

Creating a Number Field

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Overview

A **Number** field allows users to enter numbers into a form. The Number field can also display [trending data](#) when added to a standard form on an object type.

User Account Requirements

The user account you use to log into Resolver must have Administrator permission to use the create a numeric field.

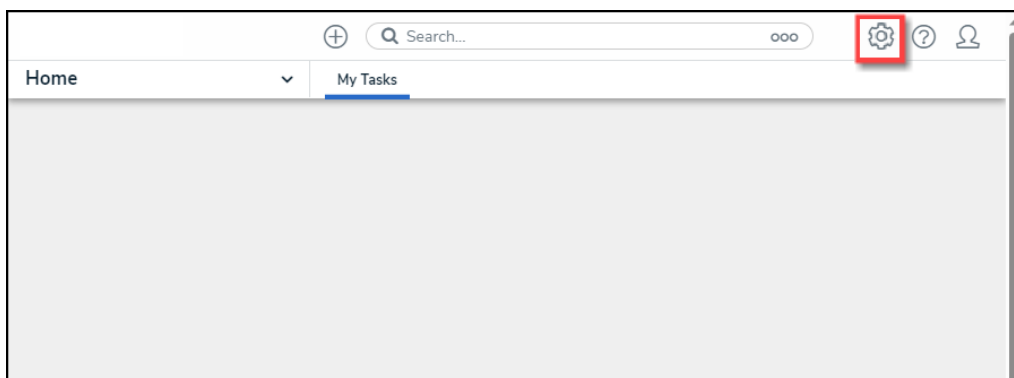
Related Information/Setup

Please refer to the [Trending Tables](#) article for more information on values changing over multiple timeframes using Trending Tables.

Please refer to the [Creating a Currency Field](#) article for more information on creating currency fields.

