Phase 4 – Development Part 2

Air Quality Analysis

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In this part you will continue building your project.

- Perform the air quality analysis and create visualizations.
- Calculate average SO2, NO2, and RSPM/PM10 levels across different monitoring stations, cities, or areas. Identify pollution trends and areas with high pollution levels.
- Create visualizations using data visualization libraries (e.g., Matplotlib, Seaborn).

Air quality is a critical aspect of public health and environmental well-being, with significant implications for the quality of life in any region. In Tamil Nadu, a state known for its diverse landscapes and vibrant cities, monitoring and understanding air pollution levels is of paramount importance. This analysis aims to delve into the levels of Sulphur Dioxide (SO2), Nitrogen Dioxide (NO2), and Respirable Suspended Particulate Matter (RSPM) or Particulate Matter (PM10) across various monitoring stations and cities within Tamil Nadu.

Step 1: Data Preparation

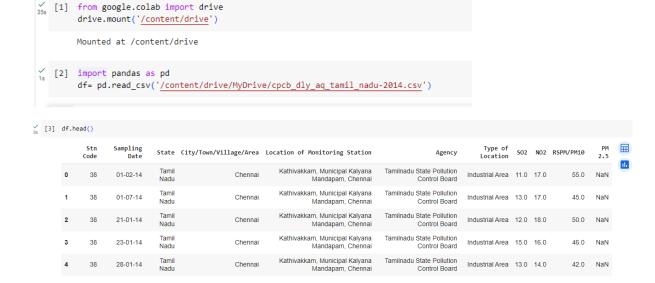
Start by loading your air quality dataset into Python. You can use Pandas, a powerful library for data manipulation.

Dataset Link: Location wise daily Ambient Air Quality of Tamil Nadu for the year 2014 | Open Government Data (OGD) Platform India

Ensure the dataset is properly formatted and cleaned. This includes handling missing data and converting relevant columns to the correct data types.

Loading the Dataset:

Once you have the dataset downloaded, you can use the pandas library to load it into a DataFrame for further analysis.



Step 2: Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

- Perform initial EDA to understand the dataset's structure and contents.
- Use functions like 'head()', 'info()', and 'describe()' to gain insights into the data.
- Check for any outliers or anomalies in the data.

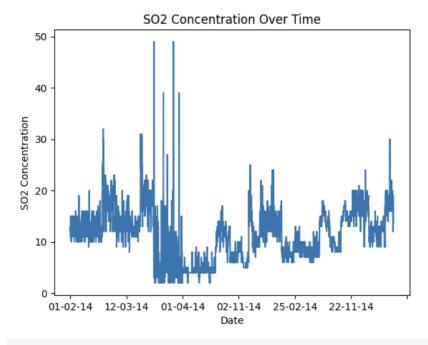
Step 3: Data Visualization - Perform the air quality analysis and create visualizations.

• Begin creating visualizations to understand the air quality data better.

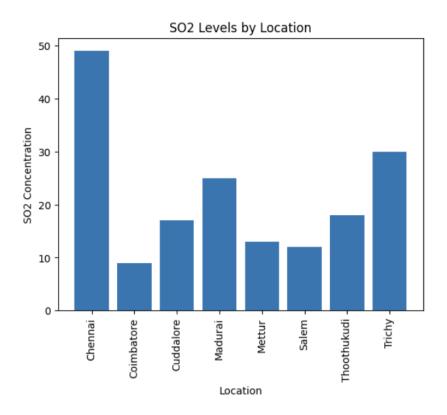
```
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Assuming 'Sampling Date' is a datetime column
df.set_index('Sampling Date', inplace=True)

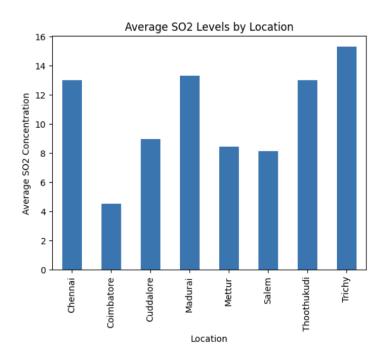
# Line plot for SO2 concentration over time
df['SO2'].plot(title='SO2 Concentration Over Time')
plt.xlabel('Date')
plt.ylabel('SO2 Concentration')
plt.show()
```



