

# Appendix

This section summarizes the technical workflow behind the memo, outlining how sales data were cleaned, aggregated, and translated into operational insights.

It highlights the key analytical steps including normalization, scaling, and shift-based staffing logic and explains how each modeling and visualization choice connects directly to practical decisions around scheduling, inventory, and service efficiency.

## 1. Dataset Overview and Cleaning

The dataset `Coffe_sales_with_menu_price` consists of **3,547 transactional records** with columns such as:

- `money` : revenue per transaction (numeric, continuous)
- `hour_of_day` : 24-hour timestamp of purchase
- `Weekday` : day of week (categorical)
- `coffee_name` : product purchased
- `Time_of_Day` : derived categorical variable
- `Weekdaysort` : numeric column for weekday sorting

The dataset contained no missing values in the key variables used for analysis. Currency values were formatted as floats, rounded for readability in visualization. Outliers (very high single-transaction amounts) were retained since they likely correspond to bulk orders operationally relevant for sales volume planning.

## 2. Post-Processing and Derived Metrics

### 2.1 Shift-Based Normalization and Staffing Heuristic

After computing total hourly sales ( `sales_by_hour` ), transaction data were aggregated into **three operational shift blocks** to reflect realistic staffing windows rather than individual hours:

- **Morning (6 AM – 12 PM)** – prep + commuter rush
- **Midday (12 PM – 4 PM)** – steady flow + restock
- **Evening (4 PM – 10 PM)** – after-work surge + wind-down

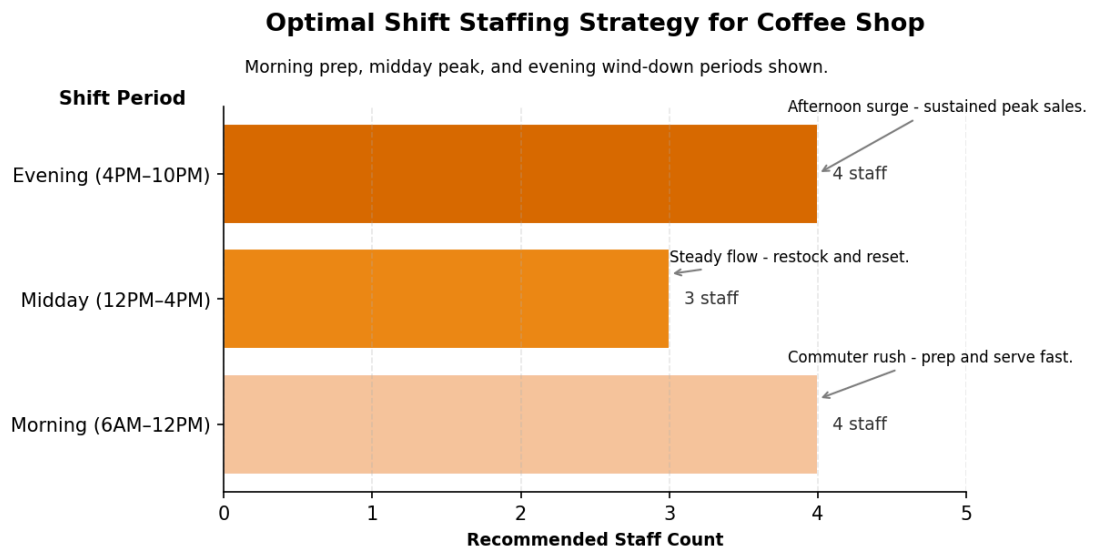
This aggregation bridges sales analytics and workforce planning, converting revenue intensity into actionable staffing guidance for daily scheduling.

```
# Define shift boundaries
shift_bins = [6, 12, 16, 22]
shift_labels = ["Morning (6AM-12PM)", "Midday (12PM-4PM)", "Evening (4PM-10PM)"]
df["Shift"] = pd.cut(df["hour_of_day"], bins=shift_bins,
labels=shift_labels, right=False)
```

```
# Aggregate total revenue by shift
sales_by_shift = df.groupby("Shift")["money"].sum().reset_index()

# Normalize and convert to recommended staff counts
sales_by_shift["normalized"] = sales_by_shift["money"] /
sales_by_shift["money"].max()
sales_by_shift["recommended_staff"] =
(np.round(sales_by_shift["normalized"] * 3) + 1).astype(int)
sales_by_shift
```

### Staffing recommendation Plot



Shift	Sales (\$)	Normalized	Recommended Staff
Morning (6AM–12PM)	5300.9	0.89	4
Midday (12PM–4PM)	4201.8	0.70	3
Evening (4PM–10PM)	5971.1	1.00	4

## 2.2 Explanation of the Transformation

### Aggregation by Shift Block

Summing hourly revenue within the three shift ranges smooths local fluctuations and aligns the analysis with how managers actually schedule staff.

### Normalization

Each shift's sales are divided by the maximum shift total to scale values from 0–1:

$$\text{normalized}_i = \frac{\text{sales}_i}{\max(\text{sales})}$$

This expresses demand as a **relative intensity measure**, independent of absolute sales levels.

## Scaling and Conversion to Staff Counts

Multiplying normalized intensity by 3 translates workload into a practical staffing range (up to **3 incremental workers above baseline**).

Rounding and adding +1 guarantees a minimum coverage of one barista even in low-traffic periods:

$$\text{Recommended Staff}_i = \text{round} \left( \frac{\text{Sales}_i}{\text{Max Sales}} \times 3 \right) + 1$$

## Operational Interpretation

- **Morning (4 staff):** High early demand from commuters → max coverage for speed and prep.
- **Midday (3 staff):** Moderate traffic → lean crew focused on restock and cleanup.
- **Evening (4 staff):** Renewed demand → scale back up for social and after-work orders.

## Actionability

The resulting heuristic links financial data directly to shift scheduling without complex forecasting models, giving managers a transparent and data-driven baseline for staffing.

## Example Calculation and Interpretation

To confirm the transformation, the following snippet inspects the computed recommendations for each shift:

```
sales_by_shift.loc[sales_by_shift["Shift"].isin([
    "Morning (6AM-12PM)", "Midday (12PM-4PM)", "Evening (4PM-10PM)"
])]
```

Shift	Total Sales (\$)	Normalized	Scaled (×3)	Rounded	+1 Baseline	Recommended Staff
Morning (6AM–12PM)	5300.9	0.89	2.67	3	+1	4
Midday (12PM–4PM)	4201.8	0.70	2.10	2	+1	3
Evening (4PM–10PM)	5971.1	1.00	3.00	3	+1	4

These results match the staffing chart, demonstrating **balanced coverage**:

- **4 staff** during morning and evening peaks to handle rush and sustained sales.
- **3 staff** midday for steady operations and reset activities.

## Analytical Rationale

### Normalization:

Eliminates scale bias and makes demand patterns comparable across days or locations.

**Shift aggregation:**

Aligns data with human scheduling practices instead of hourly granularity.

**Scaling (+3) and baseline (+1):**

Provide a realistic, tunable heuristic for typical café staffing capacity.

This approach is not predictive but an empirical operational heuristic simple enough for daily use yet grounded in quantitative analysis.

It turns historical sales data into an **actionable staffing strategy** that balances **labor efficiency** and **customer service quality** throughout the day.

### 3. Analytical Assumptions

- **Assumptions:**

1. Sales volume correlates linearly with staffing demand (sufficient for aggregate-level scheduling).
2. Customer arrival patterns are consistent across stores in the region.
3. No external seasonality or promotional data were included; patterns are purely temporal.

```
In [37]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from matplotlib.ticker import MaxNLocator, FuncFormatter
import math
```

```
In [38]: df = pd.read_csv("Coffe_sales_with_menu_price.csv")
```

```
In [39]: df.head()
```

```
Out[39]:
```

	hour_of_day	cash_type	coffee_name	Time_of_Day	Weekday	Month_name	Weekda
0	10	card	Latte	Morning	Fri	Mar	
1	12	card	Hot Chocolate	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
2	12	card	Hot Chocolate	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
3	13	card	Americano	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
4	13	card	Latte	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	

```
In [40]: df.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 3547 entries, 0 to 3546
Data columns (total 11 columns):
#   Column          Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  ---
0   hour_of_day     3547 non-null   int64
1   cash_type       3547 non-null   object
2   coffee_name     3547 non-null   object
3   Time_of_Day     3547 non-null   object
4   Weekday         3547 non-null   object
5   Month_name      3547 non-null   object
6   Weekdaysort    3547 non-null   int64
7   Monthsort       3547 non-null   int64
8   Date            3547 non-null   object
9   Time            3547 non-null   object
10  money           3547 non-null   float64
dtypes: float64(1), int64(3), object(7)
memory usage: 304.9+ KB
```

```
In [41]: # convert to datetime
df["Date"] = pd.to_datetime(df["Date"], errors="coerce")
df["Time"] = pd.to_datetime(df["Time"], errors="coerce")
```

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/tmp/ipykernel_82243/3093750455.py:3: UserWarning: Could not infer format, so each
element will be parsed individually, falling back to `dateutil`. To ensure parsing
is consistent and as-expected, please specify a format.
df["Time"] = pd.to_datetime(df["Time"], errors="coerce")
```

In [42]: df

Out[42]:

	hour_of_day	cash_type	coffee_name	Time_of_Day	Weekday	Month_name	Wee
0	10	card	Latte	Morning	Fri	Mar	
1	12	card	Hot Chocolate	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
2	12	card	Hot Chocolate	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
3	13	card	Americano	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
4	13	card	Latte	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3542	10	card	Cappuccino	Morning	Sun	Mar	
3543	14	card	Cocoa	Afternoon	Sun	Mar	
3544	14	card	Cocoa	Afternoon	Sun	Mar	
3545	15	card	Americano	Afternoon	Sun	Mar	
3546	18	card	Latte	Night	Sun	Mar	

3547 rows × 11 columns



In [43]: df[df.duplicated()]

Out[43]:

	hour_of_day	cash_type	coffee_name	Time_of_Day	Weekday	Month_name	Weekday
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In [44]: df.isnull().any()

Out[44]:

hour_of_day	False
cash_type	False
coffee_name	False
Time_of_Day	False
Weekday	False
Month_name	False
Weekdaysort	False
Monthsort	False
Date	False
Time	False
money	False
dtype:	bool

```
In [45]: df["money"] = pd.to_numeric(df["money"], errors="coerce")
```

```
In [46]: weekday_order = ["Mon", "Tue", "Wed", "Thu", "Fri", "Sat", "Sun"]
month_order = [
    "Jan",
    "Feb",
    "Mar",
    "Apr",
    "May",
    "Jun",
    "Jul",
    "Aug",
    "Sep",
    "Oct",
    "Nov",
    "Dec",
]

df["Weekday"] = pd.Categorical(df["Weekday"], categories=weekday_order, ordered=True)
df["Month_name"] = pd.Categorical(
    df["Month_name"], categories=month_order, ordered=True
)
```

```
In [47]: df.head()
```

```
Out[47]:
```

	hour_of_day	cash_type	coffee_name	Time_of_Day	Weekday	Month_name	Weekda
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0	10	card	Latte	Morning	Fri	Mar	
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1	12	card	Hot Chocolate	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
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2	12	card	Hot Chocolate	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
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3	13	card	Americano	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
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4	13	card	Latte	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
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## Question 1

What times of day and days of the week generate the highest sales volume, and how can staffing or store hours be optimized to match customer demand?

Purpose: Helps identify peak operational periods to guide shift scheduling and labor cost efficiency.

