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## a)

for class y=0 
$$E[x1] = (1+1+2+3+3)/5 = 2$$
 
$$E[x2] = (1+1+2+2+3)/5 = 1.8$$
 
$$cov(x1,x2) = E[x1x2] - E[x1]E[x2] = (3+6+6+1+2)/5 - 3.6 = 0$$
 for class y=1: 
$$E[x1] = (1+2+4+5+5)/5 = 3.4$$
 
$$E[x2] = (4+5+6+6+7)/5 = 5.6$$
 
$$cov(x1,x2) = E[x1x2] - E[x1]E[x2] = (30+24+20+10+7)/5 - 19.04 = 18.2 - 19.04 = -1.05$$

## **b**)

$$\delta_k(x) = x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_k - \frac{1}{2} u_k^T \Sigma^{-1} u_k + \log(\pi_k)$$

$$x = (3.5, 2)^T,$$

$$\mu_0 = (2, 1.8)^T,$$

$$\mu_1 = (3.4, 5.6)^T,$$

$$\Sigma = \frac{1}{8} (C_0^T - \mu_0) (C_1^T - \mu_1)^T = \frac{1}{8} \begin{pmatrix} 8 & -4.2 \\ -4.2 & 17.2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Where 
$$C_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$
 and  $C_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 6 & 5 \\ 6 & 4 \\ 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  And we compute:

 $\delta_0 = 7.7027$ 

 $\delta_1 = 5.4846$ 

With this results we classify the point x as a class 0 point.

**c**)

LDA assumes that the classes have different means and shared variance, while with QDA each class can have a different variance. Both assume a gaussian distribution.

 $\mathbf{d}$ 

**e**)

LDA is a much less flexible classifier than QDA, therefore LDA usually makes better predictions when there are relatively few training observations and reducing variance is crucial. QDA can be used with a bigger sample size, when the variance of the classifier is not a huge concern.