

# MICROEMULSIONS AS DRUG DELIVERY SYSTEMS

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## 1 HISTORICAL BACKGROUND, TERMINOLOGY, AND DEFINITION

Hoar and Schulman coined the term *microemulsion* (ME) in 1943 to define a transparent system obtained by titrating a turbid oil-in-water (o/w) emulsion with a

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