```
In [48]: # general aggregations
sales_by_hour = (
    df.groupby("hour_of_day", as_index=False)["money"].sum().sort_values("hour_of_day")
)
```

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count_by_hour = (
    df.groupby("hour_of_day", as_index=False)
      .size()
      .rename(columns={"size": "transactions"})
)
sales_by_timeofday = (
    df.groupby("Time_of_Day", as_index=False)["money"]
      .sum()
      .sort_values("money", ascending=False)
)
sales_by_weekday = (
    df.groupby(["Weekday", "Weekdaysort"], as_index=False)["money"]
      .sum()
      .sort_values("Weekdaysort")
)
sales_by_coffee = (
    df.groupby("coffee_name", as_index=False)["money"]
      .sum()
      .sort_values("money", ascending=False)
)

```

/tmp/ipykernel\_82243/1069618463.py:16: FutureWarning: The default of observed=False is deprecated and will be changed to True in a future version of pandas. Pass observed=False to retain current behavior or observed=True to adopt the future default and silence this warning.

```
df.groupby(["Weekday", "Weekdaysort"], as_index=False)["money"]
```

```

In [49]: pivot_df = df.pivot_table(
          index="hour_of_day", columns="Weekday", values="money", aggfunc="sum", fill_
        )

```

/tmp/ipykernel\_82243/1772292445.py:1: FutureWarning: The default value of observed=False is deprecated and will change to observed=True in a future version of pandas. Specify observed=False to silence this warning and retain the current behavior

```
pivot_df = df.pivot_table(
```

```
In [50]: pivot_df
```



Out[50]:

Weekday	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
hour_of_day							
6	9.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.35	0.00	0.00
7	105.45	69.50	84.45	63.45	82.85	9.70	8.90
8	188.25	220.85	131.65	102.20	216.55	107.10	88.70
9	165.80	175.75	117.25	146.70	225.15	149.15	95.05
10	232.90	213.95	211.10	217.55	189.35	183.65	228.05
11	173.25	247.50	203.50	125.65	124.10	242.35	130.50
12	112.15	134.75	149.05	129.25	163.60	207.30	188.75
13	124.95	99.45	195.35	138.75	163.70	147.45	148.20
14	190.90	147.60	68.45	150.85	148.35	169.45	142.85
15	170.15	119.45	141.05	163.90	158.45	168.30	159.35
16	218.65	211.10	194.30	177.55	139.05	193.65	111.55
17	160.55	157.25	156.70	162.25	184.50	129.50	108.70
18	162.70	147.70	155.10	138.25	138.80	85.05	153.20
19	203.10	236.95	164.05	193.05	116.25	89.30	46.45
20	94.40	165.40	108.10	135.05	70.55	103.65	81.50
21	117.70	144.55	140.05	192.80	76.45	52.15	153.50
22	60.65	54.25	45.50	57.95	152.70	95.95	38.80

```

In [51]: tx_hour = count_by_hour.sort_values("hour_of_day")

fig, ax_tx = plt.subplots(figsize=(8, 5), dpi=180)

main_color = "#cc5c00"
light_color = "#f5c76e"
highlight_color = "#e67e22"

ax_tx.plot(
    tx_hour["hour_of_day"],
    tx_hour["transactions"],
    marker="o",
    linewidth=2.2,
    color=main_color,
)
ax_tx.grid(True, linestyle="--", alpha=0.25, color="#e0b35c")

spacing = tx_hour["transactions"].max() * 0.02
peak_hours = [10, 16]
for x, y in zip(tx_hour["hour_of_day"], tx_hour["transactions"]):
    if x in peak_hours:
        ax_tx.text(
            x,
            y + spacing,
            f"{y:,.0f}",

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        ha="center",
        va="bottom",
        fontsize=9,
        fontweight="medium",
        color="black",
    )

plt.suptitle(
    "Customer transactions surge around 10 AM and again near 4 PM.",
    fontsize=9,
    fontweight="medium",
    y=0.872,
    x=0.5,
    ha="center",
    color="black",
)

plt.title(
    "Hourly transaction volume shows two notable spikes, indicating.",
    fontsize=14,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=40,
    loc="center",
    color="black",
)

plt.xlabel("Hour of Day", fontsize=10, fontweight="bold", color="black")
plt.ylabel("", fontsize=10, fontweight="bold")

ax_tx.text(
    -0.05,
    1.03,
    "Avg. Transactions",
    transform=ax_tx.transAxes,
    ha="center",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
    fontsize=10,
    color="black",
)

ax_tx.set_xticks(range(6, 23))
ax_tx.set_xticklabels(
    [f"{h%12 or 12}{'AM' if h < 12 else 'PM'}" for h in range(6, 23)],
    fontsize=8,
    fontweight="medium",
    color="black",
    family="sans-serif",
)

# get the avg line
avg_tx = tx_hour["transactions"].mean()
ax_tx.axhline(avg_tx, color=highlight_color, linestyle="--", alpha=0.5)
ax_tx.text(
    x=tx_hour["hour_of_day"].max() + 0.85,
    y=avg_tx,
    s=f"Avg: {avg_tx:,.0f}",
    va="center",
    ha="left",
    fontsize=9,

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        color="black",
        fontweight="medium",
    )

    # highlight windows
    ax_tx.axvspan(9, 11, color=light_color, alpha=0.25)
    ax_tx.axvspan(15, 17, color=light_color, alpha=0.25)

    label_y = avg_tx * 0.62
    arrow_y = avg_tx * 0.87

    ax_tx.text(
        13,
        label_y,
        "Periods of high activity",
        ha="center",
        va="top",
        fontsize=8.5,
        fontweight="medium",
        color="black",
    )

    ax_tx.annotate(
        "",
        xy=(10, arrow_y),
        xytext=(13, label_y),
        arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", lw=1.3, color=main_color),
    )

    ax_tx.annotate(
        "",
        xy=(16, arrow_y),
        xytext=(13, label_y),
        arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", lw=1.3, color=main_color),
    )

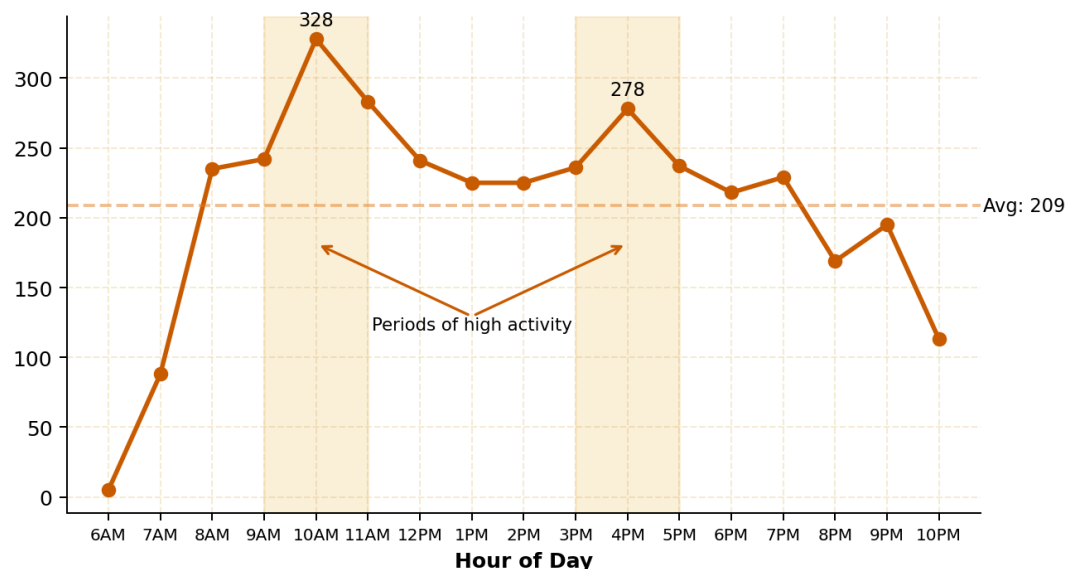
    sns.despine()
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()

```

## Hourly transaction volume shows two notable spikes, indicating.

Customer transactions surge around 10 AM and again near 4 PM.

