

Toward a New Interlinear Gloss of De Rerum Natura

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The Greek/Latin edition of 1692 by Marcus Meibomius divided each of the ten books into paragraphs of equal length, and progressively numbered them, providing the system still in use today.

Via [Wikipedia](#).

So it looks like the length of the paragraph was the determining factor. I know this is the case with the Letter to Menoikeus because there's no rhyme or reason with the breaks for the verses/paragraphs/settings.