WORKSHEET_A

THE GENE EXPRESSION REGULATION_PART 1

1) Which of the following represents the correct sequence of events in the central dogma of biology?

- a) Translation \rightarrow Transcription \rightarrow Replication
- b) Replication \rightarrow Transcription \rightarrow Translation
- c) Translation \rightarrow Replication \rightarrow Transcription
- d) Replication \rightarrow Translation \rightarrow Transcription
- 2) During translation, the genetic information stored in mRNA is used to assemble what molecule?
 - a) DNA
 - b) tRNA
 - c) rRNA
 - d) Proteins

3) Genes are subject to positive or negative regulation

- a) TRUE
- b) FALSE

4) Which of the following best defines gene expression?

- a) The activation of specific genes in response to environmental stimuli.
- b) The regulation of gene transcription and translation.
- c) The replication of DNA molecules during cell division.
- d) The mutation of genes leading to genetic disorders.

5) The lac repressor is inactivated by binding to which of the following

- a) Lactose
- b) Beta Galactosidase
- c) Transcription factors
- d) Glucose
- e) Allolactose

6) The mRNA is transcribed from the lac operon when lactose is present in the cell

- a) TRUE
- b) FALSE

7) The lac repressor protein is active in the absence of lactose within the cell

- a) TRUE
- b) FALSE

8) In the absence of tryptophan, the trp repressor is:

- a) active and can bind to the operator
- b) active and can bind to the operator
- c) inactive and cannot bind to the promoter
- d) inactive and can bind to the operator
- e) inactive and cannot bind to the operator

9) In the presence of tryptophan, tryptophan binds to the

- a) operator.
- b) Promoter
- c) RNA polymerase
- d) Trp genes
- e) Trp repressor

10) In the presence of tryptophan, transcription of the trp operon is on.

- a) TRUE
- b) FALSE

11) An operon is a group of genes that is under the control of a single operator site

- a) TRUE
- b) FALSE