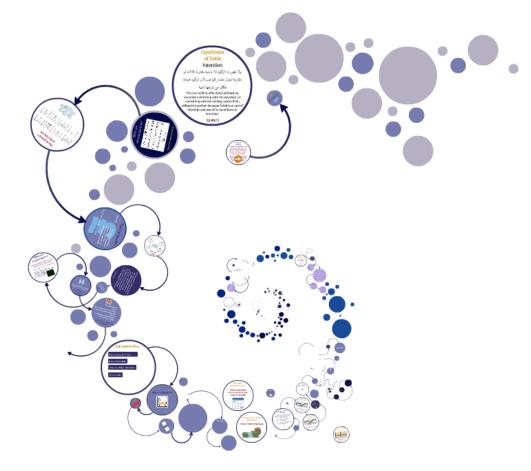
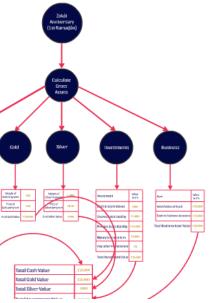


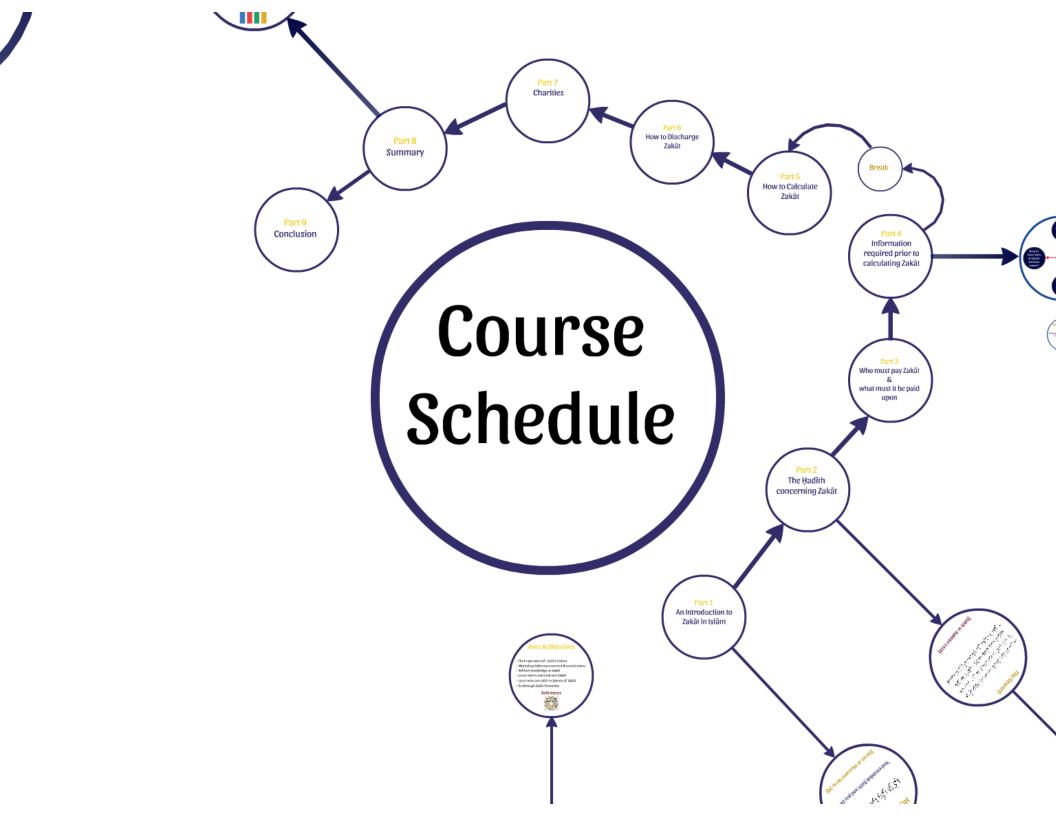
ISLAMIC ACADEMY OF COVENTRY AN INTRODUCTION TO ZAKĀT **WORKSHOP**

Maulānā Ebrahim Noor



akāt Calculation Flow





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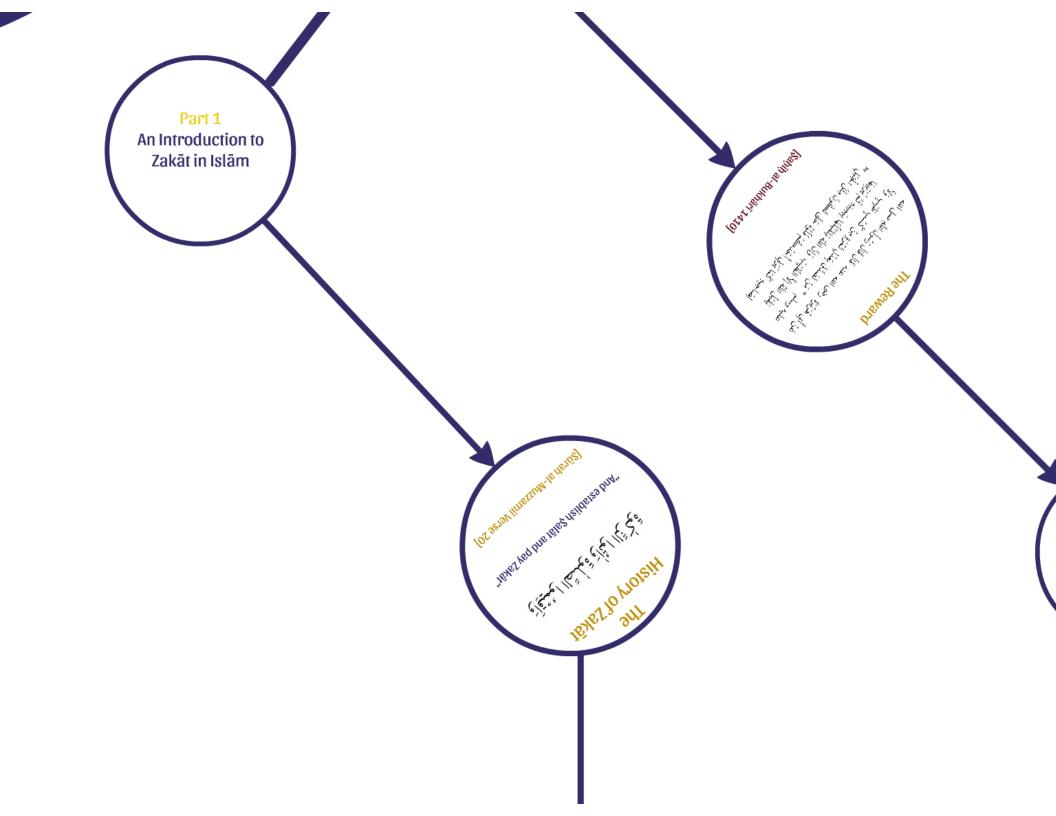
Aims & Objectives

