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AP Calc AB: Calculator Active Questions Homework

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- For  $f(x) = \sin^2 x$  and  $g(x) = 0.5x^2$  on the interval  $\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$ , the instantaneous rate of change  $f$  is greater than the instantaneous rate of change of  $g$  for which value of  $x$ ?  
(A)  $-0.8$       (B)  $0$       (C)  $0.9$       (D)  $1.2$       (E)  $1.5$
  
- At how many points in the interval  $-2\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$  does the tangent line to the graph of the curve  $y = x \cos x$  have a slope of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ?  
(A) 5      (B) 4      (C) 3      (D) 2      (E) 1
  
- Let  $f$  be the function given by  $f(t) = 2\pi t + \sin(2\pi t)$ .
  - Find the value(s) of  $t$  in the open interval  $(0, 2)$  for which the line tangent at  $(t, f(t))$  is parallel to the line through  $(0, 0)$  and  $(2, 4\pi)$ .
  - Suppose the given function describes the position of a particle on the  $x$ -axis for time  $0 \leq t \leq 2$ . What is the average velocity of the particle over that interval?
  - Determine the velocity and acceleration of the particle at  $t = 1$ .