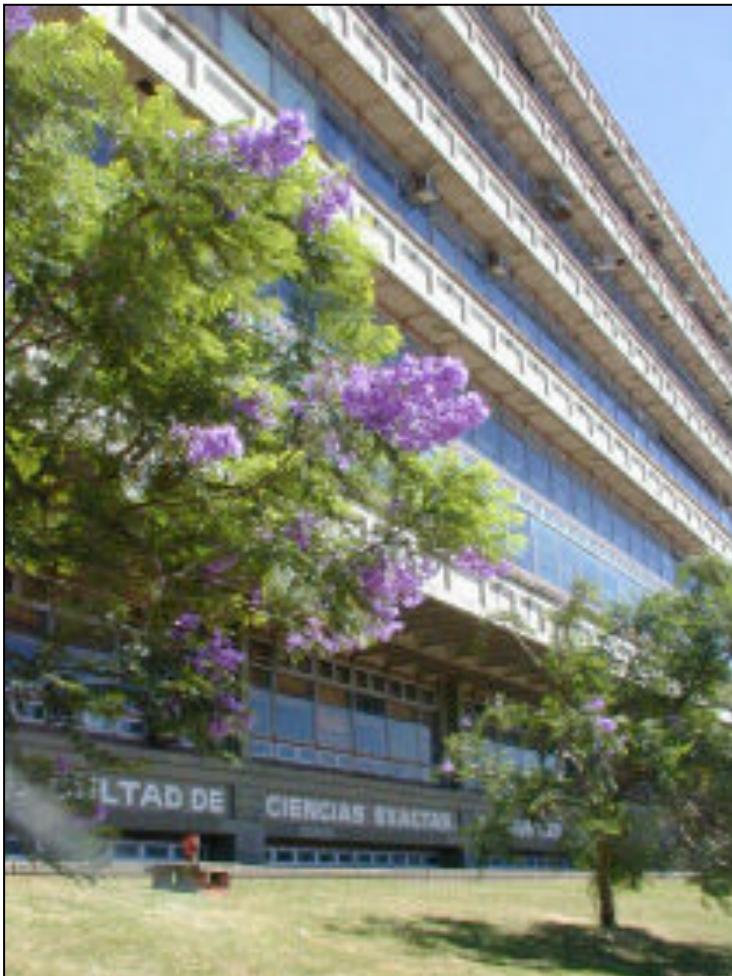


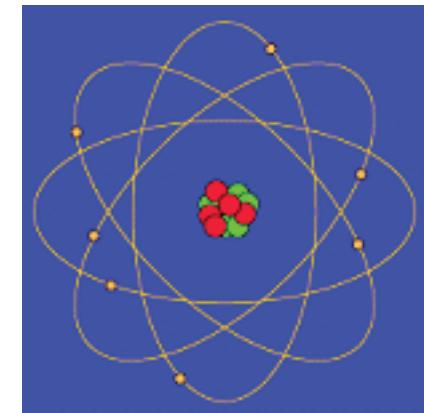
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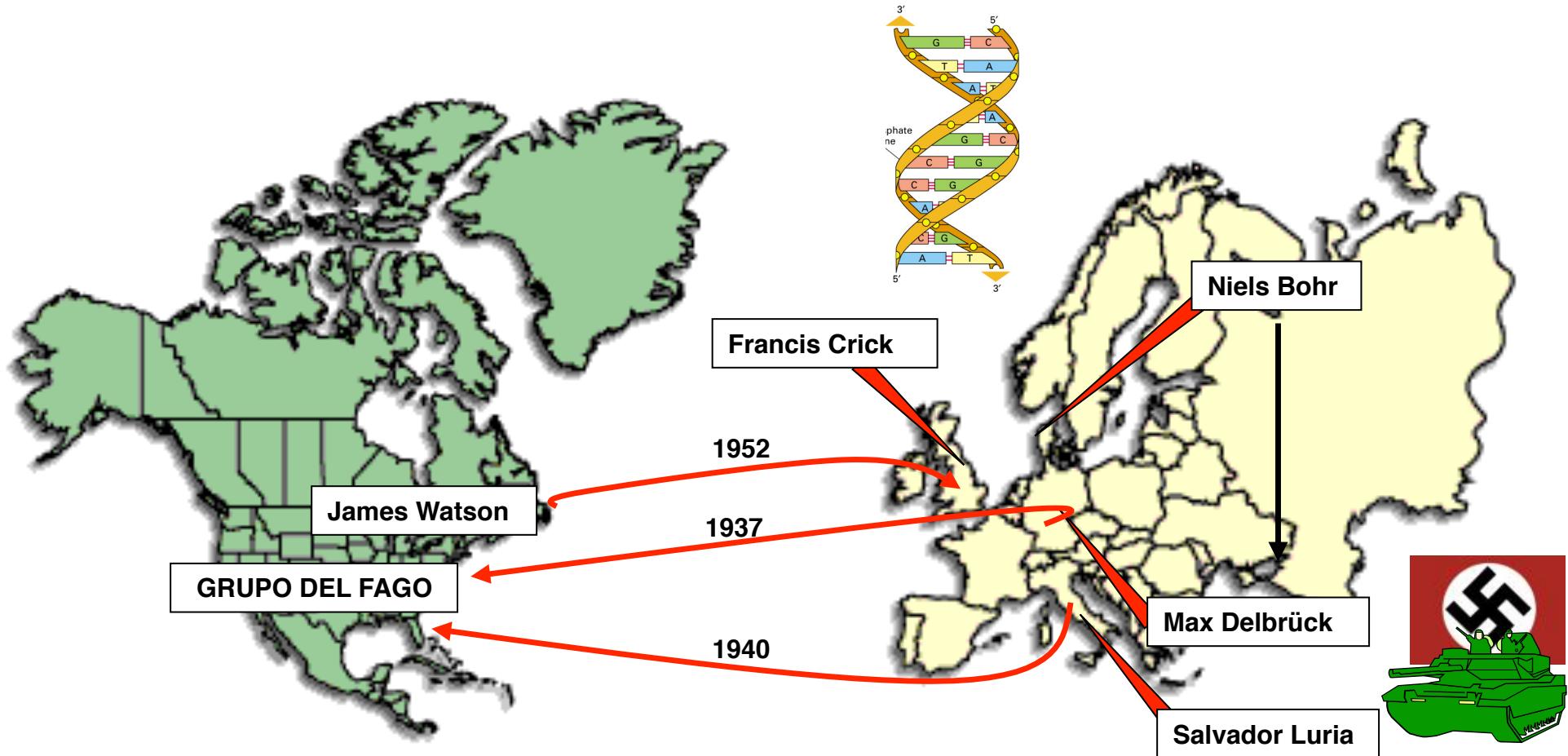
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La biología molecular moderna nace
por el interés de los físicos



Niels Bohr (1887-1962)

Premio Nobel 1922



Max Delbrück (1906-1981)

Premio Nobel 1969



Salvador Luria (1912-1991)

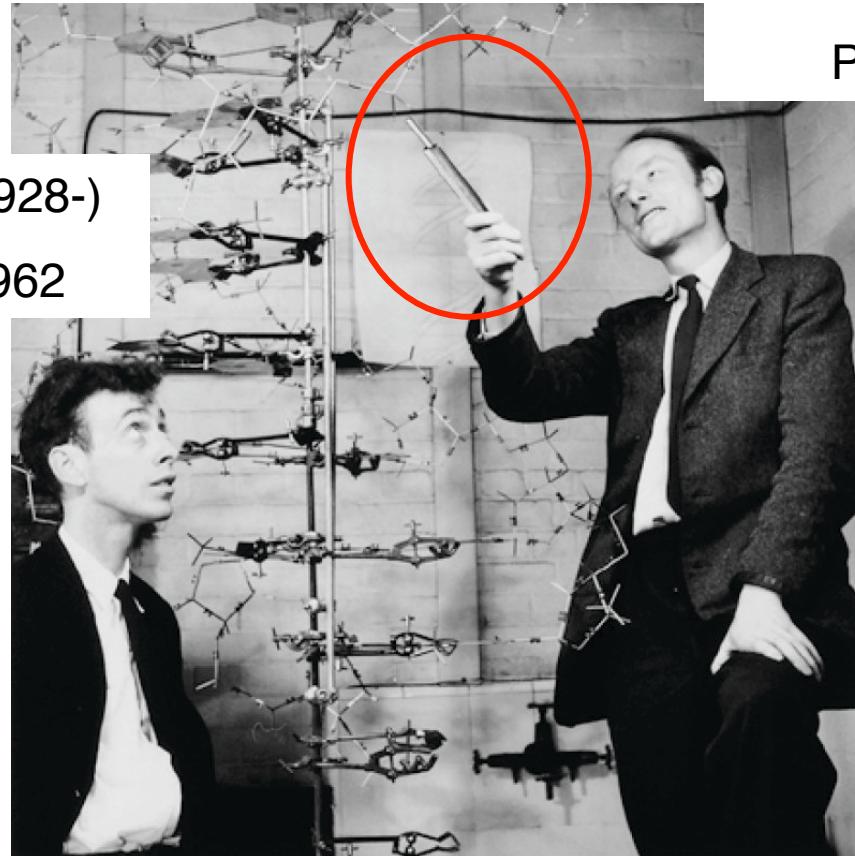
Premio Nobel 1969

"Delbrück created at Cold Spring Harbor that spirit of ceaseless questioning, dialogue, and open-armed embrace of a life in science that he had learned from Niels Bohr—but with a down-to-earth American character and a good measure of his own high-minded intolerance of shoddy thinking." Max Delbrück and Salvador Luria at Cold Spring Harbor. PHOTOGRAPH COURTESY COLD SPRING HARBOR LABORATORY LIBRARY ARCHIVES

Delbrück y Luria demostraron las bases genéticas de la selección natural de Darwin: la mutación pre-existe a la selección

James Watson (1928-)

Premio Nobel 1962



1953

Francis Crick (1916-2004)

Premio Nobel 1962



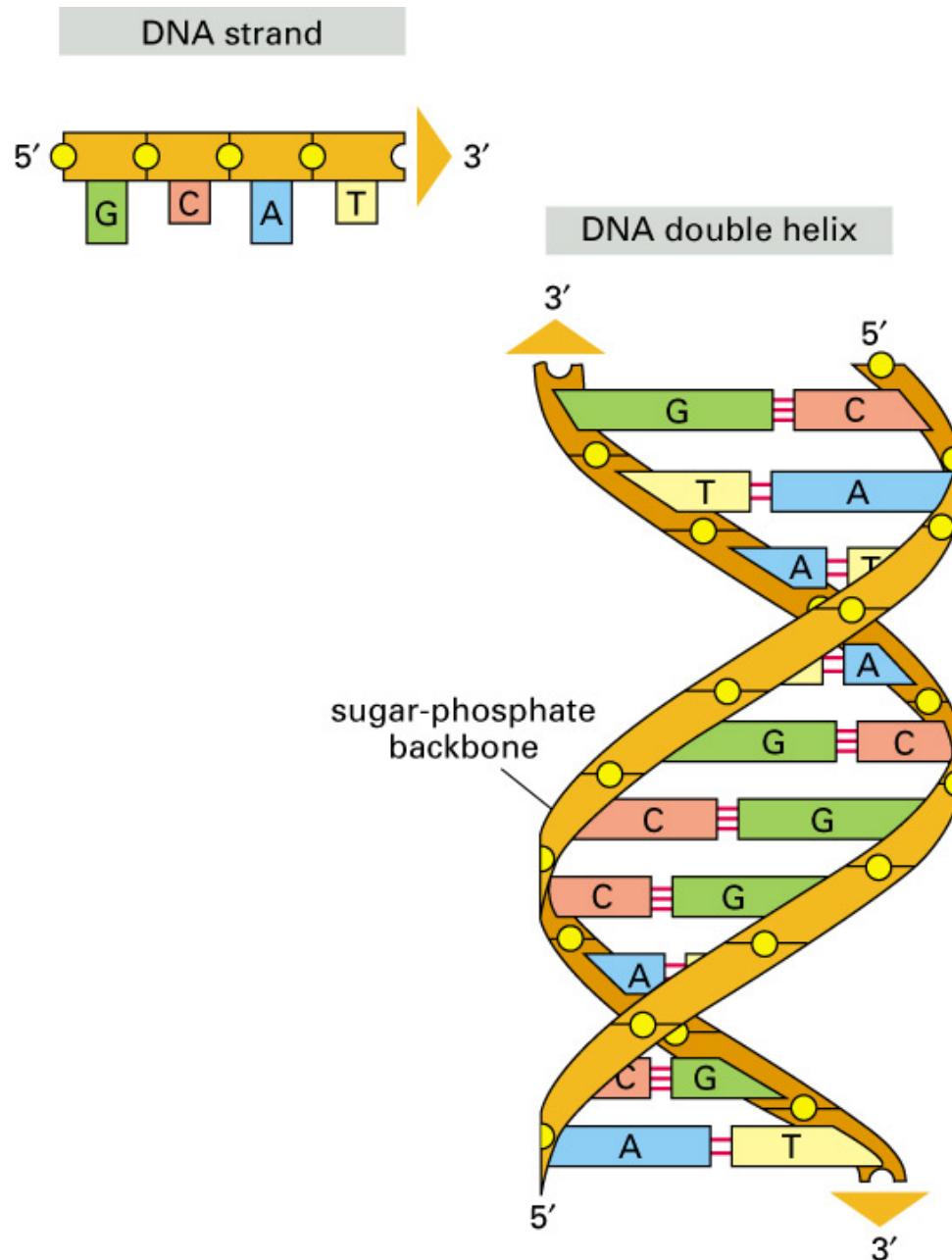


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MOLECULAR STRUCTURE OF NUCLEIC ACIDS

