

***melwą** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'mel.wã/

noun · neuter · a-stem

Meanings

ground corn, meal, flour

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European **melh₂-wo-m*, from **melh₂-* (‘to beat; crush; grind’); by synchronic analysis, a *wa*-stem nominal formation from **malaną* (‘to grind’). Cognate with Latin *molō*.

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	melwą	melwō
Acc.	melwą	melwō
Gen.	melwas, milwis	melwō
Dat.	melwai	melwamaz
Inst.	melwō	melwamiz
Voc.	melwą	melwō

Descendants

***melu** (Proto-West Germanic)

 ***melo** (Old Dutch)

mēle, meel (Middle Dutch)

mael (Limburgish)

***melu** (Proto-West Germanic)

***melo** (Old Dutch)

mēle, meel (Middle Dutch)

meel (Dutch)

meel (Afrikaans)

meli (Berbice Creole Dutch)

meli (Lokono)

meel, mil (Negerhollands)

***melu** (Proto-West Germanic)

melu, meolu, melo, meolo (Old English)

mele, meale, meele, melow (Middle English)

meal (English)

meil, mele (Scots)

mele, mell (Yola)

***melu** (Proto-West Germanic)

mele (Old Frisian)

meel, mal (North Frisian)

Meel (Saterland Frisian)

moal (West Frisian)

***melu** (Proto-West Germanic)

melo (Old High German)

mël (Middle High German)

Mël, Mèhl (Alemannic German)

Mej, Möö (Bavarian)

? (Central Franconian)

Mehl (German)

? (Rhine Franconian)

maoł (Vilamovian)

מעל (mel) (Yiddish)

***melu** (Proto-West Germanic)

melo (Old Saxon)

mēle, mel (Middle Low German)

mael (Dutch Low Saxon)

Mehl (German Low German)

mjǫl (Old Norse)

mjøl (Faroese)

mjöl (Icelandic)

mjøl (Old Norse)

mjøl (Norwegian Nynorsk)

mjøl (Norwegian Bokmål)

mjøl (Old Norse)

miel, miøl, miæl, mial, mel (Old Danish)

mel (Danish)

mel (Norwegian Bokmål)

mjøl (Old Norse)

miol, miøl, møl (Old Swedish)

mjöl (Swedish)

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