

Assignment: Transient Groundwater Flow

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The [course material](#) can be found on Github

And as an [online course](#) on readthedocs.org

The up-to-date [syllabus as a pdf](#) can also be found on Github.

On the same site you can find the PowerPoint presentations that are used in class and numerous exercises done in jupyter notebooks as well as the notebooks that generated the animations and all the pictures in the syllabus.

Old exams with and without answers and the assignments given over the years from 2006 can be found at the end of the [online course](#) on Readthedocs.

Extra material will be given to the students in class or save on github.

This year there will not be a written exam; only an assignment. This gives more opportunities to learn and demonstrate the use of the transient analytic solutions presented in the course in a more data science scope. Nowadays, the analytic formulas are at least as important as in the past before wide-spread computing being available, as more than ever we need them as tools to verify the many numeric models around, which just produce numbers, no insight. Their outcomes require verification. Also before starting a new large groundwater model, most and valuable analysis can be and should be done ahead of it, to analyse the problem at hand and its likely behavior to help us build better models by knowing what matters and by understanding and interpreting its outcomes. Moreover analytic solutions allow us to generalize other outcomes and allow us to predict which are crucial parameters how variation of the parameters will affect the outcomes. In short analytic solutions provide insight and guide is all the time when dealing with groundwater problems in a quantitative and qualitative way.

With more data science focus, we talk about analyzing field data using our analytic solution, to find out how these field data can be interpreted and what the underlying parameters and relations are that cause the observed behavior. This way the field data, mostly in terms of continuous or high-frequency registrations of water pressures, flows, recharge, evaporation, pumping, water level fluctuations and so on, have to be analyzed. Signals have to be separated from noise, further, signals caused

by different phenomena, all affecting the registered water pressure, have to be separated to determine what part of the observed behavior is due to what phenomenon, i.e. due to rain, pumping, water fluctuation and so on. These phenomena and their effects are all dynamic, and, therefore, we will mostly deal with large time series, which is what is called data-science.

```
In [1]: import os, sys
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.special import erfc, k0 as K0, exp1 as Wt
from scipy.integrate import quad
from scipy.signal import lfilter
import pandas as pd
from PIL import Image
from itertools import cycle
```

```
In [2]: def newfig(title='title', xlabel='xlabel', ylabel='ylabel', xscale='linear',
        xlim=None, ylim=None, figsize=(6, 6)):
        """Return ax of new figure."""
        fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 1)
        ax.set_title(title)
        ax.set_xlabel(xlabel)
        ax.set_ylabel(ylabel)
        if xlim: ax.set_xlim(xlim)
        if ylim: ax.set_ylim(ylim)
        if xscale: ax.set_xscale(xscale)
        if yscale: ax.set_yscale(yscale)
        if figsize: fig.set_size_inches = figsize
        ax.grid(True)
        return ax
```

```
In [3]: def Wh(u, rho=0):
        """Return Hantush well function values.

        This function uses numerical integration with scipy.integrate.quad
        and vectorizes the obtained functions to use it with arrays of input

        The resulting function is extremely fast and accurate!

        Parameters
        -----
        u : float | nd.array of floats
            u = r^2 / (4 kD t)
        rho: float | None
            r / lambda with lambda = sqrt(kD c)

        Some exmple uses
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        >>>Wh(0.004, 0.03)
        4.894104204671381
```

```

>>>Wh(0.08, 0.06)
2.0184074022446836

>>>Wh(0.08) # Use Wh without rho, to get the Theis well function value
2.0269410025857217

>>>Wt(0.08) # Show that the Theis well function Wt(u) = Wh(u)
2.0269410025857417

"""
def kernel(y, rho):
    """Return the function to be integrated."""
    return np.exp(-y - (rho / 2) ** 2 / y) / y
def w(u, rho): # Integrate the argument
    return quad(kernel, u, np.inf, args=(rho,))[0]
wh = np.frompyfunc(w, 2, 1) # Vectorize function w(u, rho) so we can

return wh(u, rho)

```

1. Show the combined impact of a number of well fields in Lybia

A water company extracts water from a dune area along the North sea and uses rows of wells to capture the water. The coordinates in Latitude (North), Longitude (East) are given [here](#).



First get the coordinates:

The pumping sites are read from the file './data/PumpingSitesLybia.csv' into a pandas DataFrame. These coordinates are in East and North degrees (WGS84, Google world coordinates). We first convert them in to km east of the zero meridian and north of the equator, using a simple function that assumes the world is a sphere.

```

In [4]: psites = pd.read_csv(os.path.join('./data', 'PumpingSitesLybia.csv'), ind

def wgs2km(phi, lam):
    """Return approximate x [km], y [km] from latitude [deg], longitude [

    This assumes the world is a sphere.

    Parameters
    -----
    phi: float
        Degrees north with respect to the equator

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lam: float
    Degrees east with respect to the zero meridian.

Returns
-----
Coordinates in km
"""
R = 6378.0 # km
phi, lam = phi * np.pi / 180., lam * np.pi / 180.
y = R * phi
x = R * np.cos(phi) * lam
return np.round(x, 1), np.round(y, 1)

xkm, ykm = wgs2km(psites['N_GWS84'].values, psites['E_GWS84'].values)

psites['xkm'] = xkm
psites['ykm'] = ykm

xBorderEgypt, yMediterranean = wgs2km(31, 25)
print('The x-coordinate of the Egyptian border (Lon = 25deg) = {} km'.format(xBorderEgypt))
print('The y-coordinage of the Mediterranean (Lat = 31deg) = {} km'.format(yMediterranean))

# Egyptian border point:
xB, yB = wgs2km(25, 25)
print("Egyptian border point = (x={}, y={})".format(xB, yB))
print(psites)

# The coordinates of the Google image are approximately
# lat 9.5 to 30.0 deg and lon 9.5 to 30 deg
loweleft_upperright_km = wgs2km(np.array([19.8, 33.5]), np.array([9.5, 30.0]))

print(loweleft_upperright_km)

```

The x-coordinate of the Egyptian border (Lon = 25deg) = 2385.4 km
The y-coordinage of the Mediterranean (Lat = 31deg) = 3450.8 km
Egyptian border point = (x=2522.2, y=2782.9)

	E_GWS84	N_GWS84	xkm	ykm
Name				
Ghadarnes	10.870178	29.330456	1054.9	3265.0
Jabal_Hasouna_NE	13.026915	27.042600	1291.6	3010.3
Jabal_Hasouna_E	14.782520	26.308762	1475.1	2928.6
Tazerbo_W	20.547701	24.853721	2075.5	2766.6
Tazerbo_E	22.248636	23.778889	2266.4	2647.0
Sarir	20.428217	27.471861	2017.6	3058.1
Jahgboub	23.895349	29.554800	2313.9	3290.0
			(array([995. , 2784.8]), array([2204.1, 3729.1]))	

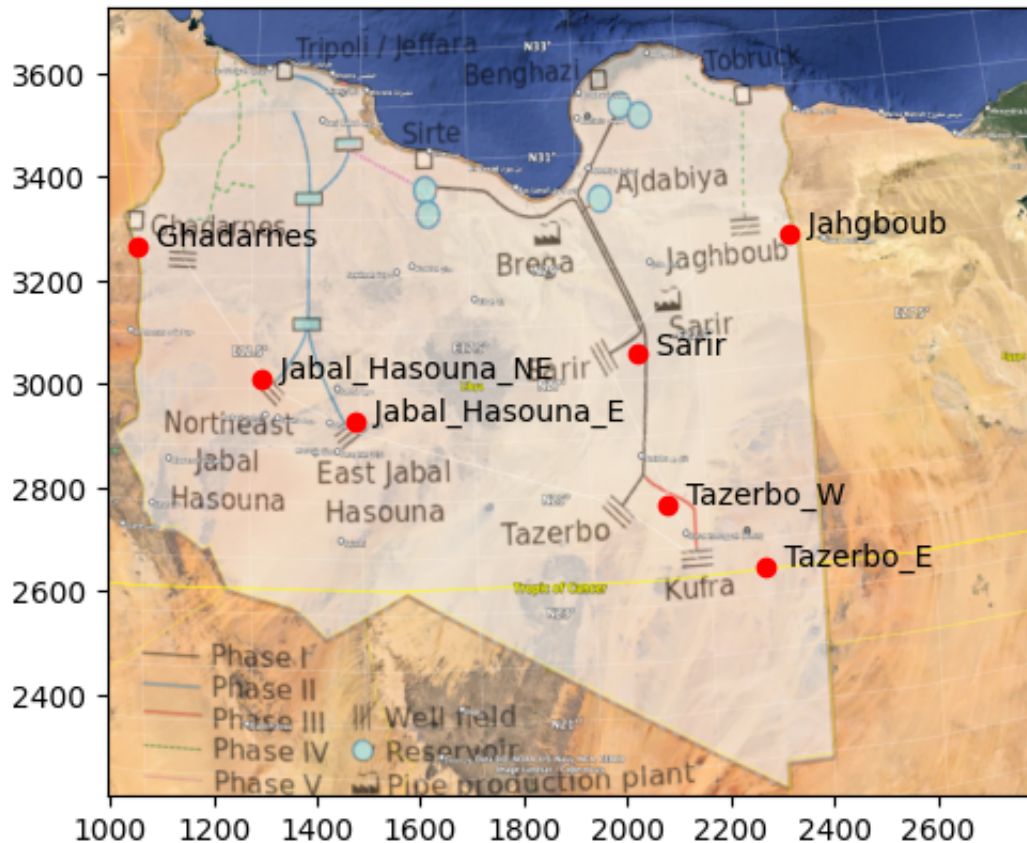
If you know the extent of your image, you can put this image on a figure with the right coordiates and plot your drawdown contours directly on it.

Here is the image put in a pictures with the coordinates in km (y=from equator, x=from zero meridian)

```
In [5]: extent = list(LOWLEFT_UPPERRIGHT_KM[0]) + list(LOWLEFT_UPPERRIGHT_KM[1])

Lybia_egypt = Image.open('./images/LybiaPumpingSites.png')
plt.imshow(Lybia_egypt, extent=extent)

for k in psites.index:
    x, y = psites.loc[k, ['xkm', 'ykm']]
    plt.plot(x, y, 'ro')
    plt.text(x, y, ' ' + k)
```



Further information:

The discharge per pumping site

Now take the pumping capacity given that the transport pipes have $D = 4$ m diameter serving 2 pumping sites. Just assume a flow velocity of $v = 0.5$ m/s on average. The discharge per pumping sites is estimated to

$$Q \approx \frac{1}{2} \pi D^2 v$$

Take this as discharge per pump site.

The extraction would be estimated to be about $Q = 0.5 \pi R_{\text{pipe}}^2 v$ where the 0.5 comes from the map that shows that two pumping stations are feed into the major 4 m diameter pipelines. This is further converted to m³/d. And so $Q = 271433$

m³/d, which, of course we round to a reasonable accuracy of 270,000 m³/d or a 100 million m³/year per pumping station.

```
In [6]: Qps = 0.5 * np.pi * 2 ** 2 * 0.5 * 86400 # 0.5 pi Rp ** 2 * v * seconds_
Qps = round(Qps / 1e4) * 1e4
print('Qps = {:.0f} m3/d (= daily extraction by each pumping station'.for
```

Qps = 270000 m³/d (= daily extraction by each pumping station

Aquifer properties

Further assume the transmissivity of the Nubian Sandstone is $kD = 5000$ m²/d and $S = 0.0005$.

Finally take the Mediterranean sea as a fixed-head boundary, giving rise to mirror wells.

```
In [7]: kD = 5000 # [m2/d] transmissivity
S = 0.0005 # [-] elastic storage coefficient
```

The questions

1. Start with computing the radius of influence (in km) to have an impression of the extent of the drawdown
2. Compute the drawdown today (assuming that the system has been working since 1984)
3. Contour the drawdown for 2024 directly on the picture.
4. Compute the drawdown over time at the Egyptian border at (x=2522.2, y=2782.9)
5. Compute the drawdown over time (1984-2024) at 1000 m from the point Tazerbo assuming this is the approximate radius of the pumping well ensemble.
6. Have a look on Google Earth, zoom in at point (lat=24.2 deg, lon=23.4 deg) to see the well site of Kufra

Remark: The real transmissivity may be less and the real storage coefficient larger than used in this exercise.

