E2F mediated regulation of DNA replication

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Introduction

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Progression through G1 and G1 to S-phase transition that initiates DNA synthesis involve many complexes that are regulated by RB1:E2F pathway. RB1:E2F pathway plays a key role in gene expression regulation in proliferating and differentiated cells. As a repressor, E2F remains bound to RB1; it can activate the expression of S-phase genes involved in DNA replication after the phosphorylation of RB1.

E2F proteins regulate expression of genes involved in various processes thereby forming interlinks between cell cycle, DNA synthesis, DNA damage recognition etc.

In this module, activation of replication related genes by E2F1 and two ways by which E2F1 regulates DNA replication initiation are annotated.

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During S phase of the cell cycle, RB1 is dephosphorylated by the PP2A protein phosphatase complex. Unphosphorylated RB1 associates with DNA damage sites in S phase, preventing initiation of DNA replication from these sites (Knudsen et al. 2000, Avni et al. 2003).

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Under specific conditions, Cyclin B, a mitotic cyclin, can inhibit the functions of pre-replicative complex. E2F1 activates Cdc25A protein which regulates Cyclin B in a positive manner. Cyclin B/Cdk1 function is restored which leads to the disruption of pre-replicative complex. This phenomenon has been demonstrated by Bosco et al (2001) in Drosophila.

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