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Content

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- Law journals: 200+, with law papers from 6,000+ journals
- Core journals: 28
- Monograph series: 50+
- Communiques: 100+
- Exclusive authorized journals: 10+
- Central comprehensive newspapers: 8
- Central industry newspapers: 130+
- Legal newspapers: 20+
- Local newspapers: 430+
- Qualified doctoral degree-granting organizations: 100+
- Qualified master's degree-granting organizations: 340+

CLKD at a Glance

Language:	Chinese
Interface:	English + Chinese
Abstracts:	Chinese
Archive:	1949–present
Journal Articles:	Over 2 million
Records:	Over 77 million case records and 1.6 million laws and regulations
Updates:	Daily; newly enacted laws available within 48 hours
Data Format:	Full text, PDF or HTML
Producer:	Tongfang Knowledge Network Ltd. (TKN)
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■ CLKD content is classified according to 14 categories and hundreds of subjects. Categories include:

Jurisprudence and History of Law	Criminology	Economic Law
Constitution	Litigation Law	Environment and Resources Protection Law
Administrative Law	Judicial Administrative System	Criminal Law
Civil and Commercial Law	International Law	National Security and Military Law

Features and Functions

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■ **Laws and Regulations:** Strict criteria for selection, items are searchable, and each has its own CNKI Knowledge Network Node.

■ **Cases:** Find typical cases within legal context. Cases are reviewed by experts, provide more reference value than a judgment document.

■ **Literary Papers:** Papers are fully retrospective and updated in a timely manner, all core journals are included.

■ **Navigation:** Navigate by categories and subjects or by specific resources including journals, doctoral dissertations, master's theses, conference proceedings, sponsors, and newspapers.

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