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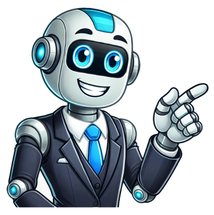

See also: Acanthus and -acanthus Acanthus ornamentation on a capital. From Latin acanthus, from Ancient Greek ἄκανθος (ákanthos), from ἀκή (akḗ, “thorn”) + ἄνθος (ánthos, “flower”).[1][2] acanthus (plural acanthuses or acanthi) A member of the genus Acanthus of herbaceous prickly plants with toothed leaves, (family Acanthaceae, order Lamiales (formerly Scrophulariales)) found in the south of Europe, Asia Minor, and India. [from mid 16th century][2] Synonyms: bear's breech, bear's breeches, (rare) bear's-breech 1834, L[etitia] E[lizabeth] L[andon], Francesca Carrara. […], volume I, London: Richard Bentley, […], (successor to Henry Colburn), →OCLC:The picture before which they paused represented one of those ruined fountains so common to Italy. Francesca gazed upon it as if it had been an old friend: many a time, beside such a one, with its curved and broken marble, had she wreathed the acanthus that hung around it, the green and trailing foliage so profuse in the South, into shapes even more fanciful than those which once suggested the Corinthian capital. (architecture) An ornament resembling the foliage or leaves of Acanthus spinosus, used in the capitals of the Corinthian and composite orders. [from mid 18th century][2] 1994 March, R Ousterhout, “Early Christian and Byzantine Architecture, an Annotated Bibliography and Historiography by W. Eugene Kleinbauer”, in Journal of the Society of Architectural Historians, volume 53, number 1:It is difficult to imagine that Bernard of Clairvaux was gullible enough to accept dozens of historiated windows, grisaille fields of griffins, mosaic pavements, carved acanthus capitals, inhabited vine columns, and golden altarware on the strength of the justifications offered by a single window, one tympanum, and Suger's libelli. ^ Philip Babcock Gove (editor), Webster's Third International Dictionary of the English Language, Unabridged (G. & C. Merriam Co., 1976 [1909], →ISBN) ↑ 2.0 2.1 2.2 Lesley Brown, editor-in-chief, William R. Trumble and Angus Stevenson, editors (2002), “acanthus”, in The Shorter Oxford English Dictionary on Historical Principles, 5th edition, Oxford, New York, N.Y.: Oxford University Press, →ISBN. From Ancient Greek ἄκανθος (ákanthos), from ἀκή (akḗ, “thorn”) + ἄνθος (ánthos, “flower”). acanthus m (genitive acanthī); second declension Second-declension noun. “acanthus”, in Charlton T. Lewis (1891) An Elementary Latin Dictionary, New York: Harper & Brothers “acanthus”, in The Perseus Project (1999) Perseus Encyclopedia[1] “acanthus”, in Harry Thurston Peck, editor (1898), Harper’s Dictionary of Classical Antiquities, New York: Harper & Brothers “acanthus”, in William Smith, editor (1848), A Dictionary of Greek and Roman Biography and Mythology, London: John Murray “acanthus”, in William Smith, editor (1854, 1857), A Dictionary of Greek and Roman Geography, volume 1 & 2, London: Walton and Maberly The English language has a great number of words. Many of the words in English are based on Greek and Latin roots. A great deal of the terminology of science and medicine and indeed much of the vocabulary of higher education is based on Latin and Greek roots. These roots are dependable and unchanging and serve as the key to understanding the vocabulary of English and many of the modern European Languages. These words were borrowed in different periods and for different purposes. Most of these loan-words form the main bulk of the words for science, medicine, art, technology, etc. According to the periods of borrowing loan-words have undergone several changes that were common for English language itself during the centuries. These changes have influenced the loan-words and changed their semantic, structural or more or less morphological meaning, even their phonetic appearance. Later, loan-words were assimilated with the native English words and were acknowledged as pure English ones without taking into account their etymology. Etymologically OE vocabulary is extremely homogeneous, especially if compared with present-day English. Contacts with other languages in the Pre-OE or OE periods have left traces, which provide interesting insights into the external history of the language as they reflect cultural, religious and political changes. The largest number of loans, whether direct or indirect (semantic loans, loan translations) in OE is due to the influence of Latin. Independently it could have acted as an intermediary for the adoption of some loans from Greek. Greek words have entered the English Language from a different direction. They came via French, while others were borrowed directly; especially those in the fields of science and technology, and are seen in such compound words as telephone, photography, microscope, etc. Stellar Speller is a spelling game where kids click on the letters to spell the word that matches the picture. Designed for grade 1. Help Pearl and Flora find their friends in the bubble machine. Choose the correct plural spelling of a given word. There are options for multiple choice or fill in the blank. You also choose from tough or easier words. In the Spellaroo game, you pick the misspelled word from the sentence. Choose from beginner or intermediate levels. In Word Confusion, you pick the correct word to fill in the sentence. You choose from two words that are often interchanged incorrectly. There’s any easy level and a hard level. Practice spelling the 300 most frequently used words. The 300 words in this game make up 65% of written material. Perfect passive participle of acuō (“sharpen, make sharp”). acūtus (feminine acūta, neuter acūtum, comparative acūtior, superlative acūtissimus); first/second-declension participle First/second-declension adjective. “acutus”, in Charlton T. Lewis and Charles Short (1879) A Latin Dictionary, Oxford: Clarendon Press “acutus”, in Charlton T. Lewis (1891) An Elementary Latin Dictionary, New York: Harper & Brothers "acutus", in Charles du Fresne du Cange’s Glossarium Mediæ et Infimæ Latinitatis (augmented edition with additions by D. P. Carpenterius, Adelungius and others, edited by Léopold Favre, 1883–1887) acutus in Gaffiot, Félix (1934) Dictionnaire illustré latin-français, Hachette. Carl Meißner, Henry William Auden (1894) Latin Phrase-Book[1], London: Macmillan and Co. to draw a subtle inference: acute, subtiliter concluderea deep, high, thin, moderate voice: vox gravis, acuta, parva, mediocris Students in introductory biology classes typically have to learn more new vocabulary words than students taking a foreign language! The good news is that many science vocabulary words use the same Greek and Latin roots. When you know these roots, you can figure out what a word means, even if you've never heard it before. This table shows you many roots to help you decipher words you hear in biology class. Greek or Latin Root Meaning Examples A-, An- Not, absent Abiotic: without life Anoxygenic: without oxygen Ab-, Abs- Away from Abscission: separation of leaves from tree Allo- Another Allosteric: another binding site Aqua- Water Aqueous: watery Bi- Two Bilayer: double layered Bio- Life Biology: the study of life -cide Kill Bacteriocidal: kills bacteria Cyt Cell Cytoplasm: the fluid inside a cell Di- Two Disaccharide: a carbohydrate made of two simple sugars Dis- Apart Disjoin: separate Endo- Inside Endocytosis: a process that brings things into a cell Epi- Upon, over Epidermis: the uppermost layer of tissue covering an organism Eu- True Eukaryotes have a true nucleus Ex- Out Exocytosis: a process that puts things out of cells Geno- Give birth, beget Genetics: the study of heredity Hetero- Mixed, unlike Heterozygous: a cell that has two different versions of a gene Homo- Same Homozygous: a cell that has two identical versions of a gene Hyper- Above Hypertonic: has a greater concentration of solutes Hypo- Below Hypotonic: has a lower concentration of solutes Inter- Between Interphase: the cellular phase between cell divisions Iso- Same Isotonic: has same concentration of solutes Locus Place A locus on a chromosome is the place where a gene is located Macro- Big Macrophage: a large phagocyte -meter Measure Centimeter: a measurement that's 1/100 of a meter Micro- Small Microbiology: the study of living things too small to see with the naked eye Mono- One Monosaccharide: a single simple sugar Olig- Few Oligosaccharide: a short chain of sugars Ped-, Pod Foot Pseudopod: a "false foot" or projection of an amoeba Phago- Eat Phagocytosis: a process where a white blood cell engulfs and destroys bacteria and viruses -phil Love Hydrophilic: mixes well with water -phobia Fear Hydrophobic: doesn't mix with water Poly- Many Polypeptide: a chain of many amino acids Pro- Before Prokaryotes: cells that evolved before nucleated cells Stom- Mouth Stomates: openings in the surfaces of leaves Zoo- Animal Zoology: the study of animals Zygo- Join Zygote: a cell formed from the joining of sperm and egg Brilliant Biology Student Did you know that many biology words we use are derived from Greek and Latin Root Words?In these ancient language systems, each word consisted of a root word and affixes. The root word is the main part of the word and can stand alone. Affixes qualify the root word and may be prefixes or suffixes. Prefixes come before the word and suffixes after. Each part of the word contributes to its meaning. So, if you know the common root words, it is very easy to split up the scientific term into its component parts and figure out its meaning. This is called Structural Analysis. This List of Greek and Latin Root Words will help you to decipher the meaning of new biology vocabulary, even without the use of a dictionary. So here's an example:acrosome acro = summit,topsoma = bodySo we are able to reason that the acrosome is a body that is found at the top or summit. Now, greek and latin root words could be be life-saving if you are in the middle of a multiple choice exam and staring at diagram of the sperm cell - labeled with letters only. Which structure represents the acrosome? Easy! The structure that is at the top, or foremost would be the acrosome! So you select a) Q Whew! Even you were not answering multiple choice questions, structural analysis would help 'jog your memory' and you would most likely be able to define the acrosme as the organelle located on the anterior portion of the sperm, containing lytic enzymes involved in penetration of the ovum during fertilization. Here are other examples:adipo = fathepato = livererythr = redcyte = cellCan you guess what the following words mean? Adipocyte Hepatocyte Erythrocyte Well done! Adipocyte = fat cell Hepatocyte = liver cell Erythrocyte = red blood cellLearning the Greek and Latin Root Words, as well and the affixes is pretty useful. However, the technique of Structural Analysis should never replace your use of your biology dictionary or glossary. The definition includes more and precise information. Take a look at the video below which shows how prefixes, suffixes and roots are used: List of terms used in biology A sign for Crassula rupestris at the University of Helsinki Botanical Garden. The roots for the binomial name are crassus (thick, fat) and rupestris (living on cliffs or rocks) This list of Latin and Greek words commonly used in systematic names is intended to help those unfamiliar with classical languages to understand and remember the scientific names of organisms. The binomial nomenclature used for animals and plants is largely derived from Latin and Greek words, as are some of the names used for higher taxa, such as orders and above. At the time when biologist Carl Linnaeus (1707–1778) published the books that are now accepted as the starting point of binomial