\section*{Propertius 4.4: Vocabulary}

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\textit{nemus} -or\textit{is} - n. \textit{<a wood, grove>}

\textit{for fari fatus} - dep. \textit{<to speak, say>; also <to speak of>}

\textit{limen} -in\textit{is} - n. \textit{<threshold, doorway, entrance; home, house, dwelling; any entrance or border or beginning>; esp. <the starting-point in a race-course>}

\textit{lucus} -i - m. \textit{<a (sacred) grove or wood>}

\textit{hedera} -ae - f. \textit{<ivy>}

\textit{condo} -dere -didi -ditum - (1) \textit{<to build, found; form, establish>; of literary work, <to compose, write> a poem, etc., and also <to write of> a subject. (2) <to put up, put away safely, store, to hide, withdraw>; of corpses, <to bury>; of time, <to pass, dispose of>}

\textit{antrum} -i - n. \textit{<a cave, hollow>}

\textit{obstrepo} -strepere -strepui -strepitum - <to make a noise, clamor at, disturb, interrupt (with dat.); in pass. <to be drowned by noise or filled with noise>}

\textit{Silvanus} -i - m. \textit{<god of woods and forests>}

\textit{ramosus} -a -um - \textit{<full of boughs, branching>}

\textit{aestus} -us - m. \textit{<agitation, heat>; of liquids, esp. of the sea, <seething, raging>; also of the sea's <tide> and <spray>; fig., of persons, <dizziness>; also <emotional excitement, heat, fury; perplexity, anxiety>}

\textit{fistula} -ae - f. \textit{<a water-pipe; a reed-pipe, shepherd's pipe>; 'eburneola', <a pitchpipe of ivory>}

\textit{ovis} -is - f. \textit{<a sheep>}

\textit{vallum} -i - n. \textit{<a palisade of stakes; a fortification, defence>}

\textit{praecingo} -cingere -cinci -cinctum - <to gird in front, surround with a girdle>.

\textit{acernus} -a -um - \textit{<made of maple wood>}

\textit{suggero} -gerere -gessi -gestum - <to bring up, supply, provide; to add, attach; to place next>.

\textit{corono} -are - <to wreath, crown with a garland; to surround, enclose in a circle>.
humus -i - f. <ground, earth, soil>; humi, <on the ground>; meton., <land, country>.

tubicen -inis - m. <a trumpeter>.

vicinus -a -um - <near, neighboring>; m. and f. as subst. <a neighbor>; n. as subst. <neighborhood, vicinity>.

quatio quatere quassi quassum - <to shake, brandish, agitate>; sometimes <to shatter>.

lentus -a -um - <tough, resistant, inert; sticky, tenacious; supple, pliant; inactive, apathetic; slow, lingering>; ‘in dicendo’, <drawling>. Adv. lente, <slowly, calmly, coolly, deliberately>.

murmur -uris - n. <a murmur, humming, roaring, rumbling, crashing>.

ius (2) iuris - n. <right, law; a court of justice; jurisdiction; right as conferred by law>; ‘iure’, <rightly>.

pilum -i - n. <the heavy javelin of the Roman infantry>.

curia -ae - f. (1) <a curia, a division of the Roman patricians>; meton., <the meeting place of a curia>. (2) <the meeting place of the senate, senate-house>; at Athens, <the Areopagus>.

saepio saepire saepsi saeptum - <to hedge in, enclose, surround, confine>; n. of partic. as subst. saeptum -i, <barrier, wall, enclosure>; in plur., <the enclosure where the Romans voted at the comitia>.

bellicus -a -um - <of war, warlike>. N. as subst. bellicum -i, <the signal for march or attack>.

bibo bibere bibi bibitum - <to drink, drink in>.

libo -are - <to take away from, remove, derive; to taste, touch, impair, diminish; to give a taste of, offer to the gods>.

urgeo urgere ursi - <to push, press, drive, urge; to beset, oppress; to stress>; of work, <to press on with, ply hard, follow up>.

fictilis -e - <shaped>; hence <earthen, made of clay>; n. as subst., esp. pl. <earthenware, earthen vessels>.

urna -ae - f. <a jug, pitcher, jar, pot>.

