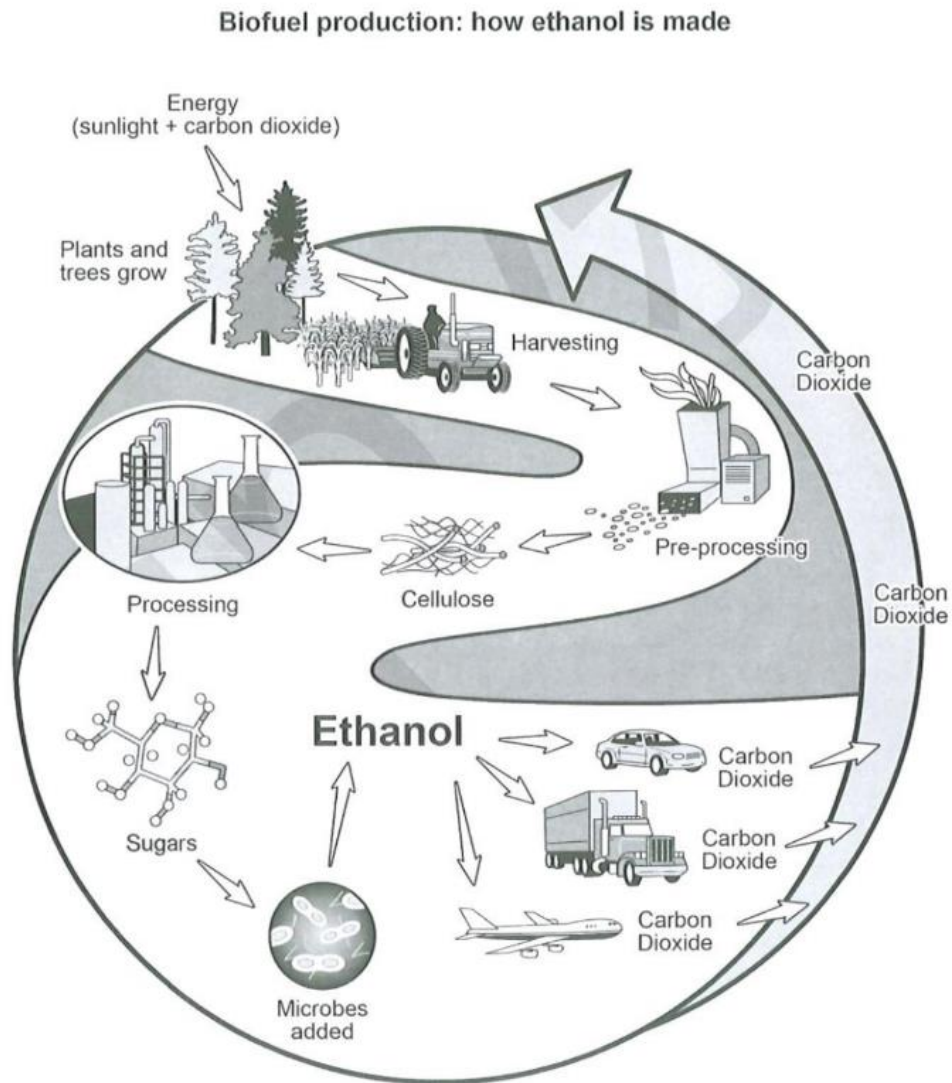


WRITING TASK 1

You should spend about 20 minutes on this task.

The diagram below shows how a biofuel called ethanol is produced.

Summarise the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparisons where relevant.



The diagram depicts the production of ethanol – one type of biofuel.

Overall, this process is repeated, through 4 main stages, beginning with natural's energy provide to plant and trees and finishing with public transport's emission discharged and return into sky.

The initial stage takes place when natural energy including sunlight and carbon dioxide shine down to forests, then stimulate its growth. In the next step, humans cut down the trees, harvest wood and transport it to a factory. In this facility, the pre-processing of wood will be implemented: smashing wood into small chunks. Next, these chunks are converted into cellulose – a basic component of wood.

In the subsequent stage, cellulose is moved to a special area, going through the process of chemical treatment to split sugars separately. Following this, these components are added by microbes – those creatures have a task to produce ethanol, then provide to many transportation vehicles, such as cars, trucks and planes. Finally, waste gas from these vehicles escapes to the air, returns again to the sky in the form of CO₂ and the process will start again.