Question 1, radius of influence

```
In [8]: times = np.logspace(0, 2, 21) * 365 # From 0 to 100 days in steps of one
R_infl = np.sqrt(2.25 * kD * times / S) # km

print('{:5s} {}'.format('time', 'R_influence'))
print('{:5s} {}'.format('years', 'km'))
for t, R in zip(times, R_infl):
    print('{:5.1f} {:.40f}'.format(t / 365, R / 1000))
```

time years	R_influence km
1.0	91
1.3	102
1.6	114
2.0	128
2.5	144
3.2	161
4.0	181
5.0	203
6.3	228
7.9	255
10.0	287
12.6	322
15.8	361
20.0	405
25.1	454
31.6	510
39.8	572
50.1	642
63.1	720
79.4	808
100.0	906

Question 2: Drawdown today due to assumed pumping since 1984

This is done by superposition of the drawdown by all pumping station

```
In [9]: psites['Q'] = 270000 # add an extraction column to the DataFrame (for con
print(psites)
```

	E_GWS84	N_GWS84	xkm	ykm	Q
Name					
Ghadarnes	10.870178	29.330456	1054.9	3265.0	270000
Jabal_Hasouna_NE	13.026915	27.042600	1291.6	3010.3	270000
Jabal_Hasouna_E	14.782520	26.308762	1475.1	2928.6	270000
Tazerbo_W	20.547701	24.853721	2075.5	2766.6	270000
Tazerbo_E	22.248636	23.778889	2266.4	2647.0	270000
Sarir	20.428217	27.471861	2017.6	3058.1	270000
Jahgboub	23.895349	29.554800	2313.9	3290.0	270000

```
In [10]: kD = 5000. # m2/d
Q = 270000. # m3/d
```

Compute the drawdown at an arbitrary locagion xp, yp ove time.

Let the point of interest be an arbitrary point x, y at a disance r from the station at x0, y0.

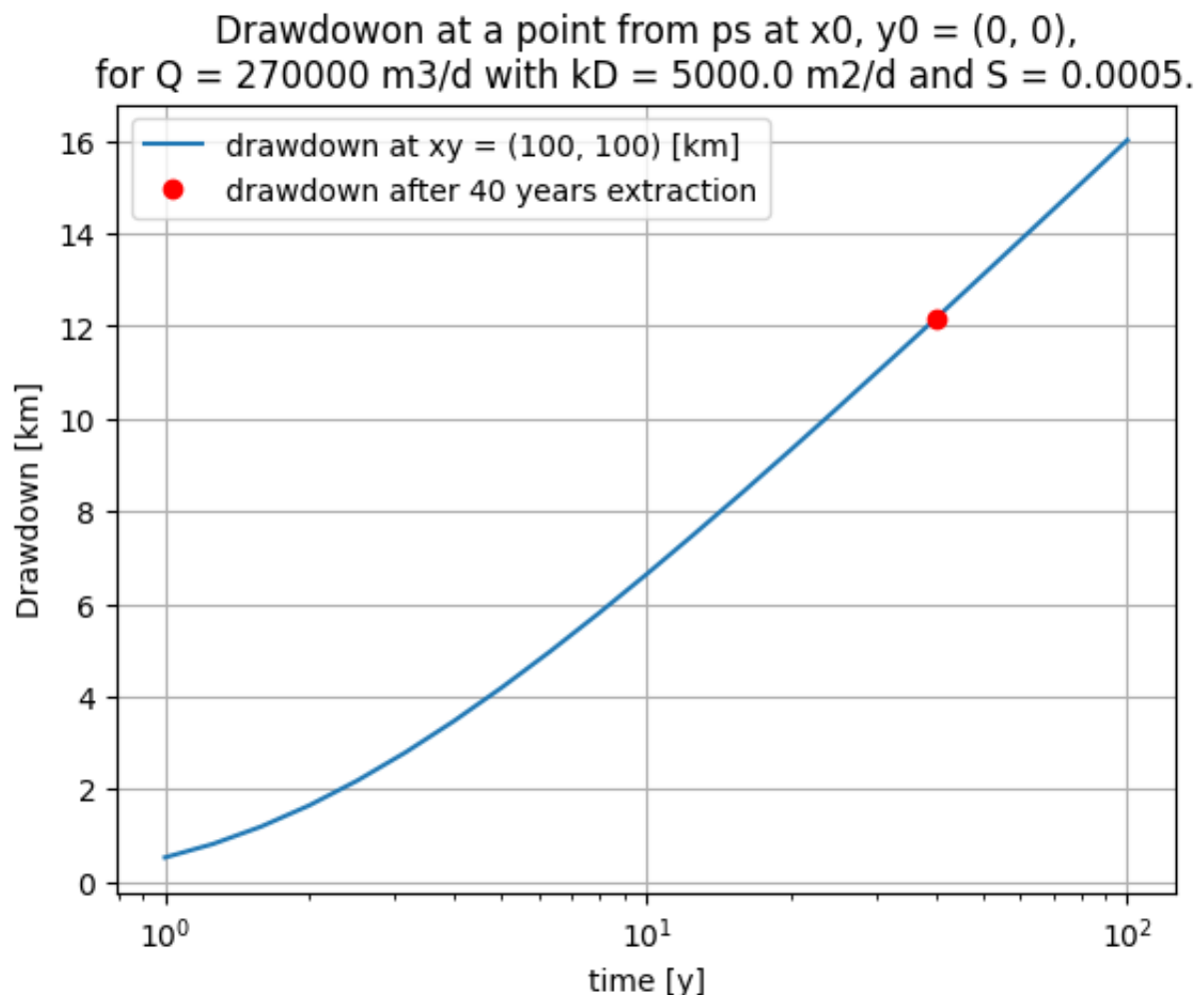
We compute the darwdown for a series of times between 1 and 100 years. The point at t = 40 years answers the question.

The computations are done in dimension m and d. However the coordinates are in km. The only thing to do then is to multiply the radius r by 1000 to convert it from km to m.

```
In [11]: aYear = 365 # [d/y]
mperkm = 1000 # meters per km
x, y = 100, 100 # in km
x0, y0 = 0, 0, # in km
r = np.sqrt((x - x0) ** 2 + (y - y0) ** 2) * mperkm # convert ot m
times = np.logspace(0, 2, 21) * aYear
u = r ** 2 * S / (4 * kD * times)
s = Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wt(u)

plt.title('Drawdown at a point from ps at x0, y0 = ({:.0f}, {:.0f}),\nfo
plt.ylabel('Drawdown [km]')
plt.xlabel('time [y]')
plt.grid()
plt.xscale('log')
plt.plot(times / aYear, s, label='drawdown at xy = ({:.0f}, {:.0f}) [km]')
plt.plot(40, Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wt(r ** 2 * S / (4 * kD * 40 * aYear
plt.legend()
```

Out[11]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x13ddd8740>



Question 3: Contour drawdown after 40 years of extraction

```
In [12]: # Make grid, so the point x, y are now going to be grid points X, Y
# From the map we see that a suitable grid would be in km
xlim = (1000, 2800)
ylim = (2200, 3800)
x = np.linspace(xlim[0], xlim[1], int((xlim[1] - xlim[0]) / 20) + 1) # A
y = np.linspace(ylim[0], ylim[1], int((ylim[1] - ylim[0]) / 20) + 1)
print(x)
print(y)
X, Y = np.meshgrid(x, y) # Generate the coordinates for all the points of
print(X.shape)
print(Y.shape)
```

```
[1000. 1020. 1040. 1060. 1080. 1100. 1120. 1140. 1160. 1180. 1200. 1220.
 1240. 1260. 1280. 1300. 1320. 1340. 1360. 1380. 1400. 1420. 1440. 1460.
 1480. 1500. 1520. 1540. 1560. 1580. 1600. 1620. 1640. 1660. 1680. 1700.
 1720. 1740. 1760. 1780. 1800. 1820. 1840. 1860. 1880. 1900. 1920. 1940.
 1960. 1980. 2000. 2020. 2040. 2060. 2080. 2100. 2120. 2140. 2160. 2180.
 2200. 2220. 2240. 2260. 2280. 2300. 2320. 2340. 2360. 2380. 2400. 2420.
 2440. 2460. 2480. 2500. 2520. 2540. 2560. 2580. 2600. 2620. 2640. 2660.
 2680. 2700. 2720. 2740. 2760. 2780. 2800.]
[2200. 2220. 2240. 2260. 2280. 2300. 2320. 2340. 2360. 2380. 2400. 2420.
 2440. 2460. 2480. 2500. 2520. 2540. 2560. 2580. 2600. 2620. 2640. 2660.
 2680. 2700. 2720. 2740. 2760. 2780. 2800. 2820. 2840. 2860. 2880. 2900.
 2920. 2940. 2960. 2980. 3000. 3020. 3040. 3060. 3080. 3100. 3120. 3140.
 3160. 3180. 3200. 3220. 3240. 3260. 3280. 3300. 3320. 3340. 3360. 3380.
 3400. 3420. 3440. 3460. 3480. 3500. 3520. 3540. 3560. 3580. 3600. 3620.
 3640. 3660. 3680. 3700. 3720. 3740. 3760. 3780. 3800.]
(81, 91)
(81, 91)
```

```
In [13]: psites.loc['Ghadarnes']
```

```
Out[13]: E_GWS84      10.870178
N_GWS84      29.330456
xkm          1054.900000
ykm          3265.000000
Q            270000.000000
Name: Ghadarnes, dtype: float64
```

```
In [14]: for name in psites.index:
          x, y, Q = psites.loc[name][['xkm', 'ykm', 'Q']]
          print(x, y, Q, name)
```

```
1054.9 3265.0 270000.0 Ghadarnes
1291.6 3010.3 270000.0 Jabal_Hasouna_NE
1475.1 2928.6 270000.0 Jabal_Hasouna_E
2075.5 2766.6 270000.0 Tazerbo_W
2266.4 2647.0 270000.0 Tazerbo_E
2017.6 3058.1 270000.0 Sarir
2313.9 3290.0 270000.0 Jahgboub
```

```
In [15]: mperkm = 1000 # meters per km for conversion
```

```
s = np.zeros_like(X) # initial drawdown

time = 40 * aYear
plt.title("Lybia")

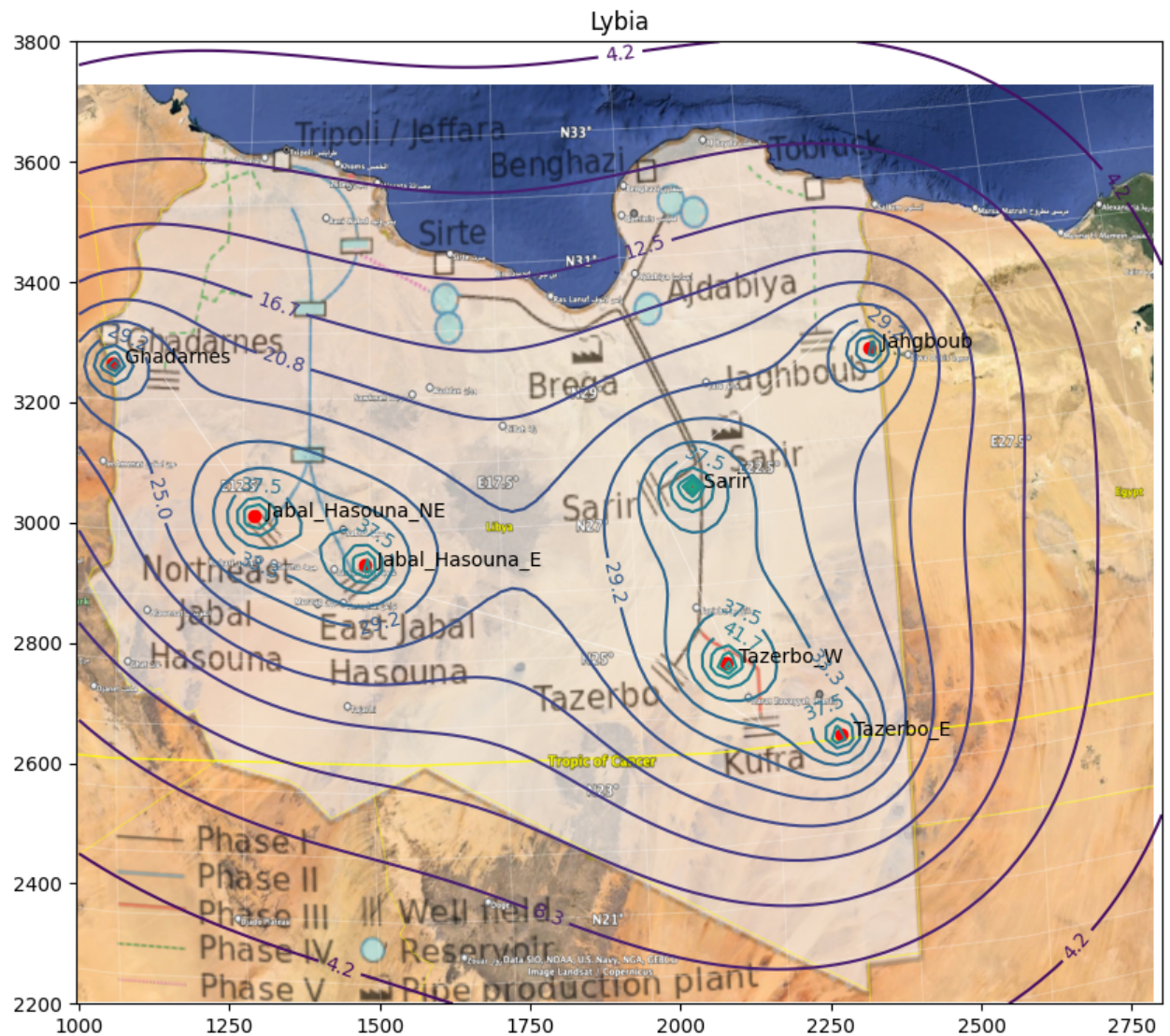
extent = list(LOWLEFT_UPPERRIGHT_KM[0]) + list(LOWLEFT_UPPERRIGHT_KM[1])

Lybia_egypt = Image.open('./images/LybiaPumpingSites.png')
plt.imshow(Lybia_egypt, extent=extent)

plt.gcf().set_size_inches(10, 10)

for name in psites.index:
    x0, y0, Q = psites.loc[name][['xkm', 'ykm', 'Q']]
    r = np.sqrt((X - x0) ** 2 + (Y - y0) ** 2) * mperkm
    u = r ** 2 * S / (4 * kD * time)
    s += Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wt(u)
    plt.plot(x0, y0, 'ro')
    plt.text(x0, y0, ' ' + name, ha='left')

cs = plt.contour(X, Y, s, levels=np.linspace(0, 100, 25))
plt.clabel(cs)
plt.show()
```



