Delhi Metro Network Analysis

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Introduction

The Delhi Metro stands as a transformative milestone in urban transportation, revolutionizing travel across India's capital. Since its inception in 2002, the DMRC has rapidly expanded its network to over 390 kilometers, connecting millions daily. Beyond easing congestion, it stimulates economic growth and promotes cleaner air. This project uses Python to analyse and visualize the metro's reach, operations, and infrastructure.

Objectives of the Project

- 1. **To understand the geographical expansion of the Delhi metro:** Analyze and visualize the extent to which the Delhi metro network spans across the city.
- 2. **To visualize the distribution of each metro line in Delhi:** Create maps that show the routes and stations of each metro line, highlighting their paths through different parts of Delhi.
- 3. To determine the largest metro lines in terms of numbers of stations and distance traveled: Identify and compare the metro lines with the highest number of stations and longest total distance covered.
- 4. **To visualize the path taken by each line:** Plot the trajectory of each metro line on a map to illustrate its route and connections between stations.
- 5. **To categorize the stations among elevated, underground, and at-grade:** Classify metro stations based on their architectural design (elevated, underground, or at-grade), providing insights into the infrastructure and construction of the Delhi metro network.

First Steps

```
import numpy as np # linear algebra
import pandas as pd # data processing, CSV file I/O (e.g. pd.read_csv)
import seaborn as sns # plotting
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import folium # interactive mapping (used for Network Analysis and Line Analysis)
from folium.plugins import MarkerCluster
```

```
import warnings
         warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')
         metro_data = pd.read_csv("Delhi metro.csv")
         metro_data.head()
Out[1]:
                  ID
                                      Dist. From
                          Station
                                                  Metro
             (Station
                                           First
                                                         Opened(Year)
                                                                         Layout
                                                                                  Latitude Longitude
                          Names
                                                   Line
                 ID)
                                    Station(km)
                         Shaheed
                                                    Red
         0
                   1
                                            0.0
                        Sthal(First
                                                            08-03-2019 Elevated 28.670611
                                                                                            77.415582
                                                    line
                          Station)
                          Hindon
                                                    Red
                   2
                                             1.0
                                                            08-03-2019 Elevated 28.878965
                                                                                            77.415483
         1
                            River
                                                    line
                                                    Red
         2
                   3
                          Arthala
                                            2.5
                                                            08-03-2019 Elevated 28.676999
                                                                                            77.391892
                                                    line
                          Mohan
                                                    Red
                                            3.2
                                                            08-03-2019 Elevated 28.606319
         3
                   4
                                                                                            77.106082
                           Nagar
                                                    line
                                                    Red
         4
                      Shyam park
                                            4.5
                                                            08-03-2019 Elevated 28.698807
                                                                                            28.698807
                                                    line
In [2]:
         # Checking for missing values
         missing_values = metro_data.isnull().sum()
         missing_values
Out[2]: ID (Station ID)
                                           0
                                           0
         Station Names
         Dist. From First Station(km)
                                           0
         Metro Line
                                           0
                                           0
         Opened(Year)
         Layout
                                           0
         Latitude
                                           0
         Longitude
                                           0
         dtype: int64
In [3]:
         # Checking data type
         data_types = metro_data.dtypes
         data_types
Out[3]: ID (Station ID)
                                              int64
         Station Names
                                            object
         Dist. From First Station(km)
                                           float64
                                            object
         Metro Line
                                            object
         Opened(Year)
         Layout
                                            object
         Latitude
                                           float64
         Longitude
                                           float64
         dtype: object
In [4]:
         # Applying basic statistics
```

metro_data.describe()

| | ID (Station ID) | Dist. From First Station(km) | Latitude | Longitude |
|-------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------|------------|
| count | 285.000000 | 285.000000 | 285.000000 | 285.000000 |
| mean | 16.214035 | 19.218947 | 28.595428 | 77.029315 |
| std | 11.461808 | 14.002862 | 0.091316 | 2.875400 |
| min | 1.000000 | 0.000000 | 27.920862 | 28.698807 |
| 25% | 6.000000 | 7.300000 | 28.545828 | 77.107130 |
| 50% | 14.000000 | 17.400000 | 28.613453 | 77.207220 |
| 75% | 24.000000 | 28.800000 | 28.666360 | 77.281165 |
| max | 49.000000 | 52.700000 | 28.878965 | 77.554479 |

