# **Question 1**

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### Functions:

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### Model Evaluation:

- Accuracy is calculated for the test set using the QDA predictions.
- Class-wise accuracy is also calculated.

#### Visualization:

Visualizes sample images from each class using matplotlib.

### Outputs:

- Prints the overall accuracy for the test set.
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#### Notes:

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- The dataset is assumed to have 10 classes (digits 0 to 9).

Below is a detailed documentation for the provided Python code:

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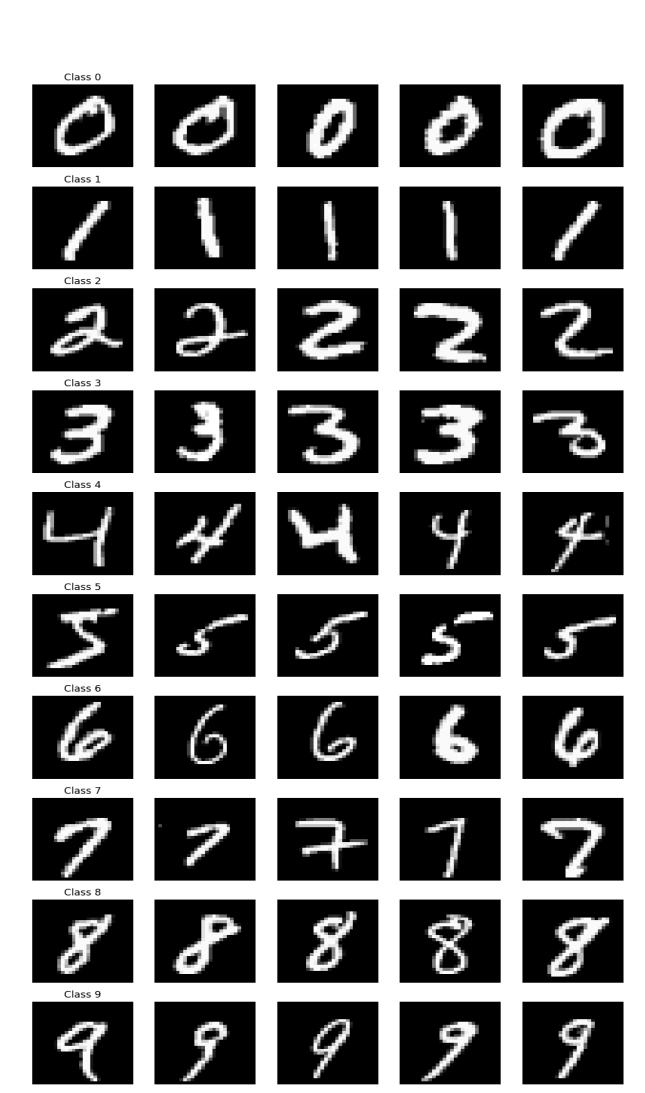
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Accuracy for the test set: 85.72 %
Class-wise Accuracy for Test Set:
Class 0: 93.46938775510203 %
Class 1: 67.40088105726872 %
Class 2: 93.6046511627907 %
Class 3: 87.52475247524752 %
Class 4: 90.93686354378818 %
Class 5: 79.93273542600897 %
Class 6: 89.03966597077245 %
Class 7: 86.38132295719845 %
Class 8: 88.80903490759754 %
Class 9: 82.16055550049554 %
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# **Question 2**

# Objective:

The code aims to perform dimensionality reduction using Principal Component Analysis (PCA) and evaluate Quadratic Discriminant Analysis (QDA) classification performance on the reduced feature space using the MNIST dataset.

#### Libraries Used:

- numpy: For numerical computations.
- matplotlib.pyplot: For visualization.

# Data Loading and Preprocessing:

- MNIST dataset is loaded from the specified file path.
- Training and testing data along with their labels are extracted and reshaped.
- Necessary functions and classes are defined.

# Dimensionality Reduction using PCA:

- PCA is applied to the training data to reduce its dimensionality.
- Mean centering and covariance matrix calculation are performed.
- Eigenvalues and eigenvectors are computed.

• The top principal components (eigenvectors) are selected based on the explained variance.

### Visualisation of Reconstructed Images:

• Reconstructed images are plotted using different numbers of principal components (p) for visualisation and comparison.

### Quadratic Discriminant Analysis (QDA):

- A custom QuadraticDiscriminantAnalysis class is defined to perform QDA.
- It includes methods for fitting the model and making predictions.
- The model is trained using the reduced feature space obtained from PCA.

#### Model Evaluation:

- The QDA model is evaluated on the test set using different numbers of principal components (p).
- Overall accuracy and class-wise accuracy are calculated and printed for each p.

#### Functions and Classes:

plot\_img(p, U, X\_central, meanvals, num\_images=5):

- Plots reconstructed images for visualization.
- Parameters:
  - p: Number of principal components.
  - U: Principal component matrix.
  - X central: Mean-centered data.
  - meanvals: Mean values per pixel.
  - num images: Number of images to plot.

#### QuadraticDiscriminantAnalysis Class:

- Custom class for Quadratic Discriminant Analysis.
- Methods include fit() for training and predict() for making predictions.

### Output:

• Overall accuracy and class-wise accuracy are printed for each number of principal components (p).



A few samples of images plot on p=[5,10,20] and 2nd line p=784

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Overall Accuracy for p=5: 61.52%
Class 0 Accuracy for p=5: 92.96%
Class 1 Accuracy for p=5: 10.04%
Class 2 Accuracy for p=5: 83.04%
Class 3 Accuracy for p=5: 67.72%
Class 4 Accuracy for p=5: 47.45%
Class 5 Accuracy for p=5: 80.83%
Class 6 Accuracy for p=5: 48.02%
Class 7 Accuracy for p=5: 49.03%
Class 8 Accuracy for p=5: 70.02%
Class 9 Accuracy for p=5: 74.63%
Overall Accuracy for p=10: 78.66%
Class 0 Accuracy for p=10: 95.10%
Class 1 Accuracy for p=10: 7.49%
Class 2 Accuracy for p=10: 95.54%
Class 3 Accuracy for p=10: 88.91%
Class 4 Accuracy for p=10: 82.59%
Class 5 Accuracy for p=10: 89.13%
Class 6 Accuracy for p=10: 89.14%
Class 7 Accuracy for p=10: 77.92%
Class 8 Accuracy for p=10: 85.93%
Class 9 Accuracy for p=10: 85.93%
Overall Accuracy for p=20: 82.03%
Class 0 Accuracy for p=20: 97.96%
Class 1 Accuracy for p=20: 0.00%
Class 2 Accuracy for p=20: 98.84%
Class 3 Accuracy for p=20: 94.85%
Class 4 Accuracy for p=20: 92.46%
Class 5 Accuracy for p=20: 95.40%
Class 6 Accuracy for p=20: 89.77%
Class 7 Accuracy for p=20: 80.16%
Class 8 Accuracy for p=20: 94.97%
Class 9 Accuracy for p=20: 88.90%
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