

PREPARE THE DATASETS

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DATA PREPARATION

1. First understand and load the data.

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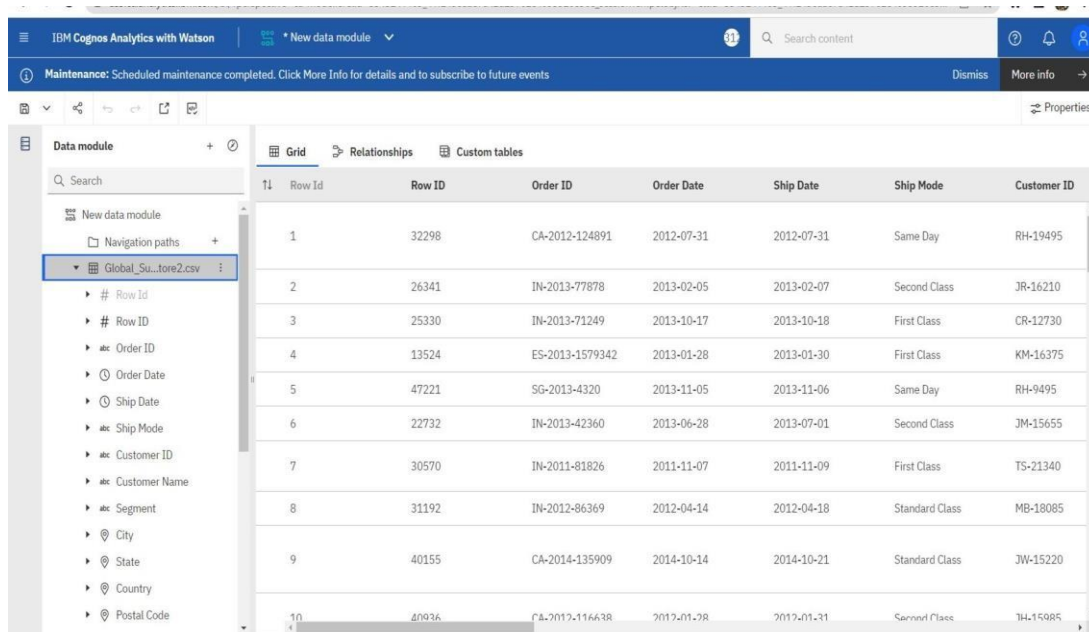
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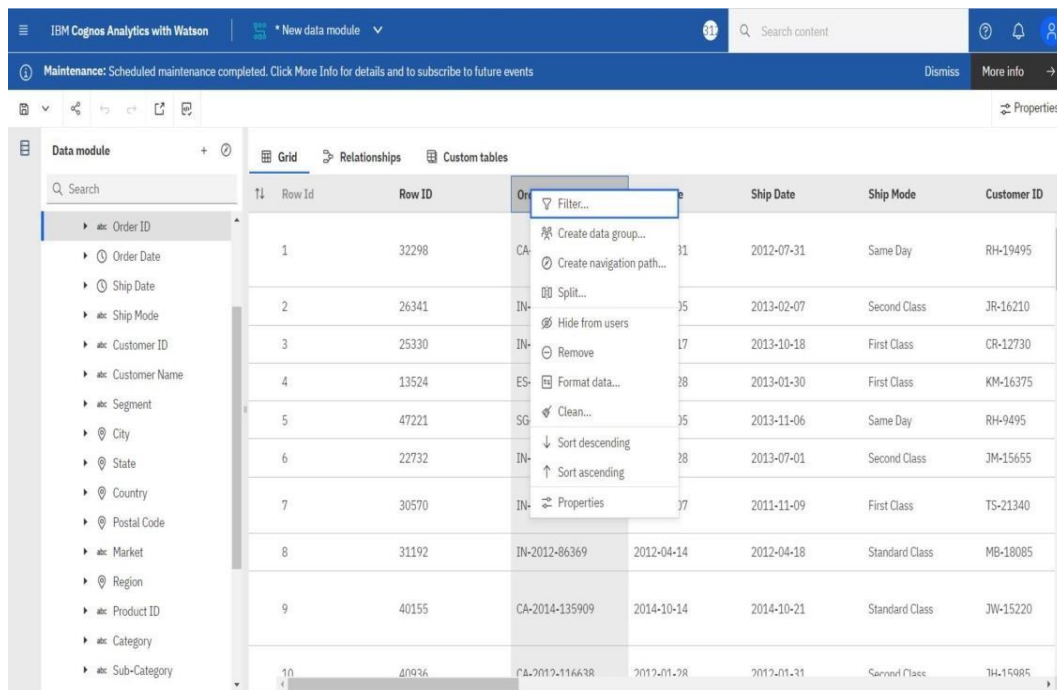
2. Since there is only single file, there need not be relationships or custom tables for the data.



