1. (a) For i = 1,2,3 represent the process  $f_i(X(t))$  as an Ito process, i.e. in the form

Use (3.3): 
$$df(X(t)) = f'(X(t))dX(t) + \frac{1}{2}f''(X(t))d[X, X](t)$$

$$df(X(t)) = \sum_{i=1}^{d} \partial_{i} f(X(t)) dX(t) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^{d} \partial_{ij} f(X(t)) d[X_{i}, X_{j}](t)$$

Or (3.8): 
$$df(X(t)) = [f'(X(t))\mu + \frac{1}{2}f''(X(t))\sigma^2]dt + f'(X(t))\sigma dW(t)$$

Function depends on both t and X

i. 
$$f_1(x) = x^3$$
 
$$d(f_1(x)) = (3x_t^2\mu(t) + \frac{3\cdot 2}{2}\sigma^2(t))dt + 3x_t^2\sigma(t)dW(t) = (3x_t^2\mu(t) + 3\sigma^2(t))dt + 3x_t^2\sigma(t)dW(t)$$

ii. 
$$f_2(x) = exp(x)$$
 
$$d(f_2(x)) = (exp(x_t)\mu(t) + \frac{1}{2}exp(x_t)\sigma^2(t))dt + exp(x_t)\sigma(t)dW(t)$$

iii. 
$$f_3(x) = 6x + 2$$
  

$$d(f_3(x)) = (6\mu(t) + 0)dt + 6\sigma(t)dW(t) = 6\mu(t)dt + 6\sigma(t)dW(t)$$

(b) By  $d[X,X](t)=\sigma^2(t)dt$  we just consider diffusion coefficient of previously computed processes

i. 
$$d[f_1(x), f_1(x)](t) = 9x_t^4 \sigma^4(t) dt$$

ii. 
$$d[f_2(x), f_2(x)](t) = e^{2x}\sigma^2(t)dt$$

iii. 
$$d[f_3(x), f_2(x)](t) = 36\sigma^2(t)dt$$

(c) By (3.2) dX(t)dY(t)=d[X,Y](t), and since the quadratic variation of standard Brownian motion W is [W,W](t)=t it yields to  $d[X,Y](t)=\sigma_x(t)\sigma_y(t)dt$ 

$$d[f_1(x), f_3(x)](t) = 3x_t^2 \sigma(t) 6\sigma(t) dt = 18x_t^2 \sigma^2(t) dt$$