

***bremisō** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'bre.mi.sõ:/

noun · feminine · ōn-stem

Meanings

gadfly, horsefly

Etymology

Possibly from pre-Germanic *b^hrem-i-s-ōn, from Proto-Indo-European *b^hrem-o-s ~ *b^hrem-es-o-s, a neuter s-stem from root *b^hrem- ('to make noise') which was subsequently thematicized as an a-stem and individualized as a weak n-stem. There is evidence from Old High German that there was also an original n-stem derived directly from the root.

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	bremisō	bremisōniz
Acc.	bremisōnu	bremisōnunz
Gen.	bremisōniz	bremisōnô
Dat.	bremisōni	bremisōmaz
Inst.	bremisōnē	bremisōmiz
Voc.	bremisō	bremisōniz

Descendants

*bremā, *bremisā (Proto-West Germanic)

***brimissa** (Old Dutch)

bremse, breemse (Middle Dutch)

brems (Dutch)

***bremā, *bremisā** (Proto-West Germanic)

brimsa, brēosa (Old English)

brimse, brese (Middle English)

breese, breeze (insect) (English)

***bremā, *bremisā** (Proto-West Germanic)

brimissa, brema (Old High German)

breme (Middle High German)

Breme (German)

***bremā, *bremisā** (Proto-West Germanic)

brimissa (Old Saxon)

brēmse (Middle Low German)

Bremse (German)

Bremse, Brems (Low German)

brims (Old Norse)

brims (Icelandic)

brems (Norwegian)

brims (Old Norse)

brims, brimse (Old Danish)

brems, bremse (Danish)

brims (Old Norse)

brims, bryms (Old Swedish)

bröms, broms (Swedish)

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