

***þinhslō** Runic: ᛠ | ᛠ | ᛠ | ᛠ | ᛠ | ᛠ Pronunciation: /'θĩ:x.slo:/

noun · feminine · ō-stem

Meanings

a drawbar, cartpole, or thill

Etymology

Uncertain. Seemingly from Proto-Indo-European **teng^hs* (e)leh₂, derived from the root **teng^h-* (‘to pull, stretch, tensen’); Kroonen however is skeptical. In any case, compare Latin *tēmō* (‘pole, yoke-beam’) and Old Prussian *teansis* (‘drawbar’).

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	þinhslō	þinhslōz
Acc.	þinhslō	þinhslōz
Gen.	þinhslōz	þinhslō
Dat.	þinhslōi	þinhslōmaz
Inst.	þinhslō	þinhslōmiz
Voc.	þinhslō	þinhslōz

Descendants

*þīhslu (Proto-West Germanic)

þīxl, þīsl (Old English)

***þīhslu** (Proto-West Germanic)

 ***thīhsala** (Old Dutch)

diesele, dissel (Middle Dutch)

dissel (Dutch)

dijssel (West Flemish)

***þīhslu** (Proto-West Germanic)

 ***thīxl, *thixl** (Old Frisian)

tiksel (West Frisian)

***þīhslu** (Proto-West Germanic)

dīhsala, dīhsila (Old High German)

dīhsele, dīhsel, dīse (Middle High German)

Deichsel (German)

***þīhslu** (Proto-West Germanic)

thīsla, thīhsla, thīhsala, thessalia, thesla (Old Saxon)

dīhsele, dīse, dīsel, dīstel, dīssel (Middle Low German)

Dießel (German Low German)

Diesel (Saterland Frisian)

þísl (Old Norse)

þísl (Icelandic)

þísl (Old Norse)

þistl (Old Swedish)

tistel (Swedish)

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