

***raginą** Runic: ᚱᚦX|ᚦᚦ Pronunciation: /'ra.ɣi.nã/

noun · neuter · a-stem

Meanings

1. decision, advice, counsel
2. the gods, the ruling powers

Etymology

From pre-Germanic *Hrokénom, from an en-stem derivative of an uncertain root, probably Proto-Indo-European **Hrek-* ('to speak'). Related to Old Church Slavonic **рокъ** (*rokŭ*) (rokŭ, 'time'), Russian рок (rok, 'fate'). Compare Gothic 𐌲𐌹-𐌸𐌺𐌰𐌶𐌰𐌽𐌰 f (ga-rēhsns, '*decision; schedule, plan') and 𐌹𐌺𐌶𐌰𐌴𐌹𐌶𐌰 (rahnjan, 'to reckon, consider'), with distinct semantics from the parallel *-jan- verb *rahnijaną ('to plunder').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	raginą	raginō
Acc.	raginą	raginō
Gen.	raginas, raginis	raginô
Dat.	raginai	raginamaz
Inst.	raginō	raginamiz
Voc.	raginą	raginō

Descendants

***ragin** (Proto-West Germanic)

| ***regin** (Old High German)

𐑱𐑲𐑴 (**ragin**) (Gothic)

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