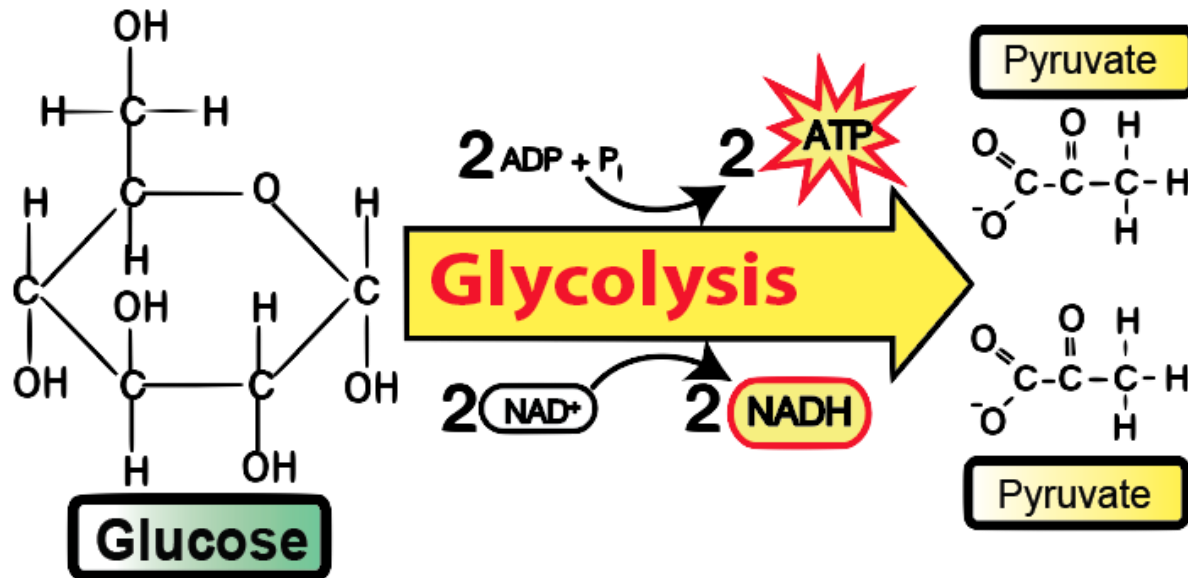




Glycolysis

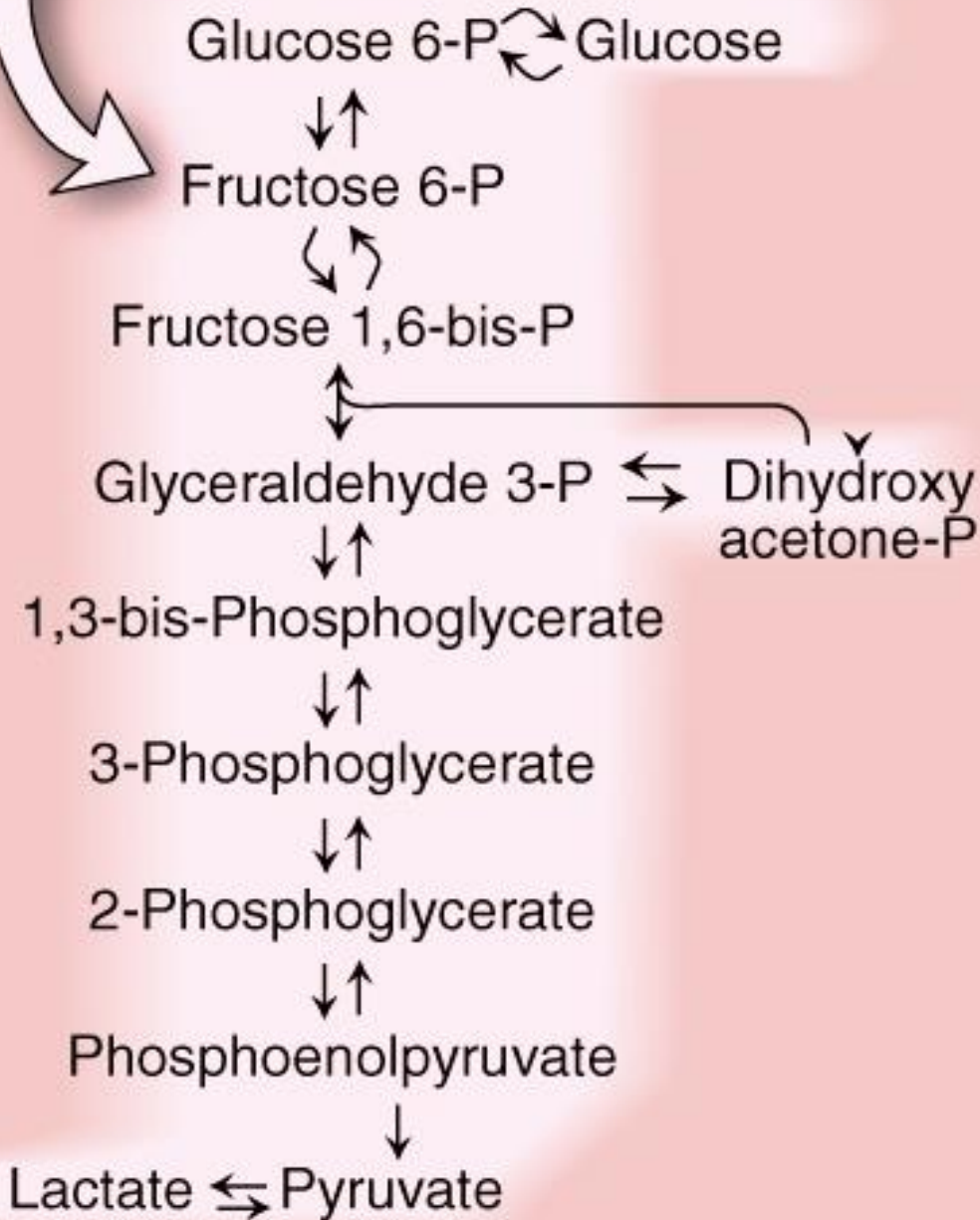
Reactions and Regulation



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Suggested Reading:

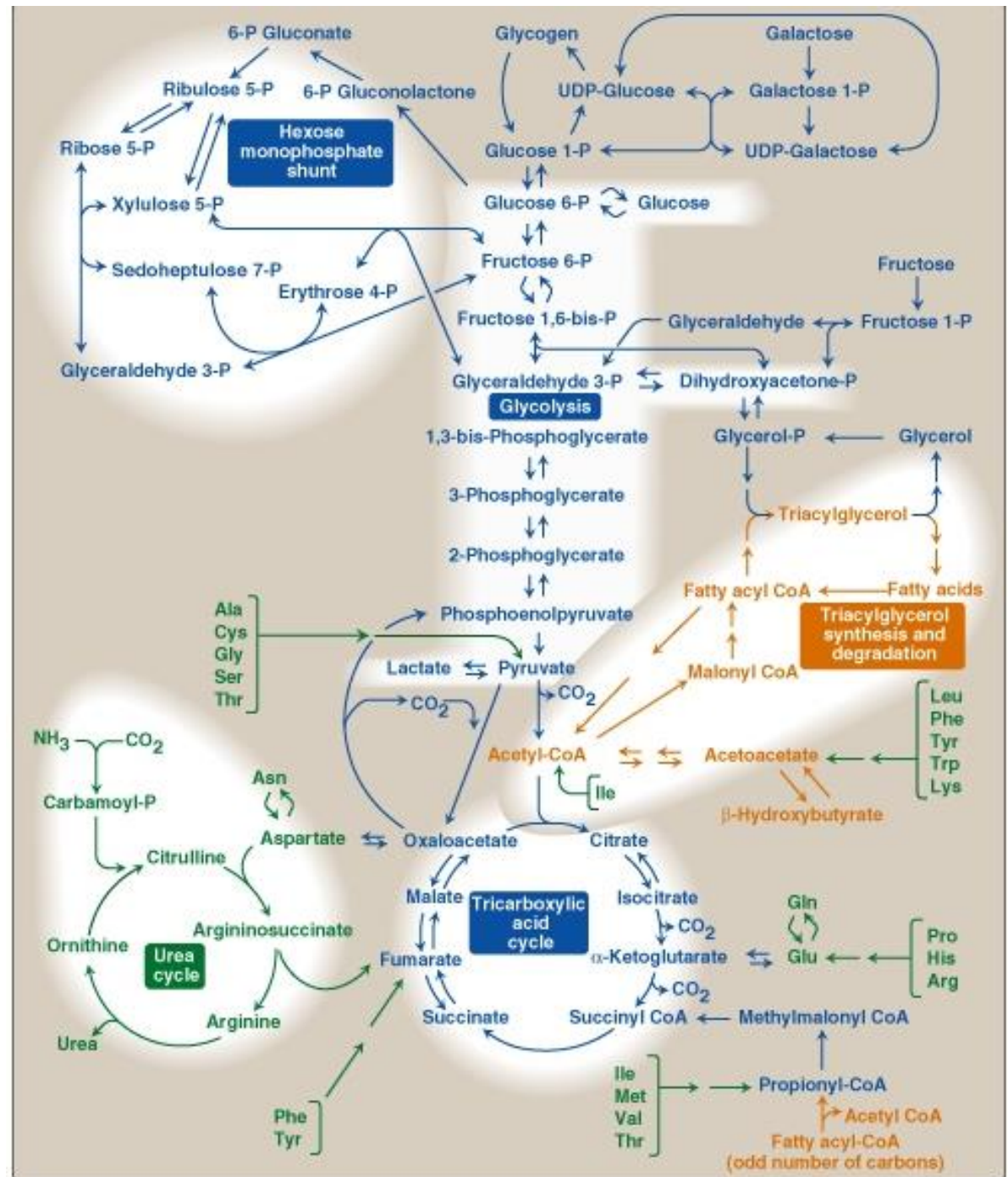
Lippincott's Illustrated reviews: Biochemistry



Glycolysis is an example of metabolic pathway

The product of one reaction is the substrate of the next reaction

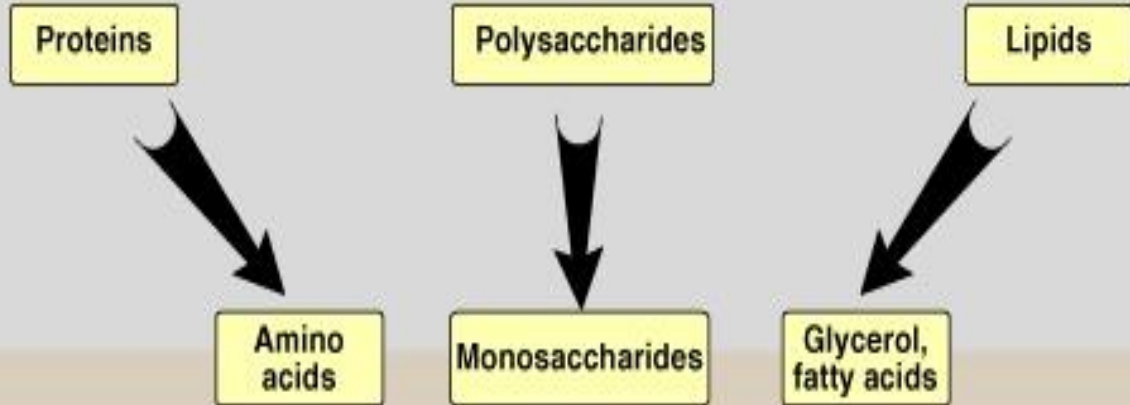
Metabolic pathways intersect to form network of chemical reactions



General Stages of Metabolism

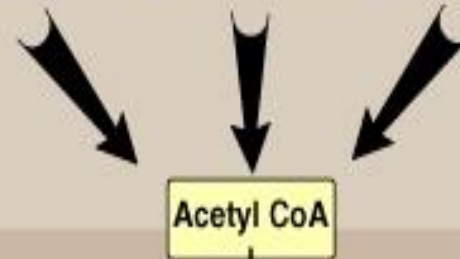
Stage I:

Hydrolysis of complex molecules to their component building blocks



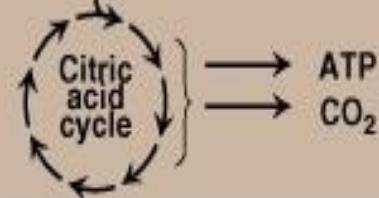
Stage II:

Conversion of building blocks to acetyl CoA (or other simple intermediates)

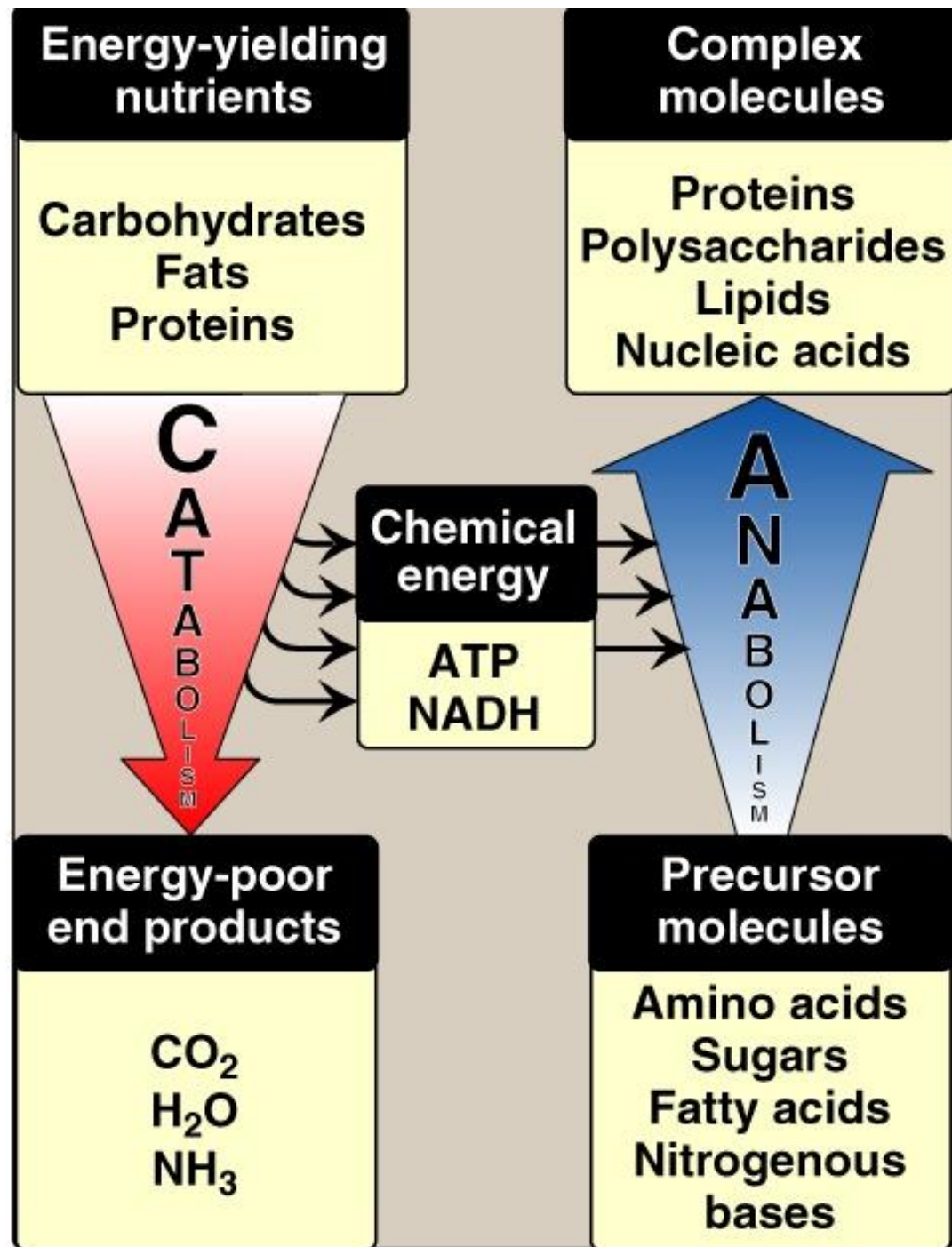


Stage III:

