

**\*mundō** Runic: 𐌚𐌚𐌚𐌚 Pronunciation: /'mun.dɔ:/

noun · feminine · ō-stem

## Meanings

- hand
- protection, security

## Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European *\*mh<sub>2</sub>-nt-éh<sub>2</sub>* ('the beckoning one'), from *\*(s)meh<sub>2</sub>-* ('to beckon').  
Cognate with Proto-Italic *\*manus* ('hand').

## Declension

| Case  | Singular | Plural   |
|-------|----------|----------|
| Nom.  | mundō    | mundōz   |
| Acc.  | mundō    | mundōz   |
| Gen.  | mundōz   | mundō    |
| Dat.  | mundōi   | mundōmaz |
| Inst. | mundō    | mundōmiz |
| Voc.  | mundō    | mundōz   |

## Descendants

\***mundu** (Proto-West Germanic)

**mund** (Old Frisian)

\***mundu** (Proto-West Germanic)

    \***mund** (Old Dutch)

**mond** (Middle Dutch)

**mond** (Dutch)

\***mundu** (Proto-West Germanic)

**mund** (Old English)

**mund, mound** (Middle English)

**mound, mund** (English)

\***mundu** (Proto-West Germanic)

**munt, munta** (Old High German)

**munt** (Middle High German)

**Mund, Munt** (German)

\***mundu** (Proto-West Germanic)

**mund** (Old Saxon)

**munt** (Middle Low German)

**Vörmundskupp** (German Low German)

**mund** (Old Norse)

**mund** (Icelandic)

**mund** (Old Danish)

**mund** (Old Swedish)

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