

SCANNING WORKSHEET, AENEID 1.39–40

DIRECTIONS: Scan the following lines, indicating both elision and the mid-verse caesura/diaeresis (if applicable). The division between feet is noted in the example, but you need not do so.

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 nec poss(e) √ Italia Teucror(um) √ avertere regem? 38

Quippe vetor fātīs. Pallasne exūrere classem

Argīvum atque ipsōs potuit submergere pontō

N.B. There is one elision in v. 39; and 2 in v. 40.