The screenshot shows the IBM Cognos Analytics interface. The top navigation bar includes the logo, a search bar, and a notification about scheduled maintenance. The left sidebar shows the 'Data module' with a search bar and a list of fields from the 'Global_Store2.csv' file. The main area displays a 'Grid' view of the data. The table has columns: Row ID, Order ID, Order Date, Ship Date, Ship Mode, and Customer ID. The data is sorted by Row ID in ascending order.

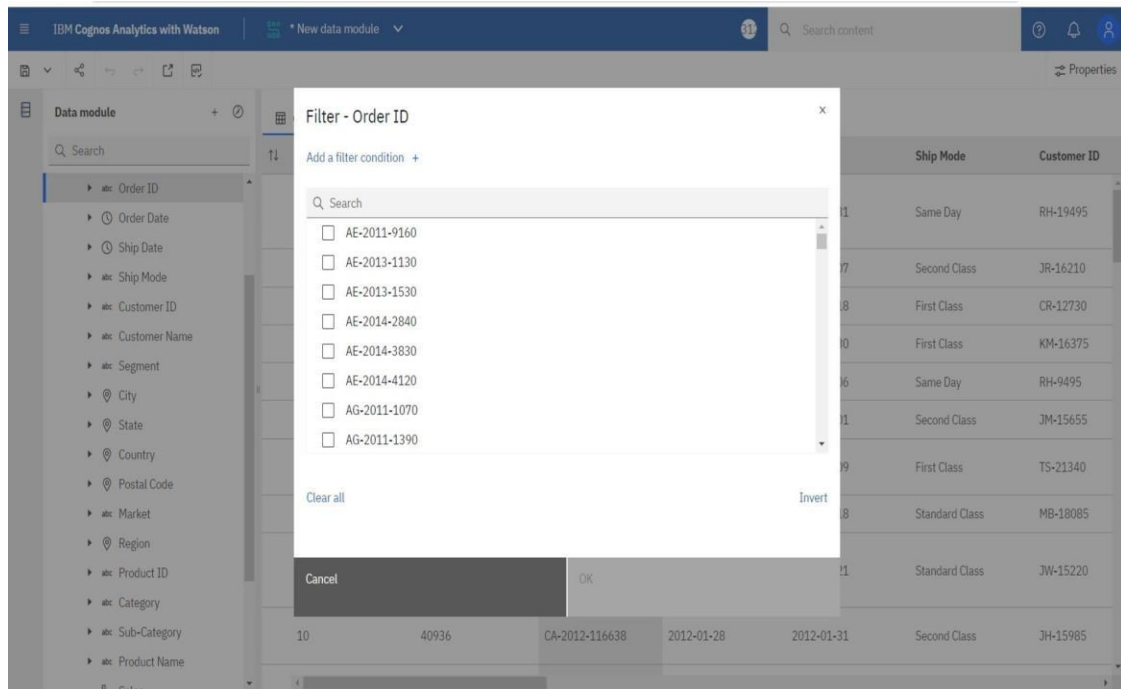
Row ID	Order ID	Order Date	Ship Date	Ship Mode	Customer ID
1	CA-2012-124891	2012-07-31	2012-07-31	Same Day	RH-19495
2	IN-2013-77878	2013-02-05	2013-02-07	Second Class	JR-16210
3	IN-2013-71249	2013-10-17	2013-10-18	First Class	CR-12730
4	ES-2013-1579342	2013-01-28	2013-01-30	First Class	KM-16375
5	SG-2013-4320	2013-11-05	2013-11-06	Same Day	RH-9495
6	IN-2013-42360	2013-06-28	2013-07-01	Second Class	JM-15655
7	IN-2011-81826	2011-11-07	2011-11-09	First Class	TS-21340
8	IN-2012-86369	2012-04-14	2012-04-18	Standard Class	MB-18085
9	CA-2014-135909	2014-10-14	2014-10-21	Standard Class	JW-15220
10	CA-2012-116638	2012-01-28	2012-01-31	Standard Class	TH-15085

3. To Prepare the data, we need to verify it is clean. There must be no null values. If there are null values, there will be empty data.