Oxidation of acetyl CoA; oxidative phosphorylation

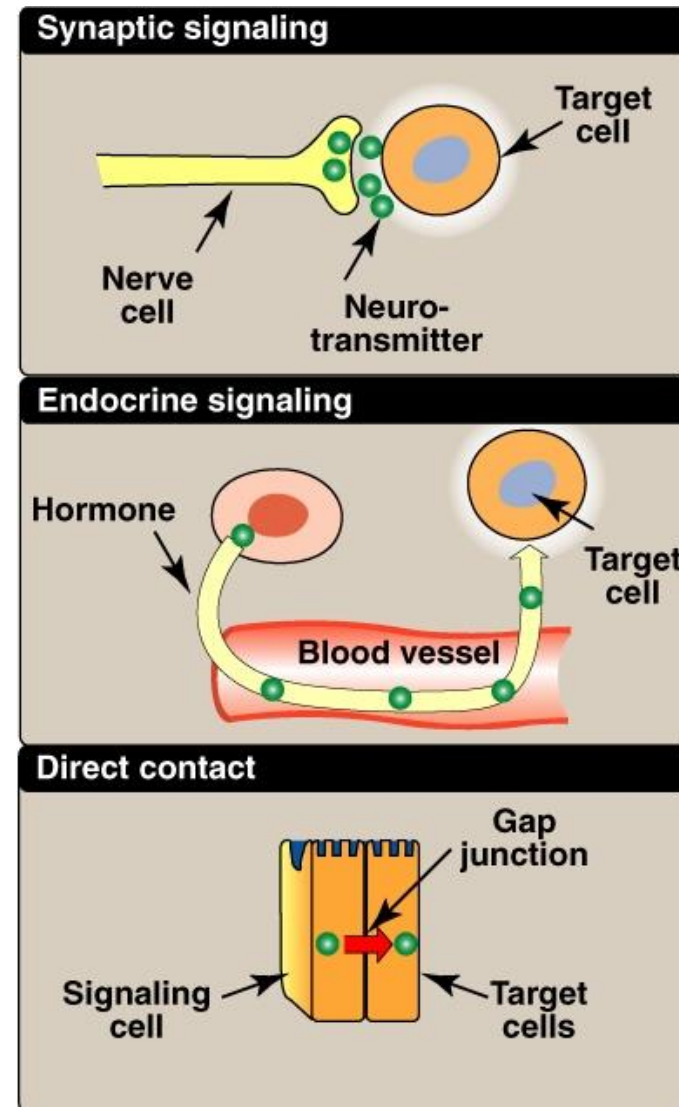


Types of Metabolic Pathways



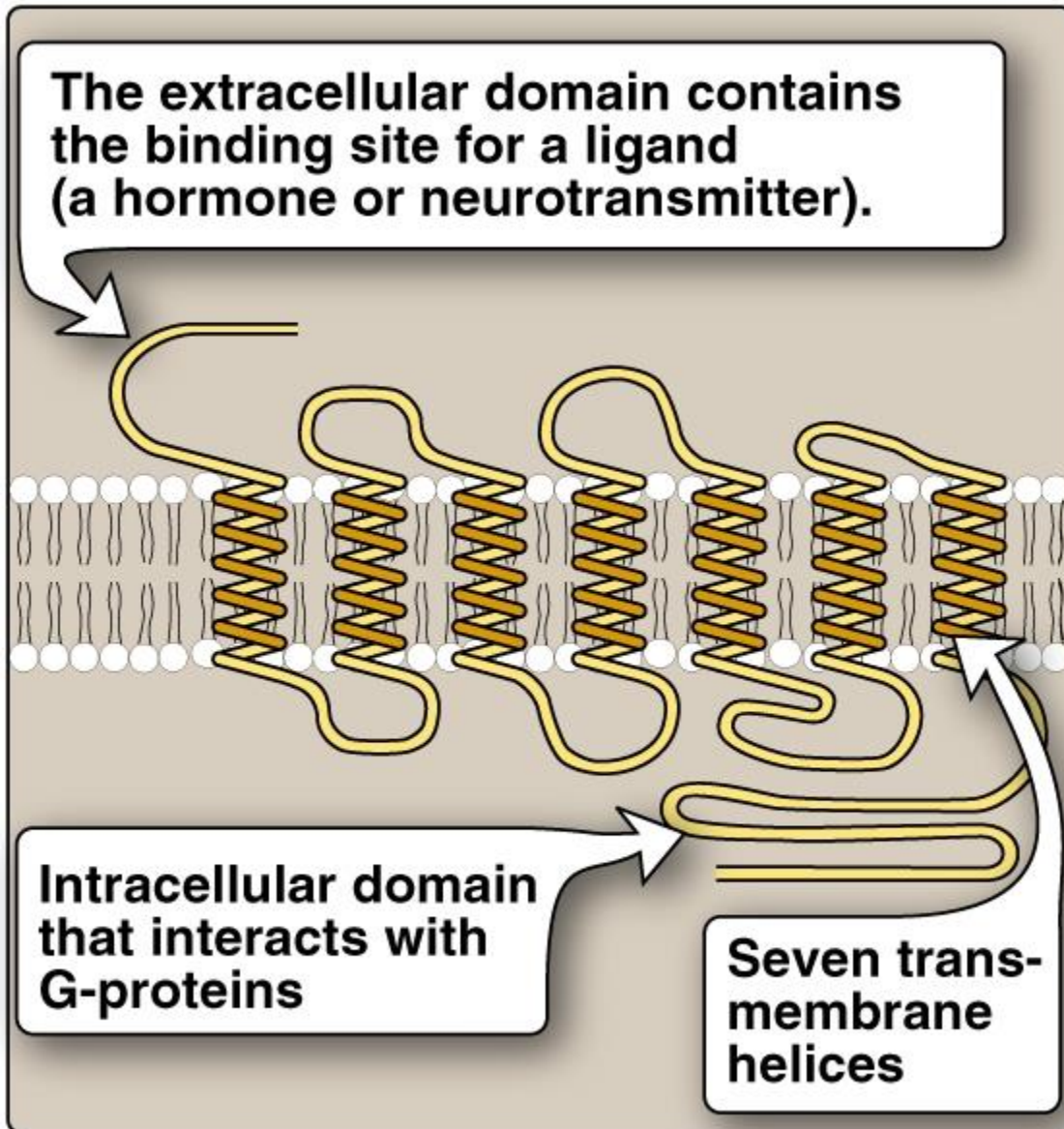
Regulation of Metabolism

- Signals from within the cell
 - Substrate availability, product inhibition, allosteric
 - Rapid response, moment to moment
- Communication between cells (intercellular)
 - Slower response, longer range integration
- Second messenger
 - Ca^{2+} / phosphatidylinositol system
 - Adenylcyclase system



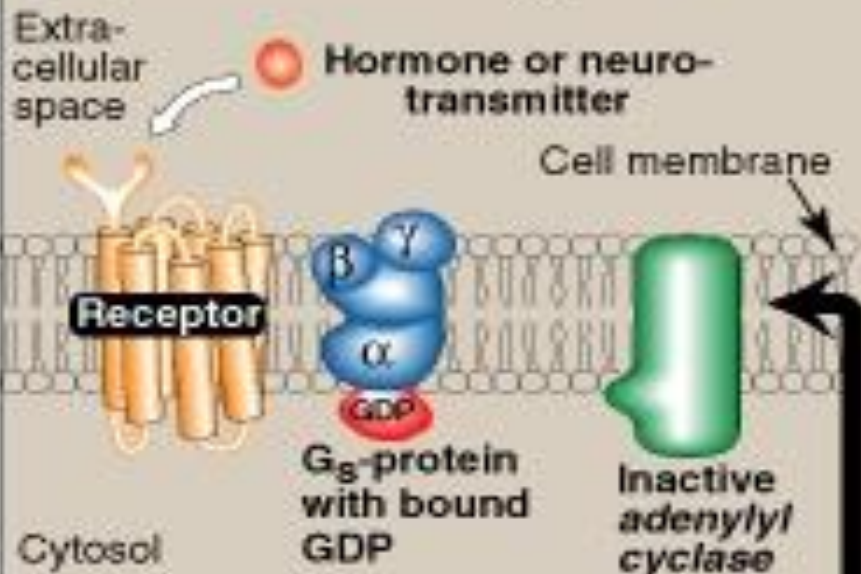
Commonly used mechanisms of communication between cells

Communication between Cells through Receptors- GPCR

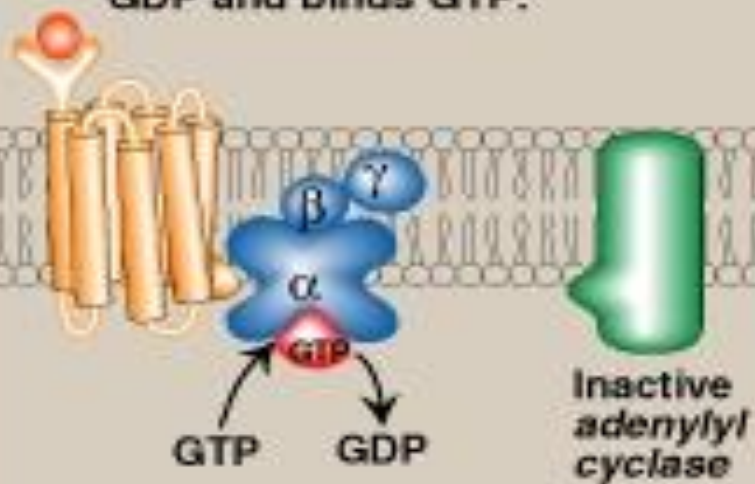


G protein-coupled
receptor of plasma
membrane

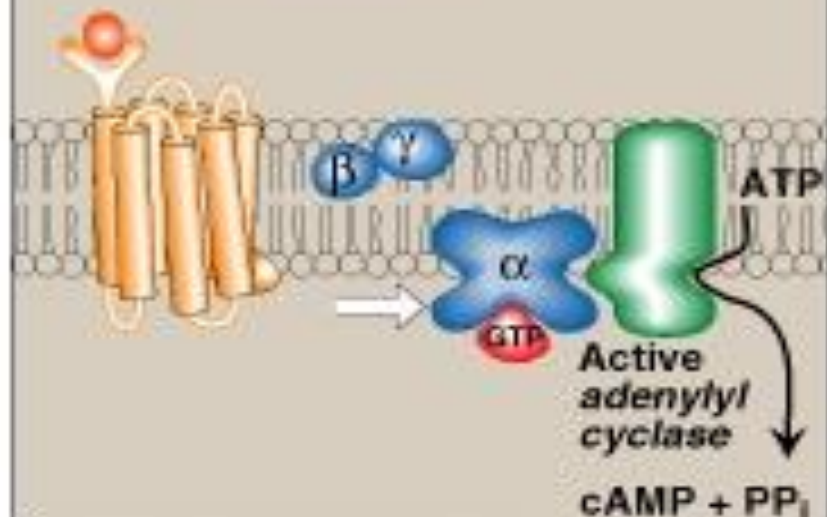
1 Unoccupied receptor does not interact with G_s -protein.



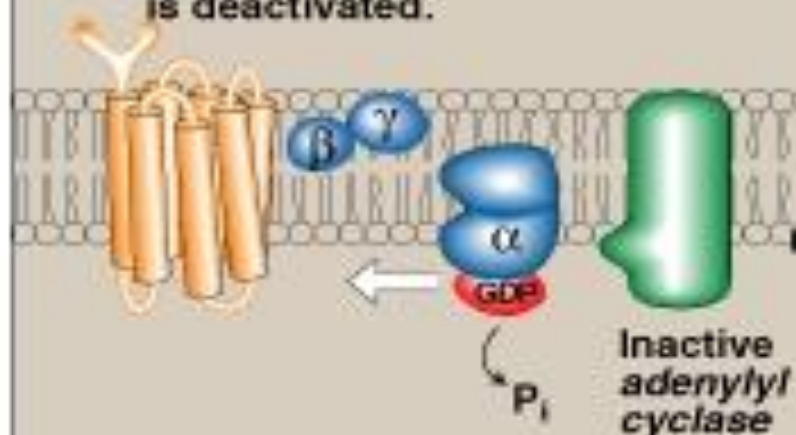
2 Occupied receptor changes shape and interacts with G_s -protein. G_s -Protein releases GDP and binds GTP.

