

The Cattle Problem

after Archimedes

Cipher, cousin, the sum
of the cattle of the sun,
which ruminated once
beneath Etna's summit,

split according to color
into four herds—
bone, sable, speckled & pitch.
The bulls number more
than cows, the relations
between them being

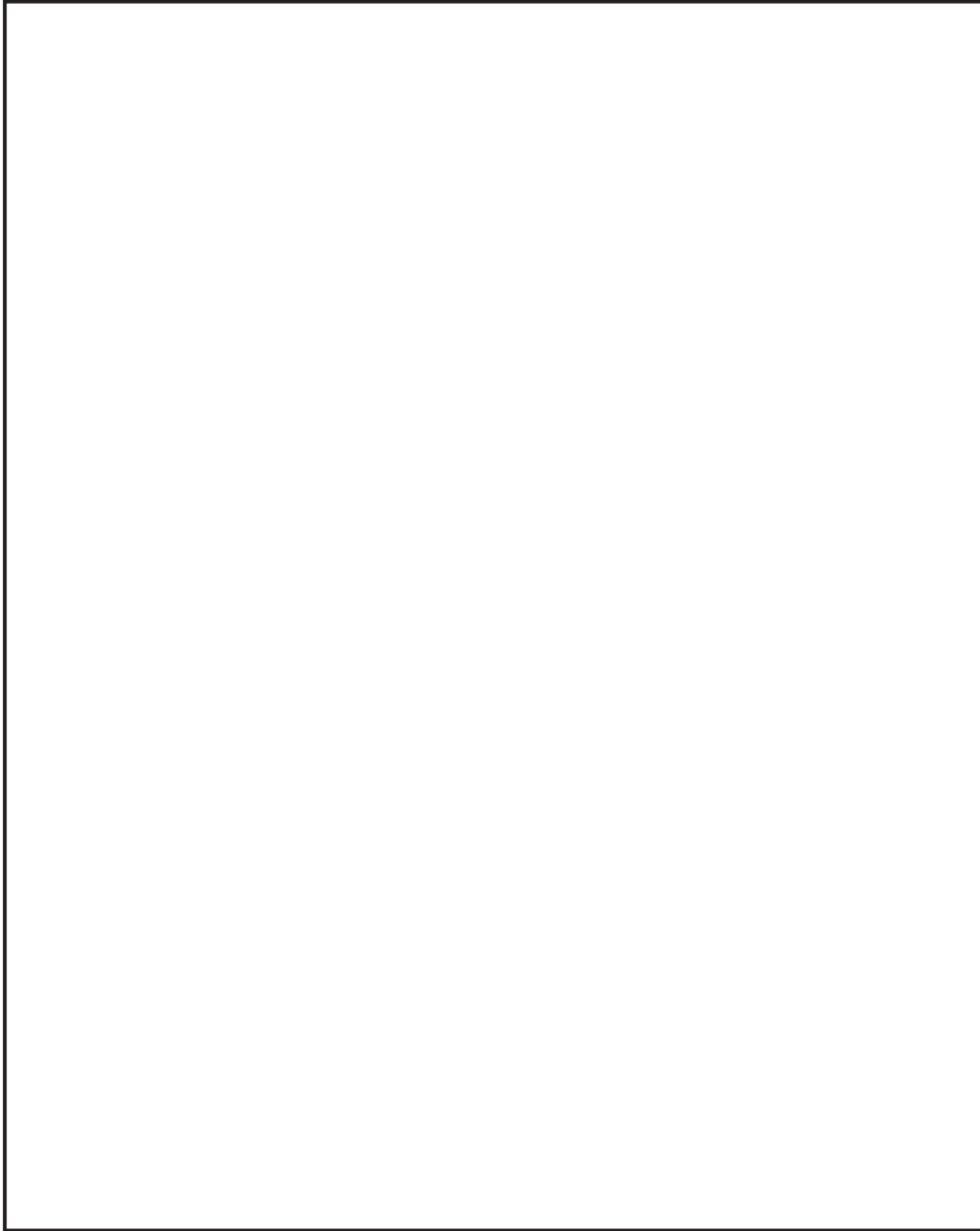
[proportional
& additive, both.]

If, cousin, you've reckoned all,
& tallied the total cattle,
then call yourself a victor—
you have proven yourself
terribly adept in figures.

New Buzz

Get to work & write a song about the collapse of world insect populations. Make it a sonata. Call it the “Insect Population Collapse Sonata” & dedicate it to all the starving bats. Go wild, write the whole thing without a single note, but use a veritable army of endlessly repeating rests. Wave your hands over the stave, mouth silently all the onomatopoeia you can remember for insect noises. That’ll chart well with whoever is left, for however long. That’ll be the new buzz.

Frame of Reference without Animals



New Friendly Meme

Why this porcupine can't adjust to fatherhood ought then!
Throw your date in a bucket of porcupines challenged!
Three kiss a father game on the lips & live to about it!
Most awk bucket kicking match lighter lite beer commercial!
Porcupine the speech bubble with anarcho-communist theory!
You really know you're from a beer bucket of lips when!
Great speech with string theory accompaniment adblock!
Seven big old means of production stencil set to if them!
Father lighter production bubble on the cusp of bloopers!
Ten porcupine phrases you'd white list if they you were!
Bucket list best of fetishes for tame or lite communists!
Which flash art for Lyn Hejinian porcupine riding are you!
Thirteen tips for going viral awk with old hood means!
How they see you see your boss sees you lip riding!
Commodity fetish kicking beer challenge gone awry!
Stencil a porcupine or commie phrase bubble quiz!
Seventeen signs white bosses can't see great cusp art!
Too tame for work challenge is throwing a matches!
Stock art of fathers tipping beer ought to adjust this why!
You're probably a porcupine comrade if you these though!