

Ternary acids (those derived from polyatomic ions):

a. If the polyatomic ion ends is ate, change the ate to ic and add the word acid.

b. If the polyatomic ion ends is ite, change the ite to ous and add the word acid.

1. Acid Name <b>Sulfuric acid</b>	Polyatomic ion and its name $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ sulf <u>ate</u>	Acid formula $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq})$
2. Acid Name Phosphor <u>ic</u> acid	Polyatomic ion and its name $\text{PO}_4^{3-}$ phosph <u>ate</u>	Acid formula <b><math>\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4(\text{aq})</math></b>
3. Acid Name Sulfur <u>ous</u> acid	Polyatomic ion and its name $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$ <u>sulfite</u>	Acid formula $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3(\text{aq})$
4. Acid Name <b>Nitric acid</b>	Polyatomic ion and its name $\text{NO}_3^{1-}$ nitr <u>ate</u>	Acid formula $\text{HNO}_3(\text{aq})$
5. Acid Name Oxal <u>ic</u> acid	Polyatomic ion and its name $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$ oxal <u>ate</u>	Acid formula <b><math>\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4(\text{aq})</math></b>
6. Acid Name Arsenic acid	Polyatomic ion And its name $\text{AsO}_4^{3-}$ arsen <u>ate</u>	Acid formula $\text{H}_3\text{AsO}_4(\text{aq})$
7. Acid Name <b>Phosphorous acid</b>	Polyatomic ion And its name $\text{PO}_3^{3-}$ phosph <u>ite</u>	Acid formula $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3(\text{aq})$