

Extensions of Discriminant Analysis

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Outline

In today's class, we will . . .

- Create a handmade LDA model
- Discuss LDA with two or more predictors
- Implement LDA in R
- Define QDA and compare to LDA

Section 1

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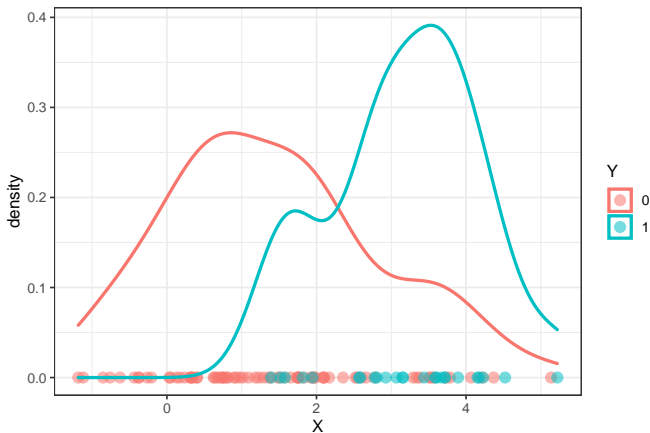
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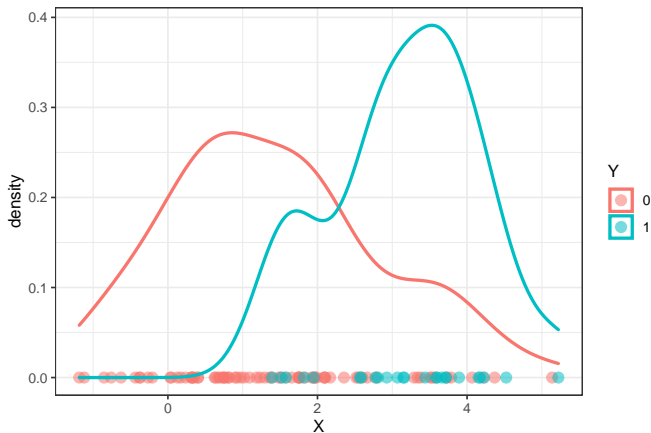
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ssx <- d %>% group_by(Y) %>% summarize(ssx = var(X) * (n() - 1), n()) %>% pull(2, )
ssx
```