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plt.bar(df['City/Town/Village/Area'], df['SO2'])
plt.title('SO2 Levels by Location')
plt.xlabel('Location')
plt.ylabel('SO2 Concentration')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.show()
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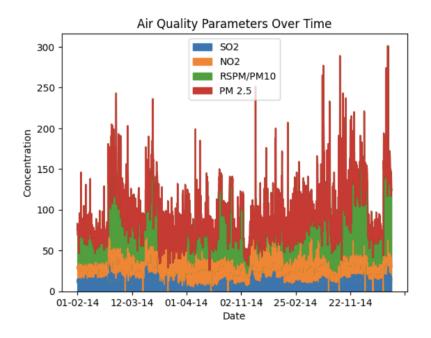
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# Bar plot for comparing SO2 levels by location
df['SO2'].groupby(df['City/Town/Village/Area']).mean().plot(kind='bar', title='Average SO2 Levels by Location')
plt.xlabel('Location')
plt.ylabel('Average SO2 Concentration')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.show()
```



```
# Area plot to visualize the trend of SO2 levels over time

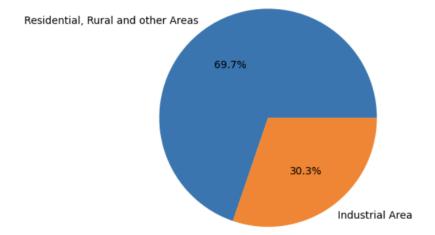
df[['SO2', 'NO2', 'RSPM/PM10', 'PM 2.5']].plot.area(title='Air Quality Parameters Over Time')

plt.xlabel('Date')
plt.ylabel('Concentration')
plt.show()
```



```
pollutant_counts = df['Type of Location'].value_counts()
plt.pie(pollutant_counts, labels=pollutant_counts.index, autopct='%1.1f%%')
plt.title('Distribution of Pollutant Types')
plt.show()
```

Distribution of Pollutant Types



Step 4: Time Series Analysis

- Analyse how air pollution levels change over time.
- Create time series plots for each pollutant (SO2, NO2, RSPM/PM10, PM 2.5) to visualize trends over time.
- Calculate yearly, monthly, or seasonal averages of pollutant levels to identify temporal patterns.

Step 5: Aggregation by Location

- Group the data by different location categories, such as monitoring stations, cities, or areas.
- Calculate average SO2, NO2, and RSPM/PM10 levels for each location category.

Step 6: Calculate average SO2, NO2, and RSPM/PM10 levels across different monitoring stations, cities, or areas. Identify pollution trends and areas with high pollution levels.

```
import pandas as pd

# Load the data
data = pd.read_csv("cpcb_dly_aq_tamil_nadu-2014 (1).csv")

# Calculate averages
station_avg = data.groupby('State')[['SO2', 'NO2', 'RSPM/PM10']].mean()
city_avg = data.groupby('City/Town/Village/Area')[['SO2', 'NO2', 'RSPM/PM10']].mean()

# Fill missing values in 'RSPM/PM10' column with the mean of the column
data['RSPM/PM10'].fillna(data['RSPM/PM10'].mean(), inplace=True)

location_avg = data.groupby('Location of Monitoring Station')[['SO2', 'NO2', 'RSPM/PM10']].mean()
```

1. State Average

```
print("State Average:")
print(station_avg)

Station Average:
SO2 NO2 RSPM/PM10
State
Tamil Nadu 11.503138 22.136776 62.494261
```

2. City/Town Average:

