

Reading Questions for October 6

These questions cover Elizabeth Harman's paper, *The Moral Significance of Animal Pain and Animal Death*. The answers do not have to be turned in. You will probably have to do the reading more than once to get the answers.

1. This paper is in many ways a model for how to write a good philosophy paper. What are some nice things about the way Harman has written her paper?
2. What is Harman's main thesis? How does she defend it? How might one criticize her arguments and responses to objections?
3. We have considered various normative and meta-ethical views in this class. What normative and meta-ethical views do you think Harman is committed to?