

HIKMA Novelty Check Report

Real Knowledge Value (RKV) Framework Analysis

Paper Analyzed

Witnessing Atrocity: Institutional Credibility, Moral Testimony, and Data Ethics in the Gaza Genocide Inquiry

4.4 out of 10

RKV CONTRIBUTION SCORE

X DERIVATIVE

NOVELTY CLASSIFICATION

5

CLAIMS ANALYZED

This paper appears to be **primarily derivative** with concerns about originality. Multiple contribution claims show high overlap with existing work, weak gap identification, or insufficient demonstration of 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:

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RKV Contribution Score Breakdown

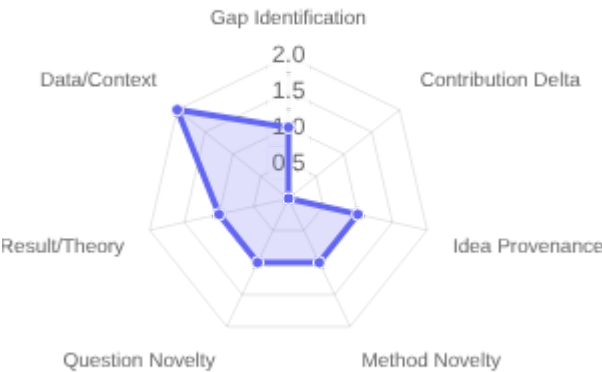


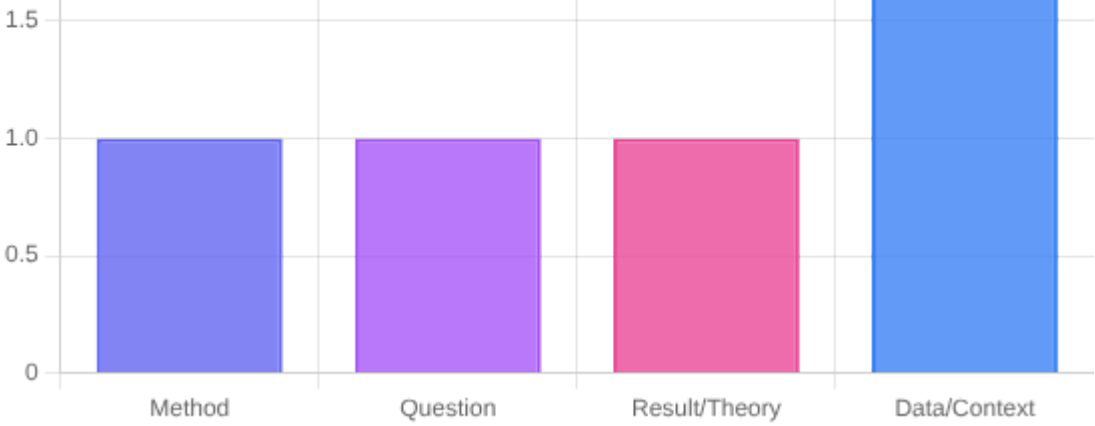
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Out of 10.0

Gap Identification	Avg. Score
Contribution Delta	Measured Impact
Idea Provenance	Originality
Sub-Dimensions	4 Metrics

Overall Dimension Scores





C01	<p>This paper analyzes the United Nations Commission of Inquiry's 2025 report through the framework of 'administrative moral witnessing'—an analytic device that illuminates how institutions navigate a communicative double bind: maintaining procedural neutrality while conveying the moral urgency of genocidal conditions.</p>	1	0	1	MEDIUM	<p>Conceptual framework combines existing ideas; no measurable delta.</p>
C02	<p>Our analysis demonstrates how institutional discourse acknowledges evidentiary contestability while strategically re-imposing epistemic closure through triangulated data and procedural rigor, which paradoxically enables the rationalized erasure of Palestinian subjectivities.</p>	1	0	1	MEDIUM	<p>Analytical observation; no performance improvement shown.</p>
C03	<p>This paper argues that institutional credibility in atrocity</p>	1	0	1	MEDIUM	<p>Theoretical proposition; synthesizes existing concepts.</p>

documentation emerges from the interplay of data ethics, moral testimony, and procedural integrity, constituting a form of bureaucratic empathy that mediates between legal accountability and the lived experience of genocidal violence.

C04

Our contribution reveals how institutional discourse moves from acknowledging contestability to strategically re-imposing epistemic closure through triangulated data and procedural rigor.

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MEDIUM

Process description; no quantitative advancement.

C05

By tracing this process, we illuminate the interplay between technical competence and moral authority in genocide documentation within politically charged contexts.

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MEDIUM

Analytical insight; builds on existing political communication research.

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- Fricker (2007)
- Margalit (2002)
- Zelizer (2021)

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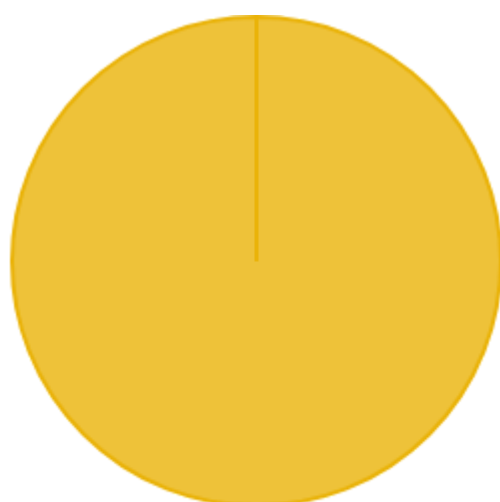
- Keck & Sikkink (1998)
- Bob (2005)
- Zelizer (2021)

⚠ No measurable delta

⚠ Gap not grounded in literature

⚠ All novelty comes from recombination only

📈 Derivative Risk Distribution



Low Risk Medium Risk High Risk

✓ Gap Identification

✓ Contribution Delta

✓ Idea Provenance

✓ Method Novelty

✓ Question Novelty

✓ Result Theory Novelty

✓ Data Context Novelty