

## \*Audawiniz

Runic: 𐰇𐰏𐰚𐰖𐰚𐰏𐰚𐰚𐰚

Pronunciation: /'aυ.ðɑ. wi.niz/

proper noun · masculine · i-stem

## Meanings

a male given name

## Etymology

From *\*audaz* + *\*winiz*. The compound is continued directly by Old English *Ēadwine* and continental Germanic *Audowin*, *Audwin*, *Auduin*, *Audoin*, the latter forms being attested from the sixth century onward ([Förstemann 1900: 204, s.v. Audowin](#)). The second constituent retains the masculine *i*-stem *\*winiz*, reflected independently in Old Norse *vinr*, Old English *wine*, Old Saxon *wini*, and Old High German *wini* ([Fulk 2018: 159](#)).

## Declension

| Case  | Singular  | Plural |
|-------|-----------|--------|
| Nom.  | Audawiniz | —      |
| Acc.  | Audawinj  | —      |
| Gen.  | Audawinīz | —      |
| Dat.  | Audawinī  | —      |
| Inst. | Audawinī  | —      |
| Voc.  | Audawini  | —      |

# Descendants

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\***Audawini** (Proto-West Germanic)  
|    **Ēadwine, Ædwine, Ēdwine** (Old English)  
|    |    **Edwin** (English)

\***Audawini** (Proto-West Germanic)  
|    **Audowin, \*Ōtwini** (Old High German)  
|    |    **Audioinus** (Latin)  
|    |    |    **Audoïn** (English)

\***Audawini** (Proto-West Germanic)  
|    **Audowin, \*Ōtwini** (Old High German)  
|    |    **Otwin** (German)

**Auðunn** (Old Norse)  
|    **Eyðun** (Faroese)  
|    **Auðunn** (Icelandic)  
|    **Audun, Augun, Odin** (Norwegian)  
|    **Öden** (Swedish)

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## Words mentioned in this entry

\*audaz noun    \*winiz noun