

# Connected porosity

**Synonym:** Connected porosity = Open porosity

Part of the [effective porosity](#) with interconnected pores:

$$\phi_{\text{opn}} = \frac{V_{\text{opn}}}{V_r}$$

where

$V_{\text{con}}$	connected pore volume
$V_r$	bulk rock volume

Opposite to [disconnected \(closed\) porosity](#).

## See also

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