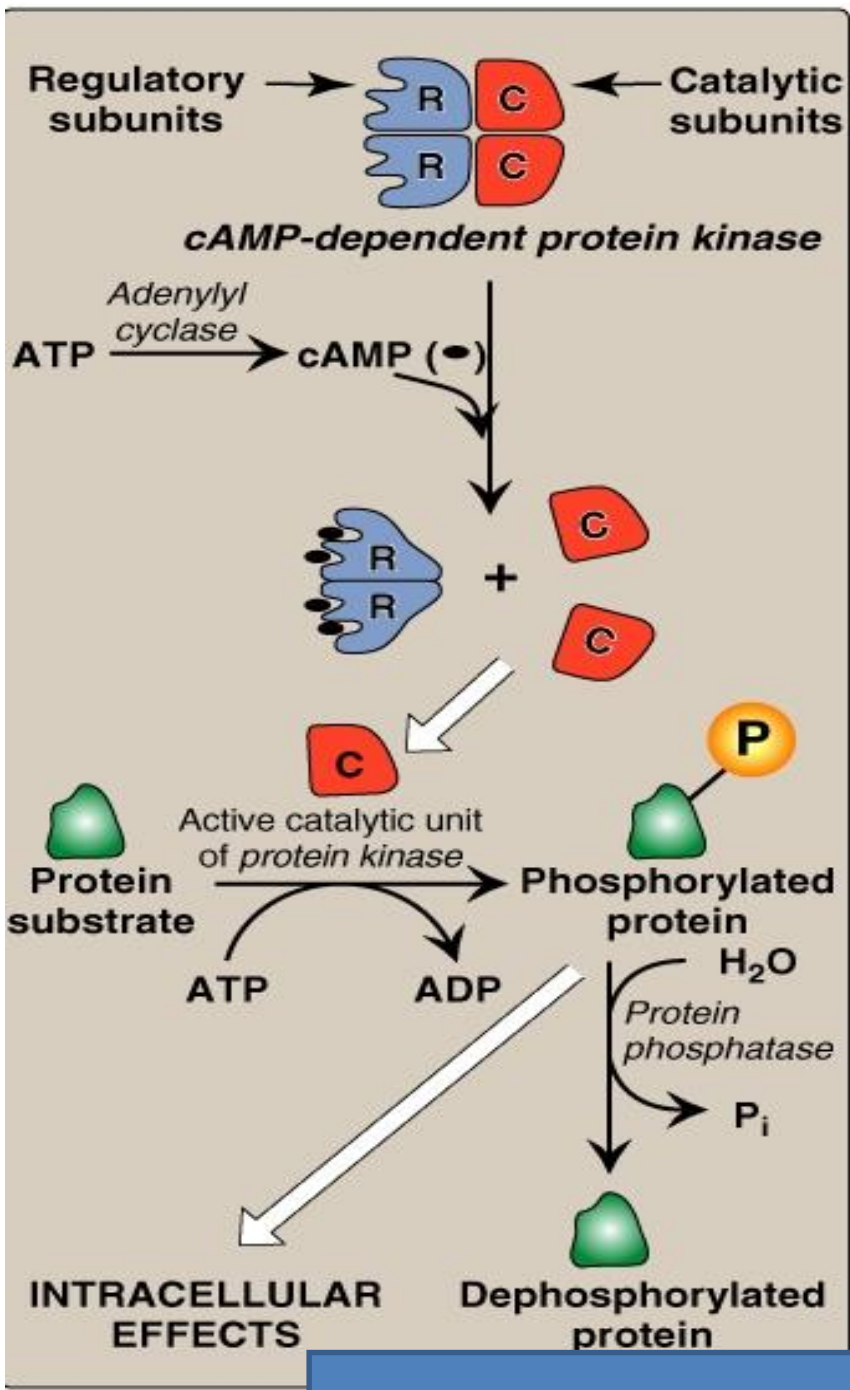


3 α Subunit of G_s -protein dissociates and activates adenylyl cyclase.



4 When hormone is no longer present, the receptor reverts to resting state. GTP on the α subunit is hydrolyzed to GDP, and adenylyl cyclase is deactivated.





INTRACELLULAR EFFECTS

- ✓ Activated enzymes
- ✓ Inhibited Enzymes
- ✓ Cell's ion channels
- ✓ Bind to promoter

GLYCOLYSIS

✓ Breakdown of glucose to pyruvate

Pathway characteristics

➤ Universal Pathway: In all cell types

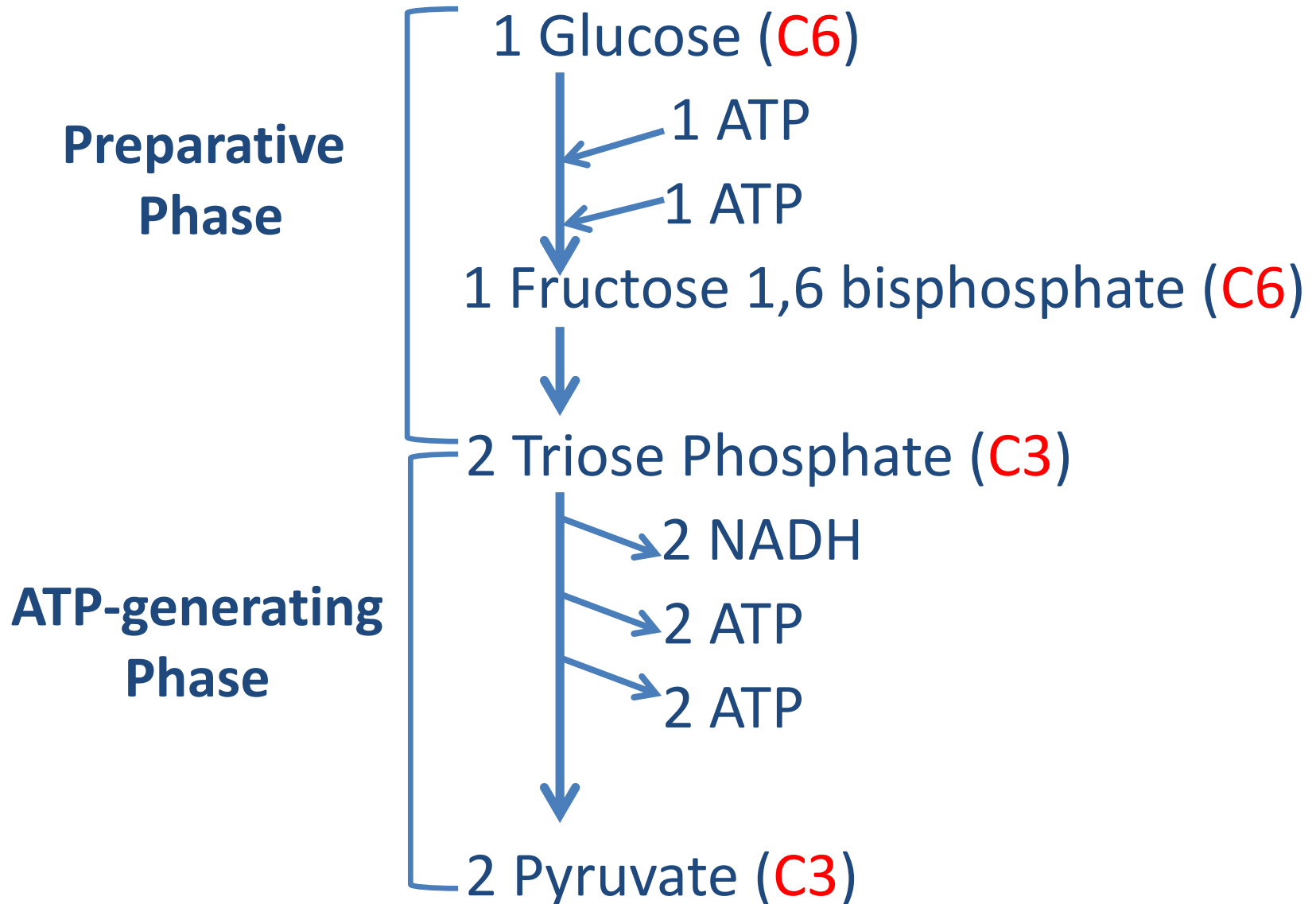
➤ Generation of ATP

➤ With or without O₂

➤ Anabolic Pathway:

→ biosynthetic precursors

The Two Phases of the glycolytic Pathway

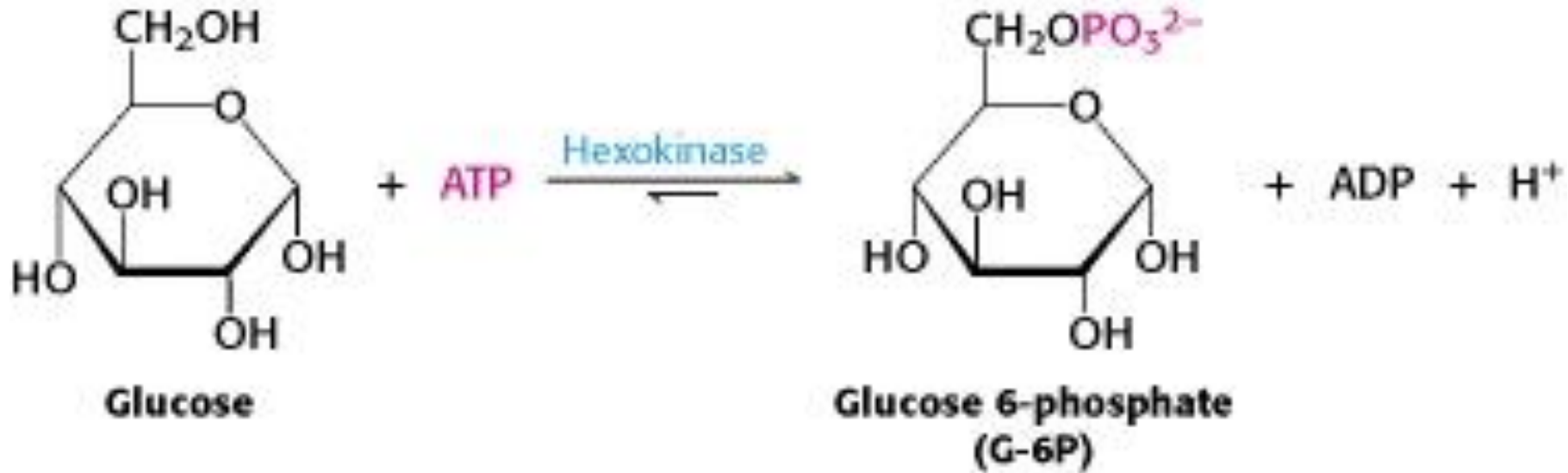


Types of Glycolytic Reactions

- Phosphoryl transfer
- Isomerization
- Cleavage
- Oxidation reduction
- Phosphoryl shift
- Dehydration

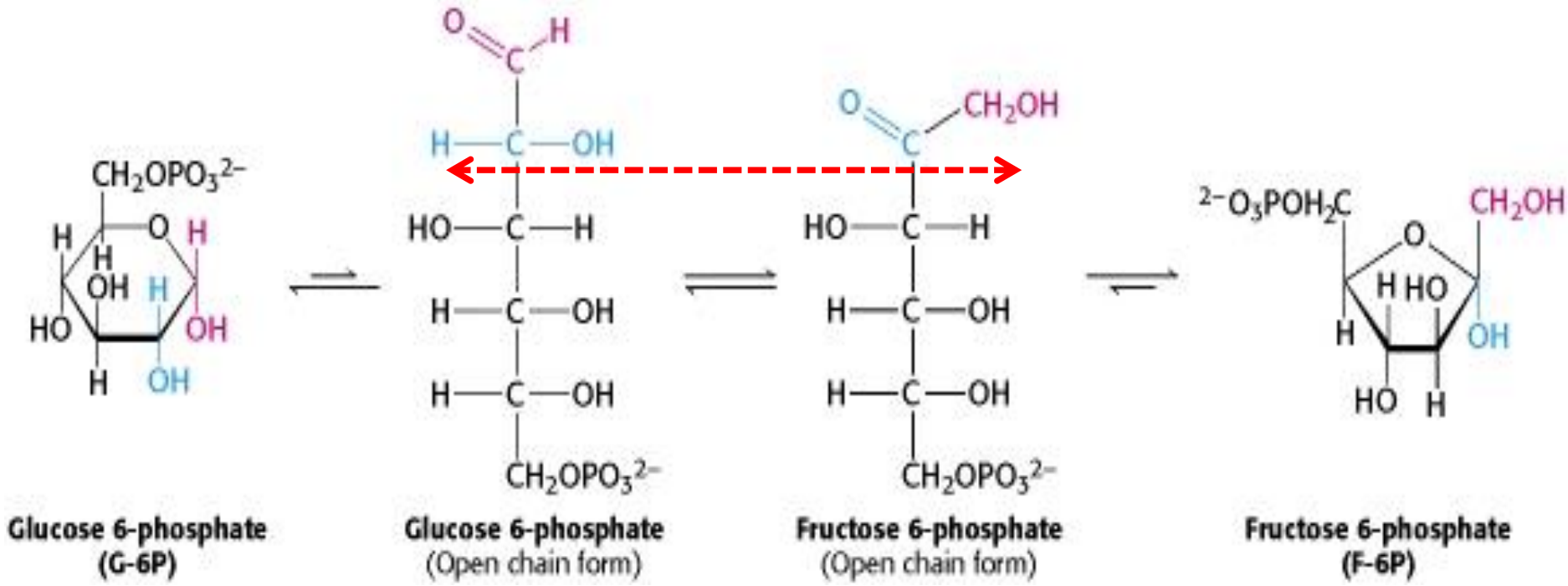
Steps of Glycolysis

Step 1



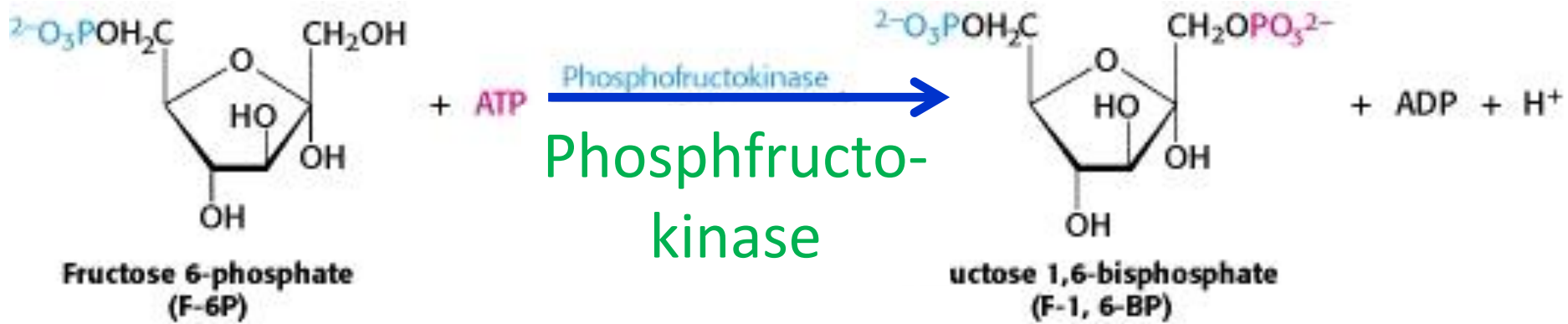
	Hexokinase	Glucokinase
Occurrence	In all tissues	In liver
Km	< 0.02 mM	10-20 mM
Specificity	Glc., Fruc, Man, Gal	Glc.
induction	Not induced	↑ insulin, Glc
Function	At any glucose level	Only > 100 mg/dl

