



Introduction to ArcGIS

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Overview

- What is GIS?
- Common uses
- Software
- Interface & navigation
- Adding layers
- Customizing & displaying layers

- Select features by attribute
- Select features by location
- Buffer features tool
- Layout view
- Datums & projections
- File management
- Data sources

What is GIS?

- Geographic Information Systems (GIS) is a computer-based methodology for collecting, managing, analyzing, modeling, and presenting geographic or spatial data.
- Allows you to overlay datasets and query them in terms of their spatial relation to each other

Two Types of Spatial Data

- Raster - continuous data
 - E.G., air photos, scanned maps, elevation layers
 - Most remote sensing data is raster data
- Vector - discrete features
 - A layer comprised of individual points, lines or polygons (e.g., roads or states)
 - This presentation focuses on vector data

Common Uses

- Analyzing potential environmental hazards
- Emergency services planning and routing
- Siting new facilities:
 - wind farms
 - power plants
 - vineyards
- Identifying food deserts in urban areas
- Much more!

Esri

- Environmental Systems Research Institute
- ESRI is now Esri
- Industry leader for GIS software
- Program is ArcGIS/ArcMap
 - Now up to version 10.1.
 - (This presentation done with V. 10)

ArcMap - Getting Started

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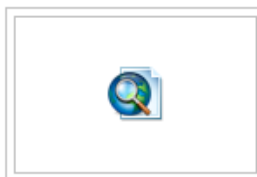
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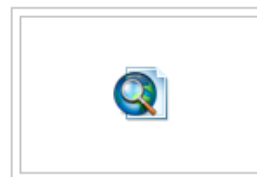
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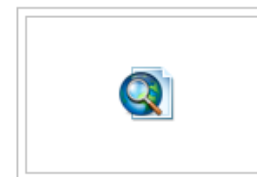
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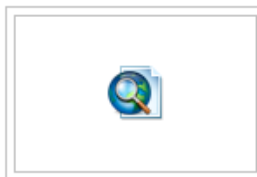
