# Linear/Quadratic Discriminant Analysis

## Introduction

Let's compute some LDA/QDA classifiers and compare with the other classifiers we've worked with.

## Set up

First, load the libraries.

```
library(tidyverse)
## -- Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.2.1 --
## v ggplot2 3.2.1 v purrr 0.3.3

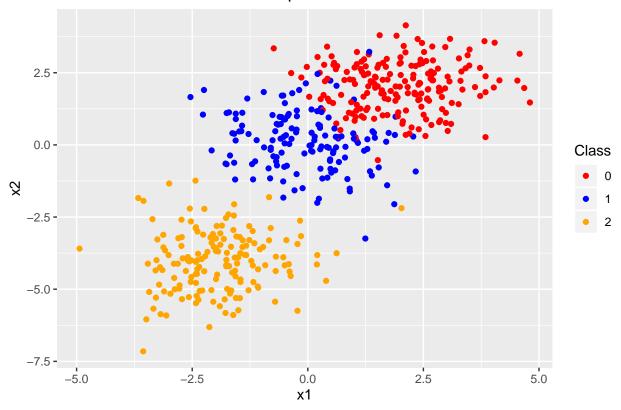
## v tibble 2.1.3 v dplyr 0.8.4

## v tidyr 1.0.2 v stringr 1.4.0

## v readr 1.3.1 v forcats 0.3.0
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()
                        masks stats::lag()
library(MASS) ## for lda
##
## Attaching package: 'MASS'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
        select
And some data...
data.df3 <- read.csv("LinearClassData3.csv")</pre>
data.df4 <- read.csv("LinearClassData4.csv")</pre>
To start use, data.df3
data.df <- data.df4
Look at the class distribution
with(data.df,table(class))
## class
## 0 1
## 194 145 161
How's it look?
```

```
cols <- c("red","blue","orange")
data.df %>%
    ggplot() +
    geom_point(aes(x1,x2,color=factor(class)))+
    scale_color_manual(values=cols)+
labs(title="Data: Three Classes in Two Input Dimensions",
        color="Class")
```

# Data: Three Classes in Two Input Dimensions



We have three classes, reasonably separated. ## Model Building Now let's build some models and classify.

## One Hot Encoding

As a start, let's quickly use the One Hot Encoding to perform a classification,

Build the three One Hot Models

```
mod0 <- lm(Y0 ~ x1 + x2, data=data.df)
mod1 <- lm(Y1 ~ x1 + x2, data=data.df)
mod2 <- lm(Y2 ~ x1 + x2, data=data.df)</pre>
```

And predictions from these models.

```
data.df$pred0 <- predict(mod0)
data.df$pred1 <- predict(mod1)
data.df$pred2 <- predict(mod2)</pre>
```

Add the predictions to the data frame.

```
data.df <- data.df %>%
   rowwise() %>%
   mutate(class.1hot=which.max(c(pred0,pred1,pred2))-1)
```

How does this look...look at confusion matrix and error rate

```
with(data.df,table(class,class.1hot))

## class.1hot
## class 0 1 2
## 0 191 3 0
## 1 66 60 19
## 2 1 1 159

(err.hot <- with(data.df,mean(class != class.1hot)))

## [1] 0.18</pre>
```

## LDA: By Hand!

Ok...

Let's build the LDA directly from the definitions. This means we need to compute the p=2 versions of the means and covariances.

Let's list all the variables we need to etimate for each  $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots C - 1$ 

- n: the number of observations.
- $n_k$ : the class size, i.e. number of observations in each class (number)
- $\pi_k$ : the class proportion (number)
- $\mu_k$ : the class mean of the observations, equivalently, the centroid of the inputs in each class (vector in px1 vector).
- $\Sigma_k$ : The class covariance. (pxp matrix).

For LDA, we assume that all the covariances are identical, i.e  $\Sigma_k = \Sigma$ . As estimate of  $\Sigma$  is given by

$$\Sigma = \frac{1}{n-C} \sum_{k=0}^{C-1} (n_k - 1) \Sigma_k.$$

Given these values, the discriminant function for the  $k^{th}$  class is

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

where 
$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$
.

As it turns out, this is a linear function of x.

#### This means computing means and covariances etc

Start with the overall size of the data frame.

```
N <- nrow(data.df)
```

Go class by class, compute proportions, means and scatter (= scaled covariance) matrices

```
data.df0 <- data.df %>%
    filter(class==0)
data.df1 <- data.df %>%
    filter(class==1)
data.df2 <- data.df %>%
    filter(class==2)
```

#### Get data from the classes

Class 0: compute  $n_0$ ,  $\pi_0$ ,  $\mu_0$ ,  $\Sigma_0$ .