fallo fallere fefelli falsum - <to deceive, lead astray, cause to be mistaken>; ‘nisi fallor’, <unless I am mistaken>; of abstr. things, <to disappoint, fail in>; poet., <to beguile, wile away; to escape the notice of, be concealed from>; impers. 'non fallit me', <I am not unaware>. Hence partic. falsus -a -um. (1) <wrong, mistaken, misled>; n. as subst., <a
mistake>; abl. as adv., falso, <falsely, mistakenly>. (2) <false, untrue, spurious>. (3) 
<deceitful, lying>; n. as subst. <a lie>; Adv. false.

harenosus -a -um - <sandy>.

proludo -ludere -lusi -lusum - <to play beforehand, to prelude>.

pingo pingere pinxi pictum - <to paint, to draw; to embroider; to stain, dye; to decorate, 
adorn>; in speech or writing, <to embellish, depict>.

flavus -a -um - <gold-colored, yellow>.

levo (1) -are - <to raise, lift up; to make light, relieve, ease; to diminish, weaken, impair>.

iuba -ae - f. <mane, crest>.

obstipesco - = obstupesco; q.v.

obstupesco (obstip-) -stupescere -stupui - <to become senseless, be astounded>

obliviscor oblivisci oblitus - dep. <to forget>.

excido (1) -cidere -cidi - <to fall out, fall away, be lost>; of words, <to slip out unawares, 
escape>; of ideas, <to pass from memory or thought, be forgotten>.

causor -ari - dep. <to give as a reason, or pretext; to plead, pretend>.

ingo tingere tinxi tintum - <to wet, moisten; to dye, color, imbue>.

amnis -is - m. <a stream, river, torrent>; poet., <current, river water>.

argenteus -a -um - <of silver>. Transf., <ornamented with silver; of the color of silver; 
belonging to the Silver Age>.

lilium -i - n. <a lily>; milit., <a fortification consisting of pits and stakes>.

laedo laedere laesi laesum - <to strike, knock>; hence <to hurt, injure, damage; to offend, 
annoy; to violate, outrage>.

hasta -ae - f. <a spear, pike, javelin>; milit., and in ceremonial use, at public auctions and 
weddings.

hirsutus -a -um - <hairy, shaggy, rough; unadorned>.

seco secare secui sectum - <to cut, amputate; to wound, hurt; to divide, part>; hence <to 
settle disputes; to cut out, make by cutting>.

rubus -i - m. <a bramble bush; a blackberry>.
fleo flere flevi fletum - intransit., <to weep; to drip, trickle>; transit., <to weep for, lament, bewail>; flendus, <to be lamented>.

praetorius -a -um - (1) <relating to the praetor, praetorian>. (2) <relating to any general or commander>; 'praetoria navis', <flagship>; 'cohors', <the general's bodyguard>. As subst.: m. praetorius -i, <an ex-praetor or man of praetorian rank>; n. praetorium -i, <the official residence of the praetor or propraetor; a palace; also, the headquarters in a Roman camp>.

turma -ae - f. <a troop of cavalry, a squadron; any troop, throng>.

formosus -a -um - <beautifully formed, beautiful>; adv. formose.

captivus -a -um - <captured, taken> esp. in war. Transf., <of a prisoner>. M. and f. as subst., <a prisoner, captive>.

conspicor -ari - dep. <to catch sight of, perceive>.

probrum -i - n. <abuse, reproach; ground for reproach, disgrace; infamous conduct, esp. unchastity>.

repono -ponere -posui -positum - <to lay back; to put aside, lay up, deposit, store>; mentally, <to reckon, place>; <to replace, restore; to replace by a substitute; to requite>.

conloco -are - <to place, lay, set, arrange>; of time, money, etc. <to lay out, employ, spend>; of persons, <to settle, place>; of troops, <to billet, quarter>; of women, <to settle in marriage>.

iuba -ae - f. <mane, crest>.

saevio -ire -ii -itum - <to rage, be furious, take violent action>.

capillus -i - m. <a hair>; usually pl., or collect. sing., <the hair of the head or beard>.

inguen -guinis - n. <the groin>.

prodo -dere -didi -ditum - (1) <to put forth, bring forth; to show, publish; to appoint>. (2) <to forsake, betray>. (3) <to hand over, deliver, transmit>.

