

Claim



Claim: "

This image shows an Israeli tank unit near Jabalia camp in northern Gaza that was successfully ambushed by Hamas fighters, destroying multiple vehicles and injuring or killing their crews in October 2024."

Actions

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reverse_search(![image 10229] (media/59.jpg))  
web_search("Israeli tank Jabalia camp Hamas October 2024")  
geolocate(![image 10229] (media/59.jpg))
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Evidence

Evidence from **reverse_search**

The image of the burning tank (



) appears in multiple sources. One source, 9jaflaver.com, and Nairaland both use the image in articles about the Israel-Hamas conflict, with the former mentioning the surprise attack by Hamas on October 7, 2023.

Another source, africacheck.org, states the image shows an Israeli tank destroyed in the Gaza Strip in October 2023, and was published by Defense Mirror on November 8, 2023.

Evidence from web_search

Al Jazeera (<https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2024/10/6/israel-launches-ground-offensive-on-jabalia-again-killing-17>) reported on an Israeli ground offensive in Jabalia, Gaza, on October 6, 2024. The BBC (<https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c9vplm00pm0o>) discussed the situation in Jabalia refugee camp on October 9, 2024, including Israeli military operations.

The Guardian (<https://www.theguardian.com/global-development/2024/dec/18/jabaliya-refugee-camp-gaza-destruction-idf>) discussed the destruction of the Jabaliya refugee camp, mentioning three offensives by Israeli forces, with the third beginning on October 5, 2024.



The image

Evidence from geolocate

The most likely countries where the image was taken are: {'Pakistan': 0.11, 'Palestine': 0.11, 'Israel': 0.1, 'Tunisia': 0.09, 'Mexico': 0.06, 'Colombia': 0.05, 'Chile': 0.04, 'Sweden': 0.03, 'Argentina': 0.02, 'Denmark': 0.02}

Elaboration

The evidence suggests the image depicts an Israeli tank destroyed in the Gaza Strip. Multiple sources, including africacheck.org, confirm this. The image was published in November 2023, and the reverse image search indicates it was used in articles about the Israel-Hamas conflict.

The web search results provide context about Israeli military operations in Jabalia, Gaza, in October 2024. However, the evidence does not explicitly confirm that the tank in the image was destroyed in an ambush by Hamas fighters, nor does it confirm the destruction of multiple vehicles or casualties among the crews.

Therefore, while the image's context is related to the claim, the claim's specific details about the ambush, the number of vehicles destroyed, and casualties are not verified by the evidence.

Final Judgement

The image shows an Israeli tank destroyed in the Gaza Strip, which aligns with the claim's context. However, the claim's specific details about the ambush by Hamas, the number of vehicles destroyed, and casualties are not verified by the evidence.

false

Verdict: FALSE

Justification

The image depicts an Israeli tank destroyed in the Gaza Strip, as confirmed by sources like africacheck.org. However, the claim's specific details about the ambush by Hamas, the number of vehicles destroyed, and casualties are not verified by the evidence.