

## Book Review

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**Pharmaceutical Dosage Forms: Disperse Systems, Vols. 1 and 2**, Second edition, revised and expanded. Marcel Dekker, 1996. Vol. 1, 584 pages; Vol. 2, 528 pages. Hard cover: \$165 (\$65 for five or more for classroom use only) per volume.

These two volumes represent updated and expanded versions of the successful first edition volumes. Both are authoritative and make fascinating reading. They are clearly of considerable value to pharmaceutical or cosmetic scientists working on the formulation, evaluation,

or production of disperse systems. Both volumes are well illustrated, and individual chapters are generally well supported by a plethora of adequate, reasonably up-to-date references. These books might well be used as the required or recommended text for a graduate course. However, their major use may well be as reading/reference texts for practicing formulators.

Both volumes are strongly recommended.

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