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# 3' Untranslated Region

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Sequences on the 3' end of messenger RNAs that are not translated into protein. The 3'UTR is involved in many post-transcriptional regulatory pathways, including regulating translation efficiency, mRNA stability, and polyadenylation signals.