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| **Battle of the Catalaunian Plains** |
| |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Battle of the Catalaunian Plains** | | | Part of the Hunnic invasion of Gaul | | | https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/5/51/Battle_of_the_Catalaunian_plains.jpg/300px-Battle_of_the_Catalaunian_plains.jpg An anachronistic illustration of the Battle of the Catalaunian Plains depicting its combatants as armoured knights, from Jacob van Maerlant's Spieghel Historiael | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Date** | 20 June 451 AD | | **Location** | Around Champagne-Ardenne, northeastern Fr | | **Result** | Disputed, see § Outcome | | | | **Belligerents** | | | **Western Roman Empire**  Visigoths  Salian Franks  Ripuarian Franks  Burgundians  Saxons  Armoricans  Alans  Olibrones | **Hunnic Empire**  Amali Goths  Rugii  Sciri  Thuringii  Franks  Gepids  Burgundians  Heruli | | **Commanders and leaders** | | | **Flavius Aetius**  Theodoric **†**  Sangiban  Thorismund  Merovech | **Attila**  Valamir  Thiudimer  Videmir  Ardaric  Childeric I  Laudaricus [**†**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Killed_in_action) | | **Strength** | | | Modern estimates vary: see § Forces | Modern estimates vary: see § Forces | | **Casualties and losses** | | | Modern estimates vary: see § Outcome | Modern estimates vary: see § Outcome | |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/3/3c/Attila_in_Gaul_451CE.svg/300px-Attila_in_Gaul_451CE.svg.png |
| Map showing the possible routes taken by Attila's forces as they invaded Gaul, and the major cities that the Huns and their allies sacked or threatened |



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