A Structure for Deoxyribose Nucleic Acid

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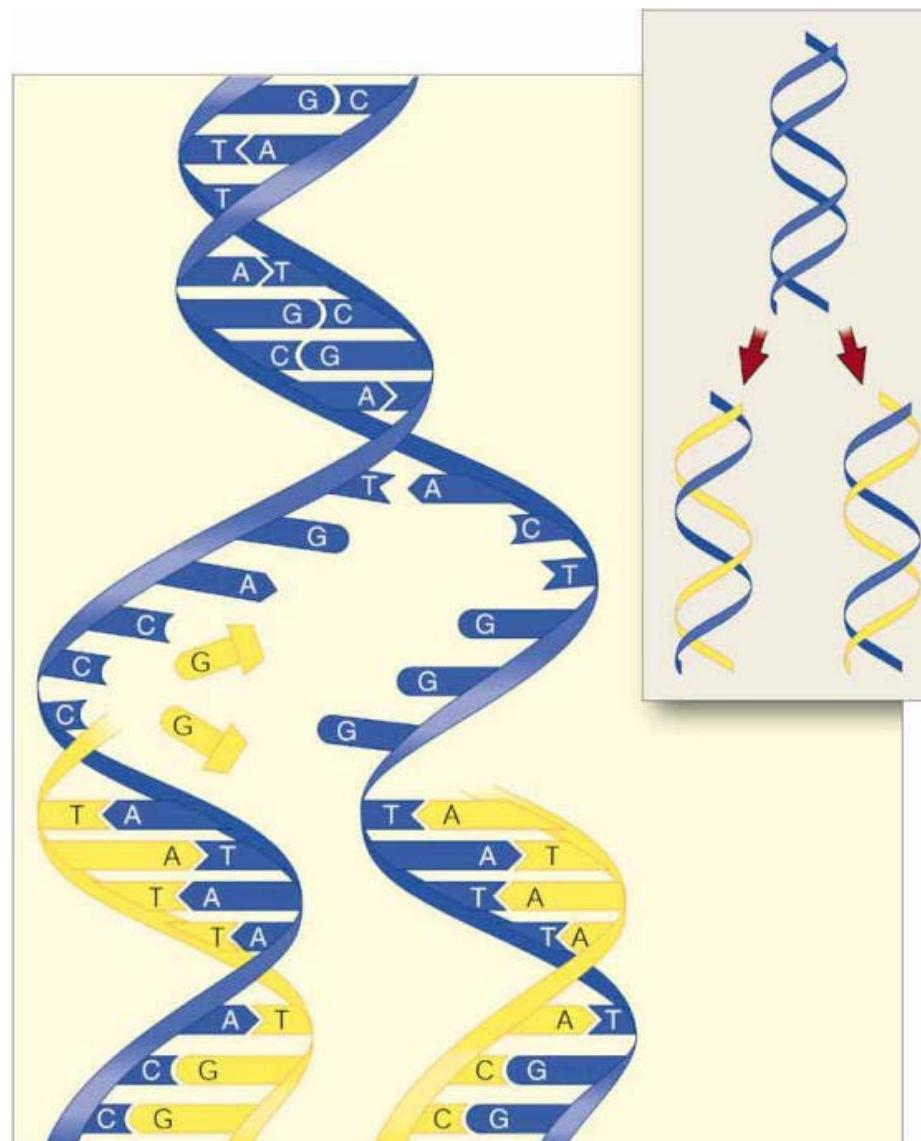
King's College, London. One of us (J. D. W.) has been aided by a fellowship from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

J. D. WATSON
F. H. C. CRICK

Medical Research Council Unit for the
Study of the Molecular Structure of
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Cavendish Laboratory, Cambridge.
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It has not escaped our notice that the specific pairing we have postulated immediately suggests a possible copying mechanism for the genetic material.



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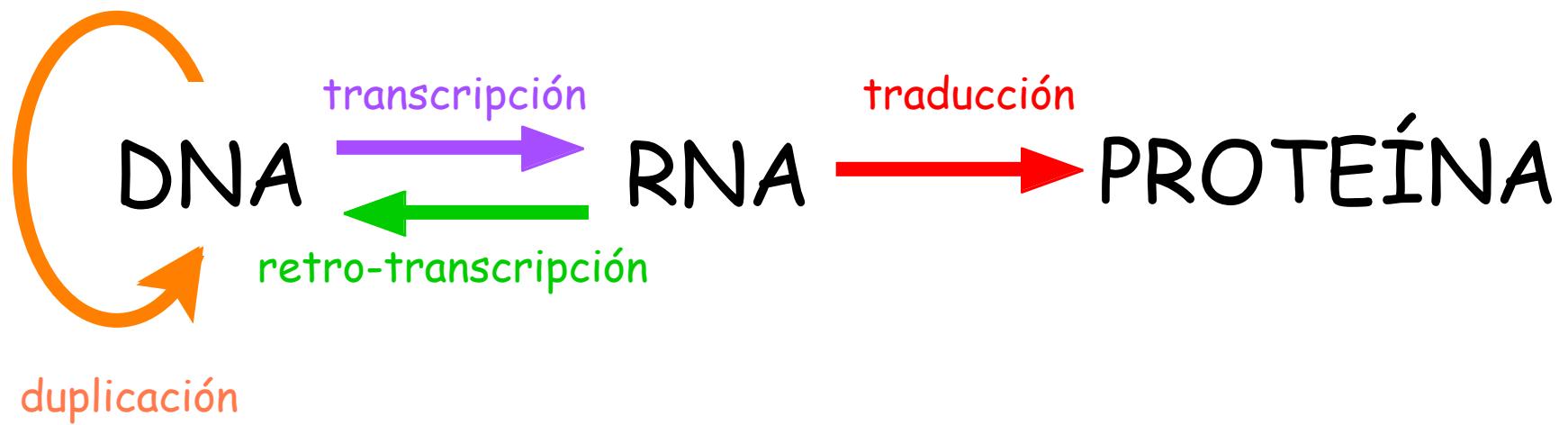
Los principales productos de los genes son proteínas

¿Cómo se fabrican?

Dogma (?!) central de la biología
molecular

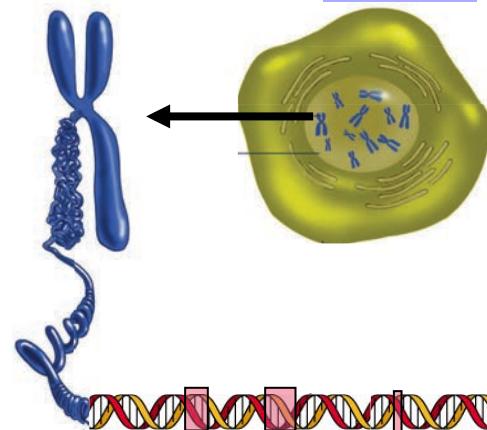
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Flujo de información genética



cromosoma

célula



gen

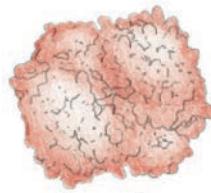
ADN

transcripción



Ácido ribonucleico (ARN)

traducción

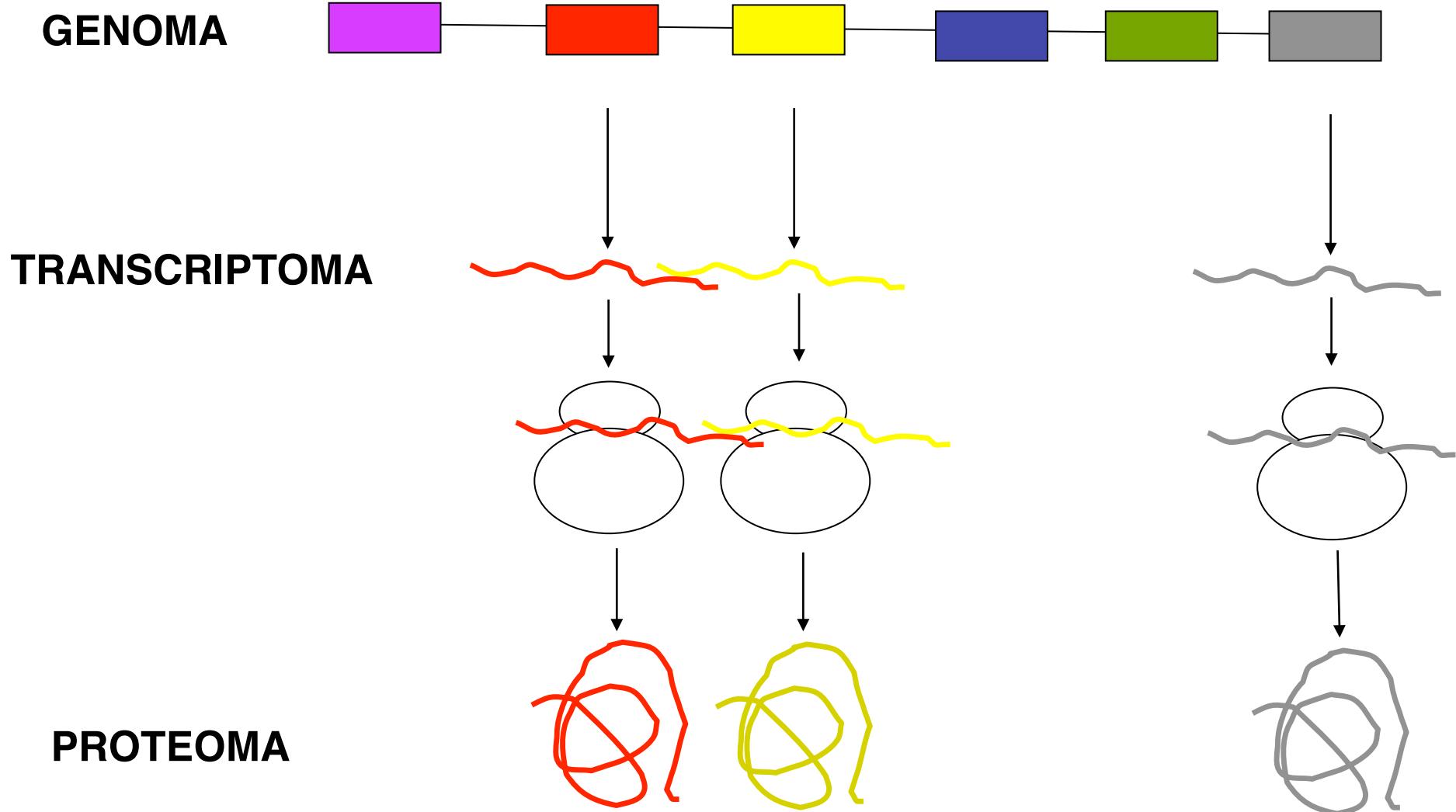


proteína

función

¿Cómo es posible que si todas las células de un individuo tienen los mismos genes, se produzca la diferenciación celular?

