

Claim

Claim: "Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy's wife bought a \$5,000,000.00 Bugatti while vacationing in Paris."

Actions

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web_search("Volodymyr Zelenskyy wife Bugatti Paris")
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Evidence

Evidence from web_search

The BBC (<https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c72ver6172do>) and CNN (<https://www.cnn.com/2024/07/02/europe/deepfake-video-zelensky-wife-intl-latam>) reported that a deepfake video falsely claimed Olena Zelenska bought a Bugatti in Paris. The Bugatti dealership denied the transaction. The CBS News (<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/olena-zelenska-false-claim-she-bought-bugatti/>) also reported on the false claim, stating it was part of a Russian disinformation campaign.

The BBC article includes a screenshot of a YouTube video falsely claiming Zelenskyy bought



a mansion
document marked as "FALSE"

and a

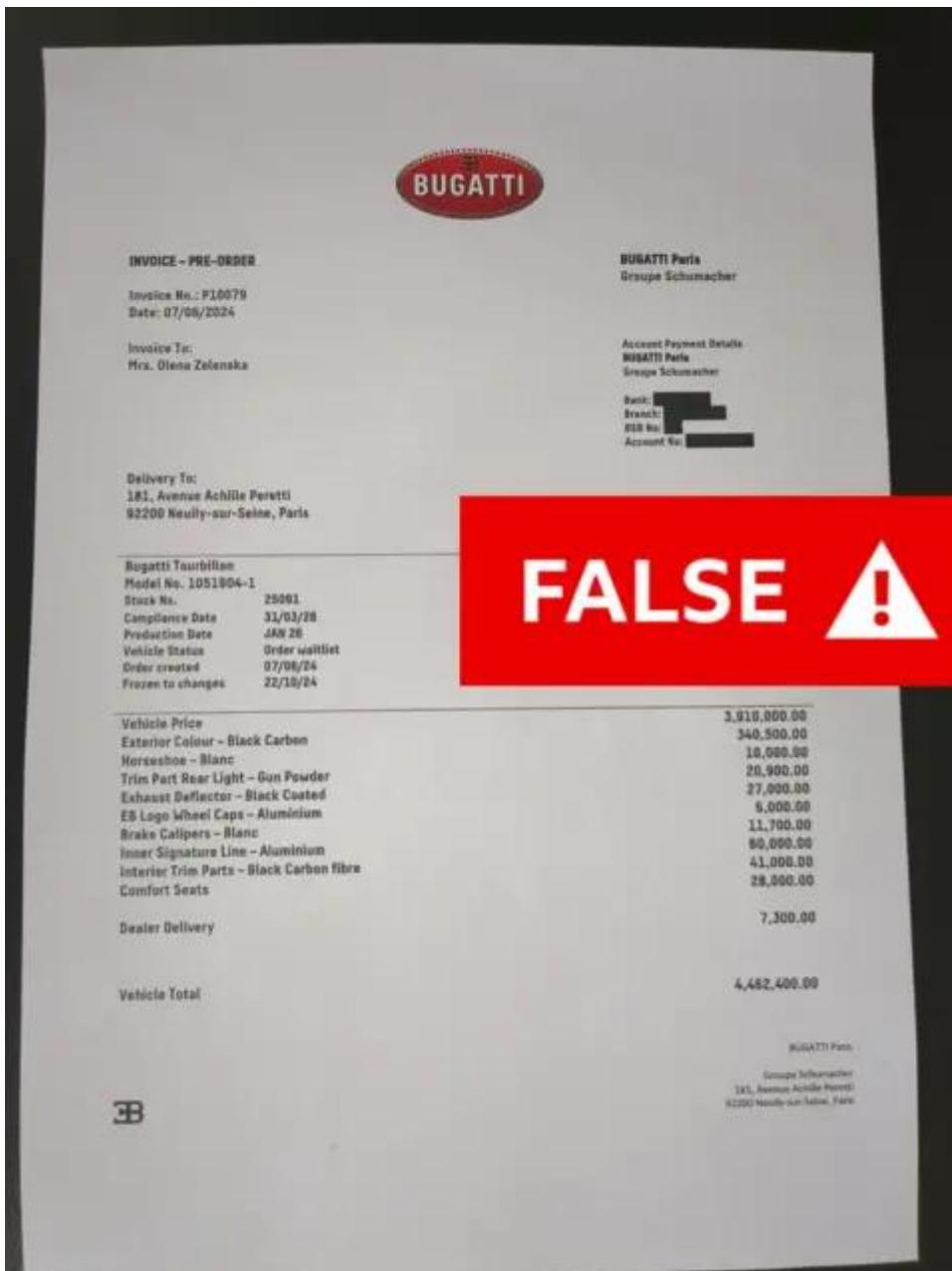
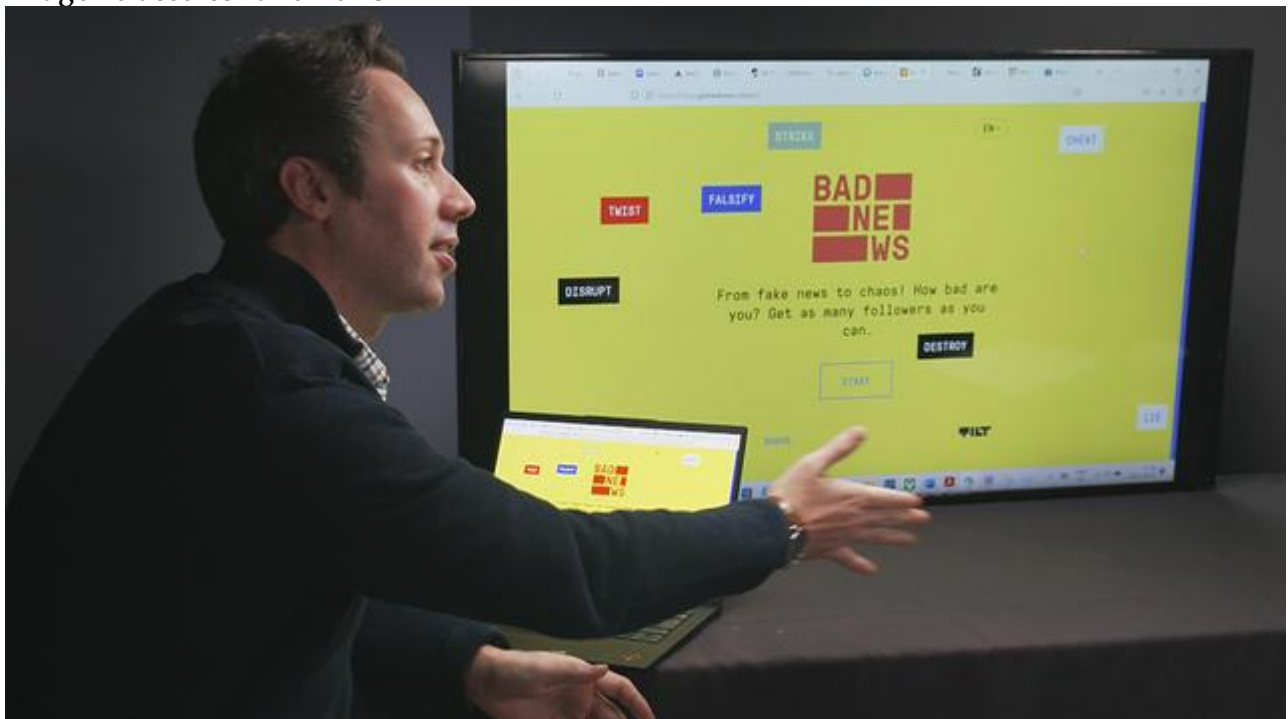