Of course, we could take into account the Mediterranean sea as a head boundary condition, by using mirror wells.

Question 3, the drawdown at the Egyptian border follows from the contoured drawdowns above.

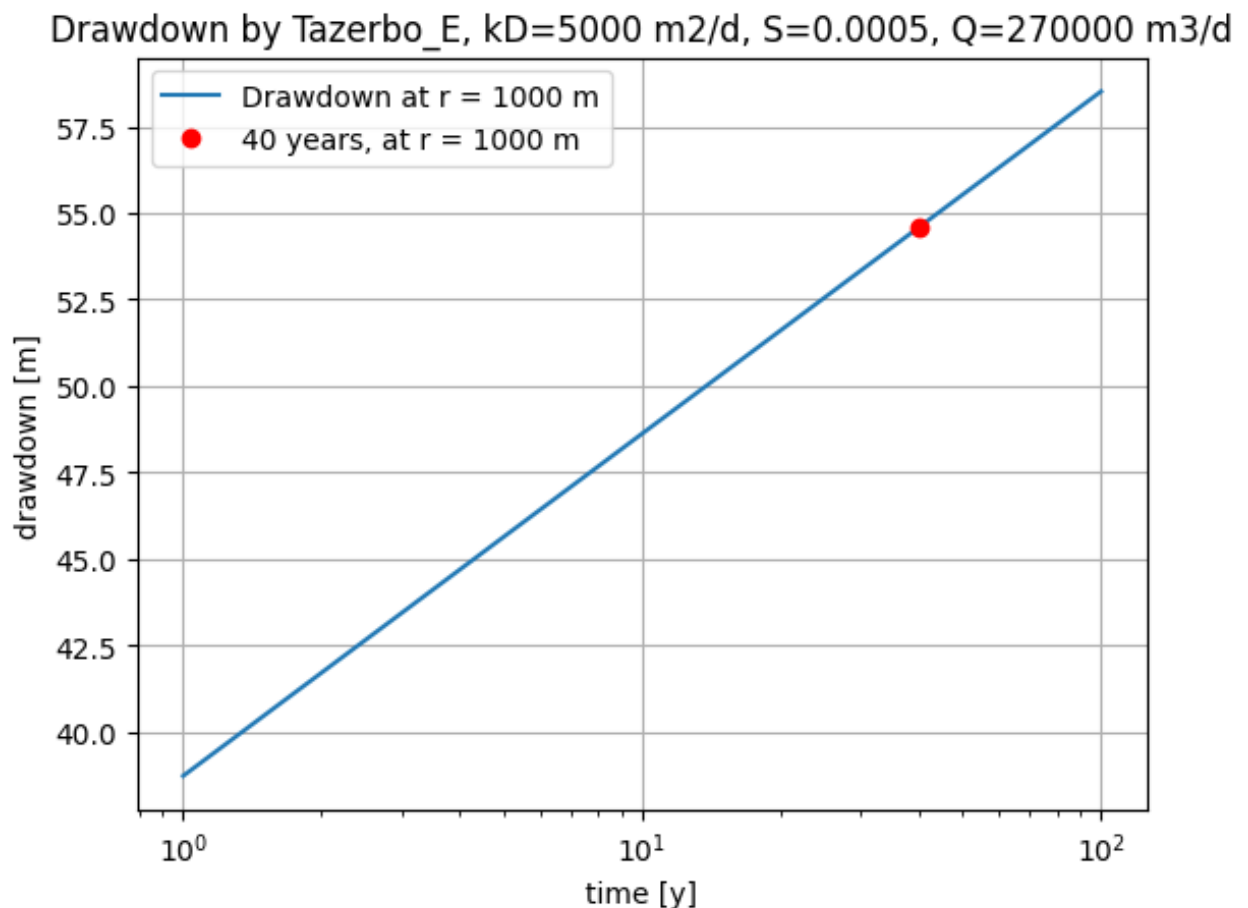
This drawdown already follows from the contours of the previous question.

Question 4. What is the drawdown after 40 years pumping at 1000 m from pumping site Tazero?

We can compute this drawdown while ignoring that by all other pumping sites, just to see how deep the drawdown is expected to be at least at the boundary of the pumping area of this station. The size of the area is estimated at 1000 m.

The extraction will be $Q = 270000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$.

```
In [16]: time = np.logspace(0, 2, 21) * aYear
kD = 5000 # m2/d
S = 0.0005 # [-]
r = 1000 # m
name = 'Tazerbo_E'
Q = psites.loc[name, 'Q']
plt.title("Drawdown by {}, kD={:.0f} m2/d, S={:.3g}, Q={:.0f} m3/d".format(
plt.xlabel('time [y]')
plt.ylabel('drawdown [m]')
plt.grid()
plt.xscale('log')
u = r ** 2 * S / (4 * kD * time)
plt.plot(time / aYear, Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wt(u), label='Drawdown at r
plt.plot(40, Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wt(r ** 2 * S / (4 * kD * 40 * aYear
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



2. Impact of long-level rise of Lake Nasser (Egypt) on adjacent groundwater

Lake Nasser (Egypt) was formed after construction of the Assuan Dam in the early 20th century. The high dam was ready in 1965, after which Lake Nasser started to

rise and extend until what it is today. The rise of the Lake between 1965 and 2005 is shown in the graph. The data with the water level over time is also given. The rise of the lake level causes infiltration of Lake / Nile water into the aquifers adjacent to the lake. The groundwater in these aquifer will continue to rise over centuries while these aquifers slowly fill up. Full equilibrium will likely never be reached because there are not fixed head boundaries that could cause equilibrium to establish. But then the question raises, how far and to what extent does the groundwater rise? Will low areas get wet and form salt lakes? Can the new groundwater be used for agriculture and when and to what extent, and so on. To answer such questions you are asked to quantify the gradual rise of the groundwater in points at different distances from the lake lying in a cross section.

But to be able to quantify the effect and predict the future of it, you will need to calibrate your parameters K_D and S . You can do that by matching your model with observations. Observed heads are available at 6 piezometers situated at different distances from the lake. For each piezometer the head is available for a number of times. You can do the calibration by hand, by changing the K_D and the S and run the simulation again until your model matches the data. It is believed from the data obtained from drilling of the piezometers when they were installed, that the transmissivity will be in the order of 600 m²/d and the storage coefficient in the order of 5%. So these values are a good starting point for your calibration.

Questions

1. Show the lake level and the measured heads

Show the lake level and the measured heads as a function of time in graphs in a single plot. For this you need to read the data into your notebook and plot them.

2. Construct and test your model

Your model will be the analytic solution that gives the change of head $s(x, t)$ over time caused by a sudden change of head A [m] at $x=0$. That is: $S = A \cdot \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erfc}\left(\frac{x}{2\sqrt{K_D S_y t}}\right)$

Use **convolution** (i.e. moving average weighted by the response) to simulate the head h at the locations x for which you were given the piezometer data. Show the results in the same plot together with the lake level and the measurements.

Note that the **Step Response** SR is the effect of a sudden change at $x=0$ by $A = 1$ m! Further realize that the change of head from one day to the next is a sudden change on that day.

The model is imply the convolution (moving average) that ais done by the function `scipy.signal.lfilter(SR, 1, np.diff(hLake))` where `np.diff(hLake)` is an array of the day-to-day changes of the lake level. `np.diff` just computes `hlake[i+1] - hlake[i]` or compactor without neding a loop, `hlake[1:] - hlake[:-1]`.

3. Show that your model works.

```
In [17]: dirname = os.path.join('./data', 'lake_nasser')
         assert os.path.isdir(dirname), "Can't find directory {} !".format(dirname)
         print(dirname)
```

```
./data/lake_nasser
```

```
In [18]: os.listdir(dirname)
```

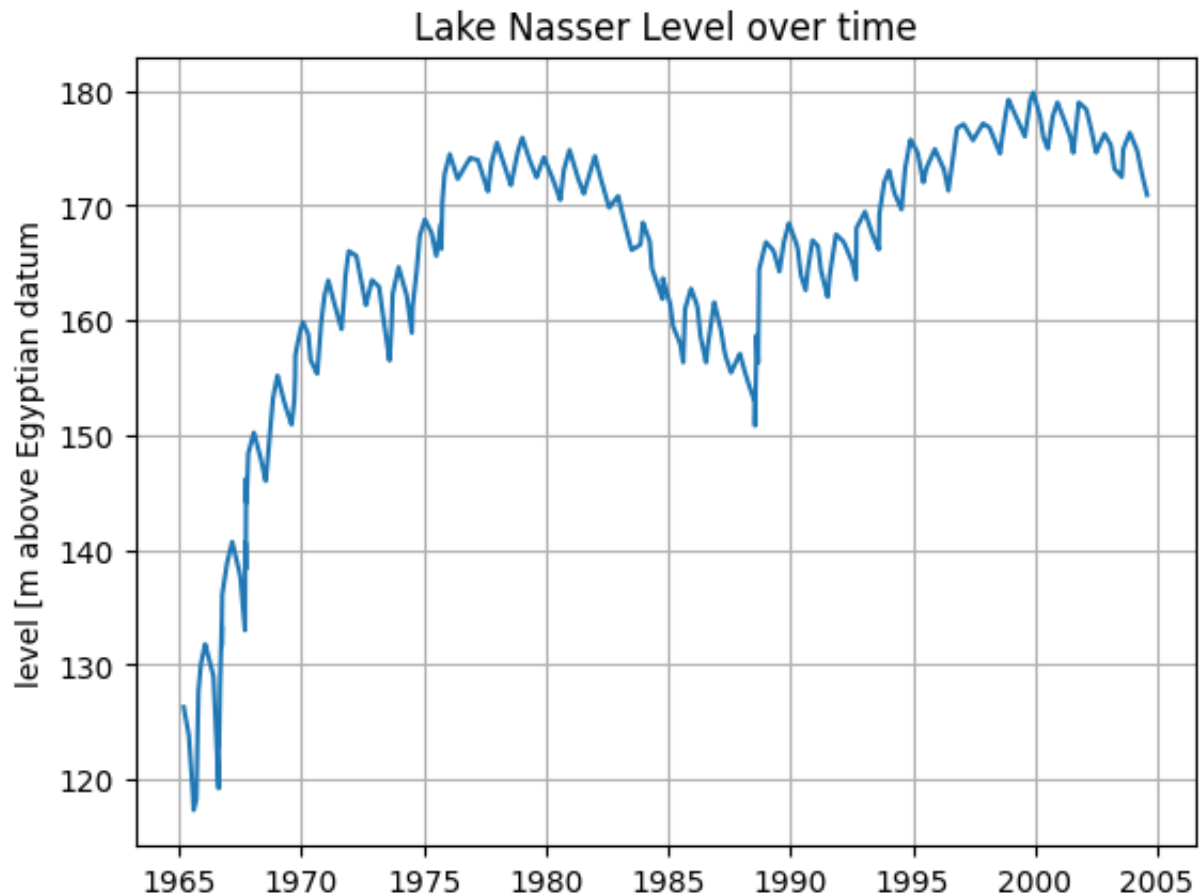
```
Out[18]: ['headAt302.csv',
          'headAt3147.csv',
          'nasser_lake.csv',
          'headAt10898.csv',
          'headAt960.csv',
          'headAt27504.csv']
```

