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Q1: Consider the following statements about the Indigenous Technology Cruise Missile (ITCM), recently seen in news:

1. It refers to a type of cruise missile developed entirely within a country's own research and development framework.
2. The flight of the missile was monitored from the Su-30-Mk-I aircraft.
3. The missile features an indigenous propulsion system.
4. It is equipped with advanced avionics and software.

How many of the statements given above are correct?

- A: Only one
- B: Only two
- C: Only three
- D: All four

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Q2: With reference to the Aryabhata Satellite, consider the following statements:

1. It was India's first artificial satellite and built by the Indian Space Research Organisation.
2. It was launched from the Volgograd Launch Station by a Soviet Kosmos-3M rocket.
3. The area where Aryabhata was built was Peenya, on the outskirts of Bengaluru.

How many of the statements given above are correct?

- A: Only one

- B:** Only two
- C:** Only three
- D:** All four

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Q3: Consider the following statements about Avian Influenza (Bird Flu):

- 1. Avian Influenza is a respiratory illness primarily affecting humans.**
- 2. The most common way humans contract Avian Influenza is through close contact with infected birds or their droppings.**

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 about the Liver-Gut Axis:

Statement I: Bile produced by the liver plays a role in fat digestion and gut health.

Statement II: Metabolites from gut bacteria can influence liver function and inflammation.

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, this country expelled three French diplomats over alleged "subversive activities," declaring them "persona non grata." It is a landlocked country located in West Africa. This country shares its borders with Niger to the Northeast, Mali to the Northwest, Togo and Ghana to the South, Benin to the Southeast, and Ivory Coast to the Southwest.

The above passage best describes which of the following countries?

A: Liberia

B: Chad

C: Burkina Faso

D: The Gambia

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