

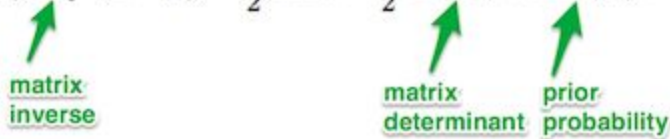
# EE 657 - Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning

## Assignment-1

### Problem 1

The data from the file 'P1 data train.csv' and 'P1 labels train.csv' is being used to find the parameters means  $\mu_5$ ,  $\mu_6$  and covariances  $\Sigma_5$ ,  $\Sigma_6$  and the a priori  $\pi$  respectively for the classes.

Then the data from the files 'P1 data test.csv', 'P1 labels test.csv' is being used to get the log (a posteriori probabilities) so as to decide to which class the feature vector belongs to, using the following equation:

$$g_i(\mathbf{x}) = -\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \mu_i)^t \Sigma_i^{-1} (\mathbf{x} - \mu_i) - \frac{d}{2} \ln 2\pi - \frac{1}{2} \ln |\Sigma_i| + \ln P(\omega_i).$$


Then the respective discriminant scores  $g_5(\mathbf{x})$  and  $g_6(\mathbf{x})$  are compared. **Bayesian Decision Theory** is employed to make the decision. The class which gets the highest value of the log of a posteriori gets the feature vector.

The following cases have been taken and experimented:

1. The Covariance of the both the classes are **different** and the calculated for each class separately. (  $\Sigma_5 \neq \Sigma_6$  )

In that case the results are as follows:

misclassification rate for '5' is 31.613%

misclassification rate for '6' is 15.1685393258 %

And the Confusion matrix is [[106, 49], [27, 151]]

The class ' 6 ' is classified better than the class ' 5 '

2. The covariance of the both the classes are **same** and is the weighted mean, weighted by the a priori probabilities:

$$\Sigma_5 = \Sigma_6 = \Sigma_w = \pi_5 \Sigma_5 + \pi_6 \Sigma_6$$

In such a case, the results are promising and seem to be optimal

misclassification rate for '5' is 13.5483870968 %

misclassification rate for '6' is 15.1685393258 %

And Confusion matrix is [[134, 21], [27, 151]]

In this case, both the classes are classified correctly to an extent and the error is small .

3. The covariance of the both the classes are equal to the weighted covariance except the fact that all the **non diagonal elements** are equal to **0**

In such a case, the results are as follows

misclassification rate for '5' is 14.1935483871 %

misclassification rate for '6' is 23.0337078652 %

Respective Confusion matrix is [[133, 22], [41, 137]]

In this case, the class '5' is classified better than the class '6'

## Problem 2

The data from the file 'P2\_train.csv' is extracted and the *means* and the *covariance matrices* of the respective classes are being found.


The same **Bayesian Decision Theory** is implemented to classify the data points.

The following cases are being studied :

- A. *The covariance matrices of the both the classes are of the form  $\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix}$*

i.e the diagonal elements are equal and the non diagonal elements are zero

The log a posteriori values of the respective classes are calculated as follows

$$g_i(\mathbf{x}) = -\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_i)^t \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i^{-1} (\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_i) - \frac{d}{2} \ln 2\pi - \frac{1}{2} \ln |\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i| + \ln P(\omega_i).$$


matrix inverse      matrix determinant      prior probability

We can notice that the determinant doesn't involve in decision making because the determinant is same for both the classes.

