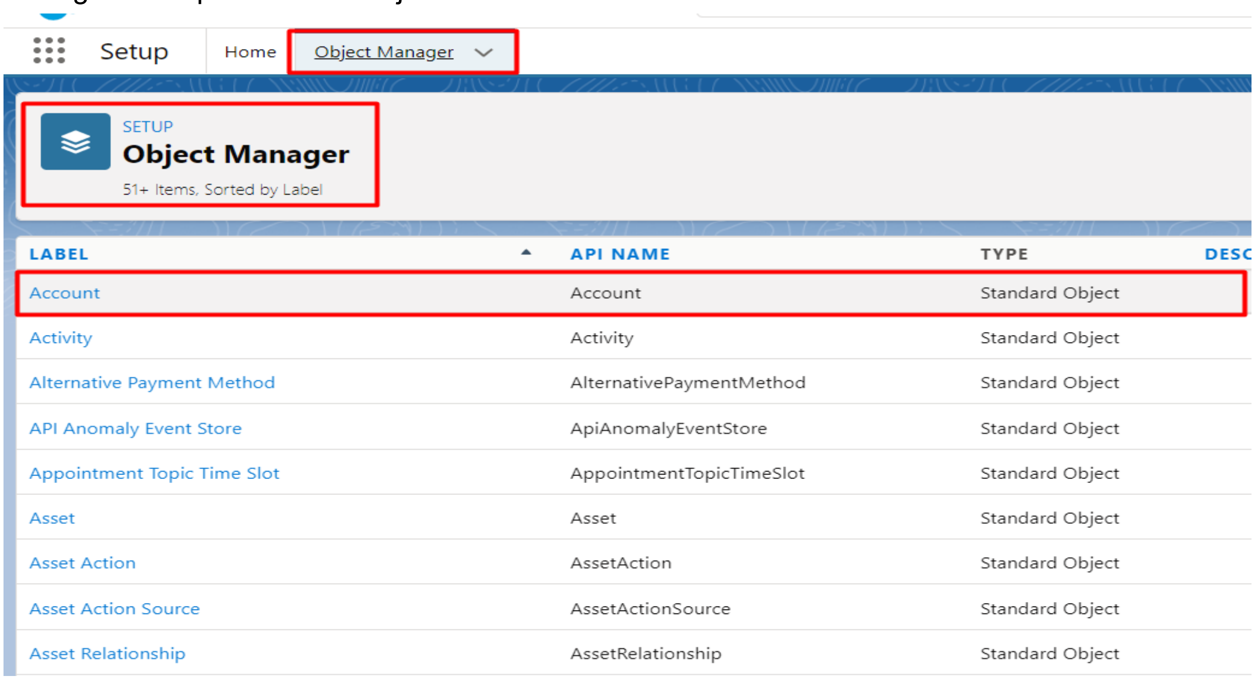
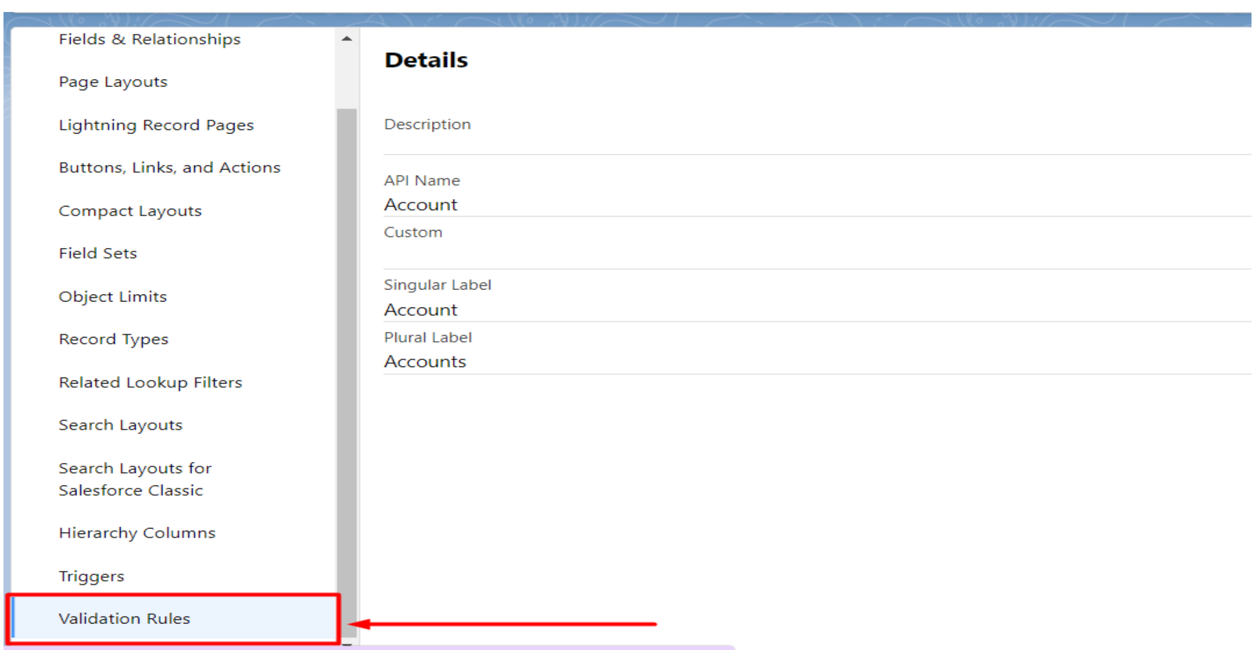
There are two types of validations in salesforce custom and system validation. System validation is the kind of validation that is compulsory to fill in and is made by default. In this lecture we will learn how we can create custom validations.

