

F1 in UP: YEIDA CEO says talks with organisers soon

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The decision imposed a long spell of hibernation on the Buddh International Circuit (BIC), which saw elite racing action after 10 years when the world's fastest riders hit its tracks for the inaugural MotoGP Bharat.

The event fructified through a tie-up between Indian company Fairstreet Sports and Dorna, the main organiser of MotoGP.

Confirming that efforts to bring F1 back were on,

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Sept 22	12,172
Sept 23	28,350
Sept 24	48,356
► Participants (Foreign) 5,000	
► Number of international riders 82	

YEIDA CEO Arun Vir Singh told TOI on Monday a discussion with its organisers is likely to take place soon. Both F1 and MotoGP have private commercial rights holders, though each sport is managed by a world governing body – FIM (Federation Internationale de Motocyclisme) for MotoGP and FIA (Federation Internationale de l'Automobile) for F1.

Singh said it would be a “significant achievement” if both events were held at BIC annually.