Step 2

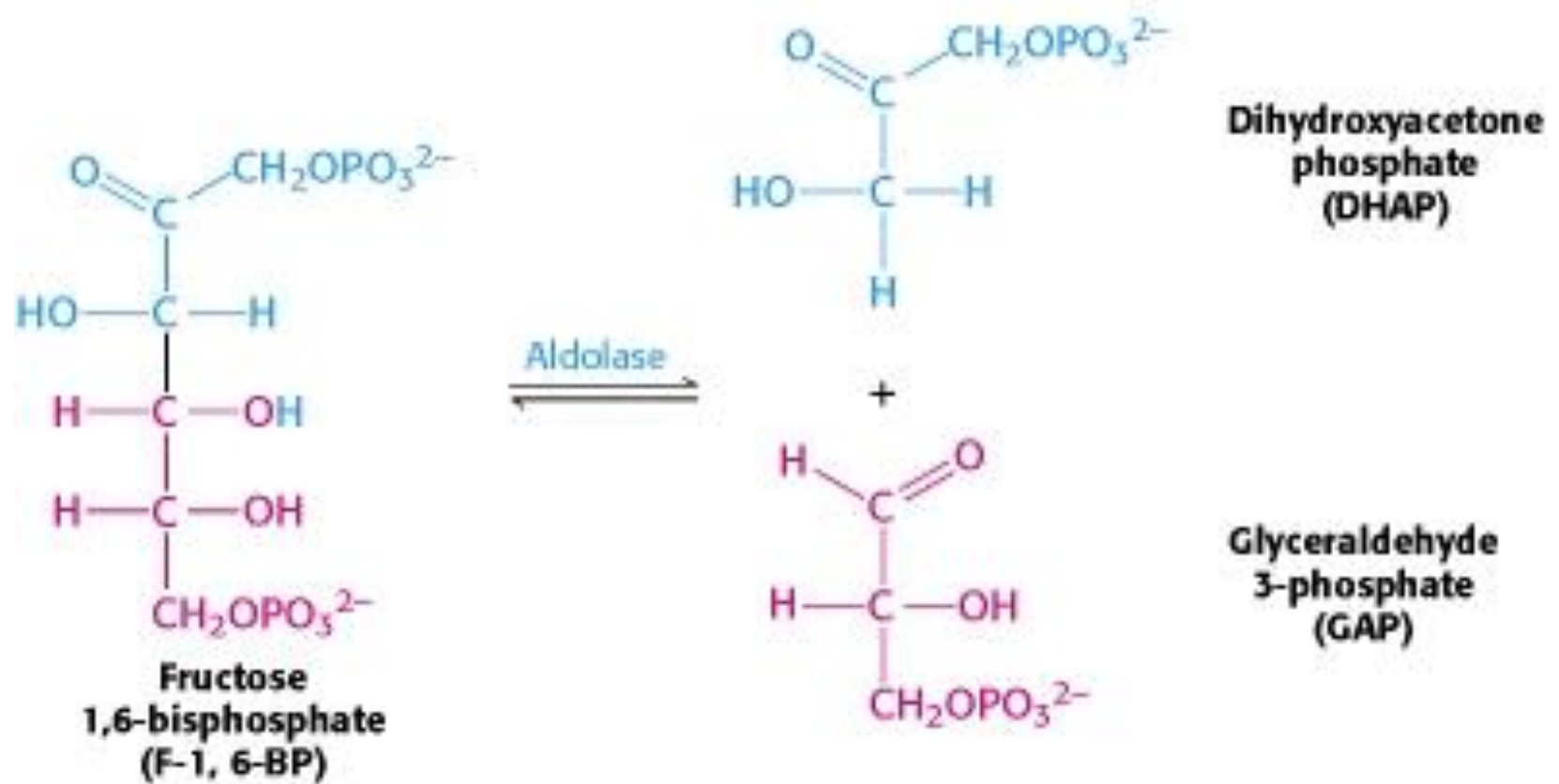


**Phosphoglucose
Isomerase**

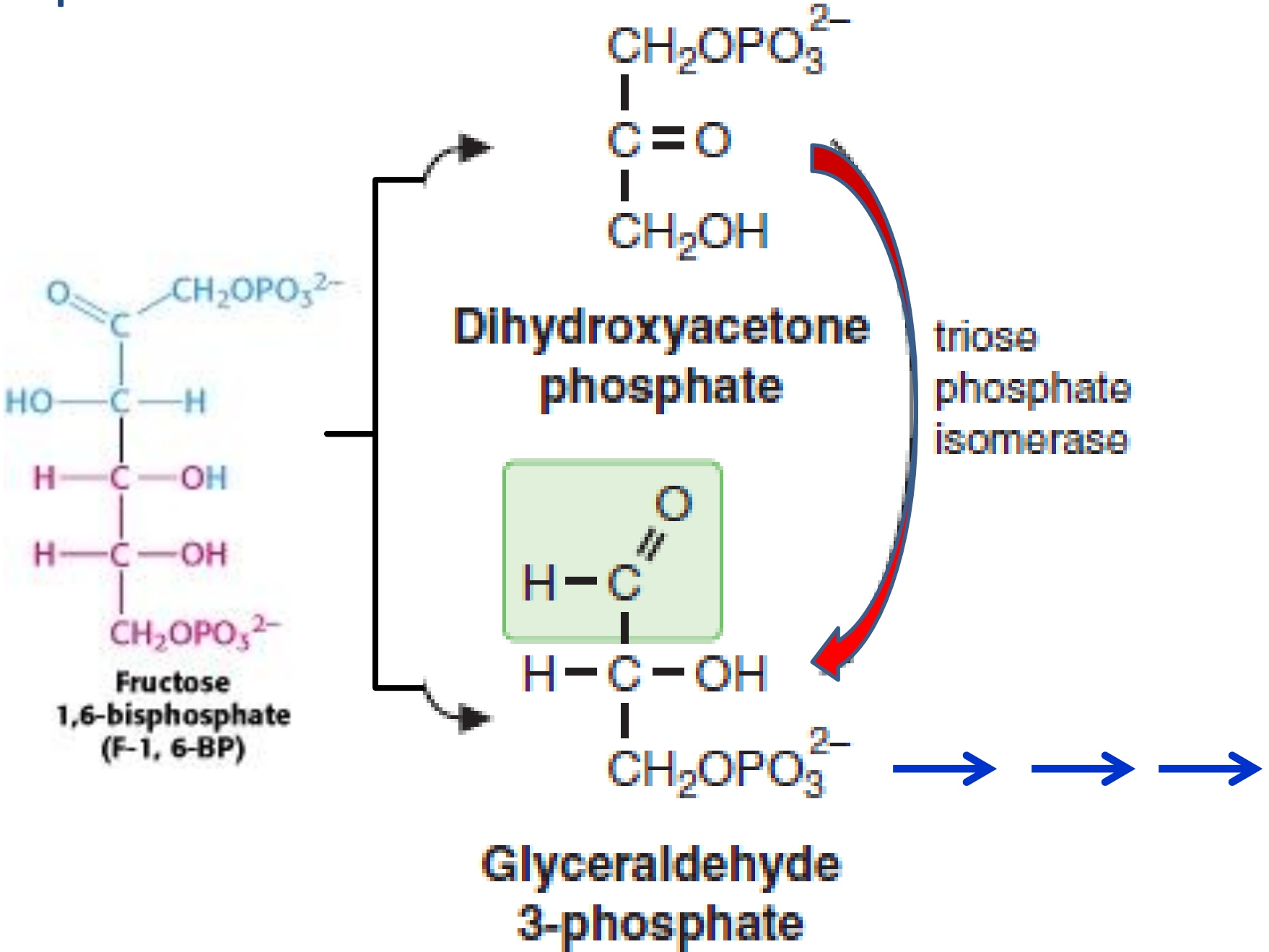
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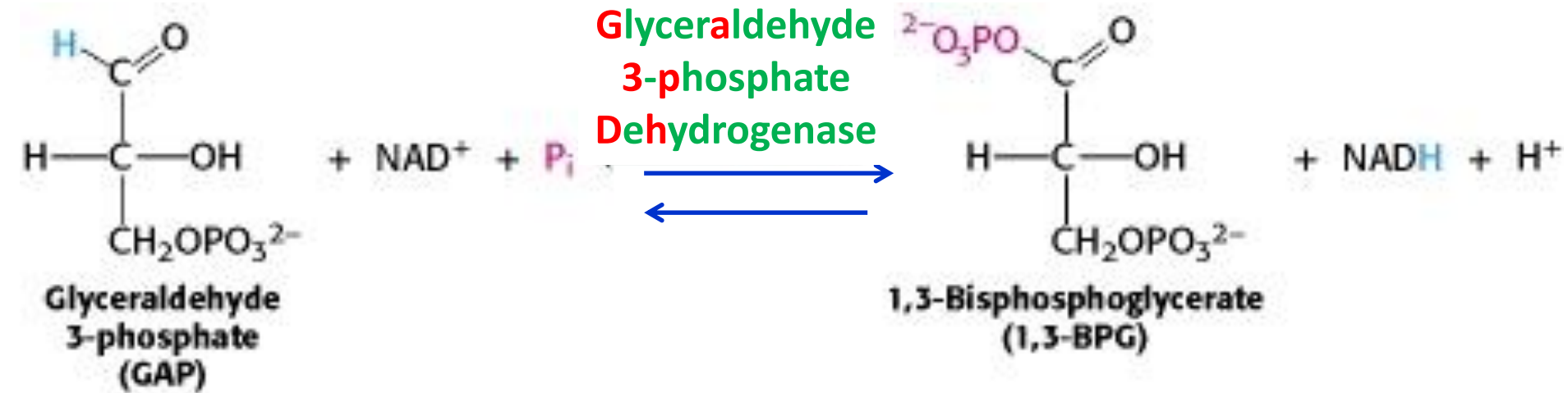
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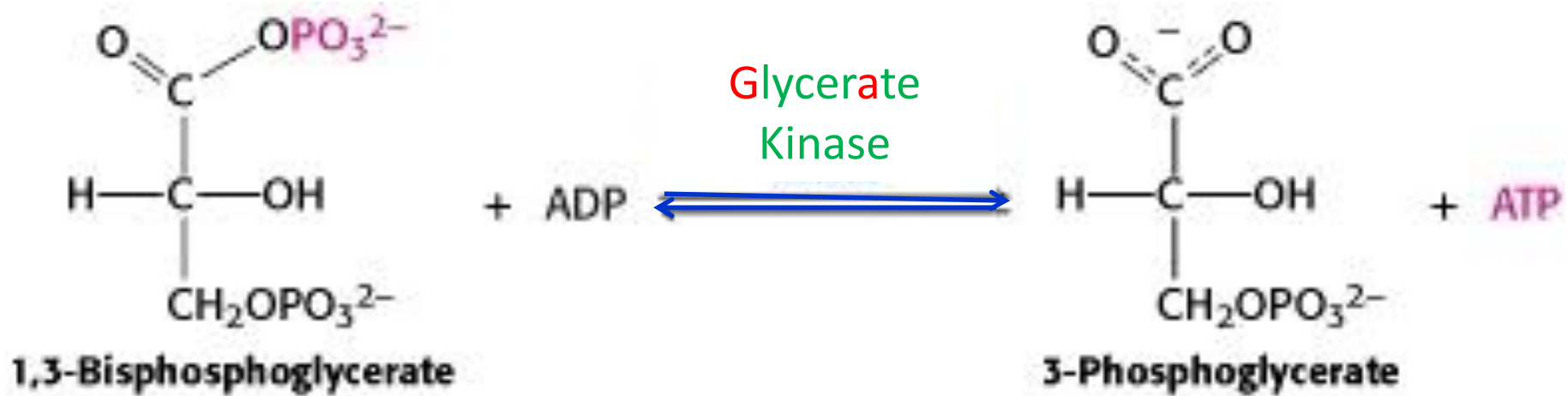
Step 5



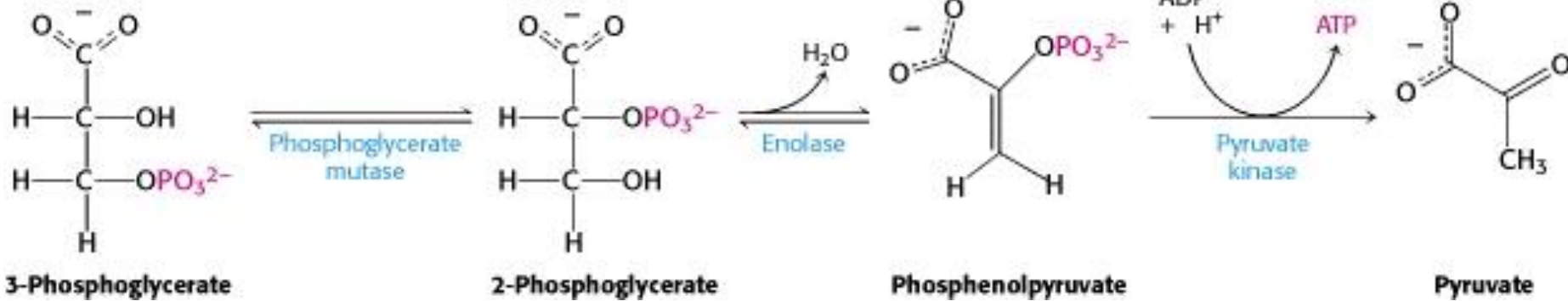
Step 6



Step 7



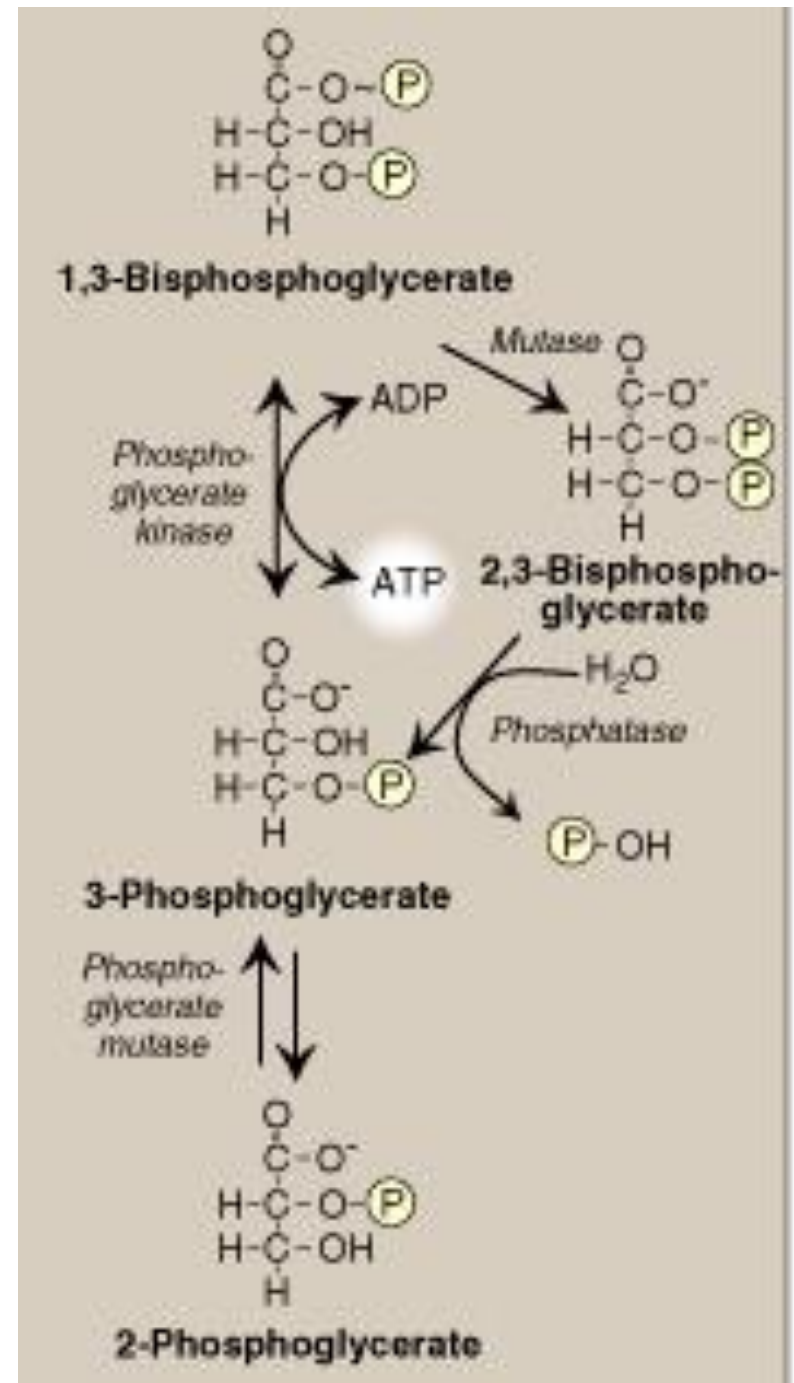
Step 8-10



Synthesis of 2,3 bisphosphoglycerate in RBC

↑↑ Oxygen delivery to
tissues

By binding to deoxyhemoglobin
reducing its affinity to O₂ and
increasing O₂ release to tissues



