

JOVINUS A.D. 411—413

Jovinus was a native of Gaul and is said to have been of noble birth. He was proclaimed Augustus in 411 and received support from Burgundians, Alamans, Franks, and Alans. In 412 he elevated his brother Sebastian to the rank of co-emperor, but the following year his fortunes took a turn for the worse. He was besieged by Athaulfus, who had previously favoured him but was now in alliance with Honorius, and after Jovinus surrendered he and his brother Sebastian were murdered while being escorted to Honorius.

Obverse legend.
DN IOVINVS PF AVG

Obverse bust.
pearl diadem, draped, cuirassed, right

All coins are siliquae unless otherwise specified. For a discussion of fifth-century silver denominations and their names, see the Introduction.

	VF	EF
2†a R RESTITVTOR REIP, Roma seated l. on throne hldg. Victory on globe and reversed spear. Arelate <u>KONT</u> . argenteus (= pre-reform siliqua) ? <i>forgery</i>	650	1,500



2†b As last. Arelate <u>KONT</u>	400	900
2†c As last. Lugdunum <u>SMLD</u>	450	1,000
2†d R As last, Roma seated l. on cuirass (?), hldg. Victory on globe and reversed spear. Arelate <u>KONT</u>	450	1,000



4†a R VICTORIA AVGG, Roma seated l. on throne hldg. Victory on globe and reversed spear or sceptre. Trier <u>TRMS</u>	450	1,000
4†b As last. Lugdunum <u>SMLD</u>	400	900



4†c As last. Lugdunum <u>SMLDV</u>	400	900
4†d R As last Roma seated l. on cuirass (?) hldg. Victory on globe and sceptre. Lugdunum <u>SMLDV</u>	450	1,000
8 <u>Aa</u> R No legend, cross with A and ω under its arms. Lugdunum <u>SMLD</u> . half siliqua <i>forgery</i> .		