

**\*hangistaz** Runic: 𐌺𐌹𐌿𐌸𐌹𐌳𐌹𐌶𐌰 Pronunciation: /'xɑŋ.gis.taz/

noun · masculine · a-stem

## Meanings

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horse, stallion

## Etymology

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From Proto-Indo-European *\*kánkestos*, *\*kankestos* ('horse'), with further analysis rather uncertain; the word appears to trace back further to a root *\*kenk-* ('to gallop, move agilely'), though the morphology is not exactly clear, and may be cognate with Lithuanian *šankùs* ('nimble'), as well as Welsh *caseg* ('mare') and Persian خنگ (*xeng*, 'gray horse'). Compare also *\*hanhaz* ('heel').

## Declension

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| Case  | Singular             | Plural               |
|-------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Nom.  | hangistaz            | hangistōz, hangistōs |
| Acc.  | hangistą             | hangistanz           |
| Gen.  | hangistas, hangistis | hangistō             |
| Dat.  | hangistai            | hangistamaz          |
| Inst. | hangistō             | hangistamiz          |
| Voc.  | hangist              | hangistōz, hangistōs |

## Descendants

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**\*hangist** (Proto-West Germanic)

**hengist** (Old Dutch)

**hengest, hinxt, henxt** (Middle Dutch)

**hengst** (Dutch)

**hings** (Afrikaans)

**\*hangist** (Proto-West Germanic)

**hengest, hengst** (Old English)

**henxman, henxtman, henschman** (Middle English)

**hensman, henceman** (Scots)

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**hengest, hengst** (Old English)

**henxman, henxtman, henschman** (Middle English)

**henchman** (English)

**hanchman** (Scots)

**\*hangist** (Proto-West Germanic)

**hengst, hangst, hanxt, hingst** (Old Frisian)

**hingst** (North Frisian)

**Houngst, Hoangst** (Saterland Frisian)

**\*hangist** (Proto-West Germanic)

**hengst, hangst, hanxt, hingst** (Old Frisian)

**hynst** (West Frisian)

**hynder** (West Frisian)

**\*hangist** (Proto-West Germanic)

**hengist** (Old High German)

**hengest, hengst** (Middle High German)

**Hengscht** (Alemannic German)

**Hengst** (German)

**Hengscht** (Luxembourgish)

**?** (Rhine Franconian)

**\*hangist** (Proto-West Germanic)

**hengist** (Old Saxon)

**hengest, hingest, hengst, hingst** (Middle Low German)

**hingst** (Danish)

**Hingst** (German Low German)

**hengist** (Lower Sorbian)

**hingst** (Norwegian)

**\*hangist** (Proto-West Germanic)

## hengist (Old Saxon)

## hengest, hingest, hengst, hingst (Middle Low German)

## hingist (Old Swedish)

## hingst (Swedish)

𐌺𐌹𐌽𐌸𐌰𐌿𐌸𐌰𐌺𐌰 (hagestumr) (Proto-Norse)

## hestr (Old Norse)

est (Elfdalian)

## hestur (Faroese)

## häst (Gutnish)

## hestur (Icelandic)

## hest (Norn)

## hest, hesten (Scots)

𐌺𐌹𐌽𐌸𐌴𐌹𐌸𐌰𐌿𐌸 (hagestumr) (Proto-Norse)

## hestr (Old Norse)

### hester (Middle Norwegian)

## hest, hest'e, heist (Norwegian Nynorsk)

𐌺𐌹𐌽𐌸𐌴𐌹𐌸𐌰𐌹𐌸𐌰 (hagestumr) (Proto-Norse)

## hestr (Old Norse)

## hæst (Old Danish)

## hæst (Scanian)

𐌺𐌹𐌽𐌸𐌴𐌹𐌸𐌰𐌿𐌸 (hagestumr) (Proto-Norse)

## hestr (Old Norse)

## hæst (Old Danish)

## hest (Danish)

**hiisti, hesti** (Greenlandic)

## hest (Norwegian Bokmål)

𐌺𐌹𐌽𐌸𐌰𐌿𐌸𐌰𐌺𐌰 (hagestumr) (Proto-Norse)

## hestr (Old Norse)

## hæster (Old Swedish)

**häst** (Swedish)

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