

***mēdwō** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'mɛ:ð.wɔ:/

noun · feminine · ō-stem

Meanings

meadow

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European **h₂meh₁-* ('to mow') + **-dwō*; see also Proto-Germanic **mēþa* ('a mowing'). Cognate with Latin *metere* ('to cut down; reap; mow').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	mēdwō	mēdwōz
Acc.	mēdwō	mēdwōz
Gen.	mēdwōz	mēdwō
Dat.	mēdwōi	mēdwōmaz
Inst.	mēdwō	mēdwōmiz
Voc.	mēdwō	mēdwōz

Descendants

***mādu** (Proto-West Germanic)

***māda** (Old Dutch)

māde (Middle Dutch)

made (Dutch)

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mǣd, mēd (Old English)

mede, medwe (Middle English)

mead, meadow (English)

meeda (Scots)

mead (Yola)

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Meed, Mede (German Low German)

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