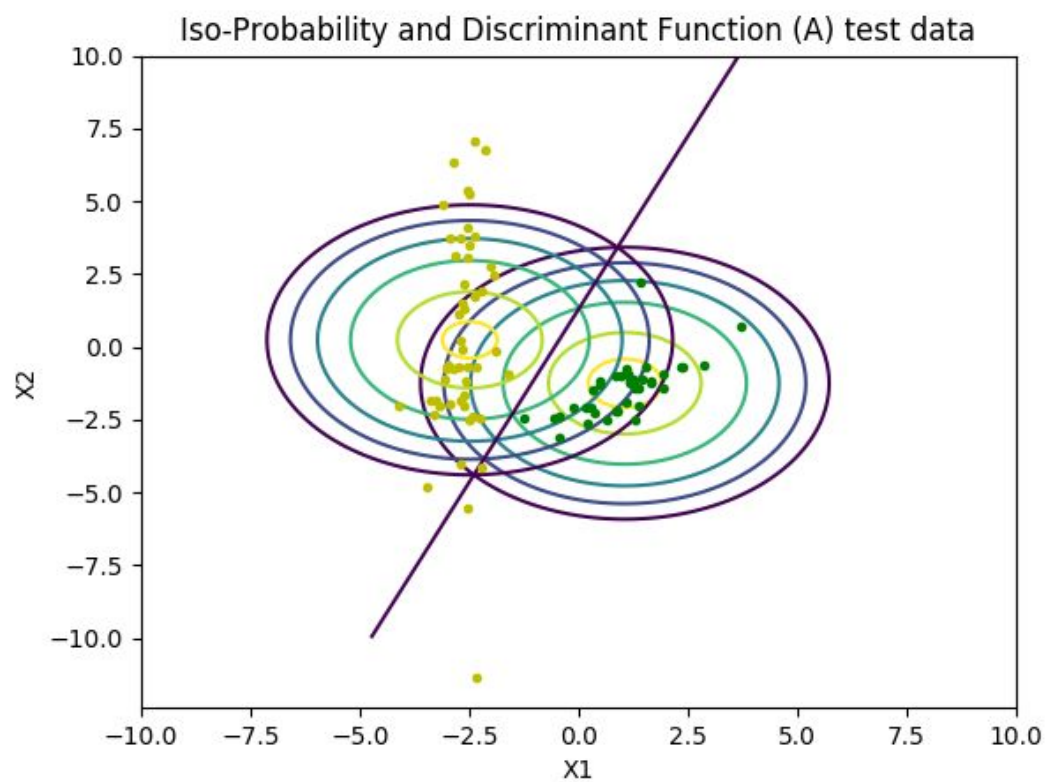
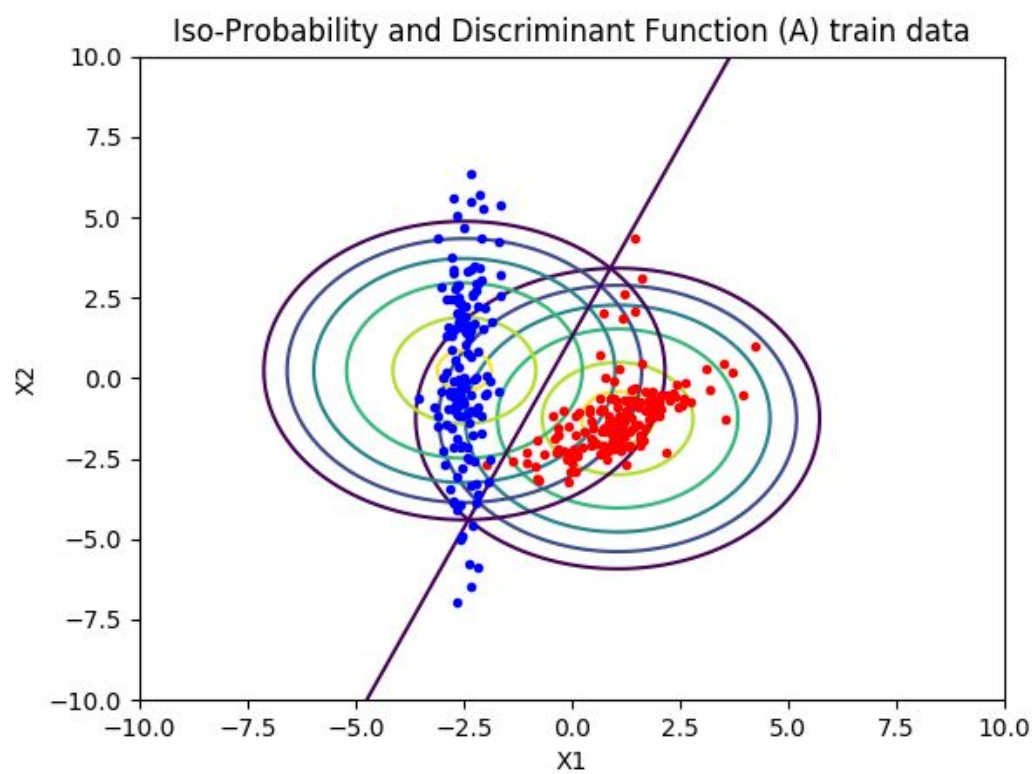
And further we can notice that the first part of the equation ( the inverse part ) is a function of 'a' and is inversely proportional to g(x)

Hence it can be generalised that the change in value of 'a' doesn't make any change in the decision making

The discriminant function is plotted by taking the difference in g1(x) and g2(x) and plotting the '0' contour of the function

The iso probability contours are plotted taking the likelihood function

The discriminant function and the iso-probability contour plots on the train and test data are as follows: ( the variance is equal along both the directions)



**Observation:**

From the above graph we can see that the iso probabilistic curves are in circular fashion. It is because the variance of the data is same in both the directions, and is same for both the classes. This makes the decision difficult, hence the errors would be most in this case

misclassification rate for '1' is 0.0 %

misclassification rate for '0' is 6.0 %

Confusion matrix

[[40, 0], [3, 47]]