The screenshot shows the IBM Cognos Analytics interface with a context menu open over the 'Order ID' column. The menu options include: Filter..., Create data group..., Create navigation path..., Split..., Hide from users, Remove, Format data..., Clean..., Sort descending, Sort ascending, and Properties. The data table is the same as in the previous screenshot.

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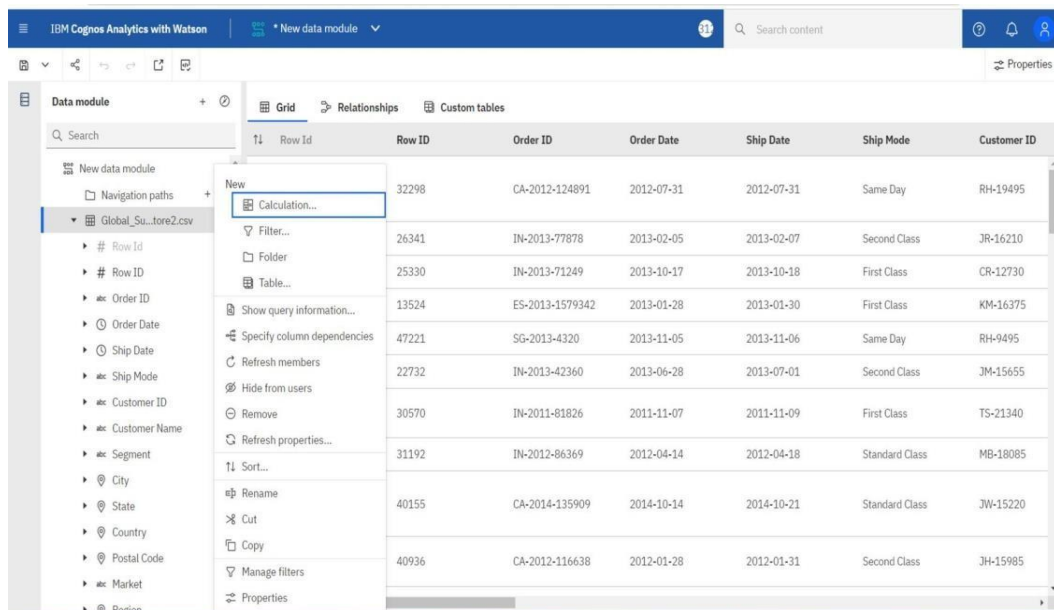
3. Once cleaned, the data is saved.

DATE CALCULATIONS AND NAVIGATION PATHS

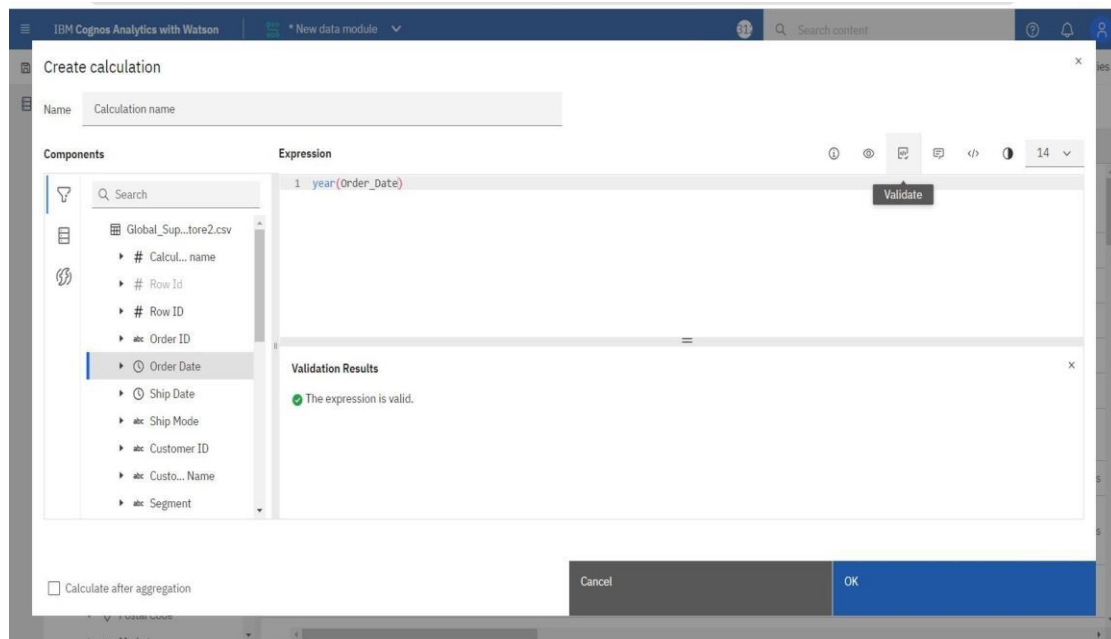
Once you load the data, we need to Prepare the data.