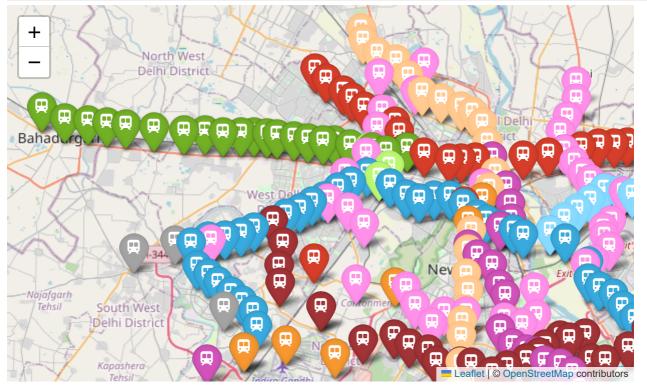
Geographical Analysis

Out[4]:

```
In [7]:
        # defining a color scheme for the metro lines
        line_colors = {
            'Red line': 'red',
            'Blue line': 'blue',
            'Yellow line': 'beige',
            'Green line': 'green',
             'Voilet line': 'purple',
            'Pink line': 'pink',
            'Magenta line': 'darkred',
            'Orange line': 'orange',
            'Rapid Metro': 'cadetblue',
            'Aqua line': 'black',
            'Green line branch': 'lightgreen',
            'Blue line branch': 'lightblue',
            'Gray line': 'lightgray'
        }
        delhi_map_with_metro_lines = folium.Map(location=[28.7041, 77.1025], zoom_start=11)
        # adding colored markers for each metro station with line name in tooltip
        for index, row in metro_data.iterrows():
            line = row['Metro Line']
            color = line_colors.get(line, 'black') # Default color is black if line not found in
            folium.Marker(
                location=[row['Latitude'], row['Longitude']],
                popup=f"{row['Station Name']}",
                tooltip=f"{row['Station Name']}, {line}",
                icon=folium.Icon(color=color,icon="subway", prefix='fa')
            ).add_to(delhi_map_with_metro_lines)
```

Displaying the updated map delhi_map_with_metro_lines

Out[7]:



In [8]: metro_data

Out[8]:

| | Station ID | Station Name | Dist From First Station in km | Metro Line | Opened Date | Layout | Latitude | Longitude |
|-----|---------------|-------------------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| 0 | 1 | Shaheed Sthal(First Station) | 0.0 | Red line | 2019-03- 08 | Elevated | 28.670611 | 77.415582 |
| 1 | 2 | Hindon River | 1.0 | Red line | 2019-03- 08 | Elevated | 28.878965 | 77.415483 |
| 2 | 3 | Arthala | 2.5 | Red line | 2019-03- 08 | Elevated | 28.676999 | 77.391892 |
| 3 | 4 | Mohan Nagar | 3.2 | Red line | 2019-03- 08 | Elevated | 28.606319 | 77.106082 |
| 4 | 5 | Shyam park | 4.5 | Red line | 2019-03- 08 | Elevated | 28.698807 | 28.698807 |
| ••• | | | | | | | | |
| 280 | 2 | Shivaji Stadium | 1.9 | Orange line | 2011-02- | Underground | 28.629010 | 77.211900 |
| 281 | 3 | Dhaula Kuan [Conn: Pink] | 8.3 | Orange line | 2011-08- 15 | Elevated | 28.591780 | 77.161550 |
| 282 | 4 | Delhi Aerocity | 14.5 | Orange line | 2011-08- 15 | Underground | 28.548810 | 77.120920 |
| 283 | 5 | IGI Airport | 17.9 | Orange line | 2011-02- 23 | Underground | 28.556930 | 77.086690 |
| 284 | 6 | Dwarka Sector 21 [Conn: Blue] | 20.8 | Orange line | 2011-02- | Underground | 28.552260 | 77.058280 |

285 rows × 8 columns

Metro Line Analysis

```
In [9]: metro_lines = metro_data["Metro Line"].drop_duplicates().reset_index().drop("index", axis=
    print("Number of Metro Lines in Delhi ", metro_lines.count())
    metro_lines
```

Number of Metro Lines in Delhi Metro Line 13

dtype: int64

| | Metro Line |
|----|-------------------|
| 0 | Red line |
| 1 | Yellow line |
| 2 | Blue line |
| 3 | Blue line branch |
| 4 | Green line branch |
| 5 | Green line |
| 6 | Rapid Metro |
| 7 | Voilet line |
| 8 | Magenta line |
| 9 | Pink line |
| 10 | Aqua line |
| 11 | Gray line |
| 12 | Orange line |

Out[9]:

Here we can see that the Delhi Metro System has 13 color coded lines.

Theses are:

- 1. Red Line
- 2. Yellow Line
- 3. Blue Line
- 4. Blue Line Branch
- 5. Green Line
- 6. Green Line Branch
- 7. Pink Line
- 8. Voilet Line
- 9. Magenta Line
- 10. Aqua Line
- 11. Gray Line
- 12. Orange Line/Airport Express
- 13. Rapid Metro

```
In [10]: stations_per_line = metro_data['Metro Line'].value_counts()

# calculating the total distance of each metro line (max distance from start)
total_distance_per_line = metro_data.groupby('Metro Line')['Dist From First Station in km'
total_distance_per_line = round(total_distance_per_line,2)
avg_distance_per_line = round(total_distance_per_line / (stations_per_line - 1), 2)

line_analysis = pd.DataFrame({
    'Line': stations_per_line.index,
    'Number of Stations': stations_per_line.values,
    "Total Distance Covered (km)": round(total_distance_per_line,2),
```

```
'Average Distance Between Stations (km)': avg_distance_per_line
})

# sorting the DataFrame by the number of stations
line_analysis = line_analysis.sort_values(by='Number of Stations', ascending=False)

# Function to highlight the max and min rows
def highlight_max_dist(s):
    is_max = s == s.max()
    return ['color: royalblue; font-weight:600' if v else '' for v in is_max]

line_analysis.reset_index(drop=True, inplace=True)
line_analysis['Total Distance Covered (km)'] = round(line_analysis['Total Distance Covered line_analysis_styled = line_analysis.style.apply(highlight_max_dist, subset=['Total Distance line_analysis_styled]
```