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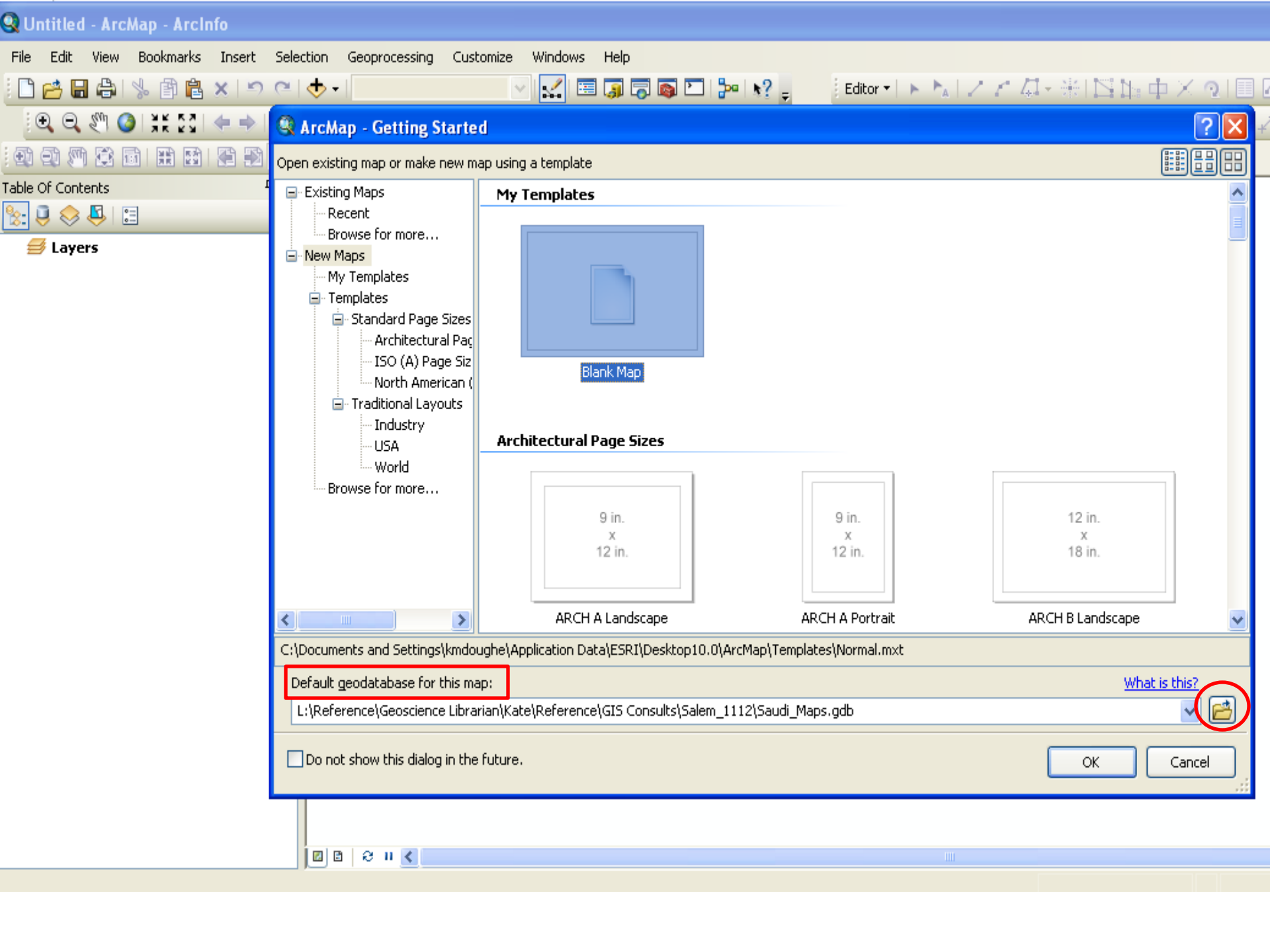
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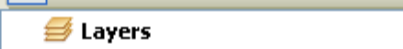
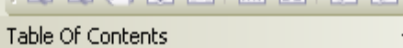
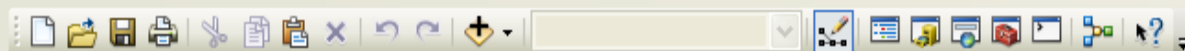
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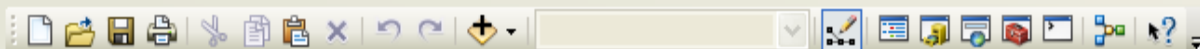
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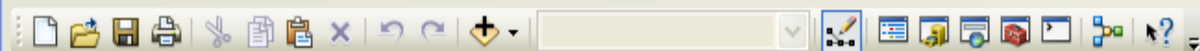
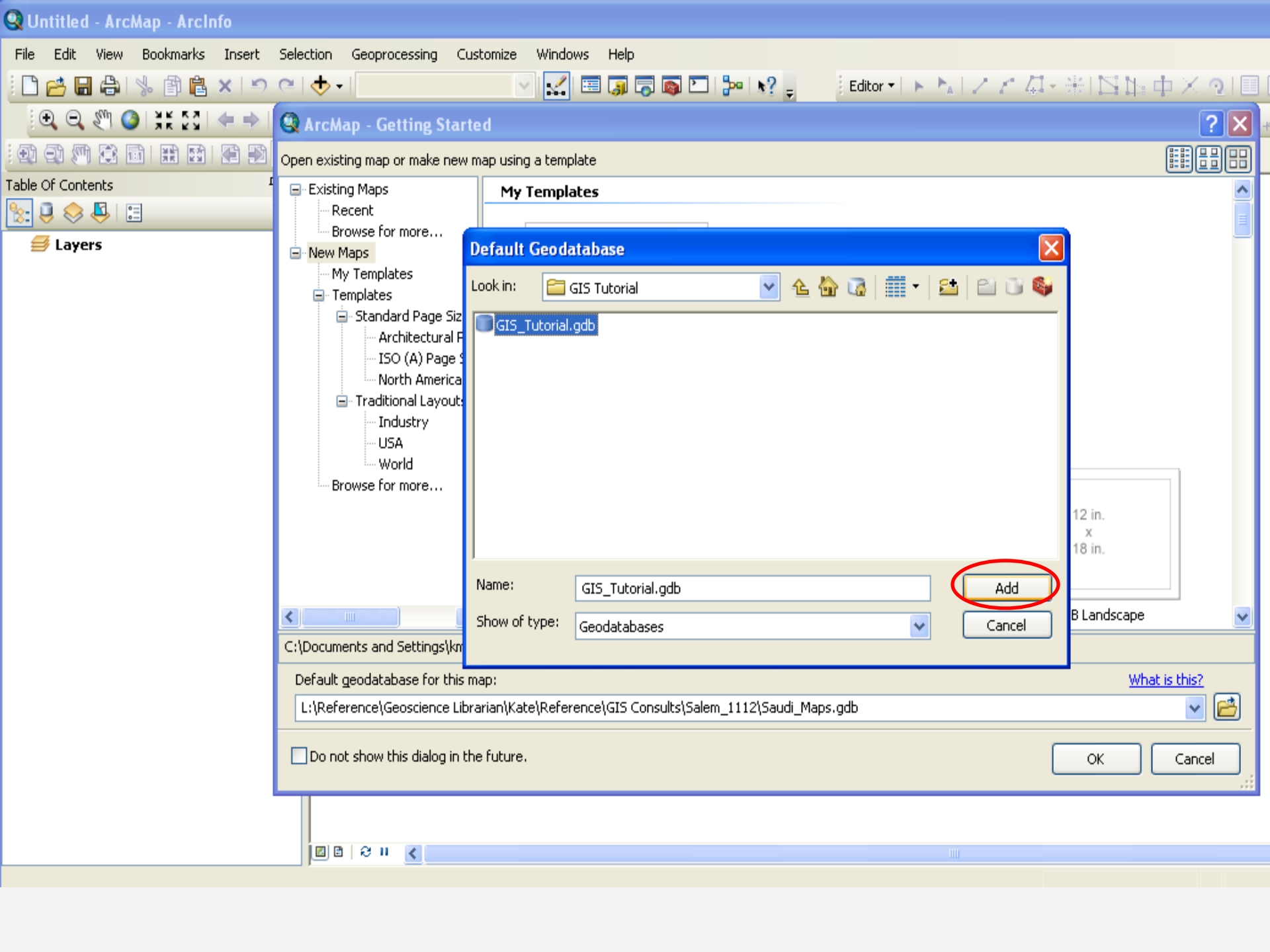
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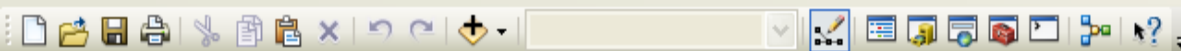
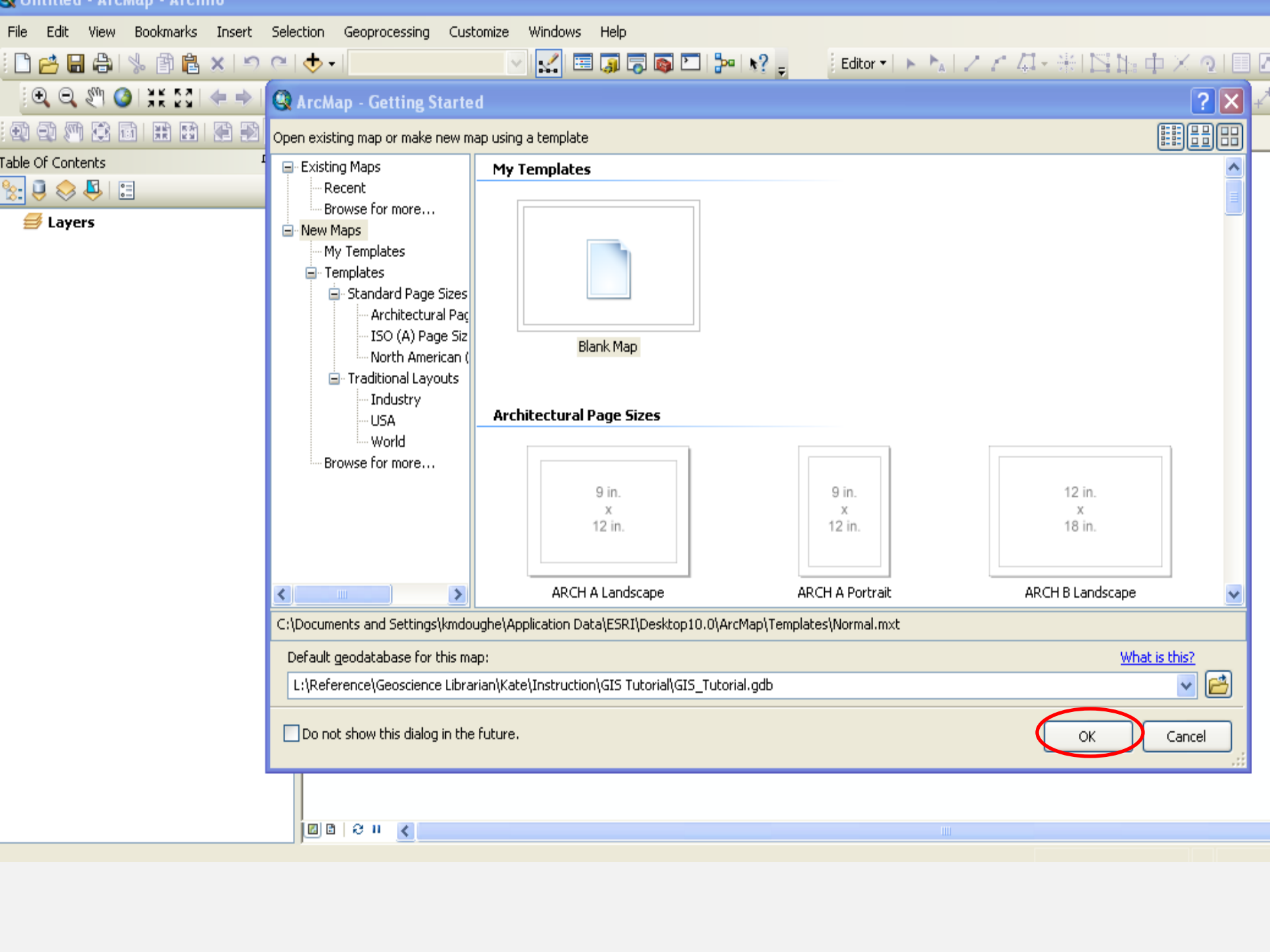
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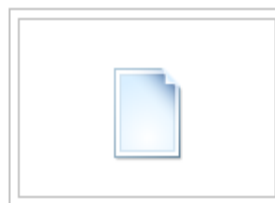
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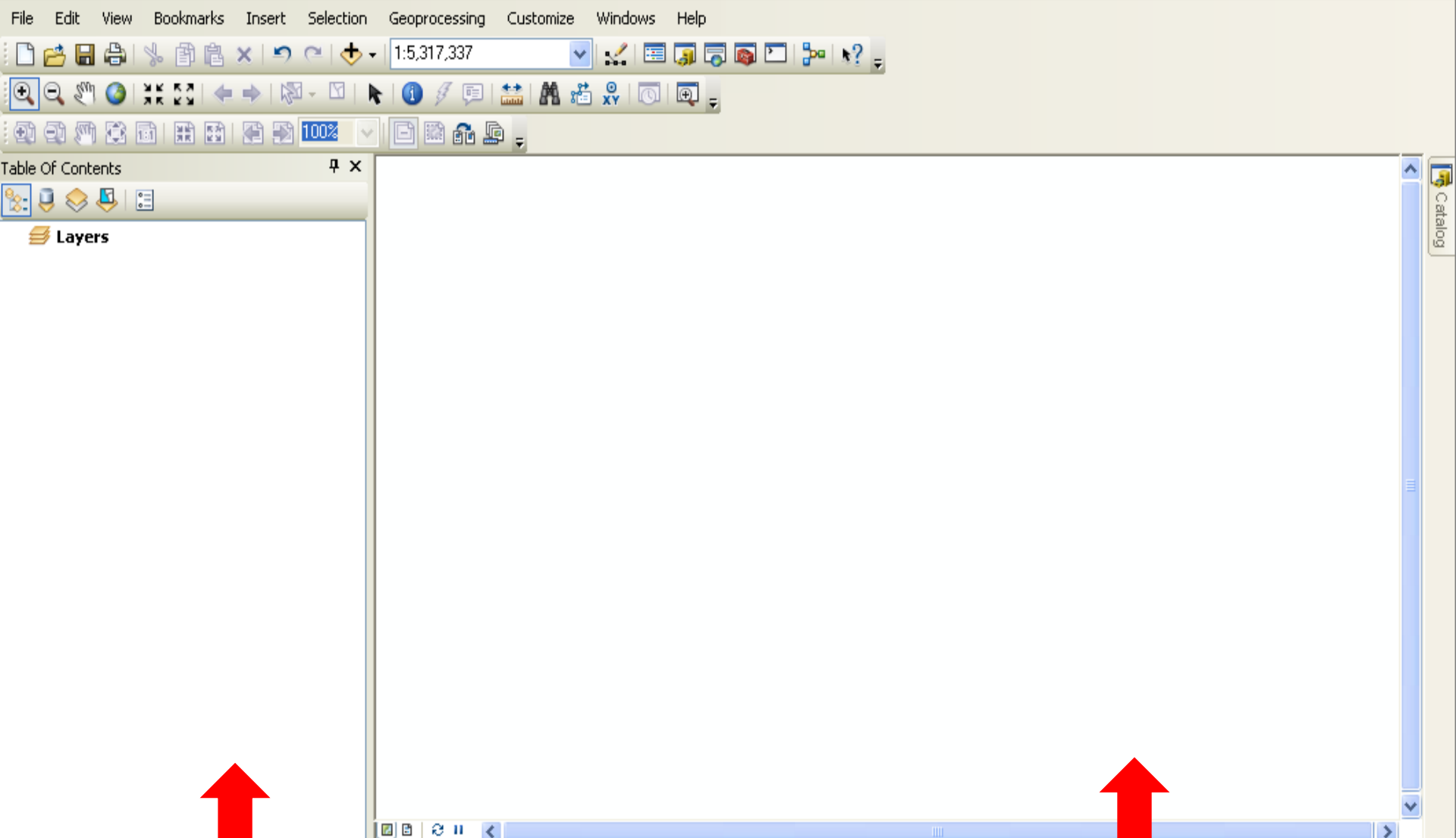
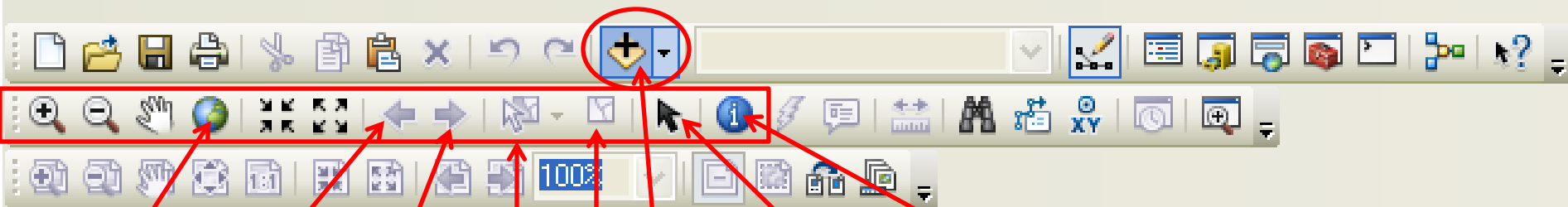


