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We are prisoners of the sense we have about the world because of our size, and rarely recognize how different the world must appear to small animals. Since our relative surface area is so small at our large size, we are ruled by the forces of gravity acting upon our weight. But gravity means next to nothing to very small animals with high surface-to-volume ratios; they live in a world of surface forces and judge the pleasures and dangers of their surroundings in ways foreign to our experience.

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