




GENERAL EXPLANATIONS

- Precursor in a route; or in a branch or section of a route 
- Final product (cofactor) of the route 
- Catalytic step 

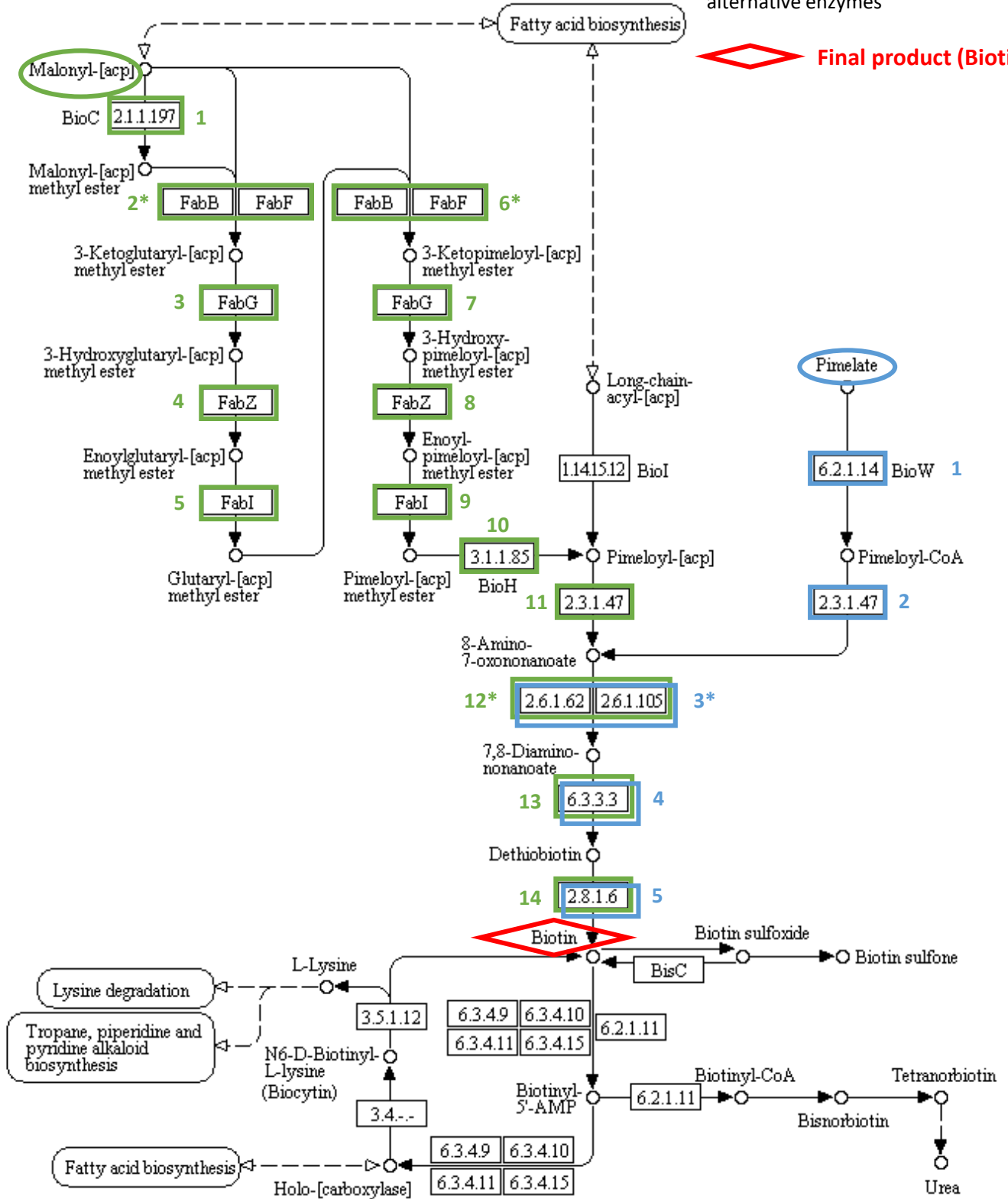
BIOTIN METABOLISM

Main route: Synthesis from Malonyl-[acp]

