Read ASAP: MacCluer Chapter 1 (think  $\mathbb{R}$  when you see  $\mathbb{C}$ , and skip, if you wish, examples that talk about analytic functions). Recommended read: Bachman and Narici, Chapters 1, 2, 3.

Book Problems. (MacCluer) 1.2, 1.3; 1.5; 1.10 a,b;

**Problem 1.** Show that the space  $l^{\infty}$  of all sequences  $x = \{x_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$  such that  $\sup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} |x_i| < \infty$  with the norm  $||x||_{\infty} = \sup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} |x_i|$  is a Banach space.

**Problem 2.** Consider a real Banach space X with norm  $\|\cdot\|$ .

- (a) Show that the map  $x \mapsto ||x||$  from X to  $\mathbb{R}$  is continuous. Is it uniformly continuous?
- (b) Show that the maps  $(x, y) \mapsto x + y$  from  $X \times X$  to X and  $(c, x) \mapsto cx$  from  $\mathbb{R} \times X$  to X are continuous. (On  $X \times X$ , take the norm ||(x, y)|| = ||x|| + ||y||. On  $\mathbb{R} \times X$ , take the norm ||(c, x)|| = |c| + ||x||.)