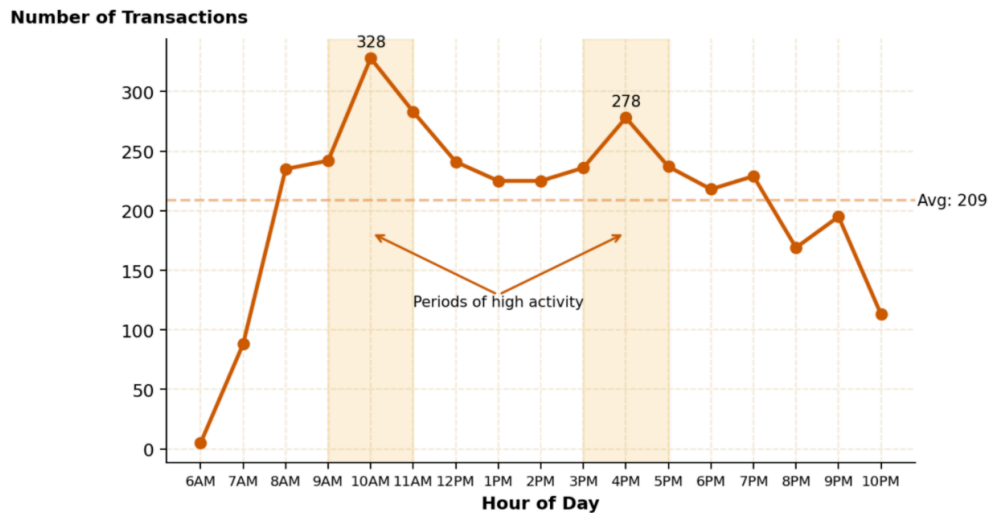
**Avg. Transactions**



We need to post processes this for better labeling for which we move our plot above to a word document and then work on the labels

The is our plot post processing

**Customer transactions surge around 10 AM and again near 4 PM**  
Hourly transaction volume shows two notable spikes, offering guidance for optimal staffing and promotions.



```
In [52]: weekday_order = ["Mon", "Tue", "Wed", "Thu", "Fri", "Sat", "Sun"]
pivot_df = pivot_df[weekday_order]

left_data = pivot_df.copy()

def get_time_of_day(hour):
    if 6 <= hour < 12:
        return "Morning"
    elif 12 <= hour < 17:
        return "Afternoon"
    elif 17 <= hour <= 22:
        return "Evening"
    else:
        return "Other"

df_long = pivot_df.reset_index().melt(
    id_vars="hour_of_day", var_name="Weekday", value_name="Revenue"
)
df_long["TimeOfDay"] = df_long["hour_of_day"].apply(get_time_of_day)
agg = df_long.groupby(["Weekday", "TimeOfDay"])["Revenue"].sum().reset_index()
time_order = ["Morning", "Afternoon", "Evening"]
right_data = (
    agg.pivot(index="Weekday", columns="TimeOfDay", values="Revenue")
    .reindex(index=weekday_order, columns=time_order)
    .fillna(0)
)
```

```
In [53]: # prepare heatmap
td_map = {"Night": "Evening"}
df_for_heatmap = df.assign(Time_of_Day_plot=df["Time_of_Day"].replace(td_map))
```

```

right_data = (
    df_for_heatmap.pivot_table(
        index="Weekday",
        columns="Time_of_Day_plot",
        values="money",
        aggfunc="sum",
        fill_value=0,
    )
    .reindex(index=weekday_order)
    .reindex(columns=time_order, fill_value=0)
    .astype(float)
)

```

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```
df_for_heatmap.pivot_table(
```

```

In [54]: weekday_order = ["Mon", "Tue", "Wed", "Thu", "Fri", "Sat", "Sun"]
         time_order = ["Morning", "Afternoon", "Evening"]

fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 6), dpi=180)

heatmap = sns.heatmap(
    right_data,
    ax=ax,
    cmap="YlOrBr",
    annot=True,
    fmt=".0f",
    linewidths=0.5,
    linecolor="white",
    cbar=False,
)

# horizontal colorbar axis just above the heatmap
from mpl_toolkits.axes_grid1 import make_axes_locatable

divider = make_axes_locatable(ax)
cax = divider.append_axes("top", size="3%", pad=0.35)
norm = plt.Normalize(vmin=right_data.values.min(), vmax=right_data.values.max())
sm = plt.cm.ScalarMappable(cmap="YlOrBr", norm=norm)
cbar = fig.colorbar(sm, cax=cax, orientation="horizontal")
cbar.set_label("Revenue ($)", fontsize=10, fontweight="bold", labelpad=4)
cbar.ax.tick_params(labelsize=9, pad=2)
cbar.ax.xaxis.set_ticks_position("top")
cbar.ax.xaxis.set_label_position("top")

ax.set_title(
    "When to Staff for Success: Revenue Peaks Show the Power of Timing",
    fontsize=16,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=100,
)
ax.text(
    0.5,
    1.35,
    "Weekday peaks occur in the morning and evening, while weekend afternoons do",
    transform=ax.transAxes,
    ha="center",
)

```

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        fontsize=10,
    )

    ax.set_xlabel("Time of Day", fontsize=12, fontweight="bold")
    ax.set_ylabel("", fontsize=10, fontweight="bold")
    ax.text(
        -0.01,
        1.03,
        "Day of Week",
        transform=ax.transAxes,
        ha="center",
        va="bottom",
        fontweight="bold",
        fontsize=9,
    )

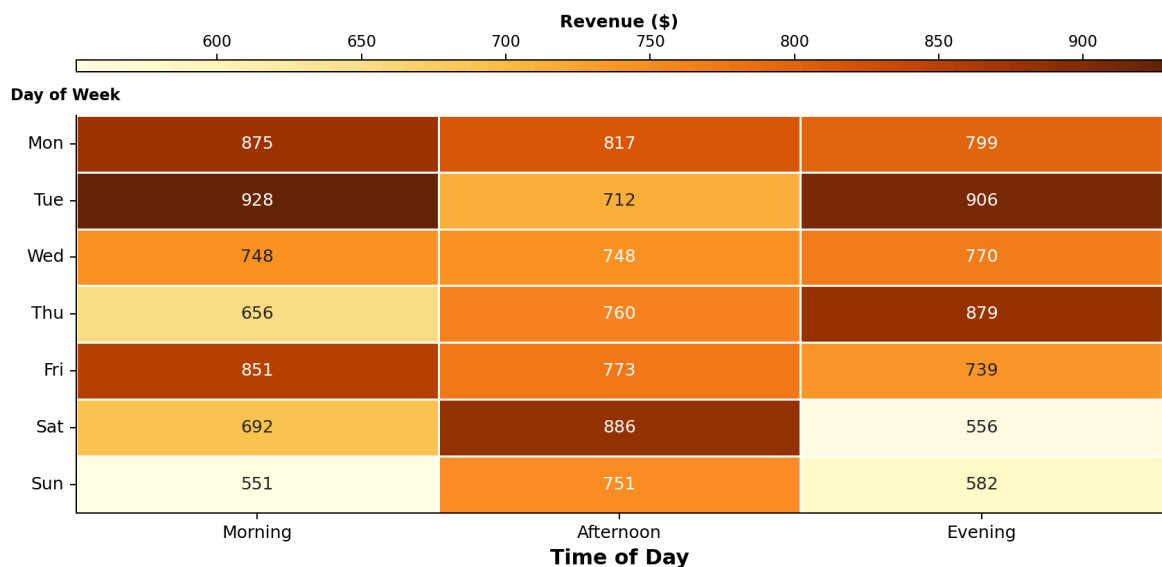
    ax.set_xticklabels(ax.get_xticklabels(), rotation=0)
    ax.set_yticklabels(ax.get_yticklabels(), rotation=0)

    sns.despine()
    plt.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0.05, 1, 0.96])
    plt.show()

```

## When to Staff for Success: Revenue Peaks Show the Power of Timing

Weekday peaks occur in the morning and evening, while weekend afternoons dominate revenue — plan staffing accordingly.



```

In [55]: hour_sales = sales_by_hour.set_index("hour_of_day")["money"]
normalized = hour_sales / hour_sales.max() if hour_sales.max() > 0 else hour_sal
recommended_staff = (normalized * 5).apply(math.ceil) + 1

recommended_df = recommended_staff.reset_index().rename(
    columns={"money": "recommended_staff"}
)

rec_hours = (
    pd.DataFrame({"hour_of_day": range(6, 23)})
    .merge(recommended_df, on="hour_of_day", how="left")
    .fillna(1)
)
rec_hours["recommended_staff"] = rec_hours["recommended_staff"].astype(int)

```

```

In [56]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4), dpi=150)

non_peak_color = "#cfcfcf"
peak_color = "#cc5c00"

bars = plt.bar(
    rec_hours["hour_of_day"],
    rec_hours["recommended_staff"],
    color=non_peak_color,
    edgecolor="white",
)

for idx, val in enumerate(rec_hours["recommended_staff"]):
    plt.text(
        rec_hours["hour_of_day"].iloc[idx],
        val + 0.15,
        str(val),
        ha="center",
        va="bottom",
        fontsize=8,
        color="#333",
    )

# highlight peak bars
peak_hours = [10, 11, 16]
plt.bar(
    rec_hours.loc[rec_hours["hour_of_day"].isin(peak_hours), "hour_of_day"],
    rec_hours.loc[rec_hours["hour_of_day"].isin(peak_hours), "recommended_staff"],
    color=peak_color,
    edgecolor="white",
)

plt.title(
    "Align Staffing with Demand: Boost Coverage During 10 AM and 4 PM Peaks",
    fontsize=12,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=50,
)

plt.suptitle(
    "Highlighted bars mark high-demand hours.",
    fontsize=9,
    y=0.835,
)

plt.xlabel("Hour of Day", fontsize=8.5, fontweight="bold", labelpad=6)
plt.ylabel("")
plt.text(
    -0.05,
    1.02,
    "Recommended Staff",
    transform=plt.gca().transAxes,
    ha="center",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
    fontsize=8.5,
)

ax = plt.gca()
ax.set_xticks(range(6, 23))