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The "data frame" that displays the spatial data.



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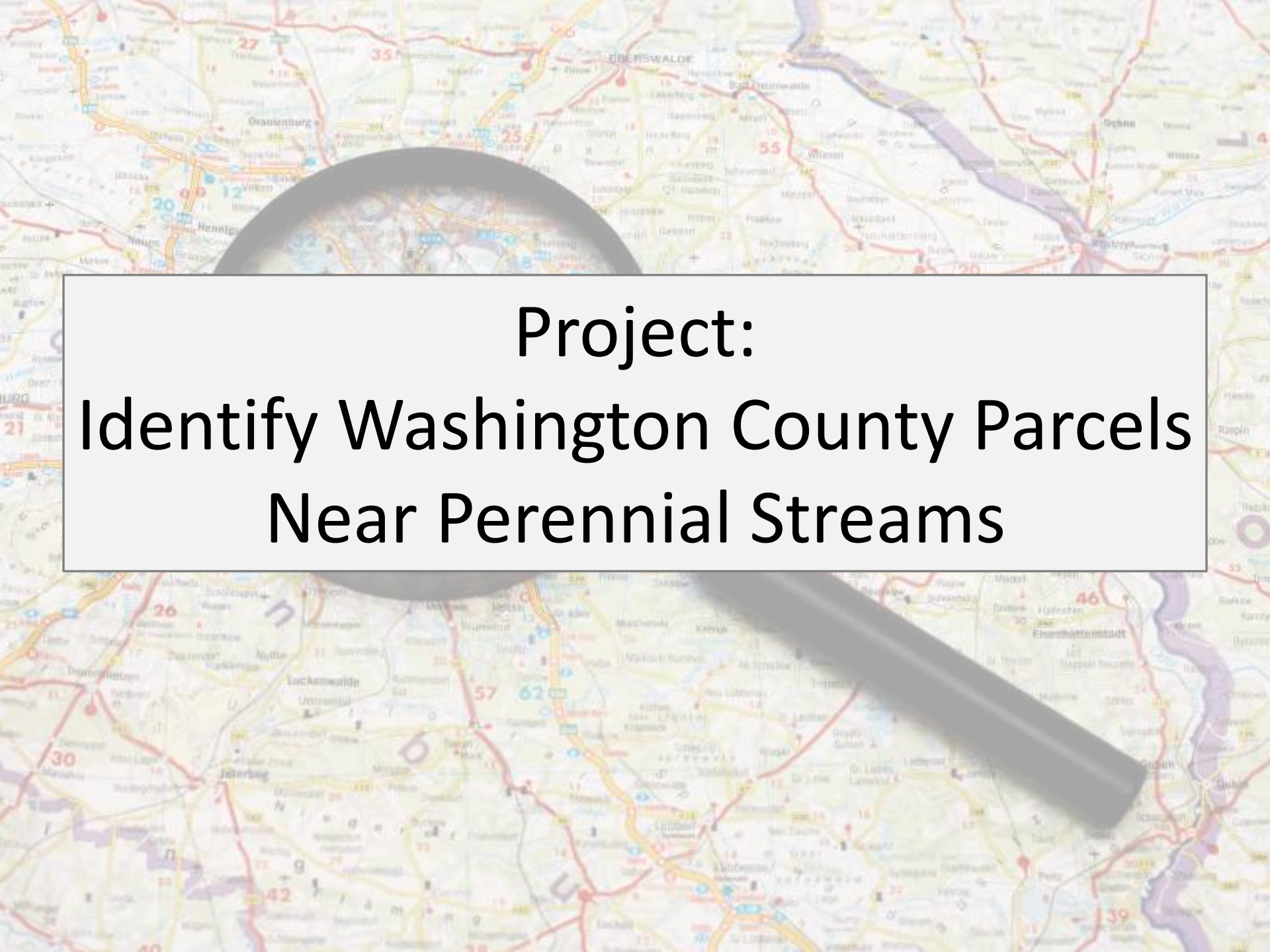
Select
features
(by hand)

Clear
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Add data

Select
elements
(to move
or edit)

Identify
feature

The background is a detailed map of a region in Germany, showing towns like Oranienburg, Hennigsdorf, and Oderswalde. A semi-transparent white rectangular box is centered over the map, containing the project title. A dark grey, semi-transparent circular shape is partially visible behind the box on the left side, and a dark grey, semi-transparent rectangular shape is visible behind the box on the bottom right.

Project: Identify Washington County Parcels Near Perennial Streams

Add Layers

- [States \(Census Bureau\)](#)
- [Counties \(Census Bureau\)](#)
- [Hydrography \(Area - National Hydrography Dataset\)](#)
- [Parcels \(Washington County – Wash Co Data Month Year.zip\)](#)
- [Public lands \(GeoStor\)](#)

