

***kwistiz** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'kʷis.tiz/

noun · feminine · i-stem

Meanings

damage, destruction

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European **(s)gʷes-* (‘extinguish, quell’). Cognate with Sanskrit जासयति (*jāsáyati*) (jāsayati, ‘to exhaust’), Lithuanian *gęstù* (‘to extinguish, to go out’), Irish bás (‘death’) and Old Church Slavonic *оугасити* (*ugasiti*) (ugasiti, ‘to extinguish’).

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	kwistiz	kwistīz
Acc.	kwistj	kwistinz
Gen.	kwistīz	kwistijō
Dat.	kwistī	kwistimaz
Inst.	kwistī	kwistimiz
Voc.	kwisti	kwistīz

Descendants

*kwisti (Proto-West Germanic)

kwist, quist (Old High German)

***quist** (Old Dutch)
quist (Middle Dutch)

***quist** (Old Saxon)
quist (Middle Low German)

𐌺𐌹𐌸𐌰𐍄𐌴𐌹𐌽𐌶𐌰𐌺 (**fragistnan**) (Gothic)

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