

**MATH 4010 Functional Analysis, Homework 1. Deadline: 10 Feb 2017**

1. Let  $A$  be a subset of a metric space  $X$ .
  - (a) Show that if  $X$  is complete, then  $A$  is complete if and only if  $A$  is closed in  $X$ .
  - (b) Show that if  $A$  is complete, then  $A$  is closed in  $X$ .
  
2. A metric  $d$  on  $X$  is said to be non-archimedean if it satisfies the strong triangle inequality, that is,  $d(x, y) \leq \max(d(x, z), d(z, y))$  for all  $x, y$  and  $z \in X$ . Show that if  $d$  is a non-archimedean metric on  $X$ , then for every closed ball  $\overline{B}(a, r) := \{x \in X : d(a, x) \leq r\}$  is an open set in  $X$ .