

12. GREEK AND ROMAN ALPHABETS

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Alphabets of unknown origin are, or were in a not too distant past, in use for the **Berber** language **Tuareg** (Tafinagh, a consonantal script possibly derived from the ancient Numidian alphabet), and some regional languages in Indonesia: **Batak** (in North Sumatra) and **Buginese** (in Southwest Celebes). The latter is supposed to have had its origins in Java, and thus be related to the scripts of Southern India.

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