

# Nearly 10k use new metro line

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**Chennai:** A day after the 9.05km line from Washermenpet to Wimco Nagar was thrown open, 9,972 commuters used the extended line. CMRL said 80,152 people rode metro trains on Monday.

Till the opening of the extended line, CMRL re-

corded an average daily ridership of 44,000. The highest footfall across the 54km corridors was recorded in Central Metro interchange station with 7,562 passengers. Earlier, CMRL said footfall rose from a daily average of 14,798 in September to 44,000 as more people returned to their workplaces and more domestic fliers.