Note:

\* The use of the R command "data.matrix" to extract a matrix of the data. \* The R function "cov" will give you the covariance matrix  $\Sigma_0$ .

```
mat0 <- data.matrix(data.df0[c("x1","x2")])
mu0 <- apply(mat0,2,mean)
n0 <- nrow(mat0)
pi0 <- n0/N
sigma0 <- cov(mat0)</pre>
```

Do the same for Class 1.

```
mat1 <- data.matrix(data.df1[c("x1","x2")])
mu1 <- apply(mat1,2,mean)
n1 <- nrow(mat1)
pi1 <- n1/N
sigma1 <- cov(mat1)</pre>
```

And for Class 2.

```
mat2 <- data.matrix(data.df2[c("x1","x2")])
mu2 <- apply(mat2,2,mean)
n2 <- nrow(mat2)
pi2 <- n2/N
sigma2<- cov(mat2)</pre>
```

Check the class proportions.

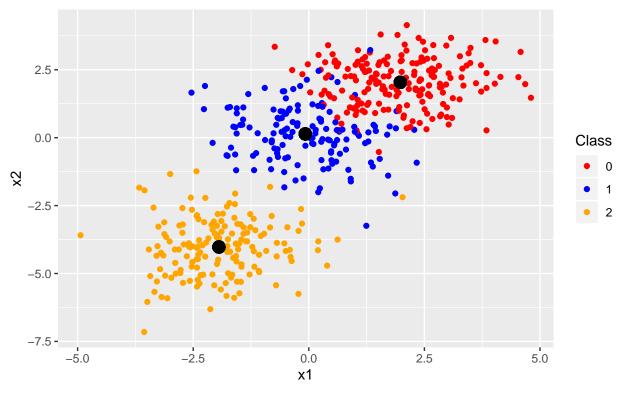
```
c(pi0,pi1,pi2)
```

```
## [1] 0.388 0.290 0.322
```

Here it is worth taking a look at the means to see if there are correct. A quick ggplot will do this.

```
data.df %>%
    ggplot() +
    geom_point(aes(x1,x2,color=factor(class)))+
    scale_color_manual(values=cols)+
    geom_point(aes(x=mu0[1],y=mu0[2]),color="black",size=4)+
    geom_point(aes(x=mu1[1],y=mu1[2]),color="black",size=4)+
    geom_point(aes(x=mu2[1],y=mu2[2]),color="black",size=4)+
    labs(title="Data: Three Classes in Two Input Dimensions",
        subtitle="Centroids added",
        color="Class")
```

# Data: Three Classes in Two Input Dimensions Centroids added



Looks ok.

Compute the overall covariance estimator, this is a 2x2 matrix.

```
(sig \leftarrow 1/(N-3)*((n0-1)*sigma0+(n1-1)*sigma1+(n2-1)*sigma2))
```

```
## x1 x2
## x1 1.051729012 -0.006124708
## x2 -0.006124708 0.931100327
```

Compute the inverse. Use the R command "solve"

```
invsig <- solve(sig)</pre>
```

It never hurts to check that the inverse is doing what it's supposed to do,

$$\Sigma \Sigma^{-1} = Id_p$$

where  $Id_p$  is the  $p \times p$  identity matrix. \* Note "%\*%" is matrix multiplication in R.

OK.. We're looking good. We can now compute the three discriminant functions. Directly implement the formulas for  $\delta_k(x)$  as defined above.

```
discrim0 <- function(x){
    as.numeric(-1/2*t(x-mu0) %*% invsig %*% (x-mu0) + log(pi0))
}
discrim1 <- function(x){
    as.numeric(-1/2*t(x-mu1) %*% invsig %*% (x-mu1) + log(pi1))
}
discrim2 <- function(x){
    as.numeric(-1/2*t(x-mu2) %*% invsig %*% (x-mu2) + log(pi2))
}</pre>
```

## Using the discriminant functions

Apply the discriminants to data set and make the predictions.

How's it look?

```
with(data.df,table(class,class2))
```

```
## class2
## class 0 1 2
## 0 184 10 0
## 1 10 134 1
## 2 0 3 158
```

And the error rate...

```
(err.lda1 <- with(data.df,mean(class != class2)))
## [1] 0.048
How do we compare?
c(err.hot,err.lda1)
## [1] 0.180 0.048</pre>
```

Pretty close. These are both linear methods so they probably do about the same thing.

#### LDA the R way

Let's now apply the R lda function.

```
mod.lda <- lda(class ~ x1+x2,data=data.df)
pred.lda <- predict(mod.lda)
data.df$class.lda <- pred.lda$class</pre>
```

With any luck, the last two methods should be identical!

```
with(data.df,table(class2,class.lda))
```

```
## class.lda

## class2 0 1 2

## 0 194 0 0

## 1 0 147 0

## 2 0 0 159
```

Phew...