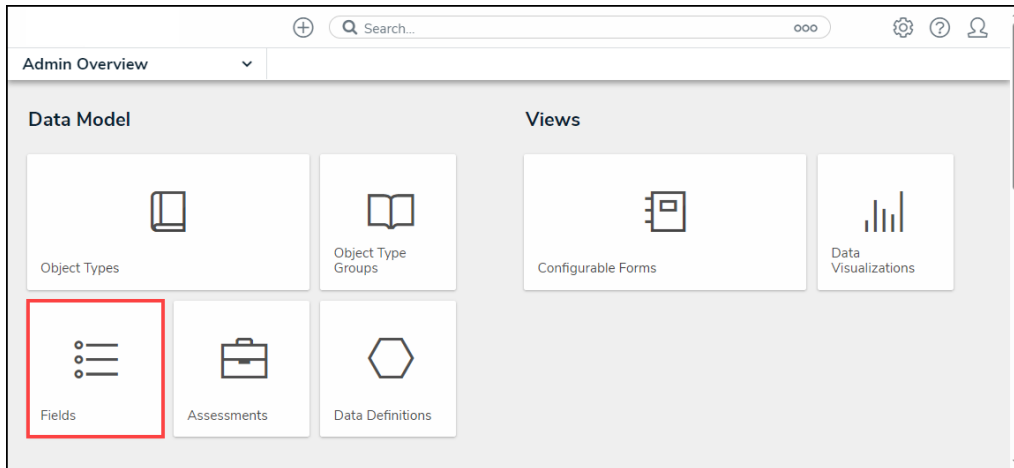
Navigation

1. From the **Home** screen, click the **Administration** icon.



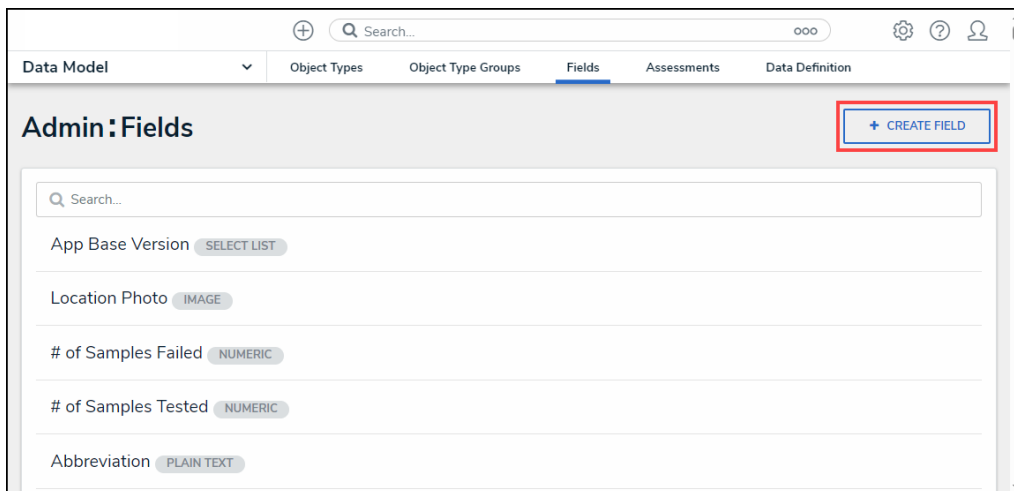
Administration Icon

2. From the **Admin Overview** screen, click the **Fields** tile on the **Data Model** section.



Fields Tile

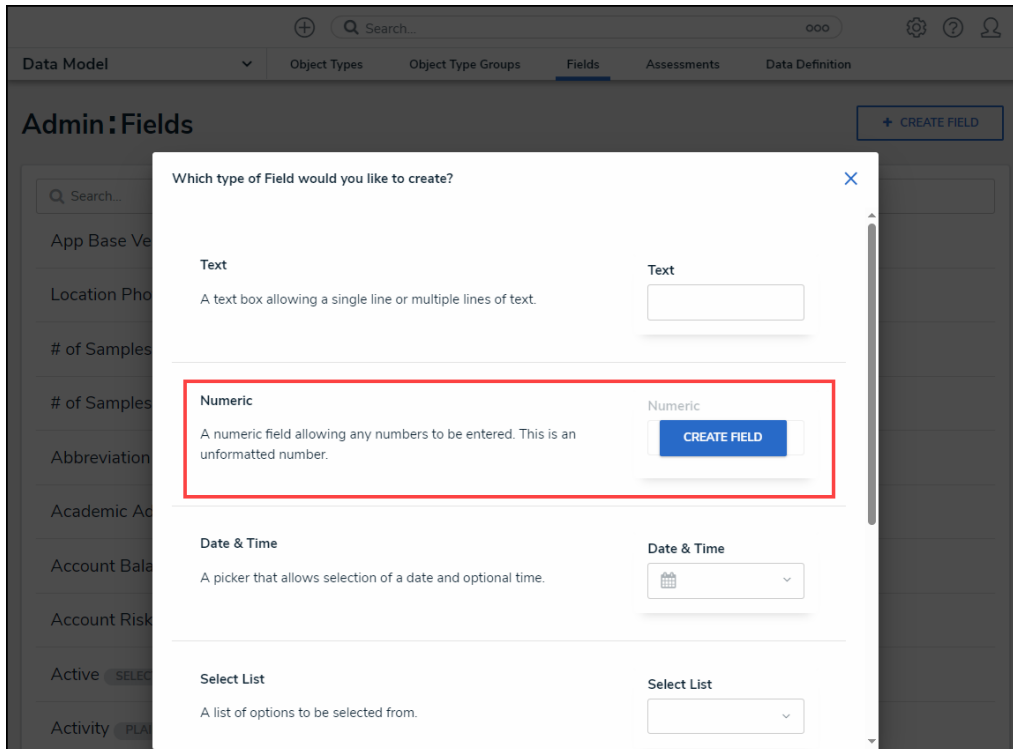
3. From the **Admin: Fields**, click the **+Create Field** button.



