

# Claim

Claim: "



This image shows a US F-16 fighter jet which was shot down in August 2024 in airspace over the Black Sea after refusing to obey Russian orders."

## Actions

`reverse_search(![image 5] (media/6.jpg))`

## Evidence

Evidence from **reverse\_search**

The image (



) depicts a Russian MiG-29S Fulcrum involved in an accident during a British air show in 1993. The image was taken by Carl Ford on July 24, 1993, at Fairford, England. The image shows a mid-air collision between two Russian Mig 29s. The pilot can be seen ejecting.

The image is available on websites such as [Airteamimages](https://www.airteamimages.com) and [Peakpx](https://www.peakpx.com).

## Elaboration

The image shows a Russian MiG-29S Fulcrum, not a US F-16 fighter jet. The image was taken in 1993, not in August 2024. The event occurred during a British air show, not over the Black Sea. The image depicts an accident involving a mid-air collision.

## Final Judgement

The image shows a Russian MiG-29S Fulcrum involved in an accident during a British air show in 1993, not a US F-16 fighter jet shot down in August 2024 over the Black Sea. The claim misrepresents the aircraft, the date, and the location of the event.

false

**Verdict: FALSE**

## Justification

The image depicts a Russian MiG-29S Fulcrum involved in an accident during a British air show in 1993, as evidenced by sources like [Airteamimages](https://www.airteamimages.com) and [Peakpx](https://www.peakpx.com). The claim is therefore false.