Hand-in exercise

library(spatstat)

In this exercise we work with the **spatstat** dataset **cells**. First we show that a Poisson model is clearly inadequate and then we investigate whether a determinantal point process (DPP) model is a good fit.

Part 1

- Plot the **cells** dataset and briefly (1-2 lines) argue why you don't think a Poisson model is adequate for this data.
- Generate 1999 realisations from a uniform point process model with 42 points in the unit square (use runifpoint()) and save them as sims.
- Use the generated simulations (sims) as the simulate argument in envelope.ppp() along with your choice of summary statistic (argument fun) to make envelopes for the cells data (also specify savefuns = TRUE). Save the envelope as env.
- Load the GET package and make the global rank envelope test using the envelope env you generated above and plot the result.

Part 2

- Fit a Bessel DPP to the cells data using dppm() (*hint:* dppBessel() is useful).
- Generate 39 realisations from the fitted Bessel DPP model model in the unit square (use simulate()) and save them as sims2.
- Use the generated simulations (sims2) as the simulate argument in envelope.ppp() with argument fun = pcf to make envelopes for the cells data. Save the envelope as env2.
- Plot the envelopes and add the theoretical pcf for this DPP model to the plot (*hint*: extract pcf with pcfmodel() and add to existing plot with plot(, add = TRUE)).
- Does the mean pcf from the simulations agree with the theoretical pcf? Does the empirical pcf?
- (Optional) Make global envelopes based on nsim = 39 simulations. Try both without specifying ginterval and with ginterval = c(.02,.25). What is the difference?
- (Optional) Try to (briefly) explain the large value of g(r) around r = 0.15.