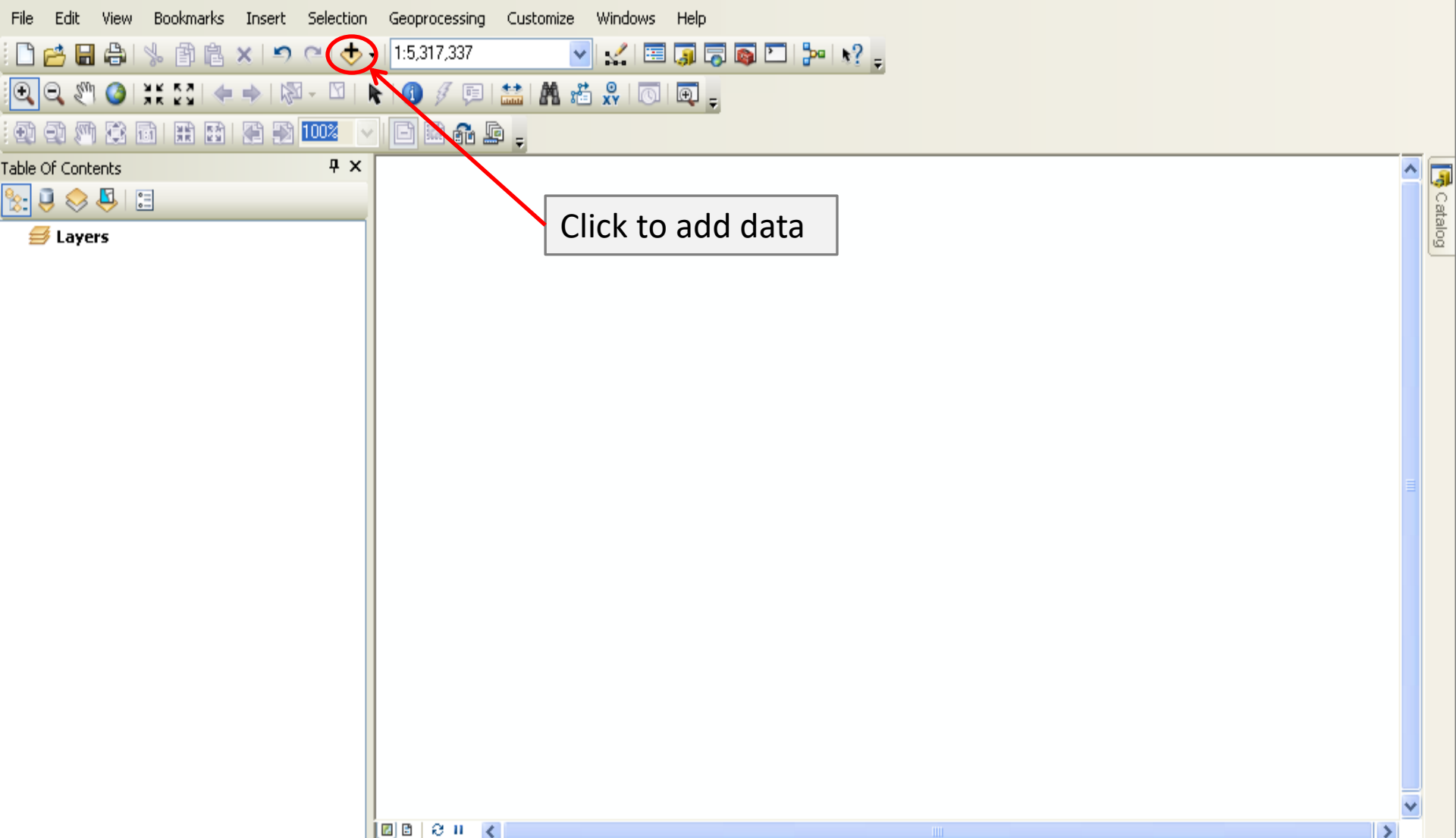





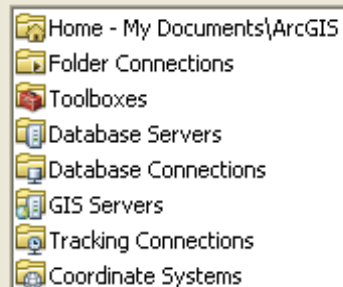
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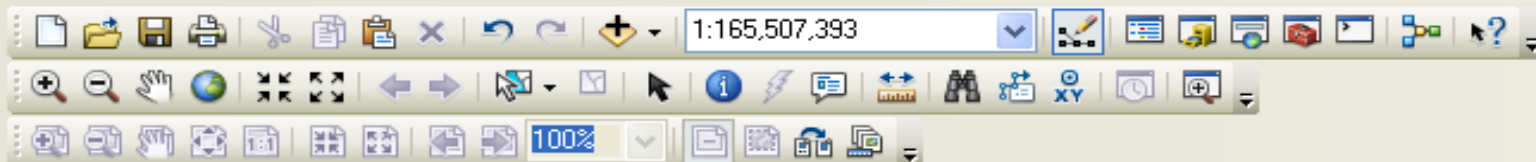
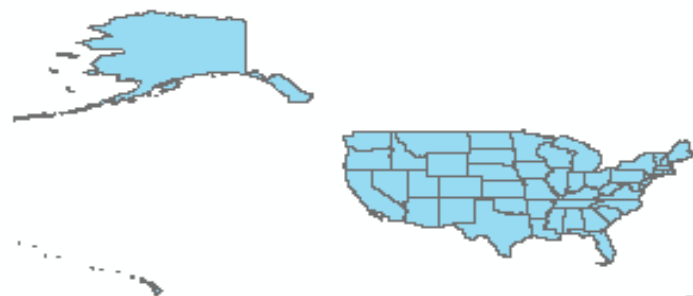


