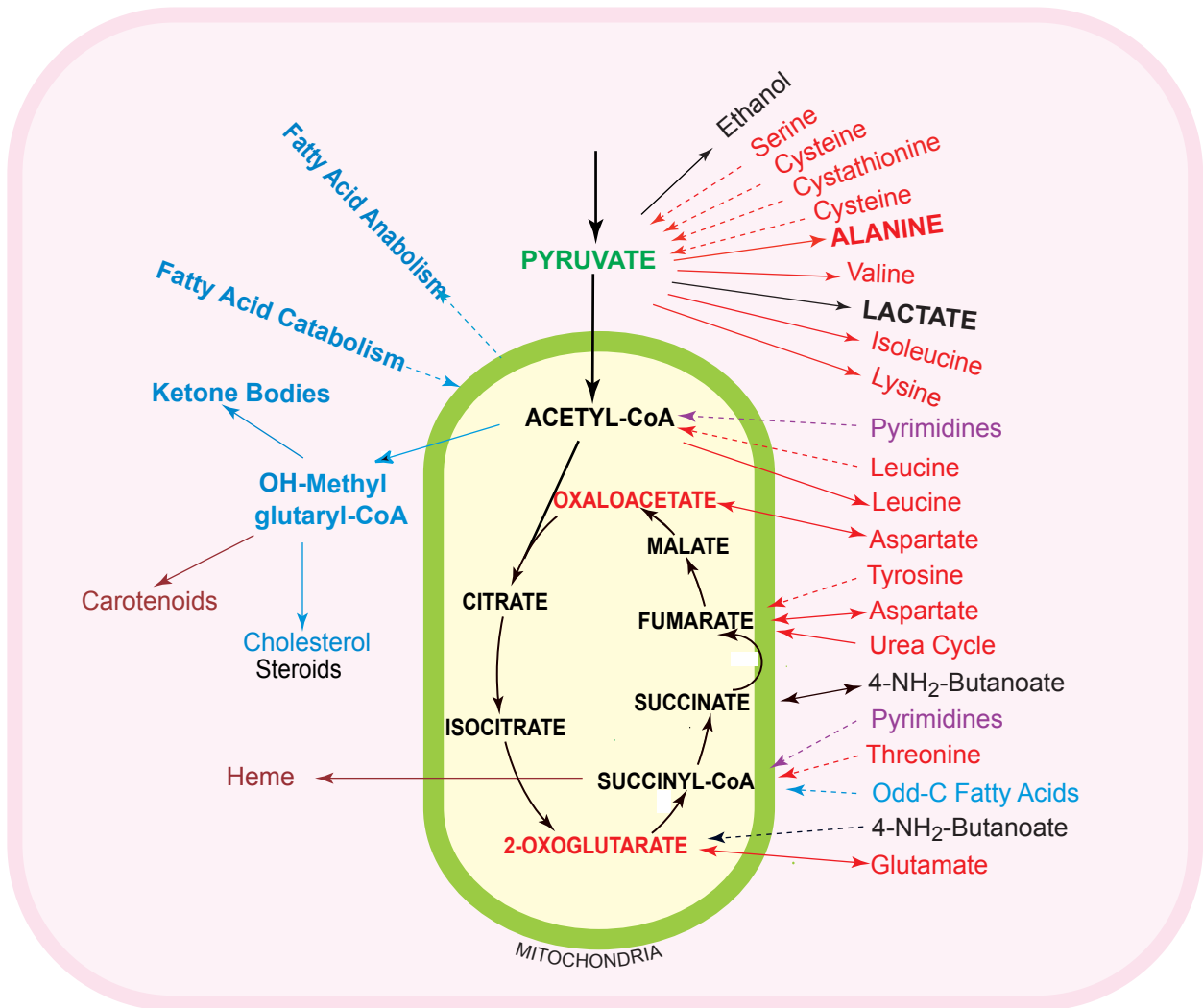


THE HUB OF METABOLISM



Most of the anabolic pathways start and the catabolic pathways end in the "backbone" of metabolism - Glycolysis and the TCA Cycle. This map shows some of the many pathways which cluster around pyruvate, acetyl-CoA and the TCA Cycle.