



planetmath.org

Math for the people, by the people.

meager

Canonical name	Meager
Date of creation	2013-03-22 13:12:57
Last modified on	2013-03-22 13:12:57
Owner	Koro (127)
Last modified by	Koro (127)
Numerical id	8
Author	Koro (127)
Entry type	Definition
Classification	msc 54E52
Synonym	meagre
Synonym	first category
Synonym	second category
Related topic	BaireCategoryTheorem

A meager or Baire *first category* set in a topological space is one which is a countable union of nowhere dense sets. A Baire *second category* set is one which contains a countable union of open and dense sets.