**EN UN DETERMINADO TIPO CELULAR Y/O EN UN
DETERMINADO MOMENTO DEL DESARROLLO SÓLO SE
EXPRESA UN SUBCONJUNTO DE LOS GENES**



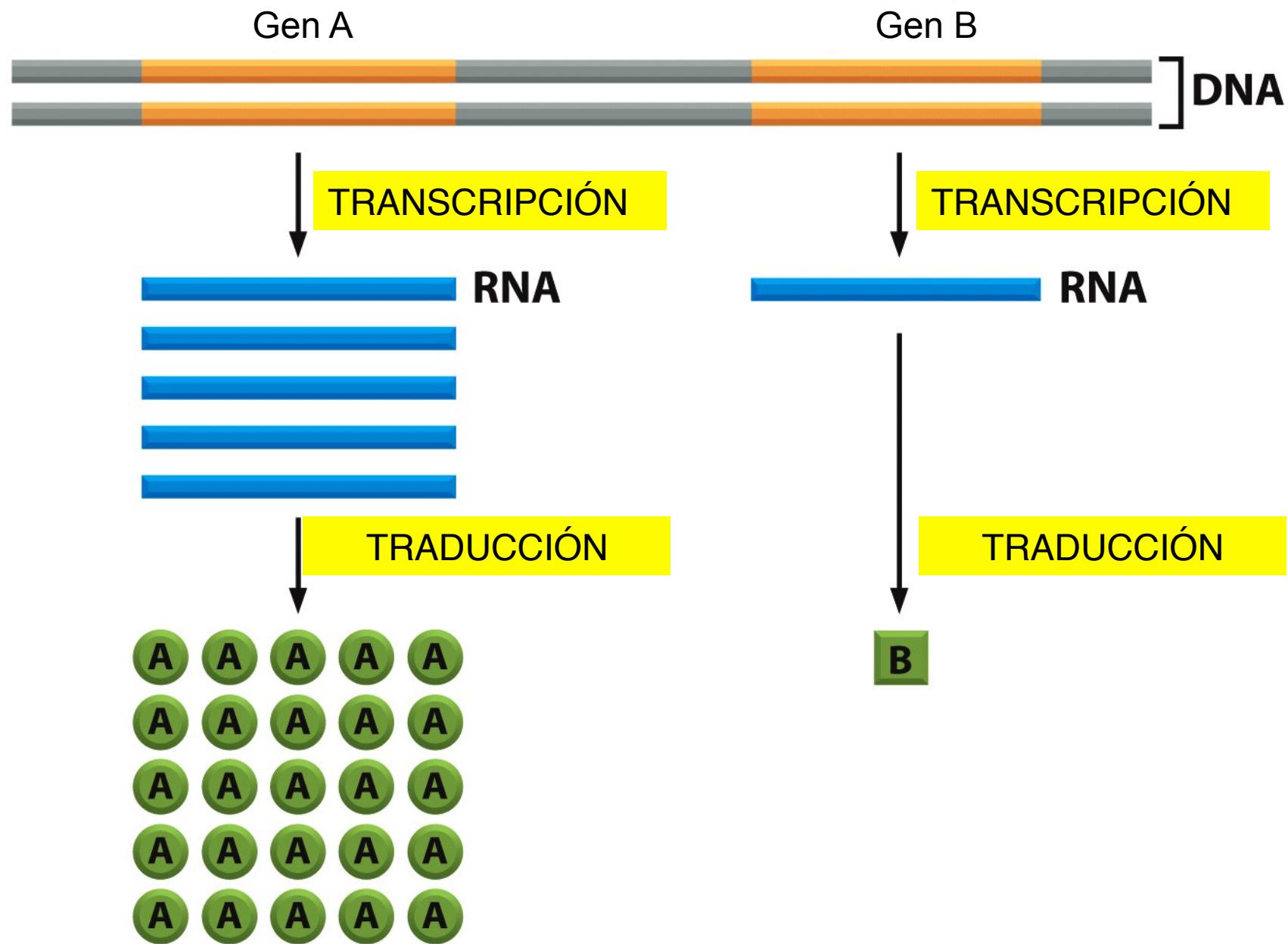
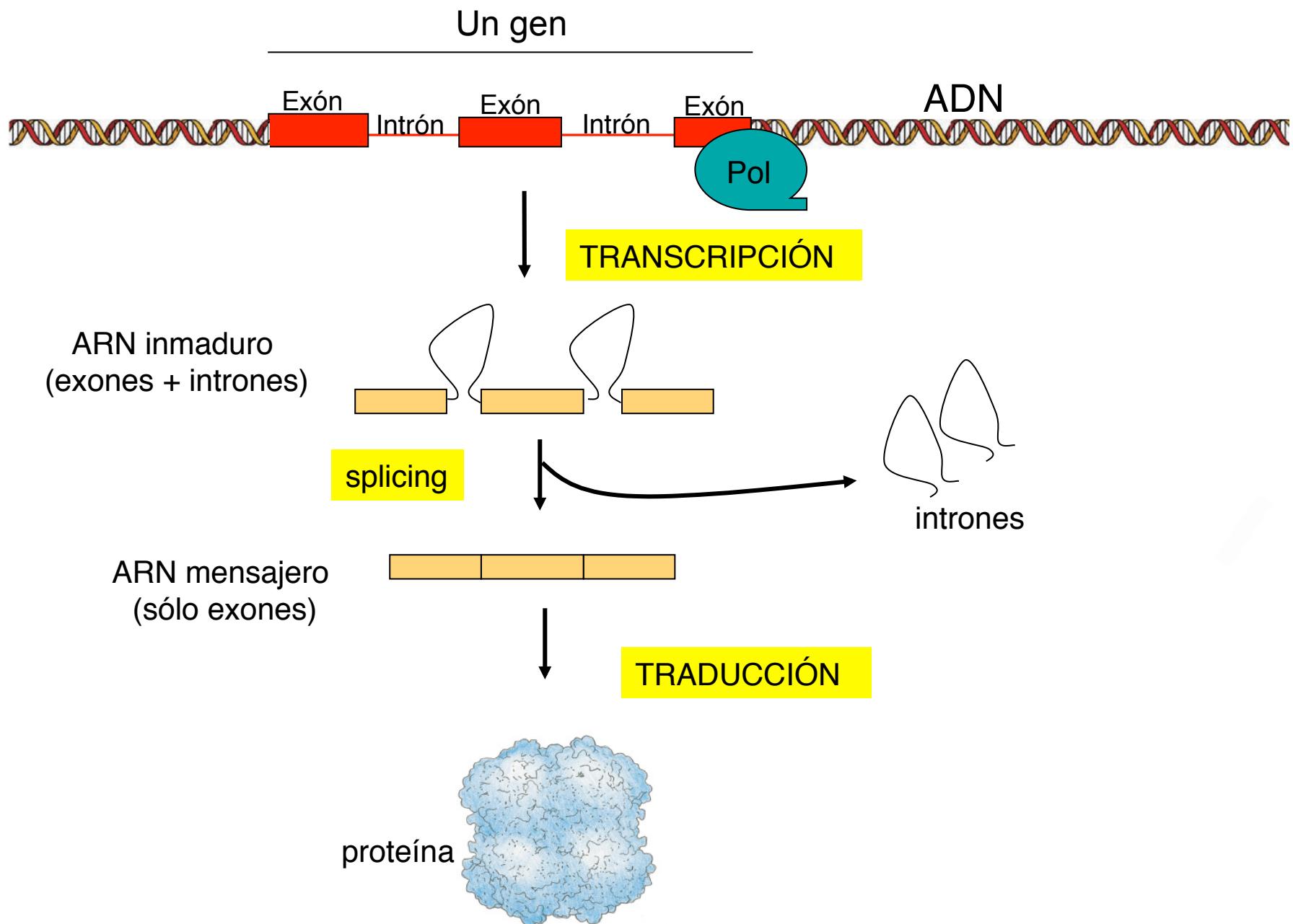
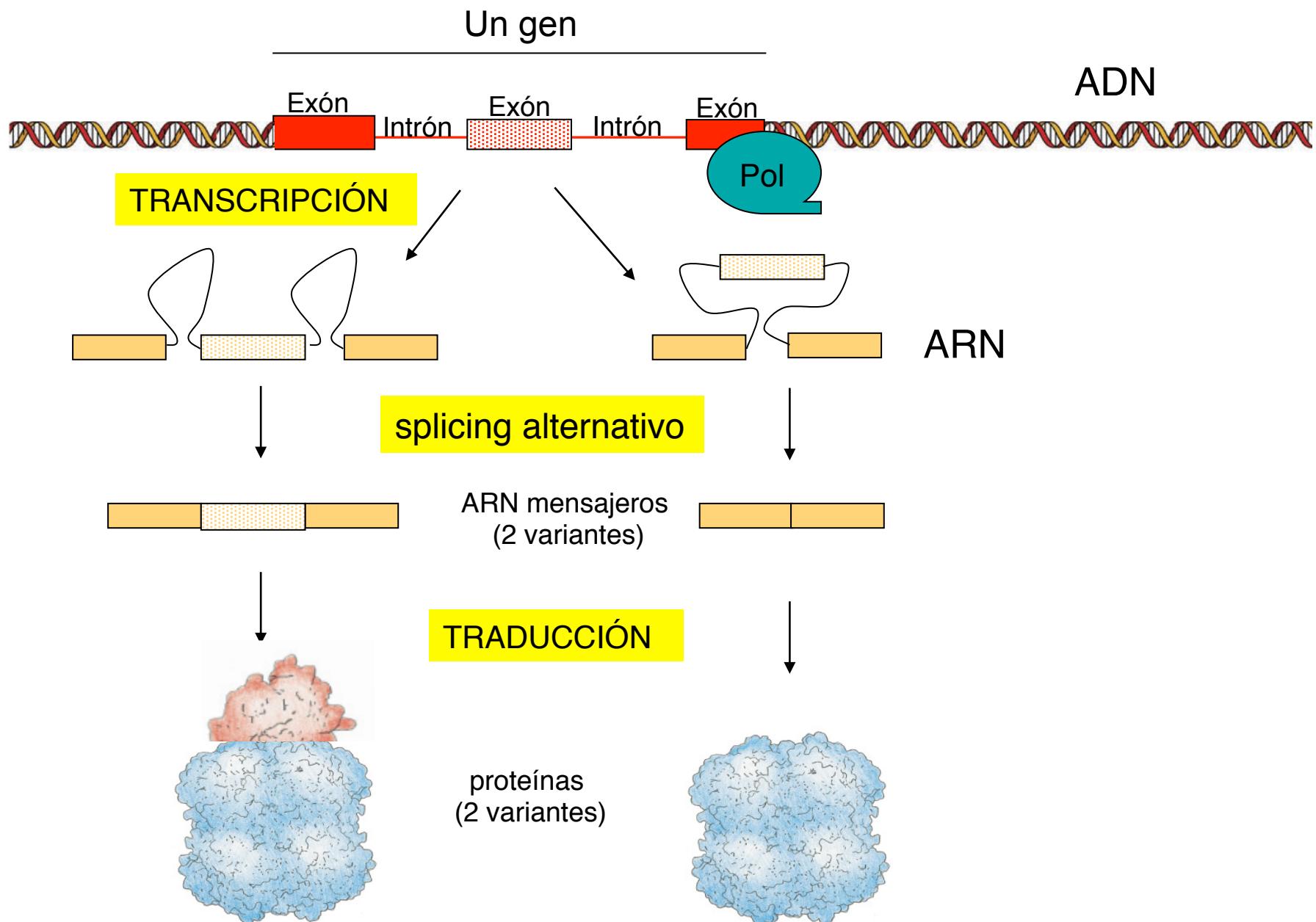