a. Prepare Calculations of Year, Month, Day fields and also the related Navigation path

b. Create a Few more Calculations – Target Sales, Min Sales, Max Sales, Middle Range Sales.



1. Right click> calculation> type expression> validate> Set Name as 'Order Year'



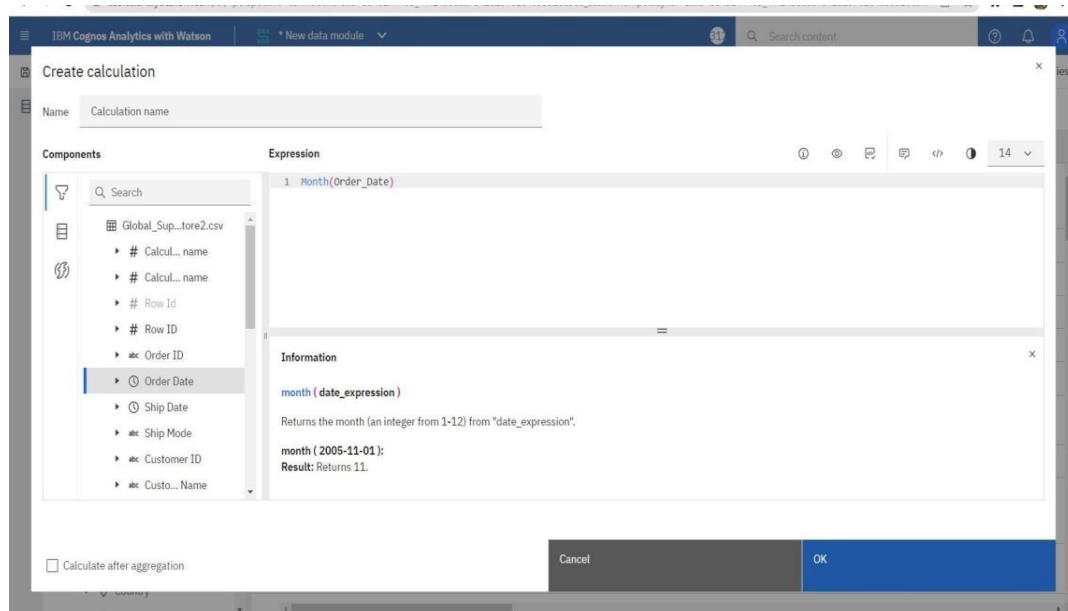
2. Similarly, 'OrderMonth', 'OrderDay' and 'All'

OrderYear -> Year (Order_Date)

