Introduction to Machine Learning for Geosciences GEO 371T/GEO 391 Homework1

Consider the following equation:

$$W(t) = A\left(e^{-t/\tau} - 1 + \frac{t}{\tau}\right),\tag{1}$$

where the parameters A and τ are constants. Assignment:

- 1. Choose $A = 1, \tau = 1$, and plot W(t) for 0 < t < 2.
- 2. Generate several arrays W_1, W_2, W_3, \dots etc for different values of A and τ and plot them simultaneously on the same graph.
- 3. Change the colors and line styles of the lines. Add a legend and explore some other options that are available.
- 4. Load the experimental data **wt.csv**, fit the equation for W(t) to this dataset using **curve_fit**. Plot the experimental data and the fitted curve together. What are the best-fitted values of A and τ ?