

# Claim

Claim: "Half of all US aid to Ukraine was laundered and sent back to Democrat candidates for re-election."

# Actions

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web_search("US aid to Ukraine laundered Democrat candidates")
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# Evidence

## Evidence from web\_search

The Wikipedia article on the 2019 Trump–Ukraine scandal ([https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2019\\_Trump%E2%80%93Ukraine\\_scandal](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2019_Trump%E2%80%93Ukraine_scandal)) does not mention the claim. Newsweek (<https://www.newsweek.com/what-behind-claim-joe-biden-laundered-billions-ukraine-aid-via-ftx-1759774>) discusses the claim that US aid to Ukraine was laundered and sent to Democrat candidates, stating that the claim originated from social media and that there is no evidence to support it



. The Associated Press (<https://apnews.com/article/fact-check-ftx-ukraine-democrats-laundering-996663874380>) fact-checked the claim and found it to be false.

# Elaboration

The evidence suggests the claim is false. Newsweek and the Associated Press both state that there is no evidence to support the claim that US aid to Ukraine was laundered and sent to

Democrat candidates.

## Final Judgement

The claim that half of all US aid to Ukraine was laundered and sent back to Democrat candidates for re-election is demonstrably false. Multiple reliable sources, including Newsweek and the Associated Press, have fact-checked this claim and found no evidence to support it.

false

**Verdict: FALSE**

## Justification

The claim that US aid to Ukraine was laundered and sent to Democrat candidates is false. A search of the web revealed that the claim originated from social media and lacks supporting evidence. Both Newsweek (<https://www.newsweek.com/what-behind-claim-joe-biden-laundered-billions-ukraine-aid-via-ftx-1759774>) and the Associated Press (<https://apnews.com/article/fact-check-ftx-ukraine-democrats-laundering-996663874380>) have fact-checked the claim and found it to be false.