### Warm Up

Write chemical formulas for the following acids.





a) hydrobromic acid b) hypochlorous acid

hydro—ic acid -ide -ate -ite

\_\_ous acid

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# Naming and Writing Formulas for Acids and Bases

#### **Reminder:**

Acids are aqueous hydrogen compounds that turn blue litmus red.

Bases are aqueous solutions of ionic hydroxides that turn red litmus blue.

IDENTIFYING ACIDS AND BASES FROM FORMULA'S

Most acid can be identified from **starting with H**or ending in COOH.

i.e. HCl, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, CH<sub>3</sub>COOH

Note: NH<sub>3</sub> and CH<sub>4</sub> are not acids!

When naming acids, common names (for common acids) or IUPAC names can be used.

#### **IUPAC** (modern) Acid Names

- name the acid as an aqueous hydrogen compound Ex. aqueous hydrogen sulfide -  ${\rm HS}_{(aq)}$ 

#### **Classical Acid Names**

- used the suffix -ic Ex. sulfuric
- used hydro and the suffix -ic Ex. hydrochloric
- used suffix -ous Ex. sulfurous
- and others (see inside back cover)

Nat OH

Fe(OH)3 V iron (111)hydroxide

CH3600H CH300

aqueous hydrogen acetale acetic acid

Carbonic acid
Ht CO32-

(carbonate)

(-ate)

bromic acid

hydrophosphoric acid H+ P<sup>3-</sup>

## **Rules for Naming Acids**

1. If anion ends in -ide, the acid is "hydro_	ic acid'
Ex. HCl	
2. If anion ends in -ate, the acid is "	_ic acid"
Ex. H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	
3. If anion ends in -ite, the acid is "	ous acid"
Ex. H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>3</sub>	