```

```

ax.set_xticklabels(
    [f"{h%12 or 12} {'AM' if h < 12 else 'PM'}" for h in range(6, 23)],
    rotation=0,
    fontsize=8,
    fontweight="medium",
    family="sans-serif",
)

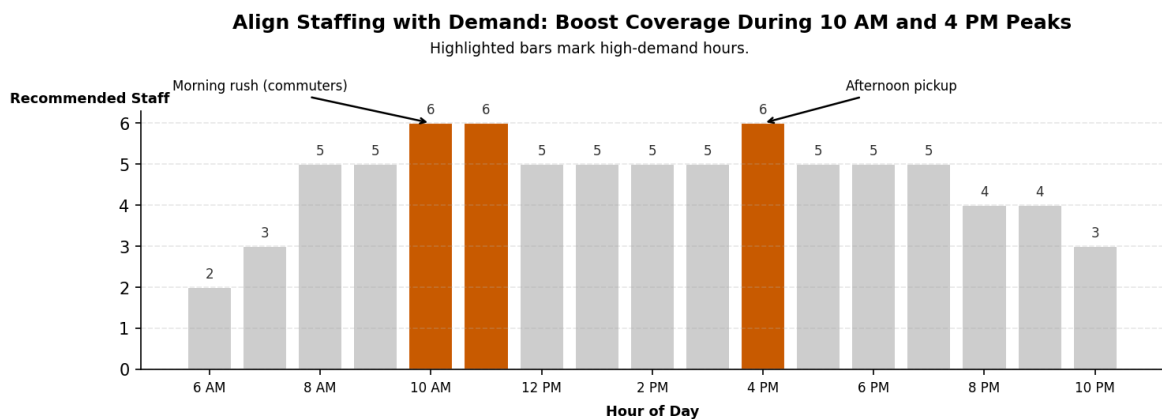
plt.annotate(
    "Morning rush (commuters)",
    xy=(10, 6),
    xytext=(8.5, 6.8),
    arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", color="black", lw=1.2),
    fontsize=8,
    color="black",
    ha="right",
)

plt.annotate(
    "Afternoon pickup",
    xy=(16, 6),
    xytext=(17.5, 6.8),
    arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", color="black", lw=1.2),
    fontsize=8,
    color="black",
    ha="left",
)

ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(MaxNLocator(integer=True))
ax.grid(axis="y", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax.spines["right"].set_visible(False)

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

```



```

In [57]: rec_open_hours = rec_hours[rec_hours["recommended_staff"] > 1][
    ["hour_of_day", "recommended_staff"]
]
print("Recommended Staff by Hour (hours with >1 staff):")
print(rec_open_hours)

```



Recommended Staff by Hour (hours with >1 staff):

	hour_of_day	recommended_staff
0	6	2
1	7	3
2	8	5
3	9	5
4	10	6
5	11	6
6	12	5
7	13	5
8	14	5
9	15	5
10	16	6
11	17	5
12	18	5
13	19	5
14	20	4
15	21	4
16	22	3

## Question 2

Which types of coffee are most popular during different times of the day, and how should inventory and promotions adjust accordingly? Purpose: Helps managers plan inventory and marketing by matching coffee types to customer habits (e.g., cappuccinos in the morning, iced drinks in the afternoon).

```
In [58]: assert {"hour_of_day", "money"} <= set(df.columns), "Missing columns."

OPEN_HOUR = 6
CLOSE_HOUR = 23

h = (
    df.assign(hour_of_day=pd.to_numeric(df["hour_of_day"], errors="coerce"))
    .dropna(subset=["hour_of_day", "money"])
    .query("@OPEN_HOUR <= hour_of_day <= @CLOSE_HOUR")
    .groupby("hour_of_day", dropna=True)["money"]
    .sum()
    .sort_index()
)

if h.empty:
    print("No hourly data to plot within open hours.")
else:
    cum_pct = h.cumsum() / h.sum() * 100
    half_idx = (cum_pct >= 50).idxmax()

    plt.figure(figsize=(9, 5), dpi=170)
    ax = plt.gca()

    plt.plot(
        cum_pct.index,
        cum_pct.values,
        color="#cc5c00",
        lw=2.4,
        marker="o",
        markersize=5,
    )
```

```

plt.fill_between(
    cum_pct.index,
    0,
    cum_pct.values,
    where=cum_pct.index <= half_idx,
    color="#cc5c00",
    alpha=0.15,
)

plt.axhline(50, ls="--", c="#999", lw=1)
plt.axvline(half_idx, ls="--", c="#999", lw=1)

hour_12 = half_idx % 12
hour_12 = 12 if hour_12 == 0 else hour_12
period = "AM" if half_idx < 12 else "PM"

plt.annotate(
    f"50% of revenue\nby {hour_12} {period}",
    xy=(half_idx, 50),
    xytext=(half_idx + 0.5, 78),
    arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", color="#555", lw=1),
    fontsize=9.5,
    ha="left",
    va="center",
)

plt.title(
    "Half of Daily Revenue Earned Before 2PM",
    fontsize=13,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=40,
)

plt.suptitle(
    f"Cumulative share of total daily sales by hour ({OPEN_HOUR}:00-{CLOSE_H
    fontsize=10,
    y=0.873,
)

ax.set_xlabel("Hour of Day", fontsize=10.5, fontweight="bold")

ax.text(
    -0.05,
    1.03,
    "Cumulative Revenue (%)",
    transform=ax.transAxes,
    ha="center",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
    fontsize=10,
)

ax.set_xlim(OPEN_HOUR - 0.5, CLOSE_HOUR + 0.5)
ax.set_xticks(range(OPEN_HOUR, CLOSE_HOUR + 1, 2))
ax.set_xticklabels(
    [
        f"{h%12 or 12} {'AM' if h < 12 else 'PM'}"
        for h in range(OPEN_HOUR, CLOSE_HOUR + 1, 2)
    ],
    fontsize=8.5,

```

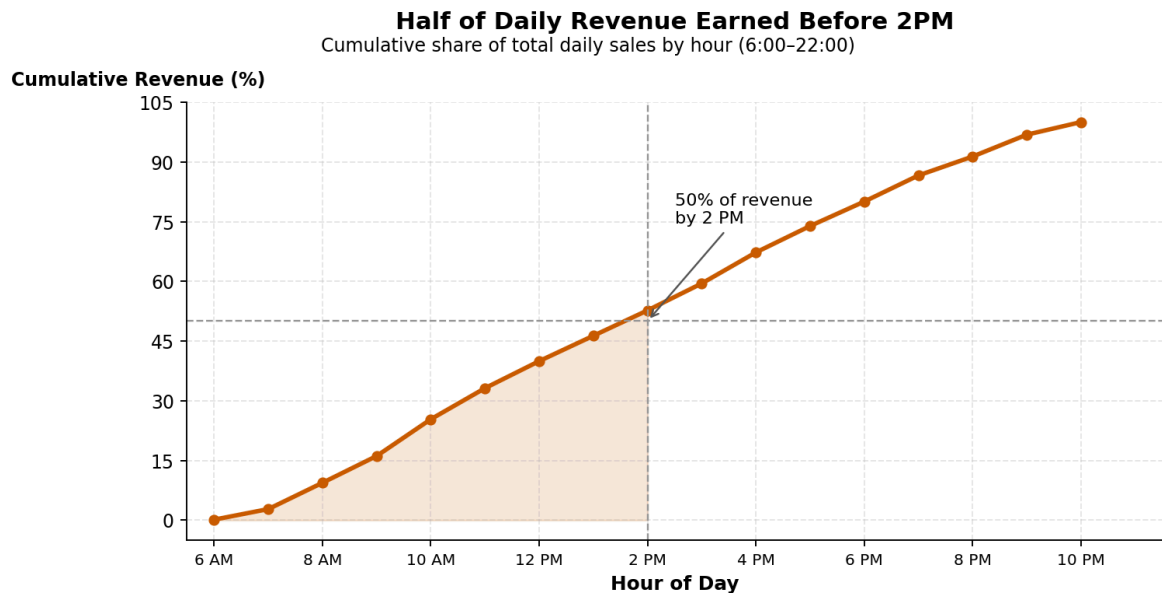
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)

ax.yaxis.set_major_locator(MaxNLocator(integer=True))
ax.grid(axis="both", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax.spines["right"].set_visible(False)

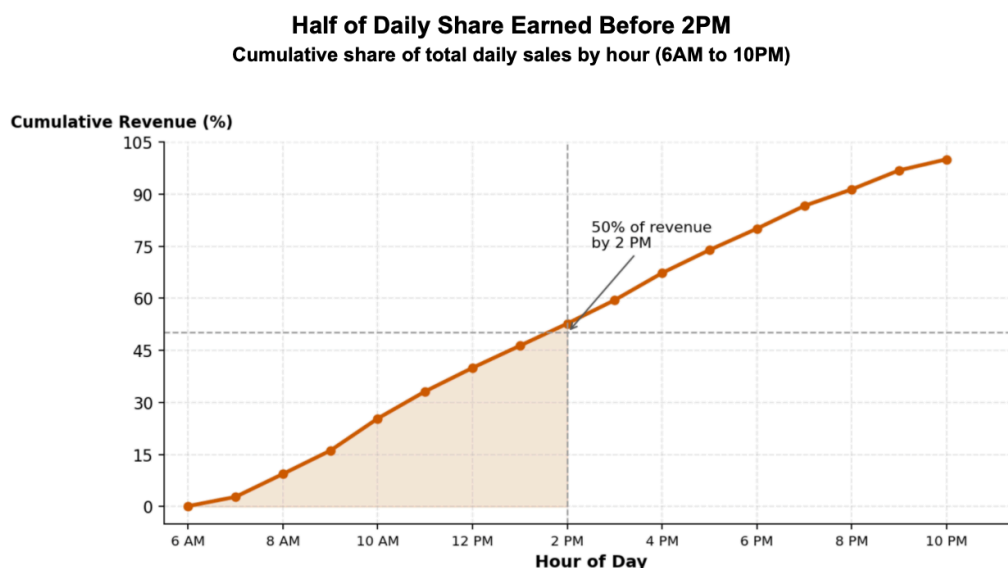
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

```



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The is our plot post processing



```

In [59]: DAYPART_ORDER = ["Morning", "Afternoon", "Night"]
DAYPART_DESC = {"Morning": "Open-10am", "Afternoon": "10am-2pm", "Night": "6pm-C
TOP_N = 8
CMAP = "Blues"
CURRENCY = FuncFormatter(lambda x, p: f"${x:,.0f}")

```

