

HOW MUCH IS MAHR FATIMI?

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There are a number of opinions expressed in determining the Mahr.

If one is working out the Mahr from Tola then one can adopt the following calculations:

The amount of Mahr is based on approximately 480 dirhams, however this is debated. One dirham is approximately 3.06 g of silver.

A. $480 \times 3.06 \times 0.62$ (silver price per g on 13th January 2012) = £910.66

B. $131.25 \text{ Tola} \times 11.664 = 1530.9$

1530.9×0.62 (silver price per g on 13th January 2012) = £949.16

C. $150 \text{ Tola} \times 11.664 = 1749.9$

1749.9×0.62 (silver price per g on 13th January 2012) = £1084.94

Hence one can give anything between these values and it will be regarded as Mahr Fatimi.

One must bear in mind that one should not give less than what is equivalent to 10 dirham in terms of Mahr – that would equate to :-

$10 \times 3.06 \times 0.62$ (silver price per g on 13th January 2012) = £18.97

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Zakat Gold	£2140.64 GBP
Zakat Silver	£208.20 GBP
Mahr* Fatimi	£499.68 GBP
Minimum Mahr	£10.41 GBP

Today's Zakat Nisab is: £208.20 (29/10/12)

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