Alternative route: Synthesis from Pimelate

* Steps that can be catalysed by alternative enzymes

Final product (Biotin)



Branch 1: Synthesis of Adenosyl cobyrinate hexaamide

- Section 1: Formation of ALA
- Section 2: Formation of Adenosyl cobyrinate hexaamide

Branch 2: Transformation of Adenosyl cobyrinate hexaamide into Adenosine-GDP-cobinamide

- Section 1: Formation of Adenosyl cobinamide phosphate
- Section 2: Transformation of Adenosyl cobinamide phosphate to Adenosine-GDP-cobinamide

Branch 3: Synthesis of α -Ribazole from 5-Aminoimidazole ribotide (based on Hazra et al., PNAS 112: 10792 (2015))

Branch 4: Merge of Adenosine-GDP-cobinamide with α -Ribazole to form B12 coenzyme

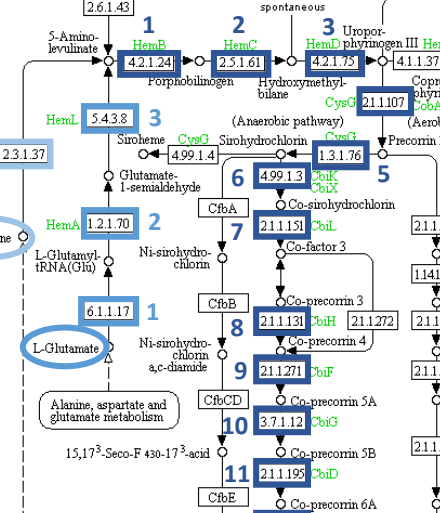
Final product (Adenosylcobalamin – B12 coenzyme)

