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Q1: Consider the following statements about Kanwar Lake, recently seen in news:

1. It is the second largest oxbow lake at the Begusarai district of Bihar.
2. It was declared a Ramsar site in 2020.
3. It is a freshwater lake.

How many of the statements given above are correct?

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

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Q2: Consider the following statements about Marijuana/ cannabis:

1. It is a psychoactive drug that comes from the cannabis plant
2. Its farming has been legalised in Uttarakhand.

Which of the statements given above is/are 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 statements about Cardiovascular disease:

1. It refers to a group of disorders of the heart and blood vessels.
2. It accounts for a significant proportion of global deaths, with a particularly high burden in low- and middle-income countries.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- A: 1 only
- B: 2 only
- C: Both 1 and 2
- D: Neither 1 nor 2

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Q4: Consider the following statements:**Statement-I**

Antimicrobial resistance occurs when microorganisms develop resistance to antimicrobial drugs used to treat infections.

Statement-II

This resistance makes standard treatments ineffective, allowing infections to persist and potentially spread to others.

Which of the following is correct in respect of the above statements?

- A: Both Statement-I and Statement-II are correct and Statement -II is the correct explanation of Statement-I
- B: Both Statement-I and Statement-II are correct and Statement-II is not the correct explanation for Statement-I
- C: Statement-I is correct but Statement-II is incorrect
- D: Statement-I is incorrect but Statement-II is correct

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Q5: Consider the following passage:

Recently, the Interior Minister of this country revealed that a "lone wolf" has been charged in the shooting that critically injured the country's Prime Minister. This is a landlocked country, situated in the heart of Europe. It shares its borders with several with Ukraine to the east, Czech Republic to the west, Poland to the north, Hungary to the south and Austria to the southwest.

The above passage best describes which of the following countries?

- A: Luxembourg

B: Macedonia

C: Slovakia

D: Switzerland

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