```

sales_by_coffee_ord = sales_by_coffee.sort_values("money", ascending=True).tail(
overall_top = sales_by_coffee_ord.iloc[-1]["coffee_name"]
overall_top_amt = sales_by_coffee_ord.iloc[-1]["money"]

coffee_heatmap = (
    df[df["coffee_name"].isin(sales_by_coffee_ord["coffee_name"])]
    .pivot_table(
        index="coffee_name",
        columns="Time_of_Day",
        values="money",
        aggfunc="sum",
        fill_value=0,
    )
    .reindex(index=sales_by_coffee_ord["coffee_name"].tolist())
    .reindex(columns=[d for d in DAYPART_ORDER if d in df["Time_of_Day"].unique()])

daypart_leads = coffee_heatmap.idxmax(axis=0)
lead_morn = daypart_leads.get("Morning", None)
lead_aft = daypart_leads.get("Afternoon", None)
lead_night = daypart_leads.get("Night", None)

```

```

In [60]: cmap = plt.cm.YlOrBr
latte_color = cmap(0.45)
americano_color = cmap(0.85)

fig, (ax1, ax2) = plt.subplots(
    2, 1, figsize=(8, 10), dpi=180, gridspec_kw={"hspace": 0.4}
)

y = np.arange(len(sales_by_coffee_ord))
colors = []
for name in sales_by_coffee_ord["coffee_name"]:
    if name == "Latte":
        colors.append(latte_color)
    elif name == "Americano with Milk":
        colors.append(americano_color)
    else:
        colors.append("#D9D9D9")

bars = ax1.barh(y, sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].values, color=colors)

xmax = sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].max()
for yi, v in zip(y, sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].values):
    ax1.text(v + xmax * 0.01, yi, f"${v:,.0f}", va="center", fontsize=9, color="

ax1.set_yticks(y)
ax1.set_yticklabels(sales_by_coffee_ord["coffee_name"])
ax1.set_xlabel("Total Sales ($) ", fontsize=11, fontweight="bold")
ax1.set_ylabel("")
ax1.xaxis.set_major_formatter(CURRENCY)
ax1.grid(axis="x", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax1.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax1.spines["right"].set_visible(False)

ax1.set_title(
    "Revenue Breakdown of Top Coffee Products: Lattes and Americano with Milk Do
    fontsize=12,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=30,

```

```

)
ax1.text(
    -0.2,
    1.02,
    "Coffee Product",
    transform=ax1.transAxes,
    fontsize=10,
    ha="left",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
)

focus_products = ["Latte", "Americano with Milk"]
focus_df = coffee_heatmap.loc[focus_products]

focus_long = focus_df.reset_index().melt(
    id_vars="coffee_name", var_name="Time of Day", value_name="Sales ($)"
)
focus_long.rename(columns={"coffee_name": "Coffee"}, inplace=True)

sns.barplot(
    data=focus_long,
    x="Time of Day",
    y="Sales ($)",
    hue="Coffee",
    ax=ax2,
    palette=[latte_color, americano_color],
)

for container in ax2.containers:
    ax2.bar_label(
        container,
        labels=[f"${h.get_height():.0f}" for h in container],
        fmt="%d",
        label_type="edge",
        padding=2,
        fontsize=8.5,
        color="#333",
    )

ax2.set_title(
    "Latte and Americano with Milk Sales by Time of Day",
    fontsize=12,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=20,
)

ax2.text(
    -0.2,
    1.02,
    "Total Sales ($)",
    transform=ax2.transAxes,
    fontsize=10,
    ha="left",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
)

ax2.set_xlabel("Time of Day", fontsize=11, fontweight="bold")
ax2.set_ylabel("")
ax2.yaxis.set_major_formatter(CURRENCY)

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ax2.grid(axis="y", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax2.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax2.spines["right"].set_visible(False)

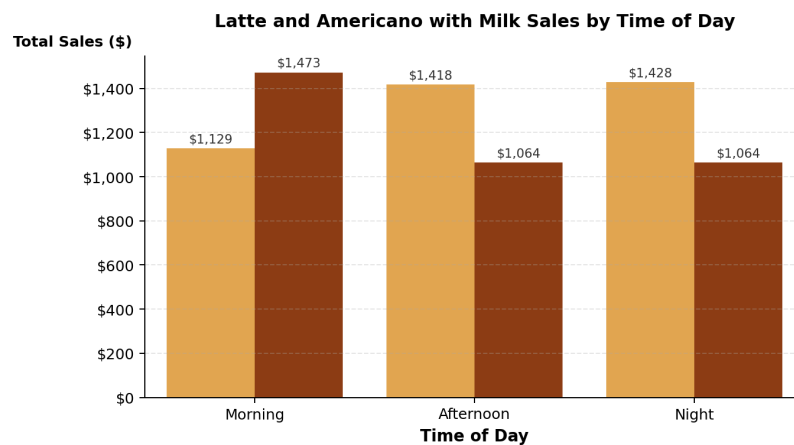
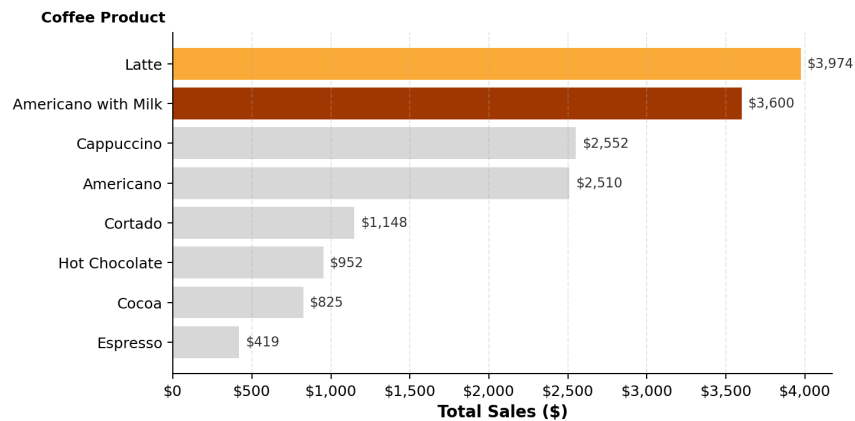
ax2.legend_.remove()

fig.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0, 1, 0.97], pad=2.0)
plt.show()
```

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```
fig.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0, 1, 0.97], pad=2.0)
```

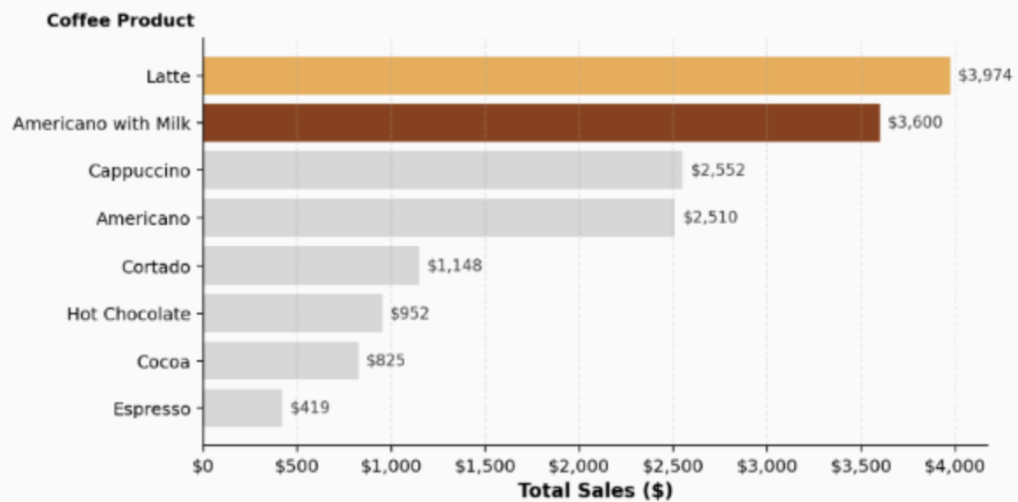
#### Revenue Breakdown of Top Coffee Products: Lattes and Americano with Milk Dominate Sales with Highest Earnings



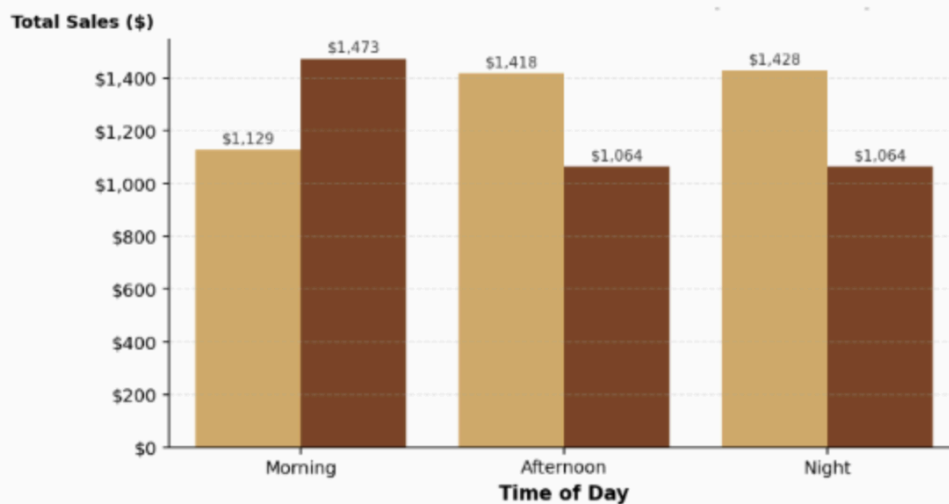
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The is our plot post processing

