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Q1: Consider the following statements regarding Astra Missile:

- 1. Astra is a beyond-visual-range (BVR) surface-to-air missile designed to be mounted on fighter aircraft.**
- 2. It is indigenously developed by the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) and manufactured by Bharat Dynamics Ltd. (BDL) for the Indian Air Force (IAF).**
- 3. ASTRA Mk-I is capable of operating under all weather conditions, both day and night.**

How many of the above statements is/are correct?

- A: Only one**
- B: Only two**
- C: All three**
- D: None**

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Q2: Consider the following statements regarding Makar Sankranti:

- 1. It marks the Sun changing directions and shifting its trajectory towards the north, therefore, entering the Makara or Capricorn zodiac sign.**
- 2. Unlike most festivals that follow the solar cycle, Makar Sankranti follows the lunar cycle and thus, is celebrated almost on the same day every year.**

Which of the above statements is/are not correct?

- A: 1 only**
- B: 2 only**

C: Both 1 and 2

D: Neither 1 nor 2

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Q3: Consider the following pairs:

GI Products	State
Adi Kekir (Ginger)	Arunachal Pradesh
Kalonunia Rice	West Bengal
Dhenkanal Magji	Chattisgarh
Kachchhi Kharek	Gujarat
Ramban Anardana	Uttarakhand

How many of the above pairs are correctly matched?

A: Only two

B: Only three

C: Only four

D: All five

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Q4: Consider the following statements regarding Donkey Route:

1. The 'Donkey Route' also known as donkey flight, is an illegal immigration technique used for unauthorised entry into foreign countries like the United States, Canada and the United Kingdom.

2. The first step in the most popular donkey route from India is to reach a Latin American country like Ecuador, Bolivia, Guyana, Brazil and Venezuela.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

A: 1 only

B: 2 only

C: Both 1 and 2

D: Neither 1 nor 2

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Q5: Consider the following statements regarding Punganur Cow:

1. It is native to Punganur village in the Chittoor district of Andhra Pradesh.

2. It has high resilience to drought and can adapt to low-quality feed.

3. Punganur cows are considered eco-friendly, requiring less water, feed, and space compared to hybrid breeds.

How many of the above statements is/are correct?

A: Only one

B: Only two

C: All three

D: None

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