Phase2

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Project-Banking Loan Origination & Approval Workflow

Program: Tcs Last Mile Smart Bridge

Introduction:

The Banking Loan Origination & Approval Workflow project is designed to **automate the loan application process** in a bank, replacing the traditional manual system. Currently, loan applications (home, car, personal) are collected, verified, and approved through spreadsheets and paper forms. This process is **time-consuming**, **error-prone**, **and lacks real-time tracking**, which leads to delays, lost applications, and inconsistent decision-making.

Using Salesforce, this project creates a structured workflow where loan officers, managers, and other stakeholders can process applications efficiently. The system includes custom objects, record types, page layouts, roles, profiles, and permissions to ensure each user sees only the information relevant to their role. The automation improves accuracy, transparency, and speed in loan processing, while also allowing for data-driven insights and reporting.

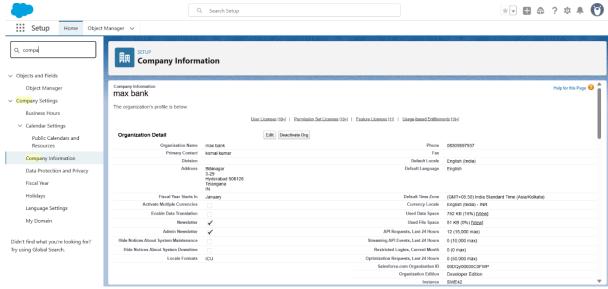
Objectives:

- 1. Automate Loan Application Processing:
 - Enable loan officers to create, edit, and manage applications for Home, Car, and Personal loans.
 - Reduce manual paperwork and human errors.
- 2. Role-Based Access Control:
 - o Ensure Managers have visibility over all subordinate applications.
 - o Loan Officers can access only the applications they are responsible for.
- 3. Custom Record Types & Layouts:
 - Implement specific fields and layouts for Home, Car, and Personal loans to capture all necessary details.
- 4. Efficient Approval Workflow:
 - Streamline the approval process with pre-defined record types, page layouts, and permissions.
- 5. Data Accuracy and Tracking:
 - o Maintain a single source of truth for all loan applications.
 - Track application status, loan amounts, and applicant details in real-time.

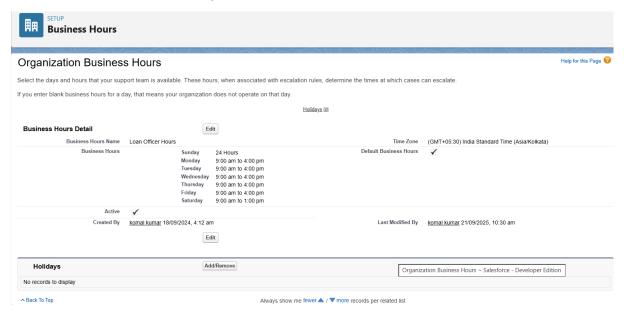
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2.1 Org Setup & Configuration:

- Use Developer Edition (free Dev Org) for building and testing.
- Configure Company Name, Address, Time Zone, and Default Currency (INR/USD) to reflect real business settings.
- Ensures workflows, reports, and currency calculations work correctly.

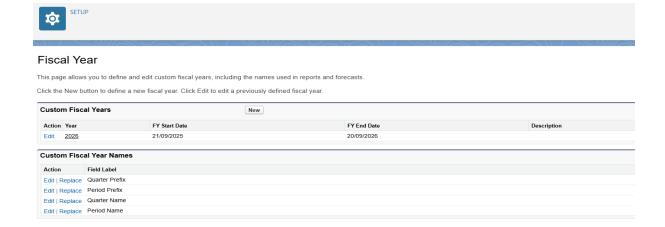


2.2 Business Hours & Holidays:

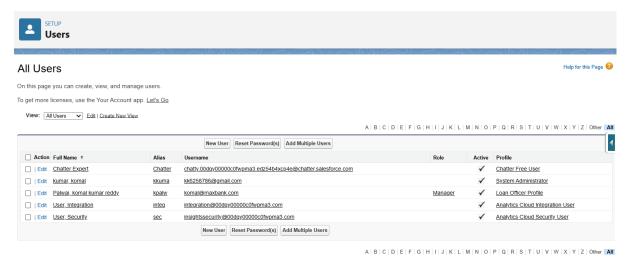


2.3 fiscal year:

- Standard or Custom Fiscal Year (example: 21/09/2025 20/09/2026)
- Ensures accurate reporting and forecasting for loans and revenue.

