

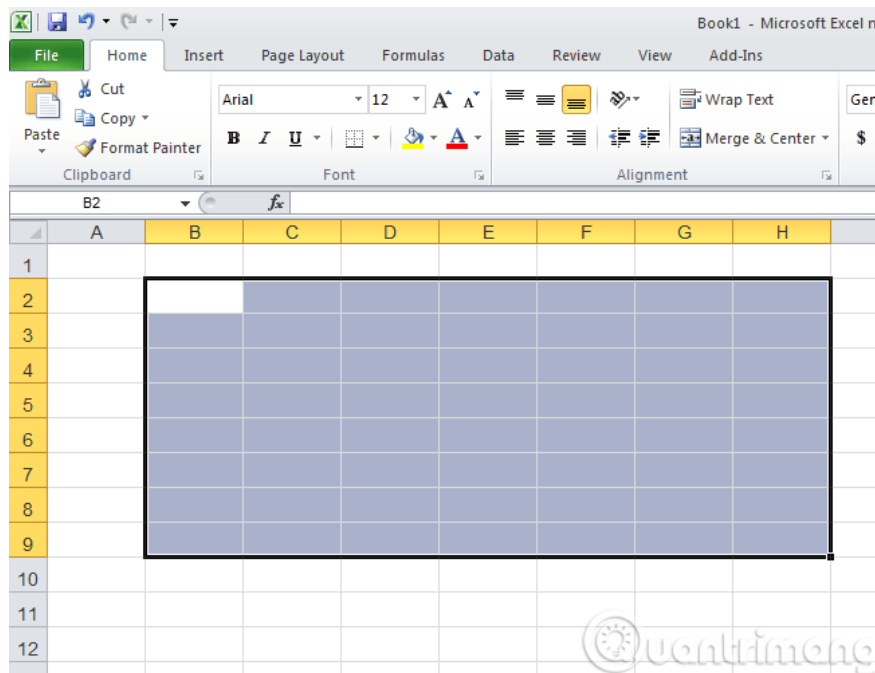
# 4 basic steps to color alternating lines in Microsoft Excel

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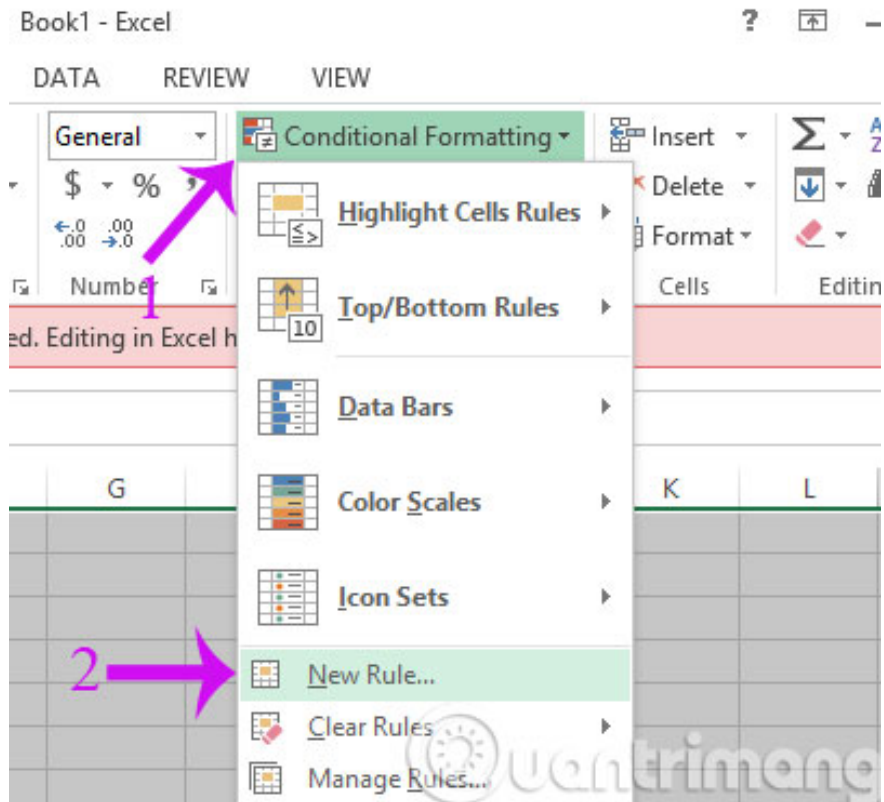
## Step 1:

Open the Excel spreadsheet and then black out the lines to fill, as in the example here I select the rows, column Excel from B2 to H9:



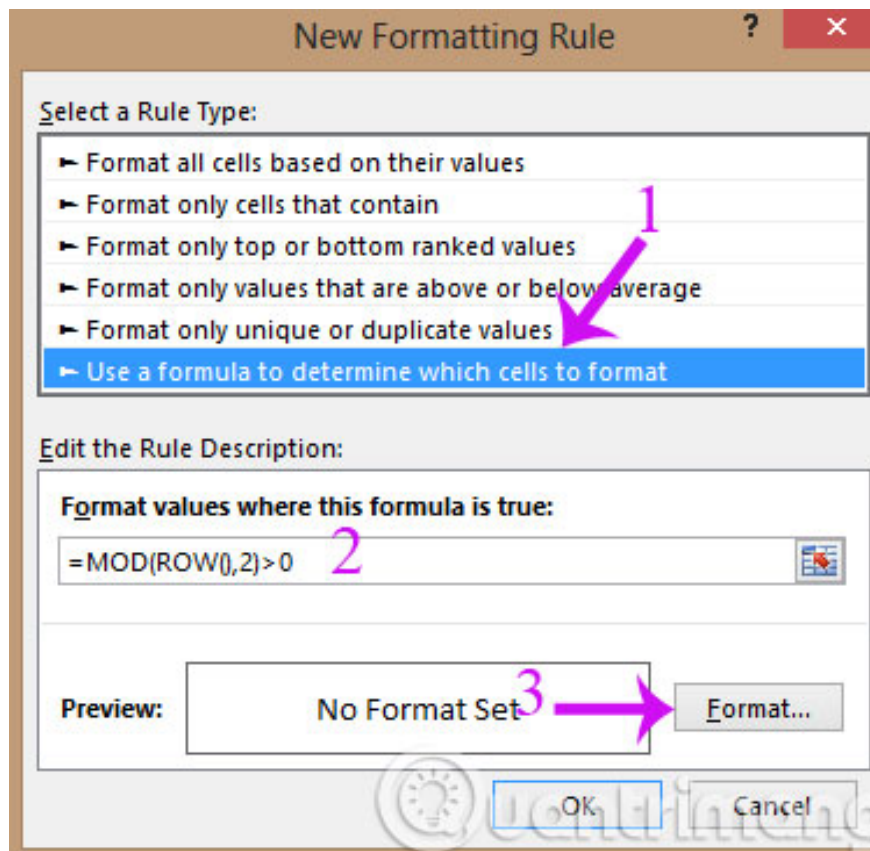
## Step 2:

On the menu bar, click the **Conditional Formatting** item, select **New Rule** .



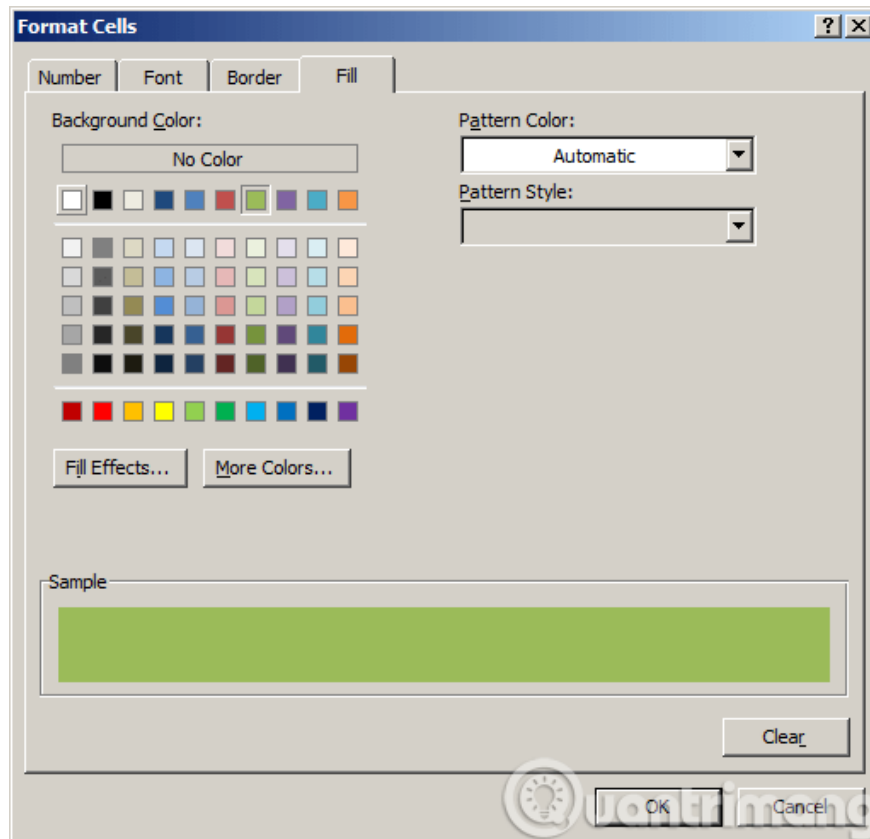
### Step 3:

When the **New Formatting Rule** dialog box appears, click the **Use a formula to determine which cells to format** and then enter the following formula line in the **Format values where this formula field is true**: = **MOD (ROW (), 2)> 0** . Then click **Format** .

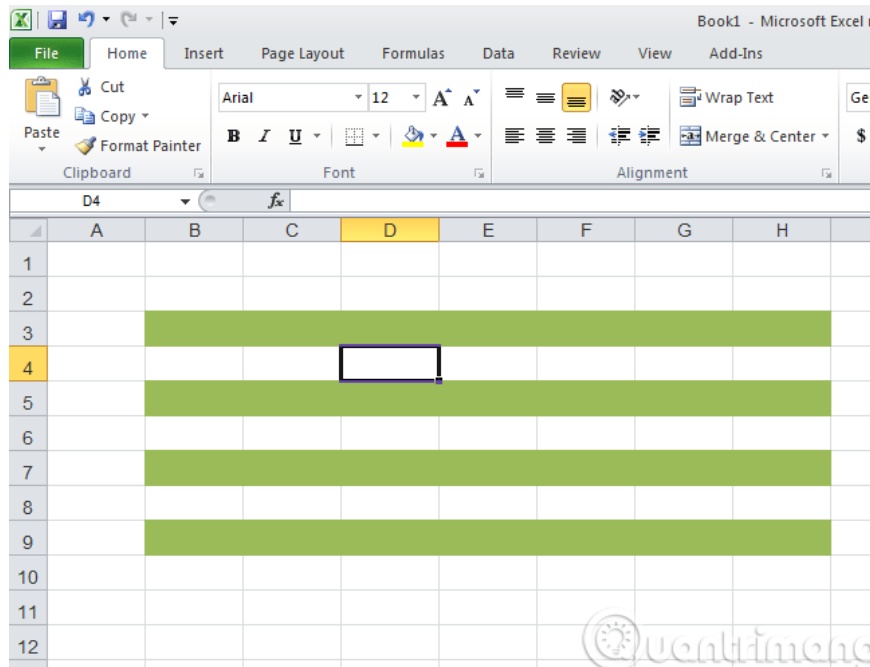


#### Step 4:

When the **Formatting Rule** dialog box appears, click the **Fill** tab and select the desired color.

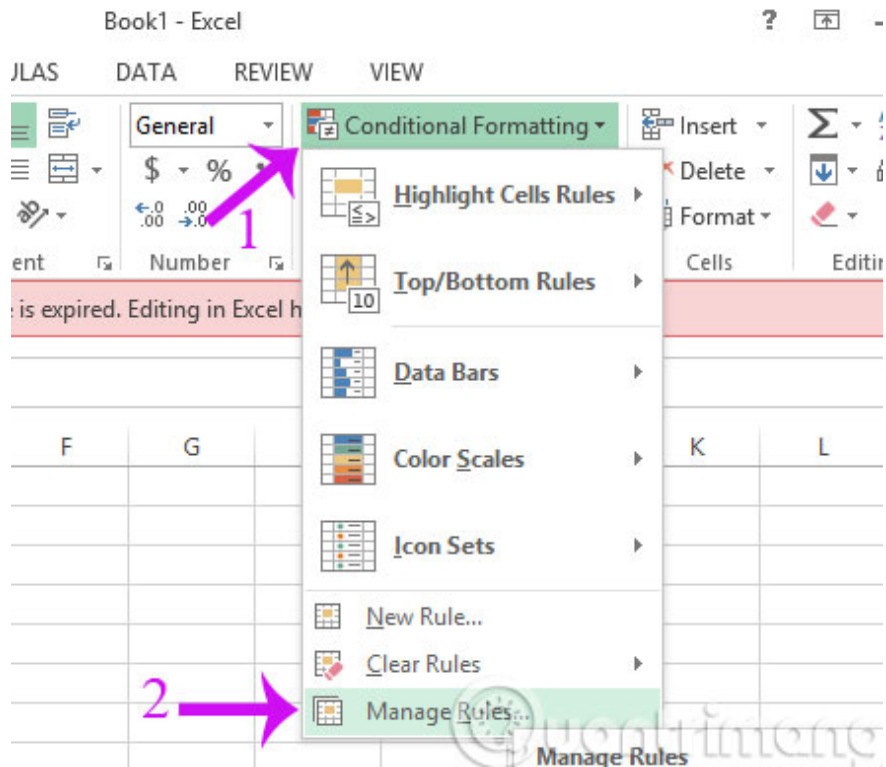


Click OK, and we will have the Excel cells colored alternately as shown below:

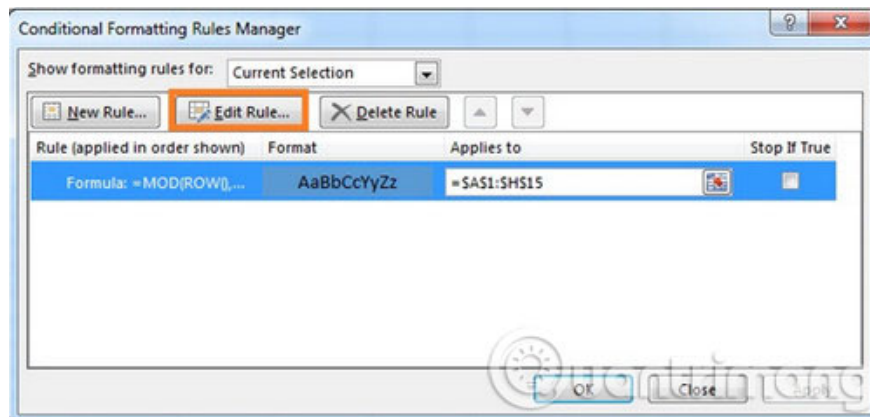


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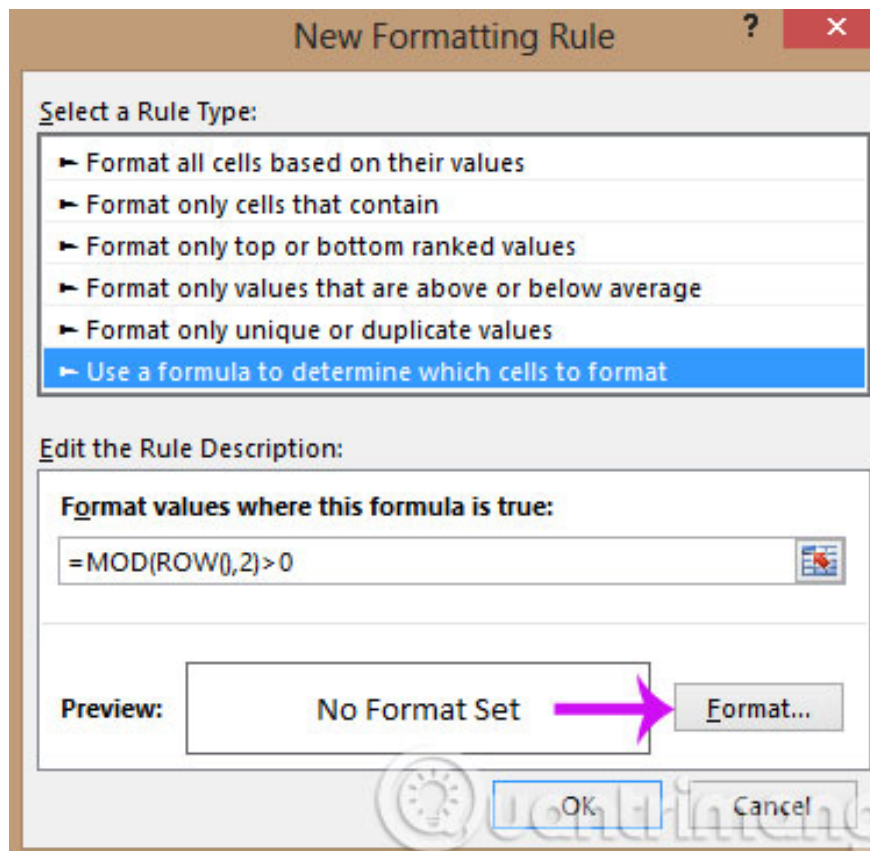
If you want to change to another color, click on the **Conditional Formatting** section and select **Manage Rules**.



**Step 6 :** When the new dialog appears, click **Edit Rule**



**Step 7 :** Click the **Format** button to change to the desired color



So, you already know how to color between Microsoft Excel lines. This job is small but it will contribute to minimizing errors in the calculation process for you.

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