- The Importance of Zakāt in Islām
- Workshop Addresses current financial status
- Refresh knowledge on Zakāt
- Learn how to calculate our Zakāt
- Learn who are valid recipients of Zakāt
- Go through Zakāt Scenarios

References



Part 1 An Introduction to Zakāt in Islām



The History of Zakāt

وَاقِيْمُوا الصَّلُوةَ وَأَتُوا الزَّكُوةَ

"And establish Şalāt and pay Zakāt"

[Sūrah al-Muzzamil Verse 20]

The History of Zakāt



No further details Revealed

وَيَسْعَلُوْنَكَ مَاذَا يُنْفِقُونَ قُلِ الْعَفُو

"And they ask you as to what they should spend. Say, 'The surplus'"



In 2 AH - Islamic Society is established & further details revealed

Workshop Question Number 1

What are the 5 Pillars of Islām?



Foundational Hadīth

عَنِ ابْنِ عُمَرَ قَالَ
قَالَ رَسُولُ اللّهِ صلى الله عليه وسلم
" بُنِيَ الإِسْلاَمُ عَلَى خَمْسٍ شَهَادَةِ أَنْ لاَ إِلَهَ إِلاَّ اللَّهُ وَأَنَّ هُحَمَّدًا رَسُولُ اللَّهِ وَإِقَامِ الصَّلاَةِ وَإِيتَاءِ الزَّكاةِ وَأَنَّ هُحَمَّدًا رَسُولُ اللَّهِ وَإِقَامِ الصَّلاَةِ وَإِيتَاءِ الزَّكاةِ وَأَنْ هُحَمَّدًا رَسُولُ اللَّهِ وَإِقَامِ الصَّلاَةِ وَإِيتَاءِ الزَّكاةِ وَالْمَانَ "

[Şaḥīḥ al-Bukhārī - 8]





The Foundational Beliefs









Workshop Question Number 2

What is the meaning of the word Zakāt?

The literal meaning of Zakāt

قَدْ أَفْلَحَ مَنْ تَزَكُّ Purity

تُذْ مِنْ اَمْوَالِهِمْ صَدَقَةً تُطَهِّرُهُمْ وَتُزَكِّيْهِمْ بِهَا

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Increase

Truthfulness





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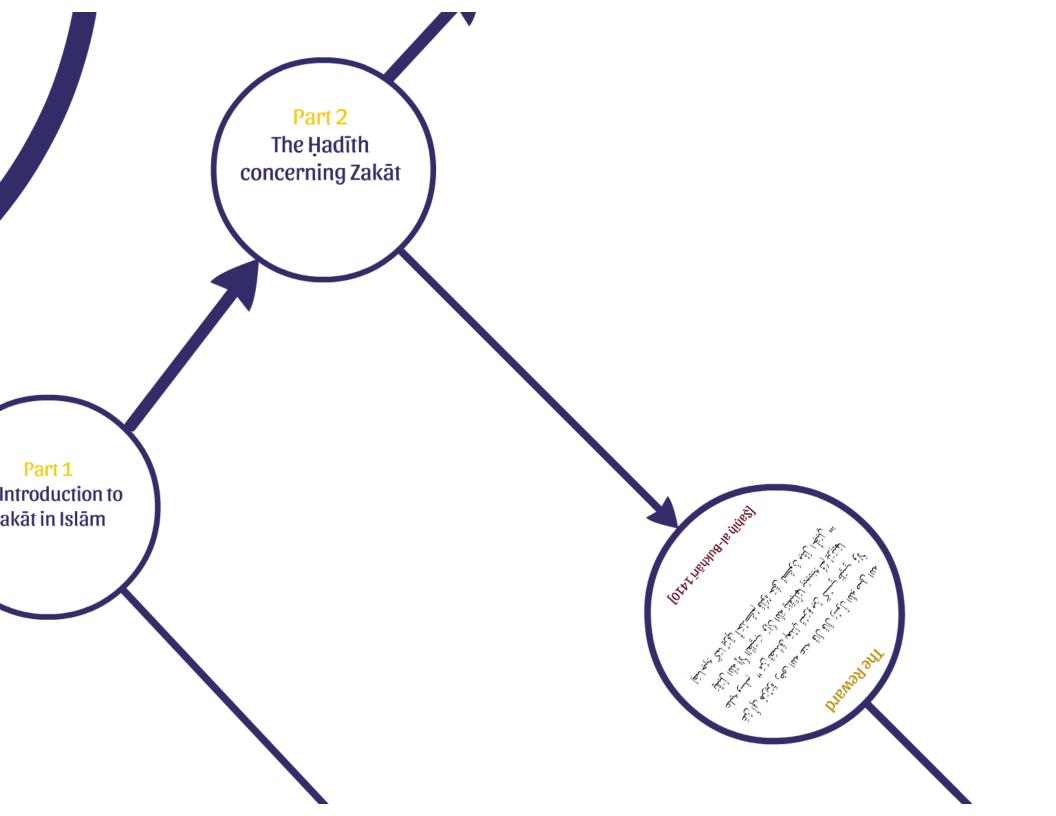
Truthfulness



The Shar'ī meaning of Zakāt

"The transfer of ownership of a certain amount of wealth that has been prescribed by the law, from a rich Muslim to a poor Muslim who is not a Ḥashimī and neither a slave of a Ḥashimī for the sake of Allāh سُنْبَحَانَهُ وَتَعَالَىٰ "

Part 2 The Ḥadīth concerning Zakāt



The Reward

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[Şaḥīḥ al-Bukhārī 1410]

The Warning

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[Şaḥīḥ al-Bukhāri 1403]

"Those who withhold in miserliness what Allāh has given them out of His grace should not take it as good for them. Instead, it is bad for them. They shall be forced, on the Doomsday, to put on what they withheld, as iron-collars round their necks. To Allāh belongs the inheritance of the Heavens and the Earth. Allah is All-Aware of what you do."

[Sūrah Āl-Imrān Verse 180]

Part 3 Who must pay Zakāt & what must it be paid upon

Workshop Question Number 3

Upon whom is Zakāt obligatory?



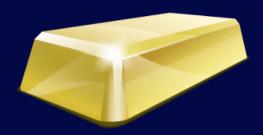
The Conditions

- 1. Muslim
- 2. Bāligh (classed as an adult in Islām)
- 3. Sane
- 4. Sāḥibe Niṣāb from productive wealth



Lunar Year

Gold Niṣāb



20 Mithqāl

1 Mithq \bar{a} l = 4.37g

 $20 \times 4.37g = 87.4g$

Silver Niṣāb



200 Dirhams

1 Dirham = 3.0618g

 $200 \times 3.0618g = 612.36g$

What is the Nisāb Value?