Out[10]:

| | Line | Number of Stations | Total Distance Covered (km) | Average Distance Between Stations (km) |
|----|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| 0 | Blue line | 49 | 27.00 | 1.36 |
| 1 | Pink line | 38 | 53.00 | 1.10 |
| 2 | Yellow line | 37 | 8.00 | 1.16 |
| 3 | Voilet line | 34 | 4.00 | 1.95 |
| 4 | Red line | 29 | 25.00 | 1.24 |
| 5 | Magenta line | 25 | 2.00 | 1.05 |
| 6 | Green line | 21 | 33.00 | 1.38 |
| 7 | Aqua line | 21 | 21.00 | 4.16 |
| 8 | Rapid Metro | 11 | 53.00 | 1.42 |
| 9 | Blue line branch | 8 | 10.00 | 1.00 |
| 10 | Orange line | 6 | 33.00 | 1.17 |
| 11 | Green line branch | 3 | 44.00 | 1.32 |
| 12 | Gray line | 3 | 46.00 | 1.27 |

Results:

- 1. Blue line has the most number of stations (49) (including Blue line branch: 57) followed by Pink line (38 stations) and Yellow Line (37 stations).
- 2. Pink line is the largest metro line with a total distance covered of 53km.

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In [11]: # Create a figure with three subplots side-by-side
fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(14, 6))

# Plot Number of Stations Per Metro Line
sns.barplot(y='Line', x='Number of Stations', data=line_analysis, ax=axes[0], palette='vir
axes[0].set_title('Number of Stations Per Metro Line')
axes[0].set_xlabel('Number of Stations')
axes[0].set_ylabel('Metro Line')

# Add Labels on top of bars
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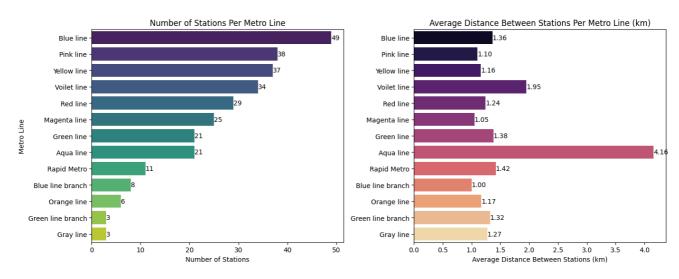
```
for container in axes[0].containers:
    axes[0].bar_label(container, fmt='%.0f')

# Plot Average Distance Between Stations Per Metro Line
sns.barplot(y='Line', x='Average Distance Between Stations (km)', data=line_analysis, ax=a
axes[1].set_title('Average Distance Between Stations Per Metro Line (km)')
axes[1].set_xlabel('Average Distance Between Stations (km)')
axes[1].set_ylabel('')

# Add Labels on top of bars
for container in axes[1].containers:
    axes[1].bar_label(container, fmt='%.2f')

# Update Layout and show the plot
plt.suptitle('Metro Line Analysis')
plt.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0, 1, 0.96]) # Adjust the rect to make room for the suptitle
plt.show()
```

Metro Line Analysis



```
In [12]: stations_per_line
```

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Out[12]:
          Blue line
                                 49
          Pink line
                                 38
          Yellow line
                                 37
          Voilet line
                                 34
          Red line
                                 29
          Magenta line
                                 25
          Green line
                                 21
          Aqua line
                                 21
          Rapid Metro
                                 11
          Blue line branch
                                  8
          Orange line
                                  6
          Green line branch
                                  3
          Gray line
          Name: Metro Line, dtype: int64
```

```
In [13]: # "Blue line", "Pink line", "Yellow line", "Voilet line",
    #"Red line", "Magenta line", "Green line", "Aqua line", "Rapid Metro",
    #"Blue line branch", "Orange line", "Green line branch", "Gray line"

target_line = "Yellow line" # Select the line for which you want to see the route.

