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Abstract	Maqrizi was one of the Arab scientist who appeared in the centuries (8 and, H / 13 and 14 AC) and he was concerned with the study and scientific achievement from his childhood. He was of great knowledge because of his study of the Holy Quran, the prophets Hadeeth, jurisprudence, Arabic language, literature and History. He was tought by the greatest scientists and mastars of his age. He worked hardly in reading and writing until he became of great status in his age and a well – known historian and writer to him the students of knowledge cam, from different places inside and outside Egypt Since "Al – Maqrizi: His method and Resources in the Fatimi His Book Itiadh Al – Hunafa Biakhber Al – Aimma Al – Fatimieen Al-Khulafa " is the core of the study, its importance lies in Al – Maqrizis use of a clear historical method in mentioning the incidents depending on the style of selection of the incidemts that he saw worthy of registering. That style was based on likelihood and preference in gathering and studying the novels then to choose what suited his intellectual opinions and not a depending on the transmission and recitation and that what gave his historical material a clear scientific value. Moreover, the study showed that he depended on the style of brevity in registering the news and the incideuts that he saw important, this is on the one hand. On the other hand he scareely followed the critical method in his telling or from the historians he			

took from in the aforementioned book.

In addition , the study has revealed that Al – Maqrizi depended mostly on the original resources which constituted the core of his aforementioned book inspite of the long period between him and the incidents in his book . Such resources include " Terteeb Al – Dawla Al- Fatimeia " for Ibn Al – Tewer (1220~A~C~/~617~A~H~) , " Tareekh Halab " for Ibn Abi Tay (1232~A~C~/~630~A~H~) , " Akhbar AL-Qeirawan " for Ibn Shaddad Al – Qairawani (1234~A~C~/~632~A~H~) . Also , it has been noticed that he put into consideration some scientific bases like contemporariness , visualization and specialization in depending on such resources which were mostly missing and that is why this book is so important because it represent a movable saft of the Fatimi heritage .

One more point is that Al –maqrizi in depending on those resources and taking from them , he put in to consideration the scientific honesty , and in his transmission , he was literain some occasions and was not in others . Other works of Al – Maqrizi helped in providing important in formation whether in identifying the origion of some resources or in explaining some of the book incidents , as in Al-Mawaith Al-Itibar Bithikr Al- Khutat Walathar , Igathet Al-Umma Bikashf Al-Gumma , and Al–Mukaffa Al – Kabeer . Besides , Al – Maqrizi had flexible thoughts which sometimes express personal passionl towards Al- Fattimyeen which enables him to gather the norels study them , and select the most suitable one in terms of his persored point of view especially those which one related to the truth of Al – fattimy origins that have no agreement by the historiogrophers and historians .