Energy Need and Production

Glucose 6-P ↔ Glucose

↓↑
Fructose 6-P

↔
Fructose 1,6-bis-P

↔
Glyceraldehyde 3-P ↔ Dihydroxy acetone-P

↓↑
1,3-bis-Phosphoglycerate

↓↑
3-Phosphoglycerate

↓↑
2-Phosphoglycerate

↓↑
Phosphoenolpyruvate

↓
Pyruvate

-ATP

-ATP

2 NADH

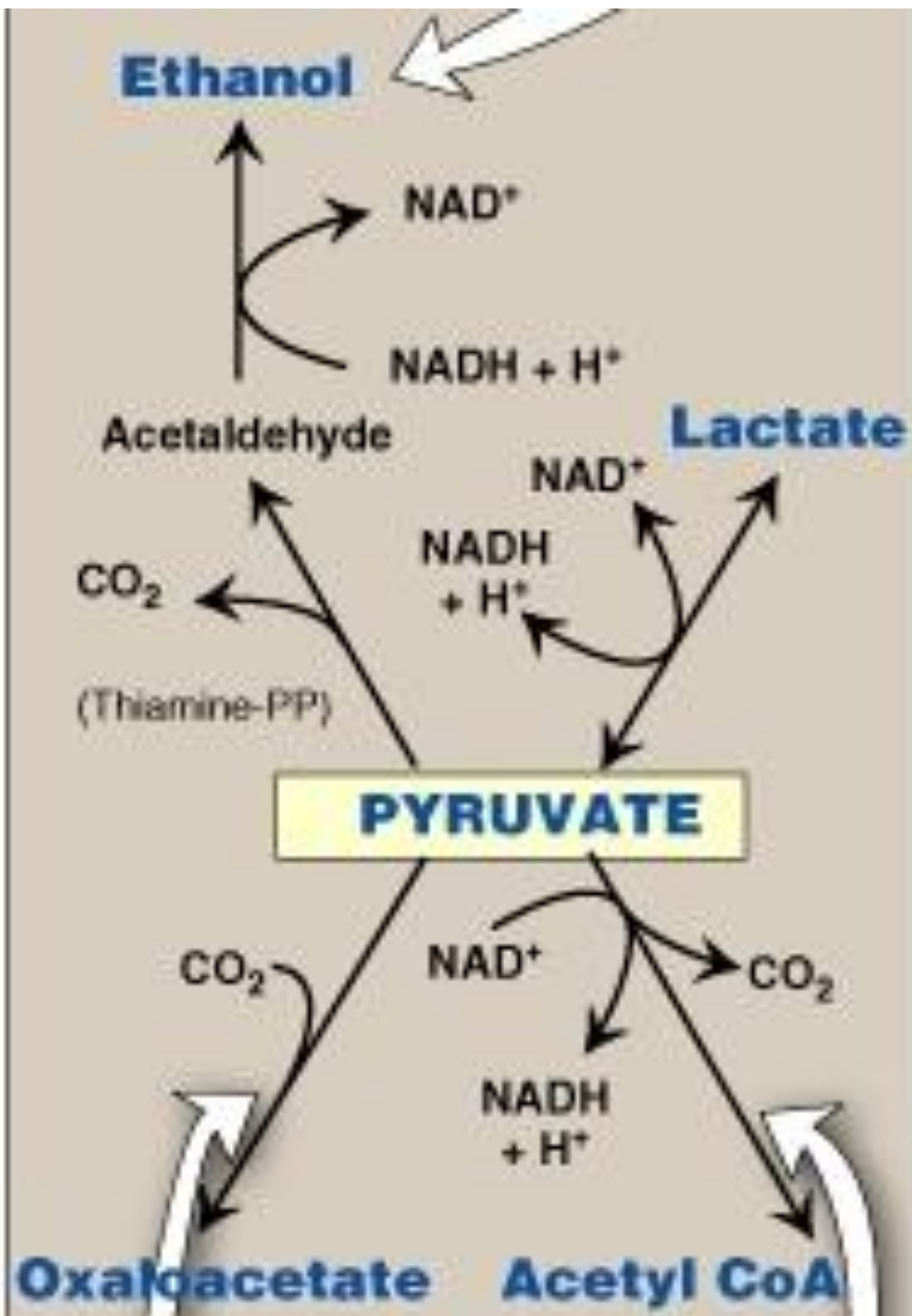
2 ATP

Is Oxygen needed?

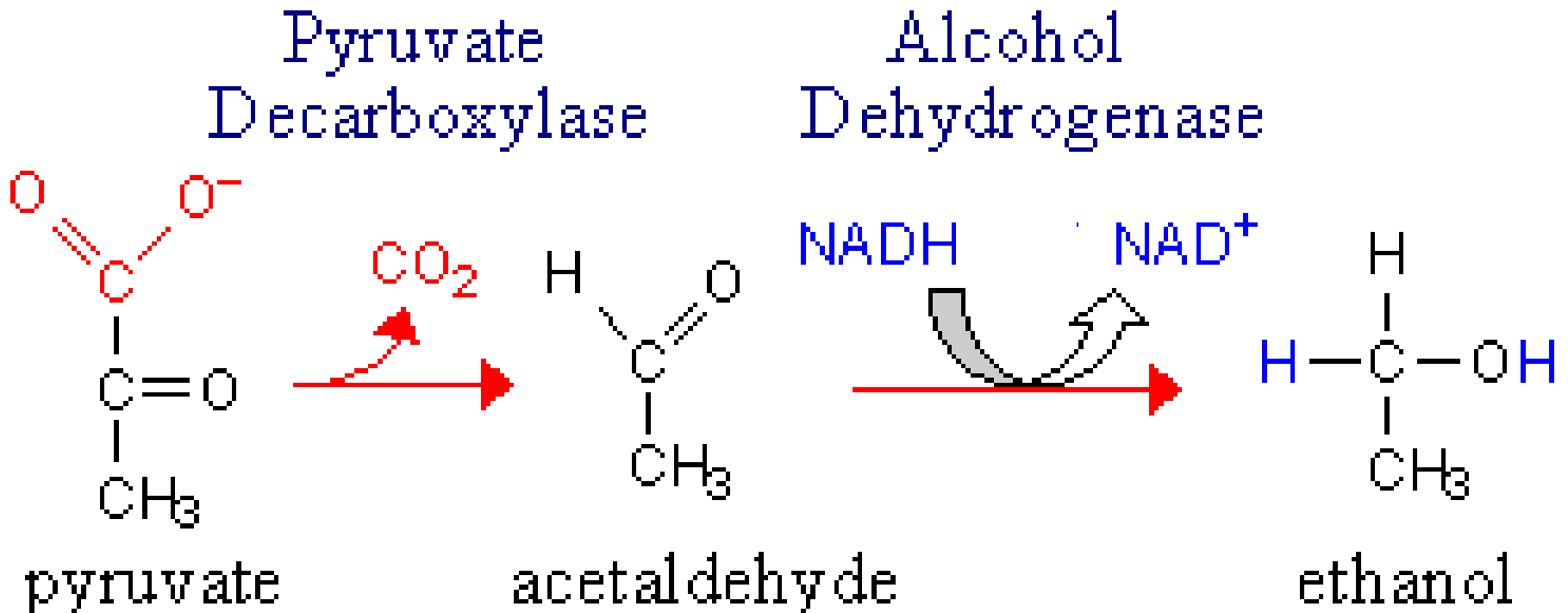
2ATP



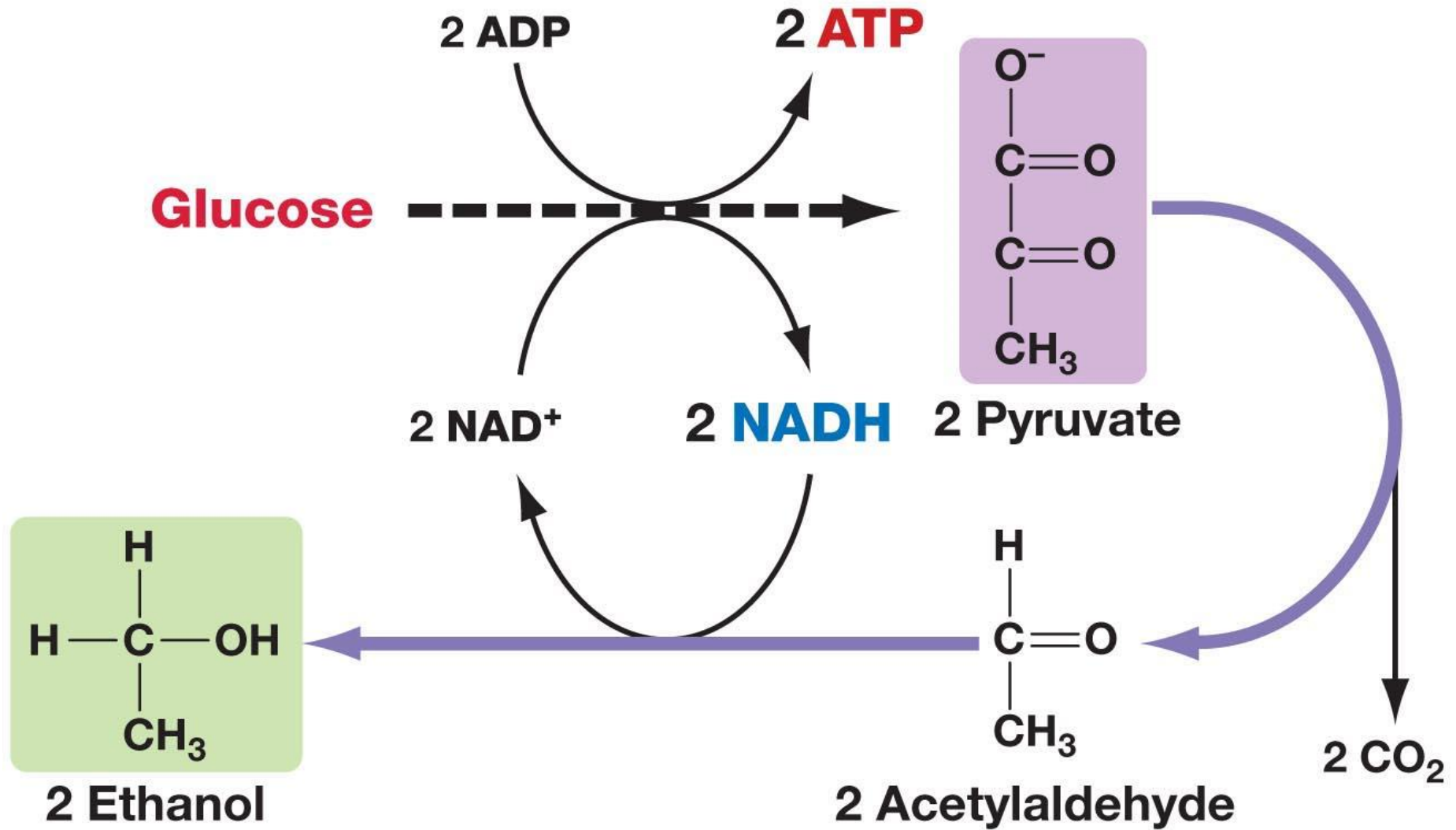
Pyruvate Fates



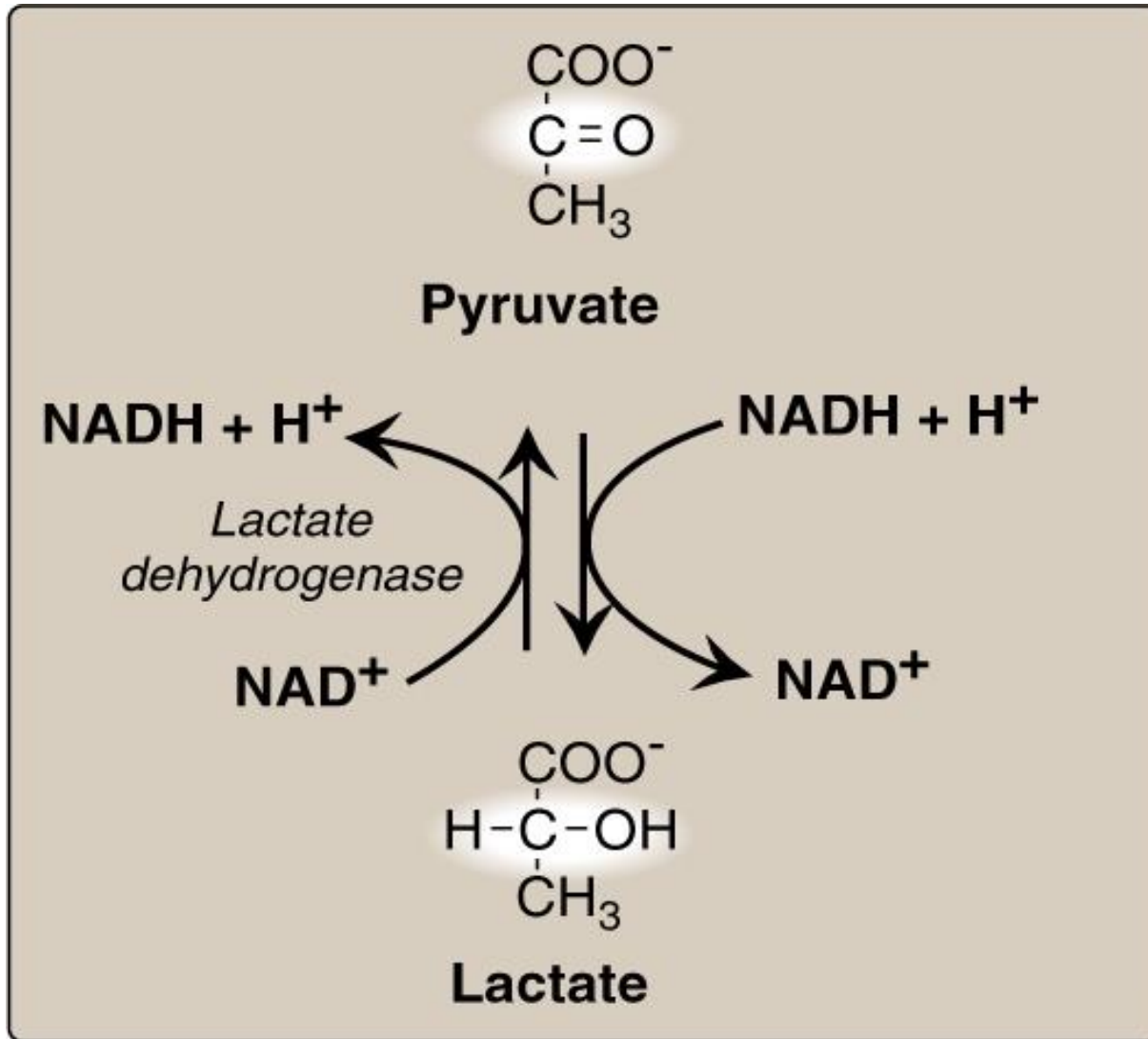
From Pyruvate to Ethanol



(b) Alcohol fermentation occurs in yeast.



