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-P Q R S- (pp 115–118)

ponere/positum = put, e.g. com- de- dis- ex-

**im- inter- op- pro- re- sup- trans- pose -position, postpone,
component, exponent, posture, -positor**

pons/pontis = bridge, e.g. pons (anat. & dent.),

pontifex maximus, pontificate

porta = gate, e.g. port, portal, portico

portare/portatum = to carry (cf. ferre, gerere)

e.g. de- ex- im- re- sup- trans- port, portable

potare/potatum = drink, e.g. potable, potion

posse = to be able, potens/potentis = present participle

e.g. potent, impotence, potential

premere/pressum = press, e.g. com- de- re- sup- press,

pressure, compressor, decompression

proles/prolis = offspring, e.g. prolific, proliferate

propria/us/um = one's own, e.g. proper, propriety,

proprietor, property

pubes/puberis = young adult, e.g. pubes, puberty, pubescent

pulmo/pulminis = lung, e.g. pulmonary (cf. GK pneumon)

**pungere/punctum = to prick, e.g. pungent, acupuncture,
punctuate, punctual**

pupa = doll, dimin. pupilla, e.g. puppet, puppy, pupil

pus/puris = pus, e.g. pus, purulence, dimin. pustula

***putare/putatum = to reckon, to think, e.g. compute, reputation**

**quadrare/quadratum = to square– see quattuor, quartus p 83,
e.g. quadrant, quadratic**

***quantum (-a or -us) = how much (+ tantum = so much), e.g. quantum
mechanics, quantity, quantify (cf. quality from Lat qualis = what kind)**

rabere = to rage, rabida/us/um, noun rabies, e.g. rabid

**radere/rasum = to scrape, rasura = erasure,
e.g. abrade, erase, corrasible**

radius = rod/spoke/ray, e.g. radium, radiation, radial

radix/radicis = root, e.g. radix, radical, eradicate

regere/rectum = to guide, keep straight, recta/us/um = straight

rex = king, regina = queen, e.g. rectum, erection, regimen, regiment

ren/renis = kidney, e.g. renal, adrenalin

repere/reptum = to creep, e.g. reptile

rete/retis = net, e.g. retina, reticulate(d)

rigor = stiffness, e.g. rigo(u)r, rigid, rigor mortis

rodere/rosum = to gnaw, e.g. rodent, corrosive, erosion

rosa = rose (GK rhodon p 208), e.g. rosacea (< -acea p80 #3)

rota = wheel, rotare/rotatum, e.g. rotor, rotate

ruber/rubra/rubrum = red, e.g. bilirubin, rubella, ruby

ruga = wrinkle, e.g. corrugate

rumpere/ruptum = to burst, e.g. eruption, rupture, interrupt

saccus = sac, e.g. sac, sack

sacer/sacra/sacrum = sacred, e.g. os sacrum, sacro-

saepire/saeptum = enclose, e.g. septum = partition, transcept

sal/salis = salt, e.g. saline, desalination, salary

salire/saltum = to jump, e.g. salient, resilient

saliva = saliva

salus/salutis = health, salvere = to be well,

salutare/salutatum = to greet e.g. salutary, salutation

sanare/sanatum = to heal, sanus/a/um = well,

e.g. sane, sanity, sanitation, sanatorium

sanguis/sanguinis = blood, e.g. sanguine, sanguinolent