

**\*spanjana<sup>2</sup>**    Runic:     Pronunciation: /'span.ja.nã/  
verb · Weak class 1

## Meanings

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## Etymology

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From \*spanō ('nipple') + \*-jana.

## Conjugation

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### Present active

| Person       | Indicative | Subjunctive | Imperative |
|--------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| 1st singular | spanjō     | spanjaų     | —          |
| 2nd singular | spanisi    | spanjais    | spani      |
| 3rd singular | spanīpi    | spanjai     | spanjaþau  |
| 1st dual     | spanjōs    | spanjaiw    | —          |
| 2nd dual     | spanjaþiz  | spanjaipiz  | spanjaþiz  |
| 1st plural   | spanjamaz  | spanjaim    | —          |
| 2nd plural   | spanīþ     | spanjaip    | spanīþ     |
| 3rd plural   | spanjanþi  | spanjain    | spanjanþau |

## Present passive

| Person       | Indicative | Subjunctive |
|--------------|------------|-------------|
| 1st singular | spanjai    | –           |
| 2nd singular | spanjasai  | spanjaisau  |
| 3rd singular | spanjapai  | spanjaiþau  |
| 1st dual     | –          | –           |
| 2nd dual     | –          | –           |
| 1st plural   | spanjanþai | spanjainþau |
| 2nd plural   | spanjanþai | spanjainþau |
| 3rd plural   | spanjanþai | spanjainþau |

## Past

| Person       | Indicative   | Subjunctive  |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1st singular | spanidō      | spanidēdī    |
| 2nd singular | spanidēz     | spanidēdīz   |
| 3rd singular | spanidē      | spanidēdī    |
| 1st dual     | spanidēdū    | spanidēdīw   |
| 2nd dual     | spanidēdudiz | spanidēdīdiz |
| 1st plural   | spanidēdum   | spanidēdīm   |
| 2nd plural   | spanidēdud   | spanidēdīd   |
| 3rd plural   | spanidēdun   | spanidēdīn   |

## Non-finite Forms

| Infinitive | Present Participle | Past Participle |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| spanjana   | spanjandz          | spanidaz        |

## Descendants

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\***spannjan** (Proto-West Germanic)

    \***spennen** (Old Dutch)

**spennen, spenen** (Middle Dutch)

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**spean** (English)

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        \***spennen, spenen** (Middle High German)

**spänen** (German)

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