If you own mixed Assets use Silver Value

Commodity	Weight	Price per gram	Niṣāb Value (26/02/24)
Silver Niṣāb	612.36 grams'	£0.57	£350.35
Gold Niṣāb	87.48 grams'	£51.80	£ 4,531.46

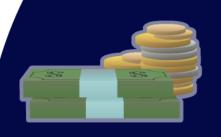
If you only own Gold then use Gold Value (above figure is based on 24 Carat)

Calculate
Nisāb value on the
day you discharge it

http://wellwishers.org.uk

What do we have to pay Zakat on?

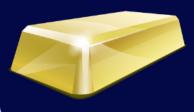
Productive Wealth







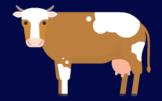


















What don't we have to pay Zakāt on?

Non-Productive Wealth













Jewellery which is not Gold or Silver

Business

What do they have to pay Zakāt on?

- Money in Business Accounts
- Finished Items Retail or Wholesale Price
- Unused materials Cost Price



Business

What dont they have to pay Zakāt on?

- Any buildings, factories, shops
- Any fixtures or fittings
- Machinery
- Vehicles used for business



Example Cake Shop







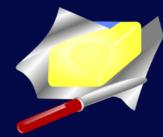


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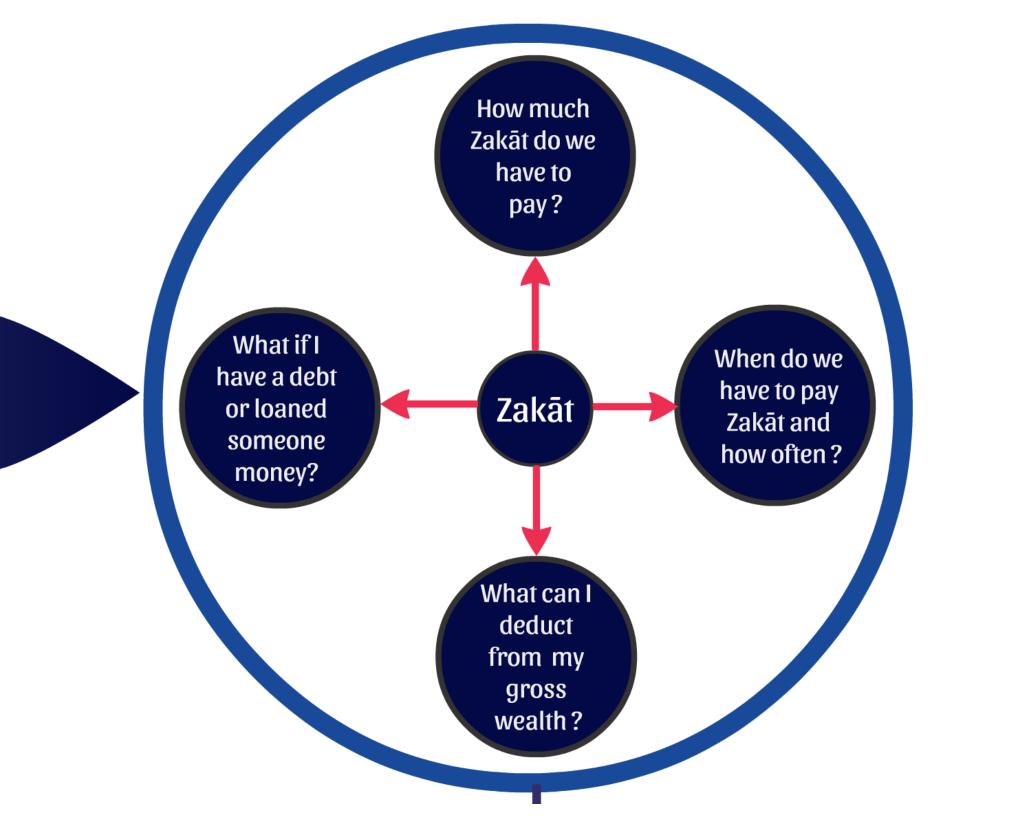


Cost Value



Retail Value

Part 4 Information required prior to calculating Zakāt

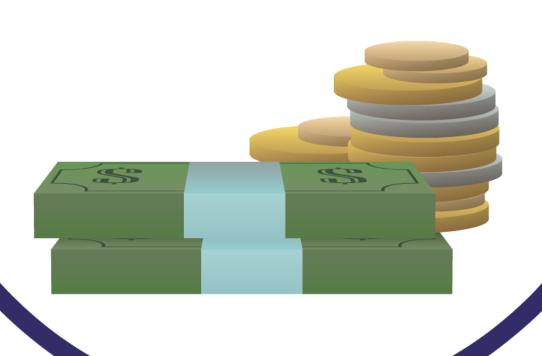


Workshop Question Number 4

What percentage of our net wealth must be given in Zakāt?

How much Zakāt do we have to pay?

2.5% or 1/40th of Net Assets



Workshop Question Number 5

How often must we pay Zakāt?



How often do we have to pay?

Zakāt has to be paid, once every Islamic year, so each lunar year



When do we have to start paying Zakāt?

- Note down Islamic date of when you become a Niṣāb holder
- One Islamic year later, if you are still a Niṣāb holder, you will pay 2.5% of total Net asset value
- On the same Islamic date each year, as long as you qualify, you will now discharge your Zakāt
- Once a child reaches maturity, if they have savings above Nisāb, the date they become mature will be their Zakāt anniversary

Working out the Zakāt anniversary

Cannot remember date you became a Niṣāb holder or not familiar with Islamic Calendar, try your best to work it out

Many people have Ramaḍān as their Zakāt anniversary

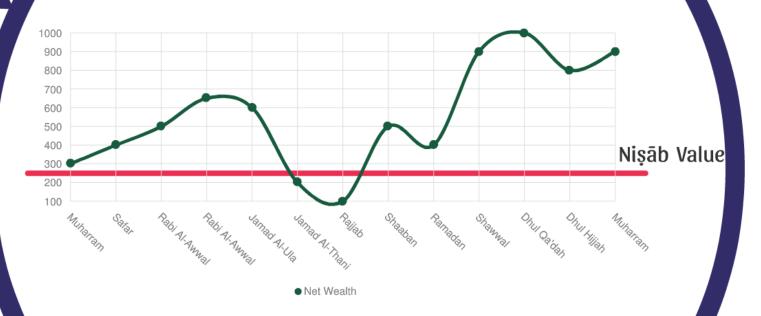
If your anniversary is before Ramaḍān, do not delay payment

When do we have

- a Niṣāb holder
- One Islamic year later, if you are will
- On the same Islamic date each year.

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- above Nisāb, the staturity is the

What if wealth drops below Niṣāb during year?