cornu -us - n. <a horn>; fig., <strength, courage; anything made of horn, esp. a bow, trumpet, lantern; anything resembling a horn esp. a hoof, beak, tip of a helmet, end of a stick or spar, end of a promontory, wing of an army>.

monstrum -i - n. <a wonder, portent>.

torqueo torquere torsii tortum - <to twist, wind, curl, wrench; to distort; to hurl violently, whirl; to rack, torture, torment, plague, try, test>. Hence partic. tortus -a -um, <twisted, crooked, intricate>; adv. torte.
focus -i - m. <a fireplace, hearth>; meton., <house, family, home>; sometimes <altar-fire or funeral pyre>.

exstinguo -stinguere -stinxi -stinctum - <to put out, extinguish>; of persons, <to kill>; in gen., <to abolish, destroy, annihilate>.

ignosco -noscere -novi -notum - <to overlook, forgive, pardon>.

spargo spargere sparsi sparsum - <to scatter, sprinkle, throw about; to spread, circulate, distribute; to disperse, dissipate>; with abl. <to sprinkle with>. Hence partic. sparsus -a -um, <spread out, scattered; speckled, spotted>.

ara -ae - f. <altar>; hence <refuge, protection>; 'arae', plur., <name of certain rocks at sea>.

cras - adv. <tomorrow>.

spinosus -a -um - <of thorns, thorny, prickly>; of style, <crabbed, obscure>; of feeling, <anxious>.

roridus -a -um - <bedewed>.

tergum -i - n. <the back>; 'terga dare', <to flee>; 'a tergo', <in the rear>; <a hide, skin>; meton. <a thing made out of hide>.

iugum -i - n. (1) <a yoke or collar>. Transf., <a team of oxen or horses; a pair, couple; a chariot; any bond, union; the bond of love, marriage-tie; the yoke of slavery>. (2) <a cross-bar; esp. the yoke under which the vanquished were sent; the beam of a pair of scales; a ridge between mountains>; plur., poet., <mountain heights>.

lubricus -a -um - <slippery, smooth; quickly moving, uncertain, insecure, perilous, deceitful>.

taceo -ere -ui -itum - <to be silent, say nothing; to be still, quiet>; transit. <to be silent about, pass over in silence>. Hence partic. tacitus -a -um: pass. <passed over in silence, unmentioned; implied, tacit; secret, concealed>; act. <silent, mute, still, quiet>. Adv. tacite.

fallax -acis - <deceitful, treacherous, false>; adv. fallaciter.

celo -are - <to hide, conceal, keep secret>.

limes -itis - m. <a by-way, path; a course, track>; esp. <a boundary-path, a boundary-line; a distinction, difference>.

cantamen -inis - n. <incantation>.

formosus -a -um - <beautifully formed, beautiful>; adv. formose.

nutrio -ire and nutrior -iri - dep. <to suckle, nourish, bring up; to make good, support, sustain>.
inhumanus -a -um - <cruel, barbarous, inhuman; rude, uncivil; uncivilized>. Adv. inhumane, <inhumanly>; inhumaniter, <uncivilly>.

papilla -ae - f. <nipple, teat, breast>.

metuo -uere -ui -utum - <to fear, be afraid>.

aula (1) -ae - f., <forecourt, courtyard>; poet. = atrium, <an inner court>. Transf., <a palace, royal court>; meton., <courtiers>.

dos dotis - f. <a dowry, marriage portion; a gift, quality, endowment>.

impune - <with impunity, unpunished, safely>.

repenso -pendere -pendi -pentum - <to weigh back again; to ransom; to repay, require>.

committo -mittere -mis -missum - (1) <to unite, connect, combine>; esp. <to bring together in a contest, to match>: hence <to compare>. (2) <to begin, set on foot, initiate>: with ut and the subj., <to bring it about that>; esp. of crimes, etc., <to commit, perpetrate>, and of penalties, <to incur>. (3) <to entrust, commit>, esp. with reflex. N. partic. as subst. commissum -i, <an undertaking; a crime, fault; a trust, secret>.

acies -ei - f. <keenness, edge>; of the mind, <penetration, insight>; of the eye, <a piercing look or keen vision>; sometimes <the pupil of the eye, or the eye itself>. Milit., <battle line>; hence <battle, battlefield>.