#### Visualizations

The One Hot and LDA methods yield similar results. How similar are the models?

A visualization in the plane will help show the comparison.

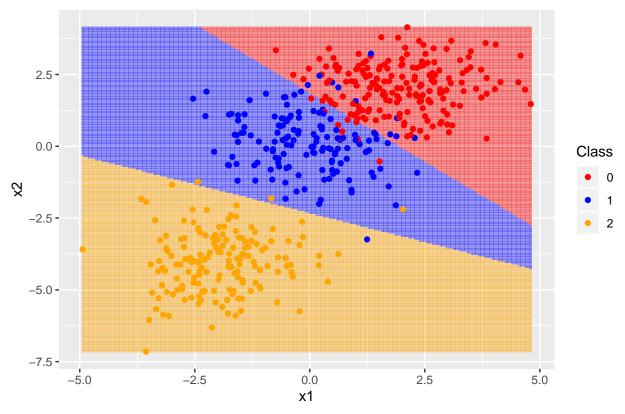
## One more grid.

Prediction on the grid.

```
pred.grid <- predict(mod.lda,newdata=grid.df)
grid.df$class.lda <- pred.grid$class</pre>
```

What are we looking at...

## LDA Model: Three Classes



Now do the same for our One Hot Model.

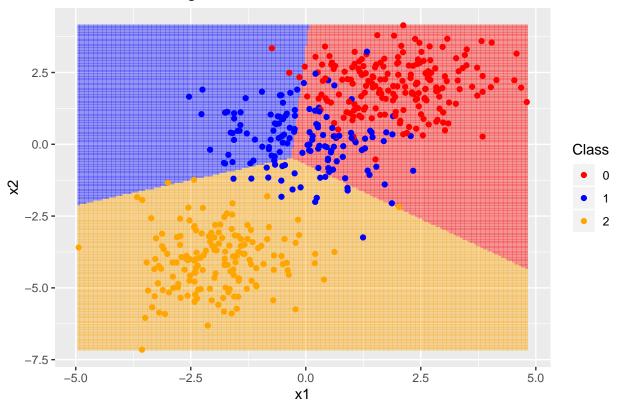
Make the three separate predictions on the grid and then use these to make the class prediction.

```
p0 <- predict(mod0,newdata=grid.df)
p1 <- predict(mod1,newdata=grid.df)
p2 <- predict(mod2,newdata=grid.df)
grid.df$class.hot <- apply(cbind(p0,p1,p2),1,which.max)</pre>
```

What does this look like?

```
hot.gg <- grid.df %>%
    ggplot()+
    geom_tile(aes(x1,x2,fill=factor(class.hot)),alpha=.37)+
    geom_point(data=data.df,aes(x1,x2,color=factor(class)))+
    scale_color_manual(values=cols) +
    scale_fill_manual(values=cols) +
    labs(title="One Hot Encoding: Three Classes",color="Class")+
    guides(fill=F)
hot.gg
```

## One Hot Encoding: Three Classes

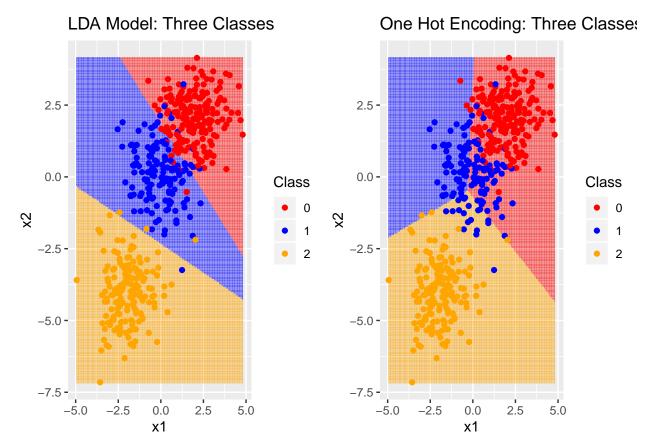


Pretty darn similar.

Load in gridExtra so we can use grid.arrange

```
library(gridExtra)
```

```
##
## Attaching package: 'gridExtra'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
## combine
```



There are some subtle differences.

## Alternative Three Class Data set.

Quick computation: Repeat everything above with data.df4.

As the models and the errors indicate, in this case, LDA and One Hot perform very differently.

```
c(err.lda1,err.hot)
```

## [1] 0.048 0.180

## Quadratic Discriminant Analysis.

Both One Hot and LDA can be extended to include non-linear features.