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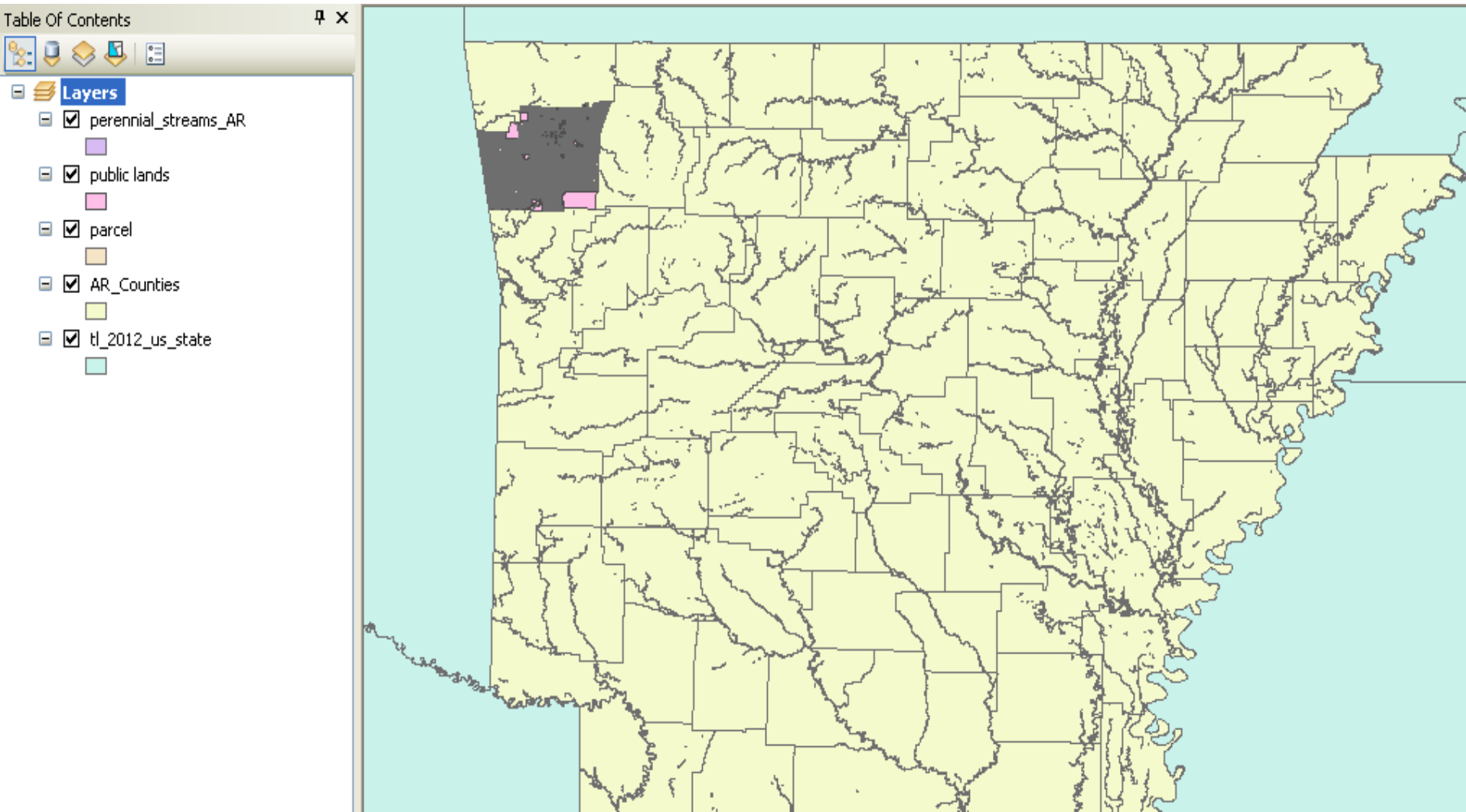
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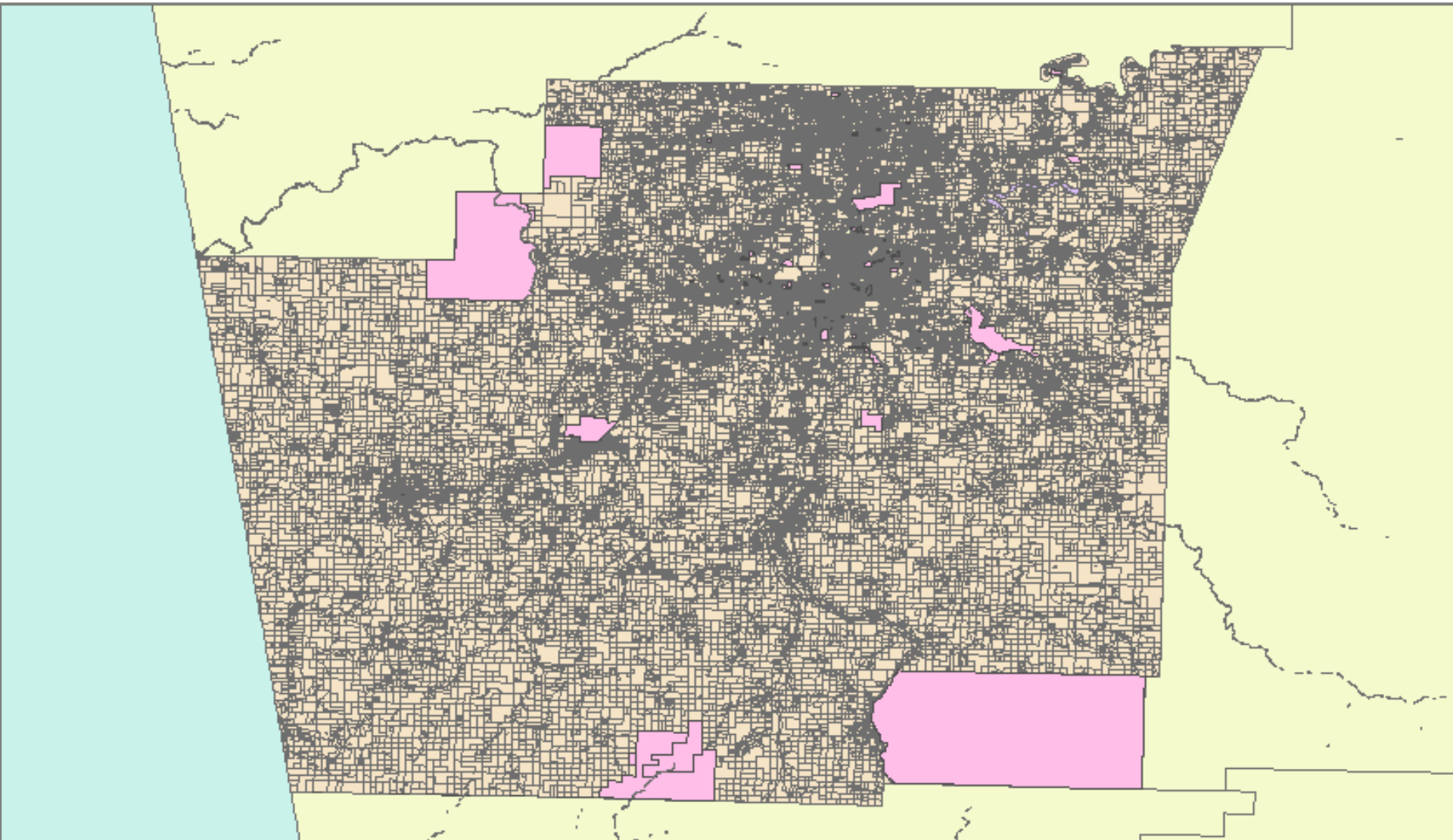
Coordinate Systems