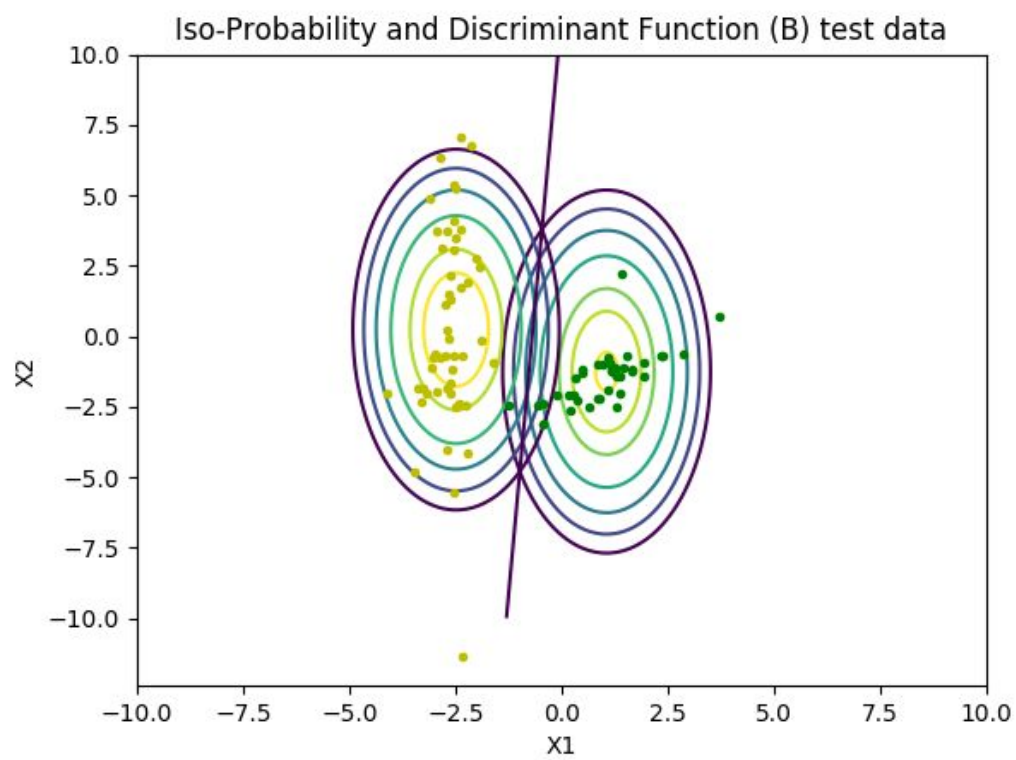
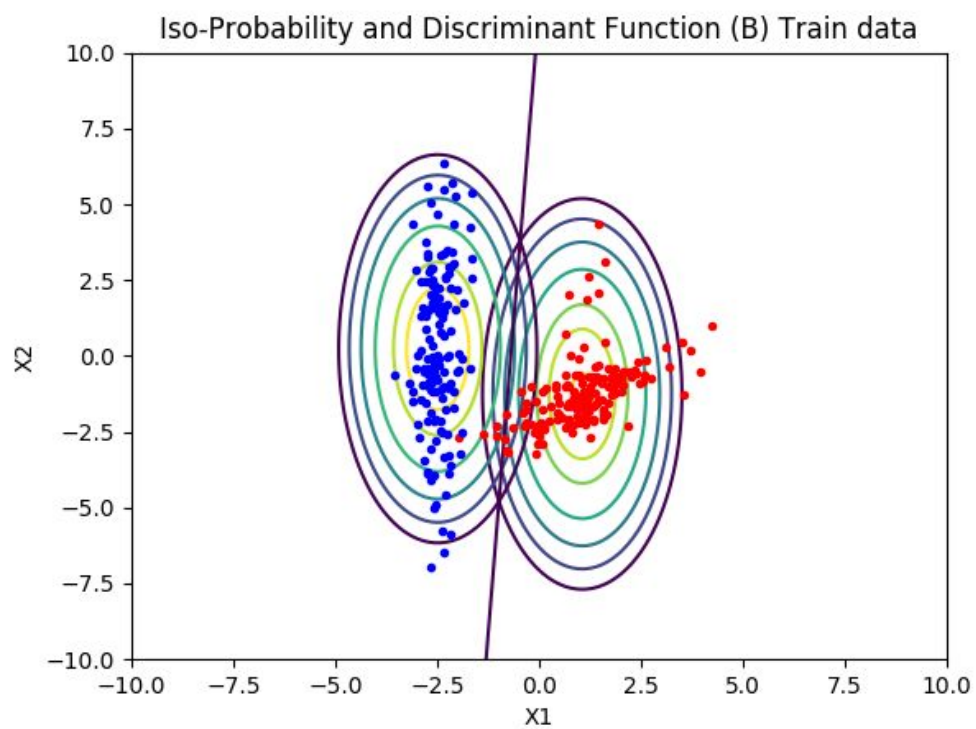
**B. The covariance matrices are equal and are of the form  $\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & b \end{bmatrix}$** 

the variance is different in different directions

The values of  $a$  and  $b$  are found by taking log likelihood and maximizing with respect to the parameters. The result comes out to be the same as the general covariance matrix with non diagonal elements set to 0.

This makes the iso probabilistic curves elliptical rather than circles like in previous case

The discriminant function and the iso-probability contour plots on the train and test data are as follows:



**Observation:**

The iso probabilistic curves are elliptical because the variances are different in the directions  
The iso probabilistic curves of both the classes look alike because the covariance matrices are same for both the classes