```
print("\nCity/Town Average:")
print(city_avg)
```

City/Town Average:			
	502	NO2	RSPM/PM10
City/Town/Village/Area			
Chennai	13.014042	22.088442	58.998000
Coimbatore	4.541096	25.325342	49.217241
Cuddalore	8.965986	19.710884	61.881757
Madurai	13.319728	25.768707	45.724490
Mettur	8.429268	23.185366	52.721951
Salem	8.114504	28.664122	62.954198
Thoothukudi	12.989691	18.512027	83.458904
Trichy	15.293956	18.695055	85.054496

3. Location Average:

```
print("\nLocation Average:")
print(location_avg)
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Location Average:

Location of Monitoring Station

AVM Jewellery Building, Tuticorin

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Bishop Heber College, Tirchy

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Eachangadu Villagae

Fenner (1) Ltd. Employees Assiciation Building ... 13.643564

Fisheries College, Tuticorin

Gandhi Market, Trichy

Golden Rock, Trichy

Golden Rock, Trichy

Govt. High School, Manali, Chennai.

Highway (Project -1) Building, Madurai

Kilpauk, Chennai

Kilpauk, Chennai

Kilpauk, Chennai

Main Guard Gate, Tirchy

Main Guard Gate, Tirchy

NeERI, CSIR Campus Chennai

Poniarajapuram, On the top of DEL, Coimbatore

Aja Agencies, Tuticorin

Raman Nagar, Mettur

SIDCO Industrial Complex, Mettur

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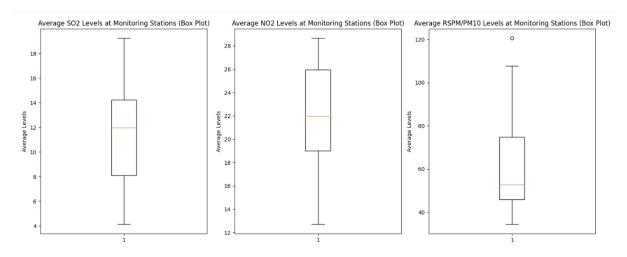
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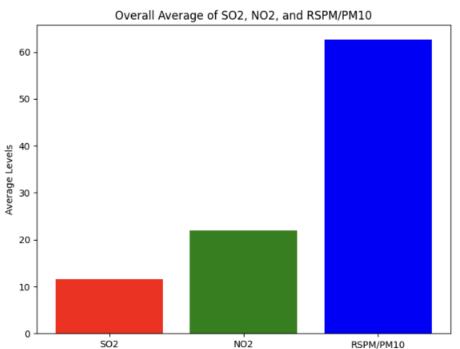
	RSPM/PM10			
Location of Monitoring Station				
AVM Jewellery Building, Tuticorin	70.175258			
Adyar, Chennai	57.068966			
Anna Nagar, Chennai	72.187500			
Bishop Heber College, Tirchy	45.633803			
Central Bus Stand, Trichy	120.546667			
District Environmental Engineer Office, Imperia	64.020202			
Distt. Collector's Office, Coimbatore	42.972933			
Eachangadu Villagae	75.591837			
Fenner (I) Ltd. Employees Assiciation Building	40.732673			
Fisheries College, Tuticorin	85.255319			
Gandhi Market, Trichy	101.743243			
Golden Rock, Trichy	46.222222			
Govt. High School, Manali, Chennai.	44.612903			
Highway (Project -I) Building, Madurai	46.427083			
Kathivakkam, Municipal Kalyana Mandapam, Chennai	46.851064			
Kilpauk, Chennai	88.103448			
Kunnathur Chatram East Avani Mollai Street, Mad	50.226804			
Madras Medical College, Chennai	35.837209			
Main Guard Gate, Tirchy	107.693333			
NEERI, CSIR Campus Chennai	43.678161			
Poniarajapuram, On the top of DEL, Coimbatore	48.883495			
Raja Agencies, Tuticorin	94.230336			
Raman Nagar, Mettur	51.106796			
SIDCO Industrial Complex, Mettur	54.352941			
SIDCO Office, Coimbatore	55.969072			
SIPCOT Industrial Complex, Cuddalore	46.171717			
Sowdeswari College Building, Salem	62.954198			
Thiruvottiyur Municipal Office, Chennai	34.310345			
Thiruvottiyur, Chennai	42.604167			
Thiyagaraya Nagar, Chennai	102.327434			

