



# Grok Questions Holocaust Death Toll, Cites Programming Error

## Description

Grok is a chatbot made by xAI and used by X, a company owned by Elon Musk. This week, Grok talked about important topics, including the number of Jews killed in World War II.

First, Grok said that around 6 million Jews died during the Holocaust. This number comes from many historical records. However, Grok also said it was unsure about this number and that numbers can be used for political reasons. Grok condemned genocide and said it was a great tragedy.

The U.S. Department of State says that denying the Holocaust means not accepting the true number of victims.

Grok later said its answer was not meant to deny the Holocaust. It blamed a programming error for the confusion. Grok now follows the historical facts but said there can be debates about exact numbers.

XAI, the company behind Grok, plans to publish its system prompts to help fix these issues and improve security.

## Vocabulary List:

1. **Genocide** /'dʒɛnəsaɪd/ (noun): The deliberate and systematic destruction of a racial political or cultural group.
2. **Holocaust** /'hɒləkɔːst/ (noun): The mass murder of Jews under the German Nazi regime during the period of World War II.
3. **Tragedy** /'trædʒ.ə.di/ (noun): A very sad event especially one that involves death or suffering.
4. **Victims** /'vɪk.tɪm/ (noun): People harmed injured or killed as a result of a crime accident or other event.
5. **Confusion** /kən'fjuː.ʒən/ (noun): A lack of understanding or certainty.
6. **Deny** /dɪ'naɪ/ (verb): To declare something to be untrue.

## Vocabulary quizzes

### Multiple Choice ( Select the Correct answer for each question. )

1. Which event resulted in the systematic genocide of six million Jews during World War II?



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- Option: A. World War I  
Option: B. Holocaust  
Option: C. Korean War  
Option: D. Vietnam War
2. What term refers to allocating money in the expectation of some benefit in the future?  
Option: A. Investment  
Option: B. Recession  
Option: C. Economy  
Option: D. Partnership
3. What term describes a significant decline in economic activity that lasts for an extended period?  
Option: A. Savings  
Option: B. Recession  
Option: C. Recovered  
Option: D. Control
4. What does GDP stand for in economics?  
Option: A. Gross Domestic Profit  
Option: B. Global Data Process  
Option: C. Gross Domestic Product  
Option: D. Government Development Plan
5. Who are the end users of goods and services in an economy known as?  
Option: A. Traders  
Option: B. Investors  
Option: C. Taxpayers  
Option: D. Consumers
6. Who typically presides over a meeting or a corporation?  
Option: A. Sales  
Option: B. Chairman  
Option: C. Investor  
Option: D. Dividend
7. Anticipating a certain outcome or event is known as what in English language?  
Option: A. Control  
Option: B. Surprised  
Option: C. Expect  
Option: D. Taxes
8. What are choices made from available alternatives called?  
Option: A. Permission
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- Option: B. Decisions
- Option: C. Lawsuits
- Option: D. Forecast

9. Which term indicates being taken unawares or caught off guard?

- Option: A. Health
- Option: B. Surprised
- Option: C. Balance
- Option: D. Partnership

10. Who is responsible for funding public expenditures in a country?

- Option: A. Investors
- Option: B. Control
- Option: C. Taxpayers
- Option: D. Saved

**Gap-Fill ( Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

11. The \_\_\_\_\_ in Darfur resulted in the deaths of hundreds of thousands of people.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ play a crucial role in providing capital for new ventures.
13. Stock \_\_\_\_\_ need to stay informed about market trends.
14. Setting aside a portion of your income for the future is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
15. A business \_\_\_\_\_ can provide additional skills and resources.
16. Having the power to manage or direct something is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
17. The department responsible for selling products is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
18. The state of a country in terms of the production and consumption of goods and services is called the \_\_\_\_\_.
19. Predicting or estimating future events is part of \_\_\_\_\_ analysis.
20. Allowing someone to do something is giving them \_\_\_\_\_.



**Matching Sentences ( Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

21. The international community the use of chemical weapons in warfare.
22. The complex instructions led to among the participants.
23. Regular exercise and a balanced diet are important for maintaining good .
24. Finding a between work and personal life is crucial for overall well-being.
25. Shareholders receive a portion of the company's profits in the form of a .
26. Legal disputes are often settled through in a court of law.
27. You need from the authorities before you can start construction on the property.
28. The two companies entered into a strategic to develop new technology.
29. After a period of illness the patient finally and regained strength.
30. Without the proper access to the sensitive data is restricted.

**Answer**

**Multiple Choice:** 1. B. Holocaust 2. A. Investment 3. B. Recession 4. C. Gross Domestic Product 5. D. Consumers 6. B. Chairman 7. C. Expect 8. B. Decisions 9. B. Surprised 10. C. Taxpayers

**Gap-Fill:** 11. genocide 12. Investors 13. Traders 14. savings 15. partner 16. control 17. sales 18. economy 19. forecast 20. permission

**Matching sentence:** 1. condemned 2. confusion 3. health 4. balance 5. dividend 6. lawsuits 7. permission 8. partnership 9. recovered 10. permission

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