ADENOSYLCOBALAMIN PATHWAY

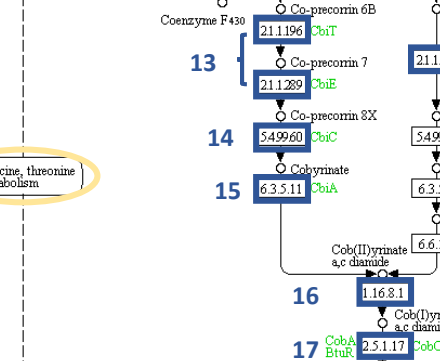
PORPHYRIN AND CHLOROPHYLL METABOLISM

Branch 1

Section 1

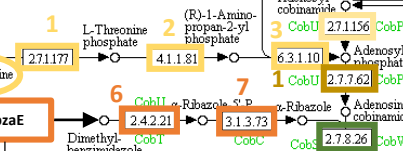


Section 2

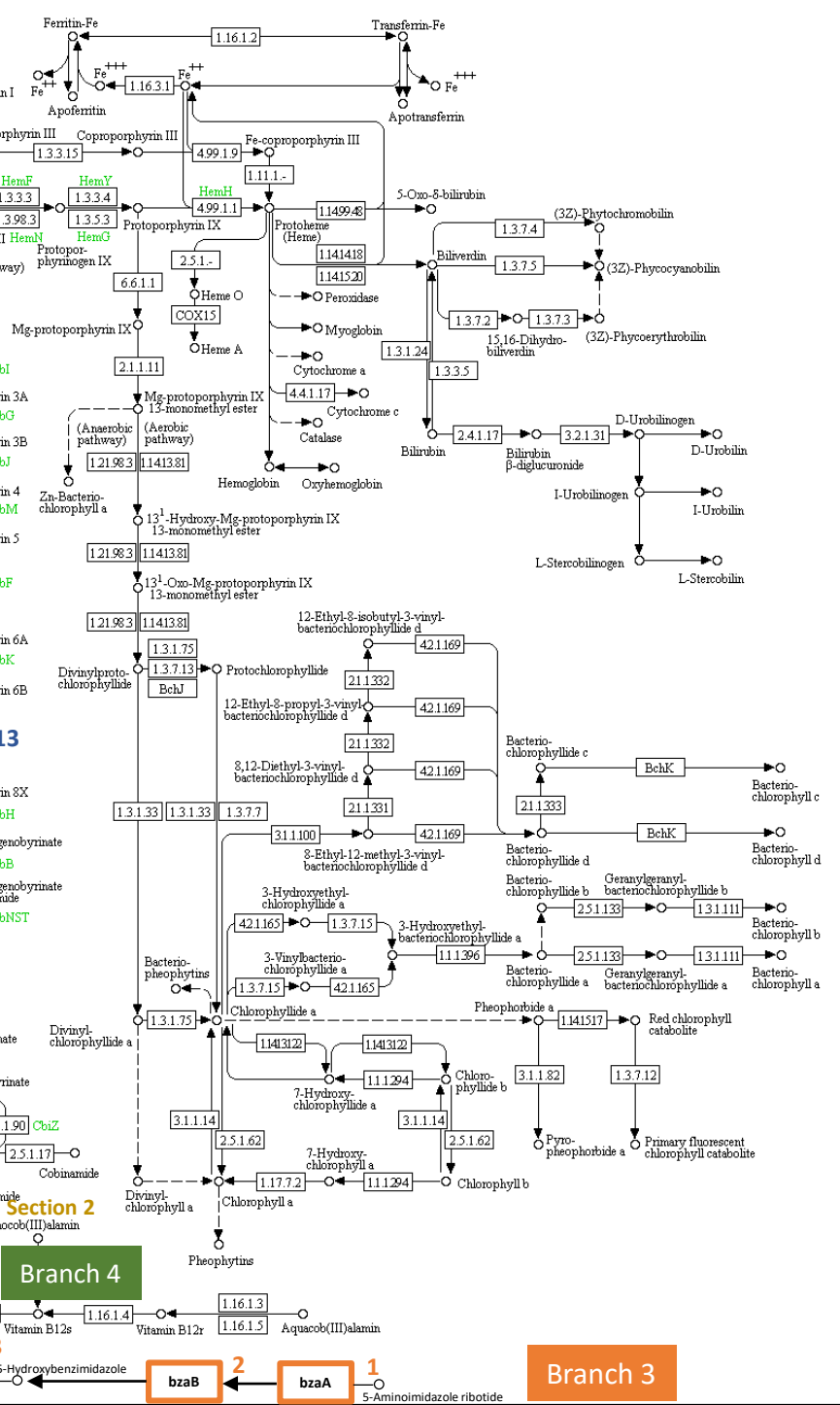
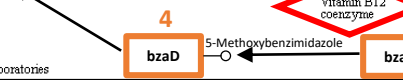


