

***pōlaz** Runic: 𐌱𐌴𐌻𐌰 Pronunciation: /'pɔː.laz/

noun · masculine · a-stem

Meanings

pool

Etymology

(SS: see article polaz-Acta_Linguistica_Lithuanica.pdf in pgmc folder re bola-) From presumed pre-Germanic *bōlos, from virtual Proto-Indo-European *bel-, *bal- ('bog, marsh'), which may be a European substrate term borrowed into multiple Indo-European branches. Potential cognates include Proto-Slavic **bolto* ('swamp'), Modern Greek βάλτος (váltos, 'swamp, bog'), Romanian baltă ('swamp, puddle'), Albanian baltë ('mud, swamp'), as well as Proto-Slavic *bala, *balъka ('pool; ravine'), Lithuanian *balà* ('bog; marsh; swamp; pool'), Latvian *bala* ('a muddy, treeless depression').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	pōlaz	pōlōz, pōlōs
Acc.	pōla	pōlanz
Gen.	pōlas, pōlis	pōlô
Dat.	pōlai	pōlamaz
Inst.	pōlō	pōlamiz
Voc.	pōl	pōlōz, pōlōs

Descendants

***pōl** (Proto-West Germanic)

puol (Old Dutch)

poel (Middle Dutch)

poel (Dutch)

poel (Afrikaans)

***pōl** (Proto-West Germanic)

pōl (Old English)

pol, pole, pool (Middle English)

pool (English)

pule, puil, peel (Scots)

***pōl** (Proto-West Germanic)

pōl (Old Frisian)

Pol, Poul (Saterland Frisian)

poel (West Frisian)

***pōl** (Proto-West Germanic)

pfuol, phuol (Old High German)

phuol (Middle High German)

Pfuhl (German)

Puhl (Hunsrik)

Pull (Luxembourgish)

***pōl** (Proto-West Germanic)

***pōl** (Old Saxon)

pōl, pûl (Middle Low German)

pø1 (Danish)

Pool, Pohl, Puhl (German Low German)

pø1 (Norwegian)

pöl (Swedish)

***poela** (Old Norse)

pøla (Norwegian)

***pōlijō** (Old Norse)

pøla (Norwegian)

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