

Review of: "A Bibliometric Review of CSR in China Based on CNKI Database: 2006-2022"

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The paper titled "A Bibliometric Review of CSR in China Using the CNKI Database: 2006-2022" and leveraging CiteSpace SW holds promise for interest, provided a few refinements are implemented.

I suggest including in the study a section that addresses the historical context and evolution of the concept of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR), which will provide a comprehensive perspective. In the methodology section, it is essential to detail the approach used for the selection of articles, justifying the criteria employed for their inclusion or exclusion.

Furthermore, the research questions that have guided this study should be explicitly presented. It is crucial to provide accurate information about the sources of the articles, and although it was mentioned that journals indexed in SSCI were chosen, this information could be complemented with a specific list of the selected journals.

Additionally, I recommend delving deeper into the analysis of the gathered information. Rather than merely describing the groups identified by SW CiteSpace, a more in-depth analysis of each cluster can be conducted. This involves examining emerging trends in each group, as well as the role of the authors in shaping those trends. Exploring how these authors have influenced the research direction can provide a richer and more nuanced understanding of the evolution of the topic.

Lastly, it would be valuable to contextualize the results of the cluster analysis within the broader landscape of CSR evolution, relating them to historical milestones and transformations in business practices. This contextualization can enhance the understanding of how CSR research has adapted and responded to changes in the business and social environment.