nomenclature, Latin was used in Western Europe as the common language of science, and scientific names were in Latin or Greek: Linnaeus continued this practice. While learning Latin is now less common, it is still used by classical scholars, and for certain purposes in botany, medicine and the Roman Catholic Church, and it can still be found in scientific names. It is helpful to be able to understand the source of scientific names. Although the Latin names do not always correspond to the current English common names, they are often related, and if their meanings are understood, they are easier to recall. The binomial name often reflects limited knowledge or hearsay about a species at the time it was named. For instance Pan troglodytes, the chimpanzee, and Troglodytes troglodytes, the wren, are not necessarily cave-dwellers. Sometimes a genus name or specific descriptor is simply the Latin or Greek name for the animal (e.g. Canis is Latin for dog). These words may not be included in the table below if they only occur for one or two taxa. Instead, the words listed below are the common adjectives and other modifiers that repeatedly occur in the scientific names of many organisms (in more than one genus). Adjectives vary according to gender, and in most cases only the lemma form (nominative singular masculine form) is listed here. 1st-and-2nd-declension adjectives end in -us (masculine), -a (feminine) and -um (neuter), whereas 3rd-declension adjectives ending in -is (masculine and feminine) change to -e (neuter). For example, verus is listed without the variants for Aloe vera or Galium verum. The second part of a binomial is often a person's name in the genitive case, ending -i (masculine) or -ae (feminine), such as Kaempfer's tody-tyrant, Hemitriccus kaempferi. The name may be converted into a Latinised form first, giving -ii and -iae instead. Words that are very similar to their English forms have been omitted. Some of the Greek transliterations given are Ancient Greek, and others are Modern Greek. In the tables, L = Latin, G = Greek, and LG = similar in both languages. This list is not, and is not intended to be, exhaustive. To find other taxa which include the names listed here, use the intitle command in the search box Latin/Greek Language English Example Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: acanthus etc. G ἄκανθος (ákanthos) thorny, spiny Acanthus plant; Parorchis acanthus, a flatwormMunida acantha, a squat lobster; prickly ceratina, Ceratina acanthaspiny dogfish, Squalus acanthias; Reinhardt's snake-eater, Polemon acanthiascotton thistle, Onopordum acanthium acanthus – acanthias – acantha – acanthium acaulis G, L stemless silver thistle, Carlina acaulis; dwarf date palm, Phoenix acaulis acaulis – acaule actin-, actino- G ἀκτίς (aktis) ray, radial Schefflera actinophylla, Actinopterygii, Actinophryida actin – actino acutus L sharpened, pointed American crocodile, Crocodylus acutus; angled sunbeam (butterfly), Curetis acuta; northern pintail, Anas acuta acutus – acuta – acutum aculeatus L prickly short-beaked echidna, Tachyglossus aculeatus; three-spined stickleback, Gasterosteus aculeatus; butcher's-broom, Ruscus aculeatus aculeatus – aculeata – aculeatum acuminatus L sharp, pointed, tapering Jamaican gooseberry tree, Phyllanthus acuminatus; Panaeolus acuminatus, a mushroomcucumbertree, Magnolia acuminata; Musa acuminata, a banana treeacuminate barrenwort, Epimedium acuminatum; desert quandong, Santalum acuminatum acuminatus – acuminata – acuminatum adustus L singed, burnt side-striped jackal, Canis adustus;dark onyx cowry, Erronea adusta adustus – adusta – adustum aequalis L equal common Atlantic grenadier, Nezumia aequalis; clay-coloured billbug, Sphenophorus aequalisTrogoxylon aequale, a beetle; Omophron aequale, a ground beetle aequalis – aequale aestivus L summer summer asphodel, Asphodelus aestivus; rough green snake, Opheodrys aestivusturquoise-fronted amazon, Amazona aestiva; summer spider orchid, Caladenia aestivaLoddon lily, Leucojum aestivum; common wheat, Triticum aestivum aestivus – aestiva – aestivum affinis L neighbouring, similar, kindred lesser scaup, Aythya affinis; dugite, Pseudonaja affinis blue tongue, Melastoma affine; Persian violet, Exacum affine affinis – affine africanus L African red cormorant, Microcarbo africanus;southern African frilled shark, Chlamydoselachus africana; African clubhook-squid, Notonykia africanae;pyjama shark, Poroderma africanum;lemon basil, Ocimum × africanum africanus – africana, africanae – africanum agrestis L of the field, wild field vole, Microtus agrestis; green field-speedwell, Veronica agrestis agrestis – agreste alatus L āla winged pitcher plant, Nepenthes alata; sharpwing monkeyflower, Mimulus alatus; winged elm, Ulmus alata; winged everlasting, Ammobium alatum; winged loosestrife, Lythrum alatum; winged seahorse, Hippocampus alatus; winged-stem passion flower, Passiflora alata alatus – alata – alatum albiceps L white-headed blow fly, Chrysomya albiceps; moth, Syngamia albiceps; wood groundling, Parachronistis albiceps; Mexican golden red rump tarantula, Brachypelma albiceps albiceps albidens L white-toothed white-toothed brush mouse, Coccymys albidens; see also leucodon albidens albopictus L painted white Asian tiger mosquito, Aedes albopictus;Moneilema albopictum albopictus – albopicta – albopictum albus L white white ibis, Eudocimus albus;white oak, Quercus alba;mistletoe, Viscum album albus – alba – album alpinus L alpine; of the Alps alpine aster, Aster alpinus;alpine bearberry, Arctostaphylos alpina;alpine feverfew, Parthenium alpinum alpinus – alpina – alpinum amabilis L lovable lovable lily, Lilium amabile;lovely cotinga, Cotinga amabilis; lovely fairywren, Malurus amabilis;lovely fir, Abies amabilis amabilis – amabile ambiguus L uncertain beautiful woolly sunflower, Eriophyllum ambiguum;doubtful cone, Conus ambiguus;questionable Stropharia, Stropharia ambigua;tick bush, Kunzea ambigua ambiguus – ambigua – ambiguum amblys G ἀμβλύς (amblús) blunt, dull marine iguana, Amblyrhynchus cristatus amblys – All pages with titles beginning with Ambly americanus L American American black bear, Ursus americanus;American hazel nut, Corylus americana;American mastodon, Mammut americanum americanus – americana – americanum amphi- G ἀμφί (amphí) of all kinds, on all sides amphibian; Amphipoda All pages with titles beginning with Amphi ampulla L bottle, flask northern bottlenose whale, Hyperoodon ampullatus ampullatus – ampullata – ampullatum – All pages with titles beginning with Ampulla amurensis L from the Amur River Amur grape, Vitis amurensis amurensis – amurense anglicus L from England Common cordgrass, Sporobolus anglicus; Bibio anglicus, a fly; English sundew, Drosera anglica; English whitebeam, Sorbus anglica; English stonecrop, Sedum anglicum anglicus – anglica – anglicum angolensis L from Angola African teak, Pterocarpus angolensis angolensis – angolense angustiflorus L narrow-flowered Eastwood's bellflower, Campanula angustiflora; narrowflower lupine, Lupinus angustiflorus angustiflorus – angustiflora – angustiflorum angustifolius L narrow-leaved narrowleaf cottongrass, Eriophorum angustifolium; narrowleaf cottonwood, Populus angustifolia; narrowleaf sunflower, Helianthus angustifolius angustifolius – angustifolia – angustifolium angustus L narrow narrow-banded widow, Dingana angusta;narrowleaf pansy monkeyflower, Mimulus angustatus;slimleaf bean, Phaseolus angustissimus;Prairie acacia, Acaciella angustissima; sea snail, Vexillum angustissimum angustus – angusta – angustum – angustatus – angustissimus – angustissima – angustissimum antarcticus L of the southern hemisphere chinstrap penguin, Pygoscelis antarcticus; gummy shark, Mustelus antarcticus; brown skua, Stercorarius antarcticus antarcticus – antarctica – antarcticum anthos G ἄνθος (ánthos) flower anthozoans, Anthozoa; golden wattle, Acacia pycnantha; All pages with titles beginning with Antho anthropo- G ἄνθρωπος (ánthrōpos) man, human being Paranthropus All pages with titles beginning with Anthropo apis L bee western honey bee, Apis mellifera; white sage, Salvia apiana apianus – apiana – apianum – All pages with titles beginning with Api aquaticus L found near water eastern mole, Scalopus aquaticus;wild rice, Zizania aquatica; water spinach, Ipomoea aquatica;parrot's-feather, Myriophyllum aquaticum, aquaticus – aquatica – aquaticum arborescens L tree-like or shrub-like Artemisia arborescens; Aloe arborescens; Hydrangea arborescens arborescens archaeo- G ἀρχαῖος (arkhaîos) ancient Archaeopteryx All pages with titles beginning with Archaeo – All pages with titles beginning with Archeo arch-, archi-, archo-, -archus G ἀρχός (arkhos) ruler, leader, prince, highest, greatest Archidendron grandiflorum archi – archo archo – archus arctos G ἄρκτος (árktos) bear grizzly bear, Ursus arctos horribilis; common bearberry, Arctostaphylos arctos – All pages with titles beginning with Arcto arena L sand sand iris, Iris arenaria; sand rock-cress, Arabidopsis arenosa; sand seatrout, Cynoscion arenarius; sand-dusted cone, Conus arenatus arenarius – arenaria – arenarium – arenatus – arenata – arenosa arenicolus L sand-dwelling dunes sagebrush lizard, Sceloporus arenicolus; sand goldenrod, Solidago arenicola; sanddwelling dewberry, Rubus arenicola; sandy stargazer, Gillellus arenicola arenicolus – arenicola argentatus L silvery European herring gull, Larus argentatus argentatus – argentata – argentatum argenteus L silvery silver buffaloberry, Shepherdia argentea;silver tree, Leucadendron argenteum; silvery lupine, Lupinus argenteus; white mulberry, Pipturus argenteus argenteus – argentea – argenteum argentum L silver sea snail, Calliostoma argentum argentum argillicola L living on clay clay Fiddler Crab, Minuca argillicola; Hullsia argillicola argillicola aromatica G ἄρωμα (árōma) aromatic clove nutmeg, Ravensara aromatica; Croton aromaticus; clove, Syzygium aromaticum aromaticus – aromatica – aromaticum arthro- G ἄρθρον (árthron) joint Arthropoda All pages with titles beginning with Arthro arvensis L in the field skylark, Alauda arvensis; field horsetail, Equisetum arvense arvensis – arvense asiatica L Asian white-winged dove, Zenaida asiatica; Caspian plover, Charadrius asiaticus, Persian buttercup, Ranunculus asiaticus asiatica – asiaticus astro-, astero- G ἄστρον (ástron) star starfish (class), Asteroidea All pages with titles beginning with Astero – All pages with titles beginning with Astro ater L dull black common chuckwalla, Sauromalus ater; Eurasian coot, Fulica atra; black swan, Cygnus atratus; black yarrow, Achillea atrata; creek chub, Semotilus atromaculatus see also niger ater – atra – atrum – atratus – atrata – atratum atropurpureus L deep purple, blackish-purple Acer palmatum 'Atropurpureum'; Berberis thunbergii f. atropurpurea; purple-flowered cotoneaster, Cotoneaster atropurpureus atropurpureus – atropurpurea – atropurpureum aurantius, aurantiacus L orange-colored[1] bitter orange, Citrus aurantium aurantius – aurantia – aurantium; aurantiacus – aurantiaca – aurantiacum aureus L golden golden jackal, Canis aureus; Staphylococcus aureus (bacteria) see also chrysos aureus – aurea – aureum auritus L having (large) ears brown long-eared bat, Plecotus auritus; double-crested cormorant, Phalacrocorax auritus; long-eared hedgehog, Hemiechinus auritusmoon jellyfish, Aurelia auritayerba santa, Piper auritum; blue eared pheasant, Crossoptilon auritum auritus – aurita – auritum australis L southern southern right whale, Eubalaena australis australis – australe Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: baccatus L berry-bearing common yew, Taxus baccata; Conus baccatus, a sea snail baccatus – baccata – baccatum barbatus L barba bearded bearded catasetum, Catasetum barbatum; bearded seal, Erignathus