

# UP's New Expressways To Reduce Travel Time Between Delhi, Noida, Kanpur And Lucknow By Half | Details

Noida To Lucknow Expressway: The Uttar Pradesh government and NHAI are constructing three new expressways to halve travel time between Noida and Lucknow. A 380 km Noida-Kanpur expressway, and a 63 km Kanpur-Lucknow expressway, will reduce the current 7-hour journey to just 4 hours, drastically improving regional connectivity.

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Noida to Lucknow In 50 per cent (Representational Image/Canva)

**Delhi To Lucknow Expressway:** The government of Uttar Pradesh, in collaboration with the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI), is spearheading the construction of three new expressways that promise to drastically reduce travel time and distance between the Delhi-NCR region and Lucknow.

## Noida To Lucknow Travel Time Reduced To 50 Per Cent

Uttar Pradesh, renowned for its extensive network of high-speed expressways, is once again leading the charge in improving regional connectivity. These new expressway projects are set to slash the travel time between Noida and Lucknow by nearly 50 percent.

## Noida To Kanpur Expressway

One of the key initiatives is the planned 380-kilometre expressway that will directly link Noida and Kanpur, another major city in Uttar Pradesh. The NHAI has already acquired 90 percent of the required land for this project and the detailed report has been submitted to the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways for approval. The expectation is that this expressway will be operational by 2026.

In addition, a 63-kilometre expressway is being built to connect Kanpur and Lucknow. Together, these new expressways will shorten the existing 511-kilometre route that utilises the Yamuna and Agra Expressways, reducing the distance by approximately 70 kilometres.

The impact on travel times will be transformative. Currently, the journey from Noida to Lucknow takes over 7 hours via the existing expressways. However, with the new infrastructure in place, the trip is expected to be completed in just 4 hours, with the Noida-Kanpur leg taking around 3 hours and 20 minutes and the Kanpur-Lucknow segment taking a mere 35 minutes.