1026-47-48 V. A. Khatskevich and M. I. Ostrovskii<sup>\*</sup>, Department of Mathematics and Computer Sci., St. John's University, 8000 Utopia Parkway, Queens, NY 11439, and V. S. Shulman. *Quadratic inequalities for Hilbert space operators.* 

The purpose of this talk is to describe conditions under which sets of solutions to inequalities of the form

$$X^*AX + B^*X + X^*B + C \le 0$$

are convex, where A, B, C are bounded Hilbert space operators, A and C are self-adjoint. Results on topological properties of the solution sets (closeness in standard operator topologies) will also be presented. (Received January 30, 2007)