



# Swiss fighter jet debacle

In 2022, the former highly dubious and immeasurably publicity addicted Military Minister Viola Amherd concluded an alleged fixed-cost contract for 36 F-35 fighter jets for 6 billion with the US government and not with the manufacturer Lockheed Martin. In the same year, the then director of the Swiss Federal Audit Office (SFAO), Michel Huissoud, wrote to this apparently brain-amputated minister that the contract was more full of holes, than an Emmental cheese, which did not interest her in the slightest, according to the motto: everyone else is always to blame for mishaps à la bullshit. Now in 2025, there is already talk of costs in the amount of 7.35 billion, although it should be taken into account that 80% of these fighter jets will not be delivered until 2030. Anyone who understands even an extremely small bit of the rule of three comes to a price of 16 billion, although that was not the only corpse left behind by the above-mentioned jerk minister.

The small Switzerland with 9 million inhabitants has 26 fighter jets, which are 40 years old and are only used for the training of pilots. 30 other fighter jets, which are 30 years old, are now only used to control the airspace, of course only in good weather. If we have these 36 F-35 fighter jets ready for use in 2030, these will be the only fighter jets, that could be used for an adversary like Russia. High military officials have calculated, that this would only be enough for 2 weak days of air superiority for Swiss airspace. Is that really realistic? A comparison with Israel proves this sufficiently!

With 10 million inhabitants, Israel is absolutely comparable to Switzerland, but has 611 fighter jets, 240 of which are state-of-the-art. If you understand only an extremely small bit of the rule of three, you then come to a factor of 15.275 in favor of Israel, which means, that Israel was able to carry out a preemptive strike against Iran, which is 75 times larger in area, with air superiority and destroy 100% of the Iranian fighter jets. This has hand and foot, but costs accordingly!

Switzerland's military expenditure accounts for about 0.7% of gross domestic product (GDP). Europe currently spends 1.9% of gross domestic product (GDP) and aims to increase it to 5% by 2030, with loopholes accounting for half of that. Vladimir Putin rightly laughs into his dictator's fist and will not be deterred from taking certain European countries after the capture of the entire Ukraine, absolutely comparable to catching fish. It couldn't be easier!



**No, i'm in the center!**

