Question 1342) - What is the status of Muzara'ah according to our three Imams?

A: According to Imaam Abu Hanifa RAH. is void' According to the other two there are four types: 1. The land and seeds belong to one party and the labour to another. 2. The land belongs to one party and the labour, cattle and seeds belong to another. 3. The land, seeds and cattle belong to one party and the labour toanother.

These three types are permissible.

4. The land and cattle belong to one party and the seeds and labour belong to another. This type is not allowed.\*

\* Because the cattle is being hired for part of the [non-existing] crops which is not permissible.

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