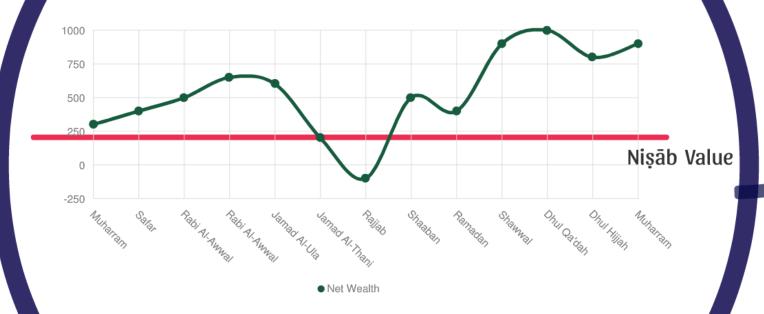
Zakāt payable on Muḥarram 1st = £900

Note: Savings remained positive all year

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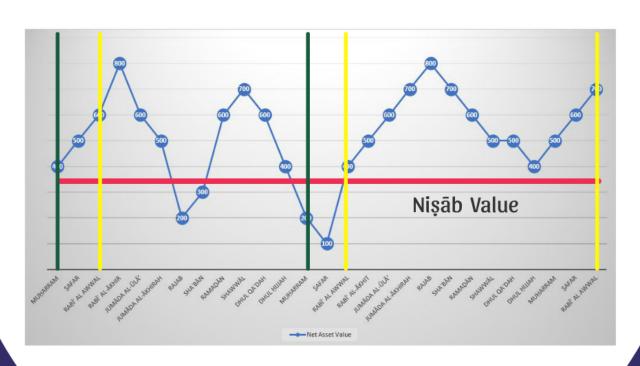
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What if wealth reaches or drops below zero during year?



New Zakāt Anniversary - 15th Rajab

What if wealth reaches below Niṣāb on Zakāt Anniversary?



New Zakāt Anniversary -1st Rabī' al-Awwal

Deductibles

- Outstanding Bills
- Immediately payable loans
- Deferred loan with arranged payment plan - Payments due in coming Islamic year
- Outstanding debts on goods purchased
- · Salaries due to be paid that month
- Maḥr unpaid dowry if paying in that month

Debts to be paid (Debt Liabilities)

Immediate (short term)

Deferred (long term)

Total can be deducted

Payments for coming Islamic Year

Money Loaned to others (Debt receivables)

Lender - person who has given money

Debtor - person who has borrowed money





Weak Debt Receivable

- Wages to be paid
- Any rental income if you are a landlord
- If you are a woman and are still to receive your Mahr
- If you are waiting for any inheritance or bequests to be paid

Ruling for Weak Debt Receivable

You will NOT add this money to your Assets, so Zakāt will not be payable on it unless you receive the money

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Example

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Buling

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Bad Debt	Debtor doesn't acknowledge the debt	Dont add the value of the loan to your assets
	No realistic chance of getting money back	No need to pay back-dated if received later

Pensions

What is a pension?

A pension is a saving scheme which will help a person save money which they can receive when they reach retirement

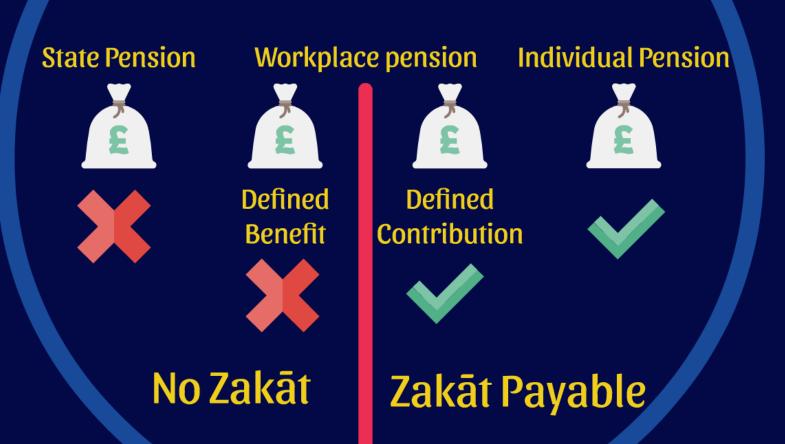




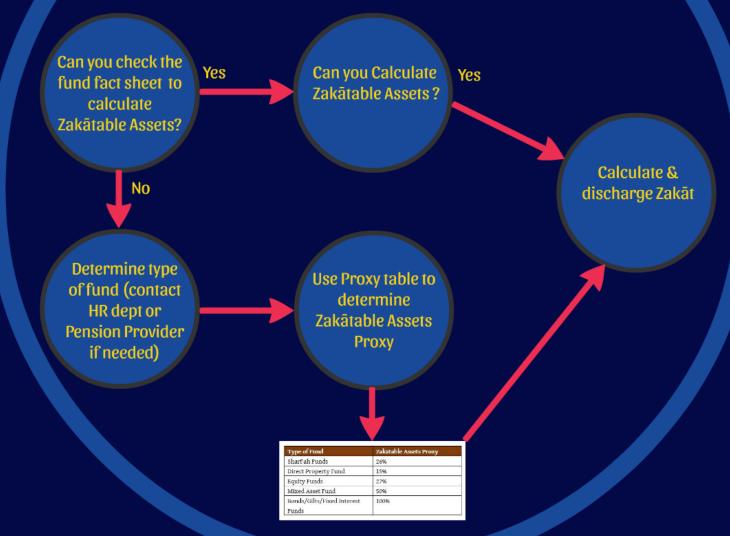


Information taken from the booklet 'Zakat on Pensions' by Mufti Faraz Adam

What are the different types of pensions?

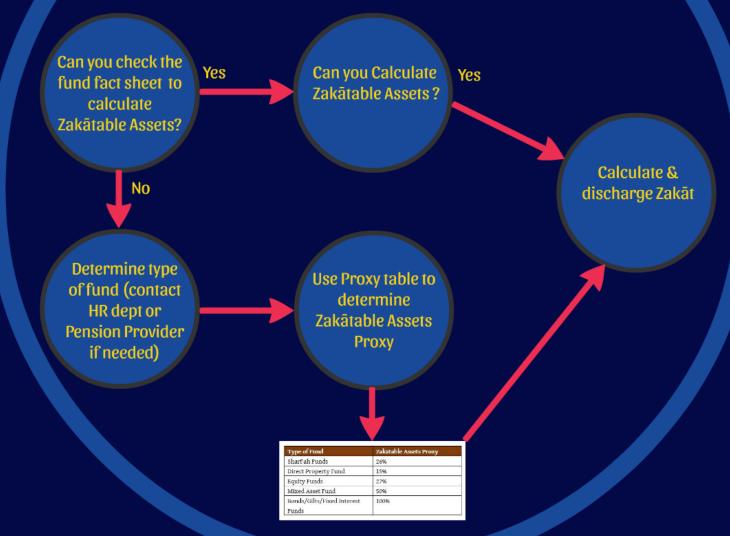


How do we calculate how much Zakāt we have to pay on Pension Funds?