barbatus; black-chinned siskin, Spinus barbata; Bornean bearded pig, Sus barbatus; golden-beard penstemon, Penstemon barbatus barbatus – barbata – barbatum bicolor L two-colored bicolor angelfish, Centropyge bicolor; bicolor cleanerfish, Labroides bicolor; bicolored moth, Manulea bicolor bicolor bicoloratus L two-colored bicolored angle, Macaria bicolorata; Kenya two-headed snake, Micrelaps bicoloratus; orchid, Bulbophyllum bicoloratum bicoloratus – bicolorata – bicoloratum bicornis L two-horned black rhinoceros, Diceros bicornis bicornis bios G βίος (bíos) life amphibian; biota, all living things bios blandus L pleasant, smooth, alluring Greek windflower, Anemone blanda; Mallos blandus, a spider blandus – blanda – blandum borealis L northern northern right whale dolphin, Lissodelphis borealissei whale, Balaenoptera borealis northern bedstraw, Galium boreale borealis – boreale brachion G βραχίων (brakhíōn) arm Przewalski's gerbil, Brachiones przewalskii; Brachiopoda (phylum); Brachiosaurus All pages with titles beginning with Brachio brasiliensis L Brazilian Brazilian brown bat Eptesicus brasiliensis All pages with titles containing Brasiliensis brachy- G βραχύς (brakhús) short Brazilian gold frog, Brachycephalus didactylus All pages with titles beginning with Brachy brachyphyllus G short-leaved extinct plant genus, Brachyphyllum; flower, Colchicum brachyphyllum; leaf-nosed bats, Brachyphylla; shortleaf baccharis, Baccharis brachyphylla; see also brevifolius brachyphyllus – brachyphylla – brachyphyllum brady- G βραδύς (bradús) slow pygmy three-toed sloth, Bradypus pygmaeus All pages with titles beginning with Brady branchia G βράγχιον (bránkhion) gills Lamellibranchia (class, syn. Bivalva); Branchiopoda (class, brine shrimps) All pages with titles beginning with Branchi brasiliensis L from Brazil Brazilian marsh rat, Holochilus brasiliensis; Brazilian stick mantis, Brunneria brasiliensis; rubber tree, Hevea brasiliensis brasiliensis – brasiliense brevi- L brevis short silvery-cheeked hornbill, Ceratogymna brevis brevis – breve – All pages with titles beginning with Brevi brevicaudatus L short-tailed bearded leaf chameleon, Rieppeleon brevicaudatus; sea snail, Lophiotoma brevicaudata; short-tailed ceratosoma, Ceratosoma brevicaudatum brevicaudatus – brevicaudata – brevicaudatum brevicollis L short-necked short-necked oil beetle, Meloe brevicollis brevicollis – brevicolle brevifolius L short-leaved Joshua tree, Yucca brevifolia; short-leaved dudleya, Dudleya blochmaniae subsp. brevifolia; shortleaf sneezeweed, Helenium brevifolium; zig-zag bog-rush, Schoenus brevifolius; see also brachyphyllus brevifolius – brevifolia – brevifolium brevirostris L short beak pignosed arrowtooth eel, Dysomma brevirostre; shortnose ponyfish, Leiognathus brevirostris brevirostris – brevirostre britannicus L from Great Britain Rumex britannica, a knotweed; British yellowhead, Inula britannica; Cortinarius britannicus, a mushroom; Geastrum britannicum, an earthstar fungus britannicus – britannica – britannicum bulbus G βολβός bulb bulbous buttercup, Ranunculus bulbosus; onion cone, Conus bulbus bulbus – bulbosus – bulbosa Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: caecus L blind blind mole, Talpa caeca; northern eyed hawkmoth, Smerinthus caecus caecus – caeca – caecum caeruleus L blue Eurasian blue tit, Cyanistes caeruleus; blue passion flower, Passiflora caerulea caeruleus – caerulea – caeruleum californicus L California California blue dorid, Felimare californiensis californicus – californica – californiensis callosus L calloused large vesper mouse, Calomys callosus; tree fern, Cyathea callosa; orchid, Paphiopedilum callosum callosus – callosa – callosum calvus L bald Altolamprologus calvus, Isbrueckerichthys calvus, both fishBanasa calva, a stink bug; Trichocorixa calva, a water boatmanIntrasporangium calvum, a bacterium; Bulbophyllum calvum, an orchid calvus- calva – calvum cambricus L, from Cambria from Wales wild cotoneaster, Cotoneaster cambricus; Alalcomenaeus cambricus, fossil arthropod Welsh wave, Venusia cambrica; Welsh eyebright, Euphrasia cambricaWelsh poppy, Papaver cambricum; limestone polypody, Polypodium cambricumWelsh groundsel, Senecio cambrensis; Flexicalymene cambrensis, a fossil trilobite cambricus – cambrica – cambricum – cambrensis canadensis L from Canada bighorn sheep, Ovis canadensis canadensis – canadense candidus L brightly white, shining white Madonna lily, Lilium candidum candidus – candida – candidum canescens L turning grey- or white-haired Geraea canescens (desert sunflower); Atriplex canescens canescens canis L dog coyote, Canis latrans; Dipylidium caninum (a tapeworm) canis – caninus – canina – caninum canorus L canōrus melodious common cuckoo, Cuculus canorus; Chinese hwamei, Garrulax canorusCuban grassquit, Phonipara canora; Campylocheta canora, a tachinid fly canorus – canora – canorum canus L gray (haired), pale gray grey-headed woodpecker, Picus canus; woolly groundsel, Senecio canus canus – cana – canum caprae L of a goat Staphylococcus caprae caprae – capri castaneus L chestnut(-colored) chestnut bolete, Gyroporus castaneus; reddish carpenter ant, Camponotus castaneuschestnut, Castanea; chestnut short-tailed bat, Carollia castaneachestnut leek orchid, Prasophyllum castaneum; red flour beetle, Tribolium castaneum castaneus – castanea – castaneum cauda L tail long-tailed tit, Aegithalos caudatus; thintail skate, Dipturus leptocaudus; northern short-tailed shrew, Blarina brevicauda caulos G καυλός (kaulós) stem, stalk stemless gentian, Gentiana acaulis acaulis – acaule cephalo- G κεφαλή (kephalḗ) head Mediterranean gull, Larus melanocephalus; blue-spotted grouper, Cephalopholis argus All pages with titles beginning with Cephal -ceps L caput head pygmy sperm whale, Kogia breviceps; biceps (two-headed muscle) ceros L cornū G κέρας (kéras) horn narwal, Monodon monoceros; rhinoceros (nose horn) cest L cestus G κεστός (kestós) girdle, belt, stitched Cestoda All pages with titles beginning with Cest chaetes G χαίτη (khaítē) flowing hair, or mane wildebeest, Connochaetes gnou; bristle worms, Polychaeta; earthworms, Oligochaeta chilensis L from Chile paradise tanager, Tangara chilensis chilensis – chilense chinensis L from China China rose, Rosa chinensis; Chinese onion, Allium chinense; Chinese sumac, Rhus chinensis; see also Sinense, below chinensis – chinense chloro- G χλωρός (khlōrós) pale green common moorhen, Gallinula chloropus; green algae, Chlorophyta All pages with titles beginning with Chloro chordatus L spined chordates; Stylephorus chordatus, Tinospora cordifolia chordatus – chordata – chordatum chroma G χρῶμα (khrôma) color clown loach, Chromobotia macracanthus All pages with titles beginning with Chrom chrysos G χρυσός (khrusós) gold Chrysochloridae (golden moles); golden pheasant, Chrysolophus pictus; maned wolf, Chrysocyon brachyurus; Chrysophyceae (golden algae)see also aureus All pages with titles beginning with Chryso chrysophyllus G gold-leaved golden chinquapin, Chrysolepis chrysophylla; golden-leaved Jerusalem sage, Phlomis chrysophylla; satinleaf, Chrysophyllum oliviforme chrysophyllus – chrysophylla – chrysophyllum cilium L eyelash Ashland thistle, Cirsium ciliolatum; bristleworm, Polydora ciliata; eyelash gecko, Correlophus ciliatus; queen angelfish, Holacanthus ciliaris; Australian red cedar, Toona ciliata; sickle-leaved cymodocea, Thalassodendron ciliatum ciliaris – ciliare – ciliatus – ciliata – ciliatum – ciliolatum cinereus L ash, ash-colored masked shrew, Sorex cinereus; Australian sea lion, Neophoca cinerea; gray thrasher, Toxostoma cinereum; common gray fox, Urocyon cinereoargenteus cinereus – cinerea – cinereum cirrhus G κιρρός (kirrhós) orange fringe-lipped bat, Trachops cirrhosus; mrigal carp, Cirrhinus cirrhosus; silverspotted sculpin, Blepsias cirrhosus cirrhosus – cirrhosa – cirrhosum citri L citrus the citrus blossom moth, Prays citri citri colchicus L from Colchis (Greek Κολχῐ́ς, Kolchís) or Georgia common pheasant, Phasianus colchicus; Phoxinus colchicus, a minnowCaucasian bladdernut, Staphylea colchica; Colchic holly, Ilex colchicaColchic nase, Chondrostoma colchicum; Cyclamen colchicum, a primrose colchicus – colchica – colchicum cneme G κνήμη (knḗmē) shin, leg white-legged damselfly, Platycnemis pennipes -cola L -cola inhabitant Eurasian woodcock, Scolopax rusticola; paddyfield warbler, Acrocephalus agricola The forms -colus and -colum are also found, although they are not considered to be correct Latin: deepwater grenadier, Coryphaenoides profundicolus; black-sided flowerpecker, Dicaeum monticolum.[2] clathratus L grated, latticed kelp bass, Paralabrax clathratus; clathrate nassa, Nassarius clathratusslender-armed starfish, Luidia clathrata; latticed sandperch, Parapercis clathrataAllium clathratum, an onion; Vexillum clathratum, a sea snail clathratus – clathrata – clathratum collaris L collared ring-necked duck, Aythya collaris; collared pika, Ochotona collariscollared carpetshark, Parascyllium collare; mottled sand grasshopper, Spharagemon collare collaris – collare communis L common common juniper, Juniperus communis; common myrtle, Myrtus communisstar jelly, Nostoc commune; great golden maidenhair, Polytrichum commune communis – commune compressus L compressus slender, pressed together slender oatgrass, Danthonia compressa; slender crayfish, Faxonius compressusemerald cockroach wasp, Ampulex compressa; empire gudgeon, Hypseleotris compressaDendrobium compressum, an orchid compressus – compressa – compressum concolor L having uniform color throughout cougar, Puma concolor; white fir, Abies concolor conno- G κόννος (kónnos) beard wildebeest, Connochaetes gnou All pages with titles beginning with Conno copros G κόπρος (kópros) excrement Copris, genus of dung beetles;coprophilous, 'growing on animal dung' corax L corvus G κόραξ (kórax) crow, raven common raven, Corvus corax corax cordatus L heart-shaped cordate (leaf shape); small-leaved lime, Tilia cordata; sea potato, Echinocardium cordatum cordatus – cordata – cordatum cordifolius L heart-shaped leaves heartleaf aster, Symphyotrichum cordifolium; heart-leaved moonseed, Tinospora cordifolia; Tucson bur ragweed, Ambrosia cordifolia cordifolius – cordifolia – cordifolium coriaceus L, from corium ("leather") leathery Pajahuello tick, Ornithodoros coriaceus; beach bird's eye, Alectryon coriaceus blue china vine, Holboellia coriacea; leatherback sea turtle, Dermochelys coriaceagreen tea-tree, Leptospermum coriaceum; inland rock orchid, Dendrobium coriaceum coriaceus – coriacea – coriaceum cornu L cornū horn garden snail, Cornu aspersum; great ramshorn, Planorbarius corneus All pages with titles beginning with Cornu coronatus L crowned crowned lemur, Eulemur coronatus; crowned turban shell, Lunella coronata coronatus – coronata – coronatum costatus L ribbed ribbed slipper shell, Maoricrypta costata; striped Raphael catfish, Platydoras costatus costatus – costata – costatum crassus, crassi- L thick, fat creeping blueberry, Vaccinium crassifolium; inflated spiny crab, Rochinia crassa; mouthless crab, Cardisoma crassum crassus – crassa – crassum cristatus L crested aardwolf, Proteles cristatus; blue jay, Cyanocitta cristata; crested wheatgrass, Agropyron cristatum cristatus – cristata – cristatum crocos G κρόκος (krókos) yellow bicoloured white-toothed shrew, Crocidura leucodon; saffron, Crocus sativus; spotted hyena, Crocuta crocuta All pages with titles beginning with croc cryo- G κρύος (krúos) cold Cryogenics All pages with titles beginning with Cryo crypto- G κρυπτός (kruptós) hidden Cryptococcus; Cryptosporidium All pages with titles beginning with Crypto culminicola L summit dweller Elaeocarpus culminicola; Euxoa culminicola; Pinus culminicola, Potosi pinyon All pages with titles containing