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Vilamarxant or its people vilanovenc noun m / f (person / people) from Vilanor de la Reina adjective relating to Vilanor de la Reina or its people vilanor noun m / f (person / people) from la Vilavella adjective relating to la Vilavella or its people viler noun m / f (person / people) from la Vila Jooosa adjective relating to la Vila Jooosa or its people vilipendiar verb to revile (formal) / to vilify (formal) / to malign (formal) / to affront (formal) / to insult vilagordenc noun m / f (person / people) from the Vilargordo del Gabriel adjective relating to la Vilargordo del Gabriel or its people villener noun m / f (person / people) from Villena adjective relating to Villena or its people villori noun m / f (person / people) from Villores adjective relating to Villores or its people vimet noun m wicker vinagre noun m vinegar expression vinagre de xerès m sherry vinegar vinagrella noun f sorrel vinagreta noun f vinaigrette vinalesi noun m / f (person / people) from Vinalesa adjective relating to Vinalesa or its people vinarosenc noun m / f (person / people) from Vinarós adjective relating to Vinarós or its people vinarot noun m / f wine grower / wine merchant / vintner (formal) adjective wine(-growing) vincle noun 1 m link 2 m tie | Vincles emocionals - Emotional ties | Vincles econòmics - Economic ties vincular adjective binding vincular verb to link / to bind vindicació noun f vindication vindicar verb to vindicate vindre verb to come vinent adjective next | L'any vinent - Next year | El maig vinent - Next March vinga exclamation come out! 247 vilamarxanter - visionar vinícola adjective wine-producing | Indústria vinícola - Wine-producing industry | Zona vinícola - Wine-producing zone vint noun m twenty vintè adjective twentieth vintena noun f twenty vinya noun 1 f vine 2 f vineyard viola noun 1 f viola 2 m / f violist / viola player 3 f violet expression viola d'amor f viola d'amore expression viola de gamba f viola da gamba expression viola de roda f hurdy-gurdy violador noun m rapist violar verb to rape violència noun 1 f violence 2 f violent act expression violència de gènere f gender-based violence / violence against women / domestic violence expression violència domèstica f domestic violence violent adjective 1 violent 2 embarrassing / awkward violer noun m / f luthier violeta adjective violet noun f violet violi noun 1 m violin 2 m / f violinist violinista noun m / f violinist violista noun m / f violist / viola player violò noun m violone violoncel noun 1 m cello / violoncello 2 m / f cellist violoncel·lista noun m / f cellist viral adjective viral viratge noun 1 m turn 2 m toning virar verb 1 to turn / to veer 2 to tone viric adjective viral viril adjective virile / manly virilitat noun f virility violat adjective variegated virrei noun m vicerey virtual adjective virtual | Realitat virtual - Virtual reality virtut noun 1 f virtue 2 f property / power virus noun m virus visat noun m visa visca exclamation hurray / hurrah / long live / three cheers for viscera noun 1 f viscus / internal organ 2 fpl viscera / entrails / innards viscos adjective viscous viscositat noun f viscosity visera noun 1 f visor 2 f peak visibilitat noun f visibility visible adjective visible visigot noun m visigoth adjective visigoth visió noun f vision visionar verb to view DACCO - visir - voluntat visir noun m vizier visita noun f visit visitant noun m / f visitor adjective visiting visitar verb to visit visita noun 1 f sight / view 2 f eyesight expression vista d'ocell bird's eye view | Barcelona a vista d'ocell - A bird's eye view of Barcelona expression punt de vista m point of view vistabellà noun m / f (person / people) from Vistabella del Maestrat adjective relating to Vistabella del Maestrat or its people vistiplau noun m approval / permission / authorization / authorisation (Br.) vistós adjective showy / eye-catching / gorgeous / flamboyant visual adjective visual noun f line of vision / line of sight visualitzar verb to visualize vital adjective 1 life 2 vital vital adjective 1 life 2 vital vitalic adjective for life / lifetime / permanent vitamina noun f vitamin vitrall noun m stained-glass window vitrina noun f display case / display cabinet / showcase vitroceràmica noun 1 f ceramic hob 2 f glass ceramic viu adjective 1 alive / living 2 live 3 vivacious 4 sharp 5 lively 6 intense / deep / vivid | És el viu retrat de sa mare - She's the spitting image of her mother noun 1 m edge 2 mpl the living expression aigua viva f running water expression llengua viva f living language viudo noun 1 m widower 2 f widow adjective widowed viure verb 1 to live 2 (~ de) to live on 3 (~ amb algú) to live with (someone) vivament adverb strongly / deeply / vividly / intensely vivència noun f experience viver noun 1 m breeding ground 2 m [de peixos] hatchery / fish farm 3 m [de plantes] nursery viverenc noun m / f (person / people) from Viver adjective relating to Viver or its people viver noun fullform intensity / vividness vocabulari noun m vocabulary vocal noun 1 f vowel 2 f member 'Vocal' means 'member' in the sense 'board member'. vocal vocalic adjective vocalic vocalisme noun [linguistics] m vocalism vocalista noun m / f vocalist vocatú adjective vocative noun m vocative (case) adjective DACCO - DACCO - The Open Source English-Catalan Dictionary vociferant adjective vociferous vociferar verb to shout / to yell vodèvil noun m vaudeville / music hall (Br.) vodka noun m vodka vocalista noun m / f vocalist vodú noun m voodoo adjective voodoo voga noun f rowing expression estar en voga to be in vogue / to be in fashion vogar verb to row vol noun m flight expression vol biplaça m tandem flight expression aixecar el vol 1 to fly off 2 (fig.) to take flight expression alçar el vol 1 to fly off 2 (fig.) to take flight volada noun 1 f flight 2 flock 3 f eaves / overhang volander adjective 1 flying 2 fleeting noun f washer volant noun 1 m steering wheel 2 m referral note 3 m ruffle / flounce / frill adjective flying volar verb to fly volatíl adjective volatile volcà noun m volcano volcànic adjective volcanic volèi noun m volleyball expression volèi platja m beach volleyball voleibol noun m volleyball expression voleibol de platja m beach volleyball volenterós adjective willing voler verb to want (to) | Voler dir - To mean volt noun 1 m turn 2 m volt 3 mpl surroundings / environs volta noun 1 f lap | Tres voltes al circuit - Three laps of the track 2 f round 3 f spin / turn | Fer (o donar) una volta de campana - To somersault / to do a somersault 4 f detour 5 f time > voltant noun mpl vicinity / surrounding area / environs expression al voltant (de) around voltar verb 1 to turn (over) / to go around 2 to surround 3 to spin voltatge noun m voltage voltmetre noun m voltmeter voltor noun m vulture voluble adjective mercurial volum noun m volume expression volum de negoci m turnover expression a tot volum full blast volumetric adjective volumetric voluminos adjective bulky voluntari noun m / f volunteer adjective voluntary voluntariament adverb voluntarily voluntariat noun f volunteering voluntaríus adjective keen / willing voluntat noun m will expression per voluntat pròpia of your own free will / of your own accord 248 DACCO - The Open Source English-Catalan Dictionary volva noun 1 f speck / wisp 2 f snowflake vomitar verb to vomit / to throw up (colloq.) / to be sick (Br.) vomit noun m vomit / vomiting vora noun 1 f edge / side 2 f (got, tassa...) brim 3 f (river)bank 4 f (roba) hem expression a la vora near expression a la vora del mar at the seaside voraç adjective 1 voracious / avid | Un lector voraç - An avid reader 2 fierce | Un voraç incendi - A