

***hinder**¹ Runic:  Pronunciation: /ˈxin.der/
adverb

Meanings

back, on that side of, behind

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European **k^hem-tér-* (‘down, back, along, over, through’), from **kóm* (‘beside, near, by, with’). Cognate with Latin *contrā* (‘back, against’), Old Welsh *cant* (‘with, at, along’); > Modern Welsh *gan* (‘with, by’), Ancient Greek *κατά* (*katá*) (‘downwards’).

An alternative theory by Orel derives the term from **hiz* (‘this’), and thus from Proto-Indo-European **kís*.

Descendants

? (Proto-West Germanic)

hinder (Old English)

? (Proto-West Germanic)

hinder (Old Dutch)

hinder (Middle Dutch)

hinder (Dutch)

? (Proto-West Germanic)

hintar (Old High German)

hinter (Middle High German)

henger, henner, honner, hönner, hinger (Central Franconian)

hintare (Cimbrian)

hinter (German)

hanner (Luxembourgish)

הינטער (**hinter**) (Yiddish)

hindar (Old Norse)

𐌿𐌹𐌸𐌰𐌹 (**hinda**r) (Gothic)

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