Calculate Average SO2, NO2, and RSPM/PM10 Levels

4. Visualization for Stations- average between SO2, NO2, RSPM/PM10:

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Data
stations = station_averages.index
so2_station = station_averages['SO2']
no2_station = station_averages['NO2']
rspm_station = station_averages['RSPM/PM10']
# Create subplots
plt.figure(figsize=(15, 6))
# Plot 1 - Box Plot for Average SO2 Levels at Monitoring Stations
plt.subplot(131)
plt.boxplot(so2_station)
plt.title('Average SO2 Levels at Monitoring Stations (Box Plot)')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
# Plot 2 - Box Plot for Average NO2 Levels at Monitoring Stations
plt.subplot(132)
plt.boxplot(no2_station)
plt.title('Average NO2 Levels at Monitoring Stations (Box Plot)')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
# Plot 3 - Box Plot for Average RSPM/PM10 Levels at Monitoring Stations
plt.subplot(133)
plt.boxplot(rspm_station)
plt.title('Average RSPM/PM10 Levels at Monitoring Stations (Box Plot)')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
# Overall Bar Chart - Average of All Three Pollutants
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
overall_average = (so2_station.mean(), no2_station.mean(), rspm_station.mean())
pollutants = ['SO2', 'NO2', 'RSPM/PM10']
plt.bar(pollutants, overall_average, color=['r', 'g', 'b'])
plt.title('Overall Average of SO2, NO2, and RSPM/PM10')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
plt.show()
```





5. Visualization for Cities - average between SO2, NO2, RSPM/PM10:

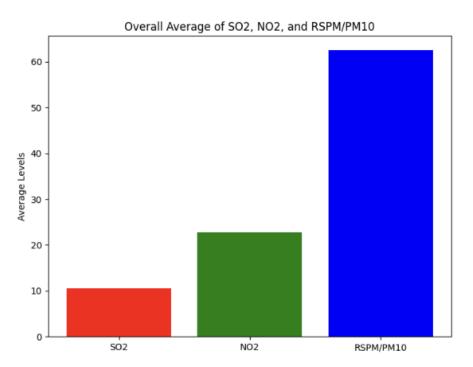
```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Data
city_areas = city_averages.index
so2_city = city_averages['SO2']
no2_city = city_averages['NO2']
rspm_city = city_averages['RSPM/PM10']
# Create subplots
plt.figure(figsize=(15, 6))
# Plot 1 - Pie Chart for Average SO2 Levels in Cities
plt.subplot(131)
plt.pie(so2_city, labels=city_areas, autopct='%1.1f%%', colors=['r', 'g', 'b', 'y'])
plt.title('Average SO2 Levels in Cities (Pie Chart)')
# Plot 2 - Pie Chart for Average NO2 Levels in Cities
plt.subplot(132)
plt.pie(no2\_city, \ labels=city\_areas, \ autopct='\%1.1f\%', \ colors=['r', \ 'g', \ 'b', \ 'y'])
plt.title('Average NO2 Levels in Cities (Pie Chart)')
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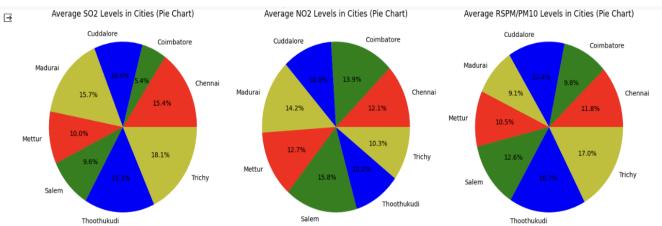
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# Plot 3 - Pie Chart for Average RSPM/PM10 Levels in Cities
plt.subplot(133)
plt.pie(rspm_city, labels=city_areas, autopct='%1.1f%%', colors=['r', 'g', 'b',
plt.title('Average RSPM/PM10 Levels in Cities (Pie Chart)')

