οἵ ἀριθμοί

ἔν
 ἕξ

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• • • τρία • • • ὀκτώ

• • • • τέσσαρα • • • • ἐννέα

• • • • πέντε • • • δέκα





άρσενικόν: εἷς δύο τρεῖς τέσσαρες θηλυκόν: μία δύο τρεῖς τέσσαρες

Homer has 4=τέσσαρα, other ancient dialects τέτταρα. Modern: ένα, τέσσαρα, έξι. Cognates: dual, triangle, pentagon (etc.), decade, prototype, Deuteronomy, tritium.

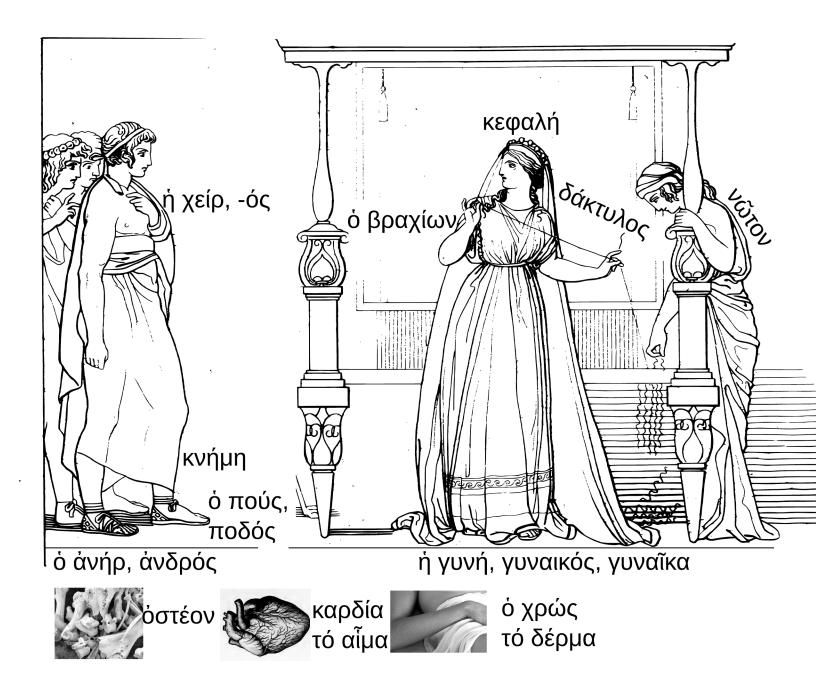
τά ὄμματα, τα πρόσωπα



In Homer, face=τά ὅμματα (lit. eyes), τα πρόσωπα (or -πατα) (pl.). Modern πρόσωπο. Lit. "next to the eyes." "Hair," τρίχες, is always plural, so the sing. nom. root θρίξ never occurs in Homer. "Ear" usually occurs as οὕατα or οὕατος, often in stylized descriptions of actions such as skinning a man and cutting off his ears with "unpitying brass," "τοῦ δ' ἀπὸ μὲν ῥῖνάς τε καὶ οὕατα νηλέϊ χαλκῷ" (Odyssey 22.476).

Cognates: cephalic, stomach, acoustic, glossary, tresses.

τα γυῖα, τα μέλεα, τό δέμας



Modern: χέρι, πόδι, άνδρας, γυναίκα. In Homer, σῶμα=dead body, τα γυῖα, τα μέλεα=the body (lit. "the limbs"). κνήμη = lower leg, shin bone. Homer has several words for "limb," but none for the (whole) leg specifically. δάκτυλος never occurs as an independent word in Homer, but is found 27 times in the set phrase ῥοδοδάκτυλος ηώς, rosy-fingered dawn. Cognates: κυήμη=ham; gynecology; pedal; androgynous; somatic; μέλεα=member, melody; notochord; cardiology; hemoglobin; χρώς=chroma (skin, color, complexion).

τα ζῷα, τα θηρία



κάπρος=boar, θώς=jackal, Iliad 11. ἀετός, Iliad 17, 21. Cognates: zoo, canine, hippo, lion, lycanthrope, ornithology. Modern dog=σκύλος, sheep=πρόβατο.

τό πάθος



γηθέω χαίρω



ἄχθομαι



ἡ φιλία ὁ ἕρως

Ὁ Άχιλλεύς και ὁ Πάτροκλος



φόβος φοβέω



χόλος χώομαι ἡ μῆνις



ο ἕλεος



τό θαῦμα



ἡ ὕβρις ὑπεροπλίη

Descriptions of emotional state that in English would be expressed using to be+adjective ("I am happy") are instead expressed using verbs, e.g., "χαίρω." Modern χαίρετε is a greeting, meaning to rejoice in the gospels. ἕλεος=pity. μῆνις=anger (Iliad 1.1). χωόμενος=angry (Iliad 1.44). φόβος, φοβέω literally refer to fleeing. ὕβρις=hubris, ὑπεροπλίη=scorn. θαυμα=wonder, marvel, surprise. φιλία=love, friendship. ἕρως=love, erotic love. Cognates: erotic, phobia, hubris.