Branch 2

Section 1



Section 2



Branch 3

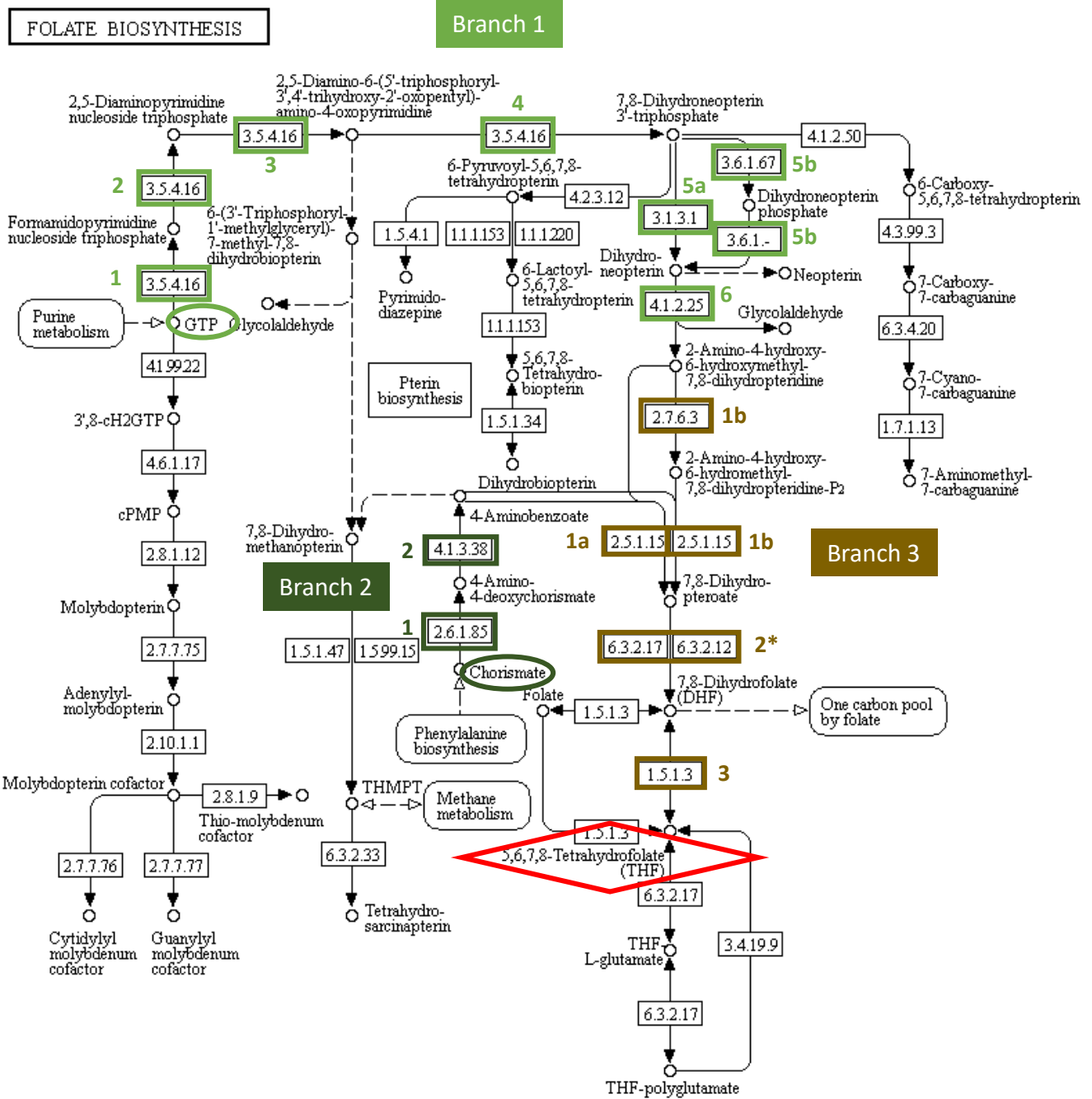
— Branch 1: Synthesis of 2-Amino-4-hydroxy-6-hydroxymethyl-7,8-dihydropteridine

— Branch 2: Synthesis of 4-Aminobenzoate

— Branch 3: Merge of final compounds from branches 1 and 2 and synthesis of DHF

◇ Final product (THF)

* Steps that can be catalysed by alternative enzymes



— De novo route: Synthesis from L-Aspartate

— Alternative route: Synthesis via Quinolinate produced from Tryptophan metabolism