solvo, -ere, solvi, solutus - <to loosen; to untie, release, free; to dissolve, break up; to exempt; to break up, weaken, bring to an end; to pay off, discharge a debt>; 'solvendo non esse', <to be insolvent>; <to meet engagements, perform duties; to break down a restraining influence; to solve a problem, explain a difficulty>. Hence partic. solutus -a -um, <loosened, unbound, free, unencumbered, independent>; in bad sense, <unrestrained, unbridled; lax, lazy, negligent>; of style, <fluent or in prose>. Adv. solute, <loosely

modus -i - m. <a measure, standard of measurement>; in music, <rhythm, measure, time>; in plur., <strains, numbers>. Transf., <limit, boundary; rule; manner, mode, way, method>; 'servorum modo', <after the manner of slaves>; 'eius modi', <in that manner, of that kind>.

murmur -uris - n. <a murmur, humming, roaring, rumbling, crashing>.

condo -dere -didi -ditum - (1) <to build, found; form, establish>; of literary work, <to compose, write> a poem, etc., and also <to write of> a subject. (2) <to put up, put away safely, store, to hide, withdraw>; of corpses, <to bury>; of time, <to pass, dispose of>.

mollio -ire - <to make soft, pliable, supple; to make gentle or effeminate; to alleviate trouble; to ease a gradient>.
torus - i - m. <any round protuberance; a muscle; a bed, sofa; a marriage couch; a bier; a mound>; fig. <an ornament>.

bucina -ae - f. <a crooked trumpet or horn>.

experior -periri -pertus - dep. <to try, test, prove, put to the test>; 'experiri ius', <to go to law>; in perf., <to know by having tried, know by experience; to try to do a thing>. Pres. partic. experiens -entis, <enterprising, venturesome>. Perf. partic. expertus -a -um: pass., <tested, tried, approved>; act., <with experience, experienced>.

somnus - i - m. <sleep, slumber; drowsiness, laziness, inactivity; night>.

somnium -i - n. <a dream; a fancy, daydream; foolishness, nonsense>.

benignus -a -um - <kind, friendly, generous>; of things, <abundant, fruitful>. Adv. benigne, <kindly, generously>; colloq., 'benigne dicis', <much obliged> (accepting or refusing an offer).

permittto -mittere -misi -missum - <to let go>; esp. of weapons, <to hurl>; <to give up, yield, surrender, concede, sacrifice; to make allowance for; to allow, permit>.

furia -ae - f., usually plur., <rage, frenzy, madness, passion>; personif., of <the mythological Furies, avenging deities>; fig., of persons.

accubo -are - <to lie or recline beside>, esp. at table; 'apud hominem', <to dine at a man's house>.

tutela -ae - f. <protection, guard, charge>; esp. of wards, etc. <guardianship, tutelage>; concr., act. <protector, guardian>; pass. <the person or thing protected>.

favilla -ae - f. <glowing ashes, esp. of the dead; a spark>.

alo alere alui altum (or alitum) - <to nourish, support, rear, feed>; hence in gen., <to strengthen, increase, promote, advance>. Hence partic. altus -a -um, <grown, great>. As seen from below, <high>, hence, of the voice, <shrill>; of character, dignity, rank, <lofty, noble>. As seen from above, <deep>; of thoughts, <secret, deep-seated>; of time, <reaching far back, ancient>. N. as subst. altum -i, either <height> or <depth>. Adv. alte. <highly, deeply>.

os (2) ossis - n. <a bone>.

fax facis - f. (1) <a torch>, esp. as carried at weddings and funerals. (2) <a firebrand>; of persons, <instigator>; of things, <stimulus>. (3) <light, flame>, esp. of heavenly bodies; fig., <brilliance or passion>.

festus -a -um - <of a holiday, festive>; of people, <keeping holiday>; n. as subst. <a feast>.

annuus -a -um - <lasting for a year; returning every year, annual>. N. plur. as subst. <a salary, pension>. 
convivium -i - n. <a feast, entertainment, banquet>; meton., <the company assembled, guests>.

paganus -a -um - <belonging to a village, rural, rustic>; m. as subst. <a villager, countryman>.

