

Name of Chief Ministers	From	To	Party
Govind Ballabh Pant	Jan 26, 1950	May 20, 1952	INC
Govind Ballabh Pant	May 20, 1952	Dec 27, 1954	INC
Sampurnanand	Dec 28, 1954	Apr 9, 1957	INC
Sampurnanand	Apr 10, 1957	Dec 6, 1960	INC
Chandra Bhanu Gupta	Dec 7, 1960	Mar 14, 1962	INC
Chandra Bhanu Gupta	Mar 14, 1962	Oct 1, 1963	INC
Sucheta Kriplani Mendhwal	Oct 2, 1963	Mar 13, 1967	INC
Chandra Bhanu Gupta	Mar 14, 1967	Apr 2, 1967	INC
Charan Singh	Apr 3, 1967	Feb 25, 1968	BKD
President's rule	Feb 25, 1968	Feb 26, 1969	
Chandra Bhanu Gupta	Feb 26, 1969	Feb 17, 1970	INC
Charan Singh	Feb 18, 1970	Oct 1, 1970	BKD
President's rule	Oct 1, 1970	Oct 18, 1970	
Tribhuvana Narayana Singh	Oct 18, 1970	Apr 3, 1971	INC
Kamlapati Tripathi	Apr 4, 1971	Jun 12, 1973	INC
President's rule	Jun 12, 1973	Nov 8, 1973	
Hemwati Nandan Bahuguna	Nov 8, 1973	Mar 4, 1974	INC
Hemwati Nandan Bahuguna	Mar 5, 1974	Nov 29, 1975	INC
President's rule	Nov 30, 1975	Jan 21, 1976	
N. D. Tiwari	Jan 21, 1976	Apr 30, 1977	INC
President's rule	Apr 30, 1977	Jun 23, 1977	
Ram Naresh Yadav	Jun 23, 1977	Feb 27, 1979	JP
Banarsi Das	Feb 28, 1979	Feb 17, 1980	JP
President's rule	Feb 17, 1980	Jun 9, 1980	
V. P. Singh	Jun 9, 1980	Jul 18, 1982	INC
Sripati Mishra	Jul 19, 1982	Aug 2, 1984	INC
N. D. Tiwari	Aug 3, 1984	Mar 10, 1985	INC
N. D. Tiwari	Mar 11, 1985	Sep 24, 1985	INC
Vir Bahadur Singh	Sep 24, 1985	Jun 24, 1988	INC
N. D. Tiwari	Jun 25, 1988	Dec 5, 1989	INC
Mulayam Singh Yadav	Dec 5, 1989	Jun 24, 1991	JD
Kalyan Singh	Jun 24, 1991	Dec 6, 1992	BJP
President's rule	Dec 6, 1992	Dec 4, 1993	

Mulayam Singh Yadav	Dec 4, 1993	Jun 3, 1995	SP
Mayawati	Jun 3, 1995	Oct 18, 1995	BSP
President's rule	Oct 18, 1995	Oct 17, 1996	
President's rule	Oct 17, 1996	Mar 21, 1997	
Mayawati	Mar 21, 1997	Sep 21, 1997	BSP
Kalyan Singh	Sep 21, 1997	Nov 12, 1999	BJP
Ram Prakash Gupta	Nov 12, 1999	Oct 28, 2000	BJP
Rajnath Singh	Oct 28, 2000	Mar 8, 2002	BJP
President's rule	Mar 8, 2002	May 3, 2002	
Mayawati	May 3, 2002	Aug 29, 2003	BSP
Mulayam Singh Yadav	Aug 29, 2003	May 13, 2007	SP
Mayawati	May 13, 2007	Mar 7, 2012	BSP
Akhilesh Yadav	Mar 15, 2012	Mar 11, 2017	SP
Yogi Adityanath	Mar 19, 2017	Present	BJP

First Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Govind Ballabh Pant (1950-1954)

The First Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh was Govind Ballabh Pant. He was an Indian freedom fighter and one of the architects of modern India. In 1957 Pant received India's highest civilian honour, the Bharat Ratna, in 1957. He served as Union Home Minister from 1955 to 1961. He was also responsible for the establishment of Hindi as an official language of the central government and a few states.