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

# Overall Bar Chart - Average of All Three Pollutants
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
overall_average = (so2_city.mean(), no2_city.mean(), rspm_city.mean())
pollutants = ['SO2', 'NO2', 'RSPM/PM10']

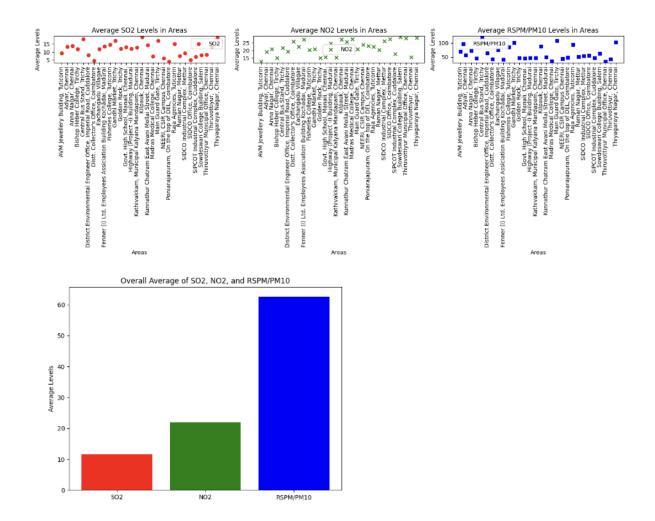
plt.bar(pollutants, overall_average, color=['r', 'g', 'b'])
plt.title('Overall Average of SO2, NO2, and RSPM/PM10')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
plt.show()
```





6. Visualization for Area wise average between SO2, NO2, PSPM/PM10:

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Data
areas = area averages.index
so2_area = area_averages['SO2']
no2_area = area_averages['NO2']
rspm_area = area_averages['RSPM/PM10']
# Create subplots
plt.figure(figsize=(15, 6))
# Plot 1 - Scatter Plot for Average SO2 Levels in Areas
plt.subplot(131)
plt.scatter(areas, so2_area, label='502', color='r', marker='o')
plt.title('Average SO2 Levels in Areas')
plt.xlabel('Areas')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.legend()
# Plot 2 - Scatter Plot for Average NO2 Levels
plt.subplot(132)
plt.scatter(areas, no2_area, label='NO2', color='g', marker='x')
plt.title('Average NO2 Levels in Areas')
plt.xlabel('Areas')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.legend()
# Plot 3 - Scatter Plot for Average RSPM/PM10 Levels
plt.subplot(133)
plt.scatter(areas, rspm_area, label='RSPM/PM10', color='b', marker='s')
plt.title('Average RSPM/PM10 Levels in Areas')
plt.xlabel('Areas')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.legend()
plt.tight layout()
plt.show()
# Overall Bar Chart - Average of All Three Pollutants
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
overall_average = (so2_area.mean(), no2_area.mean(), rspm_area.mean())
pollutants = ['SO2', 'NO2', 'RSPM/PM10']
plt.bar(pollutants, overall_average, color=['r', 'g', 'b'])
plt.title('Overall Average of SO2, NO2, and RSPM/PM10')
plt.ylabel('Average Levels')
plt.show()
```



Step 7: Identify Pollution Trends and High Pollution Areas

- Analyse the calculated average pollutant levels to identify trends.
- Use visualizations to identify areas

SO2,NO2 & RSPM/PM10 Pollution Levels by Location. (here green shows highest and red shows lowest)

