

## Re: kawa = "gabagaba"?

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"Gogensetsu" section just shows what people in the past thought about the origin of the word and it is not the real origin. If the real etymology is clearly known, it is written in different section.

Unfortunately there are so many users of the dictionary believe what are written in "gogensetsu" section are the true origin of the word...

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• **References:**

◆ **[kawa = "gabagaba"?](#)**

◇ *From:* Marc Adler

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