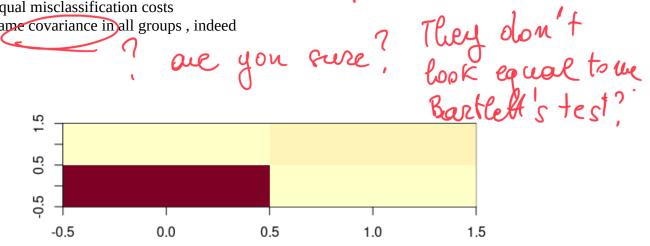
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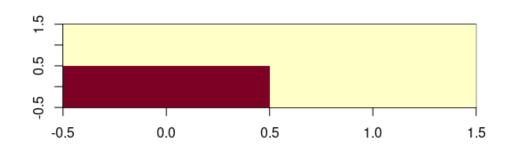
a)

We use Linear Discriminant Analysis, since we have:

- 1. normality in each group (verified with mcshapiro test)
- equal misclassification costs

same covariance in all groups, indeed





Estimates are:

Mean:

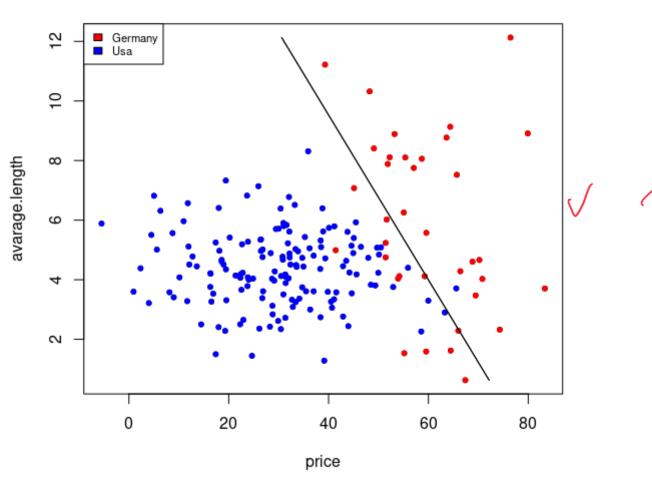
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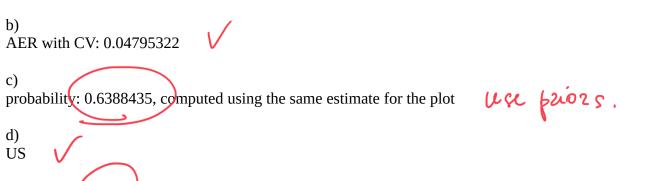
Covariance

price average.length 161.37898 -2.671480 price average.length -2.67148 2.853387

Plot:

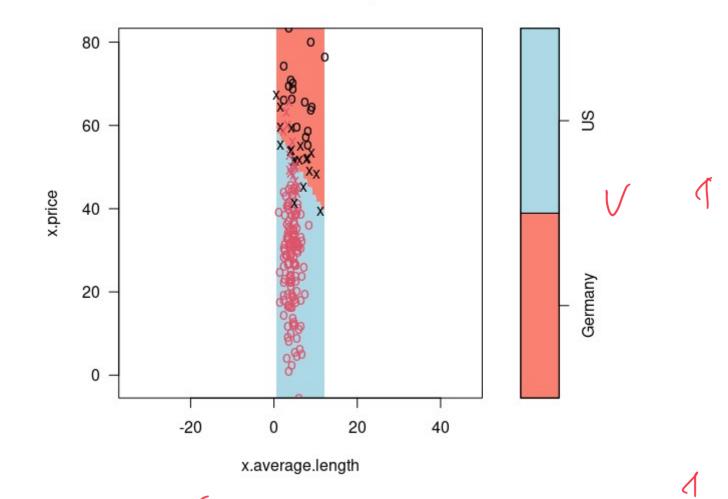
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e) we choose 0.01 (minimizing misclassification error) Plot:

SVM classification plot



We classify again US