fierce fire voral noun 1 m roadside / verge / shoulder 2 m riverbank vorària noun f pavement (Br.) / sidewalk (Am.) vorejar verb to go round / to skirt / to border vorera noun f pavement (Br.) / sidewalk (Am.) vòrtex noun m vortex / whirlpool / maelstrom vosaltres pronoun you 'Vosaltres' is the plural, familiar form of 'you'. vostè pronoun you 'Vostè' is the singular, polite form of 'you'. vostès pronoun you 'Vostès' is the plural, polite form of 'you'. vostre adjective your pronoun yours 'Vostre' is the plural, familiar form of 'your' and 'yours'. vot noun 1 m vote 2 m vow | Vots matrimonials - Marriage vows | Vot de castedat - Vow of chastity | Vot de pobresa - Vow of poverty votació noun f voting / vote / ballot votar verb to vote / to ballot voyeur noun m / f Peeping Tom / voyeur voyeurisme noun m voyeurism vuit noun m eight vuitanta noun m eighty vuitens noun m last sixteen 'Vuitens (de final)' is the stage of a sporting competition before the quarter finals, which is usually referred to in English as 'the last sixteen' (e.g. 'Barça will meet Celtic in the last sixteen of the UEFA Cup' - 'El Barça s'enfronta al Celtic als vuitens de la Copa de la UEFA' vulgar adjective vulgar / common vulnerable adjective vulnerable vulnear verb 1 to infringe / to violate 2 to hurt / to damage vulva noun f vulva W walkie-talkie noun m walkie-talkie walkman noun m walkman 249 volva - xanquer waterpolo noun m water polo watt noun m watt whisky noun m whisky / whiskey windsurf noun m windsurfing windsurfista noun mf windsurfista wolfram noun m wolfram wurtzita noun f wurzite X xabienc noun m / f (person / people) from Xàbia adjective relating to Xàbia or its people xacal noun m jackal xacarel·lenc noun m / f (person / people) from Xacarella adjective relating to Xacarella or its people xai noun m lamb xafardejar verb to gossip xafarder noun m / f gossip adjective gossip | Sóc una dona xafardera - I'm a (bit of a) gossip | No és gaire xafarder - He's not one for gossip / he's not inclined to gossip | S'enfronta amb la dona més xafardera del poble - She comes face-to-face with the biggest gossip in the village xafarderia noun f gossip | Una xafarderia - A piece of gossip | Segons Oscar Wilde, la història no és més que xafarderia - According to Oscar Wilde, history is merely gossip xàfec noun m downpour / heavy shower xafogor noun f sultriness / stifling heat xalanci noun m / f (person / people) from Xalans adjective relating to Xalans or its people xalar verb to pamper yourself / to take it easy xaloner noun m / f (person / people) from Xaló adjective relating to Xaló or its people xaman noun m shaman xamanisme noun m shamanism xamfrà noun 1 m chamfer 2 m corner xampany noun m champagne xampinyó noun m mushroom xampú noun 1 m shampoo 2 m shandy Americans - 'shandy' is a drink which is half beer, half soda (specifically, what the Brits call 'lemonade' - think Sprite / Sierra Mist) xanca noun f stilt xancleta noun fpl flip flop / thong (Aus.) xandall noun m tracksuit / sweats (Am.) Xangai noun Shanghai xano-xano adverb slowly / at a leisurely pace xanquer noun m / f stilt walker DACCO - xantatge - xicana xantatge noun m blackmail xapat adjective plated xapata noun f ciabatta xarada noun f charade xarafullà noun m / f (person / people) from Xarafull adjective relating to Xarafull or its people xarampió noun f measles xarcuteria noun f pork butcher's shop xarnego noun m / f (word used by Catalans to insult people of Spanish origin) 'Xarnego' is only ever used by people who feel they are 100% Catalan and have a certain wish to insult. 