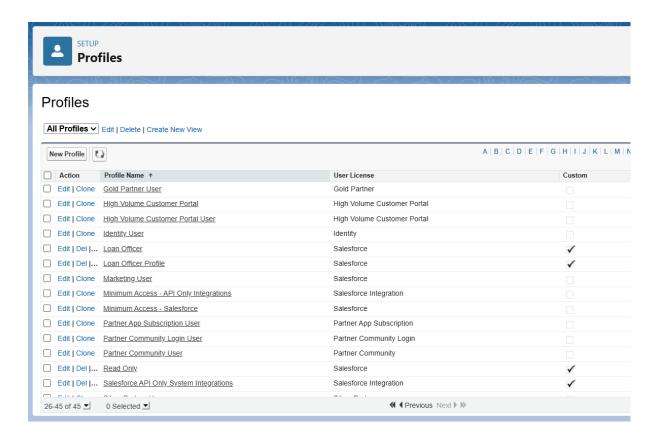


2.4 user setup and licenses:



2.5 profiles:

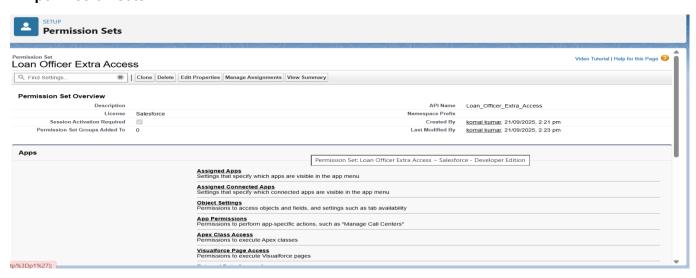
- Loan Officer Profile: Can create and manage loan applications but cannot change sharing rules.
- Manager Profile: Full access to view, edit, and approve all loan applications.
- Purpose: Ensures role-based access control—users see only what they are allowed to.



2.6 roles:

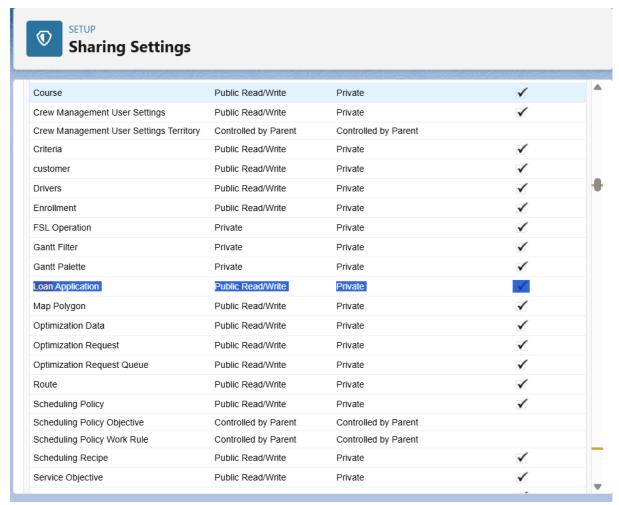


2.7 permission sets:



2.8 Org-Wide Defaults (OWD):

- Default Internal Access: Public Read/Write, allowing all Loan Officers to view and edit records.
- External Access: Private.
- Grant Access Using Hierarchies: Checked, so Managers automatically see subordinate records.



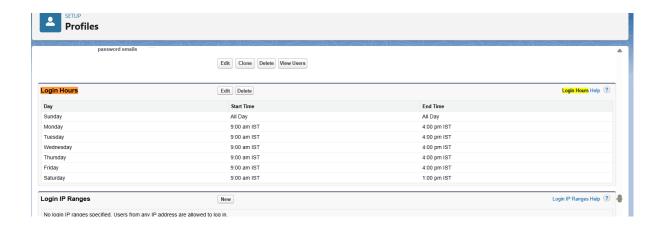
2.9 login access polices:

Select allowed login times for each day:

Monday–Friday: 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM

Saturday: 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Sunday: holiday



2.10 Security & Field-Level Security

- Field-level security applied for sensitive fields in Loan Applications.
- Example: Monthly Income and Other Income visible but read-only for Loan Officers if needed.

2.11 Sandbox & Testing Strategy

- Using Developer Edition as the main environment.
- For testing, optionally a second Developer Org can serve as Sandbox.
- Scratch Orgs can be used for advanced testing via Salesforce CLI.

2.12 Deployment Basics

- Deployment Options:
 - Change Sets (UI-based)
 - Salesforce CLI (sfdx source push/deploy)
 - ANT Migration Tool
- Project Plan: Use Change Sets for simple deployment between sandbox and production.

3. Expected Outcomes

- Salesforce Org fully configured with Profiles, Roles, and Security.
- Business Hours, Fiscal Year, and Company Profile defined.
- Sandbox and deployment strategy documented.
- Environment ready for Phase 3: Data Modeling & Relationships.

5. Conclusion

Phase 2 established a secure and structured foundation for the Banking Loan Origination & Approval Workflow. By setting up roles, profiles, permission sets, OWD, and login policies, the project now has proper role-based access control. Sandbox and deployment strategies are defined to support future development. The Salesforce environment is now prepared for data modeling in Phase 3.