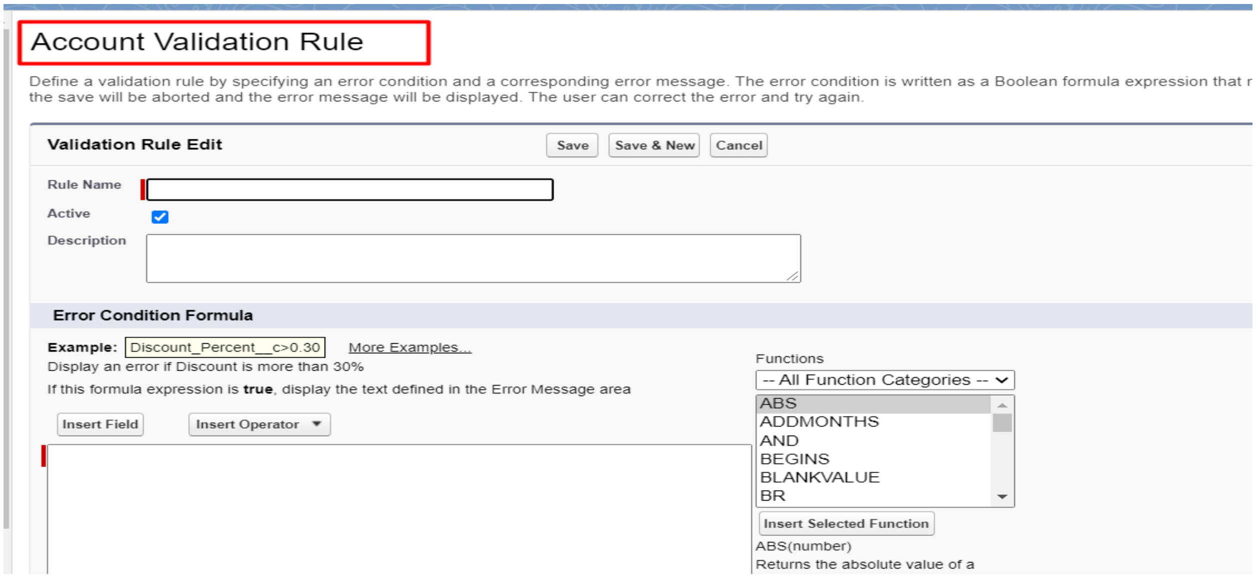
Step 1: In order to create custom validations you have to first go to setup and click on to object manager and open account object.