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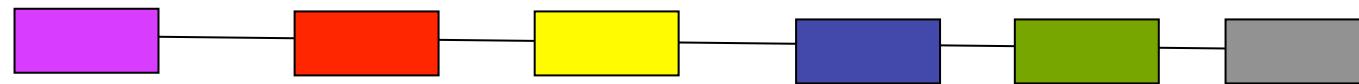
¿Y qué investigamos en nuestro
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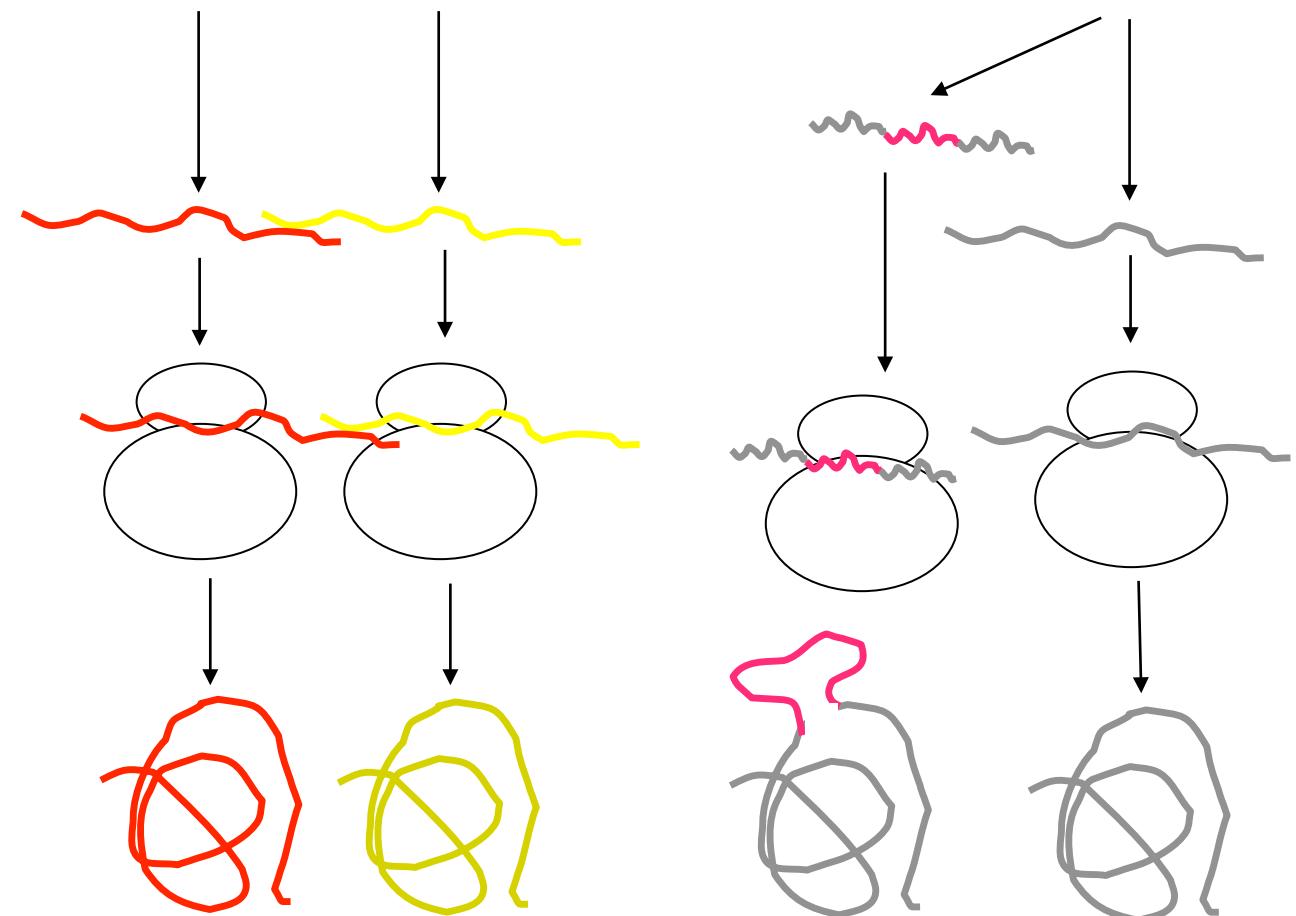
Splicing alternativo



GENOMA



TRANSCRIPTOMA

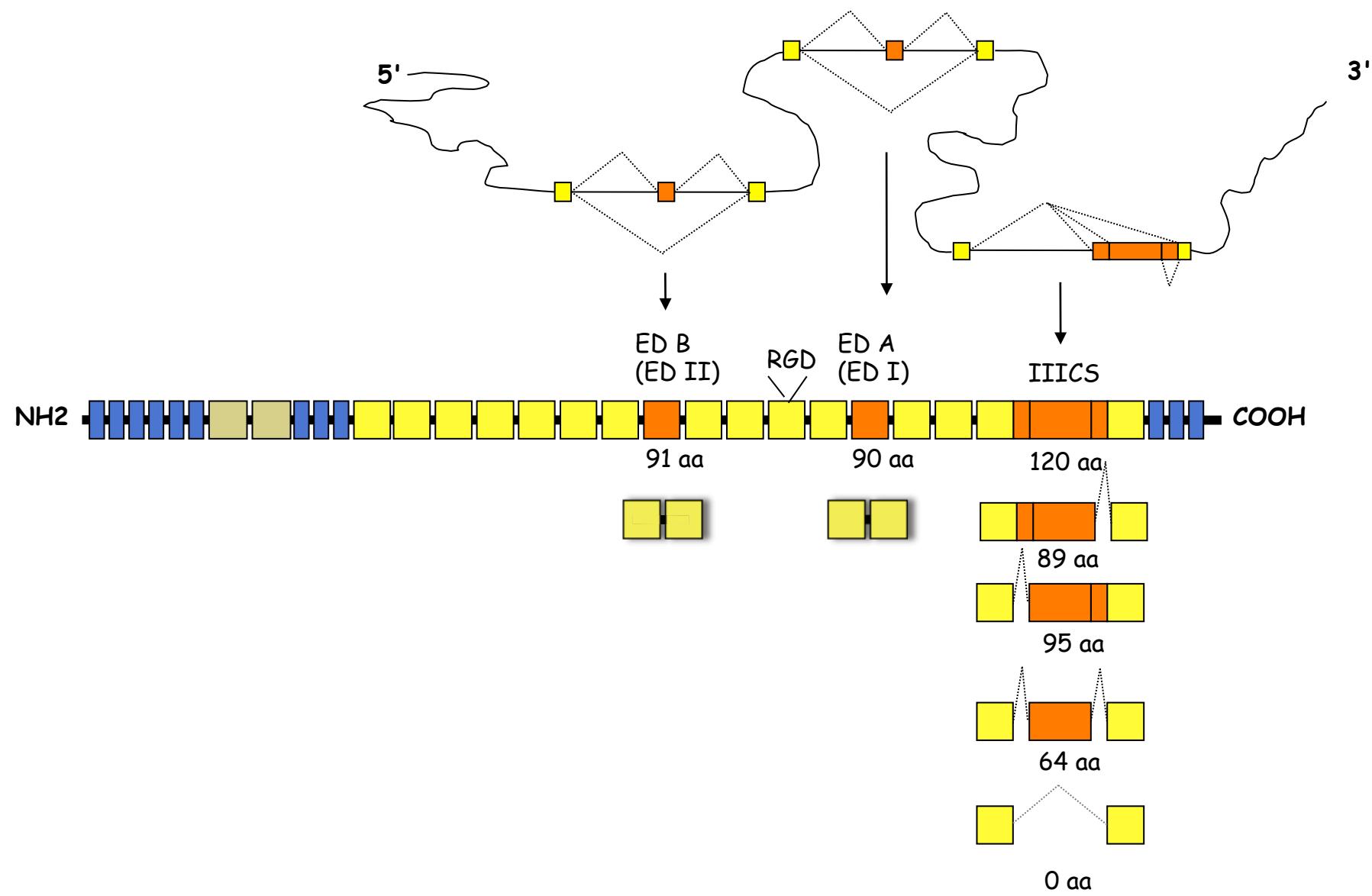


PROTEOMA

un gen → una proteína

un gen → muchas proteínas

Fibronectina humana

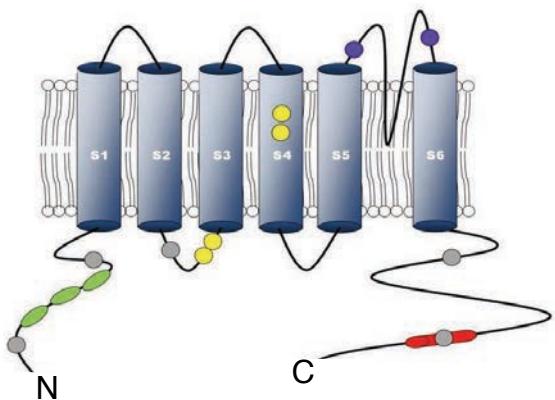


Kornblihtt et al., FASEB J. 1996



Desmodus rotundus
(murciélagos vampiro)

TRPV1 (CANAL IÓNICO)

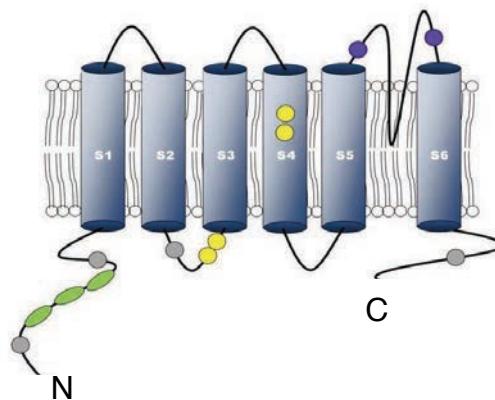


Ganglios espinales dorsales

>43 °C

Calor nocivo

DOLOR



Ganglios del trigémino

>30 °C

Sensado de radiación infrarroja

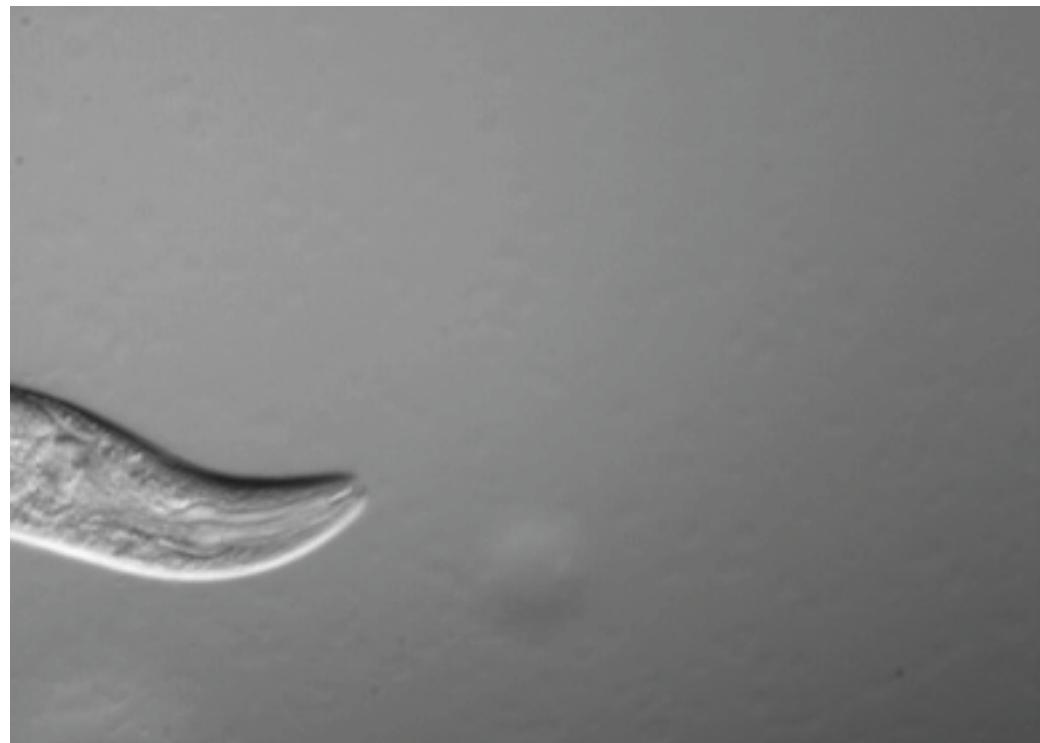
ALIMENTACIÓN

Julius group: Gracheva et al. *Nature* 2011

El splicing alternativo parece ser la causa de la gran **complejidad** de los vertebrados (nosotros)