Type of Fund	Zakātable Assets Proxy	
Sharīʿah Funds	26%	
Direct Property Fund	15%	
Equity Funds	27%	
Mixed Asset Fund	50%	
Bonds/Gilts/Fixed Interest Funds	100%	

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Example Pension = Property Fund

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Pension Fund total value = £50,000

Proxy Value = 15%

Zakāt liability = 15% of £50,000 = £7,500

Zakāt payable = 2.5% of £7,500

= £187.50



Shares

Purchased to resell

Zakāt due on entire holding & dividends

Purchased to hold as investment & generate dividends

Zakāt due on dividends & % of Zakātable assets in Company



Proxy Value

Zakāt on Share Investments:
Determining a proxy for Calculation by
Mufti Faraz

Proxy value = 25%

Cannot be used by the people who have shares in the following

- Private limited companies
- Start-ups known to have only cash assets
- Small companies known to have only cash assets

STOP

Example

Person A has a Shares worth £10,000 in Company X

Proxy Value = 25%

Zakāt liability = 25% of £10,000 = £2,500

Zakāt payable = 2.5 % of £2,500

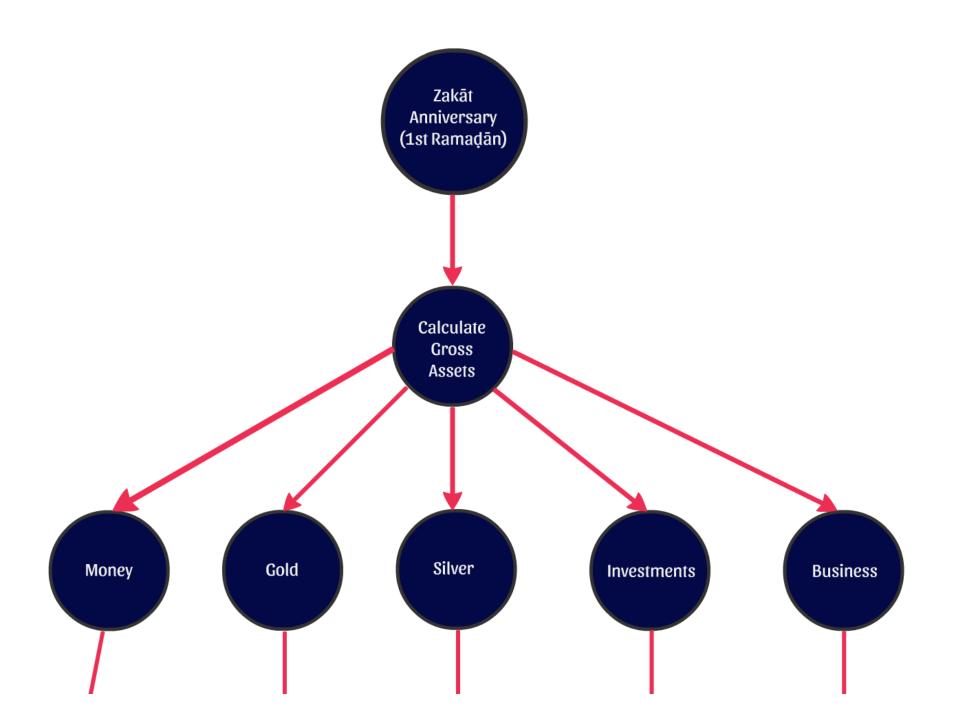
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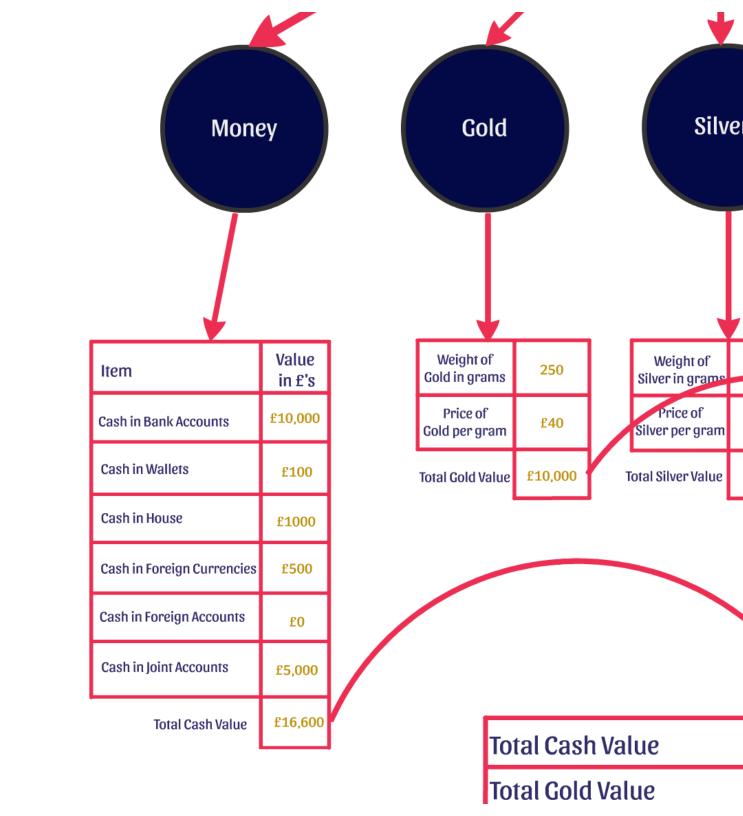