```
In [19]: # Convert the dates in the index (which are strings to np.datetime64 obje
         # This can be done most easily with a list comprehension.
         # Look up in Google what that is, because comprehensions are extremely po
         lake = pd.read_csv(os.path.join(dirname, 'nasser_lake.csv'), index_col=0)
         lake.index = [np.datetime64(f) for f in lake.index]
         lake.index[:10]
```

```
Out[19]: DatetimeIndex(['1965-03-12', '1965-03-13', '1965-03-14', '1965-03-15',
                        '1965-03-16', '1965-03-17', '1965-03-18', '1965-03-19',
                        '1965-03-20', '1965-03-21'],
                        dtype='datetime64[ns]', freq=None)
```

```
In [20]: plt.title("Lake Nasser Level over time")
         plt.ylabel("level [m above Egyptian datum]")
         plt.grid()
         plt.plot(lake)
         # fig = plt.gcf() # gcf() "get current figure" this gives the current fig
         # fig.set_size_inches(12, 6) # the figure has a function to set the size
```

```
Out[20]: [<matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x13e0b61b0>]
```



Get the piezometer data (the csvfiles)

Each one will be read into a pandas.DataFrame, then converted to a pandas.Series, by selecting only the column ['h']. And immediately each of the piezometer data area stored in a Dictionary named "piezoms" with the distance to the lake as their key. Later on we can select piezoms like so (the one at 960 from the lake for insstance as `piezoms[906]`), which is convenient.

```
In [21]: csvfiles = [f for f in os.listdir(dirname) if f.endswith('.csv') if f.sta
```

```
In [22]: piezoms = {}
         for fname in csvfiles:
             d = int(fname[6:-4])
             piezoms[d] = pd.read_csv(os.path.join(dirname, fname), index_col=0, p

         # Sort such that the keys are increasing (keys are distance to the lake)
         piezoms = dict(sorted(piezoms.items())) # show what we now have in the di
         print(piezoms.keys())
```

```
dict_keys([302, 960, 3147, 10898, 27504])
```

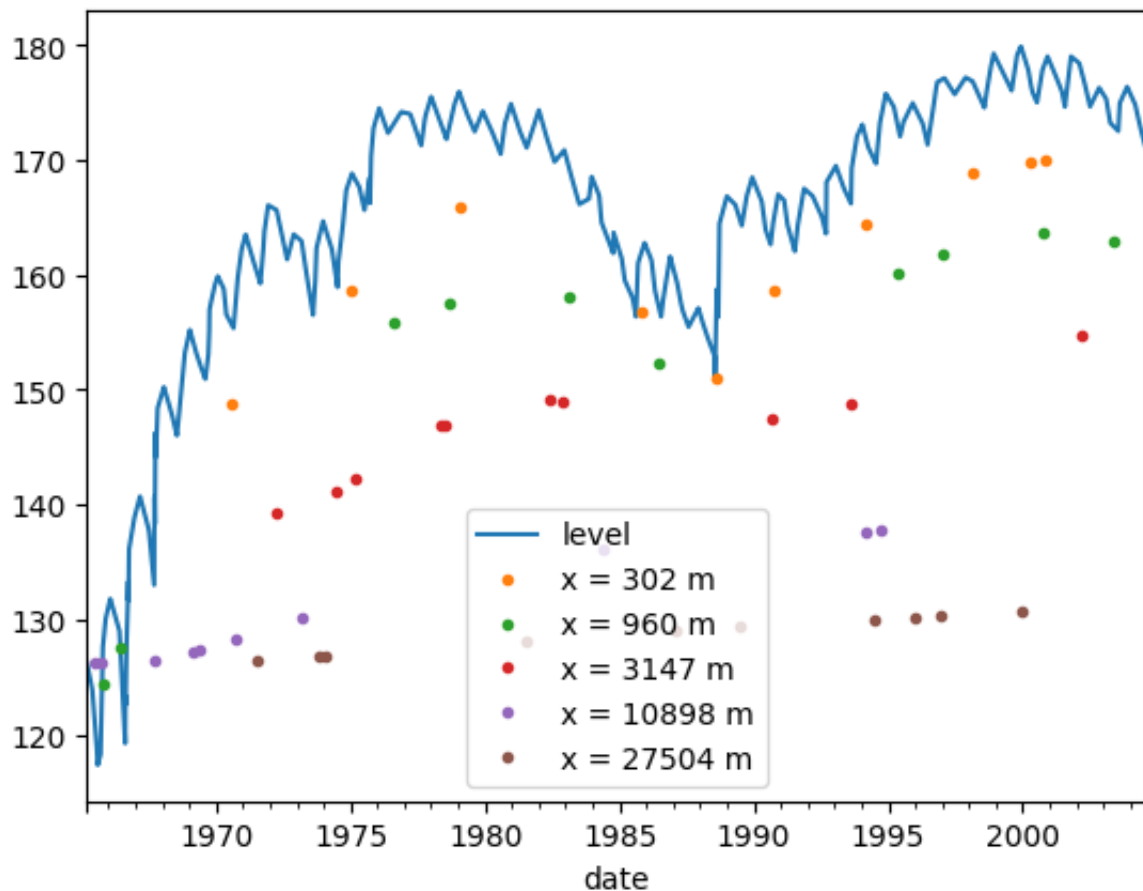
Add the piezometer data to the graph

```
In [23]: lake['level'].plot()
```



```
for key in piezoms:
    piezoms[key]['h'].plot(ls='none', marker='.', label='x = {} m'.format
plt.legend())
```

Out[23]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x13e38c740>



Simulate the heads

To be able to simulate we need to convert the datetime objects in the index of the lake and each of the piezometers to plot the graph. They are now `np.datetime64` objects. But for simulation we need the time as floating point numbers. We can do this by subtracting the datetime of the first measurement from the index. We then have `np.timedelta64` objects, denoting time differences. By defining these by the length of one day, i.e. `np.timedelta64(1, 'D')` we get the times in floating point numbers with the accuracy of one day. By dividing by `np.timedelta64(1, 'm')` we get the in minute accuracy, by dividing by `np.timedelta64(1, 's')` in second accuracy. For now day accuracy is just fine. I show this for the index of the lake:

```
In [24]: tds = lake.index - lake.index[0] # Gives an array of np.timedelta64 objects
tds
```



```
Out[24]: TimedeltaIndex([    '0 days',    '1 days',    '2 days',    '3 days',
                        '4 days',    '5 days',    '6 days',    '7 days',
                        '8 days',    '9 days',
                        ...,
                        '14379 days', '14380 days', '14381 days', '14382 days',
                        '14383 days', '14384 days', '14385 days', '14386 days',
                        '14387 days', '14388 days'],
                        dtype='timedelta64[ns]', length=14389, freq=None)
```

```
In [25]: # Divide this tds by the timedelta representing one day, i.e. np.timedelta64(1, 'D')
# That we can use in our model.
tds / np.timedelta64(1, 'D')
```

```
Out[25]: Index([    0.0,    1.0,    2.0,    3.0,    4.0,    5.0,    6.0,
                7.0,
                8.0,    9.0,
                ...,
                14379.0, 14380.0, 14381.0, 14382.0, 14383.0, 14384.0, 14385.0, 14
386.0,
                14387.0, 14388.0],
                dtype='float64', length=14389)
```

We can simply add a column to all our data that holds these times. The times are then in days with respect to the first index value of the lake data: lake.index[0]

```
In [26]: startDate = lake.index[0]
lake['t'] = (lake.index - startDate) / np.timedelta64(1, 'D')

for key in piezoms:
    piezoms[key]['t'] = (piezoms[key].index - startDate) / np.timedelta64(1, 'D')
```

```
In [27]: k = [k for k in piezoms][0]
print('piezoms[{}]'.format(k))
piezoms[k]
```