Gusano *Caenorhabditis elegans*

Invertebrado microscópico de 1 mm de largo formado por 1000 células



19.000 genes en cada célula

Fuente: <http://www.bio.unc.edu/faculty/goldstein/lab/movies.html>

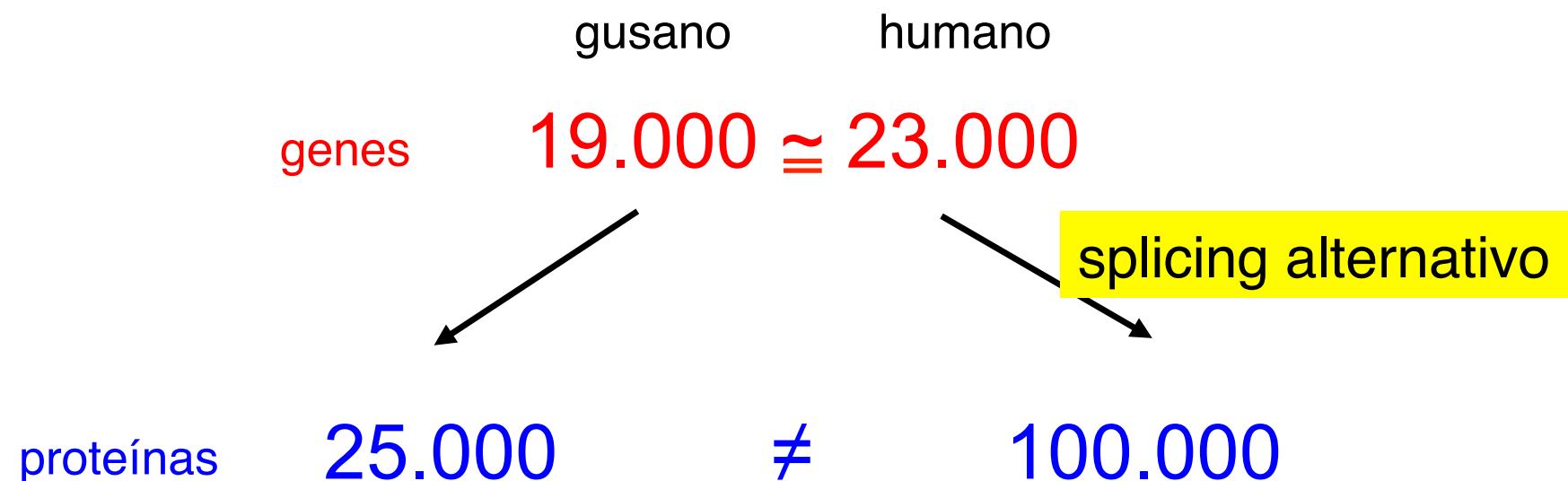
Homo sapiens sapiens

Vertebrado macroscópico de casi 2 m de largo formado por 10^{13} células



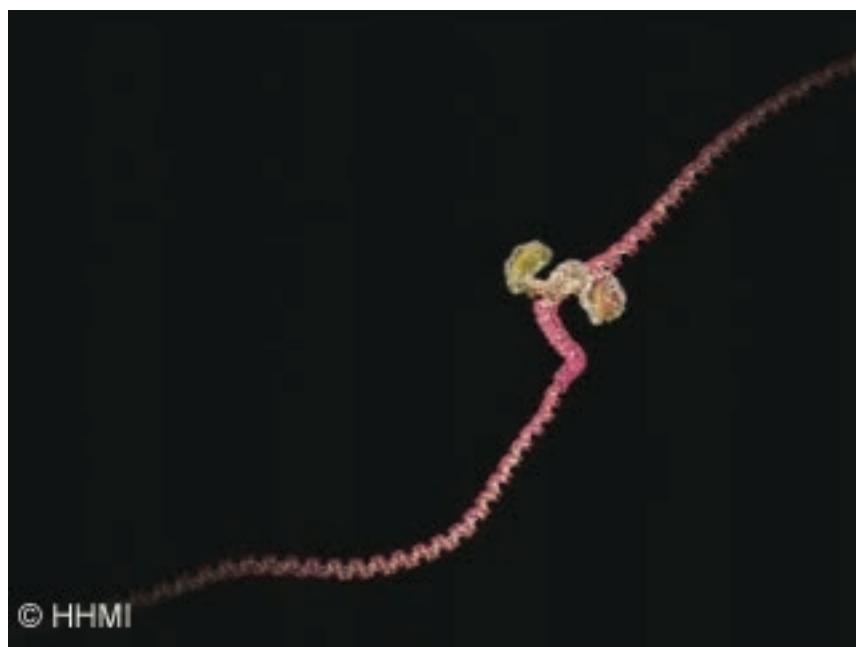
23.000 genes en cada célula

No somos más complejos porque
tengamos más genes



Lo que ocurre es que nuestros genes pueden generar muchas más proteínas que los del gusano

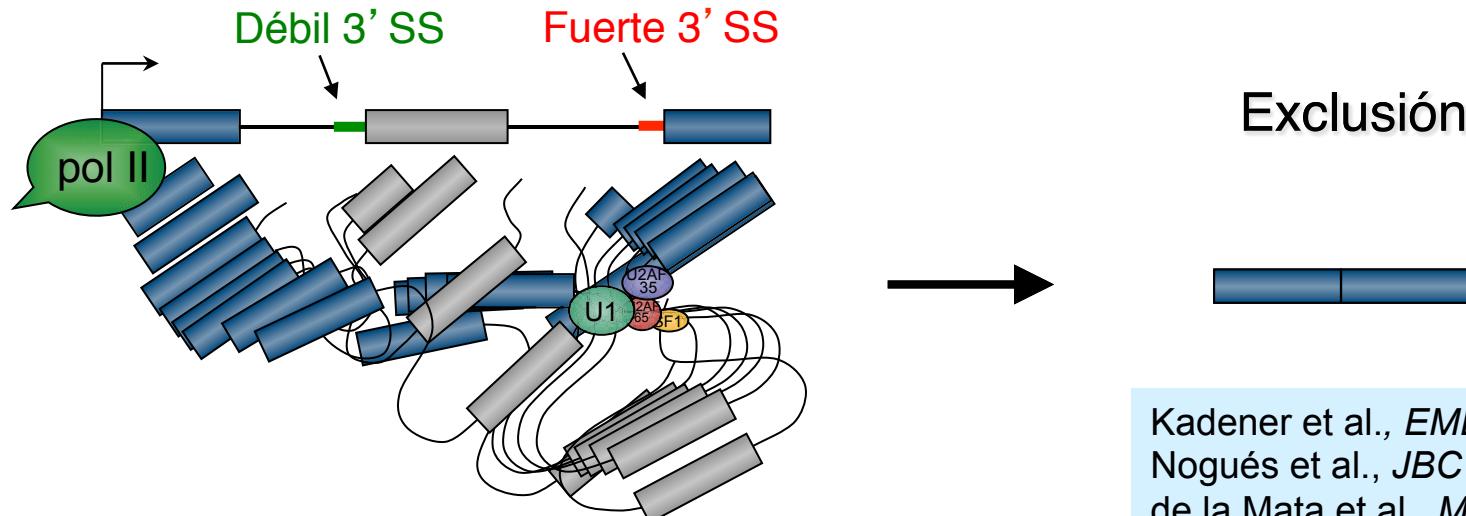
*La velocidad de la transcripción regula
el splicing alternativo*



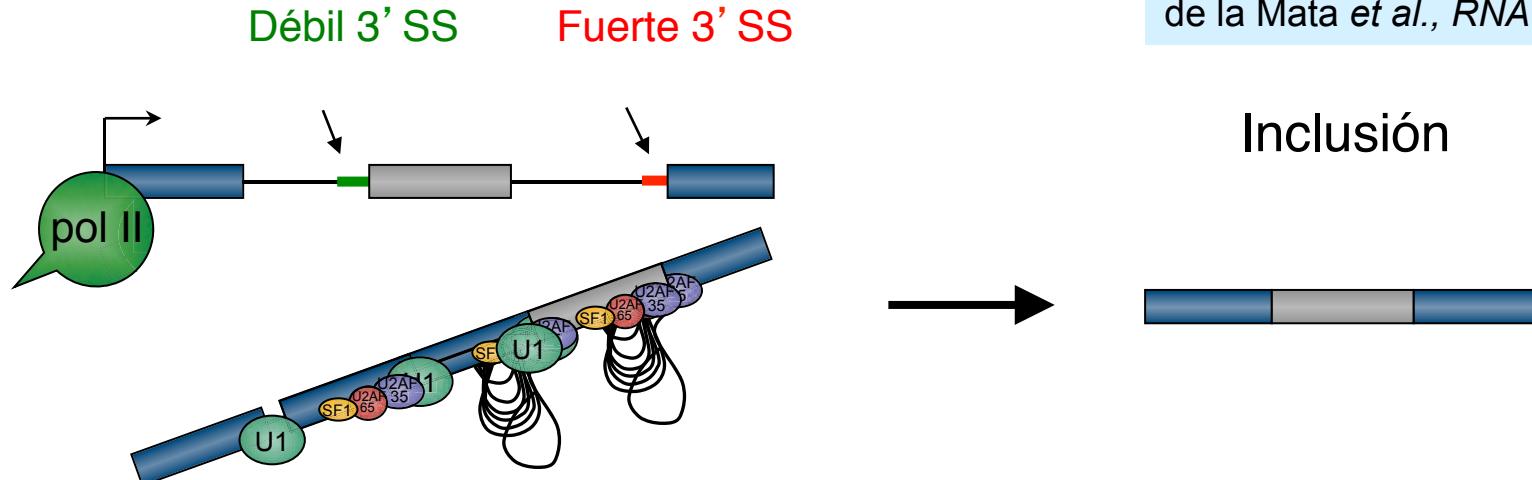
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Quien llega primero, se sirve primero (versión 2)