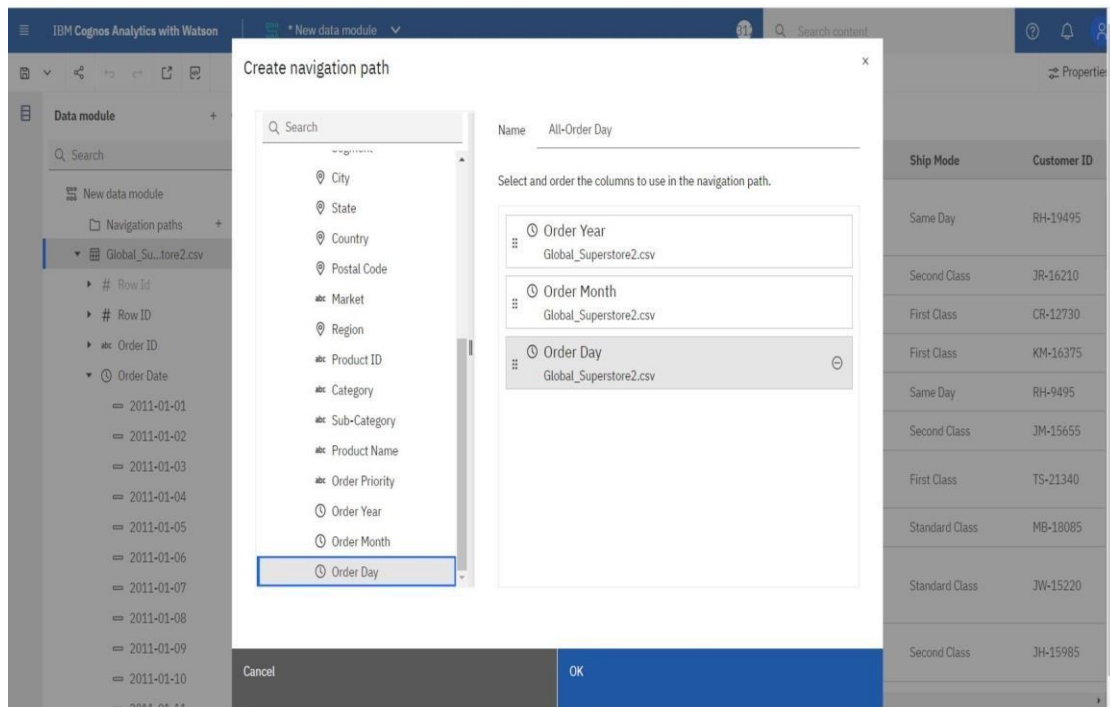
OrderMonth -> Month (Order_Date)

OrderDay -> Day (Order_Date)

