

The missions of NASA to venture into planet Venus is based on their potential for scientific value and feasibility of their development plan. Examine (200 Words)

National Aeronautics and Space

Administration (NASA) have always planned their missions based on scientific value and the feasibility of development in the project for some more purposes.

Eg: Perseverance rover was launched to Mars to find ancient habitability which adds to carrying back of samples later this decade

Similar to such scientific valued projects NASA has now eyed towards Venus, Earth's nearest neighbour. The two new missions are "DaVinci plus" and "Veritas". It has so much potential that it is expected to give fresh views of planet's atmosphere.

Davinci is the first US led mission to observe Venus atmosphere since the Mars of 1978. The Davinci works on → measuring the composition of venus

→ To understand how it formed

→ To make precise measurement of noble gases

In addition Davinci + will return the high resolution picture of Unique geographical, geological features on Venus called as "terraneae".

This will help to study about whether planet has tectonic plates like Earth.

Veritas (Venus Emissivity Radio Science)

InSAR, Topography and Spectroscopy) will help in mapping the planet's surface which would help in determining geological history of planet & understand why is it different from Earth. It will further help in determining the type of rock which will help in determining if there is any active volcanic activity.

Thus ~~any~~ NASA's mission is

→ always based on adding scientific values and

→ looking for feasibility of future development