

Texts in Threadnody (in the order of their appearance)

Book of Songs #36  
Jabes, Book of Questions  
Keats, "When I have Fears That I May Cease to Be"  
Tennyson, "Tears Idle Tears"  
Pound, "Threnos"  
Gilgamesh  
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Gilgamesh  
Shakespeare, Sonnet 18  
The Wanderer  
Keats, When I have Fears...  
Bök, Colony Collapse Disorder  
Tennyson, Tears Idle Tears  
Mimnermus, Fragment  
Shakespeare, Sonnet 18  
Bök, Colony Collapse Disorder  
Gilgamesh  
It's A Wonderful Life

S I L I C O N  
X  
Y  
O X Y G E N  
E  
N  
*C. Bök*

# Entropes in Poetry

$S = k_B \ln \Omega$  (assuming equiprobable microstates).

Boltzmann's Formula for thermodynamic entropy

$$H = - \sum p(x) \log p(x)$$

Shannon's formula for information theory entropy

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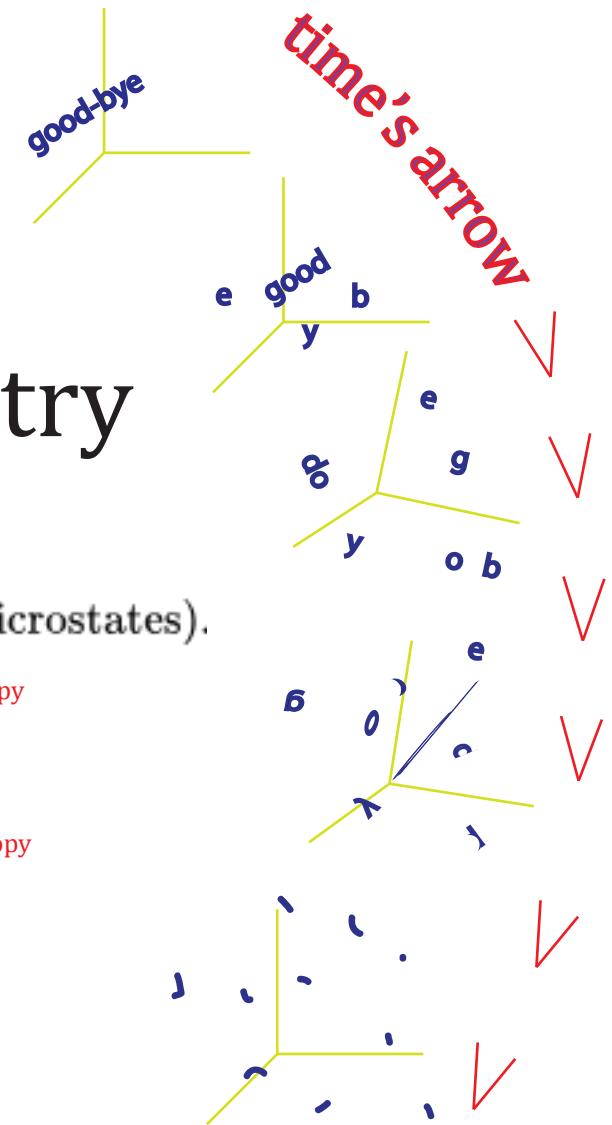
from Ad Patream

And you my juvenile verses and amusements, if only you have hope for immortality and a life and a glimpse of the light beyond your master's funeral pyre, and if dark oblivion does not sweep you down into the throngs of Hades, perhaps you will preserve this eulogy and the name of the father who my song honors as an example to remote ages.

*J. Milton*

A word is dead  
When it is said,  
Some say.

I say it just  
Begins to live  
That day.  
E. Dickinson



a body back and forth Lou Schmidt's  
story—his matter runs hot and  
cold night and day  
he don't  
wanna go he don't wanna stay  
die or come true warm color  
red cool color blue  
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