

The “Confutation” : “Tornado” Analogy

“confute”: 1. to overwhelm by argument; to refute.
2. to perplex; to confound (Webster 1956)

For the last four weeks, Google’s AI (Artificial Intelligence) Search of “**quantitative utopian analysis**” has steadfastly preserved a void in place of a link to my concise, one-page post on the subject. While Bing’s search engine referenced my post right away, Google’s search results were a time-varying, wide range of other ideas.

confutation: avoiding a core idea by surrounding that void with a flurry of alternate ideas. (Setterholm 2025)

- analogous to: -

a tornado: extreme winds, formed around an intense, sucking center-vacuum, drive a rotating debris field.

AI is a fairly new algorithm within the realm of powerful applied mathematics algorithms. Unfortunately, AI nurses confutations because it needs no frames-of-reference to produce commentaries.

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<https://ftp.setterholm.com/WorldPeace/Confutation&TornadoAnalogy.pdf>



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