

Discussion of Article: "On Pleasure, Pain and Happiness"

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Ok, that's the last of it. The differences between my perspective and Cassius, as I understand it, are:

- 1) Cassius does not think absence of pain in a living person is synonymous with fullness of pleasure. IMO this would require a third state, neutral, which I do not believe actually exists.
- 2) Cassius proposes that the cup itself can be enlarged to admit more pleasures. I would take the position I understand meant by Epicurus saying that once the cup is full, it only admits variations.