### Latte and Americano with Milk Outperform All Other Coffee Products in Revenue



### Latte Overtakes Americano with Milk as the Day Advances



```
In [61]: cmap = plt.cm.YlOrBr
latte_color = cmap(0.45)
americano_color = cmap(0.85)

fig, (ax1, ax2) = plt.subplots(
    2, 1, figsize=(8, 10), dpi=180, gridspec_kw={"hspace": 0.4}
)

y = np.arange(len(sales_by_coffee_ord))
colors = []
for name in sales_by_coffee_ord["coffee_name"]:
    if name == "Latte":
        colors.append(latte_color)
    elif name == "Americano with Milk":
        colors.append(americano_color)
    else:
        colors.append("#D9D9D9")

bars = ax1.barh(y, sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].values, color=colors)

xmax = sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].max()
```

```

for yi, v in zip(y, sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].values):
    ax1.text(v + xmax * 0.01, yi, f"${v:,.0f}", va="center", fontsize=9, color="

ax1.set_yticks(y)
ax1.set_yticklabels(sales_by_coffee_ord["coffee_name"])
ax1.set_xlabel("Total Sales ($) ", fontsize=11, fontweight="bold")
ax1.set_ylabel("")
ax1.xaxis.set_major_formatter(CURRENCY)
ax1.grid(axis="x", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax1.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax1.spines["right"].set_visible(False)

ax1.set_title(
    "Revenue Breakdown of Top Coffee Products: Lattes and Americano with Milk Do
    fontsize=12,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=30,
)
ax1.text(
    -0.2,
    1.02,
    "Coffee Product",
    transform=ax1.transAxes,
    fontsize=10,
    ha="left",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
)

focus_products = ["Latte", "Americano with Milk"]

# Aggregate df by hour_of_day for each coffee type
focus_long = (
    df[df["coffee_name"].isin(focus_products)]
    .groupby(["coffee_name", "hour_of_day"], as_index=False)["money"]
    .sum()
    .rename(columns={"coffee_name": "Coffee", "money": "Sales ($)"})
)

# Sort numerically by hour
focus_long.sort_values("hour_of_day", inplace=True)

# --- Line plot (no labels above points) ---
sns.lineplot(
    data=focus_long,
    x="hour_of_day",
    y="Sales ($)",
    hue="Coffee",
    ax=ax2,
    palette=[americano_color, latte_color],
    linewidth=2.5,
    marker="o",
)

ax2.set_title(
    "Americano with Milk sells more in the mornings while Lattes peak later in t
    fontsize=12,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=20,
)

```



```

ax2.text(
    -0.2,
    0.99,
    "Avg. Sales ($)",
    transform=ax2.transAxes,
    fontsize=10,
    ha="left",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
)
ax2.set_xlim(OPEN_HOUR - 0.5, CLOSE_HOUR + 0.5)
ax2.set_xticks(range(OPEN_HOUR, CLOSE_HOUR + 1, 2))
ax2.set_xticklabels(
    [
        f"{h%12 or 12} {'AM' if h < 12 else 'PM'}"
        for h in range(OPEN_HOUR, CLOSE_HOUR + 1, 2)
    ],
    fontsize=8.5,
)
ax2.set_xlabel("Hour of Day", fontsize=11, fontweight="bold")
ax2.set_ylabel("")
ax2.yaxis.set_major_formatter(CURRENCY)
ax2.grid(axis="y", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax2.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax2.spines["right"].set_visible(False)
ax2.legend_.remove()

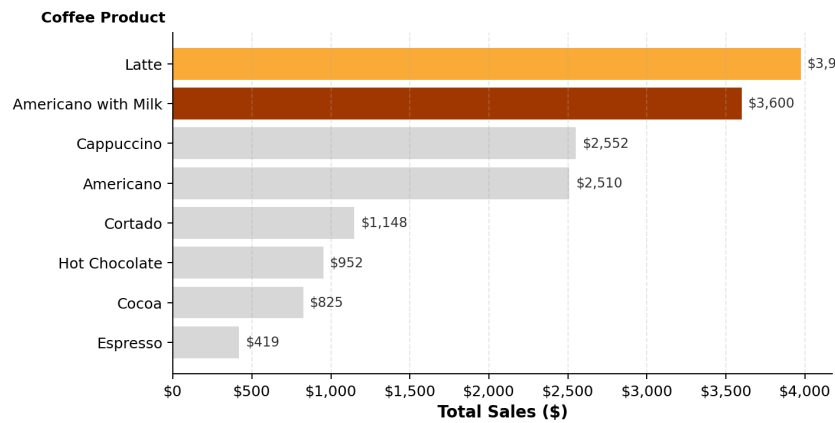
fig.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0, 1, 0.97], pad=2.0)
plt.show()

```

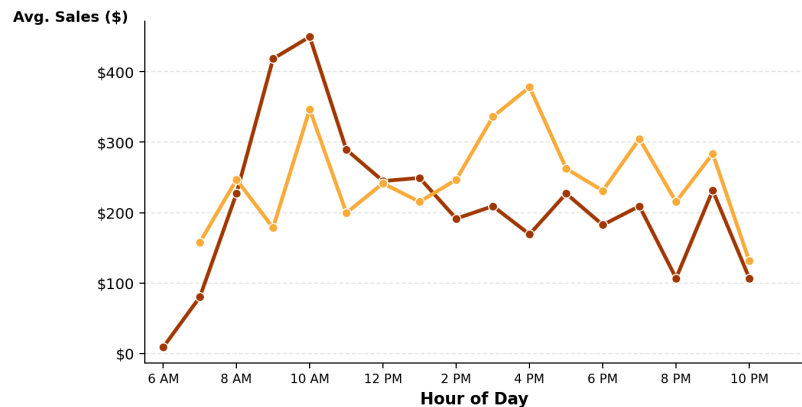
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```
fig.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0, 1, 0.97], pad=2.0)
```

Revenue Breakdown of Top Coffee Products: Lattes and Americano with Milk Dominate Sales with Highest Earnings



Americano with Milk sells more in the mornings while Lattes peak later in the day



```
In [62]: focus_long
```

Out[62]:

	Coffee	hour_of_day	Sales (\$)
0	Americano with Milk	6	8.90
1	Americano with Milk	7	80.10
17	Latte	7	157.50
2	Americano with Milk	8	226.95
18	Latte	8	246.75
19	Latte	9	178.50
3	Americano with Milk	9	418.30
4	Americano with Milk	10	449.45
20	Latte	10	346.50
5	Americano with Milk	11	289.25
21	Latte	11	199.50
22	Latte	12	241.50
6	Americano with Milk	12	244.75
23	Latte	13	215.25
7	Americano with Milk	13	249.20
8	Americano with Milk	14	191.35
24	Latte	14	246.75
25	Latte	15	336.00
9	Americano with Milk	15	209.15
26	Latte	16	378.00
10	Americano with Milk	16	169.10
11	Americano with Milk	17	226.95
27	Latte	17	262.50
12	Americano with Milk	18	182.45
28	Latte	18	231.00
29	Latte	19	304.50
13	Americano with Milk	19	209.15
14	Americano with Milk	20	106.80
30	Latte	20	215.25
15	Americano with Milk	21	231.40
31	Latte	21	283.50
16	Americano with Milk	22	106.80
32	Latte	22	131.25

In [63]: df

Out[63]:

	hour_of_day	cash_type	coffee_name	Time_of_Day	Weekday	Month_name	Wee
<b>0</b>	10	card	Latte	Morning	Fri	Mar	
<b>1</b>	12	card	Hot Chocolate	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
<b>2</b>	12	card	Hot Chocolate	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
<b>3</b>	13	card	Americano	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
<b>4</b>	13	card	Latte	Afternoon	Fri	Mar	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>3542</b>	10	card	Cappuccino	Morning	Sun	Mar	
<b>3543</b>	14	card	Cocoa	Afternoon	Sun	Mar	
<b>3544</b>	14	card	Cocoa	Afternoon	Sun	Mar	
<b>3545</b>	15	card	Americano	Afternoon	Sun	Mar	
<b>3546</b>	18	card	Latte	Night	Sun	Mar	

3547 rows × 11 columns



```
In [64]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import math

# --- Define realistic shift ranges ---
shift_bins = [6, 12, 16, 22]
shift_labels = ["Morning (6AM-12PM)", "Midday (12PM-4PM)", "Evening (4PM-10PM)"]
df["Shift"] = pd.cut(
    df["hour_of_day"], bins=shift_bins, labels=shift_labels, right=False
)

# --- Aggregate sales by shift ---
transactions_by_shift = df.groupby("Shift")["Time"].count().reset_index()
```

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```
transactions_by_shift = df.groupby("Shift")["Time"].count().reset_index()
```

In [65]: transactions\_by\_shift

Out[65]:

	Shift	Time
0	Morning (6AM–12PM)	1181
1	Midday (12PM–4PM)	927
2	Evening (4PM–10PM)	1326

```
In [66]: # --- Normalize and assign recommended staff ---
transactions_by_shift["normalized"] = (
    transactions_by_shift["Time"] / transactions_by_shift["Time"].max()
)
transactions_by_shift["recommended_staff"] = (
    np.round(transactions_by_shift["normalized"] * 3) + 1
).astype(int)

# --- Plot ---
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 4.5), dpi=150)
colors = ["#f7c59f", "#ef8a17", "#d96b00"]

bars = plt.barh(
    transactions_by_shift["Shift"],
    transactions_by_shift["recommended_staff"],
    color=colors,
    edgecolor="white",
)

# Annotate each bar with staff count
for bar in bars:
    plt.text(
        bar.get_width() + 0.1,
        bar.get_y() + bar.get_height() / 2,
        f"{int(bar.get_width())} staff",
        va="center",
        ha="left",
        fontsize=9,
        color="#333",
    )

# Titles and annotations
plt.title(
    "Optimal Shift Staffing Strategy for Coffee Shop",
    fontsize=13,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=40,
)
plt.suptitle(
    "Morning prep, midday peak, and evening wind-down periods shown.",
    fontsize=9,
    y=0.83,
)

plt.xlabel("Recommended Staff Count", fontsize=9, fontweight="bold")
plt.ylabel("", fontsize=9, fontweight="bold")

plt.xlim(0, transactions_by_shift["recommended_staff"].max() + 1)
plt.grid(axis="x", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
```