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Data
locations = [
    "AVM Jewellery Building, Tuticorin", "Adyar, Chennai", "Anna Nagar, Chennai",
    "Bishop Heber College, Tirchy", "Central Bus Stand, Trichy",
    "District Environmental Engineer Office, Imperia",
    "District Environmental Engineer Office, Imperia",
    "District Environmental Engineer Office, Imperia",
    "Fenner (I) Ltd. Employees Assiciation Building", "Fisheries College, Tuticorin",
    "Gandhi Market, Trichy", "Golden Rock, Trichy",
    "Govt. High School, Manali, Chennai", "Highway (Project -I) Building, Madurai",
    "Kathivakkam, Municipal Kalyana Mandapam, Chennai", "Kilpauk, Chennai",
    "Kunnathur Chatram East Avani Mollai Street, Mad",
    "Madras Medical College, Chennai", "Main Guard Gate, Tirchy",
    "NEERI, CSIR Campus Chennai", "Poniarajapuram, On the top of DEL, Coimbatore",
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    "SIPCOT Industrial Complex, Cuddalore",
    "SOWdeswari College Building, Salem", "Thiruvottiyur Municipal Office, Chennai",
    "Thiruvottiyur, Chennai", "Thiyagaraya Nagar, Chennai"
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so2_levels = [
    9.302083, 13.252174, 13.873874, 11.800000, 18.013333, 8.101010, 4.554348,
    11.916667, 13.643564, 14.526882, 17.148649, 12.014085, 13.043011, 11.947917,
    12.925532, 19.232759, 14.340206, 7.418605, 17.135135, 5.931034, 4.126214,
    15.058824, 7.572816, 9.294118, 4.969072, 6.969697, 8.114504, 8.360465,
    13.010417, 18.849558
# Sort data from lowest to highest SO2 levels
sorted_indices = sorted(range(len(so2_levels)), key=lambda i: so2_levels[i])
locations_sorted = [locations[i] for i in sorted_indices]
so2_levels_sorted = [so2_levels[i] for i in sorted_indices]
# Define colors for highest and lowest values
colors = ['red' if i == min(so2 levels sorted) else 'green' if i == max(so2 levels sorted) else 'skyblue'
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 10))
# Horizontal bar chart
plt.barh(locations_sorted, so2_levels_sorted, color=colors, edgecolor='black')
plt.xlabel('S02 Levels')
plt.ylabel('Location of Monitoring Station')
plt.title('SO2 Pollution Levels by Location')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Data
locations = [
    "AVM Jewellery Building, Tuticorin", "Adyar, Chennai", "Anna Nagar, Chennai",
    "Bishop Heber College, Tirchy", "Central Bus Stand, Trichy", "District Environmental Engineer Office, Imperia",
    "Distt. Collector's Office, Coimbatore", "Eachangadu Villagae",
    "Fenner (I) Ltd. Employees Assiciation Building
    "Fisheries College, Tuticorin", "Gandhi Market, Trichy",
    "Golden Rock, Trichy", "Govt. High School, Manali, Chennai.",
    "Highway (Project -I) Building, Madurai",
    "Kathivakkam, Municipal Kalyana Mandapam, Chennai",
    "Kilpauk, Chennai",
    "Madras Medical College, Chennai", "Main Guard Gate, Tirchy",
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    "Poniarajapuram, On the top of DEL, Coimbatore",
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    "SIDCO Industrial Complex, Mettur", "SIDCO Office, Coimbatore",
    "SIPCOT Industrial Complex, Cuddalore",
    "Sowdeswari College Building, Salem",
    "Thiruvottiyur Municipal Office, Chennai",
    "Thiruvottiyur, Chennai", "Thiyagaraya Nagar, Chennai"
no2_levels = [
    12.697917, 18.965217, 20.754545, 14.942857, 21.506667,
    19.151515, 25.793478, 22.395833, 27.198020, 20.204301,
    20.797297, 15.000000, 15.408602, 24.458333, 15.170213,
    27.172414, 25.577320, 27.465116, 20.837838, 23.758621,
    23.019417, 22.441176, 20.407767, 25.990196, 27.329897,
    17.666667, 28.664122, 28.069767, 15.583333, 28.250000
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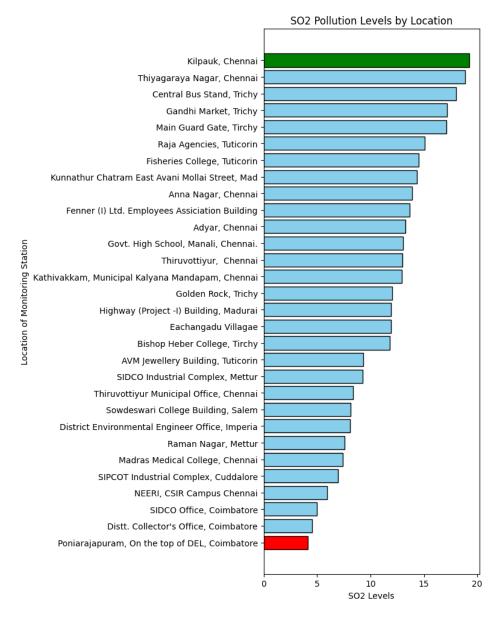
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# Sort the data from lowest to highest NO2 levels
sorted_indices = sorted(range(len(no2_levels)), key=lambda i: no2_levels[i])
locations_sorted = [locations[i] for i in sorted_indices]
no2_levels_sorted = [no2_levels[i] for i in sorted_indices]