When the Covariance is calculated for each class ,and are different

misclassification rate for '1' is 2.5 %

misclassification rate for '0' is 0.0 %

Confusion matrix

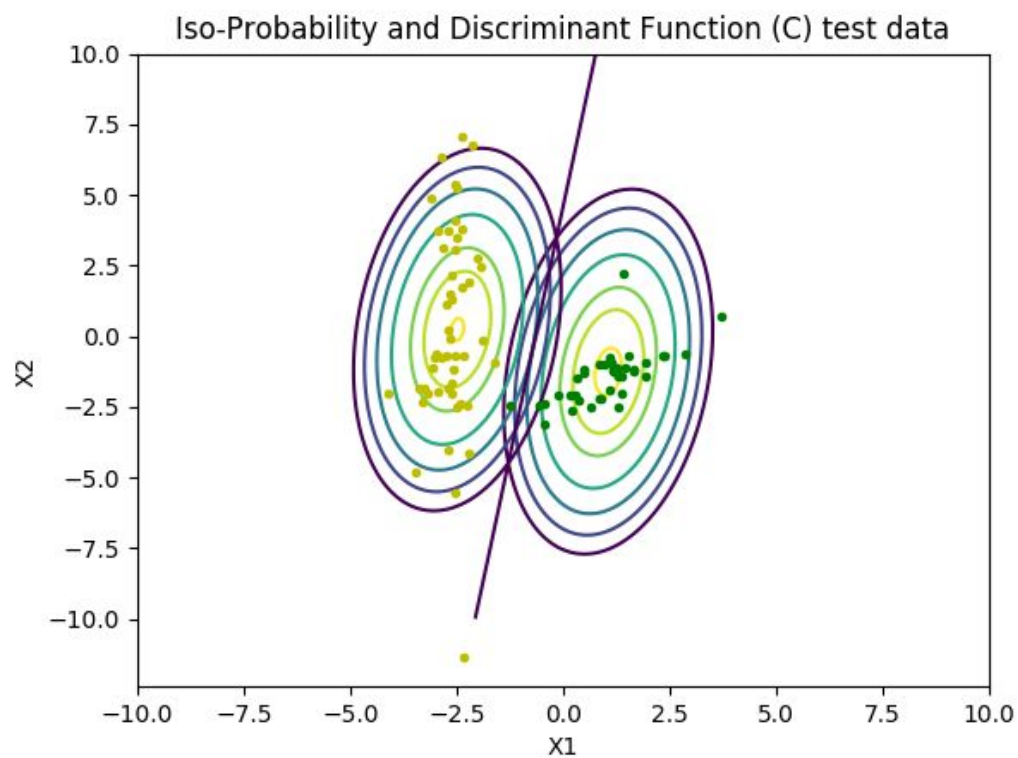
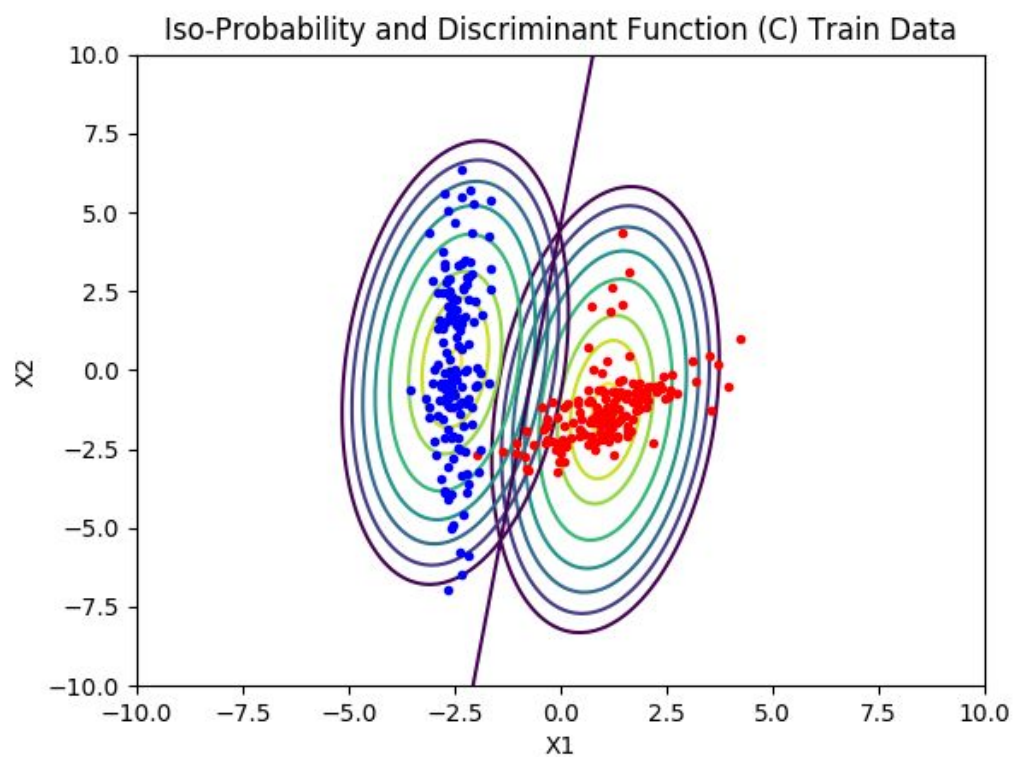
[[39, 1], [0, 50]]

**C. *The covariance matrices is same for the both classes :***

The covariances for each class is calculated individually and the weighted mean of the covariance matrices are calculated , which is weighted to the a priori probabilities

$$\Sigma_1 = \Sigma_0 = \Sigma_w = \pi_1 \Sigma_1 + \pi_0 \Sigma_0$$

The discriminant function and the iso-probability contour plots on the train and test data are as follows:



**Observations:**

Even now the iso probabilistic contours look the same because the covariance matrix is same for both the classes

