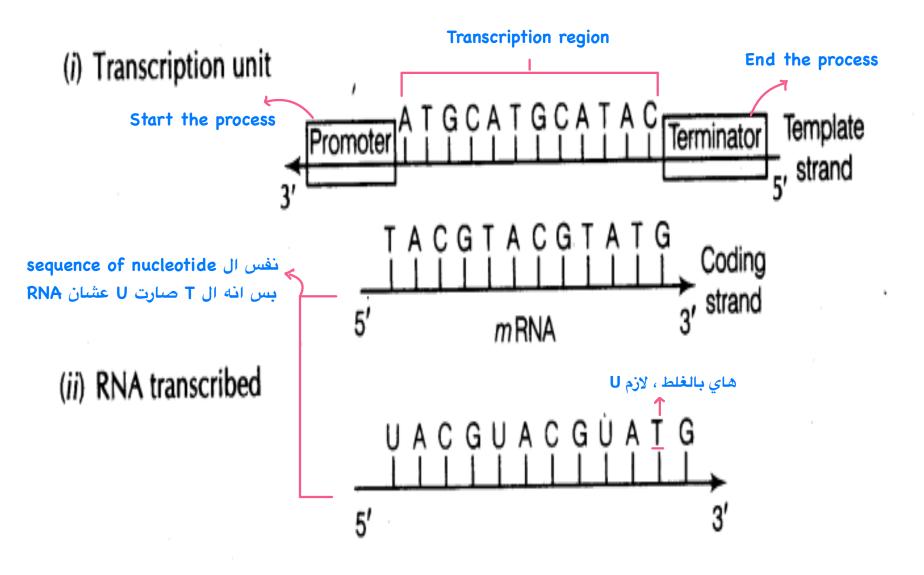
 Definition: Transcription is the synthesis of RNA using DNA as a template by <u>an enzyme</u>
<u>DNA -dependent RNA polymerase</u> or RNA polymerase (<u>RNAP</u>) ماد هو الانزيم الى بقوم بكل العملية

Features of transcription:

• One strand of the two DNA strands is transcribed only, this strand is called **template** strand (anti-sense), because it provides template for ordering the sequence of ال sequence of الي على ال nucleotides in an RNA transcript. هي template strand (DNA strand) الی رح تعرفنی علی ال sequence تاع ال • The other strand (non-transcribed) is called coding strand (sense strand), because its sequence is the same as the newly synthesized RNA transcript (except for thymine is substituted by uracil)

حكينا انه ال RNA polymerase ما بمشي الإباتجاه 5'→3' طيب لما نوقف عند ال 5' بتكون السلسلة المقابلة (template strand) ماشية من 3'ـــر5'

- The DNA template strand is read in 3^{\to 5[\]} by RNA polymerase enzyme and <u>the new RNA is</u> <u>synthesized in the direction of 5[\] to 3[\]</u>
- <u>template strand</u>. template strand
- Downstream means in the 5` direction of the template strand.
- A transcription region is the nucleotide sequence transcribed by the enzyme RNAP. It is the region between the promoter and the terminator.



هي ال sequences الي من عندها بمسك ال RNAP عشان

يبلش ال transcription

that initially binds the RNA polymerase (together with any initiation factors required). i.e. Nucleotide sequence in DNA to which RNA polymerase binds to begin transcription.

polymerase to dissociate from the DNA and عدر ال معلية polymerase to dissociate from the DNA and release the RNA chain it has made.

