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| **Battle of Adrianople** |
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| Part of the Gothic War (376–382) |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/2/23/Battle_of_Adrianople_378_en.svg/220px-Battle_of_Adrianople_378_en.svg.pngMap of the battle, according to the History Department of the US Military Academy |
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| **Date** | 9 August 378 |
| **Location** | Near Adrianople(modern-day Edirne, Turkey) |
| **Result** | Gothic-Alanian victory |

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| **Belligerents** |
| GothsAlans | Eastern Roman Empire |
| **Commanders and leaders** |
| FritigernAlatheus[Saphrax](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saphrax) | Emperor Valens [**†**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Killed_in_action)Sebastianus [**†**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Killed_in_action)VictorTraianus **†**[Ricomer](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ricomer) |
| **Strength** |
| 20,000[[1]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Battle_of_Adrianople#cite_note-1) | 30,000 |
| **Casualties and losses** |
| Unknown | 10,000–15,000or 20,000 (roughly two-thirds of the Roman force)  |

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| battle adrianople map |
| Overview of the Battle of Adrianople showing the destruction of the eastern field army, 378 CE |



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