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## COVER PICTURE

The cover picture shows how a lipophilic reactant, 4-*tert*-butylbenzyl bromide, meets a hydrophilic reactant, an iodide ion, at the oil-water interface of a microemulsion. The interface is covered by a monolayer of nonionic and cationic surfactants. Details are presented in the Microreview by K. Holmberg on p. 731 ff. (Mr. Tomasz Witula is acknowledged for drawing the figure.)

