

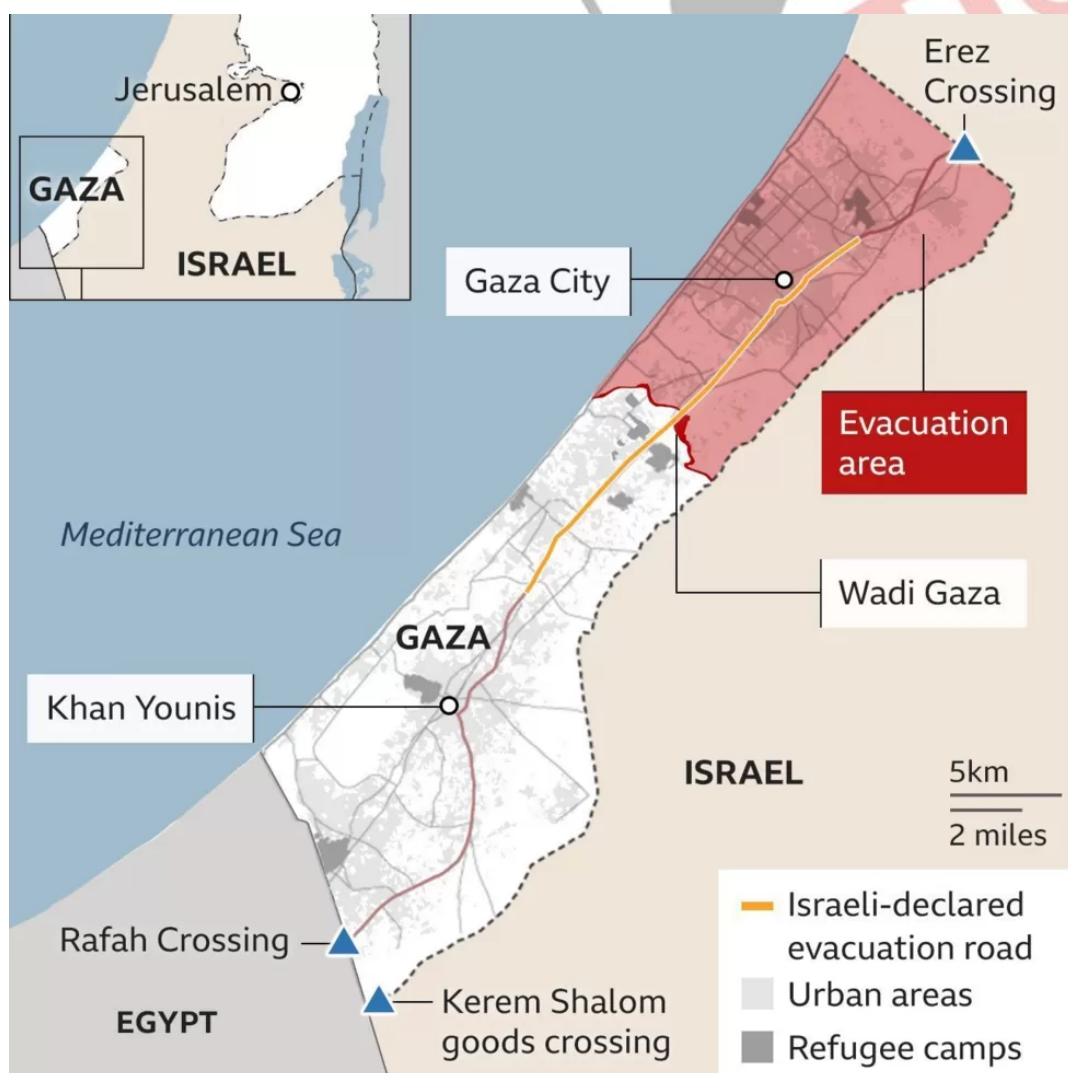


## Israeli Military Seizes Rafah Border Crossing

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The Israeli military seized control of the [Rafah border crossing](#) between the **Gaza Strip** and **Egypt** and its tanks pushed into the southern Gazan town of Rafah after a night of air strikes on the Palestinian enclave.

- The closure of the Rafah crossing hindered aid delivery to the **Gaza Strip**, exacerbating the humanitarian crisis.
- The **Rafah crossing is the southernmost exit** point from the Gaza Strip, and it shares a border with **Egypt's Sinai Peninsula**.
  - The crossing is controlled by Egypt. It is the only exit that does not lead to Israeli territory.
- There are two other border crossings in and out of Gaza are [Erez](#) in the north for people in Israel, and **Kerem Shalom** in the south for commercial goods.



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