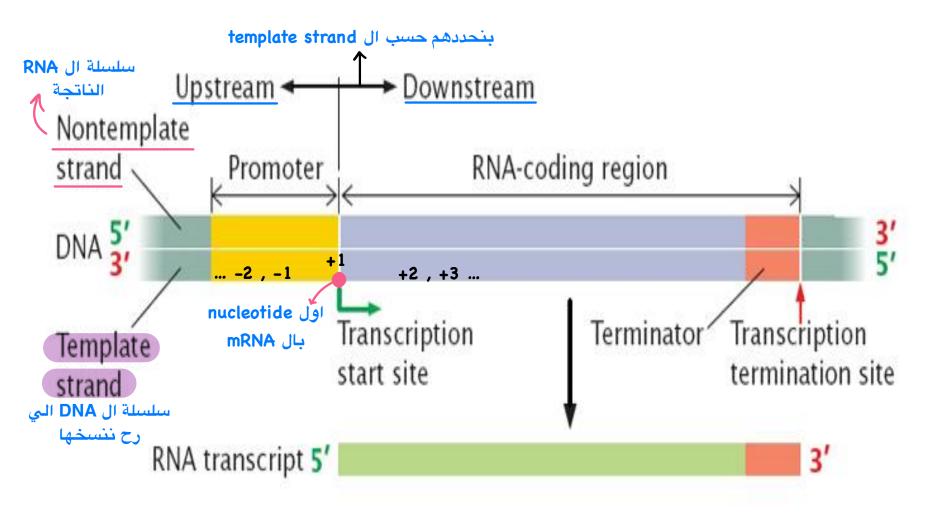
of the transcription region <u>"that codes for the</u> <u>initial base of the mRNA"</u>. It is designated +1. Adjacent nucleotides are given positive numbers that increase as we go downstream the transcription unit.

هي اول nucleotide على ال template رح نعمله transcription ل The nucleotide in the promoter adjacent to the +1 nucleotide is designated -1 and adjacent nucleotides are given negative numbers that increase as we go upstream the promoter.

Promoter / transcription region / terminator

ېشىمل كل شىي :

In the interaction with Sequence of nucleotides in DNA that codes for a single RNA molecule, along with the sequences necessary for its transcription; normally contains a promoter, an RNA-coding sequence, and a terminator. (i.e. includes the promoter, the transcription region, and the terminator)



- The DNA nucleotide encoding the beginning of the RNA chain is called the transcription start site and is designated the "+1" position. end '5 of the template
- Sequences in the direction in which transcription proceeds are referred to as downstream from the start site. Likewise, sequences preceding the start site are referred to as upstream sequences.
- When referring to a specific position in the upstream sequence, this is given a negative value. Downstream sequences are allotted positive values.

Transcription in prokaryotes:

کل انواع ال RNA سواء RNA , mRNA , mRNA بتم تصنيعهم عن طريق ال RNA polymerase بال prokaryotes

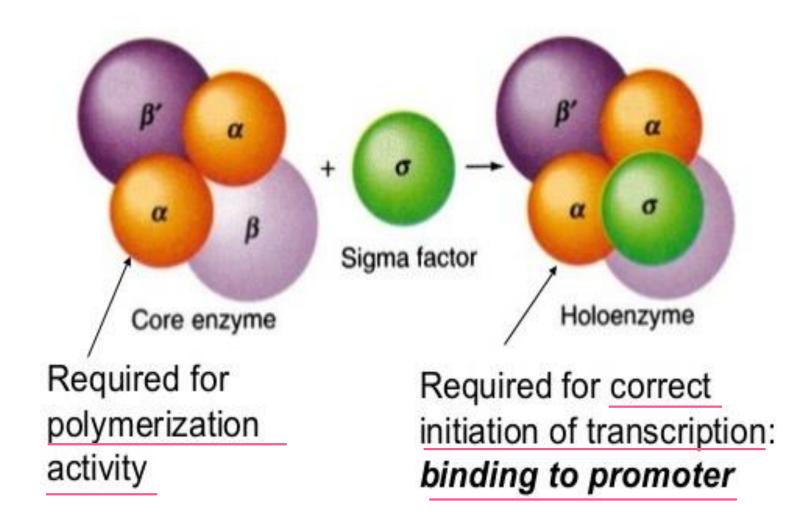
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primers

 All types of RNA is synthesized by a specific enzyme called RNA polymerase for the short RNA primers needed for DNA replication are synthesized by a primase enzyme.

Structure of prokaryotic RNA polymerase:

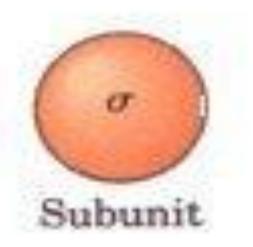
 It is a multi-subunit enzyme formed of <u>core</u> <u>enzyme</u> and <u>sigma factor</u>



- 2 alpha identical
- 2 Beta non identical

α

1 omega



Core enzyme

ß

ω

α.

