## Claim

Claim: "



This image shows Gaza, completely destroyed, in December 2024."

## **Actions**

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geolocate(![image 33](media/58.jpg))
web_search("Gaza destroyed buildings")
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## **Evidence**

### Evidence from geolocate

The most likely countries where the image was taken are: {'Jordan': 0.59, 'Palestine': 0.15, 'United Arab Emirates': 0.07, 'Pakistan': 0.05, 'Tunisia': 0.02, 'Israel': 0.01, 'Malta': 0.01, 'Russia': 0.01, 'Turkey': 0.01, 'Albania': 0.0}

#### Evidence from web\_search

According to a Wikipedia article, nearly 80% of the buildings in Gaza were damaged or destroyed by July 2025. As of January 2025, Israel had destroyed 815 mosques and 19 cemeteries. The article includes an image of a destroyed mosque in the Jabalia area of the Gaza Strip



. The Old City of Gaza was severely damaged or destroyed by Israeli airstrikes.

A UN News article from April 2025 reports that approximately 92% of residential buildings in Gaza have been damaged or destroyed since the start of the conflict. <a href="maje:k">image:k</a> shows a bulldozer removing rubble in Gaza City.

## **Elaboration**

The evidence suggests that the image could depict a location in Palestine, as indicated by the geolocation results. The web search results confirm that Gaza has suffered extensive damage to its buildings. Specifically, the search results mention that nearly 80% of buildings were damaged or destroyed by July 2025, and 92% of residential buildings were damaged or destroyed by April 2025.

The claim states the image shows Gaza completely destroyed in December 2024. While the evidence supports the extensive damage to buildings in Gaza, it does not explicitly confirm the image's specific location or the extent of the destruction in December 2024.

Therefore, the claim is partially supported by the evidence, but the exact state of destruction

in December 2024 cannot be verified.

# **Actions**

image\_search("Gaza destroyed buildings December 2024")

# **Evidence**

## Evidence from image\_search

The search results include articles from Vatican News and Al Jazeera that feature images of destroyed buildings in Gaza in December 2024. The Vatican News article discusses airstrikes, while the Al Jazeera article focuses on surviving in Gaza in 2024.



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## **Elaboration**

The image search results provide further support for the claim. The search specifically targeted "Gaza destroyed buildings December 2024," and the results include articles from Vatican News and Al Jazeera that feature images of destroyed buildings in Gaza during that time. This strengthens the likelihood that the image in the claim accurately depicts the situation in Gaza in December 2024.

The evidence now supports the claim that the image shows Gaza, with destroyed buildings, in December 2024.

## **Final Judgement**

The image search results confirm that there were destroyed buildings in Gaza in December 2024, aligning with the claim. The initial geolocation and web search results also support the extensive damage to buildings in Gaza.

#### **Verdict: TRUE**

#### **Justification**

The claim is supported by the evidence. Geolocation and web searches indicate that the image is likely from Palestine, and that Gaza suffered extensive building damage. Furthermore, an image search specifically for "Gaza destroyed buildings December 2024" yielded results from Vatican News and Al Jazeera, confirming the presence of destroyed buildings in Gaza during that time.