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# EXAM 2

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**Problem 1 (20 points)**

The vector space  $U$  is endowed with a semi-norm  $p$ . A relation  $u \sim v$  on  $U$  where  $u, v \in U$  is defined by  $p(u - v) = 0$ . Show that this relation is an equivalence relation on  $U$  and the equivalence class  $[0]$  is a subspace of  $U$ .

## Problem 2 (20 points)

Consider a normed space  $U$ .

- (a) Prove that  $\overline{\mathfrak{M}}$  is a subspace of  $U$ , where  $\mathfrak{M}$  is a subspace of  $U$ .
- (b) If  $\mathfrak{N}$  is nonempty subset of  $U$ , show that the closed linear hull of  $\mathfrak{N}$  is the closure of the linear hull of  $\mathfrak{N}$ .

**Problem 3 (20 points)**

Let  $(U, \|\cdot\|_1)$  and  $(U, \|\cdot\|_2)$  be two Banach spaces on the same vector space  $U$ . Assume that there exists a constant  $\mu > 0$  such that

$$\|u\|_2 \leq \mu \|u\|_1 \quad \text{for all } u \in U.$$

Show that  $\|\cdot\|_1$  and  $\|\cdot\|_2$  are equivalent.

**Problem 4 (20 points)**

Let  $\mathfrak{M}$  be a closed subspace of a reflexive Banach space  $U$ . Show that  $\mathfrak{M}$  is also reflexive, i.e.  $\mathfrak{M}'' = \mathfrak{M}$ .

**Problem 5 (20 points)**

Let  $U$  and  $V$  be two normed spaces,  $A : U \rightarrow V$  be a continuous linear operator and  $A'$  its conjugate. Assume that  $A^{-1}$  exists and continuous. Show that for every  $f \in U'$ , there exists  $g \in V'$  such that  $f = A'g$ .