Transcripción rápida/sin pausas

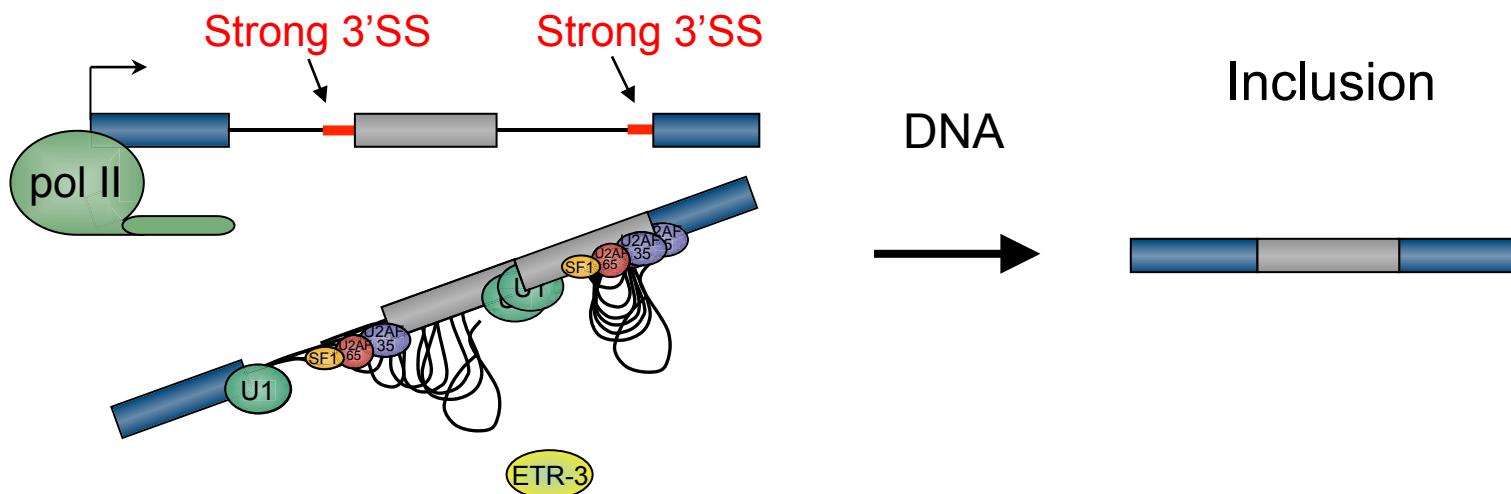


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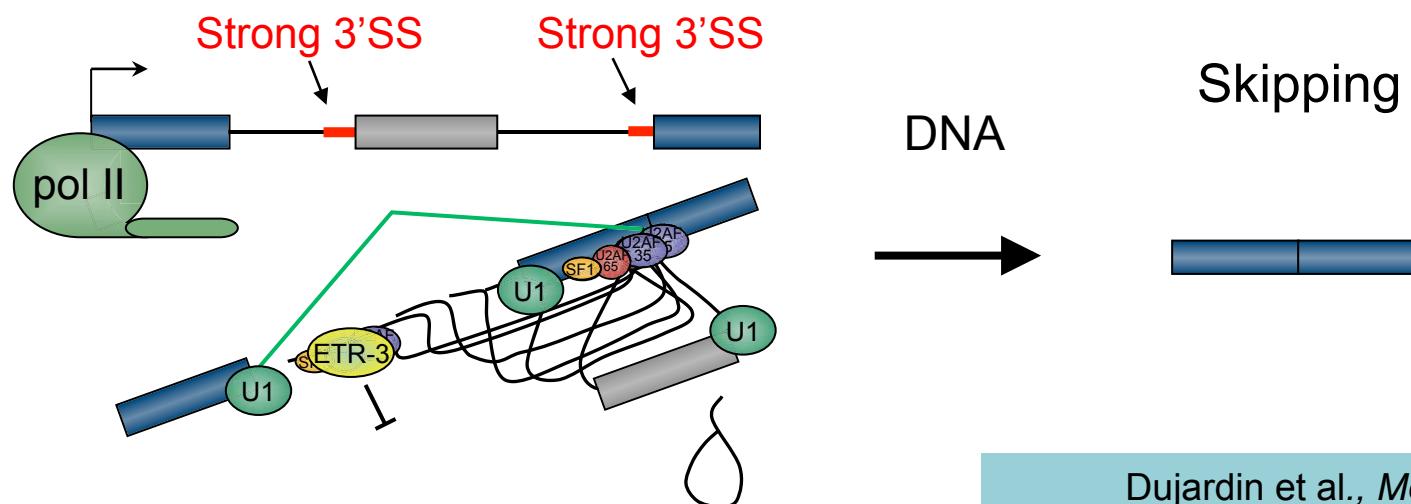


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de la Mata et al., *Mol. Cell* 2003
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Fast elongation

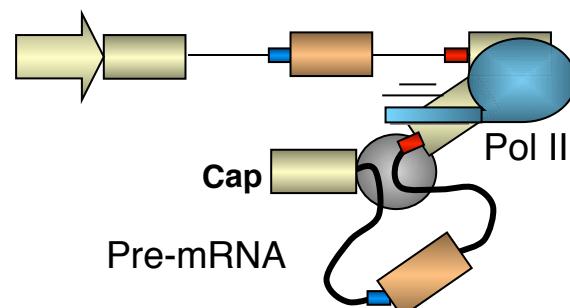


Slow elongation/pauses

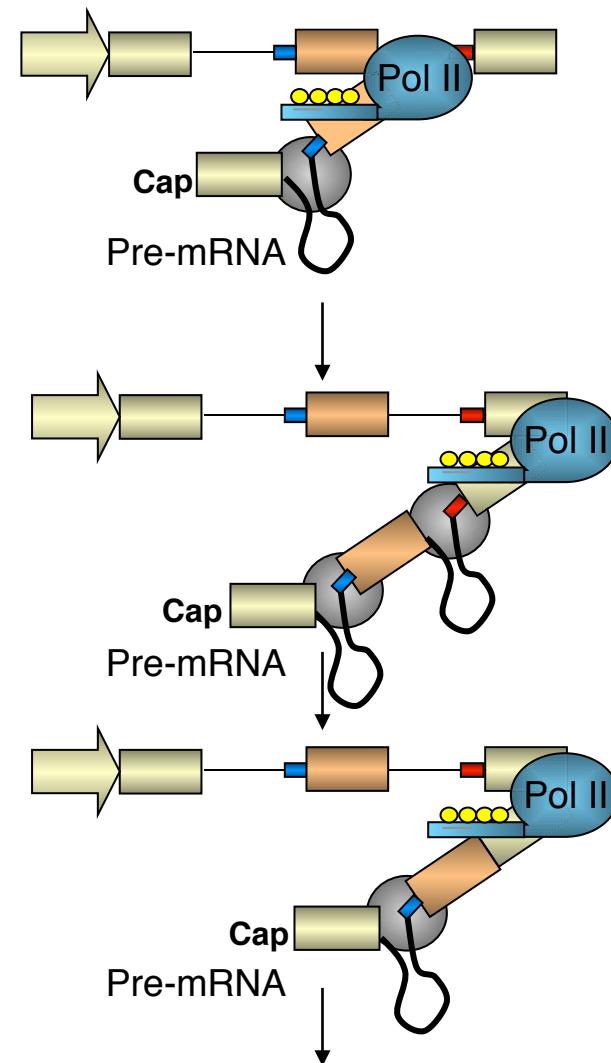


Radiación UV y splicing alternativo

Transcripción rápida



Transcripción lenta

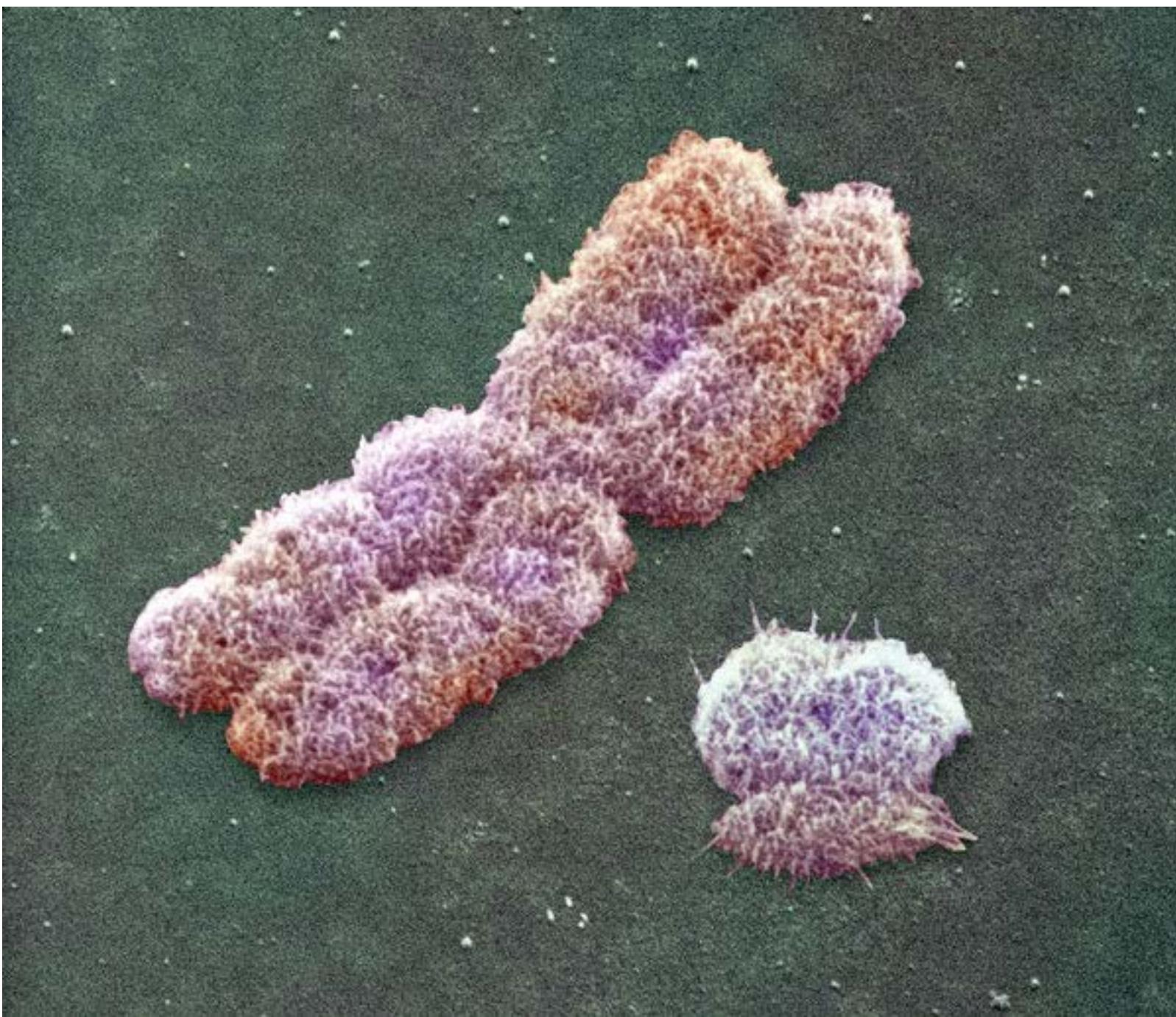


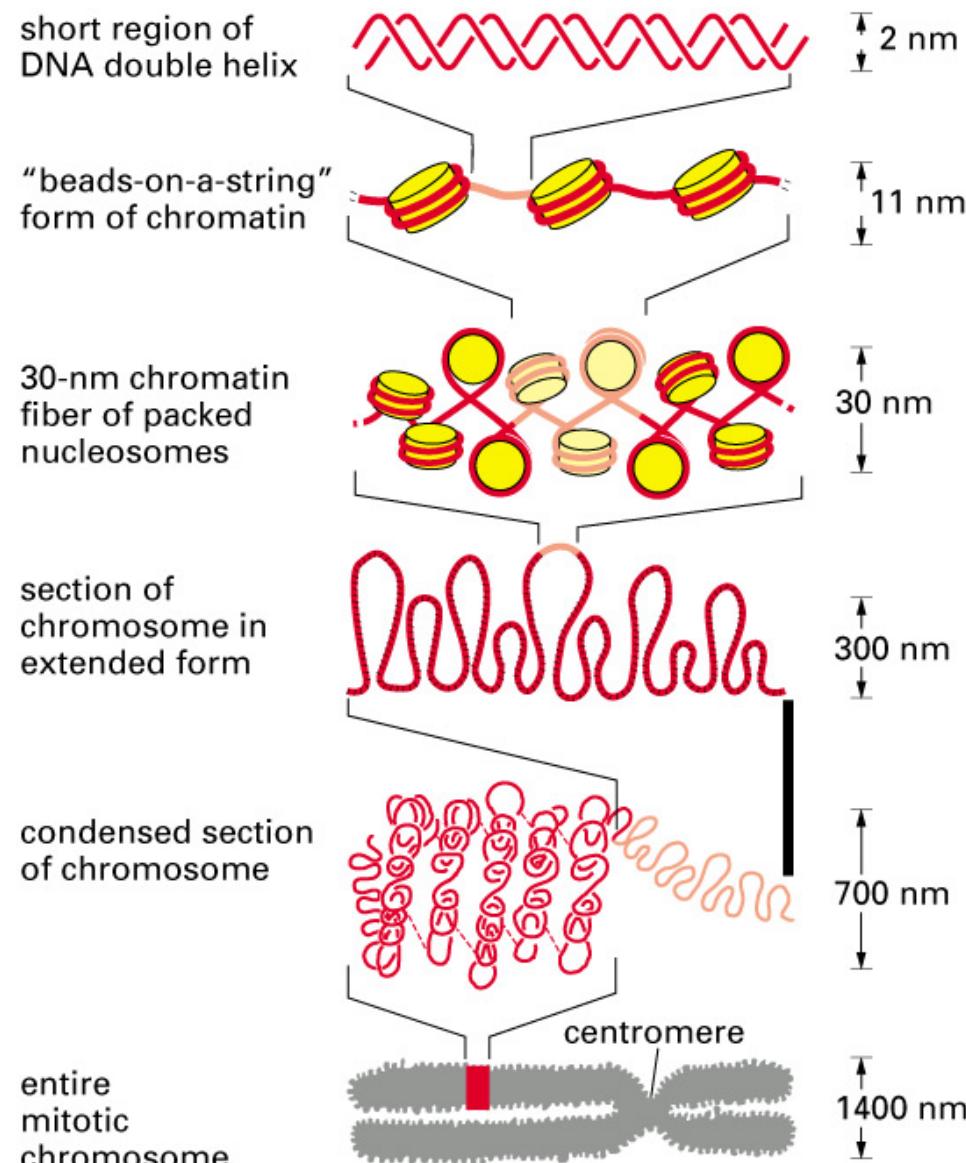
RADIACIÓN UV

mRNA Cap (A)_n
Skipping

mRNA Cap (A)_n
Inclusion

Cromatina y splicing alternativo





NET RESULT: EACH DNA MOLECULE HAS BEEN
PACKAGED INTO A MITOTIC CHROMOSOME THAT
IS 10,000-FOLD SHORTER THAN ITS EXTENDED LENGTH

