



PHAR 632

Solid Dosage Forms

“Capsules”

Objectives:

- Differentiate between hard and soft gel caps.
- Understand the advantages and disadvantages of soft and hard gelatin capsule.
- Study different capsule excipients, shapes and sizes.
- Understand hard gelatin capsules manufacturing and filling.
- Understand quality control testing of capsules.

Reading Assignment:

The following pages are your reading from *Ansel's Pharmaceutical Dosage Form and Drug Delivery* for the next topic: **Capsules, Chapter 7.**

1. Read “**Capsules**” Chapter 7, pages 239-255.