

***algijana** Runic: ᚦᚦᚰᚦᚦᚦᚦ Pronunciation: /'al.ɣi.ja.nã/

verb · Weak class 1

Meanings

to feel nauseated; to feel like vomiting

Etymology

Uncertain. Probably from a Germanic word-family associated with filth, putrefaction, disgust, and nausea, formally a Weak class 1 **(i)jana* formation from a base ***alg-*. Compare Old Norse *ýlda* and Old High German *oltar*; possibly also Lithuanian *elmės*, *almens* (de Vaan 2008: s.v. *alga*; Torp 1909: 21, s.v. (*alk*)) Kroonen 2013: 21). No secure Proto-Indo-European etymon can be reconstructed. Comparison with PIE **h₂el-*, despite Ancient Greek *ἄλθαίνω* (*althainō*) and Latin *alvus*, is formally and semantically weak; the alternative comparison with the uncertain PIE **h₂elǵ^h-*/**h₂elǵ^h-* proposed for Latin *algeō* is likewise unsupported (Rix et al. 2001: 263; van Beek 2024: 230–33).

Conjugation

Present active

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive	Imperative
1st singular	algijō	algijau	—
2nd singular	algīsi	algijais	algī
3rd singular	algīpi	algijai	algijapau
1st dual	algijōs	algijaiw	—
2nd dual	algijapiz	algijaiþiz	algijapiz
1st plural	algijamaz	algijaim	—
2nd plural	algīþ	algijaip	algīþ
3rd plural	algijanþi	algijain	algijanþau

Present passive

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive
1st singular	algijai	—
2nd singular	algijasai	algijaisau
3rd singular	algijapai	algijaiþau
1st dual	—	—
2nd dual	—	—
1st plural	algijanþai	algijainþau
2nd plural	algijanþai	algijainþau
3rd plural	algijanþai	algijainþau

Past

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive
1st singular	algidō	algidēdī
2nd singular	algidēz	algidēdīz
3rd singular	algidē	algidēdī
1st dual	algidēdū	algidēdīw
2nd dual	algidēdudiz	algidēdīdiz
1st plural	algidēdum	algidēdīm
2nd plural	algidēdud	algidēdīd
3rd plural	algidēdun	algidēdīn

Non-finite Forms

Infinitive	Present Participle	Past Participle
algijanaꝥ	algijandz	algidaz

Descendants

- *elgja (Old Norse)

elgja (Icelandic)

elgja (Norwegian)

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Related Words

Words mentioned in this entry

*-(i)janaꝥ¹ suffix *-(i)janaꝥ² suffix