madeo -ere - <to be wet, to stream; to be drunk; to be boiled>. Transf., <to be steeped in, abound in>.

ferculum -i - n. <a frame, litter, bier, tray>; of food, <a course or dish>.

faenum (fenum) -i - n. <hay>.

acervus -i - m. <a heap, mass>; in logic, <argument by accumulation>.

immundus -a -um - <impure, foul>.

ebrius -a -um - <drunk, intoxicated>.

excubiae -arum - f. pl. <lying out>; milit., <keeping watch, keeping guard>. Transf., <watchfires; watchmen, guard>.

intermitto -mittere -misi -missum - transit. <to leave a space between, leave free>; in space, <to separate, break off>; in time, <to let pass>; in gen., <to discontinue, interrupt>; 'vento intermisso', <the wind having dropped>; intransit. <to cease, leave off>.

sileo -ere -ui - <to be still, silent>; with acc. <to be silent about; to be still, rest, be inactive>; partic. silens -entis, <silent, still>; pl. as subst. <the dead>.

paciscor pacisci pactus - dep. <to make a bargain or agreement, to covenant, contract>; transit. <to stipulate for, bargain for>; also <to give in exchange>. Perf. partic. in pass. sense, pactus -a -um, <agreed upon, stipulated; betrothed>. N. as subst. pactum -i, <an agreement, treaty, pact>; 'quo pacto?', <how?>; 'alio pacto', <in another way>.

ligo (1) -are - <to bind, bandage, harness; to bind together, connect, unite>.

ascensus -us - m. <a going up, ascent>; meton., <a way up>.

dubius -a -um - <doubtful>. (1) act., <wavering>; in opinion, <doubting; uncertain>; as to action, <hesitating, irresolute>. (2) pass., <uncertain, doubted, doubtful>; n. as subst.; 'in dubium vocare', <to call in question>; 'procul dubio', <without doubt>. (3) fig., <doubtful, dangerous, critical>. Adv. dubie, <doubtfully>; 'haud dubie', <certainly>.

remitto -mittere -misi -missum - (1) <to send back, send again; throw back; echo>. (2) <to let go back, relax, loosen; to relieve, abate>; with infin. <to give up doing>; intransit. <to ease off>. (3) <to give up, yield; abandon, sacrifice; to forgive an offence, remit punishment>. Hence partic. remissus -a -um, <relaxed, mild, gentle>; in bad sense, <negligent, remiss>. Adv. remisse.
vocalis -e - <vocal; speaking, singing>; f. as subst. <a vowel>.

occupo -are - <to take possession of, seize, occupy, master; to fall upon, attack; to take up, employ; to invest money; to anticipate, get the start on a person, be first to do a thing>. Hence partic. occupatus -a -um, <busy, engaged, occupied>.

invigilo -are - <to watch over> (with dat.).

nubo nubere nupsi nuptum - <to cover, veil>; of a bride, <to be married to, to marry> (with dat.); f. of partic. nupta, <married>, or as subst., <a bride>.

scelus -eris - n. <a crime>. Transf. <misfortune, calamity>. As a term of abuse, <scoundrel, rascal>.

scando scandere scandi scansum - <to climb, mount, rise>.

cubile -is - n. <bed>; esp. <marriage-bed>; of animals, <lair, den, nest>; of bees, <hives>; in gen., <seat, resting place>.

ingero -gerere -gessi -gestum - <to carry or put in or upon; to press upon, force upon>; of abuse, <to heap on> a person.

obruo -ruere -rui -rutum - fut partic. -ruiturus. Intransit. <to fall, collapse>. Transit. <to cover, bury, swamp, drown; to overwhelm, destroy, obliterate>.

officium -i - n. <dutiful or respectful action; attendance, service, duty; sense of duty, respect, courtesy; submission, allegiance>.

apto -are - <to fit, adapt, adjust; to make ready or fit>.

cognomen -inis - n. <a surname, family name>.

vigil -ilis - <wakeful, watchful>; m. as subst. <a watchman>.

praemium -i - n. <that which is taken first, the pick; a gift, award, reward, recompense>; poet. <notable exploit>.

sors sortis - f. <a lot; a casting of lots; an oracular response, prophecy; official duty as allotted>; with genit. <share, part>; <fate, fortune, destiny; money, capital out at interest>.