— Salvage route 1: Synthesis from Nicotinamide

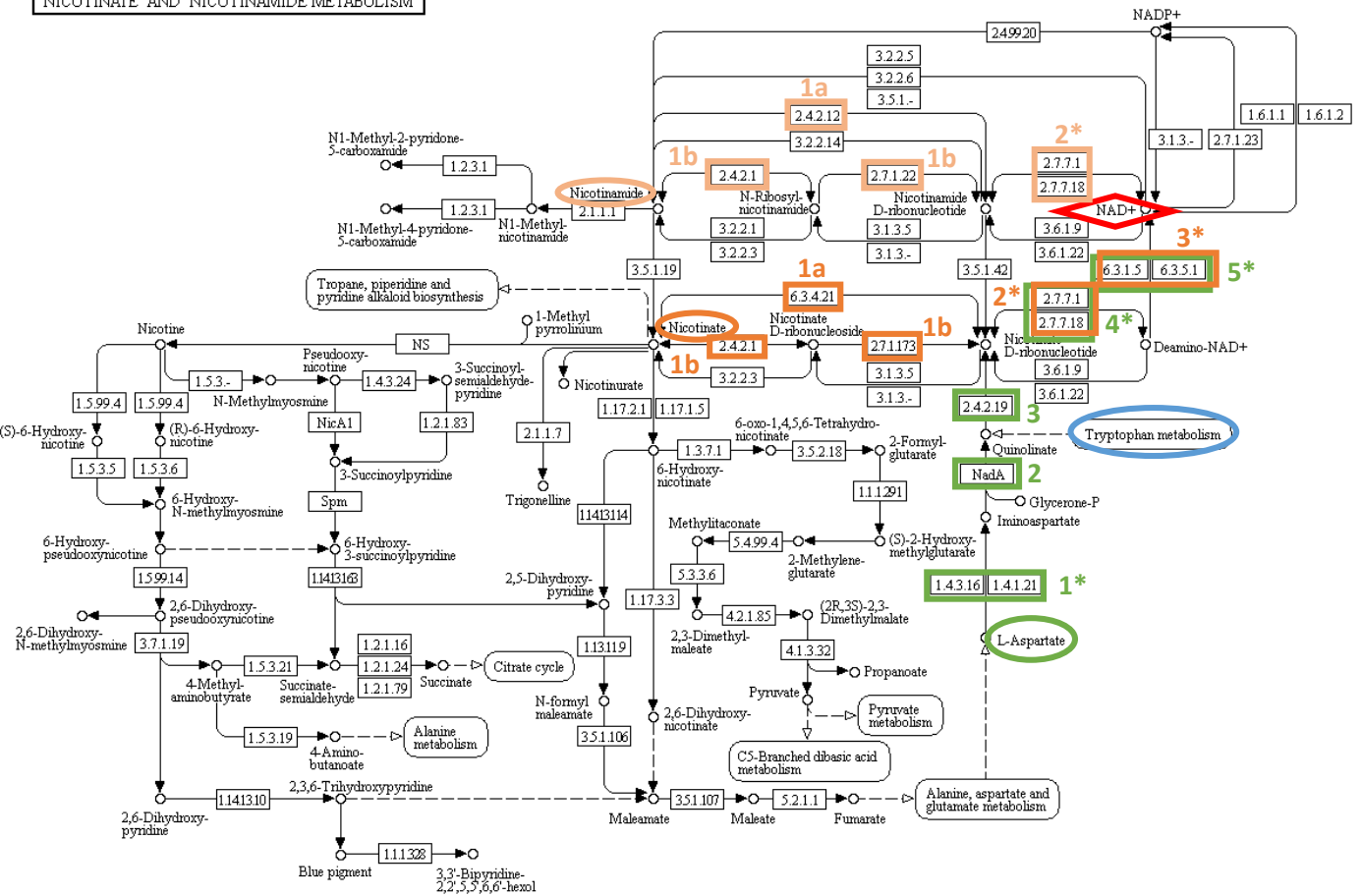
— Salvage route 2: Synthesis from Nicotinate



Final product (NAD⁺)

* Steps that can be catalysed by alternative enzymes

NICOTINATE AND NICOTINAMIDE METABOLISM



Branch 1: Synthesis of (R)-Pantoate

- Section 1: Synthesis of 3-Methyl-2-oxobutanoate (from Pyruvate or from L-Valine)
- Section 2: Conversion of 3-Methyl-2-oxobutanoate to (R)-Pantoate

Branch 2: Synthesis of β -Alanine

- Alternative a: From L-Aspartate
- Alternative b: From Uracil
- Alternative c: From Propanoate metabolism

Branch 3: Merge of (R)-Pantoate and β -Alanine

- Section 1: Synthesis of (R)-4'-Phospho-pantothenate
- Section 2: Merge of D-4'-Phospho-pantothenate with L-Cysteine to produce CoA