From Pyruvate to Lactate



When is Lactate Produced?

- Cells with low energy demand
- To cope with increased energy demand in rigorously exercising muscle, lactate level is increased 5 to 10 folds
- Hypoxia
 - to survive brief episodes of hypoxia

Clinical Hint: Lactic Acidosis

- ↓ pH of the plasma
- The most common cause of metabolic acidosis
 - ↑ Production of lactic acid
 - ↓ utilization of lactic acid



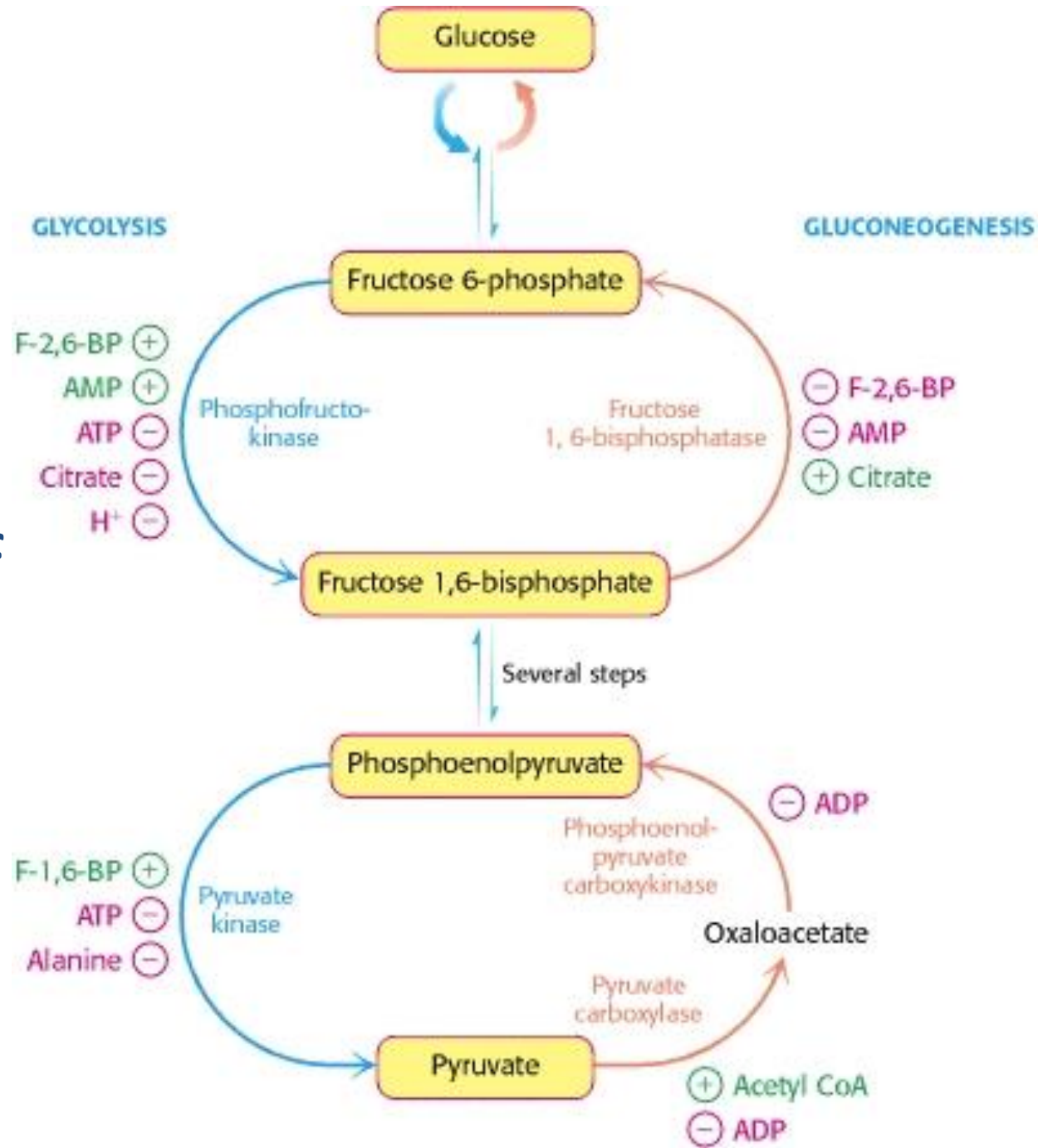
- Most common cause: Impairment of oxidative metabolism due to collapse of circulatory system.
 - Impaired O₂ transport
 - Respiratory failure
 - Uncontrolled hemorrhage

Clinical Hint: Lactic Acidosis

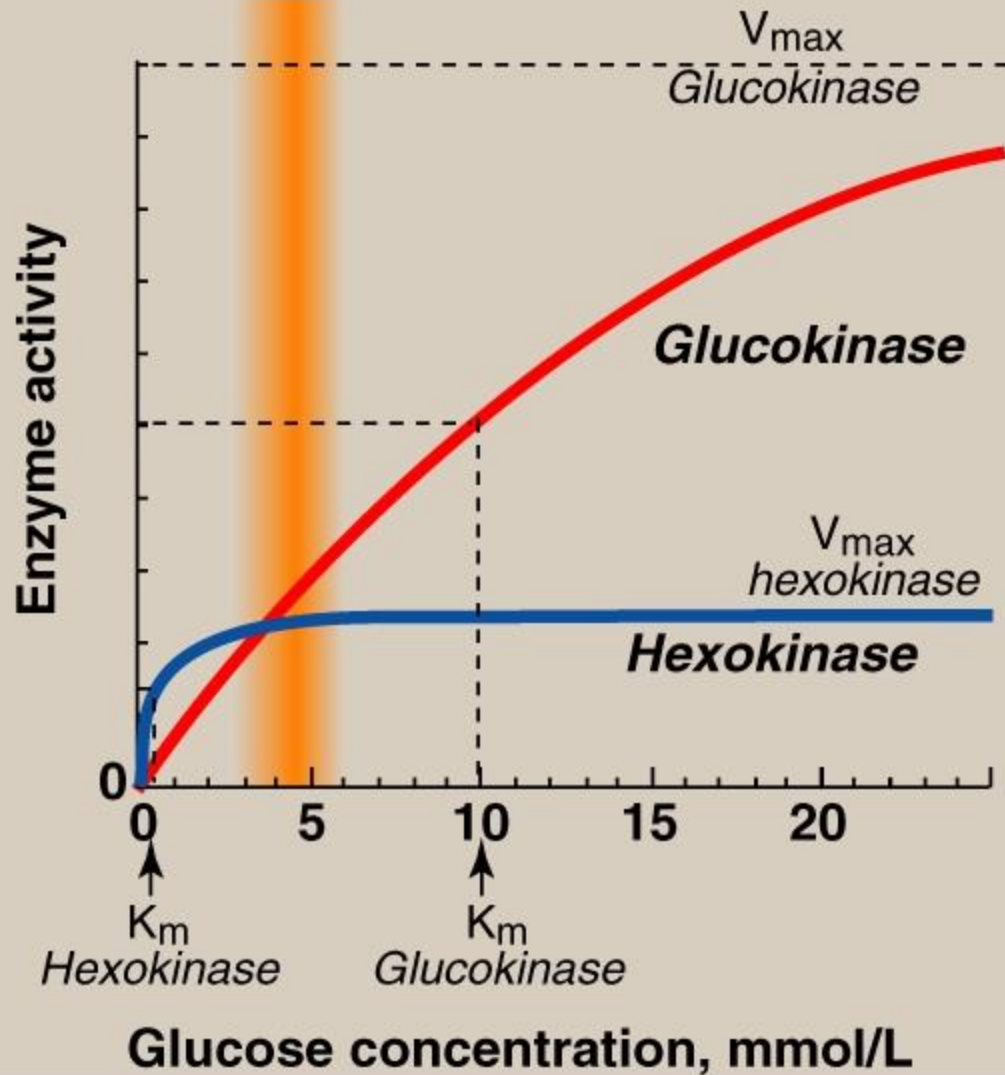
- Direct inhibition of oxidative phosphorylation
- Hypoxia in any tissue
- Alcohol intoxication (high NADH/ NAD⁺)
- ↓ Gluconeogenesis
- ↓ Pyruvate Dehydrogenase
- ↓ TCA cycle activity
- ↓ Pyruvate carboxylase

