

***berhtaz** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'berx.taz/

adjective · a-stem

Meanings

bright, shining

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European **b^her* (H)ǵ-tó-s, from root **b^herHǵ-* ('to shine') + **-tós* (creates verbal adjectives from verb roots). Cognate with Proto-Celtic **berxtos*, Proto-Albanian **bardza* ('white').

Declension

Strong declension

Case	Sg. Masc.	Sg. Fem.	Sg. Neut.	Pl. Masc.	Pl. Fem.	Pl. Neut.
Nom.	berhtaz	berhtō	berhta, -atō	berhtai	berhtōz	berhtō
Acc.	berhtanō	berhtō	berhta, -atō	berhtanz	berhtōz	berhtō
Gen.	berhtas, -is	berhtaizōz	berhtas, -is	berhtaizō	berhtaizō	berhtaizō
Dat.	berhtammai	berhtaizōi	berhtammai	berhtaimaz	berhtaimaz	berhtaimaz
Inst.	berhtanō	berhtaizō	berhtanō	berhtaimiz	berhtaimiz	berhtaimiz

Weak declension

Case	Sg. Masc.	Sg. Fem.	Sg. Neut.	Pl. Masc.	Pl. Fem.	Pl. Neut.
Nom.	berhtô	berhtō	berhtô	berhtaniz	berhtōniz	berhtōnō
Acc.	berhtanų	berhtōnų	berhtô	berhtanunz	berhtōnunz	berhtōnō
Gen.	berhtiniz	berhtōniz	berhtiniz	berhtanġ	berhtōnġ	berhtanġ
Dat.	berhtini	berhtōni	berhtini	berhtammaz	berhtōmaz	berhtammaz
Inst.	berhtinē	berhtōnē	berhtinē	berhtammiz	berhtōmiz	berhtammiz

Descendants

*berht (Proto-West Germanic)
*berht (Old Dutch)
onbrecht, ombrecht (Middle Dutch)
*berht (Proto-West Germanic)
*berht (Old Dutch)
Brecht, Brechta, Bert, Berte (Middle Dutch)
Brecht, Bert (Dutch)
*berht (Proto-West Germanic)
beorht, berht, bryht, byrht (Old English)
briht, briȝt, bright (Middle English)
bricht (Scots)
*berht (Proto-West Germanic)
beorht, berht, bryht, byrht (Old English)
briht, briȝt, bright (Middle English)
bright (English)
bræt (Icelandic)
*berht (Proto-West Germanic)
berht, perht, beraht, peraht (Old High German)
bërht (Middle High German)
Bert, Bert-, -bert, -brecht (German)
*berht (Proto-West Germanic)
berht, perht, beraht, peraht (Old High German)

giberaht (Old High German)

gebërht (Middle High German)

***berht** (Proto-West Germanic)

berht, beraht (Old Saxon)

brecht (Middle Low German)

bjartr (Old Norse)

bjartur (Faroese)

bjartur (Icelandic)

bjart (Norwegian Nynorsk)

bjartr (Old Norse)

biært, bærth (Old Danish)

bjært (Danish)

bjartr (Old Norse)

biærter (Old Swedish)

bjärt (Swedish)

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