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**Novel free-flowing fenofibrate-gelatin microcapsules with improved aqueous solubility:  
Preparation, physicochemical characterization and pharmacokinetics in rats**

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A novel fenofibrate-gelatin microcapsule formulation was developed using ethanol via the solvent-evaporation method by the spray-drying technique. The determination of aqueous solubility, dissolution, bioavailability and physicochemical properties was carried out compared to the drug powder. For choosing the best fitted formulation, clear ethanolic solutions of various compositions of fenofibrate and gelatin were spray-dried. Then, their influence on the aqueous solubility and dissolution behavior of the encapsulated fenofibrate was investigated. All preparations furnished improved solubility and dissolution rate of fenofibrate as compared to the drug powder. The preparations containing fenofibrate/gelatin ( $< 1/8$ , w/w) ameliorated the drug solubility more than those of the preparations containing fenofibrate/gelatin ( $\geq 1/10$ , w/w). Furthermore, the microcapsules with fenofibrate/gelatin at the weight ratio of  $\geq 1/8$  ratio exhibited good flowability. In particular, the round microparticles consisting of fenofibrate/gelatin at a ratio of  $1/8$  (w/w) showed the most enhanced fenofibrate solubility ( $\sim 15.84 \pm 0.36 \mu\text{g/ml}$ ) and dissolution rate ( $\sim 90\%$  at 40

minutes). The encapsulated fenofibrate was in the crystalline form, the drug molecule did not change after microencapsulation, and the drug had no reaction with gelatin. Moreover, the bioavailability was ~ 5-fold as compared to that of the drug powder. Accordingly, this fenofibrate/gelatin microcapsule formulation could be a possible oral drug delivery system with enhanced drug solubility, bioavailability and excellent flowability.

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