



23 languages are considered official languages in India



தமிழ்
हिन्दी
বাংলা
नेपाली
ಕನ್ನಡ
गुजराती
ଓଡ଼ିଆ
मराठी
ਪੰਜਾਬੀ
తెలుగు
اردو



**It is prohibited by law to export
Indian rupees outside India**





**A widow in India is
credited with bad
karma—because
otherwise her
husband would not
have died!**



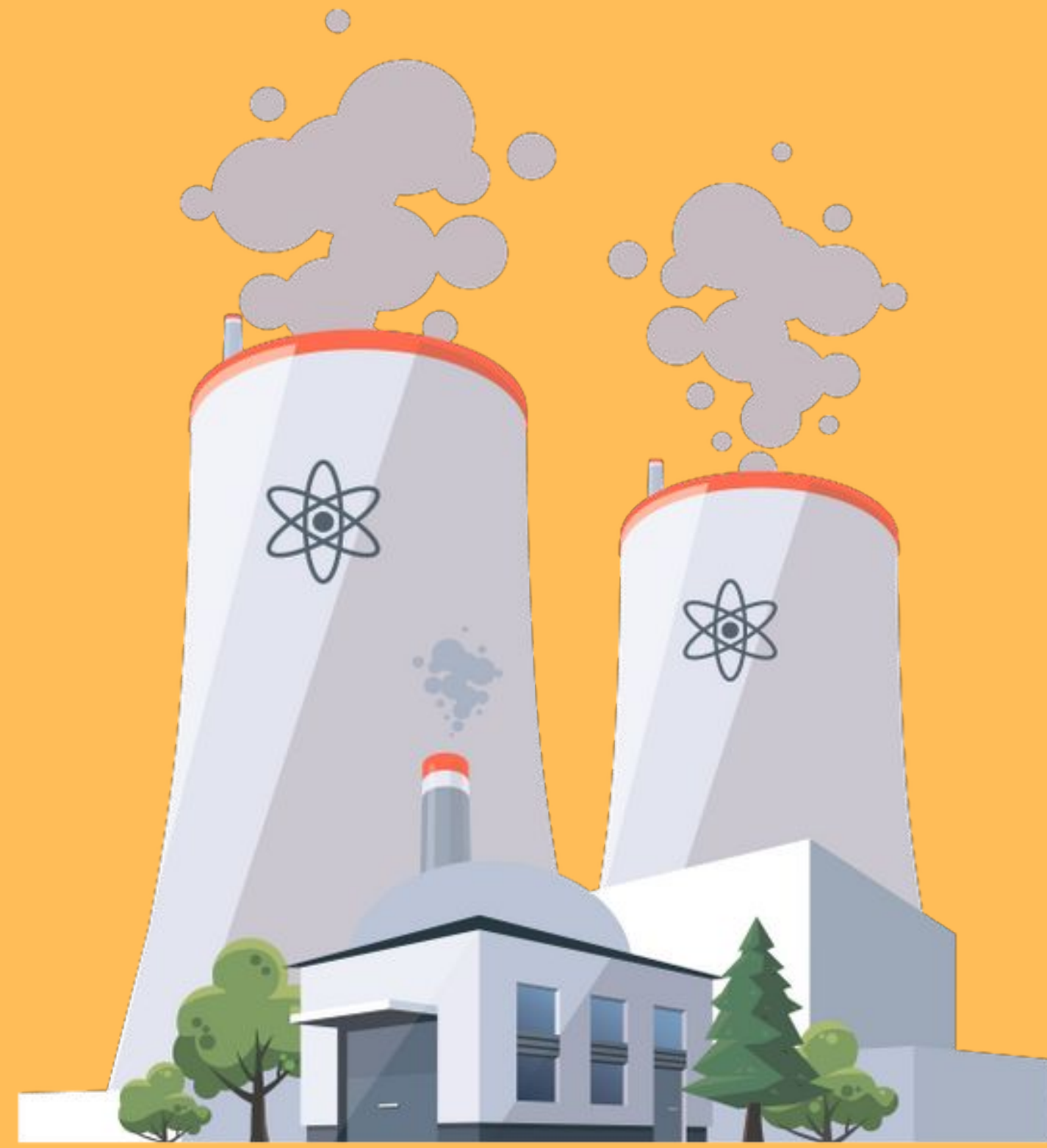
India is the birthplace of chess



The International Mango Festival is held annually in New Delhi, the capital of India