```
piezoms[302]
```

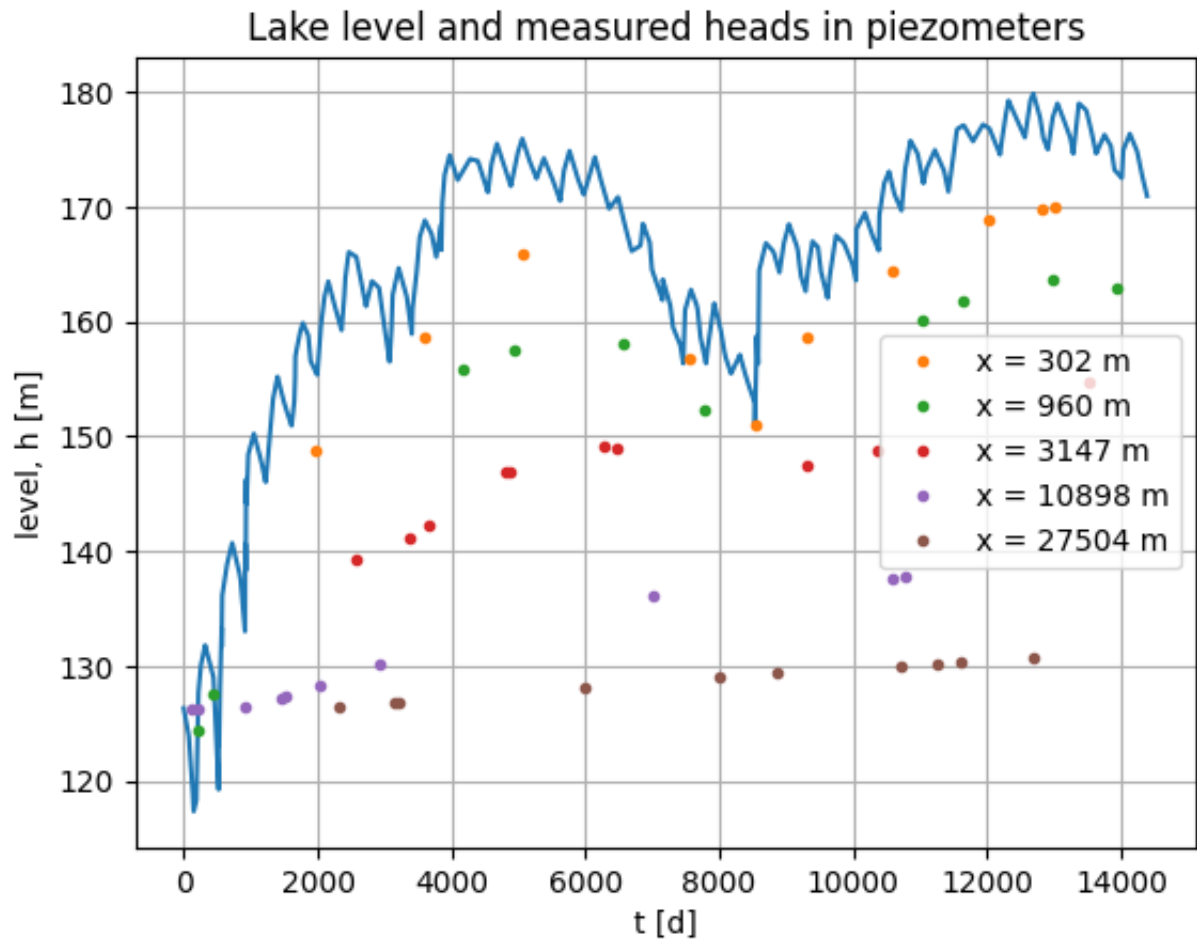
Out[27]:

	x	h	t
date			
1970-08-11	302.0	148.794612	1978.0
1975-01-13	302.0	158.665144	3594.0
1979-01-19	302.0	165.834332	5061.0
1985-11-01	302.0	156.780785	7539.0
1988-07-30	302.0	151.070967	8541.0
1990-09-20	302.0	158.693888	9323.0
1994-03-01	302.0	164.340664	10581.0
1998-02-12	302.0	168.791259	12025.0
2000-04-13	302.0	169.736210	12816.0
2000-10-26	302.0	169.994760	13012.0

Now use column['t'] in the plot instead of datenum, the xaxis is then in days since the first measurment

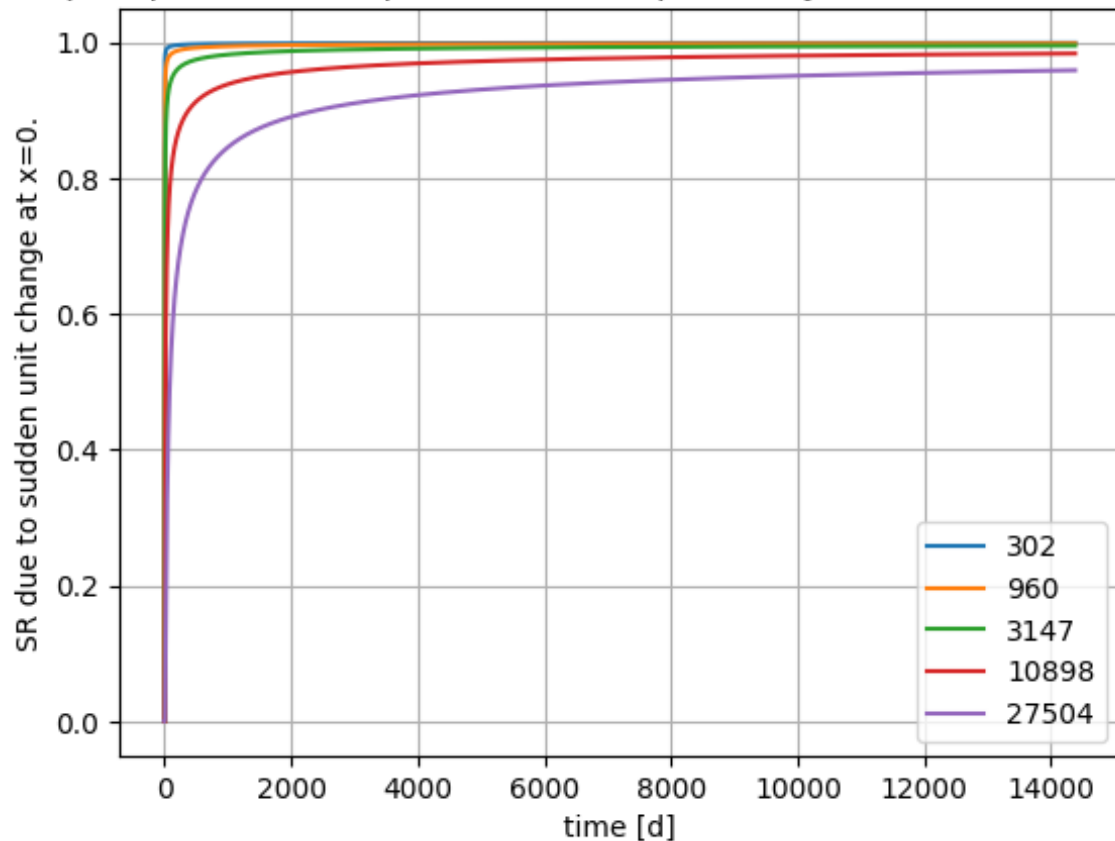
```
In [28]: plt.title("Lake level and measured heads in piezometers")
plt.xlabel('t [d]')
plt.ylabel('level, h [m]')
plt.plot(lake['t'], lake['level'])
plt.grid()
for key in piezoms:
    plt.plot(piezoms[key]['t'], piezoms[key]['h'], ls='none', marker='.',
plt.legend()
```

Out[28]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x141923e90>



```
In [29]: plt.title('Step response for the piezometers (depend only on distance to
plt.xlabel('time [d]')
plt.ylabel('SR due to sudden unit change at x=0.')
plt.grid()
t = lake['t']
for key in piezoms:
    x = key
    u = x * np.sqrt(S / (4 * kD * lake['t']))
    SR = 1.0 * erfc(u)
    plt.plot(lake['t'], SR, '-', label=key)
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

Step response for the piezometers (depend only on distance to the lake)



We can use these step responses immediately in simulation, this is done by the function `lfilter` from `scipy.signal`

```
In [30]: print('Star level of the lake {:.1f} m.'.format(lake.iloc[0]['level']))
```

Star level of the lake 126.3 m.

```
In [31]: kD_over_S = 600
S = 0.1
kD = kD_over_S * S

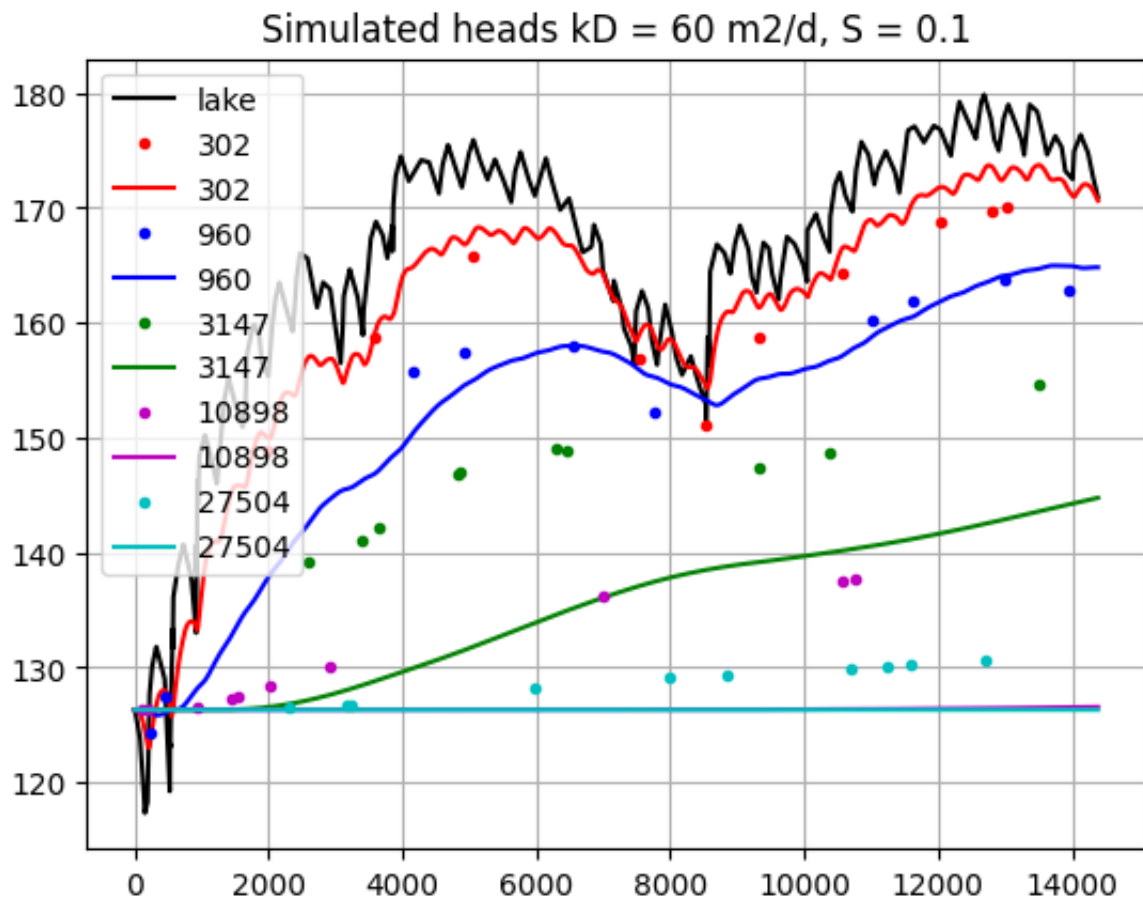
plt.title("Simulated heads kD = {:.0f} m2/d, S = {:.3g}".format(kD, S))
plt.plot(lake['t'], lake['level'], 'k', ls='-', label='lake')
plt.grid()

clrs = cycle('rbgmc')

print('Hello world')
for key in piezoms:
    clr = next(clrs)
    tau = lake['t']
    x = key
    u = x * np.sqrt(S / (4 * kD * tau))
    SR = 1.0 * erfc(u)
    plt.plot(piezoms[key]['t'], piezoms[key]['h'], color=clr, ls='none',
             s = lfilter(SR, 1.0, np.diff(lake['level']))) + lake.iloc[0]['level']
    plt.plot(lake['t'][1:], s, color=clr, ls='-', label=key)
```

```
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

Hellow world



To calibrate the model, we must first have a model. The model in this case will be the simulation of the head by the convolution using the solution of the sudden change of head at $x=0$ and $t=0$

3. Calibrate your model

When the model works, make sure that each run shows the results in a graph immediately. Then after running observe the differences between your model and the measurements.

Adapt the kD and or the S used for the run and run again, until the match between your model and the measurements satisfies you.

Then report the kD and S for which this is the case because these are were the caibration was aiming for.

Show the final results in a graph, together with the lake level.

This was done in the previouw cell, but the fit is disappointing. Perhaps the data are not correct.

4. Compute the infiltration from the lake caused by the rise of its level

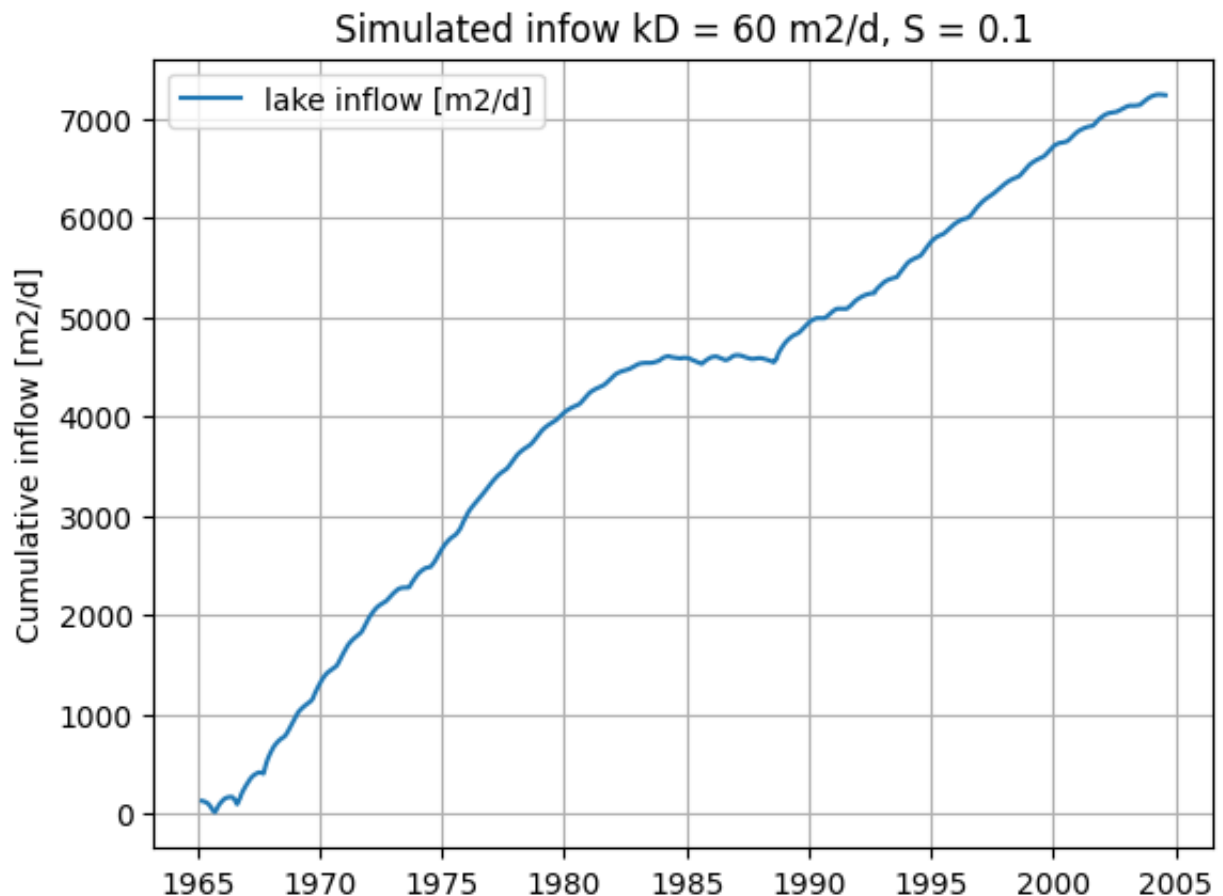
You are also asked to report on the total volume of water that has infiltrated over time as a consequence of the rise of the lake level.

This can also be computed by convolution. You only need to know the step response and then use the same input. The step response is of course, the infiltration flow caused by a sudden unit change $A = 1$ m at $x = 0$. This flow at $x=0$ can be easily derived from the formula for the head (using Darcy) but it can also be found in the Syllabus $Q(0, t) = A \sqrt{\frac{kD S}{\pi t}}$ and, therefore, with $A = 1$ to turn this solution into a step response: $SR_Q = Q(0, t)$ for $A=1$, $\rightarrow SR_Q = \sqrt{\frac{kD S}{\pi t}}$