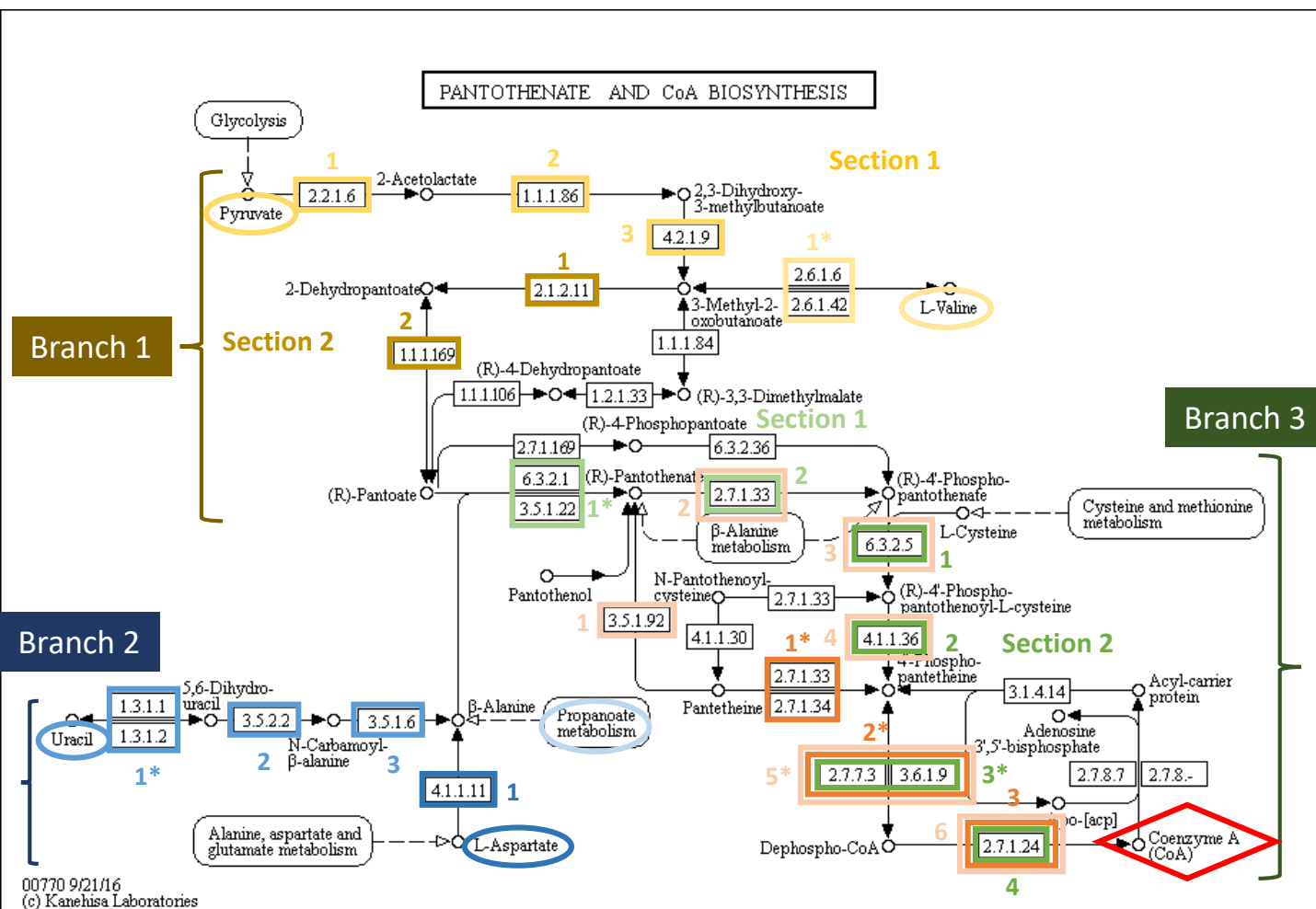
Salvage route: Use of Pantetheine

- Alternative A: Shortcut route through 4'-Phospho-pantetheine
- Alternative B: Route through (R)-Pantothenate



Final product (Coenzyme A)

