

***rauza** Runic: ᚱᚢᚿᚰ Pronunciation: /'rau.zã/

noun · neuter · a-stem

Meanings

- reed
- pipe, tube

Etymology

Of unknown origin. The semantic and formal resemblance to Proto-Slavic **rogozъ* ('reed, rush') is strong, though the final *z in the Slavic does not regularly correspond with Germanic *z, and the Slavic could possibly be a metathesis of Proto-Slavic **rozga* ('twig, branch'), which appears to be unrelated. Has also been compared to Latin *rūscum* ('bark; butcher's broom').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	rauza	rauzō
Acc.	rauza	rauzō
Gen.	rauzas, rauzis	rauzô
Dat.	rauzai	rauzamaz
Inst.	rauzō	rauzamiz
Voc.	rauza	rauzō

Descendants

***raur** (Proto-West Germanic)

rër (Old Frisian)

***raur** (Proto-West Germanic)

 *b^hōs, ***rōr** (Old Dutch)

roer (Middle Dutch)

***raur** (Proto-West Germanic)

rōr (Old High German)

rōr (Middle High German)

Rohr (German)

reyrr (Old Norse)

rør (Danish)

reyr (Icelandic)

røyr (Norwegian Nynorsk)

rör (Swedish)

? (Old Norse)

royggj (Faroese)

𐍺𐍲𐍳 (raus) (Gothic)

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