

Yogi: UP on path to become 1 trn-dollar economy by 2029

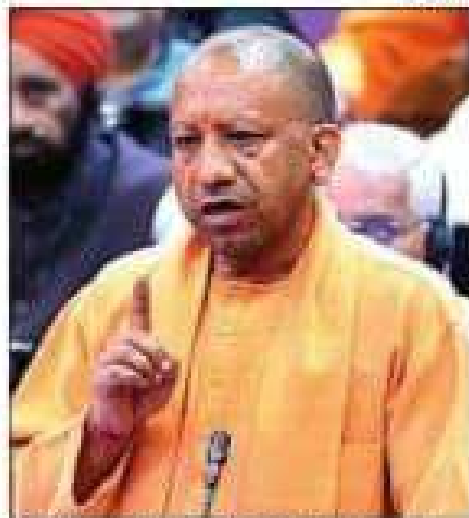
'Maha Kumbh Will Contribute ₹3L Cr To UP's Economy'

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Lucknow: Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath on Friday said that the state's economy has grown from Rs 12.89 lakh crore in 2017 to Rs 27.51 lakh crore in 2025 and added that Uttar Pradesh is making strides to become a trillion-dollar economy in the next five years.

The CM also said that the ongoing Maha Kumbh in Prayagraj would also contribute Rs 3 lakh crore to the state's economy.

Replying to a supplementary question asked by Samajwadi Party MLA from Machhlishahr Ragini Son-



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Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath addresses the Question Hour of UP assembly on Friday

kar during Question Hour, the CM assured the house that UP will achieve the target of one-trillion-dollar economy by 2029.

Raising the query, Sonkar said that going by the current pace, key departments like agriculture, industry and manufacturing,

and service sectors would have to work 3-4 times harder to achieve the trillion-dollar economy goal.

"The state's economy has grown from Rs 12.89 lakh crore in 2017 to Rs 27.51 lakh crore now. Those who refuse to acknowledge India's progress as a developed nation also question UP's economic growth," the CM said.

"India has emerged as a major global economy, which may not sit well with those driven by personal agendas. However, the reality is that India is now the fifth largest economy globally and is poised to become a \$5 trillion economy by 2027. UP will also achieve its one trillion-dollar goal by 2029 to become the state with the largest economy," Yogi said.