India is a nuclear power



There are more *poor* people in 8 Indian states than in 26 *poor* African countries



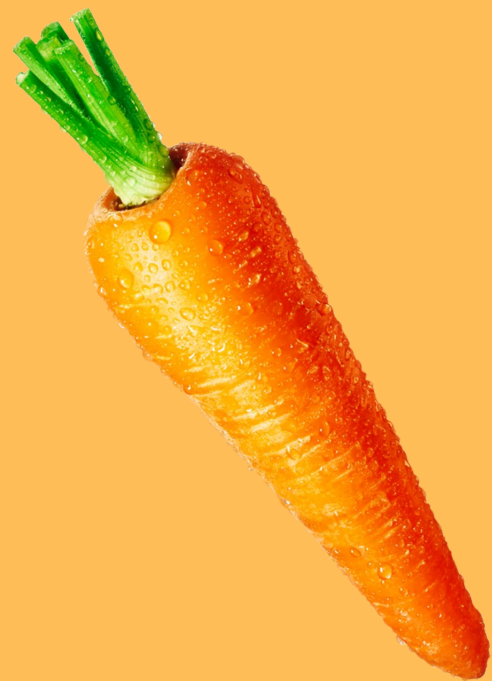
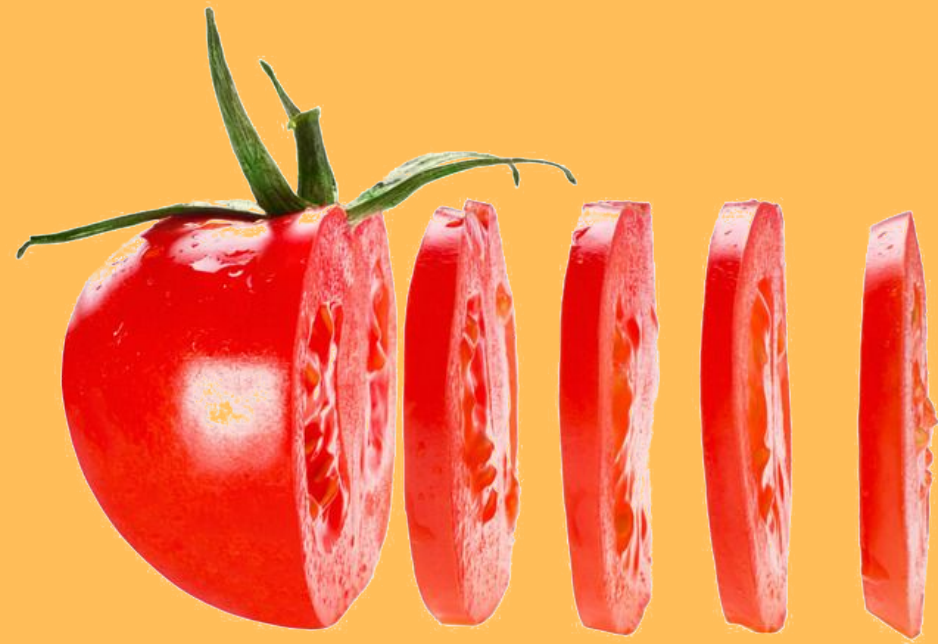
**The first rocket in India was
transported by bicycle**



There is an elephant spa in India



India has the most vegetarians



India - the first country in the
world to start consuming **sugar**



Diamonds were first mined in India



Even the **poor people of India** usually
arrange **lavish weddings**, which can
gather **over a thousand guests**



Incense is very popular in India

