

Chief Minister Yogi Gave a Gift of 1000 Crore Rupees to Gorakhpur | Uttar Pradesh | 10 Apr 2023

Why In News?

On April 9, 2023, **Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath** gave a gift of more than **1000 crore rupees to Gorakhpur** on the third day of his tour. He laid the foundation stone and inaugurated 258 development works costing about Rs 1046 crore on the grounds of **Hindustan Fertilizers and Chemicals Limited (Fertilizer Factory).**

Key Points

- Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath inaugurated 56 development works worth Rs 333.85 crore and laid the foundation stone of 202 development works worth Rs 711.81 crore.
- It may be noted that a day earlier on April 8, the Chief Minister performed Bhoomi Poojan and foundation stone of M/s Varun Beverages, a franchisee of MNC PepsiCo, in Sector 27 of Gida, an industrial corridor near Gorakhpur Link Expressway, with an investment of Rs.1071 crore.
- By supplying fruits like mango, guava, litchi and milk at the Varun Beverages plant, farmers and livestock farmers will be able to increase their income manifold.
- The Gorakhpur plant will provide employment to 1,500 youth and ten thousand villagers will be connected to an additional source of income.

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