culminicola cursor L runner, racer cream-colored courser, Cursorius cursor; cursorial akodont, Akodon cursor; Lacépède's ground snake, Erythrolamprus cursor cursor curvirostris L curved beak boxer snipe eel, Nemichthys curvirostris; curve-billed thrasher, Toxostoma curvirostre curvirostris – curvirostre cyano- G κυανός (kuanós) blue-green azure-winged magpie, Cyanopica cyanus; big blue octopus, Octopus cyanea; blue orchid, Aganisia cyanea All pages with titles beginning with Cyano – cyaneus – cyanea – cyaneum Latin/Greek Language English Example Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: dactyl-, dactylo- G δάκτυλος (dáktulos) finger or toe black-legged kittiwake, Rissa tridactyla; Pterodactylus All pages with titles beginning with Dactyl deca-, deka- G δέκα (déka) ten alfonsino, Beryx decadactylus All pages with titles beginning with Deca decem L ten Colorado potato beetle, Leptinotarsa decemlineata delphis G δελφύς (delphús) womb virginia opossum, Didelphis virginiana dendr-, dendri-, dendro-, -dendron, -dendrum G δένδρον (déndron) tree Philodendron, Dendrobium, Rhododendron dendro – dendron – dendrum derma G δέρμα (dérma) skin yellow staining mushroom, Agaricus xanthodermus All pages with titles beginning with Derm di- G δι- (di-) two Christmas orchid, Dipodium punctatum Too common a letter combination for any useful search diffusus L diffundere diffuse diffuse spineflower, Chorizanthe diffusa; fly, Paralimnophila diffusior; rush, Juncus diffusissimus; spreading groundsmoke, Gayophytum diffusum; spreading lupine, Lupinus diffusus; spreading phlox, Phlox diffusa diffusus – diffusa – diffusum – diffusior – diffusissimus digitatus L having fingers finger rush Juncus digitatus; baobab, Adansonia digitata; dead man's fingers, Alcyonium digitatum digitatus – digitata – digitatum dilatatus L dilated, extended dallisgrass, Paspalum dilatatum; Maianthemum dilatatum dilatatus – dilatata – dilatatum dioica L dioicous common nettle, Urtica dioica dioica dino-, deino- G δεινός (deinós) terrifying dinosaur, Deinotherium All pages with titles beginning with Dino diplo- G διπλός (diplós) double two-eyed orange spider, Diploglena capensis All pages with titles beginning with Diplo disc, disk G δίσκος (dískos) disc common fungus moth, Metalectra discalis All pages with titles beginning with Disc – discalis – discale dodeca- G δώδεκα (dṓdeka) twelve Henderson's shootingstar, Dodecatheon hendersonii All pages with titles beginning with Dodeca dolicho- G δολιχός (dolikhós) elongated, long knight anole, Anolis dolichocephalus All pages with titles beginning with Dolicho domesticus L of the house or domestic domestic pig, Sus scrofa domestica;house sparrow, Passer domesticus domesticus – domestica – domesticum dorsum L back back-striped weasel, Mustela strigidorsa All pages with titles beginning with Dors dubius L doubtful little ringed plover, Charadrius dubius see also nomina dubia dubius – dubia dulcis L sweet almond, Prunus dulcis dulcis – dulce dumetorum L, from dumus, "bramble" "of the thickets" Blyth's reed warbler, Acrocephalus dumetorum; bitter yam, Dioscorea dumetorum; coastal green hairstreak, Callophrys dumetorum dumetorum dumicola L scrub dweller Acaena dumicola; Cerbera dumicola; Stegodyphus dumicola, African social spider All pages with titles containing dumicola Latin/Greek Language English Example Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: eburneus L eburneus ivory-colored ivory gull, Pagophila eburnea eburneus – eburnea – eburneum echinatus L prickly, spiny Edisto crayfish, Procambarus echinatus; shortleaf pine, Pinus echinata echinatus – echinata – echinatum echino- L echīnus G ἐχῖνος (ekhînos) hedgehog, sea-urchin great globe thistle, Echinops sphaerocephalus; diadema urchin, Echinothrix diadema; San Pedro cactus, Echinopsis pachanoi All pages with titles beginning with Echino edulis L edible common cockle, Cerastoderma edule; king bolete, Boletus edulis; oyster, Ostrea edulis; passion fruit, Passiflora edulis edulis – edule elatior L taller true oxlip, Primula elatior elatior electro- G ἤλεκτρον (ḗlektron) amber, amber-colored or electric (modern usage) broad-billed motmot, Electron platyrhynchum; electric eel, Electrophorus electricus No simple way to distinguish biological from other uses elegans L elegant crimson rosella, Platycercus elegans ; Granastyochus elegantissimus; Iris iberica subsp. elegantissima; false aralia, Plerandra elegantissima; Caecum elegantissimum elegans – elegantissimus – elegantissima – elegantissimum emarginatus L having no edges Phongolo suckermouth, Chiloglanis emarginatus; Gibraltar sea lavender, Limonium emarginatum; acerola, Malpighia emarginata; bitter cherry, Prunus emarginata emarginatus – emarginata – emarginatum enanti- G ἐναντίος (enantíos) opposite, against Enantiornithes All pages with titles beginning with Enantio ennea- G ἐννέα (ennéa) nine banded sunfish Enneacanthus obesus; scurvy-grass sorrel, Oxalis enneaphylla All pages with titles beginning with Ennea ensatus L sword-like California giant salamander, Dicamptodon ensatus ensatus – ensata – ensatum ensis, ensi- L sword, lance jackknife clam, Ensis minor; swordleaf rush, Juncus ensifolius All pages with titles beginning with Ensi – ensiformis -ensis L of, from (a place) Tadarida brasiliensis (Brazilian free-tailed bat); Lucy, Australopithecus afarensis eques L knight, horseman North Atlantic codling, Lepidion eques ; western horse lubber grasshopper, Taeniopoda eques; leafy seadragon, Phycodurus equesAspergillus equitis; Cygnus equitum; Hoheria equitum eques erectus L upright Homo erectus ("upright man"); upright chickweed, Moenchia erecta erectus – erecta – erectum erio- G ἔριον (érion) wool, woolly common cottongrass, Eriophorum angustifolium All pages with titles beginning with Erio erosus L indented, jagged, serrated jícama, Pachyrhizus erosus; serrated hinge-back tortoise, Kinixys erosa erosus – erosa – erosum erythro- G ἐρυθρός (eruthrós) red[3] spotted redshank, Tringa erythropus; dog's-tooth violet, Erythronium dens-canis All pages with titles beginning with Erythro esculentus L edible edible frog, Pelophylax kl. esculentus; Gyromitra esculenta esculentus esculenta esculentum europaeus L European European hedgehog, Erinaceus europaeus; European owl moth, Brahmaea europaea europaeus – europaea – europaeum Euryops G wide-eyed euryops, plant genus; Goiter blacksmelt, Bathylagus euryops euryops excelsus L exalted African teak, Milicia excelsa; excelsior cone, Conus excelsus excelsus – excelsa – excelsum exiguus L small, slight scanty frog, Cophixalus exiguus; tongue louse, Cymothoa exigua; obese thorn snail, Carychium exiguum exiguus – exigua – exiguum Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: fallax L false false swift, Borbo fallax; green marvel, Acronicta fallax fallax falx L sickle sickle milkvetch, Astragalus falcatus; sickle-leaved hare's-ear, Bupleurum falcatum; sicklethorn, Asparagus falcatus; wild pear, Persoonia falcata falcatus – falcata – falcatum – falciformis – falx familiaris L domestic, common, familiar dog, Canis lupus familiaris felis L cat black-footed cat, Felis nigripes; cat flea, Ctenocephalides felis felinus L cat-like, feline cat gecko, Aeluroscalabotes felinus; marine otter, Lontra felina felinus – felina – felinum -fer L -bearing western honey bee, Apis mellifera; coconut, Cocos nucifera ferox L ferocious, wild, bold long snouted lancetfish, Alepisaurus ferox; fossa, Cryptoprocta ferox ferox ferus L wild wild horse, Equus ferus; wild Bactrian camel, Camelus ferus ferus – fera – ferum ferrugo L rust ferruginous swift, Borbo ferruginea; reddish-brown corky spine fungus, Hydnellum ferrugineum; rusty bloodwood, Corymbia ferruginea; rusty parrotfish, Scarus ferrugineus; rusty pitohui, Pseudorectes ferrugineus ferrugineus – ferruginea – ferrugineum fidelis L faithful faithful sea slug, Goniobranchus fidelis; faithful leafcutting bee, Megachile fidelis; Pacific sideband, Monadenia fidelis fidelis filum L thread desert fan palm, Washingtonia filifera; thread fern, Blechnum filiforme; thread-leaved sundew, Drosera filiformis filifer – filifera – filiformis – filiforme fimbriatus L fringed, fibrous Coomsaharn char, Salvelinus fimbriatus; crested gliding lizard, Draco fimbriatustrumpet cup lichen, Cladonia fimbriata; fringed jumping spider, Portia fimbriatafringed earthstar, Geastrum fimbriatum; gang-gang cockatoo, Callocephalon fimbriatum fimbriatus – fimbriata – fimbriatum flavus L golden yellow, light yellow yellow pitcher plant, Sarracenia flava; yellow-necked mouse, Apodemus flavicollis flavus – flava – flavum floridus L flowery blue palo verde, Parkinsonia florida; floral banded wobbegong, Orectolobus floridus floridus – floridum flor- L flos flower southern magnolia, Magnolia grandiflora; great white trillium, Trillium grandiflorum All pages with titles beginning with flori fodiens L fodere digging burying beetle, Nicrophorus defodiens; burying beetle, Nicrophorus infodiens; Eurasian water shrew, Neomys fodiens; lowland burrowing tree frog, Smilisca fodiens folium L leaf Foliicolous, 'growing on leaves'; American beech, Fagus grandifolia; broad-leaved sermountain, Laserpitium latifolium; Chinese elm, Ulmus parvifolia; Joshua tree, Yucca brevifolia; upright snottygobble, Persoonia longifolia formosanus L fōrmōsānus from Taiwan (formerly called Formosa) Formosan black bear, Ursus thibetanus formosanus; Formosan subterranean termite, Coptotermes formosanusTaiwan flower mantis, Acromantis formosana; Taiwanese sweet gum, Liquidambar formosanared quinoa, Chenopodium formosanum; Taiwan saddled carpetshark, Cirrhoscyllium formosanum formosanus – formosana – formosanum formosus L fōrmōsus (well-)formed, beautiful beautiful bronzeback tree snake, Dendrelaphis formosus; Asian arowana, Scleropages formosusBaikal teal, Sibirionetta formosa; least killifish, Heterandria formosagiant maidenhair, Adiantum formosum; beautiful giant-flowered dendrobium, Dendrobium formosum formosus – formosa – formosum fragilis L frangere breakable brittle bladder-fern, Cystopteris fragilis; brittle willow, Salix × fragilis; candy cap, Lactarius fragilis; Dientamoeba fragilis; dead man's fingers, Codium fragile; fragile wart frog, Limnonectes fragilis fragilis fructus L fruit Aspergillus fructus, a fungus species; fructose, fruit sugar; fructicolous, 'growing on fruit' fuliginosus L sooty jet black ant, Lasius fuliginosus; ruby tiger, Phragmatobia fuliginosa; sooty hairstreak, Satyrium fuliginosum; sooty milkcap, Lactarius fuliginosus fuliginosus – fuliginosa – fuliginosum fulvus L deep yellow, tawny Pacific golden plover, Pluvialis fulva; sulphur leather coral, Rhytisma fulvum; tawny grisette, Amanita fulva; yellow ground squirrel, Spermophilus fulvus fulvus – fulva – fulvum furcatus L forked forked viburnum, Viburnum furcatum; forked wormwood, Artemisia furcata; swallow-tailed gull, Creagrus furcatus furcatus – furcata – furcatum fuscus L dark, dark brown dusky hopping mouse, Notomys fuscus; dusky pitcher-plant, Nepenthes fusca; rusty peat moss, Sphagnum fuscum; sooty tern, Sterna fuscata fuscus – fusca – fuscum Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: gala, galum G γάλα (gála) milk soap plants, Chlorogalum garrulus L chattering, talkative Garrulus, a genus of jays; Bohemian waxwing, Bombycilla garrulus Eupithecia garrula, an inchworm moth; chestnut-winged chachalaca, Ortalis garrula Chelostoma garrulum, a carder bee; Omicron garrulum, a potter wasp garrulus – garrula – garrulum gaster, gastro-, gastr- L gaster G γαστήρ (gastḗr) belly common fruit fly, Drosophila melanogaster; Gastropoda geo- G γαῖα, γῆ (gê) Earth Conus geographus, geography cone; Geotrichum giganteus L giant giganteus (a sea snail); Aldabra giant tortoise, Aldabrachelys gigantea giganteus – gigantea – giganteum gigas G