#### **CONCEPT:** NAMING ALDEHYDES

- **Recall:** Aldehydes possess a carbonyl carbon connected to a \_\_\_\_\_ atom.
- Set of rules for naming aldehydes are similar to ketones.
  - □ **Exception:** The carbonyl carbon of the aldehyde is always numbered \_\_\_\_.
  - □ Modify the ending from -\_\_\_\_ to -\_\_\_.

location-substituent-parent-modifier

**EXAMPLE**: Provide the systematic name for the following aldehyde.

STEP 1: Find the longest carbon chain (parent chain) and assign name according to the prefixes and modifier.

- □ Parent chain should include the aldehyde group and have \_\_\_\_\_ number of carbons.
- □ If a tie between longest chains, choose chain with more substituents.
- **STEP 2:** Assign name to all the substituents.
- **STEP 3:** Start numbering the chain at the carbon of the aldehyde group.
- STEP 4 to 6: Repeat steps from previous naming topics.

**PRACTICE:** Provide the systematic name for the following aldehyde.

PRACTICE: Which of the following compounds represent 2-bromo-pentanal?

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### **Common Naming: Simple**

- Simple aldehydes are named using common names: use \_\_\_\_\_ with -\_\_\_\_ suffix.
  - □ These prefixes are utilized in common names by many carbonyl compounds.

Common Name Prefixes	
# of Cs	Prefix
1	
2	
3	Propion-
4	Butyr-
5	Valer-

**EXAMPLE**: Name the following aldehyde using common naming system.

## **Common Naming: Substituted**

• Substituents are designated with a numerical location.

location-substituent-prefix-aldehyde

**EXAMPLE**: Name the following aldehyde using common naming system.

- STEP 1: Find the longest carbon chain (up to 5 C) and assign name according to common name prefix and suffix.
  - □ Carbon chain should include the aldehyde group and have \_\_\_\_\_ number of carbons.
  - $\hfill\Box$  If a tie between longest chains, choose chain with more substituents.
- **STEP 2:** Assign name to all the substituents.
- **STEP 3:** Start numbering the chain at the carbon of the aldehyde group.
- STEP 4 to 6: Repeat steps from previous naming topics.

# **CONCEPT: NAMING ALDEHYDES**

**PRACTICE:** Provide common name for following aldehyde.

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**PRACTICE:** Provide common name for given molecule.