```
In [32]: # Same data as before.

plt.title("Simulated infow kD = {:.0f} m2/d, S = {:.3g}".format(kD, S))
plt.ylabel('Cumulative inflow [m2/d]')
plt.grid()

tau = lake['t']
SR = np.sqrt(kD * S / np.pi * tau)
Q = lfilter(SR, 1.0, np.diff(lake['level'])) + lake.iloc[0]['level']
plt.plot(lake.index[1:], Q, ls='-', label='lake inflow [m2/d]')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



5. Compute the total inflow between 1965 and 2005

Once you can simulate this inflow using convolution, you can also integrate it over the total period of your simulation, simply by adding the daily values. So how much is this, and what is its dimension?

This is, of course, per m of lake coast not for the entire lake which is over 500 km long.

See graph.

6. Show these inflow over time in a graph below the previous one for comparison.

Is there anything special to remark with respect to the results? If you think so, say so.

See graph.

4. Hantush and Theis type curves

On top of this assignment notebook there is a function defined which computes the Hantush well function $W_h(u, \rho = \frac{r}{\lambda})$. You can use it or the

imported function $W_t(u)$ to compute the Theis drawdown. See comment in the function definition for $W_h(u, \rho)$ in the top of this notebook).

1. Question

Show the type curves for the Hantush and Theis well functions. A type curve shows the well function on double log scales as a function of $1/u$. The Hantush well function does this for different values of $\rho = r / \lambda$.

For the Hantush well function use the following values for $\rho = r / \lambda$:

```
In [33]: # Set up the figure using the function Newfig defined near the top of thi

#ax = newfig('Hantush type curves', '1/u', 'Wh(u)', xscale='log', yscale=
#           ylim=(1e-3, 20), figsize=(8, 8))

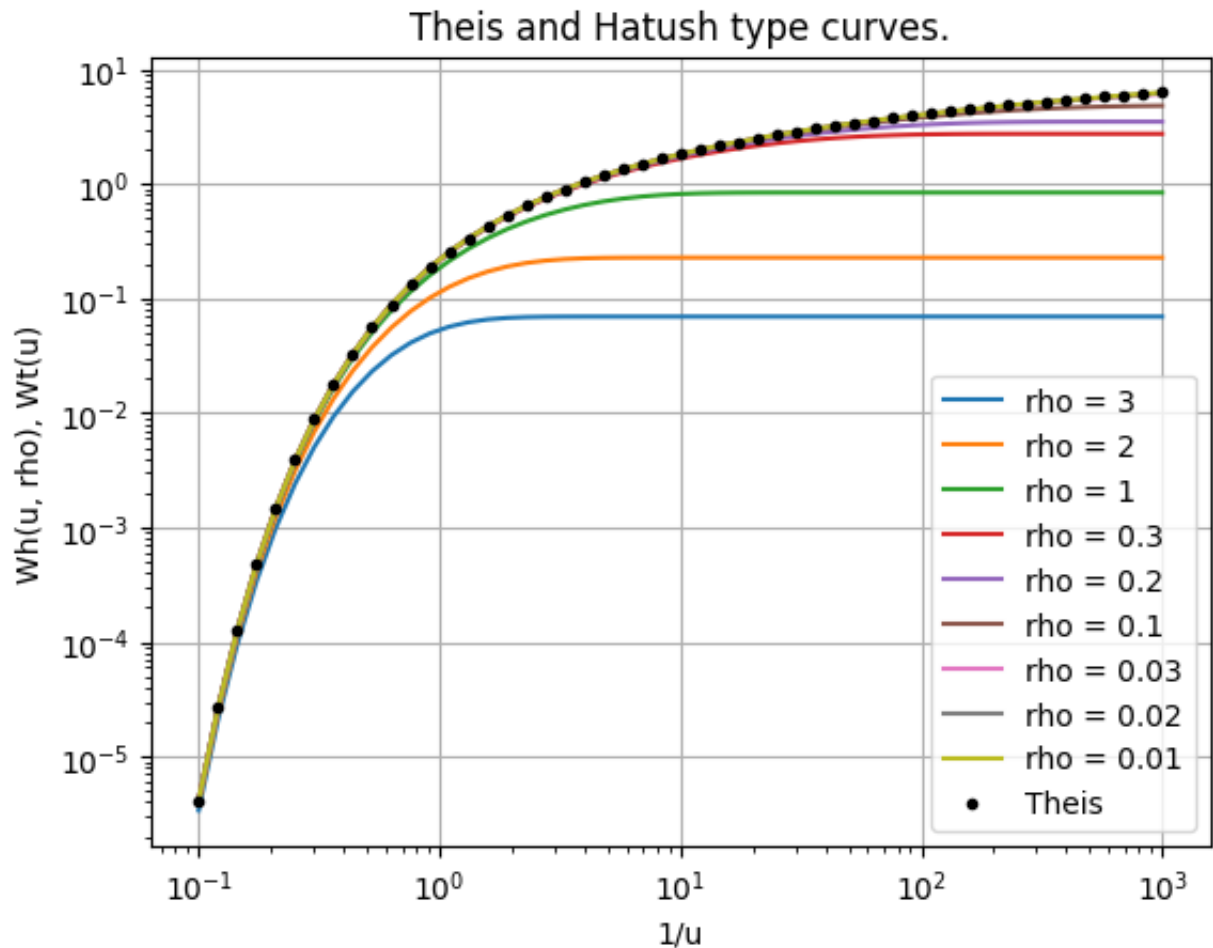
# Use the following range for u
u = np.logspace(-6, 1, 71)

for rho in [3, 2, 1, 0.3, 0.2, 0.1, 0.03, 0.02, 0.01]:
    # plot the type curve here using plt.plot(...)
    # document each curve using a label and put the value of r/L in that
    pass
#ax.legend(loc='lower right')
```

```
In [34]: rhos = [3, 2, 1, 0.3, 0.2, 0.1, 0.03, 0.02, 0.01]

u = np.logspace(-3, 1, 51)
plt.title('Theis and Hantush type curves.')
plt.xlabel('1/u')
plt.ylabel('Wh(u, rho), Wt(u)')
plt.xscale('log')
plt.yscale('log')
plt.grid()
for rho in rhos:
    plt.plot(1/u, Wh(u, rho), label='rho = {}'.format(rho))

plt.plot(1/u, Wt(u), 'k.', label='Theis')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

5. Pumping experiment

There was a pumping test in an aquifer covered by a shallow clay layer on top of which is a sand layer with a very low transmissivity. This sand layer has a water level that is only affected by rain, evaporation and leakage. Ignore the rain and precipitation.

The pumping was done in below the clay layer. The drawdown in both the top and bottom layer was measured in six piezometers during the entire long pumping test. These drawdowns for each distance to the well are in the accompanying directory in a set of `piez###m.csv` files. Each one has the time of measurement, and the drawdown in the top and bottom layer (aquif1 and aquif2).

In the same directory is a file `Q.txt` which says what the discharge of the well was.

You can read the data in the file using pandas like so:

```
In [35]: ptest_dir = os.path.join('./data', 'pump_test')
assert os.path.isdir(ptest_dir), "Can't open your pump_test directory!"
print(ptest_dir)
```

```
./data/pump_test
```

So the directory exists and it is printed above. Then look what files are in it. I use an external command to show them (by using the exclamation point)

```
In [36]: !ls './data/pump_test'
```

```
piez12m.csv piez20m.csv piez32m.csv piez57m.csv piez70m.csv piez88m.csv
```

But we can also use the `os` module without resorting to an external command, which yields a list that we can use afterwards.

```
In [37]: myfiles = os.listdir(pptest_dir)
print('myfiles =', myfiles)
csvfiles = [f for f in myfiles if f.endswith('.csv')]
print('csvfiles =', csvfiles)
```

```
myfiles = ['piez57m.csv', 'piez20m.csv', 'piez70m.csv', 'piez88m.csv', 'piez32m.csv', 'piez12m.csv']
csvfiles = ['piez57m.csv', 'piez20m.csv', 'piez70m.csv', 'piez88m.csv', 'piez32m.csv', 'piez12m.csv']
```

The `Q.txt` file has the extraction by the well in [m3/d].

Each `csv` file has the distance to the well in its name.

We can read them in by `pd.read_csv`, which yields a `pd.DataFrame` (a table object with a large number of functions (methods) in it).

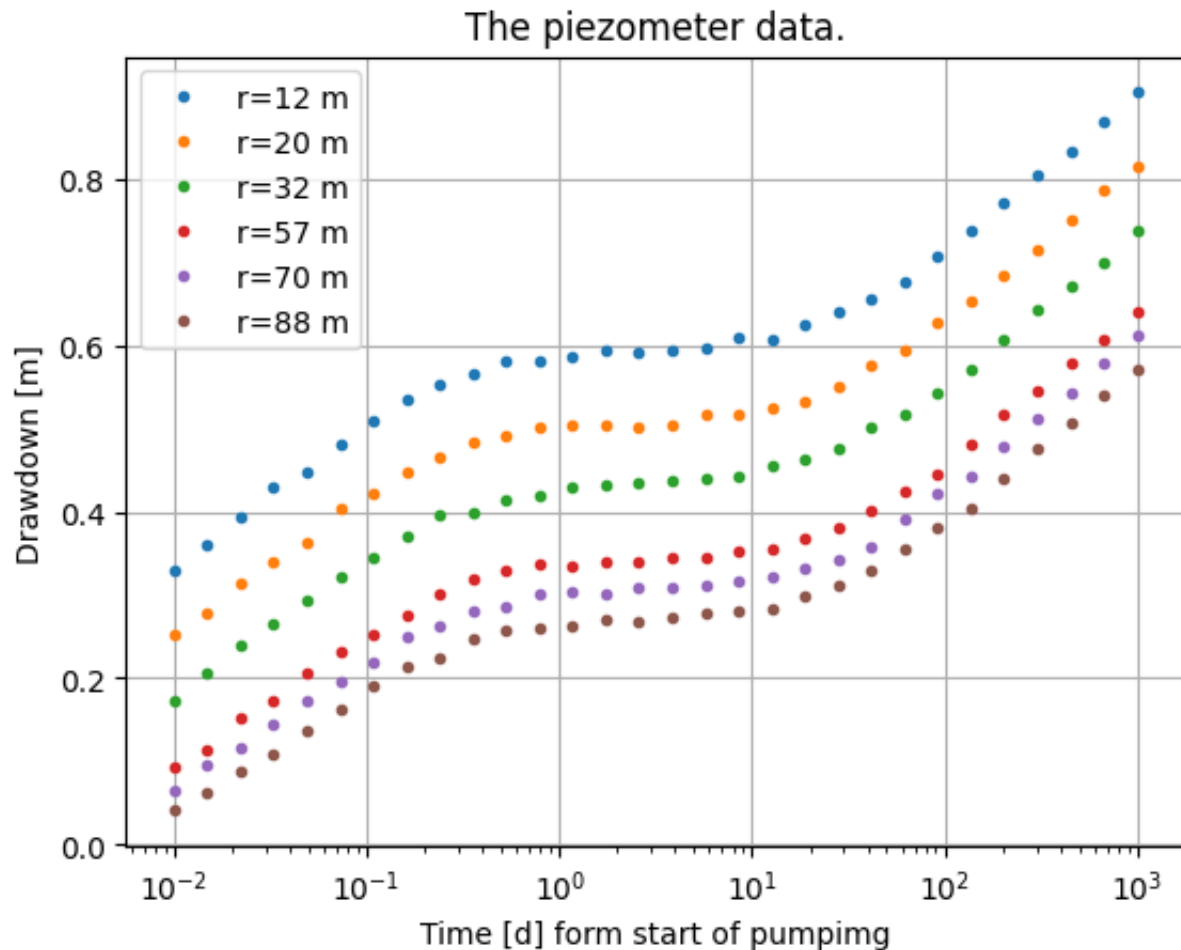
It's convenient to immediately put the data in a dictionary where the key is the distance from the well.

