

Review of: "Techno-Economic Fermentative Microbe-Based Industrial Production of Lactic Acid (LA): Potential Future Prospects and Constraints"

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The manuscript "Techno-Economic Fermentative Microbe-Based Industrial Production of Lactic Acid (LA): Potential Future Prospects and Constraints" is a review article dealing with the production of lactic acid from lignocellulosic biomass". The title says technoeconomic, but there is nothing dealing with the technoeconomic aspects of lactic acid production. The subsection heads are random, and there is no flow or synthesis of reports. The authors mention in a statement, "Lignin is a major constituent, accounting for 60%," which is incorrect. From where the authors got this information needs to be mentioned.

The title says lactic acid production from sugarcane bagasse, but very few reports are included where the feedstock is bagasse.

The manuscript cannot be published in its present form and has to be rewritten.

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