

***druhtiz** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'druːx.tiz/

noun · feminine · i-stem

Meanings

band of retainers, troop

Etymology

From pre-Germanic *druktis, from Proto-Indo-European *dʰrewǵʰ-ti-s ~ *dʰrugʰ-téy-s, from a zero-grade form of root *dʰrewǵʰ- ('to accompany, be loyal') with expected change from *-ǵʰt- > *-ht- via the Proto-Germanic spirant law. Compare Proto-Slavic **drŭgъ* ('companion'). Related to *dreugana ('to serve, be a retainer').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	druhtiz	druhtīz
Acc.	druhtj	druhtinz
Gen.	druhtīz	druhtijō
Dat.	druhtī	druhtimaz
Inst.	druhtī	druhtimiz
Voc.	druhti	druhtīz

Descendants

***druhti** (Proto-West Germanic)

druht (Old Dutch)

drucht (Middle Dutch)

***druhti** (Proto-West Germanic)

dryht (Old English)

dright (English)

***druhti** (Proto-West Germanic)

drecht, dracht (Old Frisian)

dregte (North Frisian)

***druhti** (Proto-West Germanic)

truht (Old High German)

truht (Middle High German)

***druhti** (Proto-West Germanic)

***druht** (Old Saxon)

drucht (Middle Low German)

drótt (Old Norse)

drótt (Icelandic)

drott (Norwegian Nynorsk)

𐌳𐌹𐌺𐌹𐌸** (drauhts**), **𐌱𐌳𐌹𐌺𐌹𐌸** (**gadrauhts**), **𐌳𐌹𐌺𐌹𐌸𐌹𐌶𐌴𐌹𐌺𐌴** (**drauhtinōn**) (Gothic)

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