02407 Stochastic Processes 2011-9-22
DAME/dame

## Solution for exercise 5.5.6 in Karlin and Pinsky

We can easily get

$$
\begin{aligned}
F_{R}(x) & =P(R \leq x)=1-P(R>x) \\
& =1-P\left(n o \text { other stars in the sphere volum } \frac{4 \pi x^{3}}{3}\right) \\
& =1-e^{-\lambda \frac{4 \pi x^{3}}{3}} \\
\Rightarrow f_{R}(x) & =\frac{d}{d x} F_{R}(x) \\
& =4 \lambda x^{2} e^{-\frac{4 \lambda \pi x^{3}}{3}}
\end{aligned}
$$