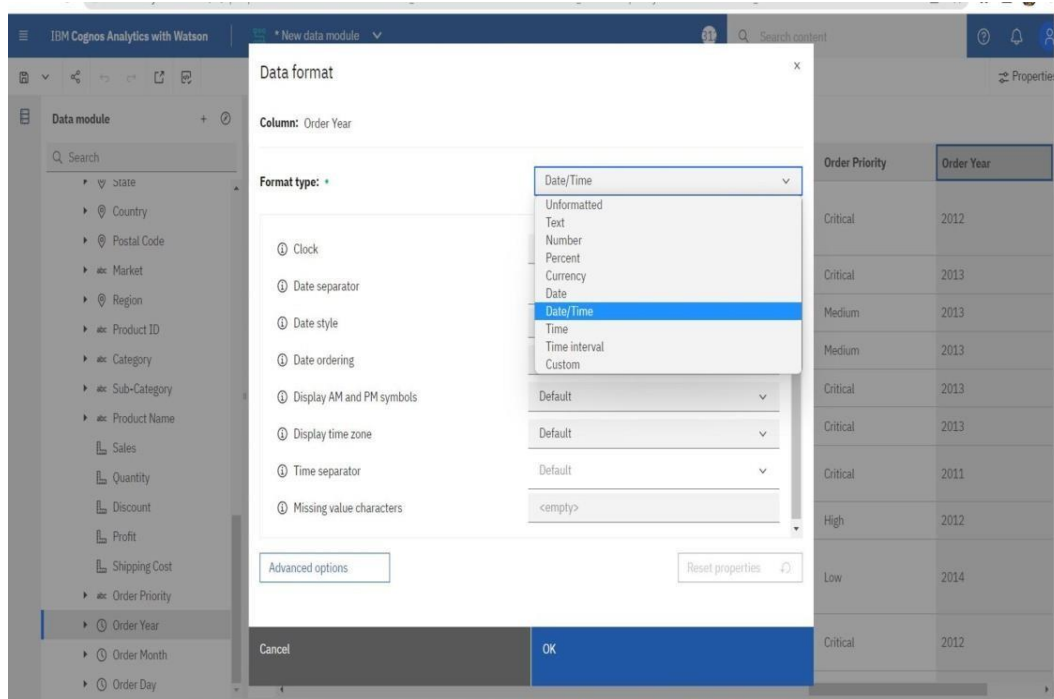
All -> All



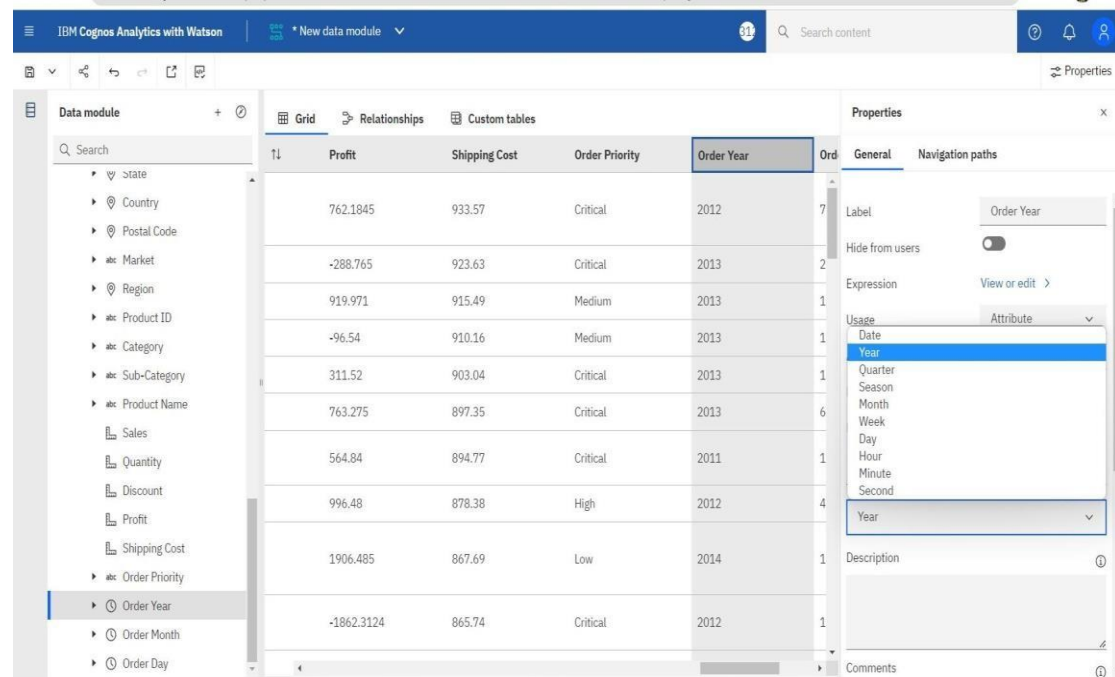
3. Right click on create navigation path



4. Data format > Date/Time



5. Properties> Usage-> Attribute
 Aggregate-> Count Distinct
 Data Type-> Integer
 Represents-> Time, (Year, Month, Day Respectively)
 Display Options-> Show Members
 This way it becomes a Numerical data Type



6. Hence calculations for day, month and year are completed.

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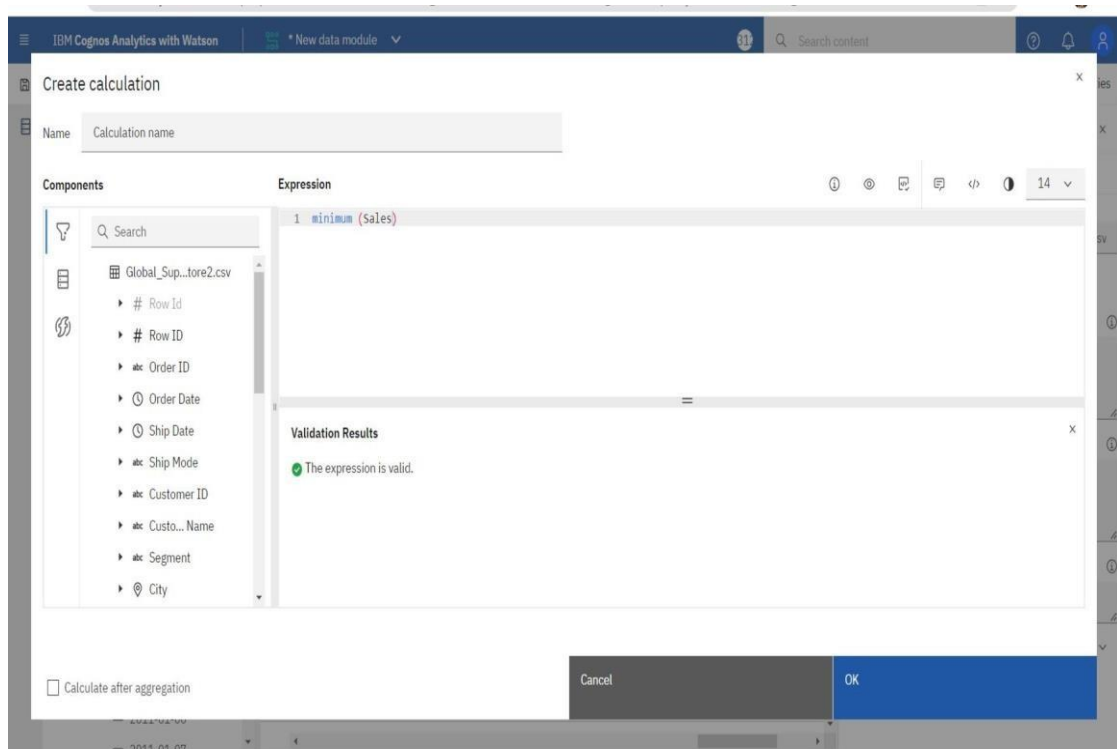
7. Similarly, calculations for Target sales, Min sales, Max Sales and Middle range sales are done

