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X- (CH - D, Chi & Delta) pp 157-61

chēlē = claw, e.g. chelate, chelation

chiasma < **X** = crossing, decussation (< decem = X see p84),
e.g. **chiasmus**, **chiasm**

The men were killed by them;
they enslaved the women.

chlamys, **chlamydos** = coat, cloak, e.g. **chlamydia**

chlōros/a/on = green, e.g. **chlorine** (#17), **chlorophyll**

cholē = bile, e.g. **cholic**, **melancholia**

chondros = lump, then cartilage,
e.g. **hypochondrium** = under (sternal) cartilage

chordē = gut, e.g. **chord**, **cord**, **chorditis**

choros = dance, e.g. **chorus**, **chorea**

chorion = membrane, cf. **amnion**, of fetus & eyeball

chroa = skin, **colo(u)r** of skin

chrōma, **chrōmatos** ΧΡΩΜΑ = **colo(u)r**

e.g. **chromium** (#24), **polychrome**, **chromosome**, **chromatic**

chronos = time, e.g. **chronic**, **chronometer**, **chronology**

chrysos = gold, e.g. **chryselephantine**

chthōn ΧΘΩΝ = earth, e.g. **chthonic**, **autochthonous**

cheein = to pour, chylos = juice, chyma = fluid,

e.g. chylē, chymē

chemistry < chem/chym + ist(es)[p140] + -arius[L p78]

daimōn ΔΑΙΜΩΝ = divine power, e.g. demon

dakryon = tear, e.g. dacryoadenalgia

daktylos = finger or toe (cf. L digitus), e.g. dactylic hexameter

decin = to tie, desmos = ??, e.g. desmo-, -detic

delta = delta, e.g. delta

dēmos = people, e.g. demography, endemic, democracy

dendron = tree, e.g. dendrite, dendrochronology

derein = to skin or flay, derma/dermatos = skin

(NB suffix -ma), e.g. dermatitis, dermatology

diaita = way of life, e.g. diet, dietary

didymos = twin, in astronomy (zodiac)

& biology (testicles, ovaries)

diktyon = web, e.g. www, cf. arachnion

dipsa = thirst, e.g. dipsomania

diskos = disc

dolichos = long, e.g. dolichocephalic

dounai = to give, dosis = giving, dotos = given,
e.g. dose, antidote

dromos = running, course, e.g. syndrome, palindrome
e.g. "nurses run," nucleotides in RNA

dynamis = power, e.g. thermodynamics, dynamite