+Create Field Button

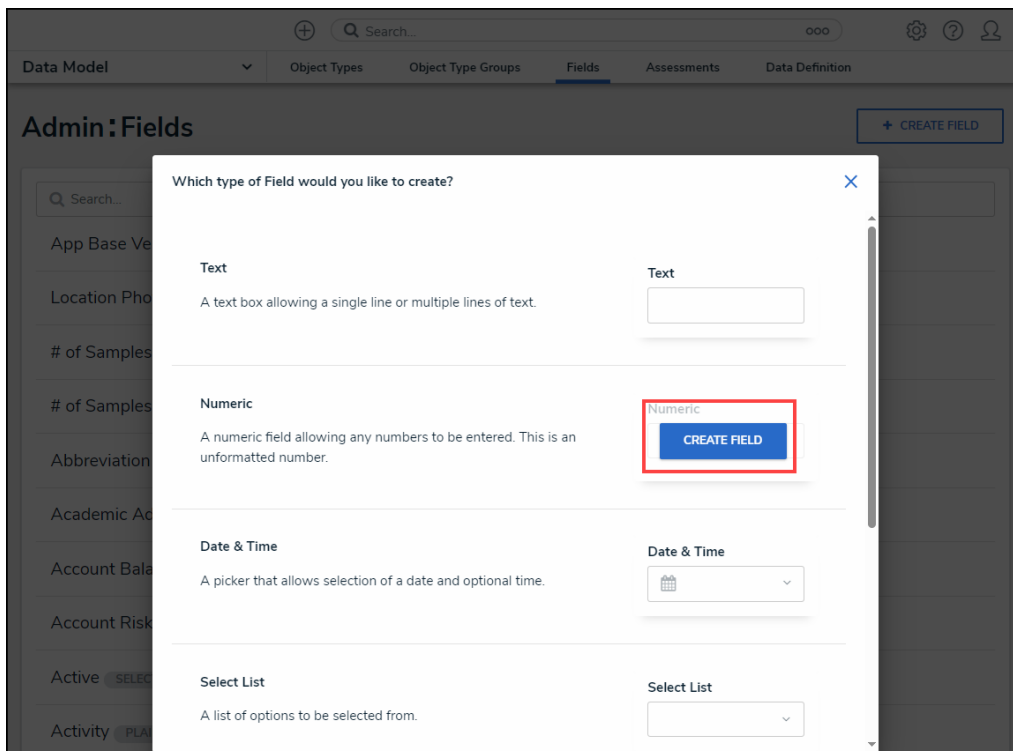
Creating a Numeric Field

1. From the **Which type of would you like to create?** pop-up, hover your cursor over the **Numeric** field.



Numeric Field

2. Click the **Create Field** button.



Create Field Button

3. From the **Admin: Create a Field** screen, enter the field name in the **Field Name** field. The **Field Name** can be used on object types throughout the system.

The screenshot shows the 'Admin: Create a Field' interface. At the top, there is a search bar and navigation tabs for 'Data Model', 'Object Types', 'Object Type Groups', 'Fields', 'Assessments', and 'Data Definition'. The 'Fields' tab is active. The form contains the following fields:

- Field Type:** A dropdown menu with 'Numeric' selected.
- * Field Name:** A text input field containing 'Time Spent (hrs.)', highlighted with a red box.
- Long Name:** A large text area, currently empty.
- Description:** A large text area, currently empty.

Field Name Field

4. **(Optional)** enter additional information or alternate phrasing in the **Long Name** field. Information entered in the **Long Name** field can appear on forms.

The screenshot shows the 'Admin: Create a Field' interface, similar to the previous one. The 'Long Name' field is now highlighted with a red box and contains the text 'Please enter the Time Spent value in hours'. The other fields remain the same as in the previous screenshot.

Long Name Field

5. **(Optional)** Enter a field description explaining the function of the field in the **Description** field. The **Description** field gives users more information about a field.

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- Field Type:** A dropdown menu with 'Numeric' selected.
- *Field Name:** A text input field containing 'Time Spent (hrs.)'.
- Long Name:** A text input field containing 'Please enter the Time Spent value in hours'.
- Description:** A large text area, which is highlighted with a red border.