ό νους



ὁ λόγος



ο νους ἡ ἔννοια φρονέω

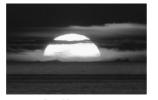


ή ψυχή ὁ θυμός



ὁ ὕπνος τό ἐνύπνιον τό ὀναρ ὁ ὅνειρος

ο οὐρανός



ὁ ἥλιος



ἡ σελήνη



ο ἀστήρ



ή ἀστραπή ἡ βροντή ὁ Ζεύς



ροδοδάκτυλος Ήώς



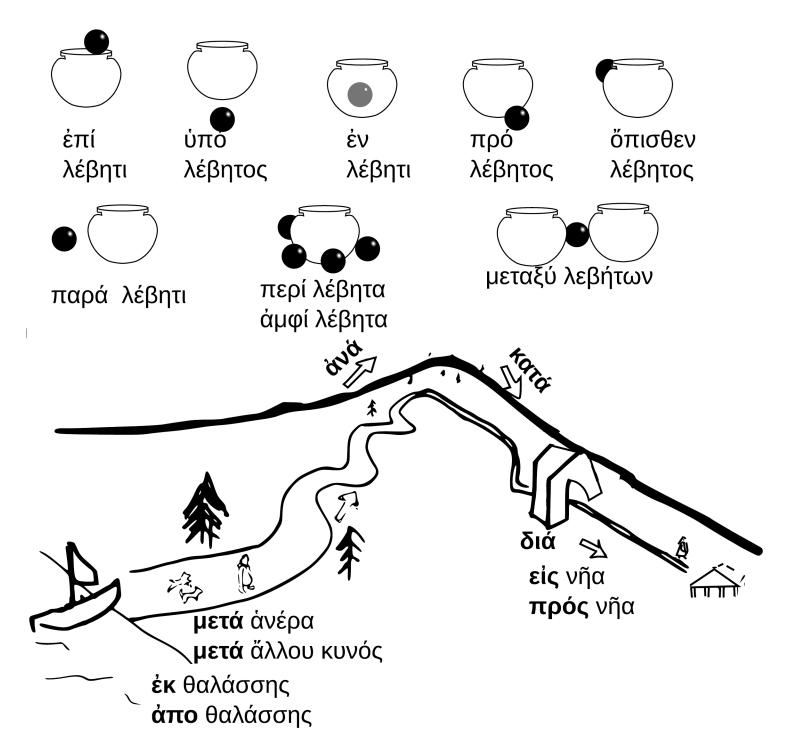
ο χειμών



ὁ ἄνεμος τό πνεῦμα



prepositions



A λέβης was a cooking pot, used as a unit of value in trade. The word occurs frequently in Homer in descriptions of lavish gifts or treasures. NAGD = λέβης, λέβητα, λέβητας, λέβητας.

τρόποι ἀνθρώπων



καλή



κακή



νέα



γεραιός αἰδοῖός



δεινός

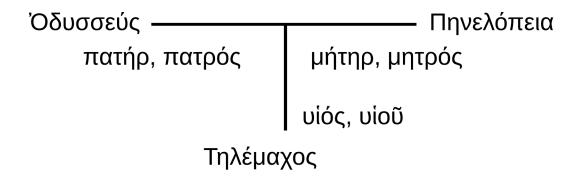


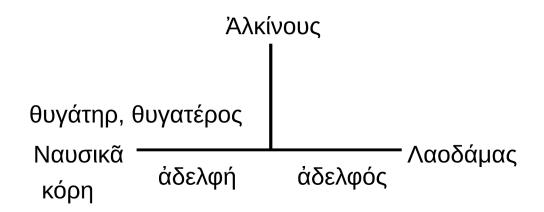
ἀγαθός



λαμπρός

οίκος





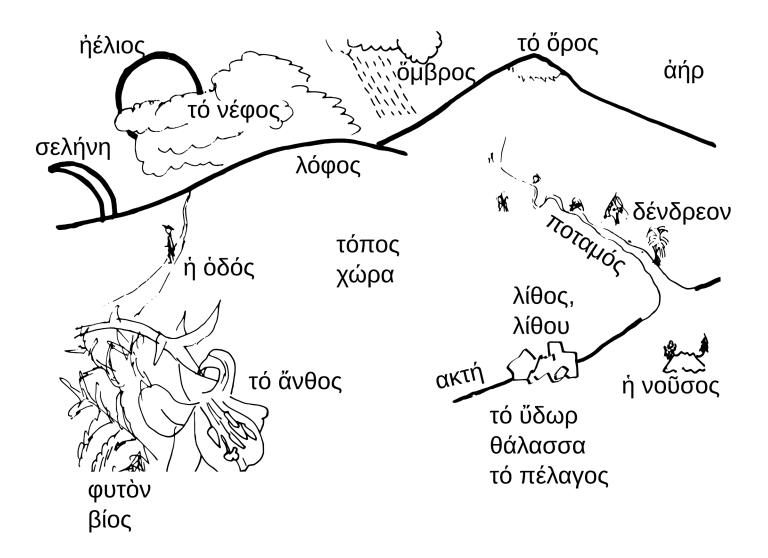


τέκνον παῖς, παιδός

δμώς

οίκος = household, family. "Husband" and "wife" are expressed using phrases such as "my man." δμώς = slave taken in war; female house slave. Modern "son"=γιος. "Daughter" can be expressed as θυγάτηρ or κόρη. Cognates: economics, paternal, maternal, Philadelphia, pediatrician, δμώς=tame, θυγάτηρ=daughter, τέκνον=technology (both from a root meaning to bring forth, create).

ἡ φύσις, ὁ κόσμος, ἡ γῆ, γῆς



φύσις=nature. κόσμος=world. γῆ=earth. Modern water=νερό. Cognates: physics; cosmic; geometry; air; hippopotamus; dendrite, rhododendron; lithograph; hydraulic; anther; biology; phytoplankton; helium; pelagic; topology; ὁδός=ride, hodoscope.