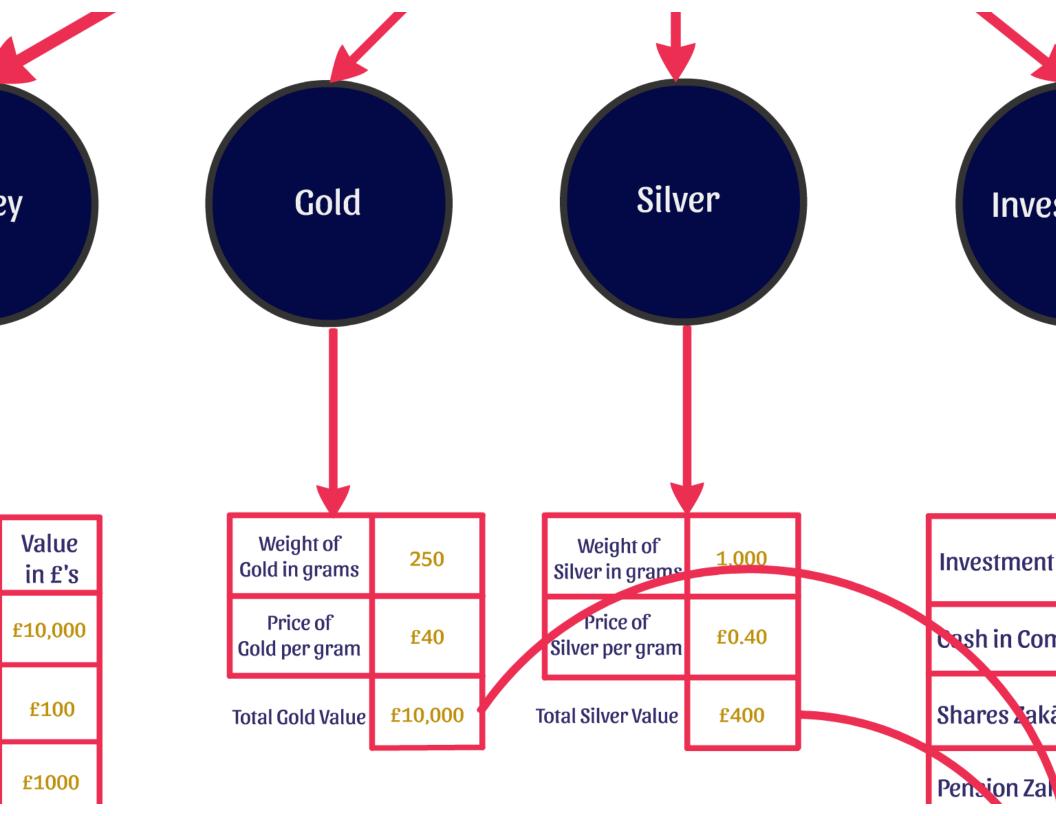
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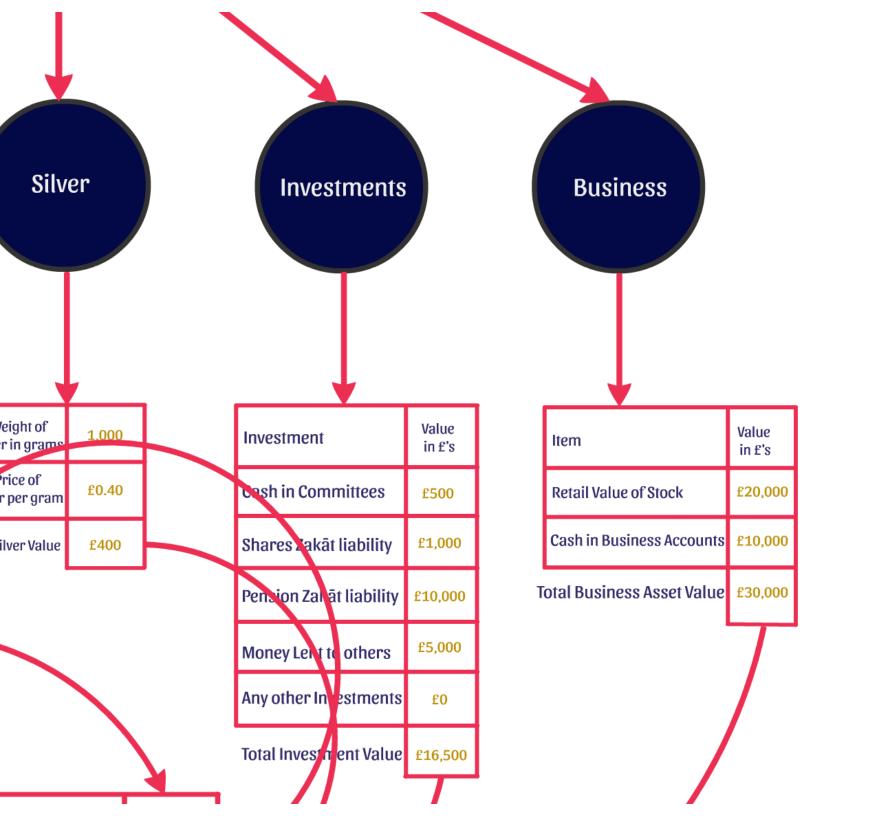
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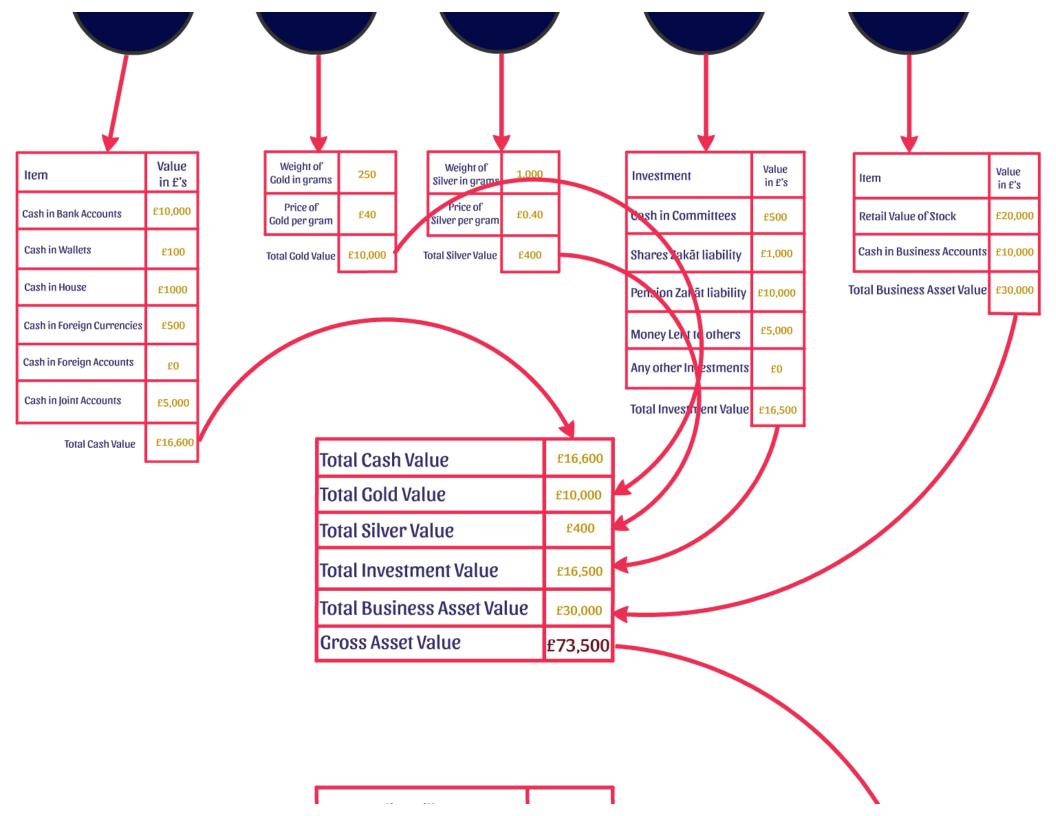
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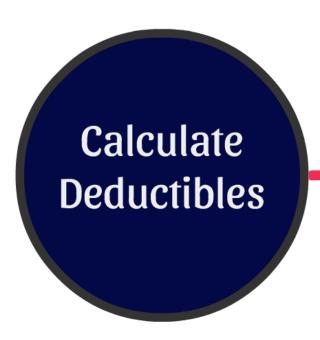