γίγας giant Humboldt squid, Dosidicus gigas; snow morel, Gyromitra gigas; cœur de la mer, Entada gigas All pages with titles containing gigas glaber L glaber smooth; hairless[4] naked mole-rat, Heterocephalus glaber; smooth sumac, Rhus glabra; Omphiscola glabra (a snail) glaber – glabra – glabrum glacialis L found in glaciers North Atlantic right whale, Eubalaena glacialis; glacier wormwood, Artemisia glacialis glacier lantern fish, Benthosema glaciale; Endocellion glaciale, a daisy glacialis – glaciale glandulosus L having kernels Tasmanian laurel, Anopterus glandulosus, Basilan Island caecilian, Ichthyophis glandulosus; honey mesquite, Prosopis glandulosa, warty jumping-slug, Hemphillia glandulosa; skunk currant, Ribes glandulosum, glandulosus – glandulosa – glandulosum glaucus L glaucus G γλαυκός (glaukós) blue-green, blue-gray, gleaming silvery blue butterfly, Lepidochrysops glauca; Glaucidae, nudibranch family glaucus – glauca – glaucum glutinosus L glutinosus sticky common alder, Alnus glutinosa; viscid black earth tongue, Glutinoglossum glutinosum; northern slimy salamander, Plethodon glutinosus glutinosus – glutinosa – glutinosum glyco-, glycy-, glyc- G γλυκύς (glukús) sweet liquorice, Glycyrrhiza glabra; soybean, Glycine max gonatista G γονατιστα kneeling lichen mimic, Gonatista grisea gonatista gracilis, gracile L slender, graceful western spotted skunk, Spilogale gracilis; slough darter, Etheostoma gracile; Gracilisuchus gracilis – gracile gracilipes L grăcĭlĭpes[5] slender-footed slender frog, Austrochaperina gracilipes; slender-legged bushfrog, Gracixalus gracilipes; slenderstalk monkeyflower, Mimulus gracilipes; slimfoot century plant, Agave gracilipes gracilipes graniticus L granite granite claw flower, Calothamnus graniticus; granite poverty bush, Eremophila granitica; granite serpentweed, Tonestus graniticus graniticus – granitica – graniticum graveolens L gravis strong-smelling common rue, Ruta graveolens; lippia, Lippia graveolens graveolens gregarius L gregārius, from grex (“flock, herd”) sociable sociable lapwing, Vanellus gregarius; goldfish plant, Nematanthus gregarius; desert locust, Schistocerca gregaria; Leptospermum gregarium, an Australian myrtle gregarius – gregaria – gregarium griseus L (a Neo-Latin loanword from Germanic) grey desert monitor, Varanus griseus; bluntnose sixgill shark, Hexanchus griseus; parent bug, Elasmucha grisea; lichen mimic, Gonatista griseapaperbark maple, Acer griseum; white-banded house jumping spider, Hypoblemum griseum griseus – grisea – griseum groenlandicus L from Greenland (Old Norse Grœnland) harp seal, Pagophilus groenlandicus; spiny lobster, Lebbeus groenlandicusArctic woolly bear moth, Gynaephora groenlandica; elephanthead lousewort, Pedicularis groenlandicabog Labrador tea, Rhododendron groenlandicum groenlandicus – groenlandica – groenlandicum gyrino-, gyrinus G γυρῖνος (gurînos) tadpole spring salamander, Gyrinophilus porphyriticus; e.g. Crassigyrinus, Proterogyrinus Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: haema-, hema- G αἷμα (haîma) blood Haemosporida; Bacteria sp., Haemophilus influenzae, House finch, Haemorhous mexicanus hali-, halio- G ἅλς (háls) of the sea, salt Steller's sea eagle, Haliaeetus pelagicus; grey seal, Halichoerus grypus; black abalone, Haliotis cracherodii hamatus L hooked Slender-billed kite, Helicolestes hamatus ; Ruitersbos pincushion, Leucospermum hamatum; Dark Tiger (butterfly) Tirumala hamata hamatus – hamatum – hamata haplo- G ἁπλόος (haplóos) simple, single mountain beaver, Aplodontia rufa; Mongolosaurus haplodon hedra- G ἕδρα (hédra) seat, facet Chinese ephedra, Ephedra sinica helio- G ἥλιος (hḗlios) sun sunflower, Helianthus annuus; sun spurge, Euphorbia helioscopia hemisphaerica G half-sphere sand laurel oak, Quercus hemisphaerica, sulphur rose, Rosa hemisphaerica Hemisphaerica hetero- G diversely or different melancholy thistle, Cirsium heterophyllum, Leucanthemum heterophyllum, Smith's cress, Lepidium heterophyllum heterophyllum hexa- G ἕξ (héx) six water primrose, Ludwigia hexapetala hibernicus L from Ireland Irish whitebeam, Sorbus hibernica; Atlantic ivy, Hedera hibernica; Southern bristletail, Dilta hibernica; Irish hare, Lepus timidus hibernicus; Mycobacterium hiberniae; Pisidium hiberniae hibernicus hiberniae – hibernicus – hibernicum – hibernica hibridus L hybrid butterbur, Petasites hybridus, brown spider monkey, Ateles hybridus; kelp goose, Chloephaga hybrida; alsike clover, Trifolium hybridum; hibridus – hybridus – hibrida – hybrida – hibridum – hybridum hippo- G ἵππος (híppos) horse seahorse, Hippocampus; lesser horseshoe bat, Rhinolophus hipposideros hirsutus L hairy hairy bittercress, Cardamine hirsuta; hairy fruit-eating bat, Artibeus hirsutus; hairy St John's-wort, Hypericum hirsutum hirsutus – hirsuta – hirsutum hispidus L rough, shaggy, bristly, prickly banded coral shrimp, Stenopus hispidus; shaggy bracket, Inonotus hispidusringed seal, Pusa hispida; wax gourd, Benincasa hispidabristly starbur, Acanthospermum hispidum; white butterfly triggerplant, Stylidium hispidum hispidus – hispida – hispidum homo L human, man modern human, Homo sapiens; Neanderthal, Homo neanderthalensis hortensis L hortus from the garden broad-leaved anemone, Anemone hortensis; garden orache, Atriplex hortensis; Mexican longwing, Heliconius hortense; Orphean warbler, Sylvia hortensis hortensis – hortense humilis L low, small, humble Mediterranean dwarf palm, Chamaerops humilis; Talaud flying fox, Acerodon humilisArgentine ant, Linepithema humile; Italian jasmine, Jasminum humile humilis – humile hydro- G ὕδωρ, ὑδρο- (húdōr, hudro-) water Chinese water deer, Hydropotes inermis; capybara, Hydrochoerus hydrochaeris hyemalis L hiems winter dark-eyed junco, Junco hyemalis; winter aconite, Eranthis hyemalisrough horsetail, Equisetum hyemale; putty root, Aplectrum hyemaleMucor hiemalis and Hebeloma hiemale, both fungi hyemalis – hyemale – hiemalis – hiemale hyper- G ὑπέρ (hupér) over, above St John's wort, Hypericum perforatum hyperboreus G ὑπέρ Βορέᾱ (hupér Boréā) from the Arctic region (Hyperborea) glaucous gull, Larus hyperboreus; tundra fleabane, Erigeron hyperboreus tangle or cuvie, Laminaria hyperborea; estuary beggarsticks, Bidens hyperboreaboreal bur-reed, Sparganium hyperboreum; boreal haircap moss, Polytrichum hyperboreum hyperboreus – hyperborea – hyperboreum hypo-, hyp- G ὑπό (hupó) under, beneath zebra pleco catfish, Hypancistrus zebra; common cat's-ear, Hypochaeris radicata Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: iliacus L having a distinctive flank redwing, Turdus iliacus; Etaxalus iliacus, a beetlefox sparrow, Passerella iliaca; Rhytiphora iliaca, a beetle iliacus – iliaca imbricatus L tiled Mountain owl's-clover, Orthocarpus imbricatus imbricatus – imbricata – imbricatum indicus L Indian Malaysian tapir, Tapirus indicus indicus – indica – indicum inaequalis L unequal variable ladybird, Coelophora inaequalis inaequalis – inaequale inedulis L inedible fungus, Caloboletus inedulis inedulis – inedule inermis L unarmed, defenceless water deer, Hydropotes inermis; henna tree, Lawsonia inermisturkey-berry, Canthium inerme; white milkwood, Sideroxylon inerme inermis – inerme ingratus L offensive See Ingrata ingrata – ingratus – ingratum innotatus L unmarked unmarked dagger moth, Acronicta innotata innotata irregularis L unusual or irregular variable burrowing asp, Atractaspis irregularis; viper's bugloss, Hadena irregularis irregularis – irregulare japonicus L Japanese food wrapper plant, Mallotus japonicus; Japanese pagoda tree, Styphnolobium japonicum; Japanese spiraea, Spiraea japonica; see also nipponensis japonicus – japonica – japonicum jubatus L iubātus having a mane, crested cheetah, Acinonyx jubatus; Steller sea lion, Eumetopias jubatuspurple pampas grass, Cortaderia jubata; maned forest lizard, Bronchocela jubatafoxtail barley, Hordeum jubatum; Piptochaetium jubatum, a speargrass species jubatus – jubata – jubatum kentuckiensis L from Kentucky Kentucky lady's slipper, Cypripedium kentuckiense; Kentucky lichen moth, Cisthene kentuckiensis kentuckiensis – kentuckiense Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: lact- L lac milk, sap, milky white Chinese peony, Paeonia lactiflora; milk-caps, Lactifluus; Lactophrys; Aspalathus lactea laetus L pleasant, bright Crombrugghia laetus, scarce light plume moth; Myoporum laetum, mousehole tree; Parhelophilus laetus laetus – laetum laevis L smooth red-eyed assassin bug, Platymeris laevicollis; smooth bedstraw, Cruciata laevipes All pages with titles containing Laevis lagus G λαγώς (lagṓs) hare European rabbit, Oryctolagus cuniculus; viscachas, Lagidium spp. lancea L lance sculptured seamoth, Pegasus lancifer; swamp lousewort, Pedicularis lanceolata lateralis L side black-flanked rock-wallaby, Petrogale lateralis lapponicus L from Lapland/Sápmi (Neo-Latin Lapponia) Lapland longspur, Calcarius lapponicus; Lapland mountain sorrel, Rumex lapponicusbar-tailed godwit, Limosa lapponica; pincushion plant, Diapensia lapponicaLapland rosebay, Rhododendron lapponicum; Lapland poppy, Papaver lapponicum lapponicus –

lapponica – lapponicum latus L flank; broad horse-eye jack, Caranx latus; wideleaf waterparsnip, Sium latifolium; wych elm, Ulmus glabra 'Latifolia Aurea' laxus L wide, yielding American globeflower, Trollius laxus; Cyperus laxus, a sedgeflowering grass, Freesia laxa; tufted forget-me-not, Myosotis laxaBredasdorp conebush, Leucadendron laxum; false lily turf, Chlorophytum laxum laxus – laxa – laxum lepidus L pleasant, pleasing, charming rock rattlesnake, Crotalus lepidus; ocellated lizard, Timon lepidusdesert woodrat, Neotoma lepida; embossed hawthorn buprestid, Dicerca lepidagreenthroat darter, Etheostoma lepidum; Leccinellum lepidum, a bolete lepidus – lepida – lepidum lepis, lepido- G λεπίς (lepís) scale, rind, husk, flake large-scale mullet, Liza macrolepis; Lepidoptera lepto-, lepti- G λεπτός (leptós) light Leptictidium auderiense, Leptospira kirschneri lepus L hare black-tailed jackrabbit, Lepus californicus leuco-, leuc- G λευκός (leukós) white white-winged tern, Chlidonias leucopterus leucocephalus G white-headed bald eagle, Haliaeetus leucocephalus; white-crowned pigeon, Patagioenas leucocephala; white-headed marsh tyrant, Arundinicola leucocephala; white-headed stilt, Himantopus leucocephalus; also see albiceps leucocephalus – leucocephala – leucocephalum leucodon G white-toothed bicolored shrew, Crocidura leucodon; lesser mole-rat, Spalax leucodon; white-toothed cowry, Cypraea leucodon; white-toothed woodrat, Neotoma leucodon; also see albidens leucodon leucurus G white-tailed white-tailed ptarmigan, Lagopus leucura; white-tailed robin, Cinclidium leucurum; white-tailed stonechat, Saxicola leucurus leucurus – leucura – leucurum lignum L wood Guaiacum, lignum-vitae; Vitex lignum-vitae, yellow hollywood tree; lignicolous, 'growing on wood'; Lignum nephriticum limosus L muddy limosa harlequin frog, Atelopus limosus; mud amnicola, Amnicola limosus limosus – limosa – limosum lineatus L lined or striped thirteen-lined ground squirrel, Ictidomys tridecemlineatus; Colorado potato beetle, Leptinotarsa decemlineata lobos L lobus G λοβός (lobós) lobe three-lobe buttercup, Ranunculus trilobus longi- L longus long frog shark, Somniosus longus, galingale, Cyperus longus; Turmeric, Curcuma longa; Long pepper, Piper longum, longus – longa – longum –All pages with titles beginning with longi longicaudatus L long-tailed long-tailed pygmy rice rat, Oligoryzomys longicaudatus; longtail catfish, Olyra longicaudata; longtail tadpole shrimp Triops longicaudatus longicaudatus – longicaudata – longicaudatum longicollis L long-necked eastern long-necked turtle, Chelodina longicollis longicollis – longicolle longifolius L long-leaved long-leaf persoonia, Persoonia