

***maizô** Runic: ᚠᚢᚱᚩᚱᚰ Pronunciation: /'mqj.zɔː/

adjective · an/in-stem

Meanings

comparative degree of *mikilaz

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European *méh₂-is-on-, a comparative formation in *-is- from *meh₂- ('good; opportune'). Cognate with Proto-Celtic **māros* ('big, great').

Declension

Strong declension

Case	Sg. Masc.	Sg. Fem.	Sg. Neut.	Pl. Masc.	Pl. Fem.	Pl. Neut.
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Descendants

- ***mairō** (Proto-West Germanic)
 - māra** (Old English)
 - more, mare, moore** (Middle English)
 - more** (English)
 - mair** (Geordie)
 - mair** (Scots)
 - more, mo'** (Yola)

- ***mairō** (Proto-West Germanic)
 - māra** (Old Frisian)
 - moor** (Saterland Frisian)
 - mear** (West Frisian)

- ***mairō** (Proto-West Germanic)
 - mēro** (Old Saxon)
 - mêr** (Middle Low German)
 - mehr** (Low German)

- ***mairō** (Proto-West Germanic)
 - mēro, mērro** (Old Dutch)
 - mere** (Middle Dutch)
 - meer** (Dutch)
 - meer** (Afrikaans)

- ***mairō** (Proto-West Germanic)
 - mēro** (Old High German)
 - mēr, mēre** (Middle High German)

meer (Alemannic German)

mehr (German)

מער (**mer**) (Yiddish)

***mairō** (Proto-West Germanic)

meiri (Old Norse)

meiri, meira, meir (Icelandic)

meiri, meira (Faroese)

meir, (dialectal) meire, meira (Norwegian Nynorsk)

mera (Swedish)

mere (Danish)

mer, mere (Norwegian Bokmål)

𐌿𐍂𐌿𐌿𐌵 (**maiza**) (Gothic)

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