

***rakkô** Runic: ᚱᚦᚢ Pronunciation: /'rak.koː/

noun · masculine · an-stem

Meanings

- cord; strap
- dog

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European **reǵ-* ('to tie, bind'). The "dog" sense may be a separate word, as the Old English shows a differing declension to the Old Norse, and appears to be derived from a u-stem. Compare also Old High German brakko ('beagle, hunting dog'), brekka ('bitch, setter').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	rakkô	rakkaniz
Acc.	rakkanu	rakkanunz
Gen.	rakkiniz	rakkanô
Dat.	rakkini	rakkammaz
Inst.	rakkinē	rakkammiz
Voc.	rakkô	rakkaniz

Descendants

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racca, ræcc̃, *rakkuz (Old English)

rakke, racche (Middle English)

rackie, ratch, rach (English)

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rakki (Old Norse)

rakke (Elfdalian)

rakki (Faroese)

rakki (Finnish)

hundrakkrar (Gutnish)

rakki (Icelandic)

rakke (Norwegian)

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