Second Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Sampurnanand (1954-1960)

Sampurnanand was the Second Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh from 1954 to 1960. He was a teacher and politician. He was asked to resign as Chief Minister and sent to Rajasthan as the Governor of Rajasthan. Between 1962 and 1967, he held the seat. He became Education Minister in the first popular government of Uttar

Pradesh. He was first Chairman of State Lalit Kala Akademi, U.P. which was established on 8 February 1962 under the Department of Culture, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Chandra Bhanu Gupta (1960-1963, 1967, 1969-1970)

Chandra Bhanu Gupta was the Third Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He served three times terms as a Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He was elected President of Congress Party for Lucknow in 1929. He was the main force behind the Motilal Nehru Memorial Society, which set up various educational, social welfare and cultural centres in Lucknow. He won UP assembly election from Lucknow City East in 1952, defeating his Jana Sangh rival. In 1962 he became MLA from Ranikhet South seat.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Sucheta Kripalani (1963-1967)

Sucheta Kripalani was the Fourth Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. She was India's first female Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh from Kanpur Constituency. She was one of the few women who were elected to the Constituent Assembly of India. She was also the founder of the All India Mahila Congress, established in 1940. From 1960 to 1963, she served as Minister of Labour, Community Development and Industry in the UP government. She retired from politics in 1971 and remained in seclusion till her death in 1974.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Chaudhary Charan Singh

(1967-1968, 1970)

Chaudhary Charan Singh was the Fifth Prime Minister of India and 5th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. Historians and people alike frequently refer to him as the 'champion of India's peasants. Charan Singh left the Congress party in 1967, and formed his own political party, Bharatiya Kranti Dal. With the help and support of Raj Narain and Ram Manohar Lohia, he became Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh in 1967, and later in 1970. He served as Deputy Prime Minister, Home Minister and Finance minister in the Janata government headed by Morarji Desai.

**Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Tribhuvan Narain Singh
(1970-1971)**

Tribhuvan Narain Singh was the Sixth Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He served as Governor of West Bengal from 1979 to 1981. He also served as the Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee and as Union Minister of Industry and Steel. Tribhuvan Narayan Singh was elected as member of parliament from Chandauli Lol Santa constituency in 1952 & 1957. Tribhuvan Narain Singh hence, became the first Chief Minister to be appointed without being a member of either house of the state legislature.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Kamalapati Tripathi (1971-1973)

Kamalapati Tripathi was the Seventh Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He was a senior Indian National Congress leader from Varanasi constituency. He was elected to the Constituent Assembly from United Province on Congress Party ticket and played an important

part in the drafting of the Constitution of India. His resignation was a result of the 1973 Provincial Armed Constabulary revolt. He was Union Minister for Railways for two times first from 1975 to 1977 and then briefly in 1980.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Hemwati Nandan Bahuguna (1973-1975)

Hemwati Nandan Bahuguna was the Eighth Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. In 1971, He was made State Minister for Communication in the Union Cabinet. However, his tenure was short and he was forced to resign by Prime minister Indira Gandhi in 1975. In 1979, he became the Finance Minister under the short lived (August- December 1979) Charan Singh administration.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – N.D.Tiwari (1976-1977, 1984-1985, 1988-1989)

Narayan Datt Tiwari was the Ninth Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He was also served once as Chief Minister of Uttarakhand (2002-2007). He served three times Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He was formerly in the Praja Socialist Party and later joined the Indian National Congress. In 1986 and 1988, he served in Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi's cabinet, first as Minister for External Affairs and then as Minister of Finance. He served as Governor of Andhra Pradesh from 2007 until 2011.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Ram Naresh Yadav (1977-1979)

Ram Naresh Yadav was the 10th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He

also served as Governor of Madhya Pradesh from 26 August 2011 to 7 September 2016. He entered the Sixth Lok Sabha in 1977 from Azamgarh constituency.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Banarasi Das (1979-1980)

Banarasi Das was served as the 11th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He was member of Indian Parliament for Bulandshahr from 1977 to 1979. An Indian postal stamp featuring Das was issued in 2013. Babu Banarasi Das University, Lucknow, and Babu Banarasi Das Indoor Stadium in Uttar Pradesh are named in his honor.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Vishwanath Pratap Singh (1980-1982)