```
In [38]: piezoms = {}
for fname in csvfiles:
    key = int(fname[4:-5])
    piezoms[key] = pd.read_csv(os.path.join(pptest_dir, fname))
piezoms = dict(sorted(piezoms.items()))
piezoms.keys()
```

```
Out[38]: dict_keys([12, 20, 32, 57, 70, 88])
```

```
In [39]: plt.grid()
plt.xscale('log')
plt.title("The piezometer data.")
plt.xlabel('Time [d] from start of pumping')
plt.ylabel('Drawdown [m]')

for key in piezoms:
    plt.plot(piezoms[key]['time_d'].values, piezoms[key]['aquif2'].values)
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



You see the beginning the measurements follow straight lines as is expected with drawdowns according to Theis. Then they become horizontal, i.e. steady state, according to Hantush. And finally they turn upwards again like (another Theis).

Questions:

1. Interpret the first part of the measurement lines to determine the transmissivity and the storage coefficient.

With the obtained kD and S , compute the drawdown according to Theis and plot them with thin lines. Use linewidth (lw=0.5 or so) in the plt.plot command.

$$s = \frac{Q}{4\pi kD} \ln\left(\frac{2.25 kD t}{r^2 S}\right)$$

Drawdown Per logcycle, s_{LC} :

$$s_{LC} = s_{10t} - s_t = \frac{Q}{4\pi kD} \ln(10)$$

Hence,

$$kD = \frac{Q \ln(10)}{4\pi s_{LC}}$$

```
In [40]: # The drawdown per log-cycle of the straight line of the curves if for ev
Q = 746 # m3/d
sLC = 0.17 # m (read from the graph, dd per log cycle)
kD = Q * np.log(10) / (4 * np.pi * sLC)
print("kD = {:.0f} m2/d.".format(kD))
```

kD = 804 m2/d.

The storage coefficient comes from finding the intersection of the straight part of the drawdown on half-log scale with zero drawdown. In that case the argument of the logarithm of the simplified Theis formula is 1.

$$\frac{2.25 \text{ kD } t_{s=0}}{r^2 S} = 1$$

$$S = \frac{2.25 \text{ kD } t_{s=0}}{r^2}$$

From the piezometer farthest away (88 m) we can just read the time of zero drawdown from the graph. It is $t_{s=0, r=88} = 5 \times 10^{-3}$ d.

```
In [41]: t0_88 = 5e-3 # d (read from graph)
r = 88.0 # m
S = 2.25 * kD * t0_88 / r ** 2
print('S = {:.4f} [-]'.format(S))
```

S = 0.0012 [-]

2. Try also to match the curve including the horizontal part using the Hantush well function

This should give the λ and from it the and the resistance c .

You can now add the Hantush drawdown to the plot. They should coincide with the Theis ones in the first part.

This may be done by estimating a value for ρ

This can be done for any of the curves. We just use the one for the piezometer at $r=88$ m

```
In [42]: r = 88
t = np.logspace(-2, 3, 51) # times
u = r ** 2 * S / (4 * kD * t)

rhos = np.arange(0.14, 0.24, 0.02)
plt.title("Calibrating the resistance c")
plt.xlabel('t [d]')
plt.ylabel('dd [m]')
plt.xscale('log')
plt.grid()

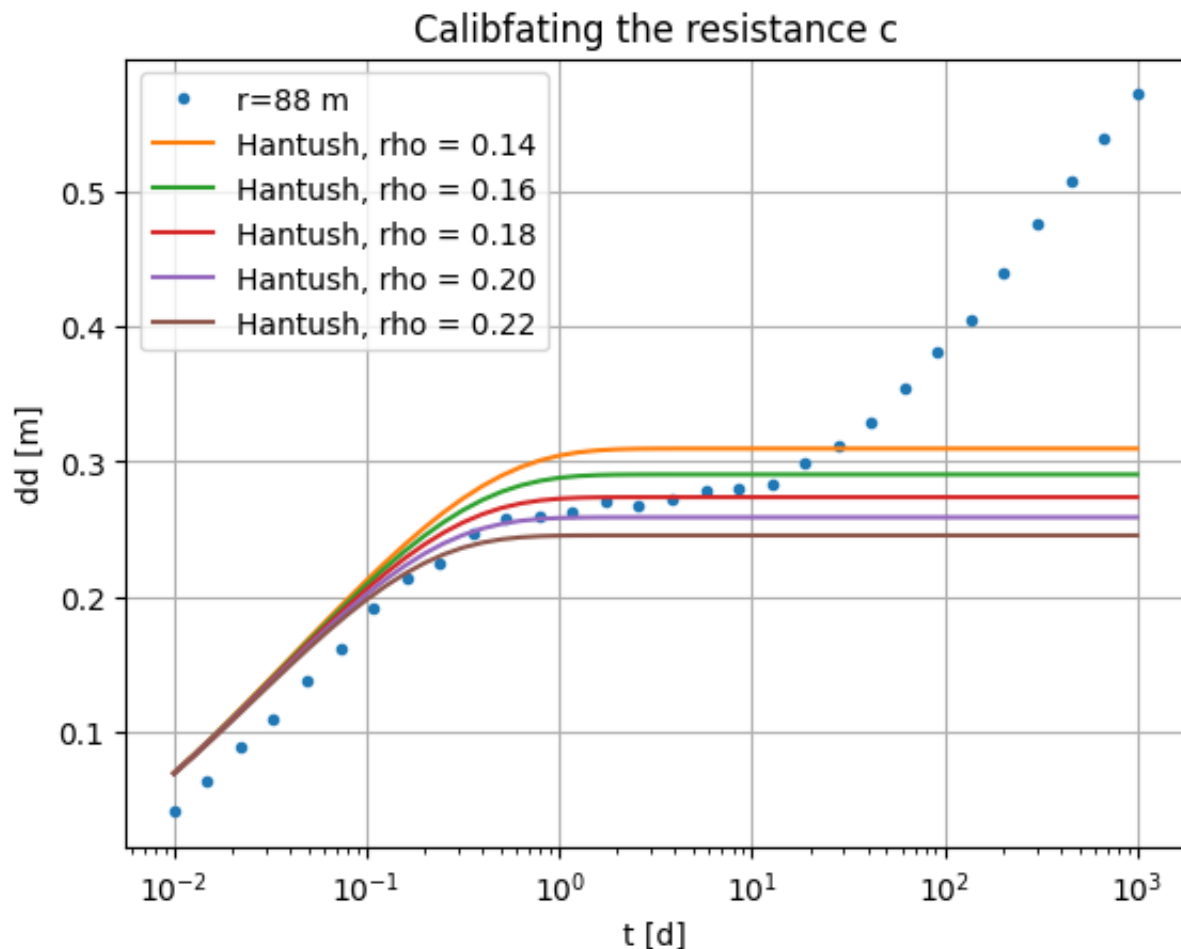
r = 88
```

```

pz = piezoms[r]
plt.plot(pz['time_d'].values, pz['aquif2'].values, '.', label='r={}' m'.format(r))
for rho in rhos:
    s = Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wh(u, rho)
    plt.plot(t, s, label='Hantush, rho = {:.2f}'.format(rho))

plt.legend()
plt.show()

```



So about 0.2 is a good value for $\rho = r / \lambda$.

We see also that the straight line could be a little bit less steep and the zero intersection smaller. With this routine we can just adapt the value of kD and S to get a better match with the data.

```

In [43]: kD = 750
S = 0.0020
r = 88
t = np.logspace(-2, 3, 51) # times
u = r ** 2 * S / (4 * kD * t)

rhos = np.arange(0.14, 0.28, 0.02)
plt.title("Calibfating the resistance c, kD={:.0f} m2/d, S={:.3g}".format(kD, S))
plt.xlabel('t [d]')
plt.ylabel('dd [m]')

```

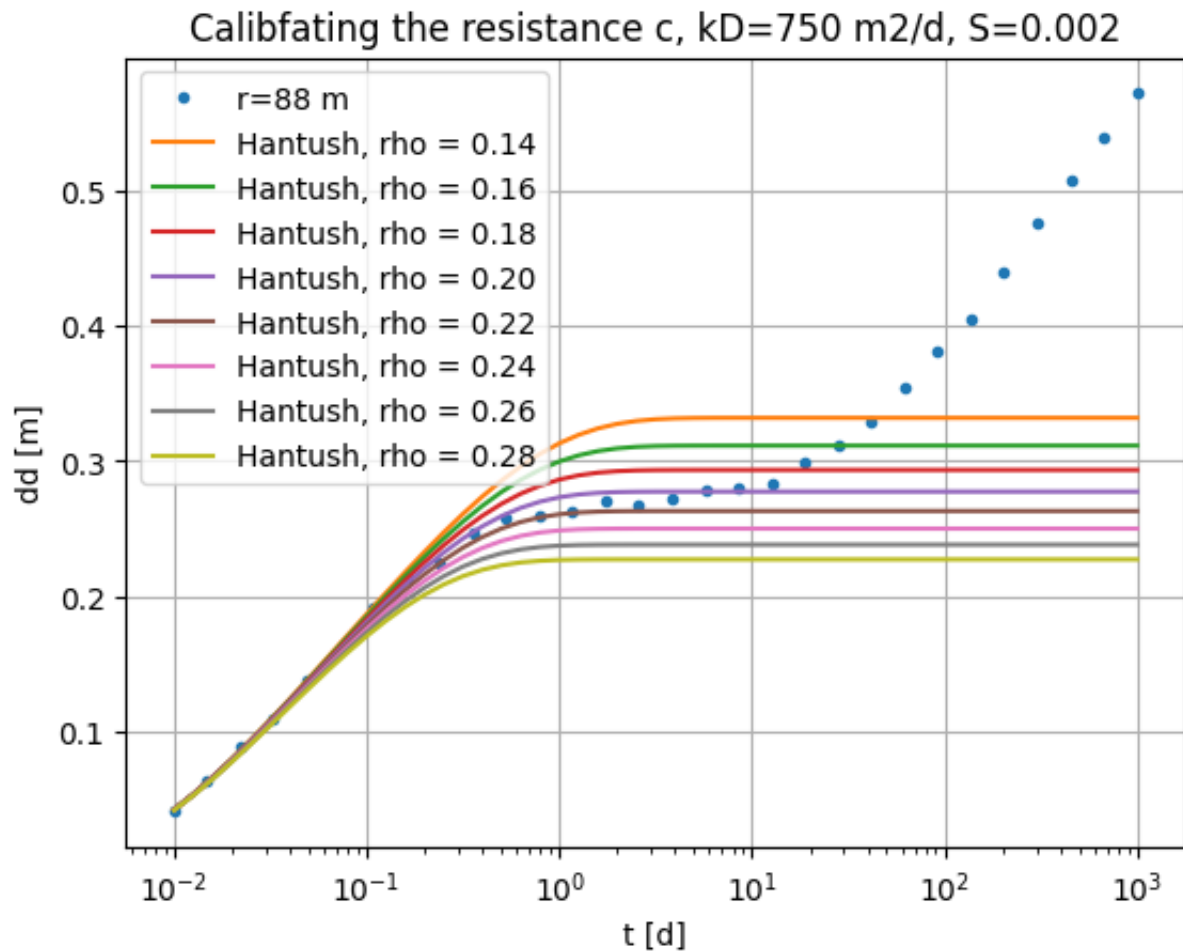
```

plt.xscale('log')
plt.grid()

r = 88
pz = piezoms[r]
plt.plot(pz['time_d'].values, pz['aquif2'].values, '.', label='r={} m'.format(r))
for rho in rhos:
    s = Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wh(u, rho)
    plt.plot(t, s, label='Hantush, rho = {:.2f}'.format(rho))

plt.legend()
plt.show()

```



This worked well for the parameters in the title and for $\rho = \frac{r}{\lambda} = 0.22$.

