



## HIKMA Novelty Check Report

Real Knowledge Value (RKV) Framework Analysis

Paper Analyzed

**Lethal Governance: Civilian Mortality and Settler Violence  
in the West Bank and East Jerusalem (2023–2025)**

**3.8 out of 10**

RKV CONTRIBUTION SCORE

**X DERIVATIVE**

NOVELTY CLASSIFICATION

**5**

CLAIMS ANALYZED



novel contributions. The research may largely recombine or restate known ideas without adequate differentiation. Significant revision is needed to establish clearer novelty, identify genuine research gaps, and demonstrate measurable advances beyond the current state of the art.

Domain:

**Genocide Studies**

Analysis Model:

**deepseek-chat**



3.75

Out of 10.0

Gap Identification

Avg. Score

Contribution Delta

Measured Impact

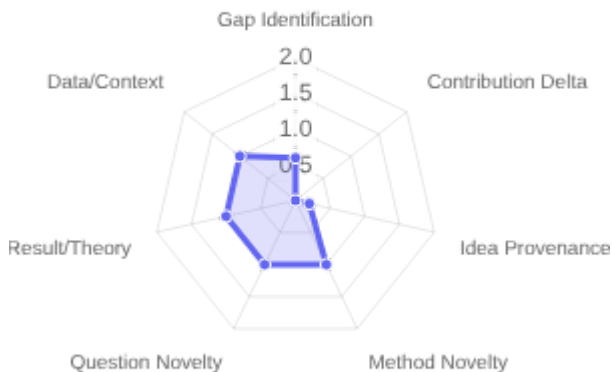
Idea Provenance

Originality

Sub-Dimensions

4 Metrics

## Overall Dimension Scores







C01	systematic analysis of violence trends in the West Bank and East Jerusalem during a critical period	1	0	0	MEDIUM	Systematic analysis but no measurable delta over prior work
C02	It develops a theoretical framework connecting data practices with epistemic justice in conflict zones	1	0	1	MEDIUM	Recombines existing theories without new conceptual relations
C03	It demonstrates how credibility emerges through community verification processes	1	0	0	HIGH	Closely mirrors epistemic resistance concepts
C04	It examines correlations between different forms of violence	0	0	0	HIGH	Standard correlation analysis in conflict studies
C05	It documents how data collection functions as moral witnessing	0	0	0	HIGH	Direct application of existing moral witnessing theory



- OCHA
- ACLED (Raleigh et al., 2010)

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- Fricker, 2007
- Margalit, 2002
- Zelizer, 2021
- Medina, 2013

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- Margalit, 2002
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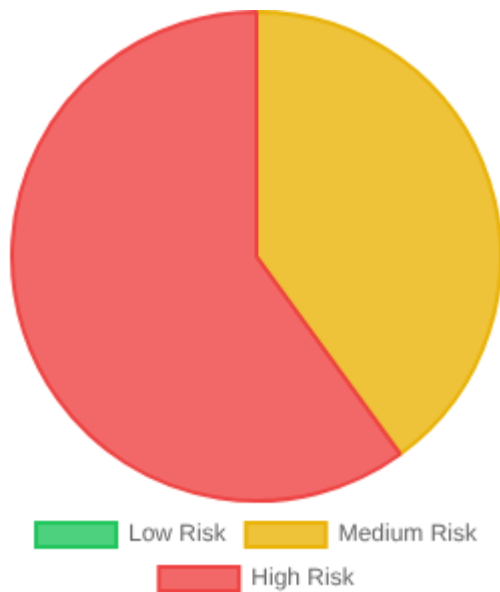


 No measurable delta

 Gap not grounded in literature

 All novelty comes from recombination only

## Derivative Risk Distribution





✓ Idea Provenance

✓ Method Novelty

✓ Question Novelty

✓ Result Theory Novelty

✓ Data Context Novelty