

Linear discriminant analysis

Linear discriminant analysis (**LDA**) is a generalization of Fisher’s linear discriminant, *a method used in statistics, pattern recognition and machine learning* to find a linear combination of features that characterizes or separates two or more classes of objects or events.

Split data into training and testing chunks

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[1] 429  9
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[1] 141  9
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View model

Call:
lda(Social ~ Visits + BounceRate, data = training)

Prior probabilities of groups:
Facebook LinkedIn Twitter
0.3473193 0.3263403 0.3263403

Group means:
Visits BounceRate
Facebook 32.03356 30.516779
LinkedIn 19.25000 7.635714
Twitter 39.67143 24.171429

Coefficients of linear discriminants:
LD1 LD2
Visits 0.04021930 0.05787536
BounceRate -0.09077141 -0.02928593

Proportion of trace:
LD1 LD2
0.8102 0.1898

Generate predictions on the training dataset

	Facebook	LinkedIn	Twitter
2	0.2540350	0.46424789	0.2817171
3	0.2202796	0.54860327	0.2311172
4	0.3050667	0.34028080	0.3546525
6	0.1994113	0.51120091	0.2893878
7	0.1607683	0.49883084	0.3404009
9	0.5138971	0.08828803	0.3978149

Plot Linear discriminant analysis on Social

