

Big Data Analysis

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If the maximizer is not unique then assign \mathbf{x} randomly to break the tie.

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The **classification regions** in the feature space \mathbb{R}^d are

$$R_i = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d : L_{ij}(\mathbf{x}) > 0, j = 1, 2, \dots, K, j \neq i\},$$

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Conclusion Since $L_{ij}(\mathbf{x})$ is linear in \mathbf{x} , the regions $R_i, i = 1, \dots, K$ partition the feature space by means of hyperplanes

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is the **overall mean vector** ignoring class identifiers

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The total covariance matrix of the observations, S_{total} , having $n - 1$ degrees of freedom (df) and calculated by ignoring the class identity, formed by the **between-class covariance/scatter matrix** S_b and the **pooled within-class covariance/scatter matrix**, S_w

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