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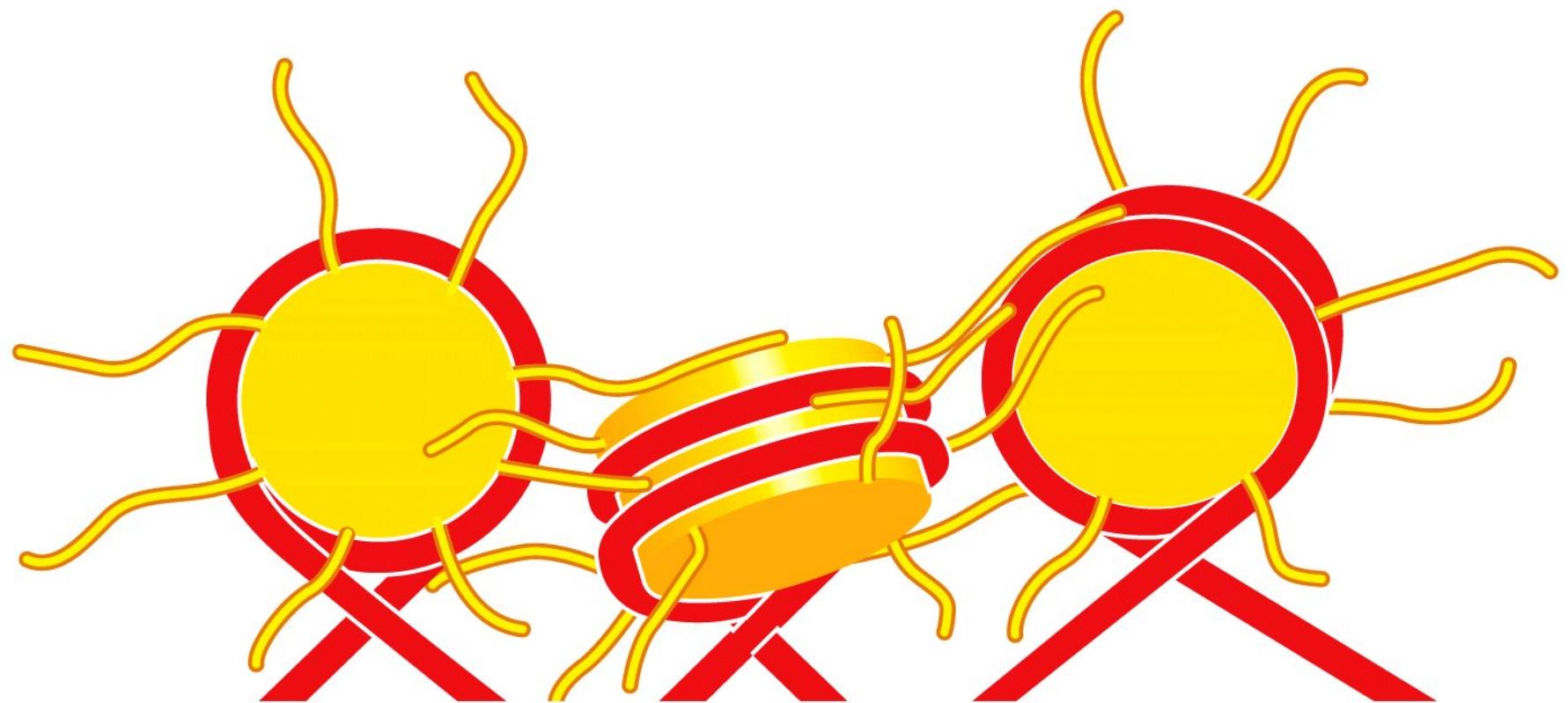
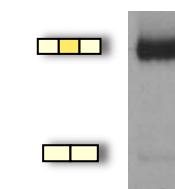
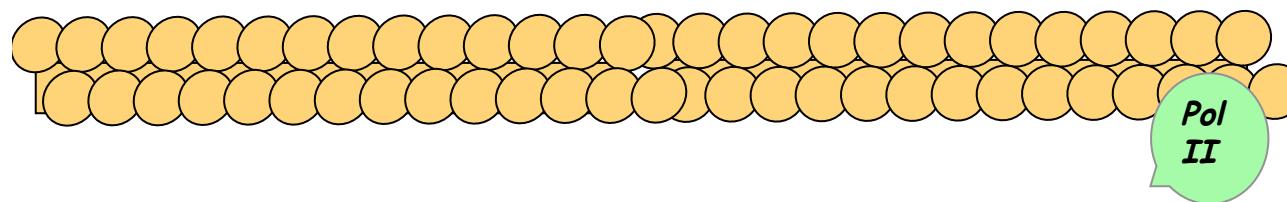
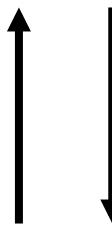
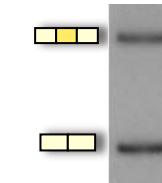
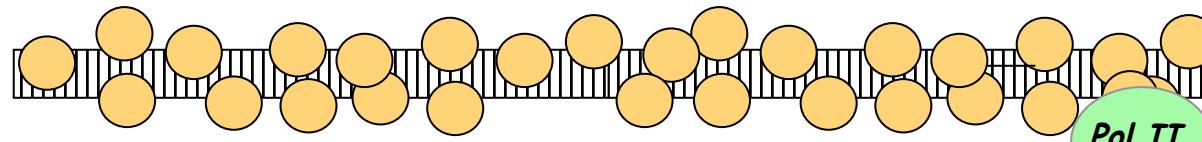
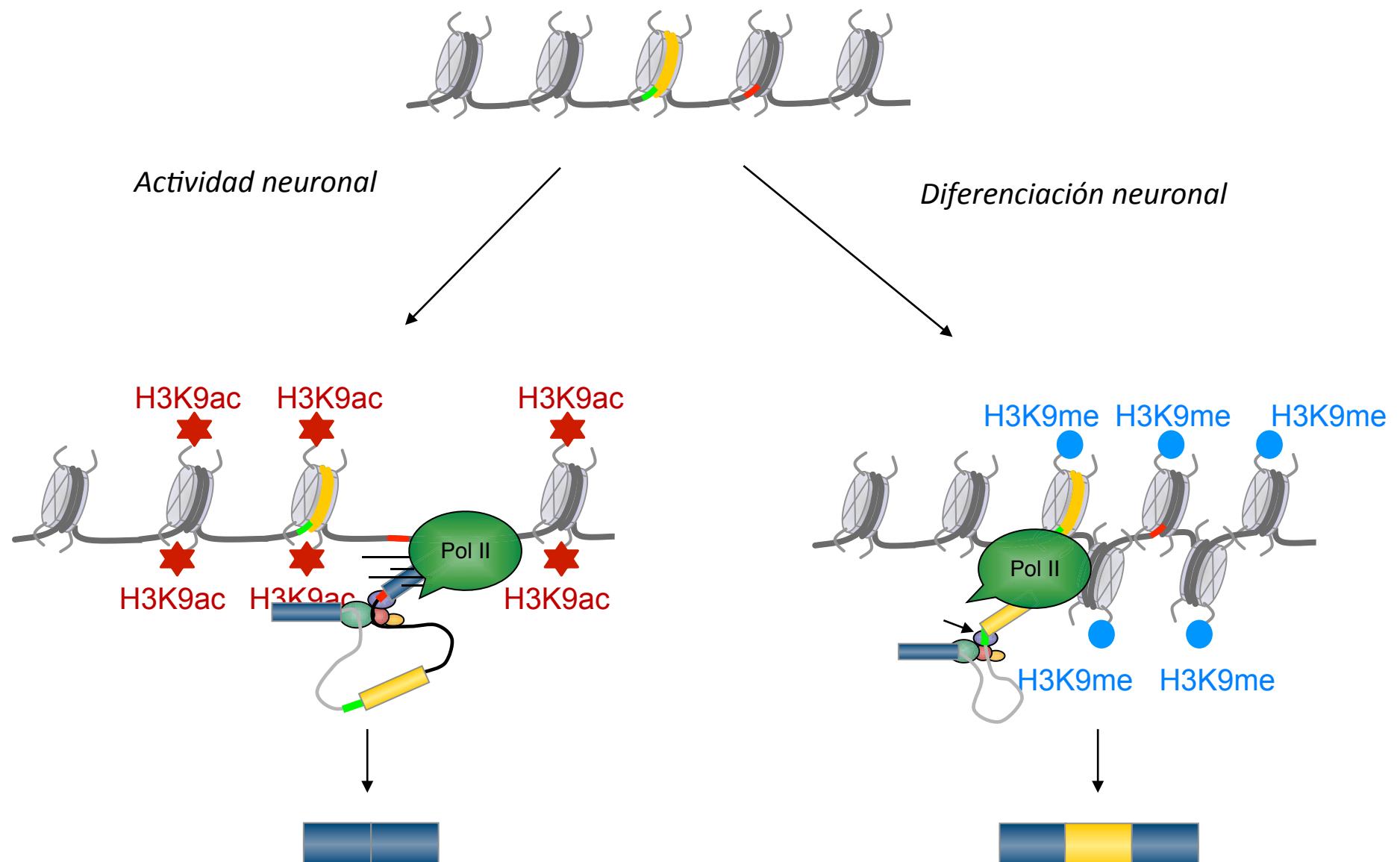


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Cromatina alternativa, splicing alternativo



