

***būą** Runic: 𐌲𐌺𐌰 Pronunciation: /'bu:.ũ/

noun · neuter · a-stem

Meanings

building, dwelling

Etymology

From pre-Germanic *b^hū-o-m, a nominalization derived from Proto-Indo-European *b^húH-e/o-, the root aorist subjunctive of *b^huH- (‘to be, become, grow, appear’) ([Vijūnas 2022](#)).

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	būą	būō
Acc.	būą	būō
Gen.	būas, būis	būō
Dat.	būai	būamaz
Inst.	būō	būamiz
Voc.	būą	būō

Descendants

bū (Old English)

bi, by (Middle English)

bū (Old Saxon)

bó (Old East Norse)

bo (Danish)

bo (Norwegian Bokmål)

bó (Old East Norse)

bō (Old Swedish)

bo (Swedish)

bú (Old West Norse)

bú, búgv (Faroese)

bú (Icelandic)

bú (Old West Norse)

bu (Norwegian Nynorsk)

bu (Norwegian Bokmål)

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