* Steps that can be catalysed by alternative enzymes

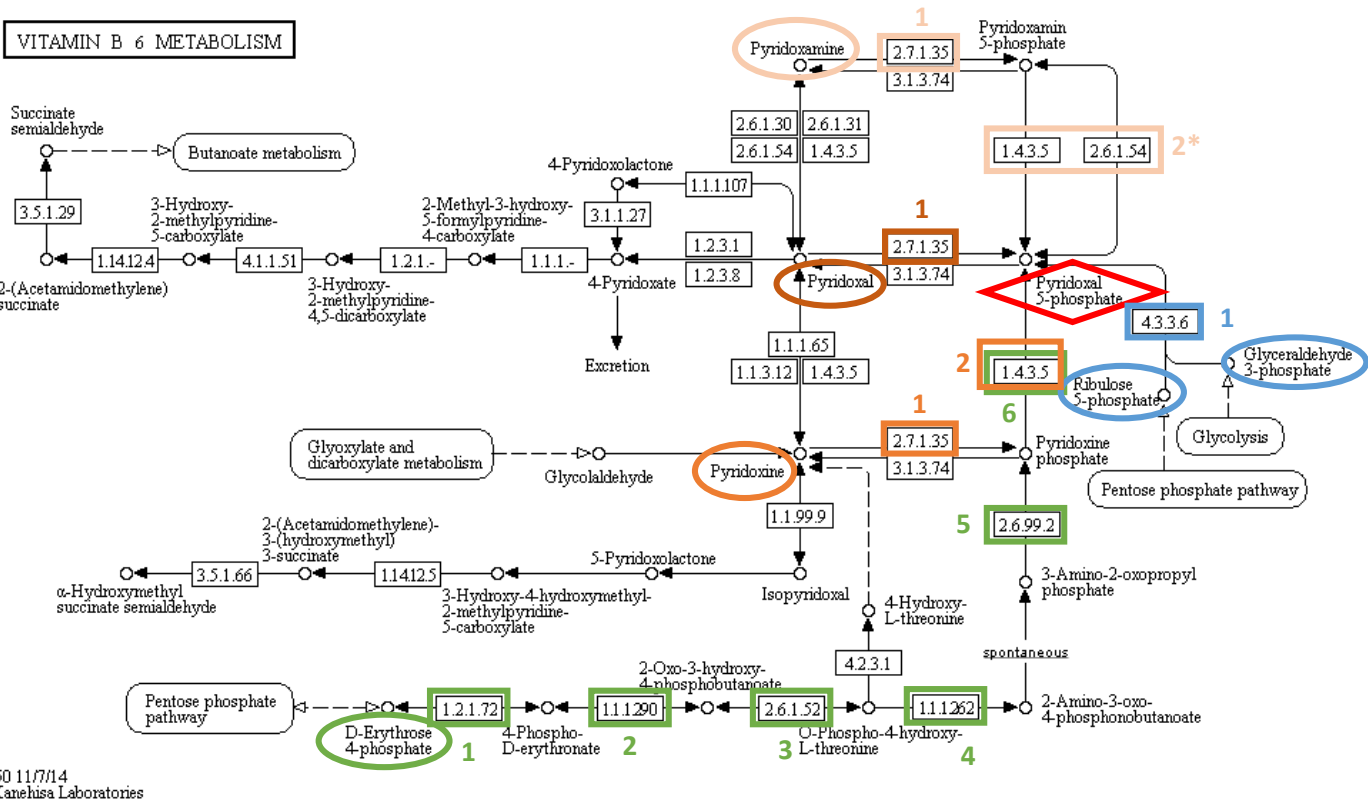


- Main route: Synthesis from D-Erythrose 4-phosphate
- Alternative route: Synthesis from Ribulose 5-phosphate + Glyceraldehyde 3-phosphate
- Salvage route 1: Synthesis from Pyridoxamine
- Salvage route 2: Synthesis from Pyridoxal
- Salvage route 3: Synthesis from Pyridoxine

◊ Final product (Pyridoxal 5-phosphate)

