



How to identify cells that contain decimal values

One of my customers wanted to highlight any cells that contained decimal figures in his spreadsheet. The spreadsheet had thousands of records so it was taking quite a long time for him to colour code these cells.

The INT function can be used in conjunction with an IF statement to identify these cells.

See the example below.

B	C	D	E	F
2.3	=IF(INT(B2)=B2,"Integer","Decimal")			
2	Integer			
5.6	Decimal			
5	Integer			
9	Integer			
1.2	Decimal			

Using this formula means that conditional formatting can then be used to colour code the relevant cells