Regulation of Glycolysis

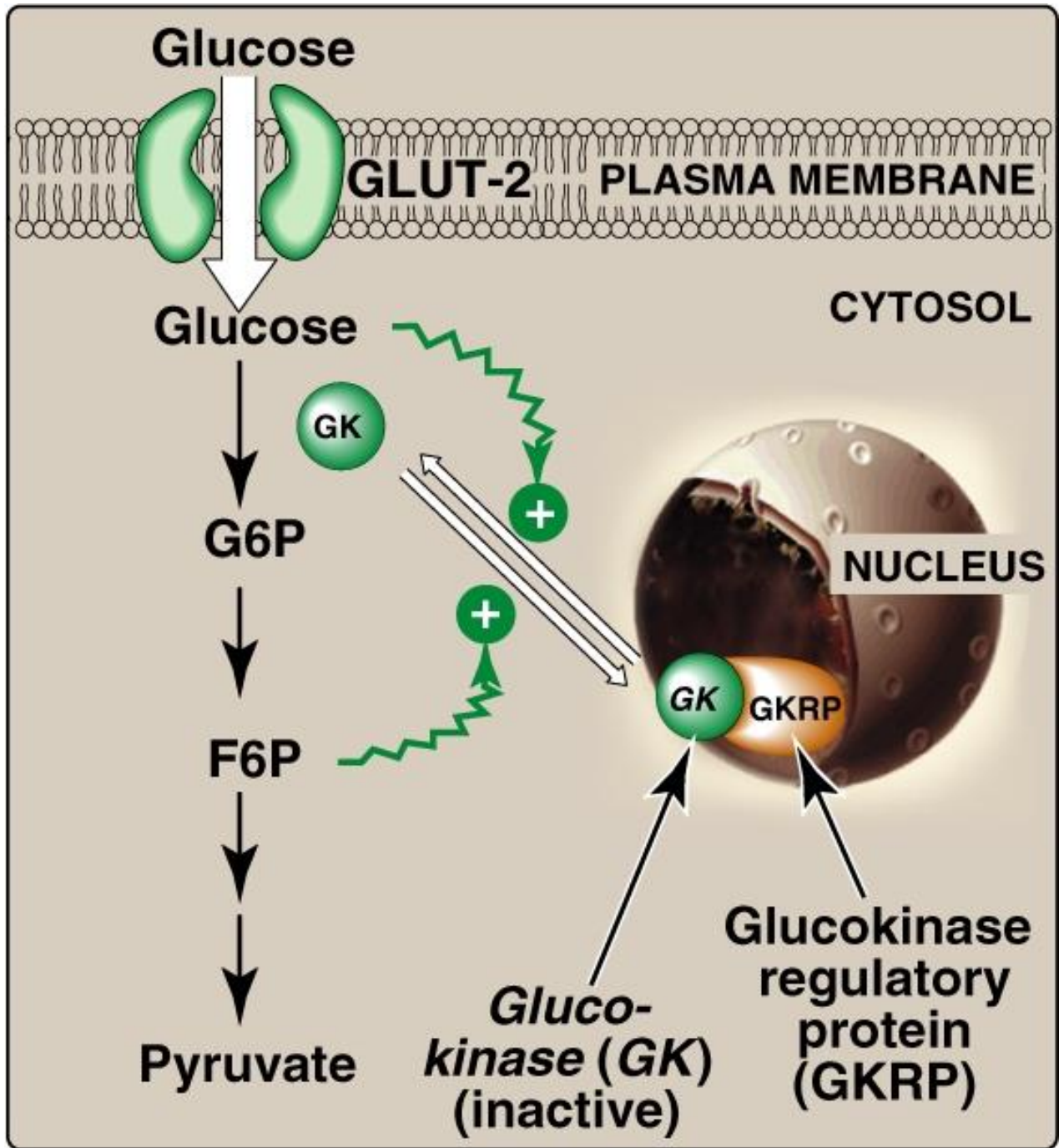
Regulators of PFK and PK



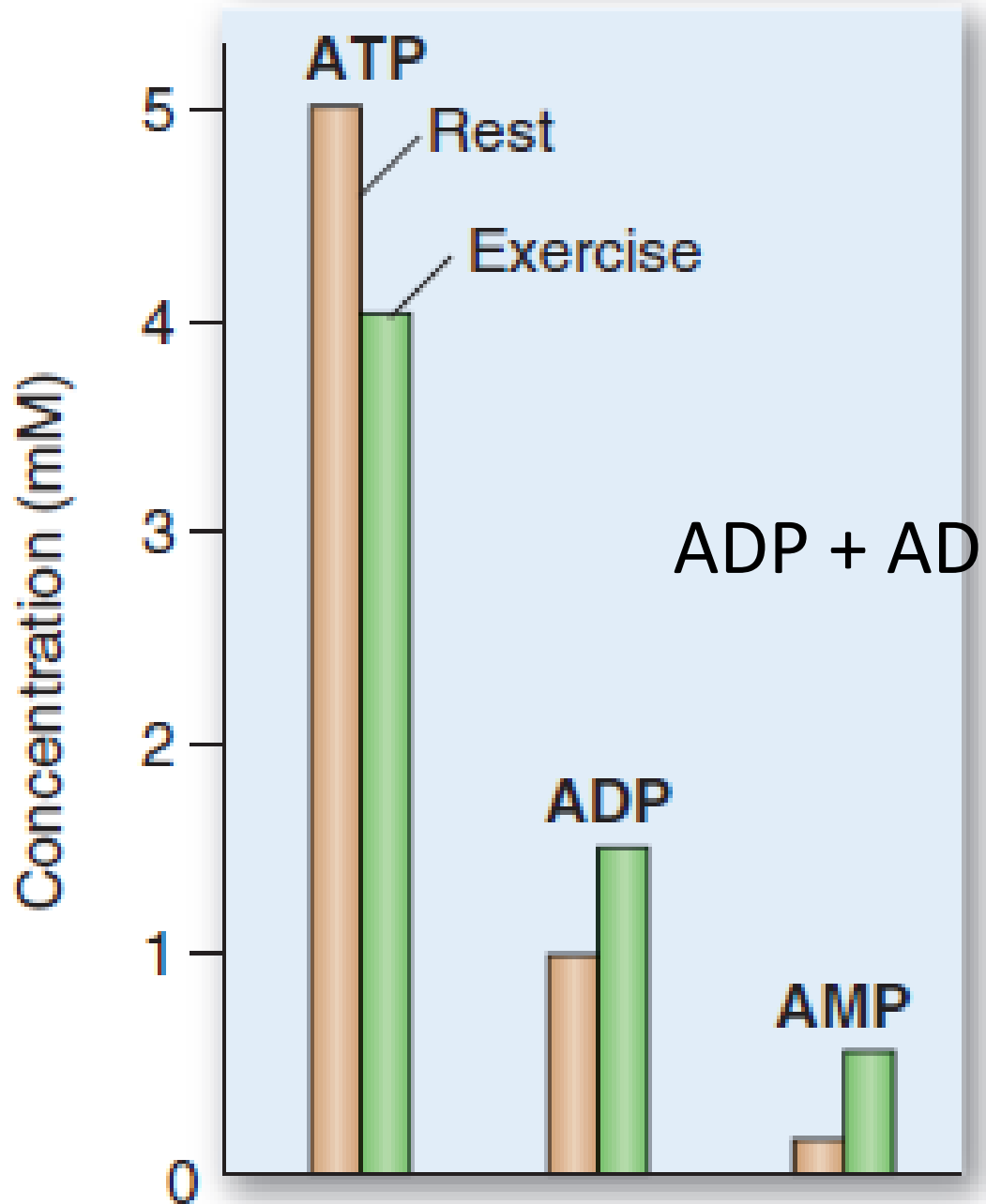
Concentration
of fasting
blood glucose



Glucokinase
and
Hexokinase
Activity



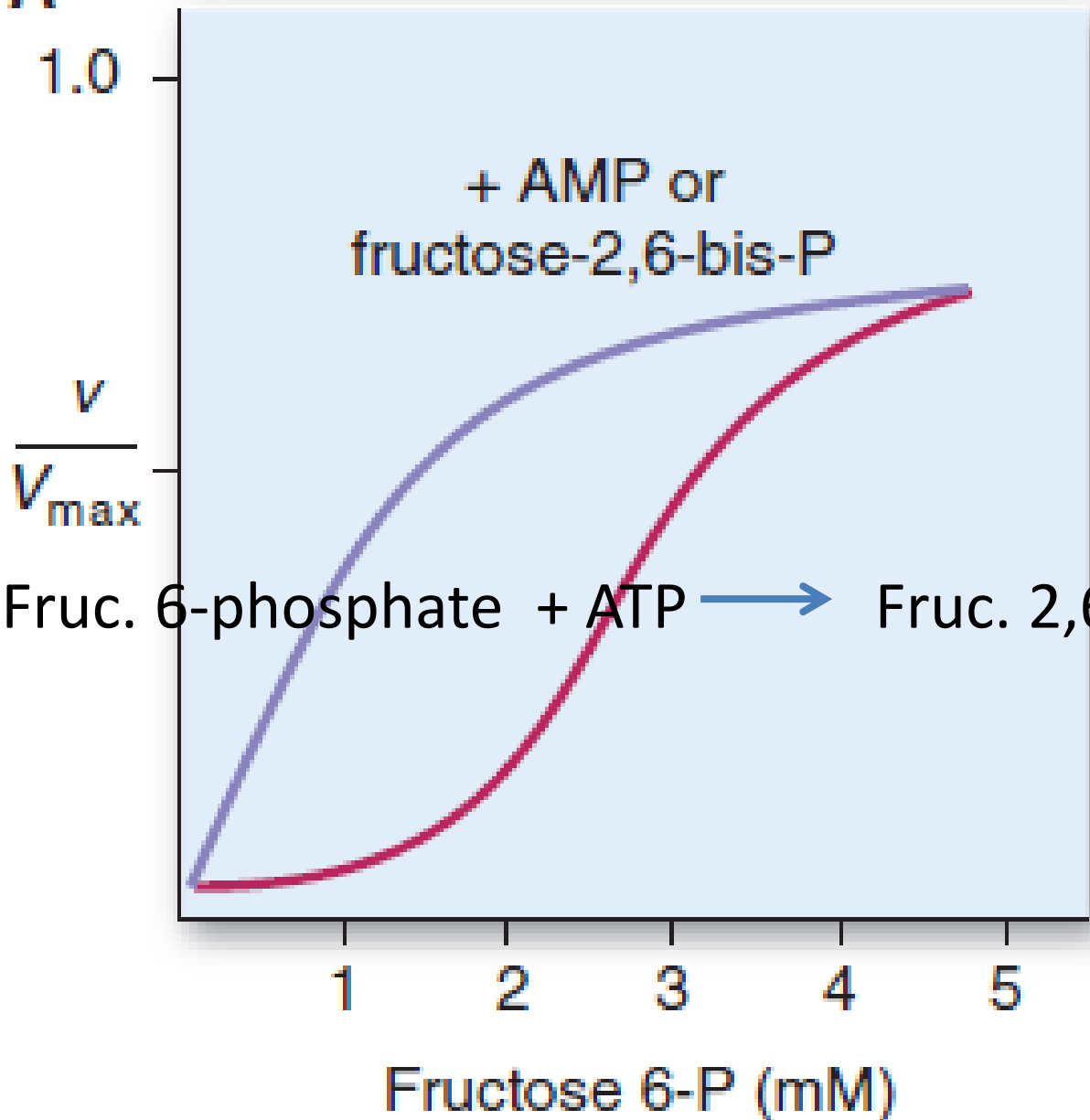
Glucokinase Regulation



Regulation by ATP and AMP



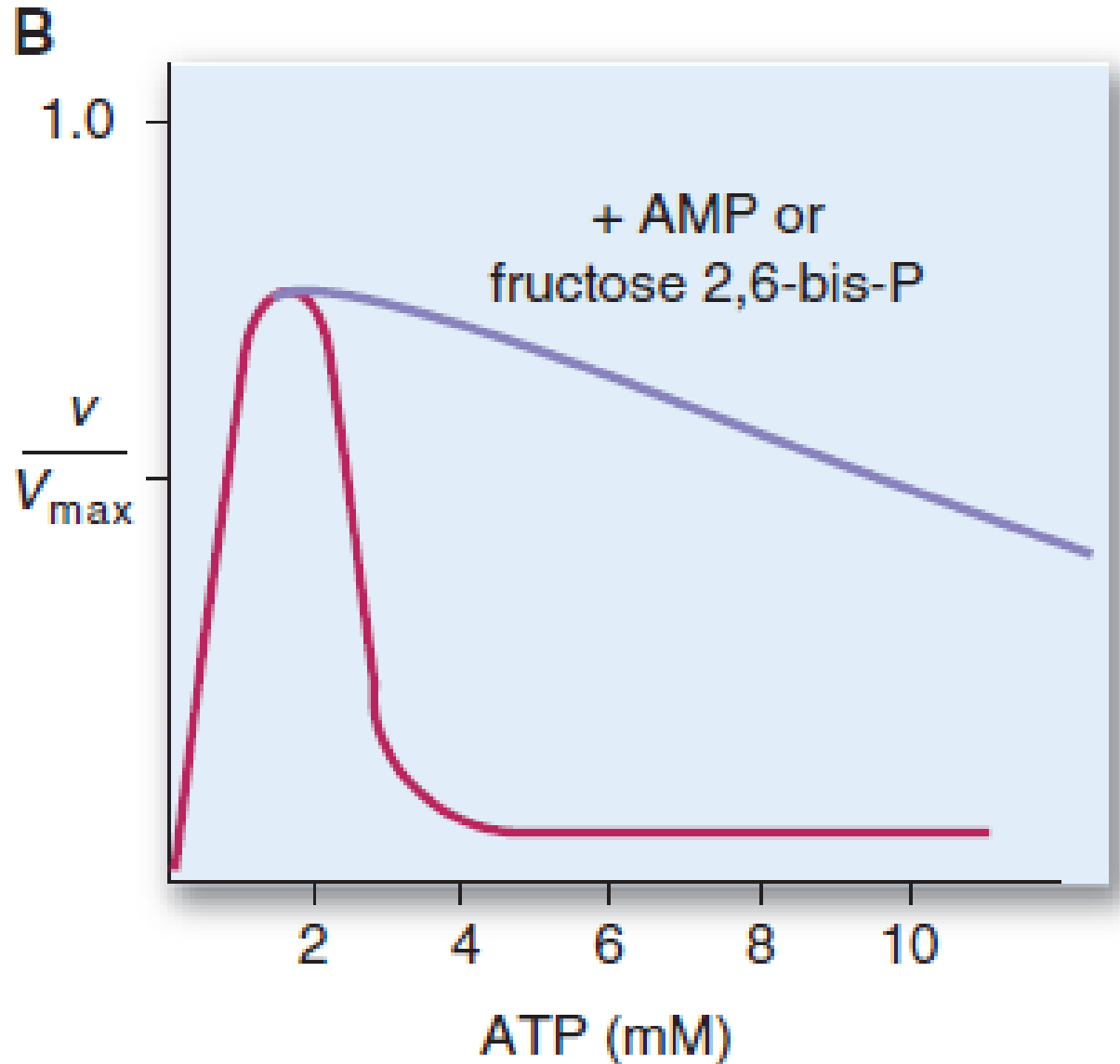
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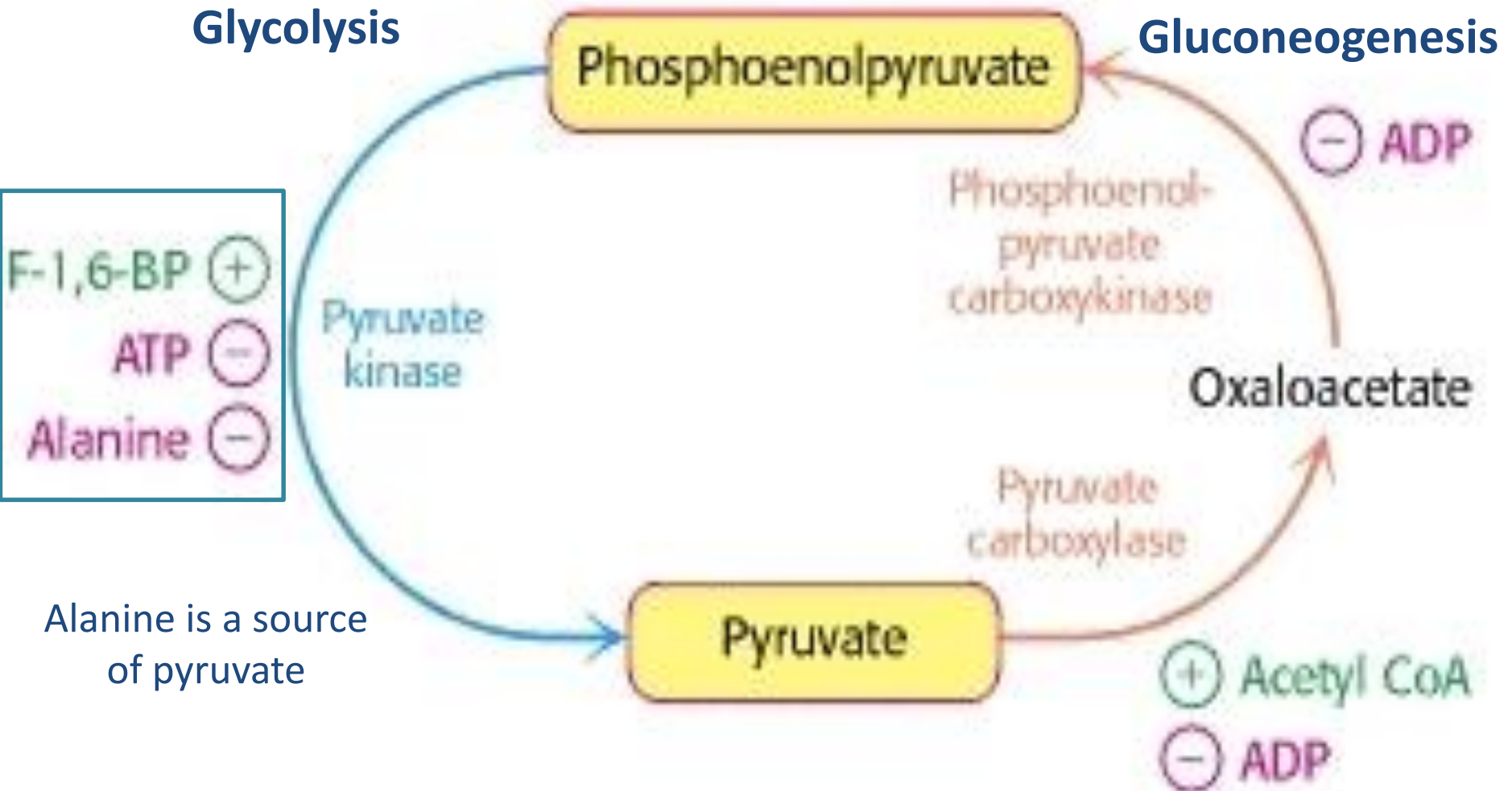
Regulation of PFK by Fructose 2,6-bisphosphate



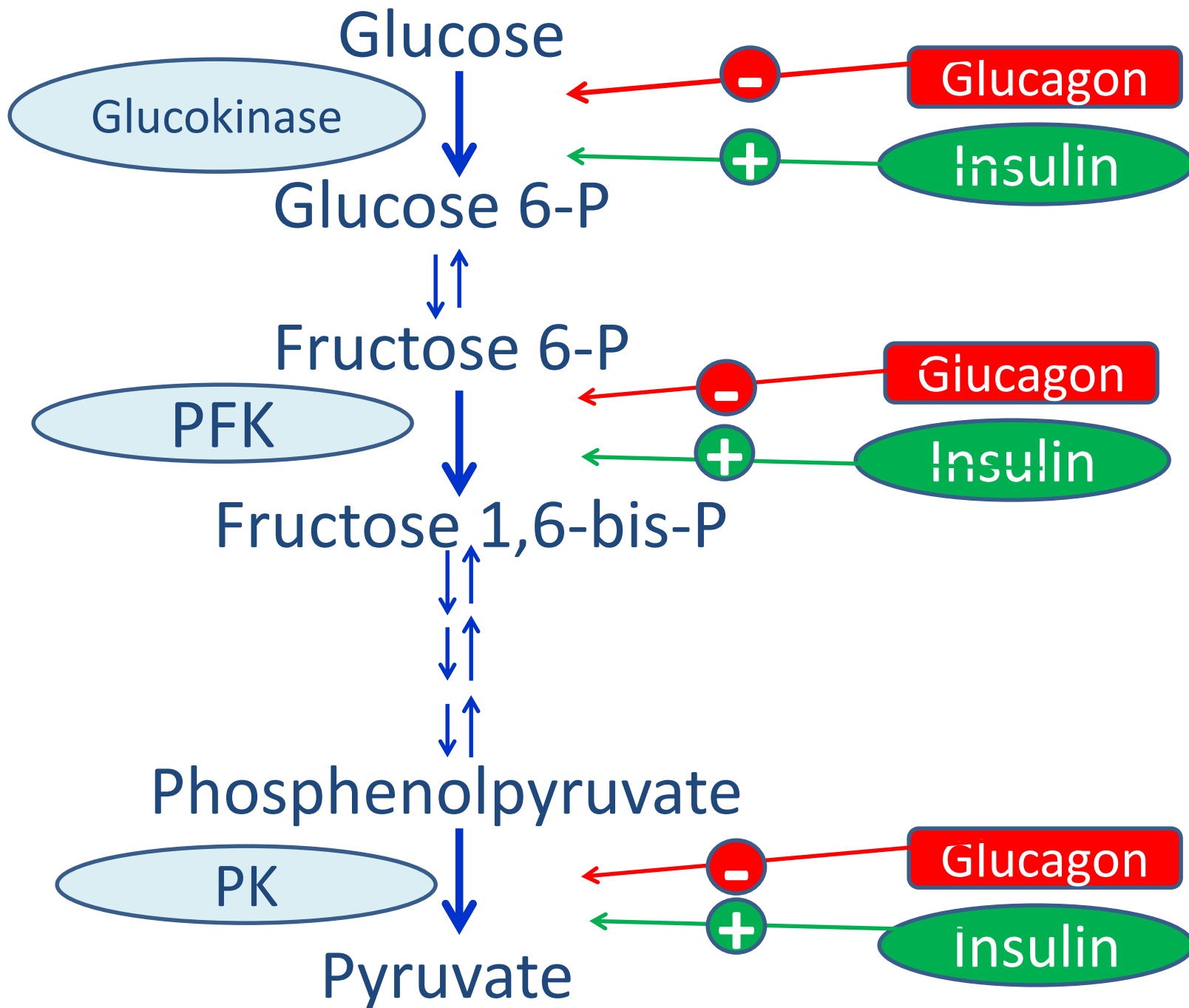
How about the other substrate?