'Xarnego' is applied to people of Spanish origin belonging to the working class or lower-middle class who are reluctant to use Catalan or to appreciate Catalan culture and customs as they \*should\*. No foreign (i.e. non-Spanish) person can be called a 'xarnego'. Sometimes the term is still used in its old sense, referring to people of 'mixed' origin. The term can also be used in an ironical and positive sense about yourself to show you are proud of your roots. xarol noun 1 m patent leather 2 m varnish | Paper xarol - Glossy paper / varnished paper xarop noun m syrup expression xarop d'erable m maple syrup xarranca noun m hopsotch xarretera noun f epaulette (Br.) / epaulet (Am.) xarrup noun m sip xarrupar verb to sip xàrter noun m charter | Vol xàrter - Charter flight xarxa noun f net / network expression xarxa tròfica f food chain xat noun m chat xatejar verb to chat xatví adjective relating to Xàtiva noun m / f (person / people) from Xàtiva xato adjective 1 snub 2 snub-nosed noun m (small) glass of wine xaixa noun f promised land / holiday camp xava noun 1 m variety of Catalan characteristic of people brought up in parts of the Barcelona Metropolitan area (e.g. Cornellà, Badalona, Hospitalet) which are predominantly Spanishspeaking The two most distinctive phonetic traits of 'xava' are: 1. the use of the phoneme 'a' instead of the neutral vowel (though this is not restricted to 'xava'. Many native Catalan speakers, (e.g. those from Lleida), don't use the neutral vowel either). 2. the use of an unvoiced 's' instead of voiced 's' (e.g. instead of 'els' being pronounced 'alz', it is pronounced 'alss'). In addition, the letter 'j' is often pronounced like an 'i' (e.g. 'injecció' is pronounced 'iniasció') DACCO - DACCO - The Open Source English-Catalan Dictionary m / f somebody who speaks 'xava' xaval noun [colloquial] m / f lad (xaval) / young boy (xaval) / lass (xavalla) / young girl (xavala) / kid (xaval o xavala) xavalla noun f small change / loose change / spare change / shrapnel (colloq) / coppers (Br.) xec noun m cheque (Br.) / check (Am.) expression xec en blanc m blank cheque (Br.) / blank check (Am.) xecic noun m sheik xel noun m chef xelli noun m / f (person / people) from Xella adjective relating to Xella or its people xelva noun m / f (person / people) from Xelva adjective relating to Xelva or its people xemenia noun 1 f fireplace / hearth 2 f chimney 3 f chanter 2 A 'chanter' is a part of a bagpipe. xenó noun m xenon xenòfob adjective xenophobic xenofòbia noun xenophobia xerà noun m / f (person / people) from Xera adjective relating to Xera or its people xeraquer noun m / f (person / people) from Xeraco adjective relating to Xeraco or its people xerès noun m sherry xeremies noun pl bagpipe(s) xeresà noun m / f (person / people) from Xeresa adjective relating to Xeresa or its people xerica noun m / f (person / people) from Xèrica adjective relating to Xèrica or its people xeringa noun f syringe xerrac noun 1 m saw 2 m rattle 3 m traditional, wooden, Mallorcan percussion instrument xerrada noun 1 f talk / chat 2 f informal lecture / briefing xerradissa noun f chatter xerrador noun m / f chatterbox adjective talkative xerraire noun m / f chatterbox adjective talkative xerrameca noun f chatter xerrar verb to chat / to chatter xerric verb to screech / to squeak xertolí noun m / f (person / people) from Xert adjective relating to Xert or its people xetà noun m / f (person / people) from Xest adjective relating to Xest or its people xestalgui noun m / f (person / people) from Xestalgair adjective relating to Xestalgair or its people xic adjective small / little noun 1 m / f kid / child 2 m little, bit xicana noun f chicane 250 DACCO - The Open Source English-Catalan Dictionary xiclet noun m chewing gum xicot noun m boyfriend xicota noun f girlfriend xicotet adjective tiny noun m / f little boy (or girl, or child) xifra noun f figure expression xifra de vendes f sales figures / turnover xifratge noun m encryption xiita adjective Shiite noun m / f Shiite Xile noun m Chile xilè adjective Chilean noun m / f Chilean xili noun m chilli (Br.) / chili (Am.) / chile (Am.) xilòfon noun 1 m xylophone 2 m / f xylophonist xilofonista noun m / f xylophonist xilografia noun f woodcutting xilar noun m / f (person / people) from Xilxes adjective relating to Xilxes or its people ximpanzé noun m chimpanzee / chimp ximple adjective stupid / dumb (Am.) / foolish noun m / f fool / idiot / dumbass (Am.) / simplet noun m / f fool / idiot / dumbass (Am.) / dimwit adjective stupid / dumb (Am.) / foolish Xina noun f China xinella noun f mule 'Xinella' is the 'mule' you wear on your foot. xinxés noun 1 m Chinese 2 m / f Chinese man / woman adjective Chinese xino-xano adverb slowly / at a leisurely pace xintoisme noun m Shinto / Shintoism xinxa noun f bedbug xinxaeta noun f drawing pin / thumbtack xinxilla noun f chinchilla xip noun m chip xipollejar verb to splash (about) Xipre noun m Cyprus xiprer noun m cypress xipriota adjective Cypriot noun m / f Cypriot xirimoia noun f custard apple xiringuito noun m beach bar / open-air bar This word is 'borrowed' from Spanish (chiringito). However, its use with Catalan spelling is widespread. A Catalan alternative, sanctioned by Termcat, would be 'quiosquet'. xiclet - xutar xiva noun m / f (person / people) from Xiva adjective relating to Xiva or its people xivarrí noun m din / racket xivert noun m / f (person / people) from Alcalá de Xivert adjective relating to Alcalá de Xivert or its people xivitona noun f sandpiper | Xivitona vulgar - Common sandpiper xixonenc noun m / f (person / people) from Xixona adjective relating to Xixona or its people xoc noun 1 m collision 2 m shock xocant adjective shocking xocar verb 1 to collide 2 (~ contra) to run into xocolata noun f chocolate / candy (Am.) expression xocolata desfeta f hot chocolate xodenc noun m / f (person / people) from Xodos adjective relating to Xodos or its people xofer noun m / f driver / chauffeur xop adjective soaking (wet) / dripping wet / soaked xopar verb to soak / to drench xoriço noun m chorizo xoriguer noun m kestrel xover noun m / f (person / people) from Xóvar adjective relating to Xóvar or its people xovinisme noun m chauvinism xovinista adjective chauvinistic noun m chauvinist xuclar verb 1 to suck 2 to download xufa noun f tiger nut Also 'xulla'. xulla noun m / f (person / people) from Xullilla adjective relating to Xullilla or its people xumet noun m dummy (Br.) / soother (Br.) / pacifier (Am.) xupa-xups noun m chupa-chups / lolipop / lolly (Br.) xurro noun m fríter / cruller xusma noun f rabble / riff-raff xut noun 1 m shot 2 m fix expression xut a país m field goal xutar verb 1 to shoot 2 to shoot up xiriveller noun m / f (person / people) from Xirivella adjective relating to Xirivella or its people xirivia noun f parsnip xisclar verb to scream / to shriek xiular verb to whistle xiuxiuejar verb to whisper 251 DACCO - Zàmbia - zulu DACCO - The Open Source English-Catalan Dictionary Y Z Zàmbia noun f Zambia zambiana noun m / f Zambian adjective Zambian zebra noun f zebra zebú noun m zebu zel noun 1 m zeal 2 m heat / rut expression en zel on heat zelós adjective zealous zenit noun m zenith zepell noun m zepellin zero noun m zero expression començar de zero to start from scratch zig-zaga noun f zigzag zig-zag noun m zigzag zigzaguejar verb to zigzag DACCO - Zimbabwe noun m Zimbabwe zimbabwès noun m / f Zimbabwean adjective Zimbabwean zinc noun m zinc zirconi noun m zirconium zodiac noun m zodiac zombi noun m / f zombie zona noun f zone / area zoo noun m zoo zoofília noun f zoophilia zoèleg noun m / f zoologist zoologia noun f zoology zoologic adjective zoological noun m zoo zoom noun 1 m zoom 2 m zoom lens zootècnia noun f zootechnics / zootechny / animal husbandry / animal farming zootècnic adjective zootechnical) noun m / f zootechnician / specialist in animal husbandry (or farming) zòster noun m zoster / shingles zulu noun 1 m Zulu 2 m / f Zulu adjective Zulu 252