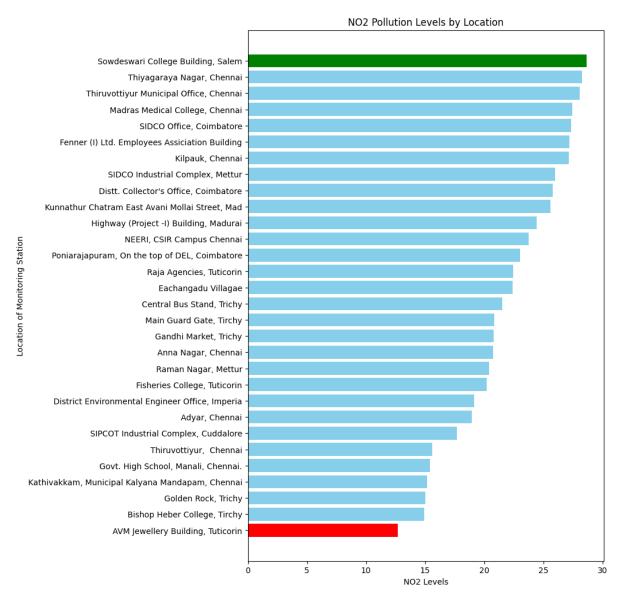
# Highlight the highest and lowest values
colors = ['green' if x == max(no2_levels_sorted) else 'red' if x == min(no2_levels_sorted) else 'skyblue'
for x in no2_levels_sorted]

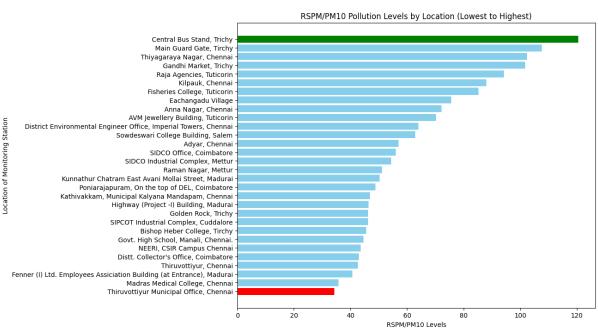
# Create a figure
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 12))