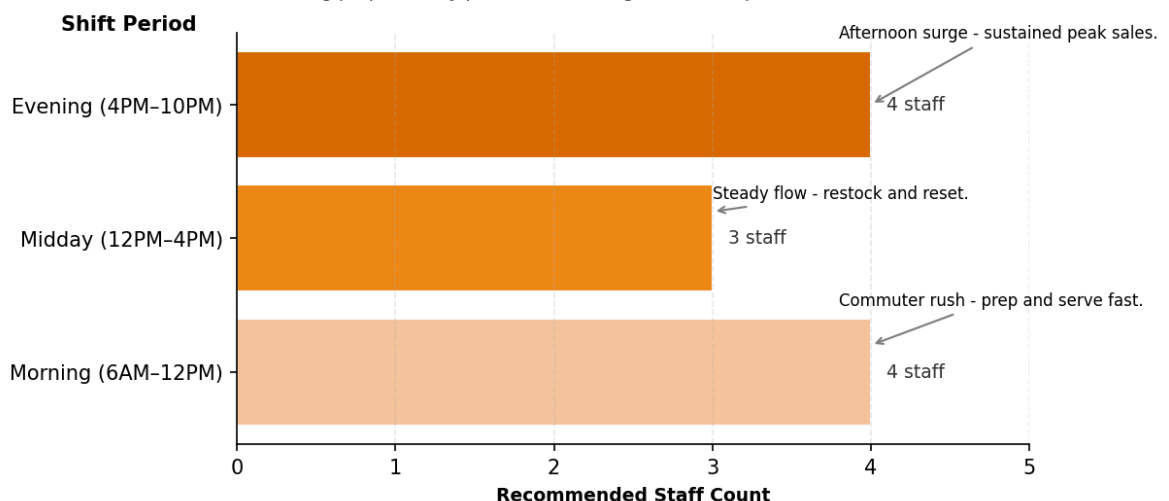
```

# Add contextual annotations
plt.annotate(
    "Commuter rush - prep and serve fast.",
    xy=(4, 0.2),
    xytext=(3.8, 0.5),
    fontsize=8,
    arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", lw=1, color="gray"),
    color="black",
)
plt.annotate(
    "Steady flow - restock and reset.",
    xy=(3, 1.2),
    xytext=(3, 1.3),
    fontsize=8,
    arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", lw=1, color="gray"),
    color="black",
)
plt.annotate(
    "Afternoon surge - sustained peak sales.",
    xy=(4, 2),
    xytext=(3.8, 2.5),
    fontsize=8,
    arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", lw=1, color="gray"),
    color="black",
)
ax = plt.gca()
ax.text(
    -0.1,
    0.52,
    "Shift Period",
    transform=ax2.transAxes,
    fontsize=10,
    ha="left",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
)
ax.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax.spines["right"].set_visible(False)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

```

### Optimal Shift Staffing Strategy for Coffee Shop

Morning prep, midday peak, and evening wind-down periods shown.



```

In [68]: import matplotlib.ticker as mtick

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4), dpi=150)
ax = plt.gca()

hourly_revenue = df.groupby("hour_of_day")["money"].sum().reset_index()

# Line plot
sns.lineplot(
    data=hourly_revenue,
    x="hour_of_day",
    y="money",
    marker="o",
    linewidth=2.5,
    color="#d96b00",
    ax=ax,
)

# Highlight morning and evening peaks
plt.axvspan(9, 11, color="#f7c59f", alpha=0.2, label="Morning Peak")
plt.axvspan(15, 17, color="#ef8a17", alpha=0.2, label="Evening Peak")

# Title
plt.title("Daily Revenue Pattern by Hour", fontsize=14, fontweight="bold", pad=2)

# X-axis Labels in 12-hour format
ax.set_xticks(range(6, 23))
ax.set_xticklabels([f"{h%12 or 12} {'AM' if h < 12 else 'PM'}" for h in range(6,

# Remove default y-axis label
ax.set_ylabel(""))

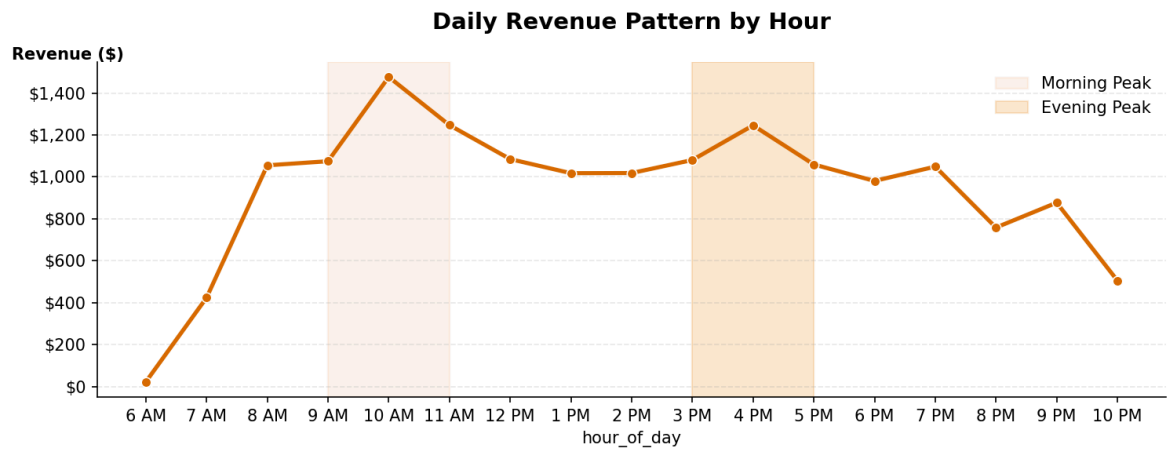
# Add custom y-axis label using ax.text (like your shift example)
ax.text(
    -0.08, # x-position (slightly outside the axis)
    1.02, # y-position (center)
    "Revenue ($)", # label text
    transform=ax.transAxes,
    fontsize=10,
    ha="left",
    va="center",
    fontweight="bold",
)

# Format y-axis as currency
ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(mtick.StrMethodFormatter("${x:,.0f}"))

# Grid, Legend, and clean spines
ax.grid(axis="y", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax.spines["right"].set_visible(False)
plt.legend(frameon=False)

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

```



In [69]: hourly\_revenue

Out[69]:

	hour_of_day	money
0	6	23.05
1	7	424.30
2	8	1055.30
3	9	1074.85
4	10	1476.55
5	11	1246.85
6	12	1084.85
7	13	1017.85
8	14	1018.45
9	15	1080.65
10	16	1245.85
11	17	1059.45
12	18	980.80
13	19	1049.15
14	20	758.65
15	21	877.20
16	22	505.80

In [70]: fig, ax\_tx = plt.subplots(figsize=(8, 5), dpi=180)

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main_color = "#cc5c00"
light_color = "#f5c76e"
highlight_color = "#e67e22"

ax_tx.plot(
    hourly_revenue["hour_of_day"],
    hourly_revenue["money"],
    marker="o",
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        linewidth=2.2,
        color=main_color,
    )
    ax_tx.grid(True, linestyle="--", alpha=0.25, color="#e0b35c")

    spacing = hourly_revenue["money"].max() * 0.02
    peak_hours = [10, 16]
    for x, y in zip(hourly_revenue["hour_of_day"], hourly_revenue["money"]):
        if x in peak_hours:
            ax_tx.text(
                x,
                y + spacing,
                f"${y:,.0f}",
                ha="center",
                va="bottom",
                fontsize=9,
                fontweight="medium",
                color="black",
            )

    plt.suptitle(
        "Revenue surge around 10 AM and again near 4 PM",
        fontsize=9,
        fontweight="medium",
        y=0.872,
        x=0.5,
        ha="center",
        color="black",
    )

    plt.title(
        "Hourly revenue shows trends inline with the transactions trend",
        fontsize=14,
        fontweight="bold",
        pad=40,
        loc="center",
        color="black",
    )

    plt.xlabel("Hour of Day", fontsize=10, fontweight="bold", color="black")
    plt.ylabel("", fontsize=10, fontweight="bold")

    ax_tx.text(
        -0.05,
        1.03,
        "Avg. Revenue ($)",
        transform=ax_tx.transAxes,
        ha="center",
        va="bottom",
        fontweight="bold",
        fontsize=10,
        color="black",
    )

    ax_tx.set_xticks(range(6, 23))
    ax_tx.set_xticklabels(
        [f"{h%12 or 12}{'AM' if h < 12 else 'PM'}" for h in range(6, 23)],
        fontsize=8,
        fontweight="medium",
        color="black",
    )

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        family="sans-serif",
    )

    # get the avg line
    avg_tx = hourly_revenue["money"].mean()
    ax_tx.axhline(avg_tx, color=highlight_color, linestyle="--", alpha=0.5)
    ax_tx.text(
        x=hourly_revenue["hour_of_day"].max() + 0.85,
        y=avg_tx,
        s=f"Avg: ${avg_tx:,.0f}",
        va="center",
        ha="left",
        fontsize=9,
        color="black",
        fontweight="medium",
    )

    # highlight windows
    ax_tx.axvspan(9, 11, color=light_color, alpha=0.25)
    ax_tx.axvspan(15, 17, color=light_color, alpha=0.25)

    label_y = avg_tx * 0.62
    arrow_y = avg_tx * 0.87

    ax_tx.text(
        13,
        label_y,
        "Periods of high activity",
        ha="center",
        va="top",
        fontsize=8.5,
        fontweight="medium",
        color="black",
    )

