

Study on Copyright of In-depth Aggregation of Network Information Resources

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In-depth aggregation of network information resources is most likely to be an important direction of digital information organization and a hot topic of academic field. There have been several related national research projects in China in recent years. However, there are just few research on the copyright issues of network information resources in-depth aggregation. This paper analyzes the copyright risk in different modes of in-depth aggregation and discusses the circumvent strategies based on the definition of in-depth aggregation of network information resources and in the framework of China Copyright Law, Information Network Transmission Right Protection Regulation and international intellectual property conventions China has joined. Meanwhile, this paper will propose suggestions of perfecting digital copyright protection rules of China according to the reasonable needs of in-depth aggregation of network information resources.