- All your layers may not necessarily use the same coordinate system.
 - OK to draw and display
 - Not OK for detailed analysis
(need to [reproject layers](#) – advanced step)
- Data frame will use the coordinate system of the first layer that's added
 - (displays feet, meters, or decimal degrees/lat/long of cursor location in bottom-right corner, depending on coordinate system)

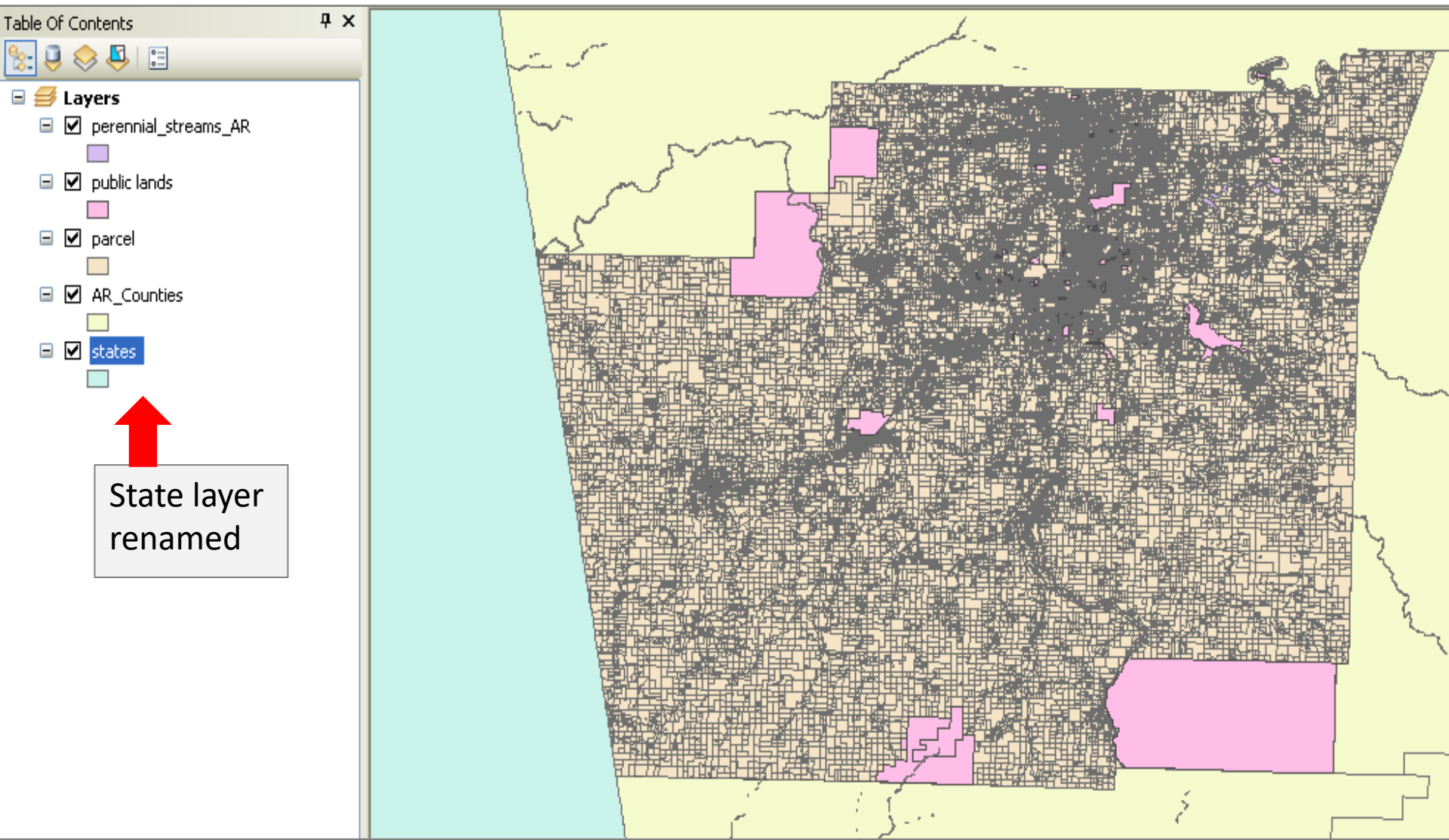
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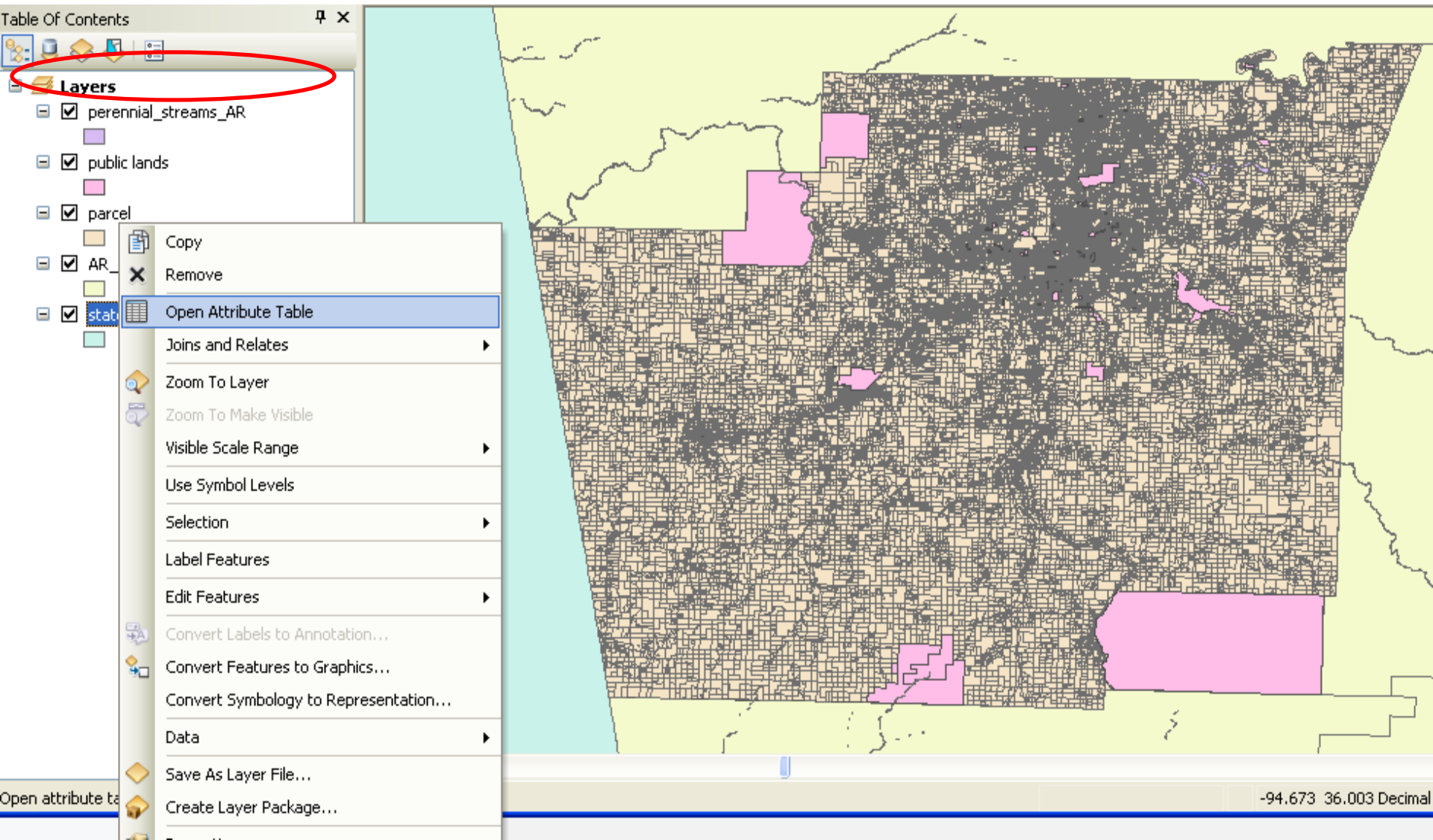
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Rename States Layer