When the Covariance is calculated for each class and are weighted mean is calculated

misclassification rate for '1' is 2.5 %

misclassification rate for '0' is 0.0 %

Confusion matrix

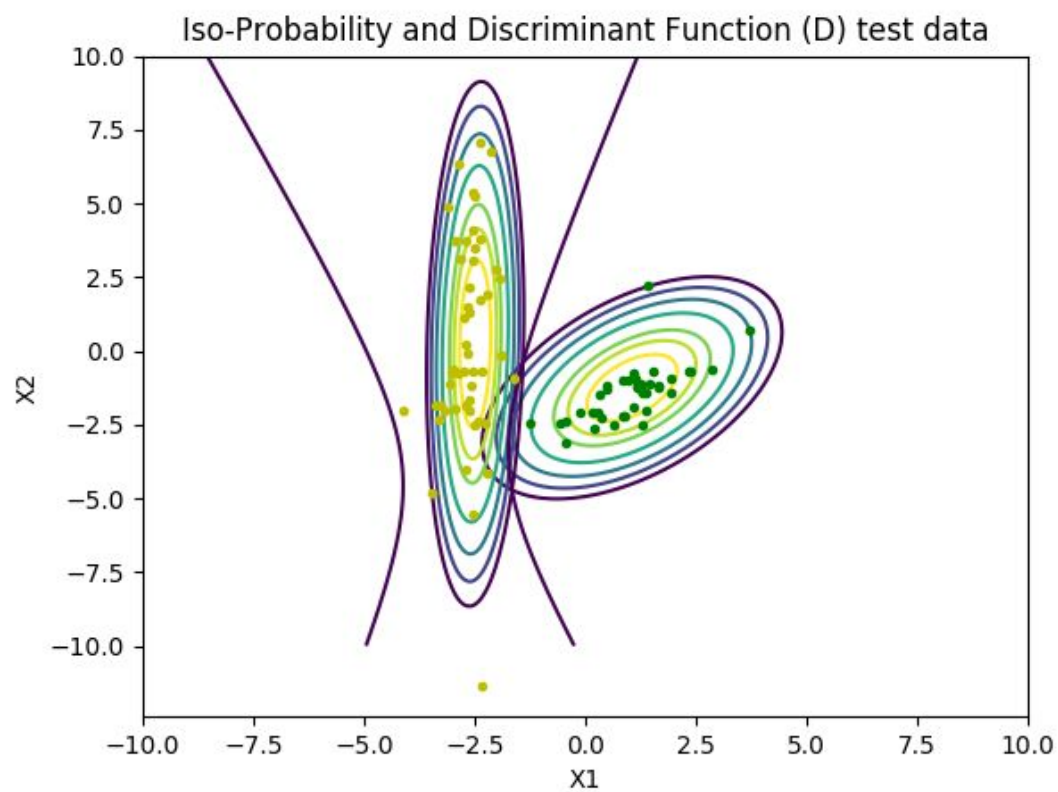
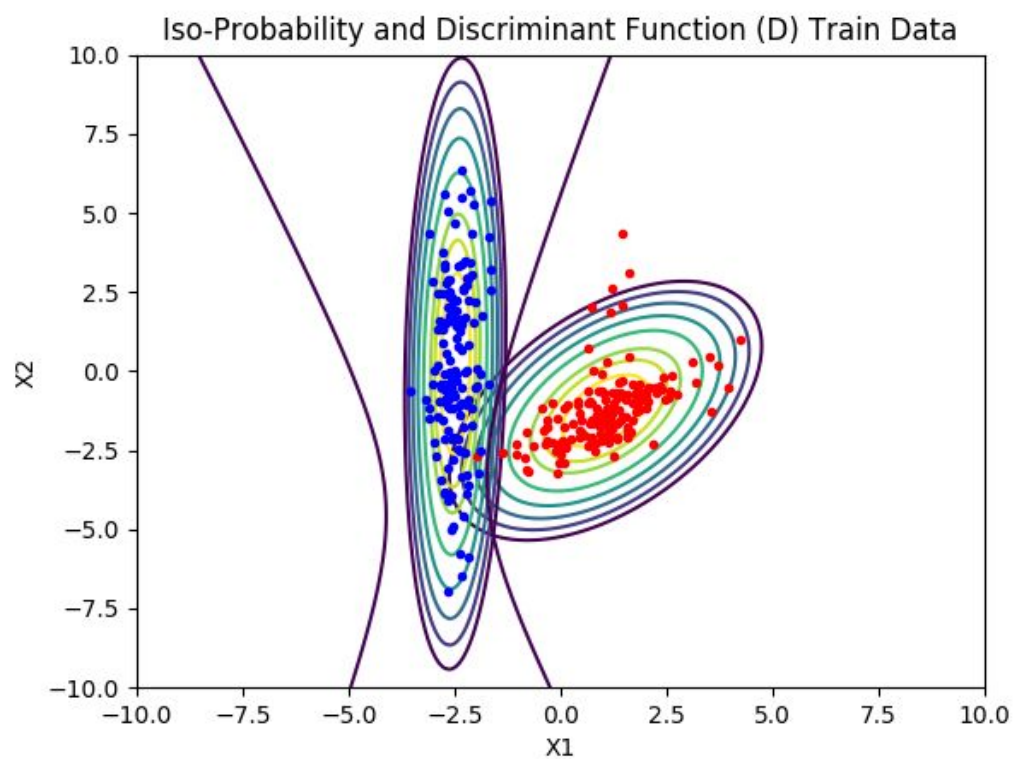
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***D. The weighted mean of the covariance matrices are different for different classes***

The covariance matrices are calculated individually for both the classes, this gives the best results because the variances are different for the different classes and even in different directions. Hence the data is being represented by the iso probabilistic contours