target_route = metro_data[metro_data['Metro Line'] == target_line]

target_route
```

| | Station ID | Station Name | From First Station in km | Metro Line | Opened Date | Layout | Latitude | Longitude |
|----|---------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| 29 | 1 | Samaypur Badli(First Station) | 0.0 | Yellow line | 2015- 11-10 | Elevated | 28.744616 | 77.138265 |
| 30 | 2 | Rohini Sector 18- 19 | 0.8 | Yellow line | 2015- 11-10 | Elevated | 28.738348 | 77.139832 |
| 31 | 3 | Haiderpur Badli Mor | 2.1 | Yellow line | 2015- 11-10 | Elevated | 28.730121 | 77.149403 |
| 32 | 4 | Jahangirpuri | 3.4 | Yellow line | 2009- 02-04 | Elevated | 28.725920 | 77.162670 |
| 33 | 5 | Adarsh Nagar | 4.7 | Yellow line | 2009- 02-04 | Elevated | 28.716420 | 77.170460 |
| 34 | 6 | Azadpur [Conn: Pink] | 6.2 | Yellow line | 2009- 02-04 | Elevated | 28.706960 | 77.180530 |
| 35 | 7 | Model Town | 7.6 | Yellow line | 2009- 02-04 | Elevated | 28.702780 | 77.193630 |
| 36 | 8 | Guru Tegh Bahadur Nagar | 9.0 | Yellow line | 2009- 02-04 | Underground | 28.697850 | 77.207220 |
| 37 | 9 | Vishwavidyalaya | 9.8 | Yellow line | 2004- 12-20 | Underground | 28.694800 | 77.214830 |
| 38 | 10 | Vidhan Sabha | 10.8 | Yellow line | 2004- 12-20 | Underground | 28.688020 | 77.221400 |
| 39 | 11 | Civil Lines | 12.1 | Yellow line | 2004- 12-20 | Underground | 28.676851 | 77.225030 |
| 40 | 12 | Kashmere Gate [Conn: Violet] | 13.2 | Yellow line | 2004- 12-20 | Underground | 28.667500 | 77.228170 |
| 41 | 13 | Chandni Chowk | 14.3 | Yellow line | 2005- 07-03 | Underground | 28.657850 | 77.230140 |
| 42 | 14 | Chawri Bazar | 15.3 | Yellow line | 2005- 07-03 | Underground | 28.649310 | 77.226370 |
| 43 | 15 | New Delhi [Conn: Orange] | 16.1 | Yellow line | 2005- 07-03 | Underground | 28.643070 | 77.221440 |
| 44 | 16 | Rajiv Chowk [Conn: Blue] | 17.2 | Yellow line | 2005- 07-03 | Underground | 28.632820 | 77.218260 |
| 45 | 17 | Patel Chowk | 18.5 | Yellow line | 2005- 07-03 | Underground | 28.622950 | 77.213890 |
| 46 | 18 | Central Secretariat [Conn: Violet] | 19.4 | Yellow line | 2005- 07-03 | Underground | 28.614740 | 77.211910 |
| 47 | 19 | Udyog Bhawan | 19.7 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-03 | Underground | 28.611660 | 77.211980 |

Dist

| | Station ID | Station Name | Dist From First Station in km | Metro Line | Opened Date | Layout | Latitude | Longitude |
|----|---------------|--------------------------------|---|----------------|----------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| 48 | 20 | Lok Kalyan Marg | 21.3 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-03 | Underground | 28.597260 | 77.210880 |
| 49 | 21 | Jor Bagh | 22.5 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-03 | Underground | 28.587080 | 77.212090 |
| 50 | 22 | Dilli Haat INA [Conn: Pink] | 23.8 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-03 | Underground | 28.575260 | 77.209350 |
| 51 | 23 | AIIMS | 24.6 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-02 | Underground | 28.568920 | 77.207710 |
| 52 | 24 | Green Park | 25.6 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-03 | Underground | 28.559790 | 77.206820 |
| 53 | 25 | Hauz Khas [Conn: Magenta] | 27.4 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-03 | Underground | 28.543350 | 77.206670 |
| 54 | 26 | Malviya Nagar | 29.1 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-03 | Underground | 28.527980 | 77.205650 |
| 55 | 27 | Saket | 30.0 | Yellow line | 2010- 09-03 | Underground | 28.520600 | 77.201380 |
| 56 | 28 | Qutab Minar | 31.7 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.513020 | 77.186480 |
| 57 | 29 | Chhattarpur | 33.0 | Yellow line | 2010- 08-26 | Elevated | 28.506710 | 77.174840 |
| 58 | 30 | Sultanpur | 34.6 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.499270 | 77.161530 |
| 59 | 31 | Ghitorni | 35.9 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.493830 | 77.149220 |
| 60 | 32 | Arjan Garh | 38.6 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.480760 | 77.125830 |
| 61 | 33 | Guru Dronacharya | 40.9 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.482030 | 77.102320 |
| 62 | 34 | Sikandarpur [Conn: Rapid] | 41.9 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.481820 | 77.092350 |
| 63 | 35 | MG Road | 43.1 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.479570 | 77.080060 |
| 64 | 36 | IFFCO Chowk | 44.2 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.472090 | 77.071750 |
| 65 | 37 | Huda City Centre | 45.7 | Yellow line | 2010- 06-21 | Elevated | 28.459270 | 77.072680 |

In [14]: # Create a folium map centered around the first station
 route_map_with_marker_and_lines = folium.Map(location=[target_route['Latitude'].iloc[0], t

Add a marker cluster

marker_cluster = MarkerCluster().add_to(route_map_with_marker_and_lines)

