

***hōbiz** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'xɔ:.βiz/

adjective · i-stem

Meanings

fitting, proper

Etymology

Vꝛddhi gerundive of *habjana (‘to have; to hold’).

Declension

Strong declension

Case	Sg. Masc.	Sg. Fem.	Sg. Neut.	Pl. Masc.	Pl. Fem.	Pl. Neut.
Nom.	hōbiz	hōbī	hōbj, -jatō	hōbijai	hōbijōz	hōbijō
Acc.	hōbijanō	hōbijō	hōbj, -jatō	hōbijanz	hōbijōz	hōbijō
Gen.	hōbijas, hōbīs	hōbijaizōz	hōbijas, hōbīs	hōbijaizô	hōbijaizô	hōbijaizô
Dat.	hōbijammai	hōbijaizōi	hōbijammai	hōbijaimaz	hōbijaimaz	hōbijaimaz
Inst.	hōbijanō	hōbijaizō	hōbijanō	hōbijaimiz	hōbijaimiz	hōbijaimiz

Weak declension

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Nom.	hōbijō	hōbijō	hōbijō	hōbijaniz	hōbijōniz	hōbijōnō
Acc.	hōbijanų	hōbijōnų	hōbijō	hōbijanunz	hōbijōnunz	hōbijōnō
Gen.	hōbīniz	hōbijōniz	hōbīniz	hōbijanô	hōbijōnô	hōbijanô
Dat.	hōbīni	hōbijōni	hōbīni	hōbijammaz	hōbijōmaz	hōbijammaz
Inst.	hōbīnē	hōbijōnē	hōbīnē	hōbijammiz	hōbijōmiz	hōbijammiz

Descendants

- *hōbī (Proto-West Germanic)
 - *hēfe (Old English)
 - behēfe (Old English)
 - biheve, behefe, behef, believe (Middle English)

- hœfr (Old Norse)
 - hæfur (Icelandic)

- hófr (Old Norse)
 - hæfur (Icelandic)

- *hǫbs (*hōbs) (Gothic)
 - 𐌲𐌿𐌺𐌰𐌸𐌰𐌶𐌴𐌹𐌸 (gahōbains) (Gothic)

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