

Definitions

Pirate:

1 - A person who plunders or robs from ships, especially at sea; a person who commits or practices piracy.

2 - A person who goes about in search of plunder; a freebooter, a marauder; a raider, a plunderer, a despoiler.



Modern depiction of pirates from the film *Pirates of the Caribbean*
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Piracy:

1 - The action of committing robbery, kidnap, or violence at sea or from the sea without lawful authority, especially by one vessel against another.

2 - The unauthorized reproduction or use of an invention or work of another, as a book, recording, computer software, intellectual property, etc., especially as constituting an infringement of patent or copyright; plagiarism; an instance of this.

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