**mesopore**

*in catalysis*

Pore of intermediate size. [Those with widths exceeding about 0.05 μm or 50 nm (500 Å) are called macropores; those with widths not exceeding about 2 nm (20 Å) are called micropores].

**Source:**


PAC, 1976, 46, 71 (*Manual of Symbols and Terminology for Physicochemical Quantities and Units - Appendix II. Definitions, Terminology and Symbols in Colloid and Surface Chemistry. Part II: Heterogeneous Catalysis*) on page 79