```
# Store the markers in a dictionary for easy access
markers_dict = {}
#Plot the stations on the map
for idx, row in target_route.iterrows():
    line = row['Metro Line']
    color = line_colors.get(line, 'black')
    marker = folium.Marker(
        location=[row['Latitude'], row['Longitude']],
        popup=f"{row['Station Name']} (ID: {row['Station ID']})",
        tooltip=f"{row['Station Name']} ({row['Metro Line']})",
        icon=folium.Icon(color=color,icon="subway", prefix='fa')
    ).add to(marker cluster)
    markers_dict[row['Station Name']] = marker
# Plot lines between the stations
for i in range(len(target_route) - 1):
    line = target_route.iloc[i]['Metro Line']
    color = line colors.get(line, 'black')
    folium.PolyLine(
        locations=[
            [target_route.iloc[i]['Latitude'], target_route.iloc[i]['Longitude']],
            [target_route.iloc[i+1]['Latitude'], target_route.iloc[i+1]['Longitude']]
        ],
        color=color,
        weight=5,
        opacity=0.7,
    ).add_to(route_map_with_marker_and_lines)
# Add a legend for station names with clickable links
legend html = f'''
     <div style="position: fixed;</pre>
                 bottom: 100px; left: 10px; width: 200px; height: 300px;
                 z-index:9999; font-size:14px;
                 background-color:white;
                 overflow-y: auto;
                 background: #d7eda6;
     <b style="display:flex; width: 100%; justify-content: center;">{target line}</b>
for idx, row in target_route.iterrows():
    station name = row["Station Name"]
    legend_html += f'<i style="color: "black"; font-size:24px; width:fit-content;">&bull;
legend html += '</div>'
# Add the Legend to the map
route map with marker and lines.get root().html.add child(folium.Element(legend html))
# JavaScript function to zoom to marker
js_zoom_function = '''
    <script>
    function panTo(index) {
        var lat = %s;
        var lon = %s;
       map.setView([`lat`, `lon`], 15);
   </script>
```

```
# Add Legend HTML and JavaScript function to the map
            route_map_with_marker_and_lines.get_root().html.add_child(folium.Element(legend_html + js_
            # Display the map (in Jupyter Notebook or other interactive environment)
            route_map_with_marker_and_lines
                                                                                                Accomodation)
            • Samaypur Badli(First Station)
                                                                                                                 medical
Out[14]:
                                                                                                                 Research
            Rohini Sector 18-19
                                                  Tagore
                                                 Park

    Haiderpur Badli Mor

                                                                                                              Indra Vihar
                                                   En a
           🔭 Jahangirpuri

    Adarsh Nagar

    Azadpur [Conn: Pink]

                                                                                      Mukherjee

    Model Town

                                                                                        Nagar

    Guru Tegh Bahadur Nagar

                                                Gandhi-Marn

    Vishwavidyalaya

    Vidhan Sabha

    Civil Lines

             • Kashmere Gate [Conn: Violet]
                                                     Police Lines

    Chandni Chowk

                                                                               GTB Nagar
                                               shri Raj Kumar Kaushik Marg

    Chawri Bazar

                                                                               Guru Tegh
                                                                               Rahadur
                                                                                Nagar
                                                                                                                    Vishyva
                                  Ishwar Colony
                SBI Colony
                                                                                                                  Vidyalay
                                                                                        Leaflet | © OpenStreetMap contributors
```

```
In [15]: # "Blue line","Pink line","Yellow line","Voilet line",
    #"Red line","Magenta line","Green line","Aqua line", "Rapid Metro",
    #"Blue line branch","Orange line","Green line branch", "Gray line"

target_line = "Blue line" # Select the line for which you want to see the route.

target_route = metro_data[metro_data['Metro Line'] == target_line]

