

Level 1 - Location DS

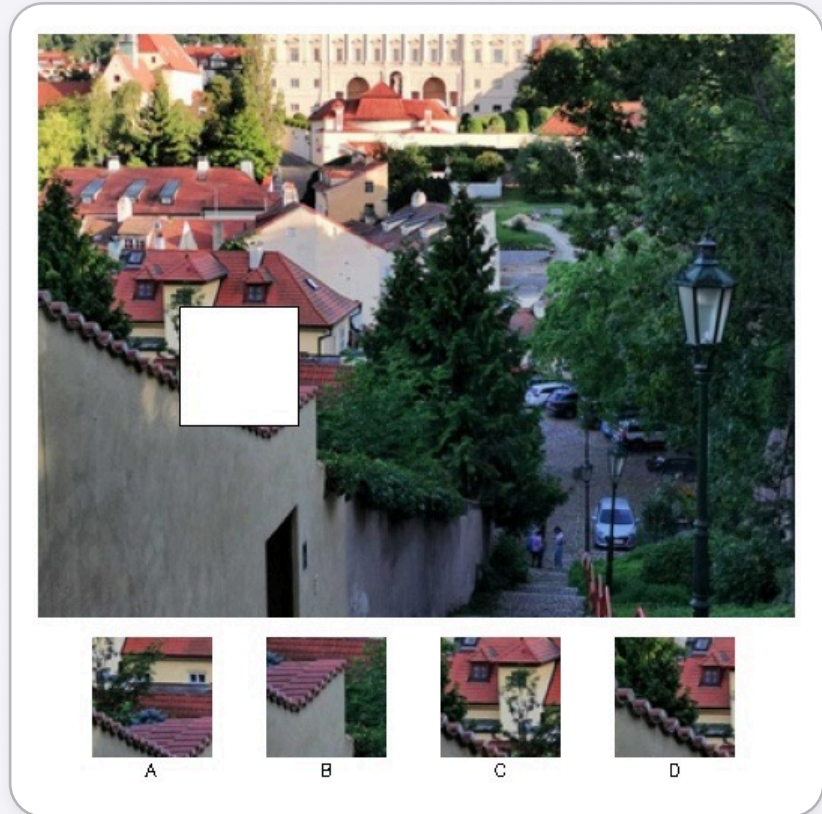
**Question:** You are presented with a main image in which a square region is blanked out (occluded). Below the image are four candidate patches labeled A, B, C, and D, arranged horizontally from left to right. Exactly one patch correctly restores the missing region of the main image.

**Task:** 1. Focus on local visual cues around the blank area — such as color, texture, object edges, and lighting direction; 2. Compare these clues with each candidate patch to determine which one best aligns structurally and contextually with the main image; 3. Select the patch that fits seamlessly into the blank region, maintaining spatial alignment and structural consistency with the surrounding image.

In your reply, follow this format exactly:

**Reasoning:** Describe the main rule or pattern and explain briefly why your answer fits it.

**Answer:** [A, B, C, or D]



Ground Truth: A ✓

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**Reasoning:** The blank area covers the yellow house facade above the horizontal dark gutter band, with red roof tiles above and the diagonal capped wall crossing the bottom edge. Patch C shows this mix—yellow wall (no dormer), red tiles at the top, a bit of greenery on the left, and the horizontal dark band—matching the surrounding edges and textures. The other patches either include a dormer (D), a roof corner/wall that doesn't align (B), or a window and layout that don't match (A).

Model Answer: C ✗

**Perceptual failure:** correctly identifies some visual features but places them in the wrong location; overrelies on visible cues and fails to reason about missing structures (e.g., window on correct patch A), resulting in incorrect alignment.