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### Alternative forms

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### Etymology

From [Byzantine Greek κατεπάνω](#) (*katepánō*, literally “[the one] placed at the top, or the topmost”).

### Noun

**catepan** (*plural* [catepans](#))

1. (*historical*) The governor of a [catepanate](#) such as the [Catepanate of Italy](#), a [Byzantine province](#).

### Translations

#### governor

- Greek:

Ancient: [κατεπάνω](#) (*katepánō*)

- Italian: [catapano](#) ([it](#))

- Russian: [категориальный](#) (*kategán*)

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