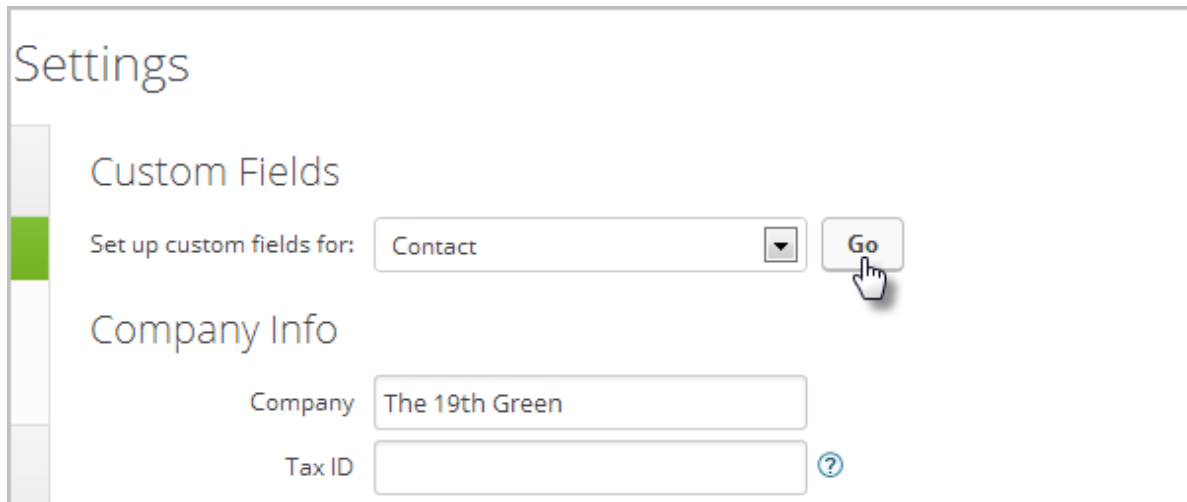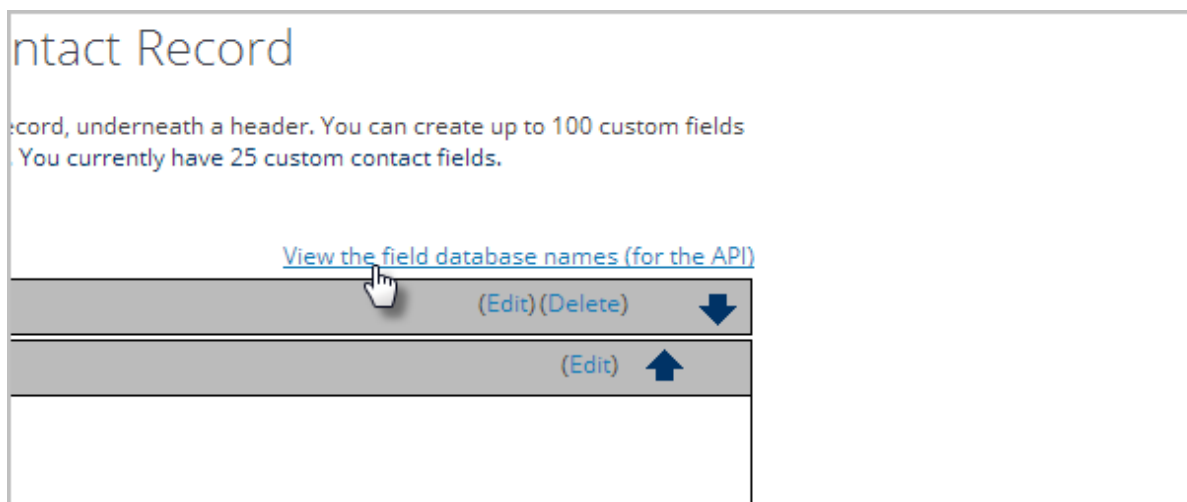# Backend Database Names For Custom Fields 🔗

1. Go to Admin > Settings in the main navigation menu

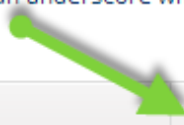2. Go to the custom field section, select a field type from the drop-down, and then click on **Go**.

3. Click on the **View the field database names (for the API)** link.

4. The database field names will be listed in a new window.

Custom Field Details for the Contact Record

NOTE: You must prepend custom field database names with an underscore when accessing them throug
EXAMPLE: _SomeField

Label	Type	Database Name
Currency	Currency	fhj
Date	Date	Date
Date/Time	Date/Time	DateTime