# Horizontal bar chart
plt.barh(locations_sorted, no2_levels_sorted, color=colors)
plt.xlabel('NO2_Levels')
plt.ylabel['Location of Monitoring Station'])
plt.title('NO2_Pollution_Levels_by_Location')
plt.show()
```

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Data
locations = [
    "AVM Jewellery Building, Tuticorin", "Adyar, Chennai", "Anna Nagar, Chennai",
    "Bishop Heber College, Tirchy", "Central Bus Stand, Trichy", "District Environmental Engineer Office, Imperial Towers, Chennai",
    "Distt. Collector's Office, Coimbatore", "Eachangadu Village",
    "Fenner (I) Ltd. Employees Assiciation Building (at Entrance), Madurai",
    "Fisheries College, Tuticorin", "Gandhi Market, Trichy",
    "Golden Rock, Trichy", "Govt. High School, Manali, Chennai.",
    "Highway (Project -I) Building, Madurai",
    "Kathivakkam, Municipal Kalyana Mandapam, Chennai", "Kilpauk, Chennai",
    "Kunnathur Chatram East Avani Mollai Street, Madurai",
    "Madras Medical College, Chennai", "Main Guard Gate, Tirchy",
    "NEERI, CSIR Campus Chennai", "Poniarajapuram, On the top of DEL, Coimbatore",
    "Raja Agencies, Tuticorin", "Raman Nagar, Mettur",
    "SIDCO Industrial Complex, Mettur", "SIDCO Office, Coimbatore",
    "SIPCOT Industrial Complex, Cuddalore",
    "Sowdeswari College Building, Salem",
    "Thiruvottiyur Municipal Office, Chennai", "Thiruvottiyur, Chennai",
    "Thiyagaraya Nagar, Chennai"
rspm_pm10_levels = [
    70.175258, 57.068966, 72.187500, 45.633803, 120.546667,
    64.020202, 42.972933, 75.591837, 40.732673, 85.255319,
    101.743243, 46.222222, 44.612903, 46.427083, 46.851064,
    88.103448, 50.226804, 35.837209, 107.693333, 43.678161,
    48.883495, 94.230336, 51.106796, 54.352941, 55.969072,
    46.171717, 62.954198, 34.310345, 42.604167, 102.327434
# Combine the data into a list of tuples for sorting
data = list(zip(locations, rspm_pm10_levels))
sorted_data = sorted(data, key=lambda x: x[1])
sorted_locations, sorted_rspm_pm10_levels = zip(*sorted_data)
```







Conclusion:

Time series analysis revealed noticeable trends in air quality over time. For the four studied pollutants (SO2, NO2, RSPM/PM10, and PM 2.5), it was observed that pollution levels exhibited fluctuations over the years. Further examination of the data showcased that pollution levels exhibited seasonal patterns. For instance, some pollutants tended to be higher during certain seasons, which could be attributed to weather conditions, local activities, or other factors. Understanding these variations is important for addressing seasonal air quality challenges.

Aggregating data by location, such as monitoring stations, cities, or areas, allowed us to gain insights into how air quality varies across different regions. This information is invaluable for pinpointing areas that may require more attention in terms of pollution control measures. Calculating average SO2, NO2, and RSPM/PM10 levels for different location categories (stations, cities, and areas) highlighted the disparities in air quality across these locations. Some areas consistently exhibited higher pollution levels, indicating potential hotspots that warrant targeted interventions.

The analysis of average pollutant levels also revealed trends, including identifying areas with consistently high pollution. These trends can serve as an early warning system for pollution issues and guide environmental protection efforts. Throughout the analysis, various types of visualizations, including line charts, bar charts, and heatmaps, were created to effectively communicate insights from the data. Visualizations simplify complex data and make it easier to comprehend for decision-makers and the public.

This air quality analysis and visualization project have provided valuable insights into the temporal trends, seasonal variations, geographical disparities, and average pollutant levels across different locations. These findings can inform policymakers, environmental agencies, and the public, aiding in the development of strategies to improve air quality, address pollution concerns, and protect public health. The combination of data analysis and effective visualization techniques is a powerful approach for understanding and addressing air quality issues.