longifolia; long-leaf wild buckwheat, Eriogonum longifolium; long-leaved butterwort, Pinguicula longifolia; longleaf bush lupine, Lupinus longifolius; longleaf sunflower, Helianthus longifolius longifolius – longifolia – longifolium longirostris L long beak longbeak buttercup, Ranunculus longirostris; longsnout blacksmelt, Dolicholagus longirostris longirostris – longirostre luctuosus L sorrowful, mournful forget-me-not bug, Sehirus luctuosus; white-shouldered tanager, Tachyphonus luctuosus; four-spotted moth, Tyta luctuosa luctuosus – luctuosa – luctuosum luminosus L glowing cucubano, Ignelater luminuosus; New Zealand glowworm, Arachnocampa luminosa; striped flying squid, Eucleoteuthis luminosa luminosus – luminuosa – luminuosum luteus L yellow, saffron-colored yellow mariposa lily, Calochortus luteus; yellow vetch, Vicia lutea; red-billed leiothrix, Leiothrix lutea luteus – lutea – luteum Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: macro- G μακρός (makrós) long, large big-headed mole rat, Tachyoryctes macrocephalus; rock onion, Allium macrum; sea snail, Turbonilla macra macra – macrum macroura G long-tailed hooded skunk, Mephitis macroura macroura maculatus L spotted tiger quoll, Dasyurus maculatus; spotted sandpiper, Actitis macularius maculatus – maculata – maculatum madagascariensis L from Madagascar Madagascar day gecko, Phelsuma madagascariensis madagascariensis; Malagasy ground boa, Acrantophis madagascariensis; Malagasy tree boa, Sanzinia madagascariensis; Madagascar fruit-bat argasid, Ornithodoros madagascariensis madagascariensis magnus L great, large streaked spiderhunter, Arachnothera magna magnus – magna – magnum major L greater great tit, Parus major malabaricus L from Malabar chestnut-tailed starling, Sturnia malabaricus marginatus L bordered gold edge Japanese euonymus, Euonymus japonicus 'Aureomarginatus' ; marginated tortoise, Testudo marginata marginatus – marginata – marginatum maritima L of the sea sea beet, Beta vulgaris subsp. maritima; samphire, Crithmum maritimum, sea holly, Eryngium maritimum; polar bear, Ursus maritimus, sea rush, Juncus maritimus, maritima – maritimum – maritimus mauretanicus L from Mauretania (the Maghreb, northwest Africa) Balearic shearwater, Puffinus mauretanicus; Moroccan hairstreak, Tomares mauretanicusAdscita mauretanica, a moth; Marginella mauretanica, a sea snail mauretanicus – mauretanica – mauretanicum mauro- G μαυρός (maurós) dark, black dark shrew, Crocidura maurisca maximus L largest royal tern, Thalasseus maximus mega- G μέγας (mégas) large, great megalodon shark, Otodus megalodon megacephalus G big-headed Andriyashev large-headed sculpin, Andriashevicottus megacephalus; big-head rush, Juncus megacephalus; big-headed ant, Pheidole megacephala; big-headed tiger beetle, Megacephala megacephala; coastal plain hawkweed, Hieracium megacephalum; large-headed rice rat, Hylaeamys megacephalus megacephalus – megacephala – megacephalum mel L honey black sage, Salvia mellifera; Nephelium melliferum; western honey bee, Apis mellifera melano- G μελανός (melanós) black black-browed albatross, Thalassarche melanophris melanus – melana melanocephalus G black-headed black-headed fleabane, Erigeron melanocephalus; black-headed snake, Tantilla melanocephala; ghost ant, Tapinoma melanocephalum melanocephalus – melanocephala – melanocephalum melanophyllus G black-leaved Melanophylla; Melanophyllum melanophyllus – melanophylla – melanophyllum melanops G black-eyed, black-faced black-eyed blue, Glaucopsyche melanops; black-fronted dotterel, Elseyornis melanops; gray spiny mouse, Scolomys melanops melanops mephitis L bad odor striped skunk, Mephitis mephitis; yellow-pigmented bacteria, Luteimonas mephitis meridionalis L southern southern oak bush cricket, Meconema meridionale; Andean blueberry, Vaccinium meridionalesouthern mammoth, Mammuthus meridionalis; Zimbabwe grey baboon tarantula, Ceratogyrus meridionalis meridionale – meridionalis micro- G μικρός (mikrós) small littleleaf pussytoes, Antennaria microphylla microphyllus G small-leaved baby sage, Salvia microphylla; boxleaf azara, Azara microphylla; littleleaf box, Buxus microphylla; littleleaf mock-orange, Philadelphus microphyllus; small-leaf climbing fern, Lygodium microphyllum microphyllus – microphylla – microphyllum minimus L smallest least flycatcher, Empidonax minimus minor L smaller great frigatebird, Fregata minor minuta L small dwarf waterclover, Marsilea minuta, little cuckoo, Coccycua minuta; little gull, Hydrocoloeus minutus, harvest mouse, Micromys minutus; little willowherb, Epilobium minutum, minuta – minutus – minutum mitra LG headband, turban or mitre Mitra spp., mitre shells; Gyromitra esculenta, false morel; Psittacara mitratus, mitred conure; Presbytis mitrata, mitered langur All pages with titles beginning with Mitra – mitratus – mitrata – mitratum monile L necklace Conus monilifer mono- G μόνος (mónos) single Swinhoe's storm-petrel, Oceanodroma monorhis; Monotreme monoica L monoicous the sandpaper saucer-berry, Cordia monoica monoica monospermus L Having a single sperm cell one-seed juniper Juniperus monosperma monospermus – monosperma – monospermum monspeliensis L from Montpellier Montpellier cistus, Cistus monspeliensis monspeliensis – monspessulanus – monspessulana – monspessulanum montanus L mons of the mountains mountain bottlebrush, Melaleuca montana; mountain mahogany, Cercocarpus montanus; mountain thistle, Acanthus montanus; tree sparrow, Passer montanus montanus morpho- G μορφή (morphḗ) shape Menelaus blue morpho, Morpho menelaus mus, mys L mūs G μῦς (mûs) mouse house mouse, Mus musculus; as rodent, e.g. Phoberomys, Telicomys mulgere G to milk European nightjar, Caprimulgus europaeus Caprimulgus muralis L growing on the wall annual wall-rocket Diplotaxis muralis, Psammophiliella muralis Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: naevius L having moles or spots varied thrush, Ixoreus naevius; spotted salamander, Hynobius naeviusstriped cuckoo, Tapera naevia; common grasshopper warbler, Locustella naeviaspotted oncidium, Oncidium naevium; Cyrtidium naevium, a fungus naevius – naevia – naevium nanos G νᾶνος (nânos) L nanus dwarf brown-capped woodpecker, Dendrocopos nanus; dwarf birch, Betula nana; dwarf shrew, Sorex nanus nanus natans L floating Water caltrop, Trapa natans neomexicanus L from New Mexico New Mexico whiptail, Aspidoscelis neomexicanus;New Mexican yucca, Yucca neomexicana;New Mexico thistle, Cirsium neomexicanum neomexicanus – neomexicana – neomexicanum niger, nigr- L black black skimmer, Rynchops niger; black pine, Pinus nigra; black softshell turtle, Nilssonia nigricans; black-footed albatross, Phoebastria nigripes; black-spined Atlantic tree-rat, Phyllomys nigrispinus See also: ater nigra – nigras – nigrus – nigrum – nigrescens nippon(ensis) L from Japan (natively known as Nippon) freshwater shrimp, Macrobrachium nipponense; Japanese bobtail squid, Sepiolina nipponensis; Sika deer, Cervus nippon; Crested ibis, Nipponia nippon See also: japonicus nipponensis – nipponense – nippon nitidus L nitere shining Baja cape kingsnake, Lampropeltis getula nitida; Mauritius blue pigeon, Alectroenas nitidissima; shining pea clam, Pisidium nitidum; shining tree iguana, Liolaemus nitidus nitidus – nitida – nitidum nix L snow snow buckwheat, Eriogonum niveum; snow bunting, Plectrophenax nivalis; snow petrel, Pagodroma nivea; snow sheep Ovis nivicola; snowy plover, Charadrius nivosus; snowy primrose, Primula nivalis; snowy sunflower, Helianthus niveus; nivalis – niveus – nivea – niveum – nivosus nonus L ninth honey fungus, Armillaria nabsnona norvegicus L from Norway Norway lobster, Nephrops norvegicus; brown rat, Rattus norvegicus; rose fish, Sebastes norvegicus; Northern krill, Meganyctiphanes norvegica; highland cudweed, Gnaphalium norvegicum; norvegicus – norvegica – norvegicum nothos G νόθος (nóthos) L nothus false, wrong bluefin notho killifish, Nothobranchius rachovii; New Zealand red beech, Nothofagus fusca noton G νῶτον (nôton) back black-backed antshrike, Thamnophilus melanonotus notos G νότος (nótos) southern fawn hopping mouse, Notomys cervinus novaeangliae L from New England humpback whale, Megaptera novaeangliae; Sphaerophoria novaeangliae, a syrphid flyNew England boneset, Eupatorium novae-angliae; New England aster, Symphyotrichum novae-angliae novaeangliae – novae-angliae novaehollandiae L from New Holland (Australia) emu, Dromaius novaehollandiae; New Holland rattlepod, Crotalaria novae-hollandiae; Sepia novaehollandiae, a cuttlefish novaehollandiae – novae-hollandiae novaeseelandiae L from New Zealand southern boobook, Ninox novaeseelandiaeNew Zealand scallop, Pecten novaezelandiaeyellow-dabbled flounder, Brachypleura novaezeelandiaeNew Zealand horned orchid, Orthoceras novae-zeelandiaered bidibid, Acaena novae-zelandiae novaeseelandiae – novae-zelandiae – novae-zeelandiae – novaezeelandiae – novaezelandiae noveboracensis L from New York (Novum Eboracum) margined carrion beetle, Oiceoptoma noveboracense; New York fern, Thelypteris noveboracensis; northern waterthrush, Seiurus noveboracensis noveboracensis – noveboracense novem L nine nine-banded armadillo, Dasypus novemcinctus; nine-spotted lady beetle, Coccinella novemnotata nucifera L bearing nuts butter-nut of Guiana, Caryocar nuciferum; coconut, Cocos nucifera All pages with titles containing nucifera nutans L nodding nodding madia, Harmonia nutans; nodding spurge, Euphorbia nutans nutans Latin/Greek Language English Example Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: obscurus L dark dark bolo mouse, Necromys obscurus; dusky dolphin, Lagenorhynchus obscurus; obscure morning glory, Ipomoea obscura; rare clubmoss, Lycopodium obscurum obscurus – obscura – obscurum obsoletus L obsolete, degenerate Pantherophis obsoletus; Great Plains skink, Plestiodon obsoletus obsoletus – obsoletum occidentalis L western eastern arborvitae, Thuja occidentalis; western clover, Trifolium occidentale occidentalis – occidentale ocean G ὠκεανός (ōkeanós) ocean oceanic gecko, Gehyra oceanica;Mediterranean tapeweed, Posidonia oceanica oceanicus – oceanica octo-, octa- G ὀκτω- ὀκτα- eight common octopus, Octopus vulgaris -odon, -odus G ὀδών (odṓn), ὀδούς (odoús) tooth Dimetrodon, Rhizodus oeso- G οἰσέμεν (oisémen), οἰσ- carry Oesophagostomum officinalis L for the workshop; medicinal ginger, Zingiber officinale;rosemary, Rosmarinus officinalis officinalis – officinale oleraceus L used as a vegetable cabbage, broccoli, kale, Brussels sprouts, and so on, Brassica oleracea; common sowthistle, Sonchus oleraceus oleraceus – oleracea – oleraceum oleum, olearis L oil Omphalotus olearius, jack o'lantern mushroom ommato- G ὀμμά (ómma), gen. ὀμμάτος (ómmatos) eye Ommatokoita, Ommatochila, Ommatospila All pages with titles beginning with Ommato ophis G ὄφις (óphis) serpent Carphophis vermis, western wormsnake ophrys G ὀφρύς (ophrús) eyebrow bee orchid, Ophrys; Central American bushmaster, Lachesis stenophrys Melanophrys, fly genus; Cyanophrys, butterfly genus All pages with titles beginning with Ophry -ophthalmus G ὀφθαλμός (ophthalmós) eye common rudd, Scardinius erythrophthalmus; Ariosoma ophidiophthalmus, an eel; Spanish ling, Molva macrophthalma; Hippopsicon macrophthalmum, a beetle; Cyprinion microphthalmum, a fish; gold-eye lichen, Teloschistes chrysophthalmus ops G ὤψ (ṓps) face, eye Triceratops -opsis G ὄψις (ópsis) resembling Carolina parakeet, Conuropsis carolinensis orientalis L eastern Oriental cockroach, Blatta orientalis orientalis – orientale ortho- G ὀρθός (orthós) straight Orthoptera oryza G ὄρυζα (óruza) rice Asian rice, Oryza sativa; rice rats, Oryzomys ovatus L egg-shaped shagbark hickory, Carya ovata ovatus – ovata – ovatum Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: pachy- G παχύς (pakhús) thick, stout