

piracy

[ˈpaɪ(ə)rəsi] *n*

1. пиратство
air piracy - воздушное пиратство, угон самолётов
2. нарушение авторского права
3. незаконная деятельность (*особ. незарегистрированной радиостанции, частного автобуса*)
4. *геол.* перехват одной реки другой

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

piracy [ˈpaɪrəsi] *n* **BrE** [ˈpaɪrəsi] *n* **NAmE** [ˈpaɪrəsi] *n* **noun uncountable**

1. the crime of attacking ships at sea in order to steal from them
2. the act of making illegal copies of DVDs, computer programs, books, etc, in order to sell them
• software piracy

see also ↑pirate

Word Origin:

mid 16th cent.: via medieval Latin from Greek *pirateia*, from *peiratēs*, from *peirein* 'to attempt, attack' (from *peira* 'an attempt').

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

piracy /ˈpaɪərəsi \$ ˈpaɪrə-/ *n* **BrE** *n* **AmE** *n* **noun [uncountable]**

1. the crime of illegally copying and selling books, tapes, videos, computer programs etc ⇔ **pirate**:
software piracy
2. the crime of attacking and stealing from ships at sea
3. the crime of making illegal television or radio broadcasts

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