target_route
```

| | Station ID | Station Name | From First Station in km | Metro Line | Opened Date | Layout | Latitude | Longitude |
|----|---------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------|----------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| 66 | 1 | Dwarka Sector 21(First station) [Conn: Orange] | 0.0 | Blue line | 2010- 10-30 | Underground | 28.552260 | 77.058280 |
| 67 | 2 | Dwarka Sector 8 | 1.7 | Blue line | 2010- 10-30 | Elevated | 28.565830 | 77.067060 |
| 68 | 3 | Dwarka Sector 9 | 2.7 | Blue line | 2006- 04-01 | Elevated | 28.574870 | 77.064540 |
| 69 | 4 | Dwarka Sector 10 | 3.8 | Blue line | 2006- 04-01 | Elevated | 28.580680 | 77.056820 |
| 70 | 5 | Dwarka Sector 11 | 4.8 | Blue line | 2006- 04-01 | Elevated | 28.586570 | 77.049290 |
| 71 | 6 | Dwarka Sector 12 | 5.8 | Blue line | 2006- 04-01 | Elevated | 28.592320 | 77.040510 |
| 72 | 7 | Dwarka Sector 13 | 6.7 | Blue line | 2006- 04-01 | Elevated | 28.597220 | 77.033260 |
| 73 | 8 | Dwarka Sector 14 | 7.6 | Blue line | 2006- 04-01 | Elevated | 28.602230 | 77.025880 |
| 74 | 9 | Dwarka [Conn: Gray] | 9.1 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.615640 | 77.021970 |
| 75 | 10 | Dwarka Mor | 10.2 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.619320 | 77.033260 |
| 76 | 11 | Nawada | 11.4 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.620250 | 77.045140 |
| 77 | 12 | Uttam Nagar West | 12.4 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.624810 | 77.065300 |
| 78 | 13 | Uttam Nagar East | 13.4 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.621770 | 77.055850 |
| 79 | 14 | Janak Puri West [Conn: Magenta] | 14.7 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.629430 | 77.077670 |
| 80 | 15 | Janak Puri East | 15.7 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.633050 | 77.086690 |
| 81 | 16 | Tilak Nagar | 16.7 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.636570 | 77.096480 |
| 82 | 17 | Subhash Nagar | 17.6 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.640390 | 77.104950 |
| 83 | 18 | Tagore Garden | 18.5 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.643790 | 77.112840 |
| 84 | 19 | Rajouri Garden [Conn: Pink] | 19.6 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.649020 | 77.122700 |

Dist

| | Station ID | Station Name | Dist From First Station in km | Metro Line | Opened Date | Layout | Latitude | Longitude |
|-----|---------------|--|---|---------------|----------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| 85 | 20 | Ramesh Nagar | 20.6 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.652740 | 77.131640 |
| 86 | 21 | Moti Nagar | 21.8 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.657840 | 77.142480 |
| 87 | 22 | Kirti Nagar [Conn: Green] | 22.8 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.655750 | 77.150570 |
| 88 | 23 | Shadipur | 23.5 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.651600 | 77.158240 |
| 89 | 24 | Patel Nagar | 24.8 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.644980 | 77.169290 |
| 90 | 25 | Rajendra Place | 25.7 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.642500 | 77.178150 |
| 91 | 26 | Karol Bagh | 26.7 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.644000 | 77.188550 |
| 92 | 27 | Jhandewalan | 27.9 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.644270 | 77.199880 |
| 93 | 28 | R K Ashram Marg | 28.9 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Elevated | 28.639230 | 77.208400 |
| 94 | 29 | Rajiv Chowk [Conn: Yellow] | 30.1 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Underground | 28.632820 | 77.218260 |
| 95 | 30 | Barakhamba | 30.8 | Blue line | 2005- 12-30 | Underground | 28.630030 | 77.224360 |
| 96 | 31 | Mandi House [Conn: Violet] | 31.8 | Blue line | 2006- 11-11 | Underground | 28.625880 | 77.234100 |
| 97 | 32 | Supreme Court (Pragati Maidan) | 32.6 | Blue line | 2006- 11-11 | Elevated | 28.623420 | 77.242500 |
| 98 | 33 | Indraprastha | 33.4 | Blue line | 2006- 11-11 | Elevated | 28.620510 | 77.249930 |
| 99 | 34 | Yamuna Bank | 35.2 | Blue line | 2009- 05-10 | At-Grade | 28.623310 | 77.267920 |
| 100 | 35 | Akshardham | 36.5 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.618060 | 77.278690 |
| 101 | 36 | Mayur Vihar Phase-1 [Conn: Pink] | 38.3 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.604420 | 77.294550 |
| 102 | 37 | Mayur Vihar Extention | 39.5 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.594158 | 77.294589 |
| 103 | 38 | New Ashok Nagar | 40.4 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.589160 | 77.302040 |
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|-----|---------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| 104 | 39 | Noida Sector 15 | 41.4 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.585120 | 77.311390 |
| 105 | 40 | Noida Sector 16 | 42.5 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.578190 | 77.317570 |
| 106 | 41 | Noida Sector 18 | 43.6 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.570810 | 77.326120 |
| 107 | 42 | Botanical Garden [Conn: Magenta] | 44.7 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.564090 | 77.334200 |
| 108 | 43 | Golf Course | 45.9 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.567140 | 77.345980 |
| 109 | 44 | Noida City Center | 47.2 | Blue line | 2009- 11-12 | Elevated | 28.574660 | 77.356080 |
| 110 | 45 | Noida Sector 34 | 48.1 | Blue line | 2019- 03-09 | Elevated | 28.480863 | 77.084888 |
| 111 | 46 | Noida Sector 52 [Conn: Aqua] | 49.3 | Blue line | 2019- 03-09 | Elevated | 28.480863 | 77.084888 |
| 112 | 47 | Noida Sector 61 | 50.5 | Blue line | 2019- 03-09 | Elevated | 28.480863 | 77.084888 |
| 113 | 48 | Noida Sector 59 | 51.5 | Blue line | 2019- 03-09 | Elevated | 28.480863 | 77.084888 |
| 114 | 49 | Noida Sector 62 | 52.7 | Blue line | 2019- 03-09 | Elevated | 28.480863 | 77.084888 |

Dict