Min sales-> minimum (Sales)

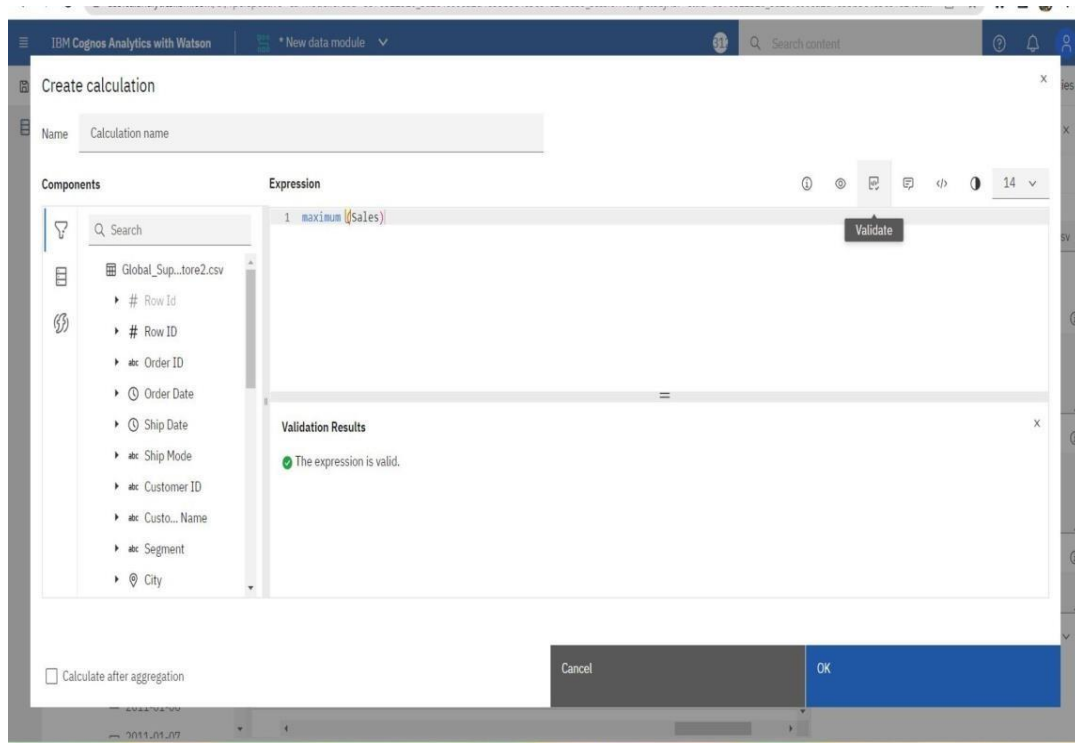
Max sales, Target sales-> maximum (Sales)

Middle range sales-> average (Sales)

Minimum(Sales)



Maximum(Sales)



Middle Range (Sales)

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* New data module

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Create calculation

Name: Calculation name

Components

- Global_Sup...tore2.csv
 - # Row Id
 - # Row ID
 - Order ID
 - Order Date
 - Ship Date
 - Ship Mode
 - Customer ID
 - Custo... Name
 - Segment
 - City

Expression

1 average (\$Sales)

Validate

Validation Results

✓ The expression is valid.

☐ Calculate after aggregation

Cancel OK