image related to fake news. CBS News includes an



Elaboration

The evidence indicates the claim is false. Multiple news sources, including the BBC (<https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c72ver6172do>), CNN (<https://www.cnn.com/2024/07/02/europe/deepfake-video-zelensky-wife-intl-latam>), and CBS News (<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/olena-zelenska-false-claim-she-bought-bugatti/>), report that the claim originated from a deepfake video and was part of a disinformation campaign. The Bugatti dealership denied the transaction.

The BBC article includes a screenshot of a YouTube video falsely claiming Zelenskyy bought a mansion and a document marked as "FALSE". The CBS News also includes an image related to fake news.

Final Judgement

The claim that Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy's wife bought a Bugatti in Paris is false. Multiple reputable news sources, including the BBC, CNN, and CBS News, have reported that this claim originated from a deepfake video and was part of a disinformation campaign. The Bugatti dealership denied the transaction.

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Verdict: FALSE

Justification

The claim is false. Multiple news outlets, including the BBC (<https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c72ver6172do>), CNN (<https://www.cnn.com/2024/07/02/europe/deepfake-video-zelensky-wife-intl-latam>), and CBS News (<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/olena-zelenska-false-claim-she-bought-bugatti/>), have reported that the claim originated from a deepfake video and was part of a disinformation campaign. The Bugatti dealership denied the transaction.