

Reading Help for the *Tabula Peutingeriana*

In the *Tabula Peutingeriana*, you can find the following writing for the letters of the alphabet.

Capitals:

A B C D E F G H I J L M N

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O P Q R S T U X Y Z

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Small letters:

a b c d e f g h i j k l m

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n o p q r s t u v x y z

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Some variations in the writing of small letters:

b: B d: δ, D g: G h: H
l: l m: M, M n: N q: Q
r: R s: S t: T z: Z

Some variations in the writing of capital letters:

E: E O: O N: N Z: Z

For names of provinces and seas, the following bigger capital letters are used:

A A B C D E, E
F G H, H I L, L
M, M N, N O P
R S T V X Y

Some abbreviations frequently used in the *Tabula Peutingeriana*:

æ	- ae
$\text{au}\bar{\text{g}} / \text{av}\bar{\text{g}}$	- Augusta
$\text{col}\bar{\text{o}}\text{h} / \text{col}\bar{\text{v}}$	- colonia
$\text{col}'\text{o}$	- Coloma
$\text{c} / \text{c}\bar{\text{o}}$	- con
$\bar{\text{e}}$	- en / ene
y	- et
hs	- insula
$\text{fl}\bar{\text{v}} / \text{fl}\bar{\text{v}}\text{?}$	- fluvius
$\text{fl}\bar{\text{v}} / \text{fl}\bar{\text{v}}\text{?}$	- fluvius
$\bar{\text{f}}\bar{\text{l}}$	- flumen
$\bar{\text{f}}\bar{\text{l}}$	- flumen
$\text{ll} / \text{ll}\bar{\text{v}}$	- ll / u
$\text{M}\bar{\text{il}}\bar{\text{v}}$	- Milia
p	- po
$\text{port}\bar{\text{v}}$	- Portus
$\text{p}\bar{\text{r}}$	- per
p	- pre

p - pro
 q̄ - que
 y / r̄v̄ - rum
 i^s / o^s - is / os
 ſ - ss
 ſt - st
 t̄ - ter
 ū / v̄ - um
 ʒ - us
 w - vu