## Development of a microbial shortcut for CO<sub>2</sub> to ethylene glycol, a valuable building block.

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**Proof of Principle Flagship, Routes to use CO<sub>2</sub> as feedstock for textiles and building materials** 

**Objective(s)** 

Wildcard project itself is about exploring whether we can produce ethylene glycol from formic acid (electrochemically derived from  $CO_2$ ) the goal for possible dessimination will revolve around generating interest of potential industrial partners to invest in further development of the concept.

## **Target audience**

Scientific peers within academia and industry. Potential private stakeholders. Funding agencies.



Slide deck for communication with potential private stakeholders, Internal WUR report, Patent literature, Peer reviewed article.

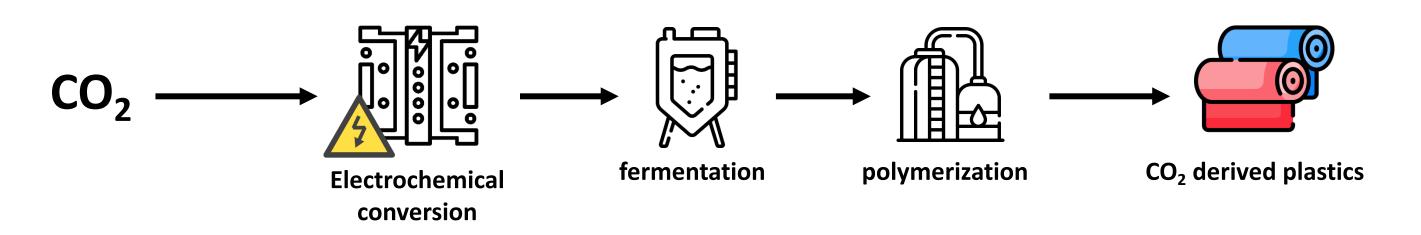


Figure 1. Process overview for CO2 derived plastic production

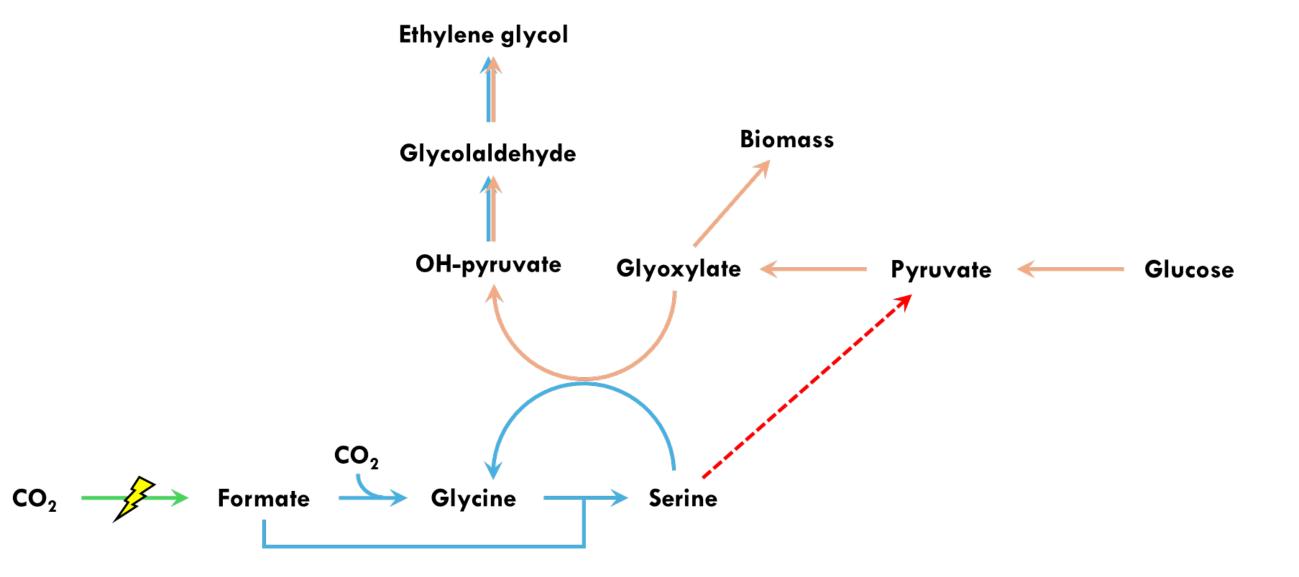
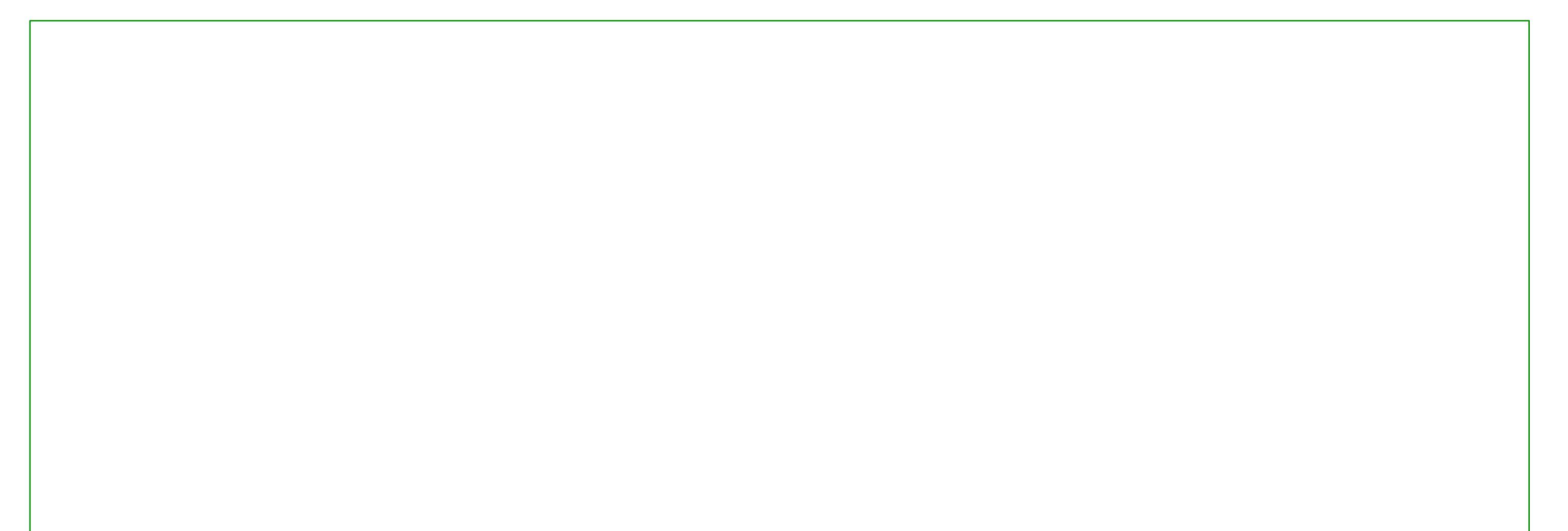


Figure 2. overview of the microbial pathway involved.





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