

***tibō** Runic: ᚖ | ᚖ | ᚖ | ᚖ Pronunciation: /'ti.βɔ:/

noun · feminine · ōn-stem

Meanings

bitch (female dog)

Etymology

Unknown. Perhaps related to the root of Old Norse tík (‘bitch’). A geminate byform *tibbon gave German dialectal Zippe, Zibbe (‘ewe; doe (hare, rabbit)’), Icelandic tebba (‘vixen’), and possibly English tib (‘working-class woman’).

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	tibō	tibōniz
Acc.	tibōnu	tibōnunz
Gen.	tibōniz	tibōnō
Dat.	tibōni	tibōmaz
Inst.	tibōnē	tibōmiz
Voc.	tibō	tibōniz

Descendants

*tibā (Proto-West Germanic)

tife (Old English)

***tibā** (Proto-West Germanic)

 ***tiva** (Old Dutch)

tēve (Middle Dutch)

teef (Dutch)

teef (Afrikaans)

teef (West Frisian)

***tibā** (Proto-West Germanic)

 ***tive**, ***teve** (Old Frisian)

Tieuwe (Saterland Frisian)

***tibā** (Proto-West Germanic)

 ***zibba** (Old High German)

 ***zibbe**, ***zippe** (Middle High German)

Zibbe, **Zippe** (German)

***tibā** (Proto-West Germanic)

 ***tiva** (Old Saxon)

teve, **tiffe** (Middle Low German)

Teve, **Teev**, **Tiff** (German Low German)

***tibā** (Proto-West Germanic)

 ***tiva** (Old Saxon)

teve, **tiffe** (Middle Low German)

tefja (Old Norse)

tæve (Danish)

täva, **täfsa** (Swedish)

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