## **CONCEPT:** GLYCOLYSIS

1. Hexokinase ( $\Delta G^{\circ} = -16.7 \text{ kJ/mol}$ ) glucose  $\rightarrow$  glucose 6-phosphate

2. Phosphohexose isomerase ( $\Delta G^{\circ}$  = 1.7 kJ/mol) glucose 6-phosphate  $\rightarrow$  fructose 6-phosphate

3. Phosphofructokinase ( $\Delta G^{\circ}$  = -14.2 kJ/mol) fructose 6-phosphate  $\rightarrow$  fructose 1,6-bisphosphate

4. Aldolase ( $\Delta G^{\circ}$  = 23.8 kJ/mol) f 1,6-bp  $\rightarrow$  glyceralehyde 3-phosphate (G3P) + dihydroxyacetone phosphate (DHAP)  $\Box \Delta G$  at cellular conditions is between -6 and 0 kJ/mol