Pachycephalosaurus palaemon G Παλαίμων (Palaímōn) Palaemon, a sea god whose name means "wrestler" Palaemon, crustacean genus; chequered skipper, Carterocephalus palaemonPalaemonias, Palaemonella and Palaemonetes, shrimp genera palaemon pallidus L pale Dalmatian iris, Iris pallida pallidus – pallida – pallidum palustris L paluster of the marsh mugger crocodile, Crocodylus palustris; marsh marigold, Caltha palustris; Sphagnurus paluster, mushroom; palustris – paluster – palustre – palustrium pan- panto- G πᾶν (pân) all Pancratium (a flower); Pangaea paradoxus L, from G παράδοξος (parádoxos) contrary to expectation, strange, uncharacteristic Pallas's sandgrouse, Syrrhaptes paradoxus, puzzle sunflower, Helianthus paradoxusghost mantis, Phyllocrania paradoxa, paradoxical frog, Pseudis paradoxagreen-banded broodsac, Leucochloridium paradoxum, few-flowered garlic, Allium paradoxum paradoxus – paradoxa – paradoxum parilis L equal Syngrapha parilis, a moth; Metasphenisca parilis, a fruit flyNephroma parile, a fungus; Malmesbury pincushion, Leucospermum parile parilis – parile parviflorus L small-flowered small-flowered mallow, Malva parviflora; thimbleberry, Rubus parviflorus parviflorus – parviflora – parviflorum parvifolius L small-leaved Chinese elm, Ulmus parvifolia; littleleaf ceanothus, Ceanothus parvifolius; small-leaved lomatium, Lomatium parvifolium parvifolius – parvifolia – parvifolium parvus L small dwarf catshark, Asymbolus parvus; mountain pygmy possum, Burramys parvus; small onion, Allium parvum parvus – parvum pecten L comb Venus comb murex, Murex pecten ped L pēs foot showy lady slipper, Cypripedium reginae pelagicus L, G πελαγικός of the open sea pelagic cormorant, Phalacrocorax pelagicus pelagicus – pelagica – pelagicum penn- L penna feather, wing Darwin's rhea, Rhea pennata; great auk, Pinguinus impennis penta- G πέντε (pénte) five five-fingered skink, Chalcides pentadactylus petro- G πέτρα (pétra), L petra rock, stone Roberts's flat-headed bat, Sauromys petrophilus; rock daisy, Erigeron petrophilus phago- G ἔφαγον eat African scat (fish), Scatophagus tetracanthus; Ichthyophaga, the ("fish-eating") sea eagle phalloides G like a phallus Amanita phalloides, the death cap, a poisonous basidiomycete fungus species phenolicus L able to degrade phenol Pseudoalteromonas phenolica phenolicus – phenolica – phenolicum philippinensis L from the Philippines katmon tree, Dillenia philippinensis; Philippine cobra, Naja philippinensis pholis G φολίς (pholís) horny scale bluespotted grouper, Cephalopholis argus phyllo- G φύλλον (phúllon) leaf garden lupin, Lupinus polyphyllus physi- G φύσις (phúsis) nature Symphysia ("naturally joined") (a plant)[6] phyto- G φυτόν (phutón) plant Astrophytum, Astrophytum myriostigma (a cactus); epiphyte pictus L painted Pimelodus pictus, a catfish; painted skipper, Hesperilla picta; painted tunicate, Clavelina picta; Abutilon pictum, a shrub pictus – picta – pictum platy- G πλατύς (platús) flat and broad flathead trout, Salmo platycephalus; platypus pleio- G larger, greater in quantity Pleiogynium timoriense, Burdekin plum, sweet plum, tulip plum;pleiotropy, (a gene) exhibiting multiple phenotypic expression plicatilis L flexible, pliable fan-aloe, Kumara plicatilis; lobed river mullet, Cestraeus plicatilisDendrobium plicatile, an orchid; Cormohipparion plicatile, an extinct horse plicatilis – plicatile plumosum L feathered big tarweed, Blepharizonia plumosa; buzzer midge, Chironomus plumosus plumosus – plumosa – plumosum pod- G πούς (poús) foot, leg, stem red-footed spikesedge, Eleocharis erythropoda; Arthropoda; Gastropoda poliocephalus G grey-headed ashy-headed goose, Chloephaga poliocephala; grey-crowned flatbill, Tolmomyias poliocephalus; grey-headed flying fox, Pteropus poliocephalus; grey-headed goshawk, Accipiter poliocephalus; hoary-headed grebe, Poliocephalus poliocephalus; white-headed langur, Trachypithecus poliocephalus; yellow-lored tody-flycatcher, Todirostrum poliocephalum poliocephalus – poliocephala – poliocephalum poly- G πολύς (polús) many, much common knotgrass, Polygonum aviculare pomum L fruit apple maggot, Rhagoletis pomonella; apple murex, Phyllonotus pomum; codling moth, Cydia pomonella; emu apple, Kunzea pomifera; Osage orange, Maclura pomifera pomum – pomifer – pomifera – pomonella ponticus G Πόντος (Póntos) Pontic; from Pontus, Turkey Black Sea field mouse, Apodemus ponticus; Pontic adder, Vipera pontica; Pontic rhododendron, Rhododendron ponticum; Roman wormwood, Artemisia pontica ponticus – pontica – ponticum praecox L early early onion, Allium praecox; neon rainbow, Melanotaenia praecox; wintersweet, Chimonanthus praecox praecox praestans L excelling Kamchatka bilberry, Vaccinium praestans; goliath webcap mushroom, Cortinarius praestans; (a butterfly), Ypthima praestans; (a ground beetle), Lesticus praestans; Tulipa praestans praestans praeustus L burned at the end, scorched, withered brownback trevally, Carangoides praeustus; Adetus praeustus, a beetle Serixia praeusta, a beetle; Tricholauxania praeusta, a fly; Trogoxylon praeustum, a beetle praeustus – praeusta – praeustum prātum L meadow Inyo meadow lupine, Lupinus pratensis; meadow foxtail, Alopecurus pratensis; meadow sedge, Carex praticola; meadow waxcap, Cuphophyllus pratensis pratensis – pratense – praticola princeps L first, leader, principal, princely Korean wormwood, Artemisia princeps; princely spiny-tailed lizard, Uromastyx princeps; American pika, Ochotona princeps princeps proto- G πρῶτος (prôtos) first Protozoa pruinosus L pruinose, "frosted", covered in white granules Tibetan blue bear, Ursus arctos pruinosus; frosted myotis, Myotis pruinosusfuzzywuzzy airplant, Tillandsia pruinosa; frosted hawthorn, Crataegus pruinosacrimson-tailed marsh hawk, Orthetrum pruinosum; dotted blue-eyed grass, Sisyrinchium pruinosum pruinosus – pruinosa – pruinosum pruriens L itching velvet bean, Mucuna pruriens pruriens pseudo- L G ψευδής (pseudḗs) false or fake Brazilian false rice rat, Pseudoryzomys simplex; pastel flower, Pseuderanthemum variabile psych- G ψυχή (psychḗ) mind, soul psychedelic All pages with titles beginning with Psy psychrophilus G ψυχρός (psukhrós) cold-loving bacterial rod, Flavobacterium psychrophilum; bacterium, Geobacter psychrophilus; whip-lash squid, Mastigoteuthis psychrophila psychrophilus – psychrophila – psychrophilum pterus, -pter G πτερόν (pterón) wing, feather white-winged tern, Chlidonias leucopterus; Pteranodon (winged toothless); Pterodactylus (winged finger); Pteridophyta; Diptera; Coleoptera ptyo- G πτύον (ptyon) fan fan-fingered geckos, Ptyodactylus; crag martin, Ptyonoprogne All pages with titles beginning with Ptyo puberulus L having short, soft hairs Hydroporus puberulus, a diving beetle; Leptomyrmex puberulus, an antmountain bellwort, Uvularia puberula; hairy melicope, Melicope puberulaplains flax, Linum puberulum; red berry stick plant, Teucrium puberulum puberulus – puberula – puberulum pubescens L downy downy oak, Quercus pubescens pubescens pugil L pugil a boxer fighting conch, Strombus pugilis pugilis pulchellus L pretty little[7] beautiful sunbird, Cinnyris pulchella; green pygmy goose, Nettapus pulchellus pulchellus – pulchella – pulchellum pumilus L dwarf Cape dwarf chameleon, Bradypodion pumilum; dwarf cuckoo, Coccycua pumila; dwarf mouse-ear, Cerastium pumilum; eastern forest bat, Vespadelus pumilus; shaggy fleabane, Erigeron pumilus; Siberian elm, Ulmus pumila pumila – pumilus – pumilum punctatus L spotted, marked with punctures dotted thyme-moss, Rhizomnium punctatum; thirteen-spotted lady beetle, Hippodamia tredecimpunctata punctatus – punctata – punctatum pungens L pungens pungent blue spruce, Picea pungens; pungent slippery jack, Suillus pungens pungens purpurascens L somewhat purple veiled purple hygrophorus, Hygrophorus purpurascens purpurascens purpureus L purpureus purple purple amole, Chlorogalum purpureum; purple coneflower, Echinacea purpurea; purple finch, Haemorhous purpureus purpureus – purpurea – purpureum pygmaeus L, from the Pygmaeī pygmy, dwarf Bornean orangutan, Pongo pygmaeus; pygmy three-toed sloth, Bradypus pygmaeus; Western Greece goby, Economidichthys pygmaeus; western pygmy marmoset, Cebuella pygmaea; smooth spike-primrose, Epilobium pygmaeum; alpine glacier poppy, Papaver pygmaeum pygmaeus – pygmaea – pygmaeum pygo- G πυγή (pugḗ) tail, rump chinstrap penguin, Pygoscelis antarcticus Latin/Greek Language English Example Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: quadri- L quattuor four, square burr grass, Festuca quadriflora (four-flowered); four-coloured bushshrike, Telophorus quadricolor; fourspot butterflyfish, Chaetodon quadrimaculatus; whorled loosestrife, Lysimachia quadrifolia (four-leaved) All pages with titles beginning with Quadri Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: radix L root or radish taproot fleabane, Erigeron radicatus radix – radicans – radicatus – radicis rāmus L branch branched draba, Draba ramosissima; branched murex, Chicoreus ramosus ramosus – ramosa – ramulosus regalis L royal Synalpheus regalis; regal moth, Citheronia regalis; royal lily, Lilium regale regalis – regale repandus L repandus curved upwards, turned up dragon's tongue, Hemigraphis repanda; hedgehog mushroom, Hydnum repandum; Peruvian apple cactus, Cereus repandus repandus – repanda – repandum repens L creeping, crawling (rēpēns) creeping buttercup, Ranunculus repens repens L unexpected (rĕpēns) white clover, Trifolium repens reptans, rept- L creeping, crawling bugle, Ajuga reptans; creeping cinquefoil, Potentilla reptans; Reptilia reptans reticulata L reticulated mandarin orange, Citrus reticulata reticulatus – reticulata – reticulatum rhino- G ῥίς (rhís) nose orange leaf-nosed bat, Rhinonicteris aurantia; rhinoceros rhiza G ῥίζα (rhíza) root bushy seedbox, Ludwigia helminthorrhiza; Rhizobium (nitrogen-fixing soil bacteria) rhodo- G ῥόδον (rhódon) rose, rose-colored Rhododendron Butter Cap, Rhodocollybia butyracea rhynchos G ῥύγχος (rhúnkhos) beak or snout mallard, Anas platyrhynchos; Rhamphorhynchus rhytis G ῥῦτίς (rhutís) wrinkled, folded shaggy moss, Rhytidiadelphus triquetrus; Rhytidodon (syn. Rutiodon) rigidus L rigid, stiff big galleta, Hilaria rigida rigidus – rigida – rigidum rossicus L from Russia Pliosaurus rossicus rostr- L rōstrum beak, bill, snout common crossbill, Loxia curvirostra rostralis L with a beak buttoned snout moth, Hypena rostralis rostralis – rostrale rostratus L rōstrātus having a beak beaked sedge, Carex rostrata; beaked yucca, Yucca rostrata; Caribbean sharp-nose puffer, Canthigaster rostrata; longnose surgeonfish, Zebrasoma rostratum rostratus – rostrata – rostratum ruber, rubr- L ruber red red maple, Acer rubrum; red valerian, Centranthus ruber; ruby bolete, Hortiboletus rubellus; summer tanager, Piranga rubra ruber – rubra – rubrum – rubellus – rubrescens ruder- L rūdus, rūderis rubbish Cannabis ruderalis; Porophyllum ruderale; ruderal bumblebee, Bombus ruderatus ruderalis – ruderale – ruderatus rudis, rud- L rough, rude coarse chameleon, Trioceros rudis; pied kingfisher Ceryle rudis; rough gecko, Naultinus rudis; rough mabuya, Eutropis rudis rudis – rude rufus, ruf- L red, reddish red wolf, Canis rufus; rufous rubber cup, Galiella rufa rufus – rufa – rufum – rufescens rupestris L living on cliffs or rocks Eurasian crag martin, Ptyonoprogne rupestris; rock bass, Ambloplites rupestrisrock campion, Atocion rupestre; alpine tea-tree, Leptospermum rupestre rupestris – rupestre rupicola L cliff dweller Diplacus rupicola, Death Valley monkeyflower; Narcissus rupicola; Tabernaemontana rupicola All pages with titles containing rupicola russus L reddish Lophocampa russus, a moth; Toxitiades russus, a beetle; Schistura russa, a stone loach; Steccherinum russum, a fungus russus – russa – russum