```
## [1] 148.19201 23.70648
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sigma2 <- sum(ssx)/(n - 2)
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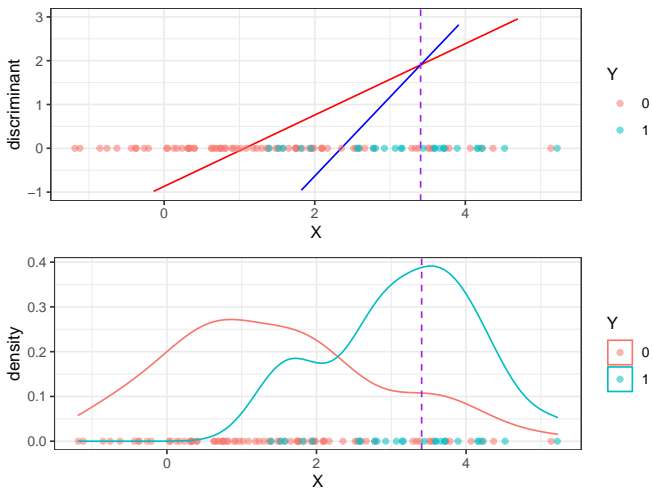
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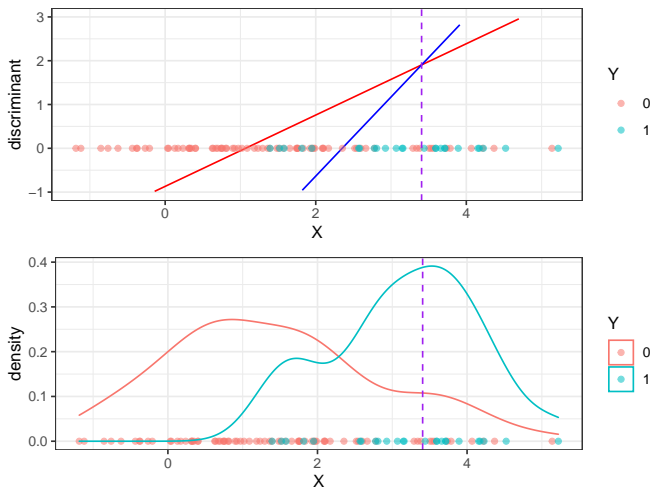
Create discriminant function for each class:

```
d0 <- my_lda(d$X, pi0, mu0, sigma2)  
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Why don't the discriminant functions intersect at the same point as the density curves?

Section 2

LDA with multiple predictors

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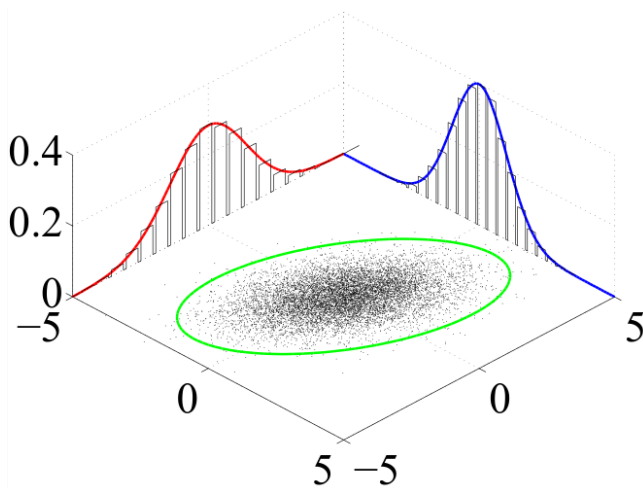
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$$f(x) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{p/2}(|\det \Sigma|)^{1/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(x - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1}(x - \mu)\right)$$

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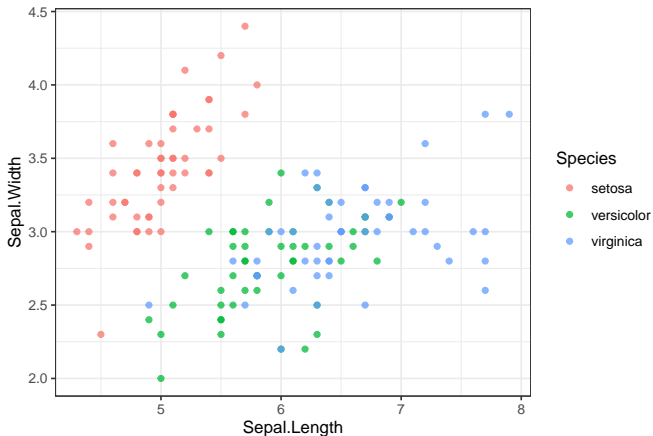
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Can we classify Species based on Sepal.Length and Sepal.Width?

Iris Plot



Where should we place our **linear** decision boundaries?

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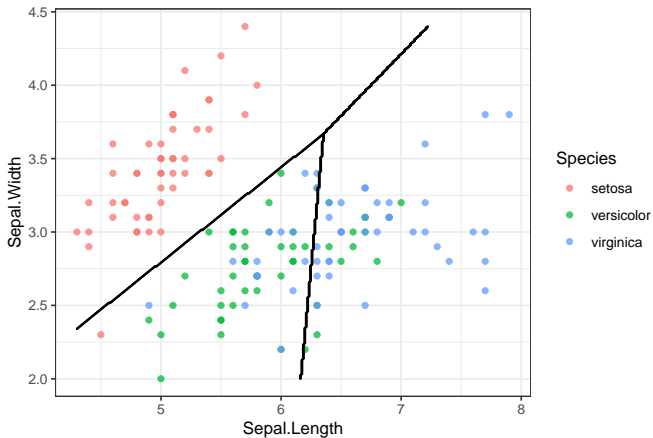
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Which simplifies to the following when $p = 1$:

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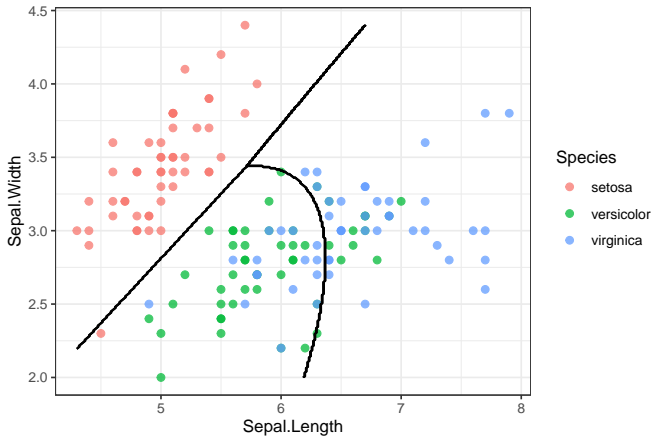
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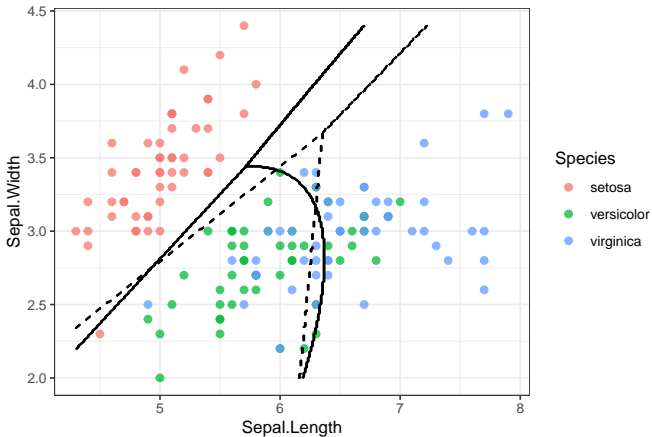
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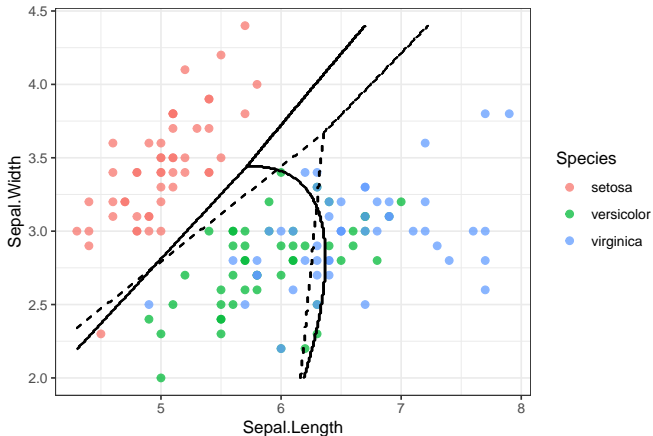
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Which model do you think would perform better on test data? LDA(Y) or QDA (N)