V.P. Singh was the 7th Prime Minister of India and 12th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. In 1971, he became a Member of Parliament in the Lok Sabha. He served as the Minister of Commerce from 1976 to 1977. In the Rajiv Gandhi ministry, Singh was given various cabinet posts, including Minister of Finance and Minister of Defence. In the 1989 elections, the National Front, with the support of the BJP, formed the government and Singh became the 7th Prime Minister of India.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Sripati Mishra (1982-1984)

Sripati Mishra was the 13th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. Sripati Mishra was first elected to Vidhan Sabha and became its speaker in 1980. He remained in this office from 7 July 1980 till 18 July 1982. He became Chief Minister after resignation of Vishwanath Pratap Singh

in 1982. He was elected to the Lok Sabha in 1984. Sri Pati Mishra died at the Balrampur Hospital, Lucknow after a prolonged illness.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Vir Bahadur Singh (1985-1988)

Vir Bahadur Singh was the 14th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He participated in Quit India movement in 1942. He was appointed Union Minister of Communication in 1988, by Rajiv Gandhi. He was an Indian politician belonging to Indian National Congress.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Mulayam Singh Yadav (1989-1991, 1993-1995, 2003-2007)

Mulayam Singh Yadav was the 15th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He is the founder-patron of the Samajwadi Party. He served three times as a Chief Minister from 1989-1991, 1993-1995, 2003-2007. He first became a state minister in 1977. He was also as the Minister of Defence from 1996 to 1998 in the United Front government. He has also served as the Member of Parliament in the Lok Sabha from Azamgarh between 2014 and 2019. He is currently the Member of Parliament, representing the constituency of Mainpuri in the lower house.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Kalyan Singh (1991-1992, 1997-1999)

Kalyan Singh was the 16th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He was also Governor of Rajasthan. He served two times Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh from 1991 to 1992 and 1997 to 1999. He was a politician of the Bharatiya Janata Party from the state of Uttar

Pradesh in India. Kalyan Singh is known for his role in the Babri Masjid demolition. He left the party in December 1999 and rejoined in January 2004. He contested the 2004 Lok Sabha elections on the BJP ticket from Bulandshahar. Before the Lok Sabha election of 2009 he left BJP and contest election from Etah Lok Sabha seat as an independent and subsequently won it.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Mayawati (1995, 1997, 2002-2003, 2007-2012)

Mayawati was the 17th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. She has served four separate terms as Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. She is the national president of the Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP), which focuses on a platform of social change for Bahujans, more commonly known as Other Backward Castes, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes. Mayawati's rise from humble beginnings has been called a "miracle of democracy" by P. V. Narasimha Rao, former Prime Minister of India. In 2003, Mayawati as the Chief Minister, was awarded with Paul Harris Fellow Award by UNICEF, World Health Organization and Rotary International, for her initiative in Polio eradication.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Ram Prakash Gupta (1999-2000)

Ram Prakash Gupta was the 18th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh and also served Governor of Madhya Pradesh. He represented the Bharatiya Jana Sangh in the Vidhan Parishad and was chosen to be Deputy Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh when Charan Singh formed the first non-Congress government in 1967. He was later the state's Minister of Industries in the Janata Party government led by Ram

Naresh Yadav in 1977. After prolonged illness, he died while in office on 1 May 2004.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Rajnath Singh (2000-2002)

Rajnath Singh was the 19th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He is currently served as a Minister of Defence. He is the former President of Bharatiya Janata Party. He was the Home Minister in the First Modi Ministry. In 1975, aged 24, Singh was appointed District President of the Jana Sangh. In 1977, he was elected Member of Legislative Assembly from the Mirzapur. In 1991, he became Education Minister in the first BJP government in the state of Uttar Pradesh.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Akhilesh Yadav (2012-2017)

Akhilesh Yadav was the 20th Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He was the Youngest Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh at the age of 38. He is currently the Member of Parliament from Azamgarh in the 17th Lok Sabha. He appointed as leader of the Samajwadi Party in Uttar Pradesh. His first significant success in politics was being elected as the Member of the Lok Sabha for the Kannauj constituency.

Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh – Yogi Adityanath (2017-Present)

Yogi Adityanath was the 21st Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. He has been the Member of Parliament from the Gorakhpur constituency, Uttar Pradesh, for five consecutive terms since 1998. He was the youngest member of the 12th Lok Sabha at 26. Adityanath is also the Mahant or head priest of the Gorakhnath Math, a Hindu temple in Gorakhpur. He has an image as a right-wing populist Hindutva

firebrand.

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