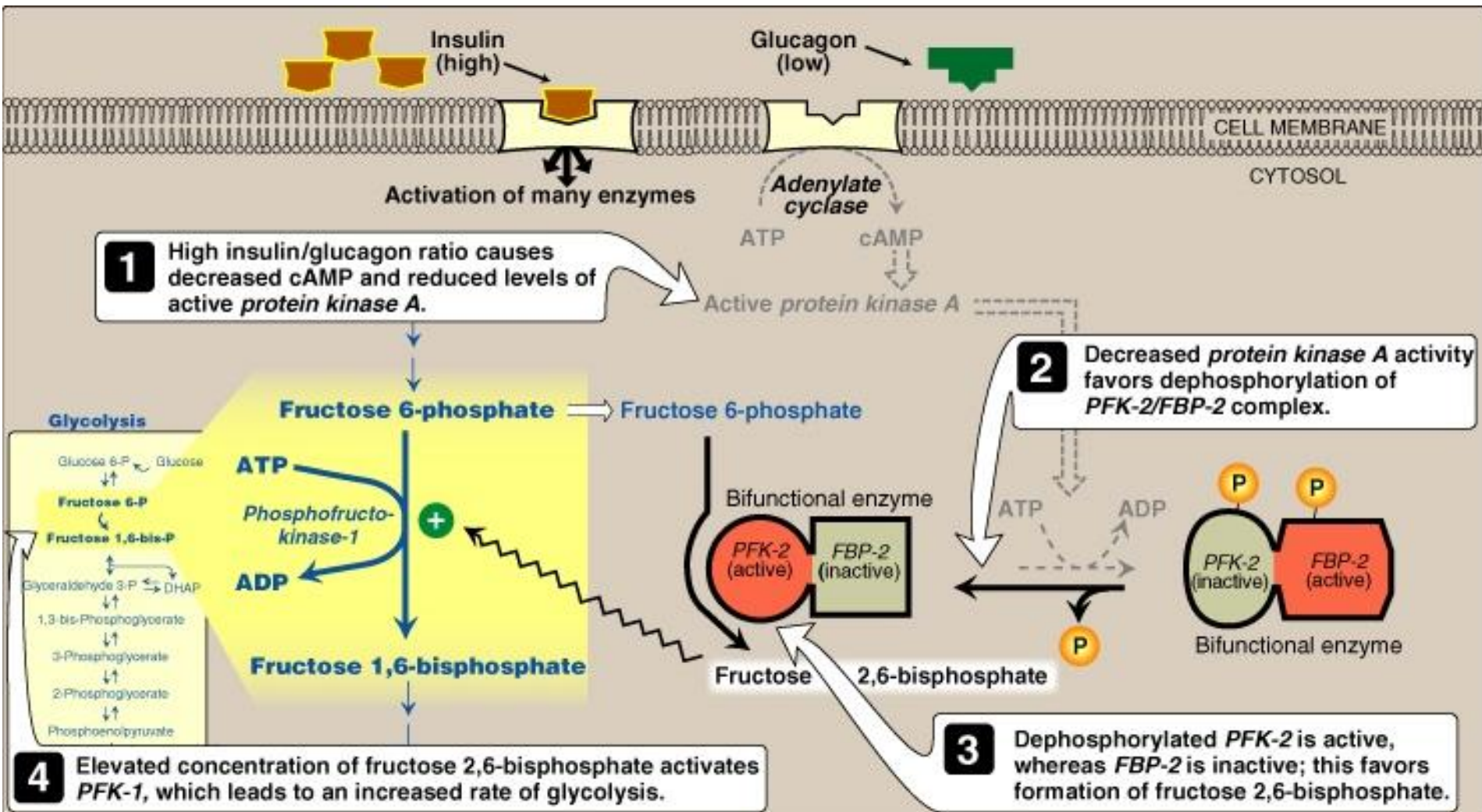
Regulation of Pyruvate Kinase

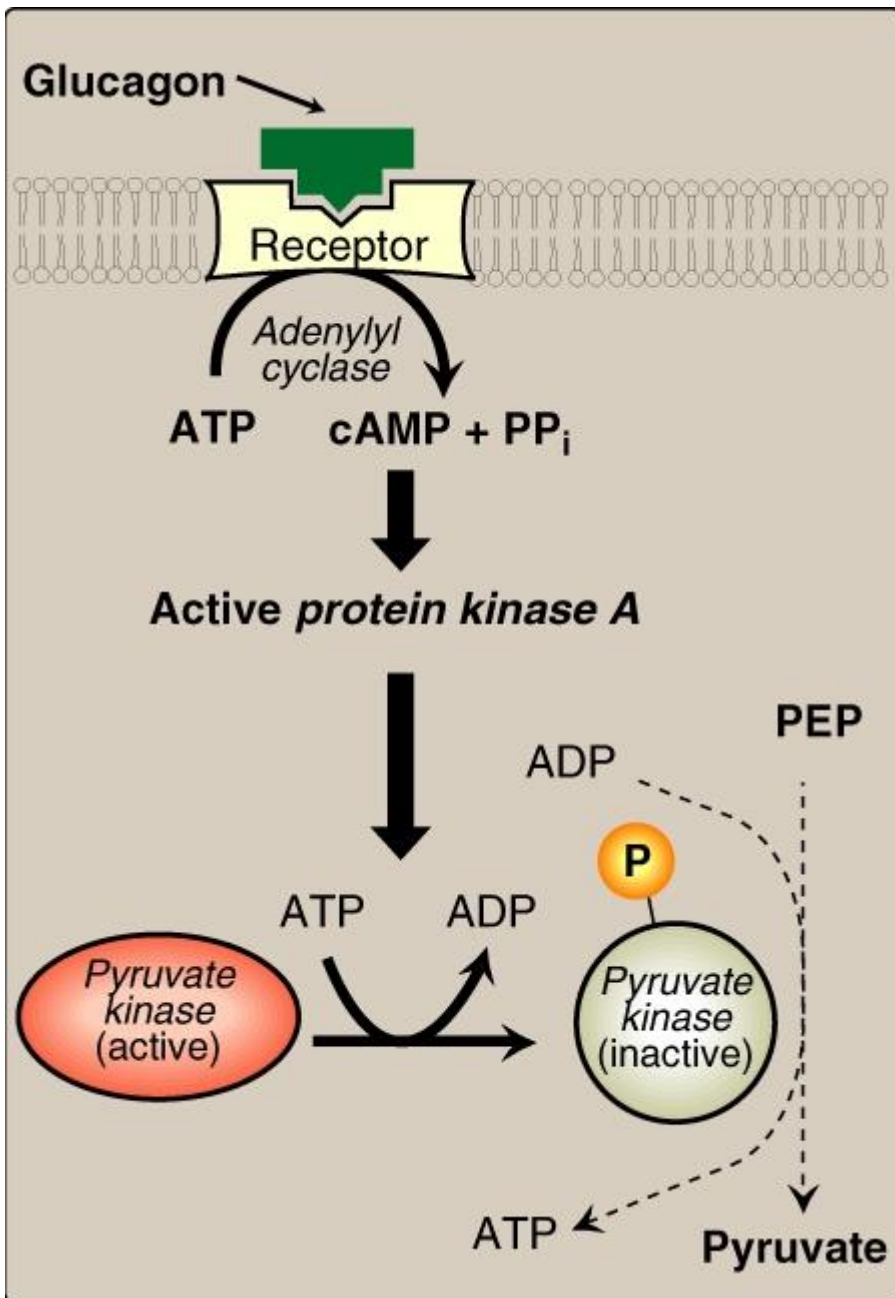


Hormonal Regulation



Hormonal Regulation of Phosphofructokinase

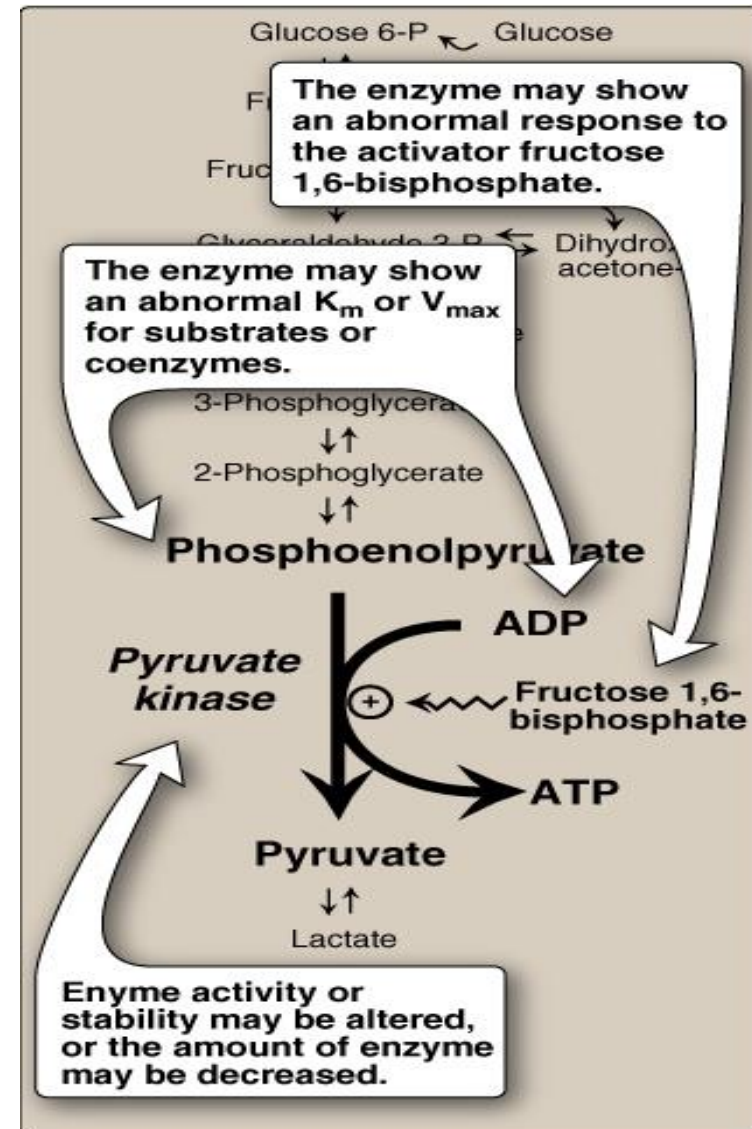




Hormonal Regulation of Pyruvate Kinase

Clinical Hint: Pyruvate Kinase Deficiency

- The most common among glycolytic enzyme deficiencies
- **RBCs** are affected
- Mild to severe chronic hemolytic anemia
- ATP is needed for Na⁺/K⁺ pump → maintain the flexible shape of the cell
- Low ATP → premature death of RBC
- Abnormal enzyme; mostly altered kinetic properties



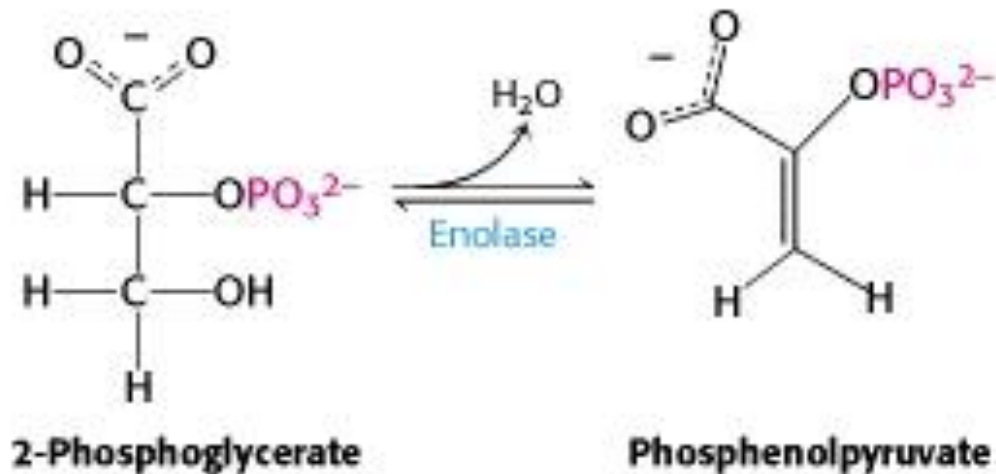
Alterations observed with various mutant forms of pyruvate kinase

External Inhibitors of Glycolysis

Inorganic Inhibitors of Glycolysis

Fluoride

- Fluoride inhibits Enolase



Fluoridated water → ↓ bacterial enolase →
Prevention of Dental Carries

Inorganic Inhibitors of Glycolysis

Arsenic Poisoning

– Pentavalent Arsenic (Arsenate) competes with phosphate as a substrate for GA3PDH

↓ ATP synthesis

– Trivalent Arsenic (Arsenite)

Forms stable complex with -SH of lipoic acid

↓ Pyruvate Dehydrogenase

↓ α ketoglutarate Dehydrogenase

→ Neurological disturbances.....**DEATH**

