private void dataGridView1\_CellValidating(object sender,

DataGridViewCellValidatingEventArgs e)

{

if (e.ColumnIndex == 1) // 1 should be your column index

{

int i;

if (!int.TryParse(Convert.ToString(e.FormattedValue), out i))

{

e.Cancel = true;

label1.Text ="please enter numeric";

}

else

{

// the input is numeric

}

}

}

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**ollow the below code snippet for the validation;**

**private void dataGridViewDistribution\_CellValidating(object sender,**

**DataGridViewCellValidatingEventArgs e)**

**{**

**DataGridViewColumn col = dataGridViewDistribution.Columns[e.ColumnIndex] as DataGridViewColumn;**

**if (col.Name.ToLower() == "cost" || col.Name.ToLower() == "sellingprice")**

**{**

**DataGridViewTextBoxCell cell = dataGridViewDistribution[e.ColumnIndex, e.RowIndex] as DataGridViewTextBoxCell;**

**if (cell != null)**

**{**

**char[] chars = e.FormattedValue.ToString().ToCharArray();**

**foreach (char c in chars)**

**{**

**if (char.IsDigit(c) == false)**

**{**

**MessageBox.Show("You have to enter digits only");**

**e.Cancel = true;**

**break;**

**}**

**}**

**}**

**}**

**}**