

***swīną** Runic: ᚹ | ƿ | ƿ | ƿ Pronunciation: /'swi:.nã/

noun · neuter · a-stem

Meanings

pig

Etymology

From an adjectival neuter form *swiHnom of Proto-Indo-European **suH-* (‘pig’) (compare Latin *suīnus*, Proto-Slavic **svinъja*, Latvian *sivēns*). Synchronically analyzable as a derivative of **sūz* (‘sow’).

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	swīną	swīnō
Acc.	swīną	swīnō
Gen.	swīnas, swīnis	swīnô
Dat.	swīnai	swīnamaz
Inst.	swīnō	swīnamiz
Voc.	swīną	swīnō

Descendants

*swīn (Proto-West Germanic)

*swīn (Old Dutch)

swijn (Middle Dutch)

zwien (Limburgish)

***swīn** (Proto-West Germanic)

***swīn** (Old Dutch)

swijn (Middle Dutch)

zwijn (Dutch)

swyn (Afrikaans)

***swīn** (Proto-West Germanic)

swīn, swȳn (Old English)

swyn, sqwyne, suin, swein, sweeney, swin, swine, swiyn, swyne, swynne, zuin (Middle English)

swine (English)

swine (Scots)

***swīn** (Proto-West Germanic)

swīn (Old Frisian)

swīn (North Frisian)

Swien (Saterland Frisian)

swyn (West Frisian)

***swīn** (Proto-West Germanic)

swīn (Old High German)

swīn (Middle High German)

? (Alemannic German)

Schwein (Central Franconian)

Schwein (German)

śwajń (Vilamovian)

***swīn** (Proto-West Germanic)

***swīn** (Old Saxon)

swīn (Middle Low German)

Swien (Low German)

Schwień (Plautdietsch)

svín (Old Norse)

svín (Faroese)

svín (Icelandic)

svýn (Jamtish)

svin (Norn)

svin, svingn (Norwegian Nynorsk)

svín (Old Norse)

svin (Danish)

svin (Norwegian Bokmål)

svín (Old Norse)

svīn (Old Swedish)

svin (Swedish)

syѐin (swein) (Gothic)

***svijnē** (Proto-Samic)

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