

***pela** Runic: 𐌱𐌿𐌻𐌰 Pronunciation: /'θe.lǎ/

noun · neuter · a-stem

Meanings

floor; deal (plank)

Etymology

Likely from Proto-Indo-European *telh₂-o-s, from *telh₂- ('flat surface, ground; board, plank'). Compare Proto-Slavic **tlò* ('ground, bottom'), Sanskrit तल (*tála*) (tála, 'surface, sloor'), Latin *tellūs* ('earth; world'), Old Irish *talam* ('earth, dry land').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	pela	pelō
Acc.	pela	pelō
Gen.	pelas, pilis	pelô
Dat.	pelai	pelamaz
Inst.	pelō	pelamiz
Voc.	pela	pelō

Descendants

pel (Old English)

thele (Middle English)

theal (English)

thili (Old Saxon)

***thili** (Old Dutch)

dil (Old High German)

dil, til (Middle High German)

dili (Old High German)

dil, til (Middle High German)

dilo (Old High German)

dil, til (Middle High German)

þel (Old Norse)

tel (Finnish)

þæl (Old Swedish)

þili (Old Norse)

tel (Finnish)

þæl (Old Swedish)

þeli (Old Norse)

tel (Finnish)

þæl (Old Swedish)

***tielō** (Proto-Samic)

***tēla** (Proto-Finnic)

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