

***manja** Runic: ᚖᚖᚗᚗ Pronunciation: /'man.jǣ/

noun · neuter · ja-stem

Meanings

necklace, neck ring

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European *mony-o-m, from *mony- (‘crest, mane’), probably from *mon- (‘neck’). Compare Sanskrit मणि (*maṇi*) (maṇi, ‘neck ornament, gem’), Old Irish *muin* (‘neck’), Latin *monile* (‘necklace, collar; jewels’).

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	manja	manjō
Acc.	manja	manjō
Gen.	manjas, manis	manjô
Dat.	manjai	manjamaz
Inst.	manjō	manjamiz
Voc.	manja	manjō

Descendants

***mani** (Proto-West Germanic)

mene, myne (Old English)

myne, mune (Middle English)

***mani** (Proto-West Germanic)

menni (Old High German)

mene, menī (Middle High German)

***mani** (Proto-West Germanic)

***meni** (Old Saxon)

halsmeni (Old Saxon)

men (Old Norse)

men, hálsmen (Icelandic)

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