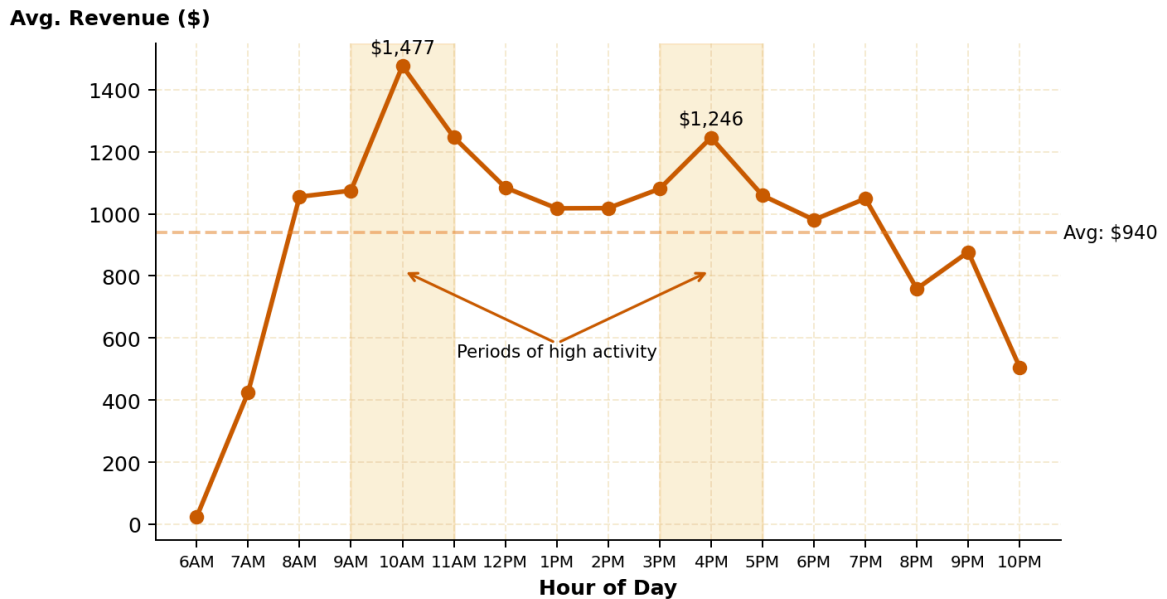
    ax_tx.annotate(
        "",
        xy=(10, arrow_y),
        xytext=(13, label_y),
        arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", lw=1.3, color=main_color),
    )
    ax_tx.annotate(
        "",
        xy=(16, arrow_y),
        xytext=(13, label_y),
        arrowprops=dict(arrowstyle="->", lw=1.3, color=main_color),
    )

    sns.despine()
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()

```

## Hourly revenue shows trends inline with the transactions trend

Revenue surge around 10 AM and again near 4 PM



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In [71]: cmap = plt.cm.YlOrBr
latte_color = cmap(0.45)
americano_color = cmap(0.85)

# =====
# Plot 1: Revenue Breakdown
# =====
fig, ax1 = plt.subplots(figsize=(8, 5), dpi=180)

y = np.arange(len(sales_by_coffee_ord))
colors = []
for name in sales_by_coffee_ord["coffee_name"]:
    if name == "Latte":
        colors.append(latte_color)
    elif name == "Americano with Milk":
        colors.append(americano_color)
    else:
        colors.append("#D9D9D9")

bars = ax1.barh(y, sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].values, color=colors)

xmax = sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].max()
for yi, v in zip(y, sales_by_coffee_ord["money"].values):
    ax1.text(v + xmax * 0.01, yi, f"${v:,.0f}", va="center", fontsize=9, color="

ax1.set_yticks(y)
ax1.set_yticklabels(sales_by_coffee_ord["coffee_name"])
ax1.set_xlabel("Avg. Daily Sales ($)", fontsize=11, fontweight="bold")
ax1.set_ylabel("")
ax1.xaxis.set_major_formatter(CURRENCY)
ax1.grid(axis="x", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax1.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax1.spines["right"].set_visible(False)

ax1.set_title(
    "Lattes and Americano with Milk Dominate Sales with Highest Earnings",
    fontsize=12,
    fontweight="bold",
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        pad=30,
    )
    ax1.text(
        -0.2,
        1.02,
        "Coffee Product",
        transform=ax1.transAxes,
        fontsize=10,
        ha="left",
        va="bottom",
        fontweight="bold",
    )

fig.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0, 1, 0.97], pad=2.0)
plt.show()

# =====
# Plot 2: Hourly Sales Trend
# =====
focus_products = ["Latte", "Americano with Milk"]

# Aggregate df by hour_of_day for each coffee type
focus_long = (
    df[df["coffee_name"].isin(focus_products)]
    .groupby(["coffee_name", "hour_of_day"], as_index=False)["money"]
    .sum()
    .rename(columns={"coffee_name": "Coffee", "money": "Sales ($)"})
)
focus_long.sort_values("hour_of_day", inplace=True)

fig, ax2 = plt.subplots(figsize=(8, 5), dpi=180)

sns.lineplot(
    data=focus_long,
    x="hour_of_day",
    y="Sales ($)",
    hue="Coffee",
    ax=ax2,
    palette=[americano_color, latte_color],
    linewidth=2.5,
    marker="o",
)

ax2.set_title(
    "Americano with Milk sells more in the mornings while Lattes peak later in t",
    fontsize=12,
    fontweight="bold",
    pad=20,
)
ax2.text(
    -0.2,
    0.99,
    "Avg. Sales ($)",
    transform=ax2.transAxes,
    fontsize=10,
    ha="left",
    va="bottom",
    fontweight="bold",
)

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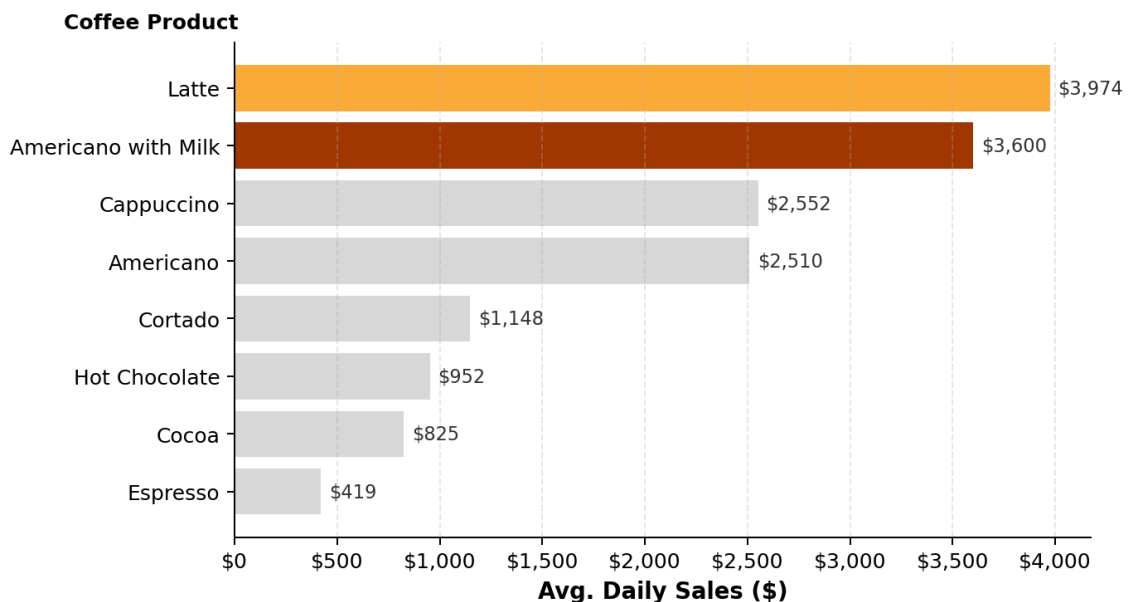
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ax2.set_xlim(OPEN_HOUR - 0.5, CLOSE_HOUR + 0.5)
ax2.set_xticks(range(OPEN_HOUR, CLOSE_HOUR + 1, 2))
ax2.set_xticklabels(
    [
        f"{h%12 or 12} {'AM' if h < 12 else 'PM'}"
        for h in range(OPEN_HOUR, CLOSE_HOUR + 1, 2)
    ],
    fontsize=8.5,
)
ax2.set_xlabel("Hour of Day", fontsize=11, fontweight="bold")
ax2.set_ylabel("")
ax2.yaxis.set_major_formatter(CURRENCY)
ax2.grid(axis="y", linestyle="--", alpha=0.3)
ax2.spines["top"].set_visible(False)
ax2.spines["right"].set_visible(False)
ax2.legend_.remove()

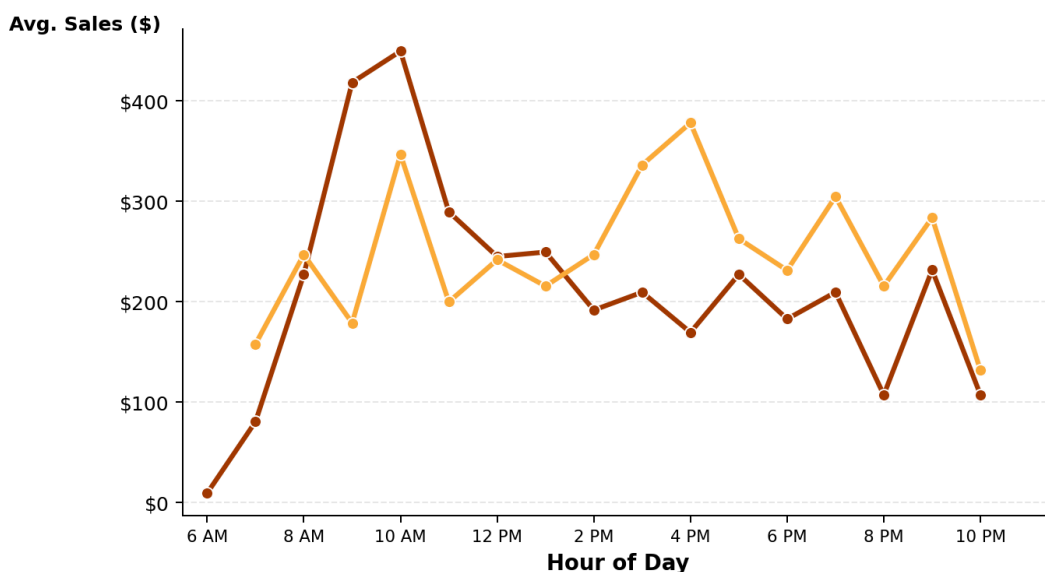
fig.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0, 1, 0.97], pad=2.0)
plt.show()

```

### Lattes and Americano with Milk Dominate Sales with Highest Earnings



### Americano with Milk sells more in the mornings while Lattes peak later in the day



In [ ]: