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- n.*
1. A male goose.
 2. *Informal* A look or glance: "Everyone turns and takes a gander at the yokels" ([Garrison Keillor](#)).
 3. *Informal* A simpleton; a ninny.

[Middle English, from Old English *gandra*; see **ghans-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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