russulus L little reddish one greater white-toothed shrew, Crocidura russula; Mimeresia russulus, a butterfly; pinkmottle woodwax, Hygrophorus russula; Bryum russulum, a moss russulus – russula – russulum Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: sanctus L sacred See sanctus (species) sanctus sanguis L blood bloodroot, Sanguinaria canadensis sanguinis sapiens L wise recent subspecies of humans: Homo sapiens sapiens ("wise wise man") saponaria L soapy[8][9] soapworts (Saponaria spp.), soapbark (Quillaja saponaria), Ramaria flavosaponaria saponaria sativus L sown, cultivated oat, Avena sativa; pea, Pisum sativum; rice, Oryza sativa sativus – sativa – sativum saura, -saur G σαῦρος (saûros) lizard, reptile lancetfish, Alepisaurus; Maiasaura (dinosaur) saxum L rock saxicolous, 'growing on rocks/stones';common rock thrush, Monticola saxatilis;Saxicola, stonechats; Saxifraga, rockfoils; Saxifragaceae, herbaceous plant family scriptus L written, scribbled, scrawled Cape bushbuck, Tragelaphus scriptus; scrawled filefish, Aluterus scriptuspond slider, Trachemys scripta; long hoverfly, Sphaerophoria scripta;Grammatophyllum scriptum, an orchid; Steindachneridion scriptum, a catfish scriptus – scripta – scriptum sculptus L sculpted reed-stemmed orchid, Epidendrum sculptum; sculpted lanternshark, Etmopterus sculptus; sculpted puffball, Calvatia sculpta sculptus – sculpta – sculptum septem L seven seven-spot ladybird, Coccinella septempunctata septentrionalis L Northern Hemisphere (septentrional, "of the seven plough-oxen", a reference to The Plough) northern rockling, Ciliata septentrionalisnorthern spleenwort, Asplenium septentrionale septentrionalis – septentrionale setosus L bristly or shaggy hairy Atlantic spiny rat, Trinomys setosus; arctic iris Iris setosa, Diadema setosum setosus – setosa – setosum sidero- G σίδηρος (sídēros) iron Siderostigma, Sideroxylon; lesser horseshoe bat, Rhinolophus hipposideros All pages with titles beginning with Sidero silvestris, sylvestris silvaticus L from woodland or forest; wild wildcat, Felis silvestris; snowdrop anemone, Anemone sylvestris; Wood frog, Lithobates sylvaticus silvestris, sylvestris – silvestre, sylvestre – silvaticus, sylvaticus similis L similar Callinectes similis similis simplex L simple see List of species named simplex simplex sinensis L from China tea, Camellia sinensis sinensis – sinense smaragdinus G σμάραγδος (smáragdos) emerald green grass lizard, Takydromus smaragdinus; Carabus smaragdinus, a beetleSmaragdina, beetle genus; Asian weaver ant, Oecophylla smaragdinaEpidendrum smaragdinum, an orchid; Smaragdia, snail genus smaragdinus – smaragdina – smaragdinum – Smaragdia speciosus L showy queen's crape-myrtle, Lagerstroemia speciosa; Japanese lily, Lilium speciosum speciosus – speciosa – speciosum sperma G σπέρμα (spérma) seed African daisies, Osteospermum sphen-, spheno- G σφήν (sphḗn) wedge tuatara, Sphenodon punctatus squamatus L with scales scaly francolin, Pternistis squamatus, scaled woodcreeper, Lepidocolaptes squamatus stichus, sticticus G στίχος (stíkhos) line, file Ochlerotatus sticticus, a mosquito; western erete, Eretes sticticusAcalolepta stictica, a beetle; Punctelia stictica, a lichenTrypetisoma sticticum, a fly; Diorygma sticticum, a lichen Toothfish, Dissostichus sticticus – stictica – sticticum stoma G στόμα (stóma) mouth, opening stomate, Gnathostomata striatus L striped African striped skink, Trachylepis striata; striated heron, Butorides striatus; striped Barbados lily, Hippeastrum striatum striatus – striata – striatum strictus L straight, narrow, erect chocolate lily, Dichopogon strictus; Oxalis stricta; Babiana stricta; Nardus stricta, bog haircap moss, Polytrichum strictum strictus – stricta – strictum strix, strig- L or G owl kākāpō or owl parrot, Strigops habroptilus; tawny frogmouth, Podargus strigoides; tawny owl, Strix aluco suber L cork cork oak, Quercus suber suchos, -suchus G σοῦχος (soûkhos) crocodile (from Egyptian) Eusuchia; Koolasuchus sulcatus L furrowed furrowed wakerobin, Trillium sulcatum; grooved helmet-orchid, Nematoceras sulcatum sulcatus – sulcata – sulcatum symbio G συμβίωσις (sumbíōsis) symbiosis Symbiodinium; Symbiontida symbio syriacus L Syrian common milkweed, Asclepias syriacus syriacus – syriaca – syriacum Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: tardus, tardi- L slow, late great bustard, Otis tarda; Chisos Mountains oak, Quercus tardifolia tele-, tel- G τῆλε (têle) far, distant New South Wales waratah, Telopea speciosissima tenax L clinging, tenacious bear grass, Xerophyllum tenax; tough bully, Sideroxylon tenax; tough-leaved iris, Iris tenax tenax tenuis L thin, slender, fine slender rush, Juncus tenuis; plealeaf knotweed, Polygonum tenue tenuis – tenue terrestris, terrestre L terrestrial large earth bumblebee, Bombus terrestris bent orchid, Geodorum terrestre terrestris – terrestre tetra- G τετρα- four four-leaved allseed, Polycarpon tetraphyllum; Tetrapoda therium, ther- G θηρίον (thēríon), θήρ (thḗr) beast, wild animal giant ground sloth, Megatherium americanum; stinkpot turtle, Sternotherus odoratus; gelada, Theropithecus gelada timidus L shy, timid Mountain hare, Lepus timidus; Rhene timidus, a jumping spider; dwarf three-toed slider, Lerista timida; Elysia timida, a sea slug; Zodarion timidum, an ant spider timidus – timida – timidum tinctorius L for dyeing woad, Isatis tinctoria tinctorius – tinctoria – tinctorium tomentosus L furry bristle-tail filefish, Acreichthys tomentosus; fuzzy mock-orange, Philadelphus tomentosus; woollyleaf ceanothus, Ceanothus tomentosus tomentosus – tomentosa – tomentosum trachy- G τραχύς (trachys) rough Trachyscorpia, fish genus; Trachyaretaon, insect genus All pages with titles beginning with trachy tri-, tris- L tri-, G τρι- (tri-) three black-legged kittiwake, Rissa tridactyla; three-cornered garlic, Allium triquetrum tricho-, -thrix G θρίξ (thríx), τριχ- (trikh-) hair cloud ear fungus, Auricularia polytricha tripartitus L three-part threepart violet, Viola tripartita; threetip sagebrush, Artemisia tripartita tripartitus – tripartita tristis L sad, disagreeable, bitter, foul ever-flowering gladiolus, Gladiolus tristis American goldfinch, Carduelis tristis Mupli beetle, Luprops tristis trivialis L commonplace, ordinary tree pipit, Anthus trivialis; southern dewberry, Rubus trivialis; northern water plantain, Alisma triviale; Bulbophyllum triviale, an orchid trivialis – triviale troglodytes L G τρωγλοδύτης (trōglodútēs) cave-dweller chimpanzee, Pan troglodytes; wren, Troglodytes troglodytes tropicalis L tropical Candida tropicalis (yeast); Rostraureum tropicale (fungus) tropicalis – tropicale truncatus L truncated, foreshortened common bottlenose dolphin, Tursiops truncatus; pink fairy armadillo, Chlamyphorus truncatus; rattlesnake flower, Brazoria truncata; false Christmas cactus, Schlumbergera truncata; Shantung maple, Acer truncatum; truncate leek orchid, Prasophyllum truncatum truncatus – truncata – truncatum trygon G τρῡγών (trygōn) stingrayturtledove Fontitrygon, Hemitrygon, Trygonoptera, all ray generaGeotrygon and Trugon, dove genera trygon – trugon – All pages with titles beginning with trygo typhlo- G τυφλός (typhlós) blind Typhlobarbus nudiventris, fish species; Typhlochactidae, scorpion family All pages with titles beginning with typhl tyranno- G τύραννος (túrannos) tyrant, tyrannical Tyrannosaurus rex; Tyrannodoris; Tyrannoneustes; Tyrannotitan; Latin/Greek Language English Example Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: ulmus L elm American elm, Ulmus americana; elmleaf goldenrod, Solidago ulmifolia; Siberian elm, Ulmus pumila; Ulmus ulos G οὖλος (oûlos) woolly Uloborus; Ulotrichi; Ulotrichopus All pages with titles beginning with Ulo unus L one Monotropa uniflora; unicolor woolly lemur, Avahi unicolor ura G οὐρά (ourá) of the tail mourning dove, Zenaida macroura; coral snake, Micrurus corallinus Latin/Greek Language English Examples Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: vaginalis L sheathed, vaginal Alyce clover, Gardnerella vaginalis vaginalis variabilis L variable grey bunting, Emberiza variabilis variabilis – variabile variegatus L variegated variegated laughingthrush, Garrulax variegatus; croton, Codiaeum variegatum variegatus – variegata – variegatum varius L different, variegated, variable lace monitor, Varanus varius; yellow-bellied sapsucker, Sphyrapicus variusbarred owl, Strix varia; purple crown vetch, Securigera variavariable triplefin, Forsterygion varium; grass cerith, Bittiolum varium varius – varia – varium velox, velocis L swift swift fox, Vulpes velox; Velociraptor velox ventralis L ventral, of the belly Hispaniolan parrot, Amazona ventralis; southern dwarf chameleon, Bradypodion ventrale ventralis – ventrale venustus L beautiful giraffe hap, Nimbochromis venustus; beautiful pit viper, Trimeresurus venustusflamevine, Pyrostegia venusta; orchard spider, Leucauge venustaHimalayan maidenhair, Adiantum venustum; magnificent leafy moss, Plagiomnium venustum venustus – venusta – venustum vernicosa L varnished varnished maxillaria, Maxillaria vernicosa vernicosus – vernicosa – vernicosum vernus, vernalis L spring (season) spring gentian, Gentiana verna; spring pheasant's eye, Adonis vernalis; spring sneezeweed, Helenium vernale vernalis – vernale verrucosus L rough-skinned Javan warty pig, Sus verrucosus; reef stonefish, Synanceia verrucosa verrucosus – verrucosa – verrucosum versicolor L many-colored varied honeyeater, Lichenostomus versicolor; Vietnam mouse-deer, Tragulus versicolor versicolor verticillata L whorled spaghetti bryozoan, Amathia verticillata; whorled plectranthus, Plectranthus verticillatus verticillatus – verticillata – verticillatum verus L true, genuine true aloe, Aloe vera; lady's bedstraw, Galium verum verus – verum victoriae L Victorian Victoria's bar, Cigaritis victoriae victoriae villosus L [10] hairy, shaggy hairy nightshade, Solanum villosum; hairy stonecrop, Sedum villosum; hairy vetch, Vicia villosa; hairy woodpecker, Picoides villosus; shaggy hawkweed, Hieracium villosum; villous deadly carrot, Thapsia villosa villosus – villosa – villosum virginiana L Virginia Virginia opossum, Didelphis virginiana; Rosa virginiana, the Virginia rose virginiana – virginianum viridis L green frog orchid, Coeloglossum viride; green alder, Alnus viridis; green wrasse, Labrus viridis viridis – viride virosus L poisonous cowbane, Cicuta virosa; poisonous lettuce, Lactuca virosa virosus – virosa viticola(vitis-cola) L grape vine inhabitant or cultivator Phomopsis viticola; Plasmopara viticola; Schizomyia viticola viticola volans L flying flying dragon, Draco volans; southern flying squirrel, Glaucomys volans volans vulgaris L common common octopus, Octopus vulgaris; common privet, Ligustrum vulgare vulgaris – vulgare Latin/Greek Language English Example Search for titles containing the word or using the prefix: xanthos G ξανθός yellow yellow staining mushroom, Agaricus xanthodermus All pages with titles beginning with Xanth zebratus L cross-striped Kolombatovic's goby, Chromogobius zebratus zoster G ζωστήρ (zōstḗr) belt, girdle white-eyes, Zosterops; Zosterophyllum; Zosterocarpus abyssicola All pages with titles beginning with Zoster zygos G ζυγός joined Zygophyllum; Zygoptera All pages with titles beginning with Zygo Glossary of scientific naming List of commonly used taxonomic affixes List of descriptive plant species epithets (A–H) List of descriptive plant species epithets (I–Z) List of Greek and Latin roots in English List of Latin place names used as specific names List of Latin words with English derivatives List of medical roots, suffixes and prefixes List of taxa named by anagrams Latin names of cities ^ "aurantíacus, a, um". 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