

*andawardaz

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Pronunciation: /'an.da.,war.ðaz/

adjective · a-stem

Meanings

present; being before or in the presence of someone

Etymology

From **anda-* + **wardaz*², literally ‘turned toward, facing (one)’, hence ‘present’. The second constituent belongs to the ablauting verbal-adjectival series **-wardaz* ~ **-werdaz* (‘turned’), beside **werþanq*, with Verner's Law **d* ~ **þ* (Faltings 2010: 588–89; Heidermanns 1993: 56, 658–59, 672–73). The West Germanic forms support **andawardaz*, while Gothic reflects the **-werdaz* variant, with **þ* analogically restored after *𐍄𐍂𐍄𐍆𐍂𐍆𐍄* (*wairþan*) (Heidermanns 1993: 672–73). Compare semantically Latin *praesēns* < *praesum*, an independent parallel for spatial ‘before, in front of’ > ‘present’ (de Vaan 2008: 599; Lewis & Short 1879: s.v. *praesum*).

Declension

Strong declension

Case	Sg. Masc.	Sg. Fem.	Sg. Neut.	Pl. Masc.	Pl. Fem.
Nom.	andawardaz	andawardō	andawardā, -atō	andawardai	andawardōz
Acc.	andawardanq̅	andawardq̅	andawardā, -atō	andawardanz	andawardōz
Gen.	andawardas, -is	andawardaizōz	andawardas, -is	andawardaizô	andawardaizô
Dat.	andawardammai	andawardaizoi	andawardammai	andawardaimaz	andawardaimaz
Inst.	andawardanō	andawardaizō	andawardanō	andawardaimiz	andawardaimiz

Weak declension

Case	Sg. Masc.	Sg. Fem.	Sg. Neut.	Pl. Masc.	Pl. Fem.	Pl. Neut.
Nom.	andawardô	andawardô	andawardô	andawardaniz	andawardôniz	andawardôniz
Acc.	andawardanų	andawardônų	andawardô	andawardanunz	andawardônunz	andawardônunz
Gen.	andawardiniz	andawardôniz	andawardiniz	andawardanĥ	andawardônĥ	andawardônĥ
Dat.	andawardini	andawardôni	andawardini	andawardammaz	andawardômaz	andawardômaz
Inst.	andawardinē	andawardônē	andawardinē	andawardammiz	andawardômiz	andawardômiz

Descendants

***andaward** (Proto-West Germanic)

antwort (Old High German)

andward (Old Saxon)

***andaward** (Proto-West Germanic)

andweard, andward, andwerd, andwurd, andwyrd (Old English)

andweard, aundward, anwerd (Middle English)

𐌰𐌶𐌳𐌹𐌿𐌸 (andwairþs) (Gothic)

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Related Words

Words mentioned in this entry

*anda- prefix *wardaz² adjective *werpaną verb