```
In [16]: # Create a folium map centered around the first station
         route_map_with_marker_and_lines = folium.Map(location=[target_route['Latitude'].iloc[0], t
         # Add a marker cluster
         marker_cluster = MarkerCluster().add_to(route_map_with_marker_and_lines)
         # Store the markers in a dictionary for easy access
         markers_dict = {}
         #Plot the stations on the map
         for idx, row in target_route.iterrows():
             line = row['Metro Line']
             color = line_colors.get(line, 'black')
             marker = folium.Marker(
                 location=[row['Latitude'], row['Longitude']],
                 popup=f"{row['Station Name']} (ID: {row['Station ID']})",
                 tooltip=f"{row['Station Name']} ({row['Metro Line']})",
                 icon=folium.Icon(color=color,icon="subway", prefix='fa')
             ).add_to(marker_cluster)
             markers_dict[row['Station Name']] = marker
         # Plot lines between the stations
         for i in range(len(target_route) - 1):
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line = target_route.iloc[i]['Metro Line']
    color = line_colors.get(line, 'black')
    folium.PolyLine(
        locations=[
            [target_route.iloc[i]['Latitude'], target_route.iloc[i]['Longitude']],
            [target_route.iloc[i+1]['Latitude'], target_route.iloc[i+1]['Longitude']]
        ],
        color=color,
        weight=5,
        opacity=0.7,
    ).add_to(route_map_with_marker_and_lines)
# Add a legend for station names with clickable links
legend html = f'''
     <div style="position: fixed;</pre>
                 bottom: 100px; left: 10px; width: 200px; height: 300px;
                 z-index:9999; font-size:14px;
                 background-color:white;
                 overflow-y: auto;
                 background: #d7eda6;
     <b style="display:flex; width: 100%; justify-content: center;">{target_line}</b>
for idx, row in target_route.iterrows():
    station name = row["Station Name"]
    legend_html += f'<i style="color: "black"; font-size:24px; width:fit-content;">&bull;
legend_html += '</div>'
# Add the Legend to the map
route_map_with_marker_and_lines.get_root().html.add_child(folium.Element(legend_html))
# JavaScript function to zoom to marker
js_zoom_function = '''
    <script>
    function panTo(index) {
        var lat = %s;
        var lon = %s;
        map.setView([`lat`, `lon`], 15);
    </script>
# Add Legend HTML and JavaScript function to the map
route_map_with_marker_and_lines.get_root().html.add_child(folium.Element(legend_html + js_
# Display the map (in Jupyter Notebook or other interactive environment)
route_map_with_marker_and_lines
```

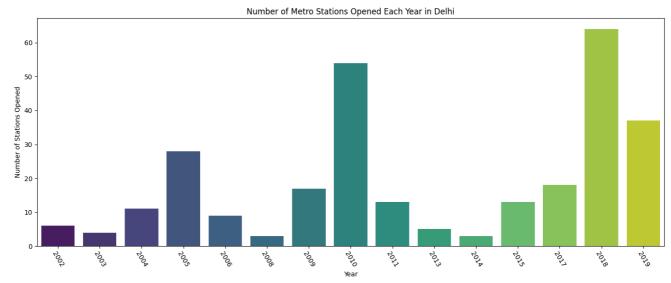


Similarly, one can change the target_line variable to access other routes as well.

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In [17]: metro_data['Opened Year'] = metro_data['Opened Date'].dt.year

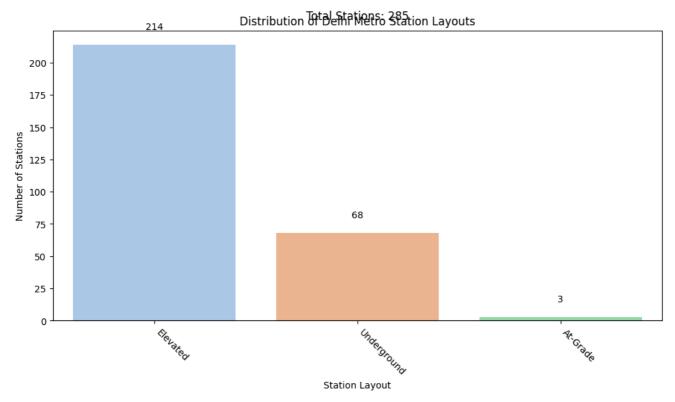
# Counting the number of stations opened each year
stations_per_year = metro_data['Opened Year'].value_counts().sort_index()
stations_per_year_df = stations_per_year.reset_index()
stations_per_year_df.columns = ['Year', 'Number of Stations']

# Plotting with Seaborn
plt.figure(figsize=(14, 6))
sns.barplot(data=stations_per_year_df, x='Year', y='Number of Stations', palette='viridis'
plt.title('Number of Metro Stations Opened Each Year in Delhi')
plt.xlabel('Year')
plt.ylabel('Number of Stations Opened')
plt.xticks(rotation=-60)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



Station Layout Analysis

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In [18]:
         # Counting the number of each station layout type
         layout_counts = metro_data['Layout'].value_counts()
         # Plotting with Seaborn
         plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
         sns.barplot(x=layout_counts.index, y=layout_counts.values, palette='pastel')
         plt.title('Distribution of Delhi Metro Station Layouts')
         plt.xlabel('Station Layout')
         plt.ylabel('Number of Stations')
         plt.xticks(rotation=-45, ha='left') # Adjust rotation and alignment of x-axis labels
         # Adding a label on top showing total number of stations
         total_stations = layout_counts.sum()
         plt.text(0.5, 1.05, f'Total Stations: {total_stations}', ha='center', va='center', transfc
         # Adding labels on top of each bar
         for index, value in enumerate(layout_counts):
             plt.text(index, value + 10, str(value), ha='center', va='bottom', fontsize=10)
         plt.tight_layout()
         plt.show()
```