## One Hot with Interactions.

Modifiy the One Hot models to include all possible quadratic terms.

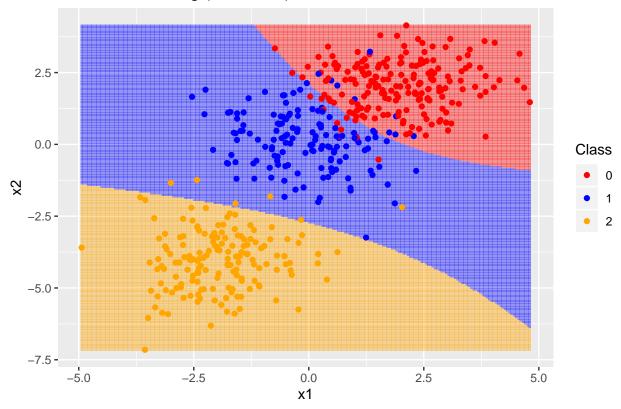
Now just add the predictions on the grid and proceed as before.

```
p0 <- predict(mod0,newdata=grid.df)
p1 <- predict(mod1,newdata=grid.df)
p2 <- predict(mod2,newdata=grid.df)
grid.df$class.hot2 <- apply(cbind(p0,p1,p2),1,which.max)</pre>
```

And the result...

```
hot2.gg <- grid.df %>%
    ggplot()+
    geom_tile(aes(x1,x2,fill=factor(class.hot2)),alpha=.37)+
    geom_point(data=data.df,aes(x1,x2,color=factor(class)))+
    scale_color_manual(values=cols) +
    scale_fill_manual(values=cols) +
    labs(title="One Hot Encoding (Quadratic): Three Classes",color="Class")+
    guides(fill=F)
hot2.gg
```

# One Hot Encoding (Quadratic): Three Classes



Allowing quadratic terms in the model produces a much better fit.

## QDA

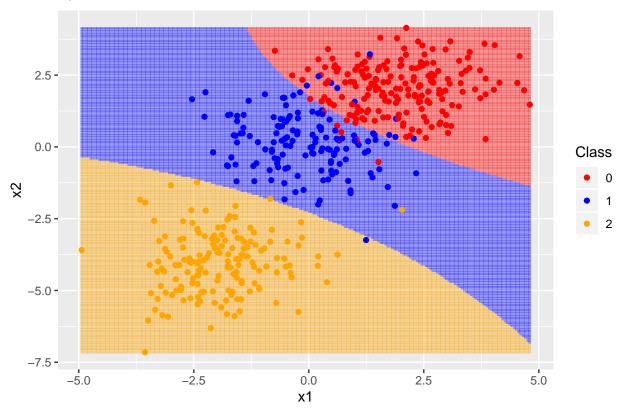
QDA also involves quadratic terms. Recall that is this case, we are allowing non-equal covariances in the classes.

```
mod.qda <- qda(class ~ x1+x2,data=data.df)
pred.qda <- predict(mod.qda,newdata=grid.df)
grid.df$class.qda <- pred.qda$class</pre>
```

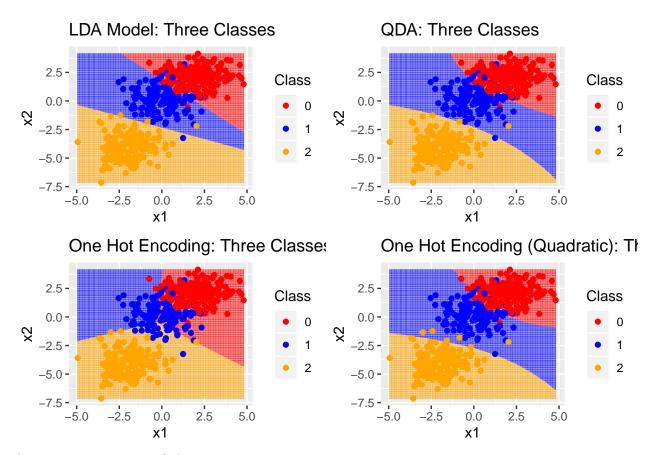
How's this look?

```
qda.gg <- grid.df %>%
    ggplot()+
    geom_tile(aes(x1,x2,fill=class.qda),alpha=.37)+
    geom_point(data=data.df,aes(x1,x2,color=factor(class)))+
    scale_color_manual(values=cols) +
    scale_fill_manual(values=cols) +
    labs(title="QDA: Three Classes",color="Class")+
    guides(fill=F)
qda.gg
```

## QDA: Three Classes



grid.arrange(lda.gg,qda.gg,hot.gg,hot2.gg,nrow=2)



An interesting montage of plots.