* Steps that can be catalysed by alternative enzymes

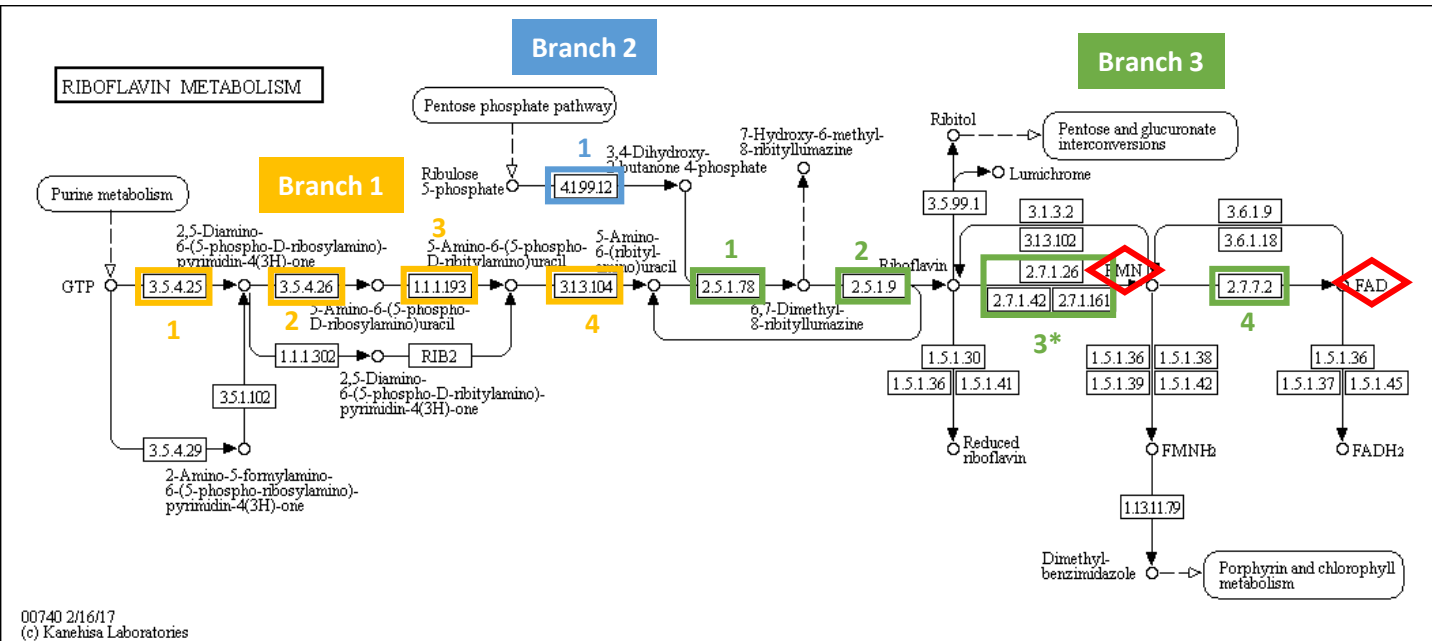
VITAMIN B 6 METABOLISM



- Branch 1: Synthesis of 5-Amino-6-(ribityl-amino)uracil
- Branch 2: Synthesis of 3,4-Dihydroxy-2-butanone-4-phosphate
- Branch 3: Merge of final compounds from branches 1 and 2 and synthesis of FMN⁺ and FAD⁺

◇ Final products (FMN⁺ and FAD⁺)

* Steps that can be catalysed by alternative enzymes



Branch 1: Synthesis of 4-Amino-5-hydroxymethyl-2-methylpyrimidine diphosphate

Branch 2: Synthesis of 2-(2-Carboxy-4-methylthiazol-5-yl)ethyl phosphate

Section 1: Synthesis of Thiocarboxy-[sulfur-carrier protein]

Section 2: Synthesis of 1-Deoxy-D-Xylulose 5-phosphate

Section 3: Synthesis of Iminoglycine

Section 4: Merge of final products from sections 1, 2 and 3 and synthesis of 2-(2-Carboxy-4-methylthiazol-5-yl)ethyl phosphate

Branch 3: Merge of final compounds from branches 1 and 2 and synthesis of Thiamine diphosphate

Final product (Thiamine diphosphate)