The discriminant function and the iso probabilistic contours are as follows





### Problem 3

Initially the data set is divided into training data set and test data set {2250,750}

The polynomial regression of Age Vs Data is found by the following equation  $\text{inverse}(A'A).(A'r)$

The optimal degree is found out by taking the error on the test data set

For the age vs wage , the optimal value of n is 6

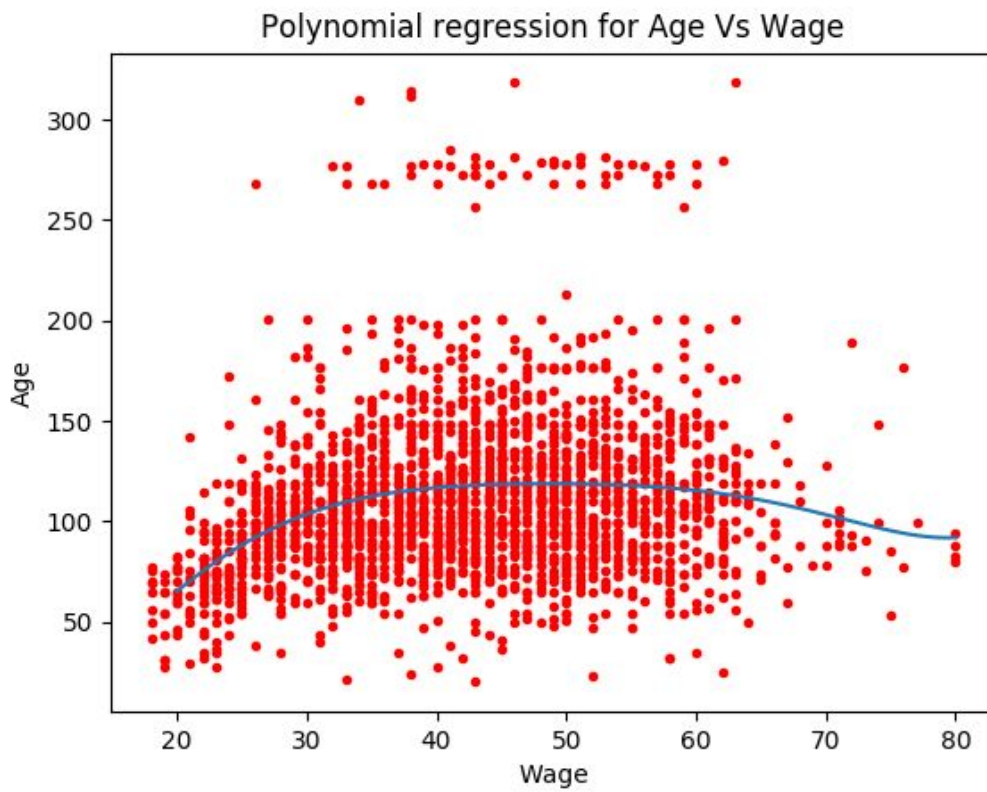
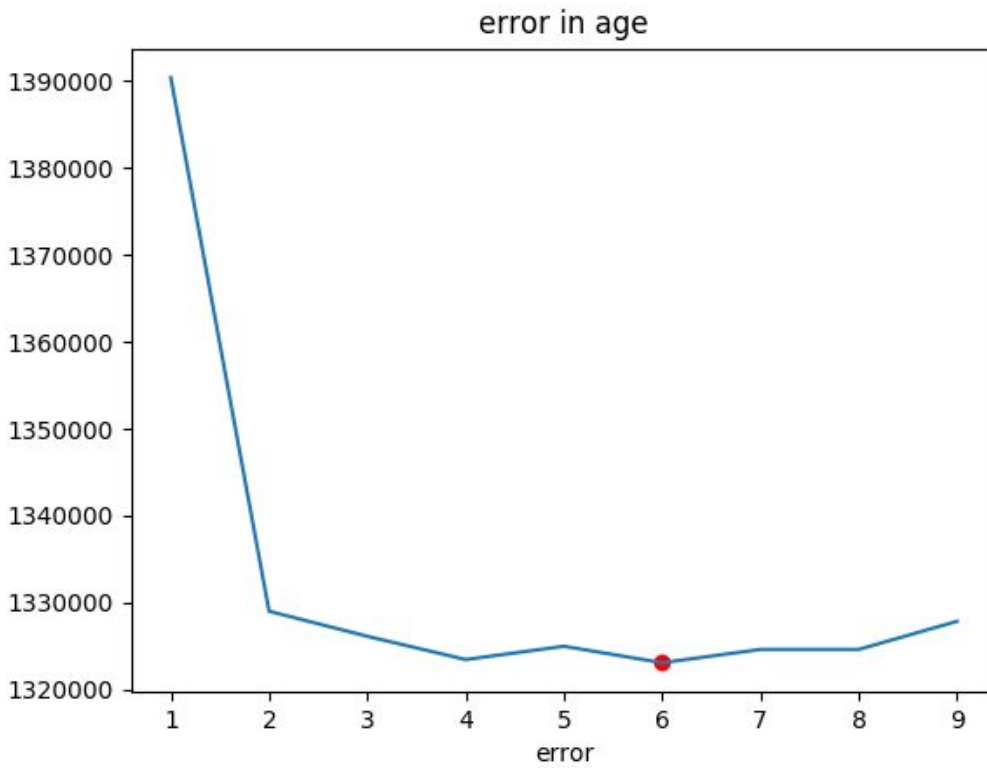
For the year vs wage , the optimal value of n is 2

