

***harpō** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'xar.põ:/

noun · feminine · ōn-stem

Meanings

harp (plucked string instrument)

Etymology

Uncertain. Probably from Proto-Indo-European **(s)kreb-* ('to turn, bend, shrink, rotate, touch, attack'), from **(s)ker-* ('to turn; bend'). Compare Proto-Germanic **hrapōną* ('to touch; strum'); note also Latin *corbis* ('basket').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	harpō	harpōniz
Acc.	harpōnų	harpōnunz
Gen.	harpōniz	harpōnĕ
Dat.	harpōni	harpōmaz
Inst.	harpōnē	harpōmiz
Voc.	harpō	harpōniz

Descendants

***harpā** (Proto-West Germanic)

harpa (Late Latin)

***harpā** (Proto-West Germanic)

harpa (Old Dutch)

harpe, herpe (Middle Dutch)

harp (Dutch)

harp (Afrikaans)

***harpā** (Proto-West Germanic)

hearpe (Old English)

harpe (Middle English)

harp (English)

harpe, herp, hairp (Scots)

***harpā** (Proto-West Germanic)

***herpe** (Old Frisian)

harpe, harp (West Frisian)

***harpā** (Proto-West Germanic)

harfa, *harpha (Old High German)

harfa (Czech)

ápφα (árfa) (Russian)

hârfa, xâpφα (Serbo-Croatian)

harfa (Slovak)

harfa (Slovene)

ápφα (árfa) (Ukrainian)

***harpā** (Proto-West Germanic)

harfa, *harpha (Old High German)

harfe, harpfe (Middle High German)

Harpfn (Bavarian)

harfa, arfa (Kashubian)

Harf (Luxembourgish)

arfa (Old Polish)

Haf, Harf (Rhine Franconian)

***harpā** (Proto-West Germanic)

harfa, *harpha (Old High German)

harfe, harpfe (Middle High German)

Harfe, Harpfe (German)

Harfe (Saterland Frisian)

***harpā** (Proto-West Germanic)

harpa (Old Saxon)

harpe (Middle Low German)

Harp (Low German)

Hoap (Plautdietsch)

harpa (Old Norse)

harpe (Danish)

arpa (Elfdalian)

harpa, hørpa (Faroese)

harpa (Icelandic)

harpa (Norn)

harpe (Norwegian)

harpa (Old Norse)

harpa (Old Swedish)

harpa (Swedish)

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