OBJECTIVES -

1. Collect and Clean Data:

- Collect: Get the raw sales data file (CSV, Excel, etc.).
- Clean: Remove duplicates, handle missing values, correct data types.

2. Observe Patterns:

- Summary Stats: Calculate basic statistics (mean, median, etc.).
- **Visualize:** Use histograms, bar charts, and pie charts to see distributions and frequencies.

3. Analyze Sales:

- **Key Metrics:** Total sales, average sales per transaction, sales trends over time.
- Segment Analysis: Sales by product, region, or customer segment.
- **Performance:** Top-selling products, revenue contributions, seasonal trends.
- **Customer Insights:** Average order value, repeat purchase rates.

Insights from Sales Data

1. Sales by Day and Hour:

 Weekends dominate in April; weekdays in May and June. Peak sales: 9 AM - 10 AM.

2. Peak Sales Times:

Peak activity observed from 8 AM to 10 AM.

3. Total Monthly Sales Revenue:

• January: \$81,677.74

• February: \$76,145.19

• March: \$98,834.68

• April: \$118,941.10

• May: \$156,727.80

• June: \$166,485.90

4. Sales Across Store Locations:

• Hell's Kitchen leads in footfall (50,735) and revenue (\$236,511.17).

5. Average Order Quantity:

- Average of 1.4 orders per person over 6 months.
- 6. Average Price Per Person on Weekends:
 - Average spend of \$4.70 per person on weekends.
 - Total weekend revenue (6 months): \$195,224.80
 - Total footfall on weekends: 149,116

Learnings

Clean Data with Power Query

- 1. Load Data: Open Excel and load data into Power Query Editor.
- 2. Remove Duplicates: Home > Remove Duplicates.
- 3. Handle Missing Values: Home > Replace Values or Remove Rows.
- 4. Correct Data Types: Transform > Data Type.
- 5. Trim Spaces: Transform > Format > Trim.
- 6. Add Conditional Columns: Add Column > Conditional Column.
- 7. Add Custom Columns: Add Column > Custom Column.
- 8. Text After Delimiter: Transform > Split Column > By Delimiter.
- 9. Load Clean Data: Close & Load.

Analyze Data with Power Pivot

- 1. Load to Power Pivot: Power Pivot > Add to Data Model.
- 2. Create Relationships: Diagram View.
- 3. Create Measures: Home > Calculations > New Measure.
- 4. Build Pivot Tables/Charts: Insert > PivotTable > From Data Model.