

# Best Lucretius translation?

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Don is correct. I think most people would agree that the current leading translation by one of the foremost leading scholars is Martin Ferguson Smith's [Hackett Publishing version](#). You can find that lots of places inexpensively.

I know you're looking for a printed edition so I won't focus on the three we have [here](#).

Also check here, and let's add further longer comments there to add to that discussion:

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