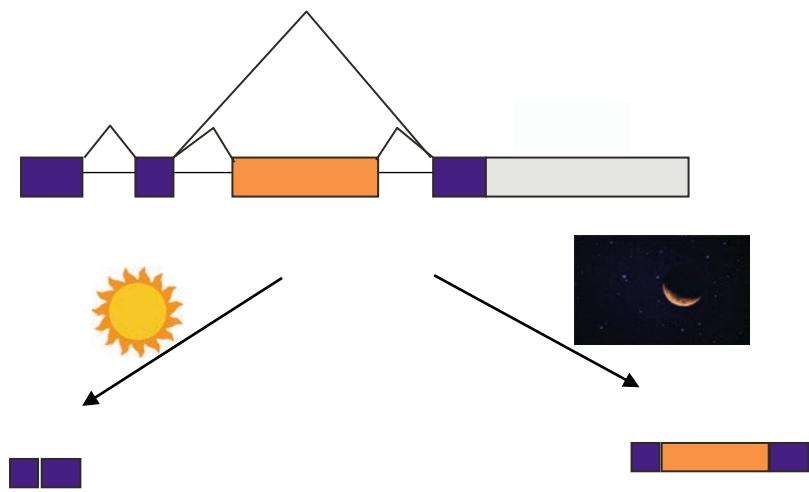
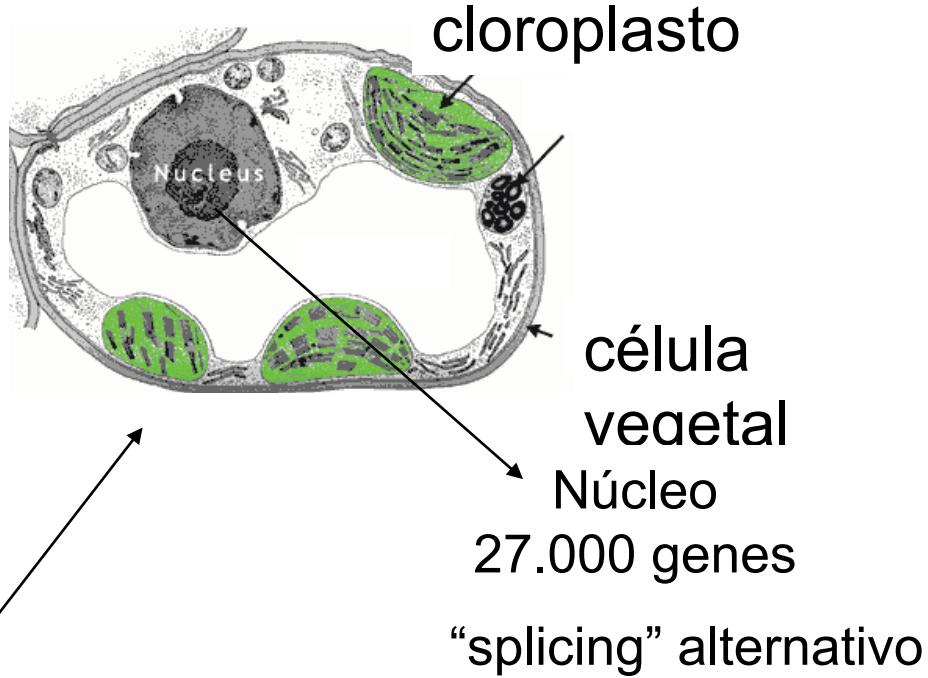
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Splicing alternativo en plantas



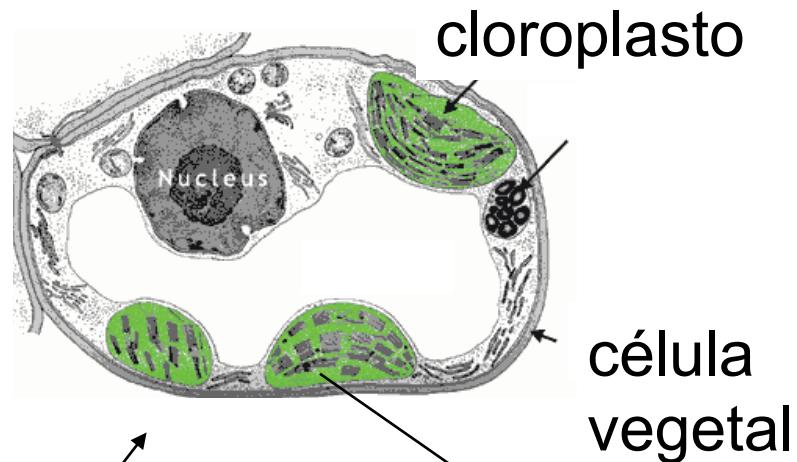


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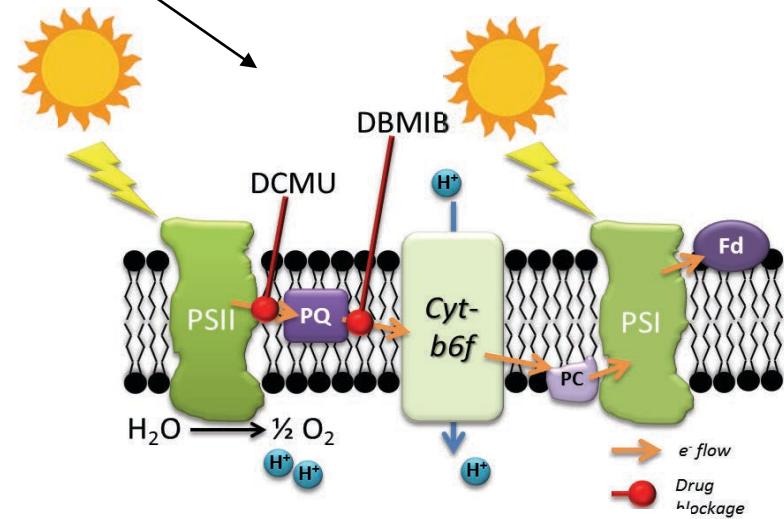


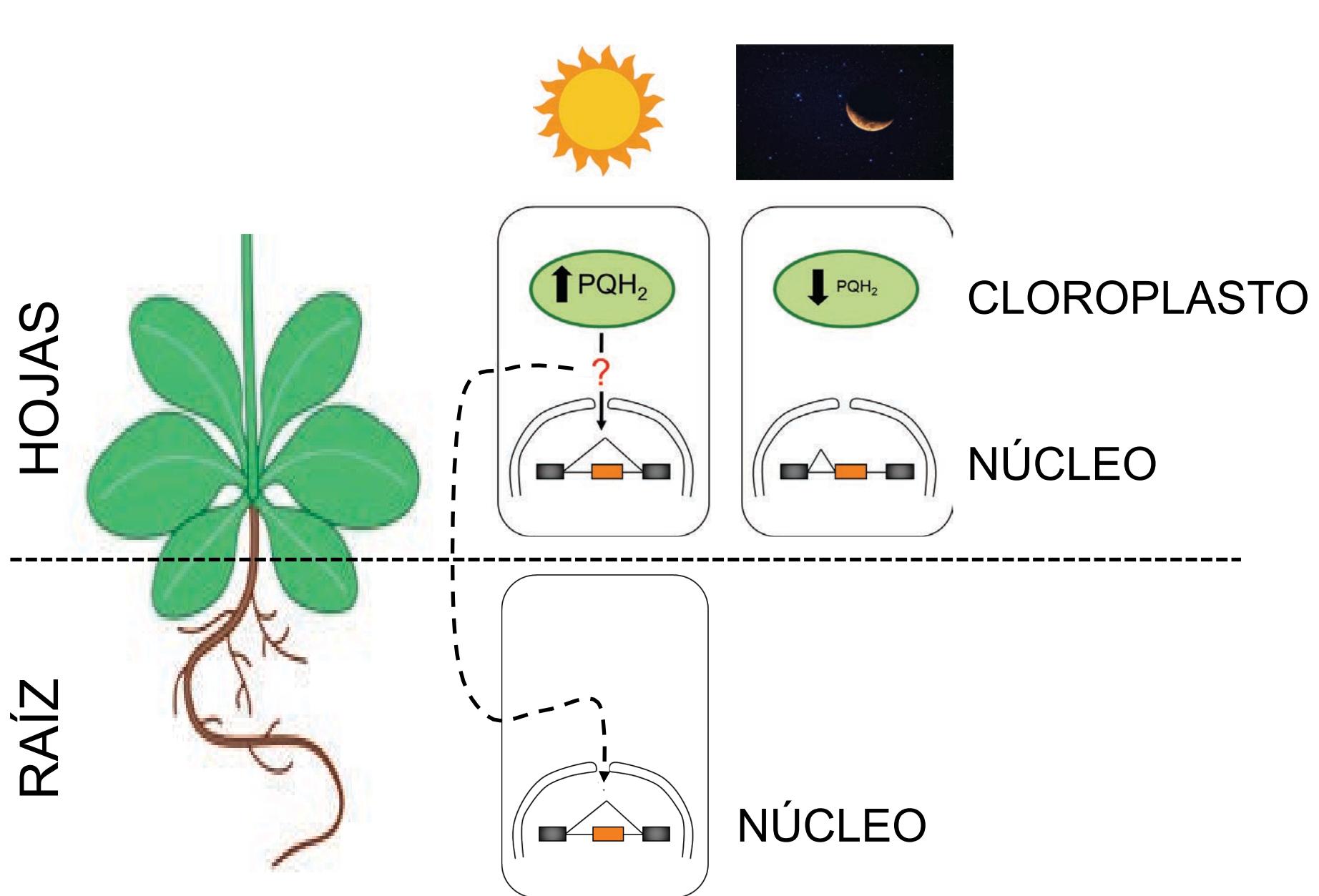
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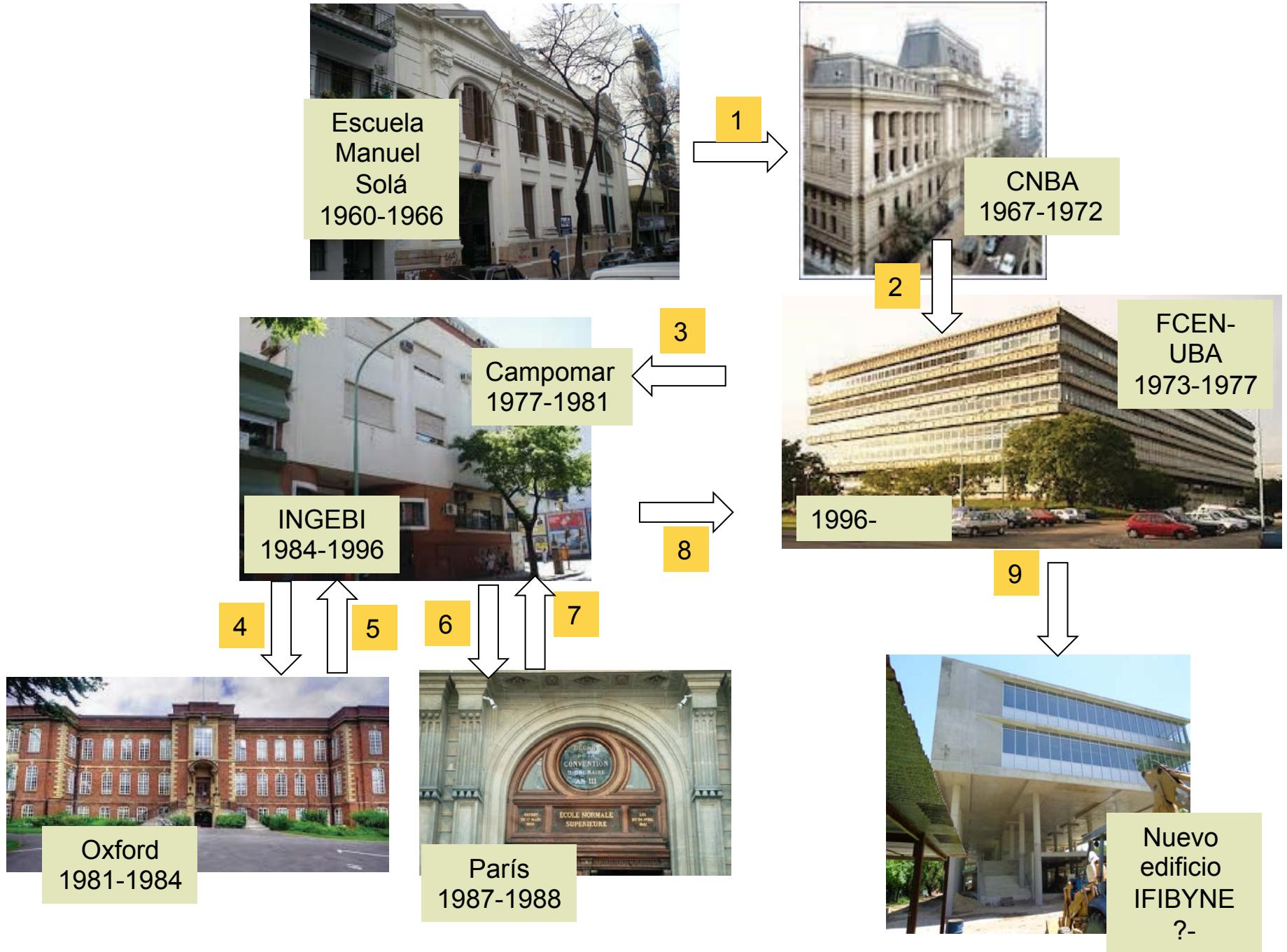
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