

Episode 202 - Cicero's On Ends - Book Two - Part 10 - The Animality Argument

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[Quote from Cassius](#)

Waterholic going further with your comment, are you speculating that pleasure and pain can indeed be reduced to fungible units?

I sometimes got that impression from DeWitt's "unity of pleasure" chapter but not sure he stated that explicitly.

[Cassius](#) i don't believe it can, at least not with our limited understanding of our biology. I rather use it as a "model" to think about how pleasure and pain have emerged as chemical instruments of evolution to guide ALL living organism (including animals).