

***apluz** Runic: ᚱᚲᚱᚱᚿ Pronunciation: /'ap.luz/

noun · masculine · u-stem

Meanings

alternative u-stem form of *aplaz ('apple, fruit')

Etymology

A secondary u-stem variant of **aplaz*, ultimately from Proto-Indo-European **h₂ébōl*; see **aplaz* for the full Indo-European etymology. The Germanic u-stem probably arose through reanalysis of the inherited consonant-stem accusative singular, **h₂ebolm* > pre-Germanic **abl̥m* > **aplum*, whose final *-um* was interpreted as a u-stem formation; the u-stem was then extended analogically through the paradigm (Stifter 2019: 197; Wodtko et al. 2008: 262–66).

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	apluz	apliwiz
Acc.	aplu	aplunz
Gen.	aplauz	apliwô
Dat.	apliwi	aplumaz
Inst.	aplū	aplumiz
Voc.	aplu	apliwiz

Descendants

***applu, *apl** (Proto-West Germanic)

***appel, ephela, apheles** (Old Dutch)

appel, āpel (Middle Dutch)

appel (Dutch)

Apel, appel (Limburgish)

***applu, *apl** (Proto-West Germanic)

æppel, apl, appel, æppyl (Old English)

appel, apple, appyl, appyll, appil, appill, appell, eppel, appul, appull, appulle, eappel,

æppel, æpple (Middle English)

apple (English)

aipple (Scots)

***applu, *apl** (Proto-West Germanic)

appel (Old Frisian)

Apel, Appel (Saterland Frisian)

apel, appel (West Frisian)

***applu, *apl** (Proto-West Germanic)

apful, aphul, apfol, afful, *appul (Old High German)

apfel, epfel, öpfel, appel (Middle High German)

Öpfel, Apfel (Alemannic German)

Åpfe (Bavarian)

Apfel (German)

אַפּל (epl) (Yiddish)

***applu, *apl** (Proto-West Germanic)

appel, appul, apl (Old Saxon)

appel (Middle Low German)

Appel (Low German)

Aupel (Plautdietsch)

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