Description Field

- (Optional)** Enter the minimum number of characters allowed in the **Minimum Characters** field (the value must be a whole number). The **Minimum Characters** field value must be less than or equal to the **Maximum Characters** field value.

The screenshot shows the 'Admin: Create a Field' interface, focusing on the character count fields. The 'Fields' tab is active. The form contains the following fields:

- Minimum Characters:** A text input field containing '2', highlighted with a red border. Below it is the text: 'Minimum Characters is optional. It must be a whole number less than or equal to Maximum Characters (if set).'.
- Maximum Characters:** A text input field containing 'e.g. 10, 140, etc.'. Below it is the text: 'Maximum Characters is optional. It must be a whole number greater than or equal to Minimum Characters (if set).'.
- Number Type:** A dropdown menu with 'Number' selected.
- PREVIEW:** A section for previewing the field configuration.
- Buttons:** 'CANCEL' and 'CREATE' buttons at the bottom right.

Minimum Characters Field

- (Optional)** Enter the maximum number of characters allowed in the **Maximum Characters** field (the value must be a whole number). The **Maximum Character** field value must be greater than or equal to the **Minimum Character** field value.

The screenshot shows the 'Fields' configuration page in the Resolver interface. At the top, there is a search bar and navigation tabs for 'Data Model', 'Object Types', 'Object Type Groups', 'Fields', 'Assessments', and 'Data Definition'. The 'Fields' tab is active. Below the tabs, there are three input fields: 'Minimum Characters' (value: 2), 'Maximum Characters' (value: 4, highlighted with a red box), and 'Number Type' (value: Number). Below these fields is a 'PREVIEW' section and a 'CREATE' button.

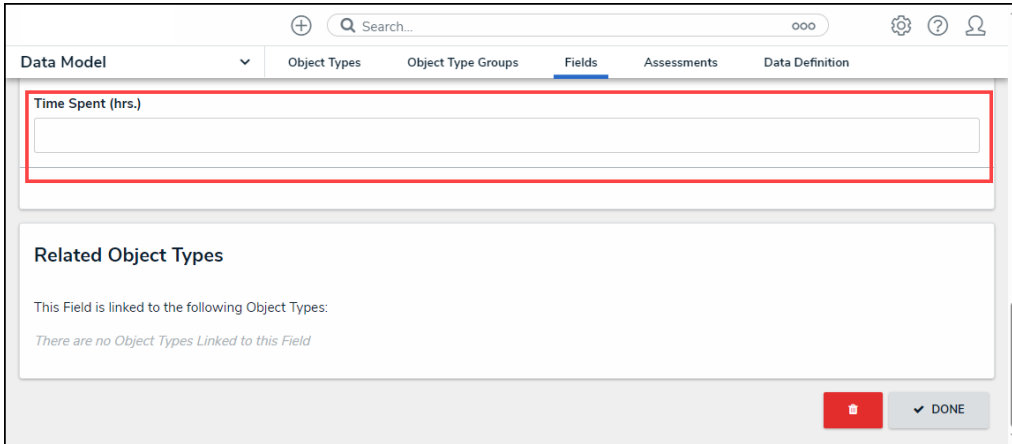
Maximum Characters Field

8. Select the **Number** field type from the **Number Type** dropdown menu:
 - **Number:** A field that allows users to enter a numeric value.
 - **Currency:** A field that allows users to enter a currency value.

The screenshot shows the 'Fields' configuration page in the Resolver interface. The 'Number Type' dropdown menu is open, showing 'Number' and 'Currency' options. The 'Number' option is highlighted with a red box. The 'Maximum Characters' field is also visible and contains the value '4'. Below the dropdown is a 'PREVIEW' section and a 'CREATE' button.

Number Type Dropdown Menu

9. Click the **Create** button to create the new **Number** field and to preview what the field will look like when added to a Configuration Form within the system. You may need to scroll to the **Preview** section to view the field after clicking the **Create** button.



Preview Section