

***spelþą** Runic: ᚱᚲᚱᚱᚱᚱ Pronunciation: /'spel.θã/

noun · neuter · a-stem

Meanings

destruction, ruin

Etymology

Traditionally derived from a Proto-Indo-European **(s)pelH-* (‘to split off, separate’), and compared with Sanskrit स्फट् (*sphaṭ*) (sphaṭ, ‘to burst, split’), फलति (phalati, ‘to burst (in half)’).

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	spelþą	spelþō
Acc.	spelþą	spelþō
Gen.	spelþas, spilþis	spelþō
Dat.	spelþai	spelþamaz
Inst.	spelþō	spelþamiz
Voc.	spelþą	spelþō

Descendants

*spelþ (Proto-West Germanic)

spild (Old English)

spjall (Old Norse)

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