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DAILY PRACTICE QUESTIONS (02/04/2026)

Q1. With reference to Samrat Samprati, consider the following statements:

1. He was the grandson of Ashoka.
2. He patronised Buddhism.
3. He is often referred to as 'Jain Ashoka' .

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 3 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

Q2. Kaynes Semiconductor Plant recently seen in news is associated with:

- (a) Manufacturing of solar panels
- (b) Semiconductor assembly and testing
- (c) Missile development
- (d) Biotechnology research

Q3. With reference to Antariksh Venture Capital Fund, consider the following statements:

1. It is India' s first dedicated fund for space-tech startups.
2. It is managed by SIDBI Venture Capital Ltd.

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3. It is registered as a Category I AIF with SEBI.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

Q4. Consider the following statements regarding SCAN Network:

1. It links cognitive intention with physical movement.
2. It is associated with Parkinson's disease progression.
3. It is a hormonal regulatory system.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

Q5. Bab el-Mandeb Strait connects:

- (a) Mediterranean Sea and Atlantic Ocean
- (b) Red Sea and Gulf of Aden
- (c) Arabian Sea and Bay of Bengal
- (d) Black Sea and Caspian Sea

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Q1. (a) 1 and 3 only - Samprati was Ashoka's grandson and a patron of Jainism, known as 'Jain Ashoka'.

Q2. (b) Semiconductor assembly and testing - It is an OSAT facility under India Semiconductor Mission.

Q3. (a) 1 and 2 only - It is India's first space-tech fund managed by SIDBI; it is Category II AIF.

Q4. (a) 1 and 2 only - SCAN links cognition with movement and is linked to Parkinson's disease.

Q5. (b) Red Sea and Gulf of Aden - Bab el-Mandeb is a key maritime chokepoint connecting them.

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