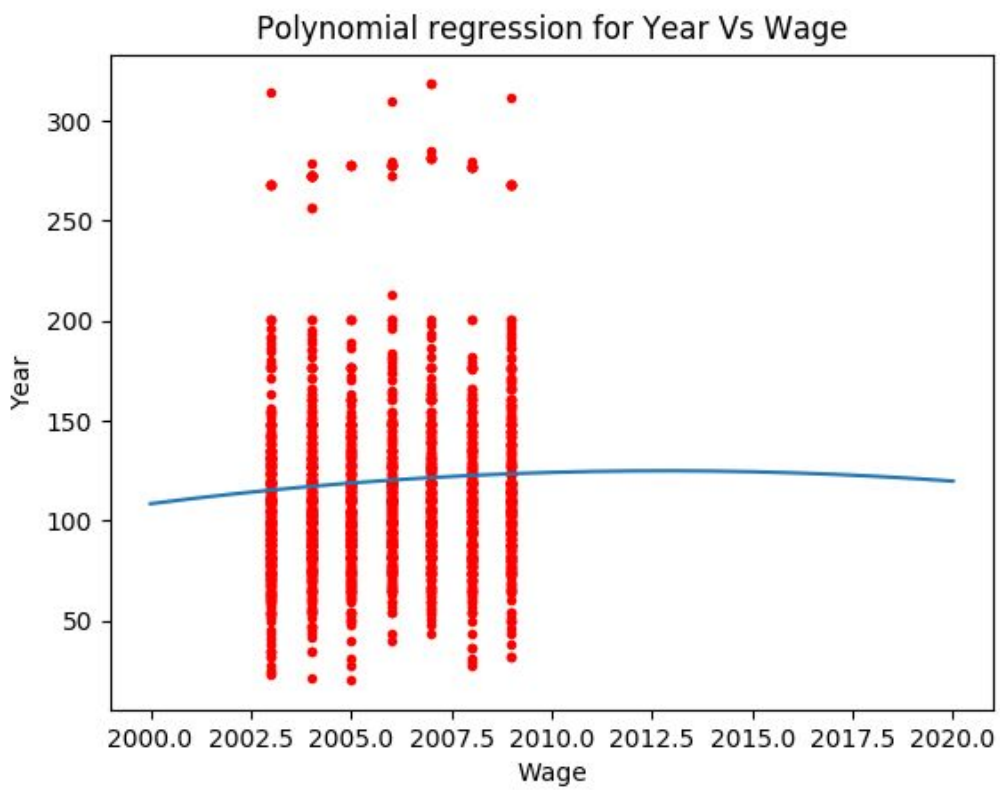
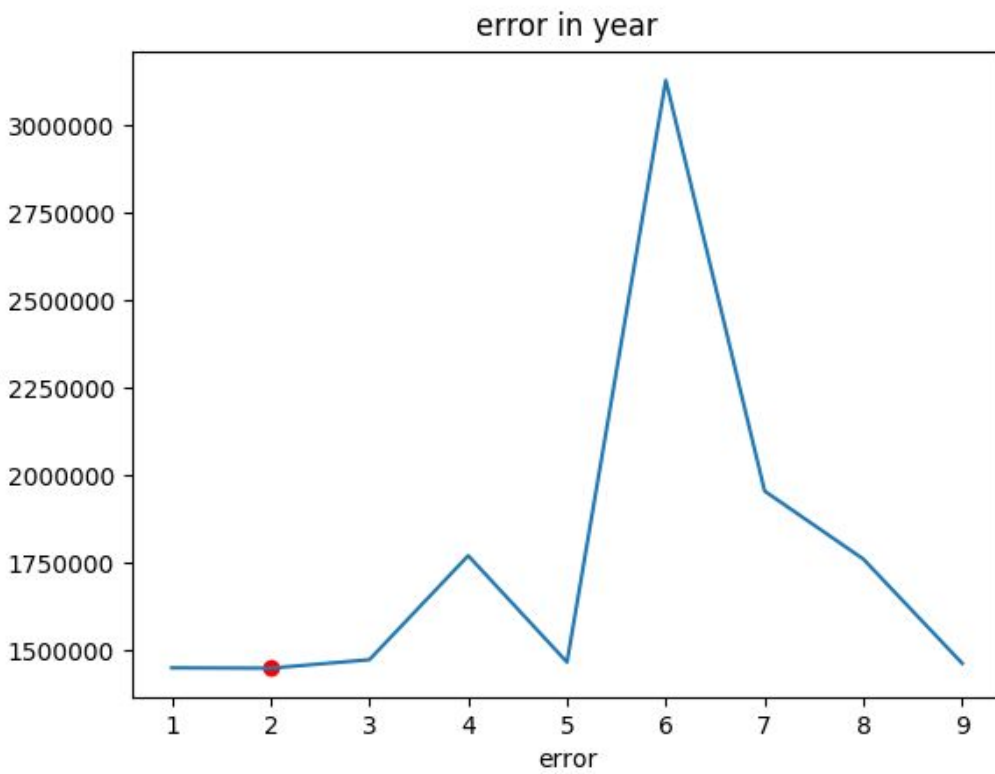
For the Education vs wage , the optimal value of n is 3

