

"Lucretius on the Size of the Sun", by T.H.M. Gellar-Goad

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[Joshua](#), I am particular curious about the article of the size of the Sun.

I understand that Epicurus is only interested in astronomy to the point to obtain just enough knowledge to demonstrate that above the moon physics are as below the moon: atoms and void. Scientific knowledge is not an objective rather a methodology to reject superstition (and suffering from fear). A few 'reasonable' explanations are enough, and they are not (much) interested in making the science advance.

Is this confirmed in the article of T.H.M. Gellar-Goad?