We can see that out of 285 stations 214 are Elevated, 68 are Underground and only 3 are At-grade level.

```
In [19]: # Function to get station name and opening date based on min or max opening date

def get_station_info(group):
    oldest_station = group.loc[group['Opened Date'].idxmin()]
    newest_station = group.loc[group['Opened Date'].idxmax()]
    return pd.Series({
        'Oldest_Station': oldest_station['Station Name'],
        'Oldest_Opening_Date': oldest_station['Opened Date'].strftime('%Y-%m-%d'),
        'Newest_Station': newest_station['Station Name'],
        'Newest_Opening_Date': newest_station['Opened Date'].strftime('%Y-%m-%d')
    })
```

Group by metro line and apply the function to get oldest and newest stations
oldest_newest_stations = metro_data.groupby('Metro Line').apply(get_station_info).reset_ir
oldest_newest_stations

Out[19]:

| | Metro Line | Oldest_Station | Oldest_Opening_Date | Newest_Station | Newest_Opening_Date |
|----|-------------------------|--|---------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 0 | Aqua line | Noida Sector 51 [Conn: Blue] | 2019-01-25 | Noida Sector 51 [Conn: Blue] | 2019-01-25 |
| 1 | Blue line | Dwarka [Conn: Gray] | 2005-12-30 | Noida Sector 34 | 2019-03-09 |
| 2 | Blue line branch | Yamuna Bank | 2009-05-10 | Kaushambi | 2011-07-14 |
| 3 | Gray line | Dwarka [Conn: Blue] | 2019-10-04 | Dwarka [Conn: Blue] | 2019-10-04 |
| 4 | Green line | Inderlok Conn:Red | 2010-04-02 | Mundka Industrial Area (MIA) | 2018-06-24 |
| 5 | Green line branch | Ashok Park Main | 2010-04-02 | Kirti Nagar [Conn: Blue] | 2011-08-27 |
| 6 | Magenta line | Kalkaji Mandir [Conn: Violet] | 2017-12-25 | Janak Puri West [Conn: Blue] | 2018-05-29 |
| 7 | Orange line | New Delhi-Airport Express [Conn: Yellow] | 2011-02-23 | Dhaula Kuan [Conn: Pink] | 2011-08-15 |
| 8 | Pink line | Majlis Park | 2018-03-14 | Vinobapuri | 2018-12-31 |
| 9 | Rapid Metro | Sikandarpur [Conn: Yellow] | 2013-11-14 | Sector 53-54 | 2017-04-25 |
| 10 | Red line | Shahdara | 2002-12-24 | Shaheed Sthal(First Station) | 2019-03-08 |
| 11 | Voilet line | Central Secretariat [Conn: Yellow] | 2010-10-03 | Sant Surdas - Sihi | 2018-11-19 |
| 12 | Yellow line | Vishwavidyalaya | 2004-12-20 | Samaypur Badli(First Station) | 2015-11-10 |

In the table above, we can see the oldest added and the newest added stations of each metro line.

Conclusion

- 1. **Number of Metro Stations:** There are 285 Metro stations in the Delhi Metro network at present. These stations not only provides a faster, economic mode of transportation but also has reduces carbon emmissions.
- 2. **Metro Lines:** The metro network is spread all over Delhi by 13 color-coded lines. Multiple intersections in these lines furthers connectivity to every corner of the capital.

- 3. **The Oldest Line:** The red line is the oldest line in the metro network and initially started operations between Tis Hazari and Shahdara.
- 4. **The Busiest Line**: The Blue line is the busiest line connecting 49 stations. In addition to that the blue line branch connects 8 more lines.
- 5. **The Largest Line**: The Pink line is the largest metro line covering 53km distance across Delhi and connecting with the Red, Yellow, Blue and Orange line on multiple stations.
- 6. **Utilising the space:** Out of 285 stations 214 are Elevated, 68 are Underground and only 3 are At-grade level. This showes how the space has been utilised in order to provide this means of transportation.

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