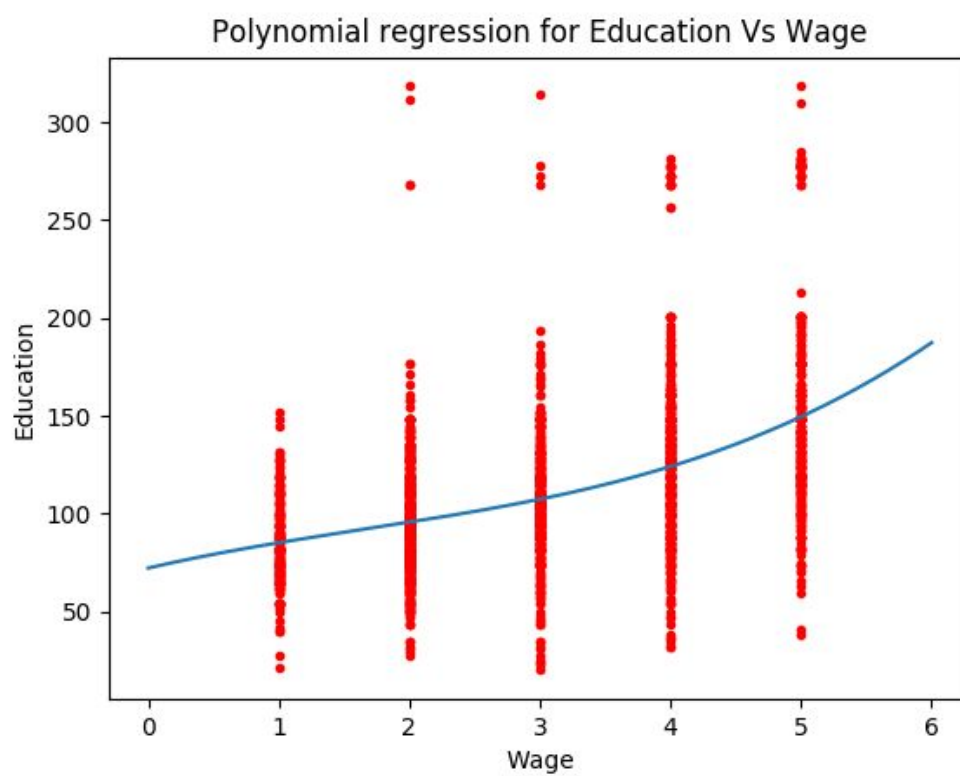
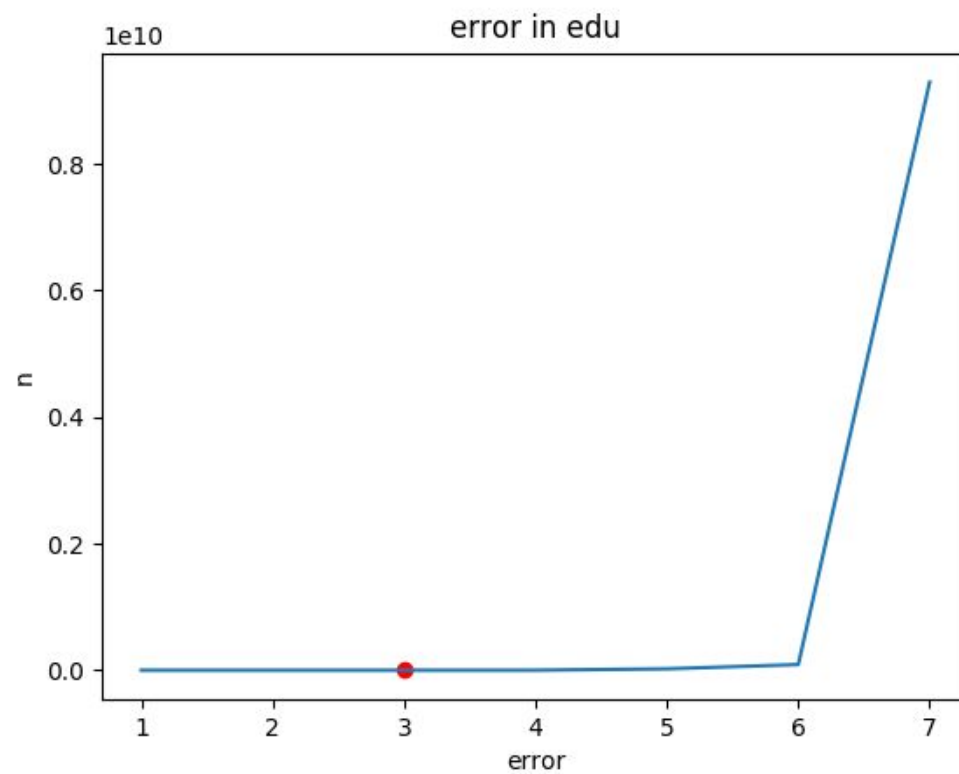
Given only one of the three attributes, it is not possible to estimate the wage of the person because the variance is very large and the error is very large

The plots of error vs value of n

The plots of polynomial regression are in the next pages







**Observations:**

From the graphs, we can observe that the plot age vs graph is more likely to get an estimate of wage from age to some extent, but the rest of the two graphs do not give much information about the wage .