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Answer **ALL** questions.

1. Define three-space property. Prove that finite-dimensionality and completeness satisfy three-space property.
2. If U is compact and V is closed, then prove that $U + V$ is closed. What happens if U is also closed?
3. Let $M = \{(x_n) \in c_0 : x_m = mx_{m-1} \text{ for each even } m\}$ and $N = \{(x_n) \in c_0 : x_m = 0 \text{ for each odd } m\}$. Prove that $M + N$ is a proper dense subspace of c_0 (with the sup norm).
4. Prove that any finite dimensional subspace of a normed space is closed.
5. It is given that $C^1[a, b]$ is Banach with respect to $\|x\|_1 = \|x\|_\infty + \|x'\|_\infty$ for $x \in C^1[a, b]$. Prove that the norm defined by $\|x\|_1 = |x(a)| + \|x'\|_\infty$ for $x \in C^1[a, b]$ is a complete one.
6. Let $(X, \|\cdot\|)$ be an infinite dimensional normed space and τ its topology. Show that there are two norms $\|\cdot\|_1$ and $\|\cdot\|_2$ on X such that if τ_1 and τ_2 are the associated topologies for $\|\cdot\|_1$ and $\|\cdot\|_2$, then $\tau_2 \subseteq \tau \subseteq \tau_1$, $\tau_2 \neq \tau$, $\tau_1 \neq \tau$. That is, τ_1 is strictly stronger than τ , and τ_2 is strictly weaker than τ .
7. Let $1 \leq r < p \leq \infty$. Verify whether $\|\cdot\|_p$ and $\|\cdot\|_r$ on c_{00} are equivalent or not.
8. Prove or disprove : In a finite dimensional normed space, all norms are equivalent.
9. Say true or false : $(C[a, b], \|\cdot\|_p)$ is complete for $1 \leq p < \infty$.
10. Let X be a metric space and A be a subset of X . Prove or disprove the following :
 - (a) If A is compact, then A is closed.
 - (b) If A is compact, then A is bounded.
 - (c) If A is closed, then A is compact.
 - (d) If A is bounded, then A is compact.