National Infrastructure Pipeline

Why in news


- Prime Minister in his Independence Day speech 2019 had highlighted that ₹100 lakh crore would be invested on infrastructure over the next 5 years.
  
  The emphasis would be on ease of living: safe drinking water, access to clean and affordable energy, healthcare for all, modern railway stations, airports, bus terminals and world-class educational institutes.

- **Task Force** was constituted to draw up the **National Infrastructure Pipeline (NIP)** for each of the years from financial years 2019-20 to 2024-25.

- **NIP** will enable a forward outlook on infrastructure projects which will create jobs, improve ease of living, and provide equitable access to infrastructure for all, thereby making growth more inclusive.

  **NIP** includes economic and social infrastructure projects.

- During the fiscals 2020 to 2025, sectors such as Energy (24%), Roads (19%), Urban (16%), and Railways (13%) amount to around 70% of the projected capital expenditure in infrastructure in India.

  It has outlined plans to invest more than ₹102 lakh crore on infrastructure projects by 2024-25, with the **Centre, States and the private sector** to share the capital expenditure in a **39:39:22 formula**.
Sector-wise break-up of the NIP

[Diagram showing sector-wise break-up of the NIP]

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