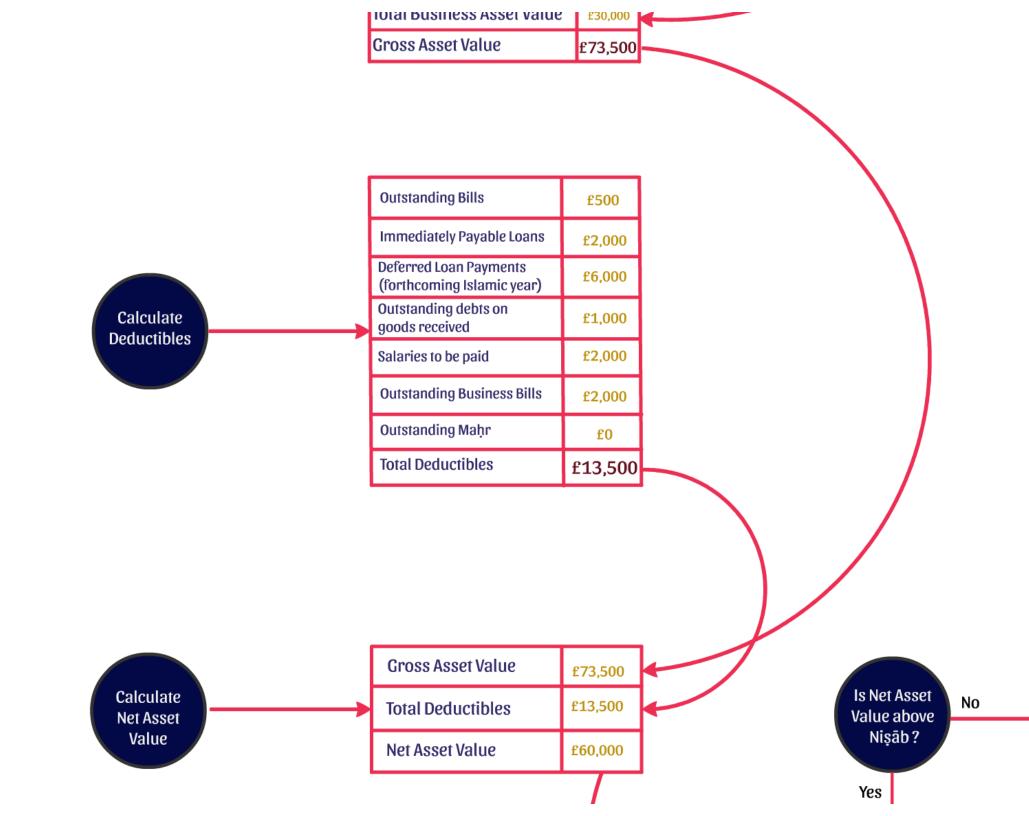


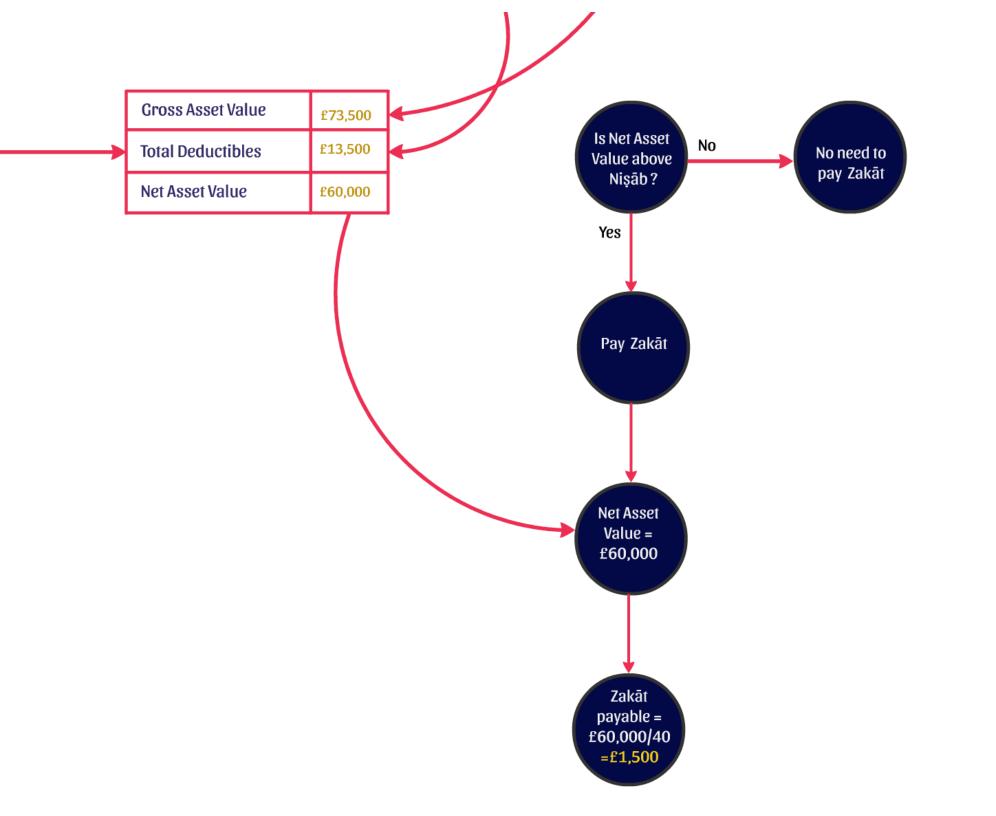


Calculate Deductibles

Outstanding Bills	£500
Immediately Payable Loans	£2,000
Deferred Loan Payments (forthcoming Islamic year)	£6,000
Outstanding debts on goods received	£1,000
Salaries to be paid	£2,000
Outstanding Business Bills	£2,000
Outstanding Maḥr	£0
Total Deductibles	£13,500









Workshop Question Number 6

Calculate the Amount Payable in Zakāt

Cash in Bank	1000
Cash in House	10000
Gold Value	20000
Money loaned to Masjid	5000
Ḥalāl Mortgage monthly payment	500
Money borrowed from friend (immediate)	2000
Utility Bill	200

