

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

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The manuscript is poorly organized. I could not find what the whole process of lactic acid (or poly lactic acid) production using microbes, and what are the problems in each processes. I suggest authors explain and visualize whole processes discussed in this review in introduction section. Also, in section 2-6, I guess authors reviewed unit processes development. However, fundamental information (such as the problems to be solved, classification of the techniques in each section) are lacked. Although topic of this manuscript is about lactic acid production, some section discussing bioethanol production.

Authors did not discuss and analyze economic point of view on LA production.

Authors used many abbreviations, most of them are not defined at first appearance.