Hence,

$$\frac{r}{\lambda} = 0.22 = \frac{88}{\lambda} \implies \lambda = \frac{88}{0.22} = 400$$

$$\lambda^2 = kD c \implies c = \frac{\lambda^2}{kD} = \frac{400^2}{750} \approx 210$$

We can now show the Hantush solution together with all other piezometer

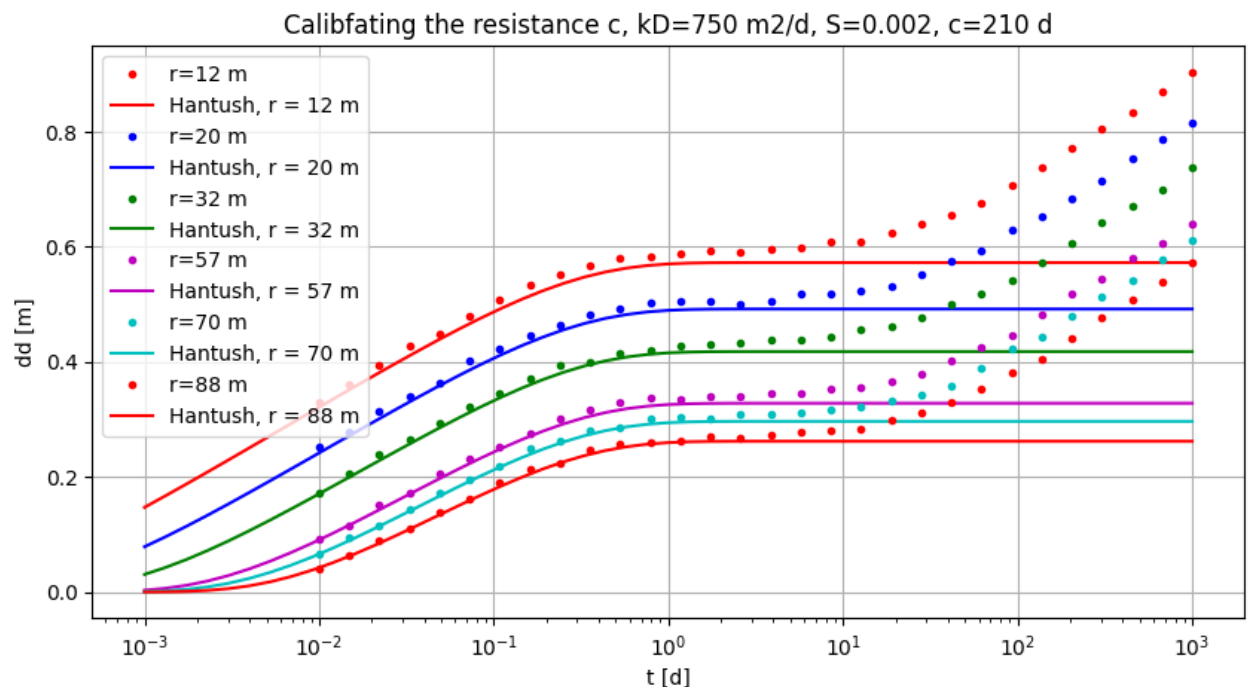
```
In [44]: kD = 750 # m2/d
S = 0.0020 # [-]
c = 210. # d
L = np.sqrt(kD * c)
t = np.logspace(-3, 3, 51) # times

plt.title("Calibfating the resistance c, kD={:.0f} m2/d, S={:.3g}, c={:.3".format(kD, S, c))
plt.xlabel('t [d]')
plt.ylabel('dd [m]')
plt.xscale('log')
plt.grid()

clrs = cycle('rbgmc')
for r in piezoms:
    clr = next(clrs)
    pz = piezoms[r]
    plt.plot(pz['time_d'].values, pz['aquif2'].values, '.', color=clr, label=r)

    u = r ** 2 * S / (4 * kD * t)
    rho = r / L
    s = Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wh(u, rho)
    plt.plot(t, s, color=clr, label='Hantush, r = {:.0f} m'.format(r))

plt.gcf().set_size_inches(10, 5)
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



The graphs all nicely fit the data.

3. Try to match the the straight part of the lines at the end according to

Theis (kD and c)

What is the difference between the data obtained from the second straight part and the first straight part of the lines?

With the obtained values of kD and S, add the Theis drawdown curve to the figure..

```
In [45]: 2.25 * 750 * 1e-3 / (32 ** 2)
```

```
Out[45]: 0.00164794921875
```

The large (straight) part of the curves are parallel to the first straight parts and, therefore, the transmissivity, kD, is the same. (Same drawdown per log cycle).

However, the intersection with zero is different.

I extended the graph one logcycle on the left so that we can easily get the intersection of the straight parts with the zero drawdown.

For the curve $r=32$ m its intersection with zero drawdown for the first straight part is about $t_0 = 10 \times 10^{-3}$ s and for the second straight part it is about $s_0 = 10 \times 10^{-1}$ s, i.e. 100 times as much.

This is then also true for the storage coefficient, for which we have from the first part

$$S_1 = \frac{2.25 \text{ kD } t_{s=0}}{r^2} = \frac{2.25 \times 750 \times 10^{-3}}{32^2} \approx 0.0016$$

and for the second straight part it is 100 times more or

$$S_2 = \frac{2.25 \text{ kD } t_{s=0}}{r^2} = \frac{2.25 \times 750 \times 10^{-1}}{32^2} \approx 0.16$$

The intersection for first straight line portion of the same curve was a bit less than 3×10^{-3} s

4. Explain what happens in this case, what causes this curves straight-up - horizontal - straight-up?

The behavior is explained as due to the delayed drawdown in the layer above the pumped aquifer. Contrary to the elastic and therefore, fast drawdown in the pumped aquifer the drawdown in the water table aquifer above is slow, it has a 100 times larger storage coefficient. The drawdown in the top layer is caused by downward leakage, which is slow due to the resistant aquitard. But because drawdown in the pumped aquifer slows down over time (same drawdown per logcycle!), the ongoing drawdown in the pumped aquifer will become so slow that that of the shallow aquifer starts taking up with it and later the two decline simultaneously at the same rate.

When that happens, the two behave exactly according to Theis but with the Specific yield as storage coefficient instead of the elastic storage coefficient. And so, the parallel straight portions of the same drawdown curve are shifted on the logarithmic time axis by exactly their ratio. Hence, when the specific yield of the top layer is 100 times larger than the storage coefficient of the pumped aquifer, then the later straight portion of the drawdown curve is exactly shifted 2 logcycles (factor of 100) to the right of the first one.

5. Add the drawdowns of the top layer to the curves

Finally add the measured drawdowns of the first layer to the plot.

```
In [46]: kD = 750 # m2/d
S1, S2 = 0.20, 0.002 # [-]
c = 210. # d
L = np.sqrt(kD * c)
t = np.logspace(-3, 3, 51) # times

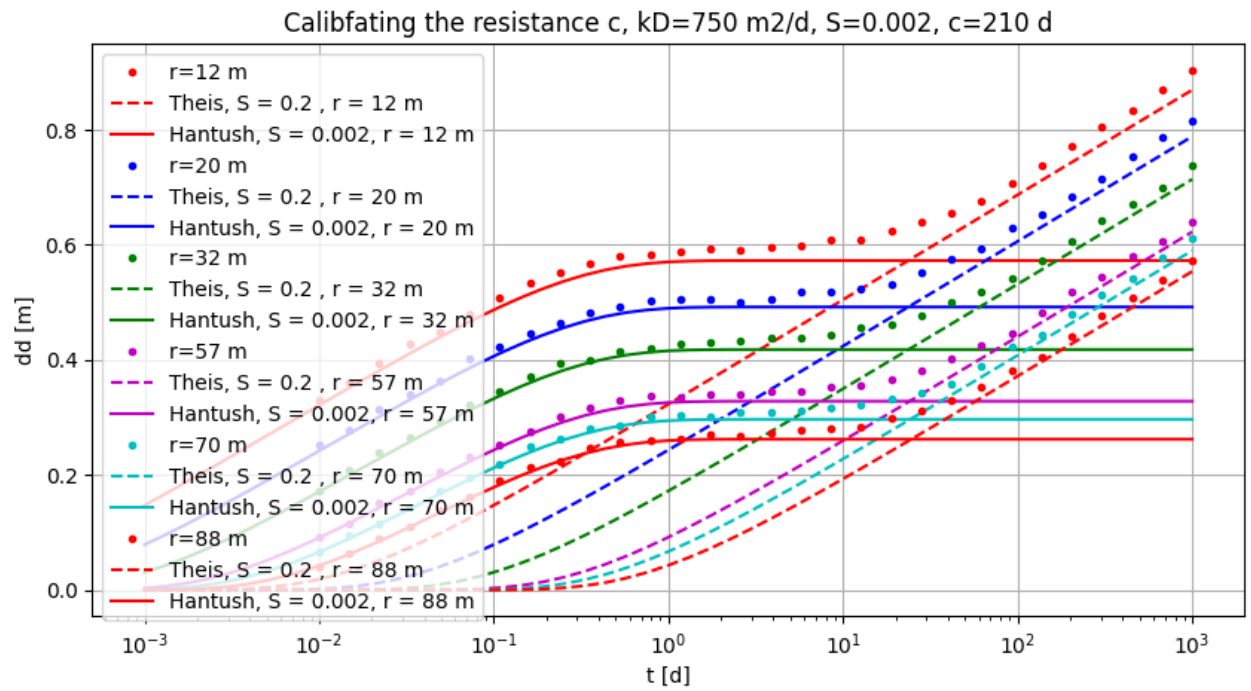
plt.title("Calibrating the resistance c, kD={:.0f} m2/d, S={:.3g}, c={:.3g}")
plt.xlabel('t [d]')
plt.ylabel('dd [m]')
plt.xscale('log')
plt.grid()

clrs = cycle('rbgmc')
for r in piezoms:
    clr = next(clrs)
    pz = piezoms[r]
    plt.plot(pz['time_d'].values, pz['aquif2'].values, '.', color=clr, label=r)

    u1 = r ** 2 * S1 / (4 * kD * t)
    u2 = r ** 2 * S2 / (4 * kD * t)

    rho = r / L
    s = Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wh(u1, 0) # same as Theis
    plt.plot(t, s, color=clr, ls='--', label='Theis, S = {:.3g}, r = {:.3g}')
    s = Q / (4 * np.pi * kD) * Wh(u2, rho)
    plt.plot(t, s, color=clr, label='Hantush, S = {:.3g}, r = {:.0f} m'.format(r))

plt.gcf().set_size_inches(10, 5)
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



5. Try to explain why they behave like they do.

See explanation in previouw section.