Gross Assets = £36,000

Deductibles = £8200

Zakāt Payable on £36,000 - £8,200

=£27,800

Zakat = £695

Part 6 How to Discharge Zakāt

Conditions of Zakāt Intention

ولا يجوز ادا الزكوة الا بالنية مقارنة للاداء او مقارنة لعزل مقدار الواجب لان الزكوة عبادة

فكان من شرطها النية

'It is not valid to offer Zakāt without an intention coinciding with the payment, or coinciding with the setting-aside of the obligatory portion because Zakāt is an act of Worship and one of its conditions is intention'

[Qudūri]

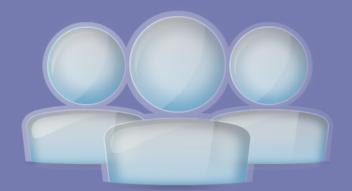
Transfer of Zakāt

'The transfer of ownership of a certain amount of wealth that has been prescribed by the law from a rich person to a poor Muslim who is not a Hāshimī and neither a slave of a Hāshimī for the sake of Allāh'

The possession of the wealth must be transferred to the recipient and they must have complete control over what they want to do with it

Workshop Question Number 7

Who can we give Zakāt to?



Who can we pay Zakāt to?

إِنَّمَا الصَّدَفْتُ لِلْفُقَرَآءِ وَالْمَسْكِين وَالْعُمِلِينَ عَلَيْهَا وَالْمُؤَلَّفَةِ قُلُوبُهُمُ وَفِي الرِّقَابِ وَالْغُرِمِيْنَ وَفِي سَبِيلِ اللهِ وَابْنِ السَّبِيلِ فَرِيْضَةً مِّنَ اللهِ وَاللهُ عَلِيْمٌ حَكِيْمٌ

[Sūrah at-Taubah Verse 60]

The 8 groups of Recipients

The Fugarā'

The Poor, according to the Ahnāf, will be those people who have Net assets less than the Nīsāb value More explanation later



The Masākīn

The Needy, according to the Aḥnāf, those with no earnings at all



Al-'Amilīna 'Alayha

This used to be those people who went out to collect Zakāt on behalf of the Islamic Government



Al-Mu'allafate-Qulūbuhum (Suspended)

Reconciliation of Hearts



Fir-Riqāb

For those in Bondage



Al-Ghārimīn

Those in Debt - their liabilities are more than their Zakātable & Surplus Assets



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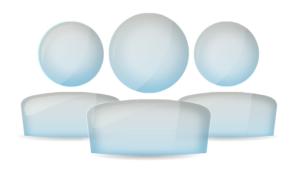
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The Fuqarā'

The Poor, according to the Aḥnāf, will be those people who have Net assets less than the Nisāb value More explanation later



The Masākīn

The Needy, according to the Aḥnāf, those with no earnings at all



Al-'Amilīna 'Alayha

This used to be those people who went out to collect Zakāt on behalf of the Islamic Government



Al-Mu'allafate-Qulūbuhum (Suspended)

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Types of Wealth

Productive -

That wealth which has potential to increase like money, gold, silver, livestock, crops etc. on which we can pay Zakāt

Non-Productive - All other types

Types of People

Person does not possess Niṣāb of Productive wealth but has Non-Productive wealth whose total value exceeds value of Silver Niṣāb

No matter how much non-productive wealth this person has, they will never pay Zakāt

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- 1, It is permissible to give this person Zakāt
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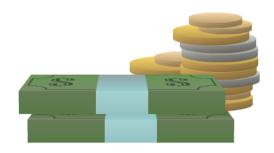
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Summary

If a person is not Şāḥibe Nisāb, i.e. they are not the owner of Net productive assets equaling the Niṣāb Value in today's money and they also do not possess Non-Productive Wealth equal to or exceeding the Silver Nişāb value, then we are able to give them Zakāt.

Who can't we give Zakāt to?

The Family of Rasūlullāh مَا اللهُ عَلَيْهُ عَلَيْهُ and the freed slaves of his family

There are 5 families to whom Zakāt cannot be given:

- 1. The children of 'Abbās مُنْوَطِّلِيالُهُونَ
- 2. The children of Ḥārith ibn 'Abdul Muṭṭalib مُنْقَطِينَاكُهُ عَلَيْهُ عَلَيْهُ عَلَيْهُ عَلَيْهُ عَلَيْهُ عَلَيْهِ عَلْهُ عَلَيْهِ عَلَيْ
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- 5. The children of 'Aqīl مُنْقَطِّلُهُ أَيْنَا اللَّهُ عَلَيْهُ اللَّهُ عَلَيْهُ اللَّهُ عَلَيْهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ عَلَيْهُ عَلِيهُ عَلَيْهُ عَلَيْهِ عَلَيْهُ عَلَيْهِ عَلَيْ



Relatives

A person cannot also give Zakāt to certain relatives:

- 1. Husband or Wife
- 2. Parents, Grand Parents, Great Grand Parents
- 3. Children, Grand Children, Great Grand children





- Masjids & Madrasahs
 Construction & Maintenance
- Schools
- Any Projects which are used by the public i.e. public water pump or well
- Any Non-Muslims



Part 7 Charities

Advices

- 1. The charities we give to must have a 100% Zakāt donation policy.
- 2. Ensure that the Charity have a board of 'Ulama from your school of thought, Scholars who know how and to whom the money can be distributed.
- 3. Do not take a risk with your Zakāt and give it to charities or people who have not been vetted or do not distribute it properly and raise funds in ways contrary to the teachings of Islām
- 4. If you are not sure, consult your scholars as you will be personally responsible for not discharging your Zakāt properly
- 5. Your charity contributions can also be offset for tax purposes where you can receive some tax relief
- 6. If you are a tax payer ensure that you select Gift Aid

7. If possible, find the people yourself and give it to them personally, especially if they are relatives who satisfy the conditions given.



Summary

- Islām has solutions to all of society's problems
- Addresses one of the biggest issues poverty
- Islām empowers people to come out of poverty by giving them ownership of wealth
- The Wealth can then be used to trade, invest etc.



UK Household Wealth

2023 - 28.1 Million Households

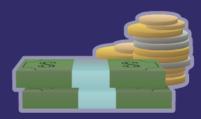
Average Household Savings = £12,500

£350,000,000,000

1% = £3,500,000,000

if 2.5% was given each year, it would be

£87,812,500



Conclusion

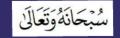
Zakāt brings Barakāh to our wealth

Brings people out of poverty

Eases social issues

Brings people closer together

Fulfills an obligation for Allah سُبْحَانَهُ وَتَعَالَىٰ اللهُ ال



Immense Reward for those who discharge properly

Calculate your Zakāt properly each year

Jazākumullāhu Khayr for attending