Core enzyme: two identical α subunits (regulatory subunits) and two β not identical (β & β') and one ω chain. One of the β subunits (β) binds to the DNA and the other (β') is responsible for the formation of phosphodiester bond.

ال B بتخلي الانزيم يمسك بال template و ال B' مسؤولة عن ربط ال nucleotides مع بعضها البعض

RNA polymerase enzyme lacks specificity, that is, it cannot recognize the promoter region on the DNA template.

ال sigma بتساعدنا بتحديد ال promoter region الي لازم يبدأ من عنده الانزيم

 The σ subunit ("sigma factor"): It enables RNA polymerase to recognize promoter regions on the DNA. The σ subunit plus the core enzyme make up the holoenzyme. [Note: Different σ factors recognize different groups of genes.]

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N.B.: The antibiotic binds to the β
subunits of RNA polymerase and inhibits RNA synthesis in prokaryotes <u>as it interferes with</u>
the formation of the first phosphodiester
bond. Rifampicin is useful in the treatment of tuberculosis.

Steps of RNA synthesis in prokaryotes:

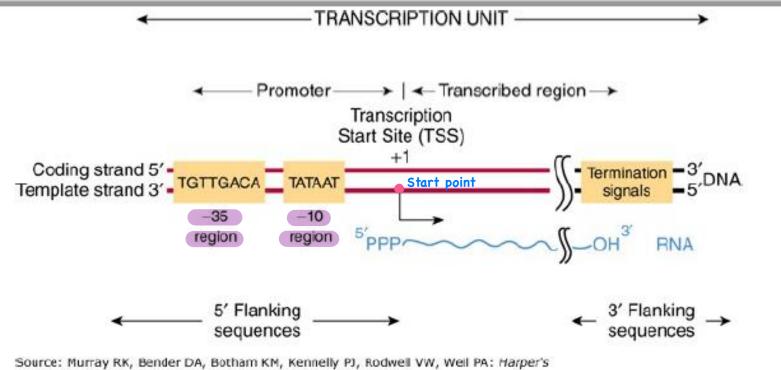
 It is divided into three phases: <u>initiation</u>, <u>elongation</u> and <u>termination</u>.

Initiation:

It involves the binding of RNA polymerase to a specific region on the DNA known as the promoter region formed of specific base sequence. It needs a specific protein factor called sigma factor (σ) that recognizes and the RNA

polymerase starts transcription at the start point (+1) it is the first base transcribed as RNA.

• The characteristic nucleotide sequences of the prokaryotic promoter region (as indicated in the coding strand in the 5` to 3 ` direction) include: **TATA box:** It is formed of six nucleotides (TATAAT) and is located 10 bases upstream (i.e. usually occurs around base-10)to the start point المتيب أ بس لازم نشوة (+1 point). It determines where transcription) ال متمت فيهم starts. **The (TTGACA) box:** this sequence is 35 bases upstream to the start point (located at -35 base i.e. centered about 35 bases to the left of the transcription start site) .It determines the frequency of transcription



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- In prokaryotes only **one** type of RNA polymerase synthesizes the three types of prokaryotic RNA.
- The binding of RNA polymerase to DNA template produce <u>local unwinding</u> of the DNA double helix to expose the bases. عشان نبني سلسلة مكملة
- The enzyme begins to synthesize RNA in the direction of <u>5\to 3\</u>with the base sequence complementary to that of the DNA template strand. <u>Sigma factor is</u> released after initiation of transcription.^{sigma factor}
- The core enzyme moves along the DNA template uses ribonucleoside triphosphate (ATP, GTP, CTP& UTP) and releases pyrophosphate

ما بعرف يبني de novo

- Unlike DNA polymerase, RNA polymerase does not require a primer and has intrinsic helicase activity, therefore no separate enzyme is needed to unwind the DNA (in contrast to DNA polymerase).
- RNAP not only initiates RNA transcription, it also guides the nucleotides into position, facilitates attachment and elongation, has intrinsic proofreading (It doesn't not posses a proof reading feature as efficient as the DNA polymerase but it posses the capability of correct some misadded nucleotide as well) and replacement capabilities, and termination recognition capability.