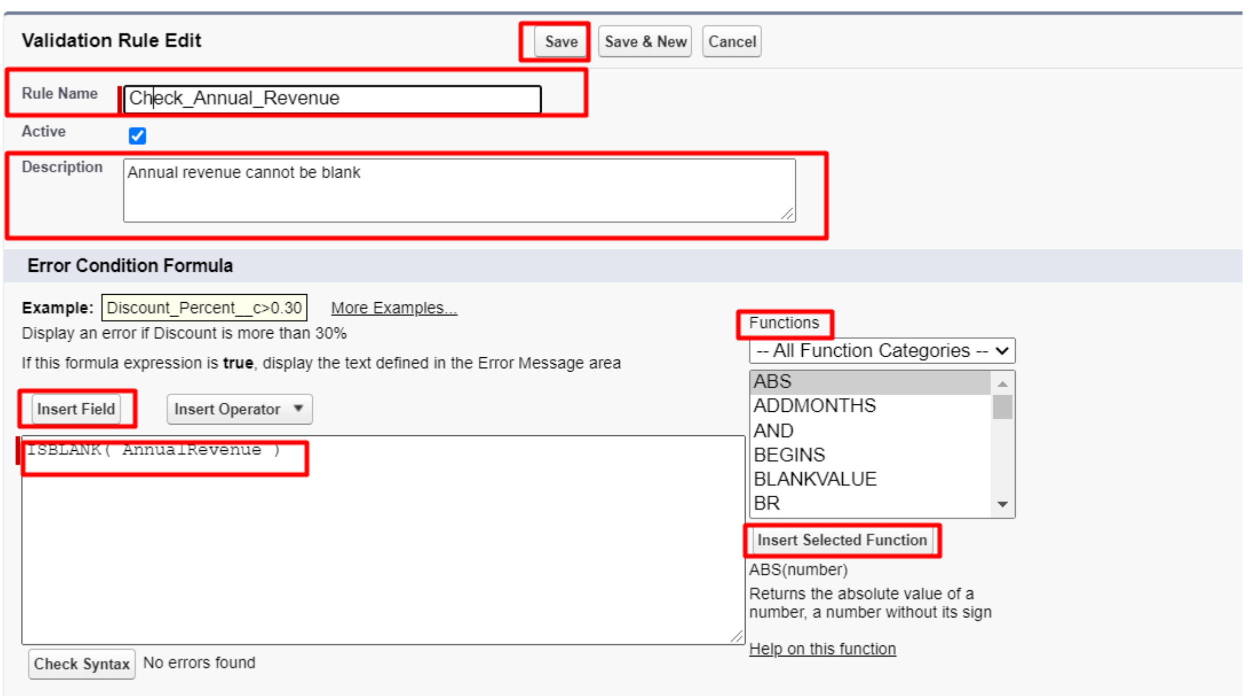
Step 2: After you open the account object on the left hand side as you scroll you will see an option as Validation rules,click on that to open.



Step 3: As you click on it you will be directed to the next page you will see an option as new on the right hand side of the screen click on it open, as you click on it you will again be directed to a new page where you can create your validation rule.



Step 4: You will have to fill information like rule name, active, description, field, operator etc. here I am naming it as "Check_Annual_Revenue" and putting description as "Annual revenue cannot be blank" further you will be able to see that we have to put formula so I can select function from the function option given on the right hand side, here i am searching for "ISBLANK" I select it and click on insert selected function.so now in place of expression i have to insert the field so here I will put annual revenue by clicking on insert field and selecting annual revenue and click on save.



Step 5: Now moving to account record and clicking on details and opening it in edit mode and if the annual revenue is blank and you click on save so here you will see that we will be unable to save this until we provide an annual revenue same applies with creating a new record.