# Claim

Claim: "



This image shows a vegetable stand in Gaza in January 2025 with a Merkava tank, the pride of the Israeli army, as its decor."

## **Actions**

reverse\_search(![image 43] (media/71.jpg))

# **Evidence**

# Evidence from reverse\_search

From <u>Source</u>: Found exact image on website with title: In Syria, an abandoned tank has become a fruit and vegetable stand. Content: The search result is from a Turkish news website and contains the exact image provided in the claim. The article is titled "In Syria, an

abandoned tank has become a fruit and vegetable stand" and was published on December 15,

2024.



article states that the tank was abandoned by regime forces in Syria and is now being used as a fruit stand. The article also mentions the Syrian National Army and the Operation Dawn of Freedom.

### **Elaboration**

The image depicts a vegetable stand using an abandoned tank. The evidence indicates that the image is from Syria, not Gaza, and the tank is not a Merkava tank. The image was published in December 2024, not January 2025.

The claim is inaccurate.

# **Final Judgement**

The image is of a vegetable stand using an abandoned tank in Syria, not Gaza. The tank is not a Merkava tank, and the image was published in December 2024, not January 2025.

false

### **Verdict: FALSE**

#### **Justification**

The image depicts a vegetable stand using an abandoned tank in Syria, not Gaza, as indicated by a Turkish news website (<u>Source</u>). The tank is not a Merkava tank, and the image was published in December 2024, not January 2025.