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	2	Polygon	4	8	35	00897535	35	NM	New Mexico
	3	Polygon	4	8	30	00767982	30	MT	Montana
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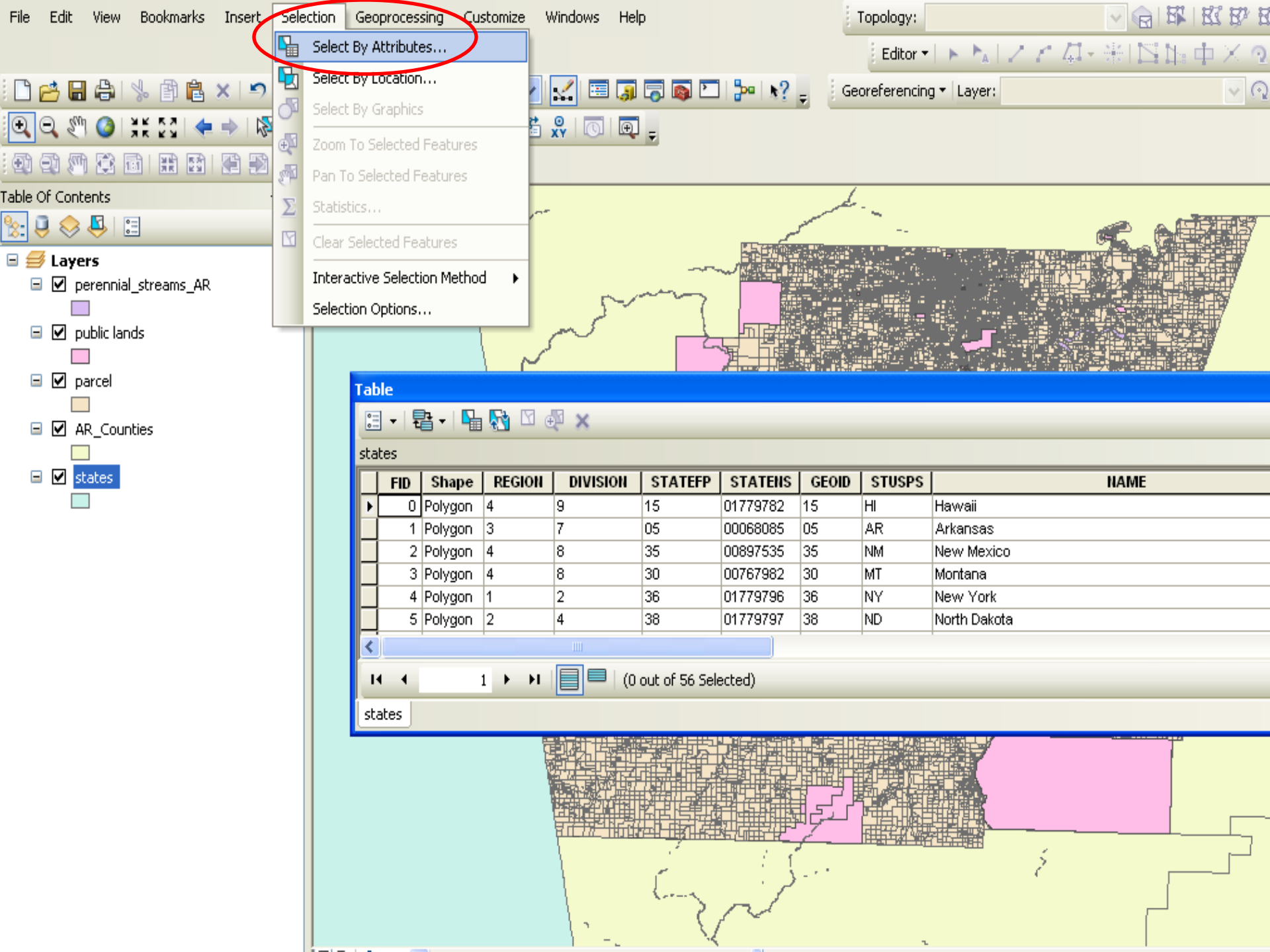
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Customizing Layers



Select by Attribute Tool



- Select By Attributes...
- Select By Location...
- Select By Graphics
- Zoom To Selected Features
- Pan To Selected Features
- Statistics...
- Clear Selected Features
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 - ☒ public lands
 - ☒ parcel
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Select By Attributes

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01779797	38	ND	North Dakota
01785534	46	SD	South Dakota
01455989	49	UT	Utah
01155107	41	OR	Oregon
01779804	53	WA	Washington
01802701	60	AS	American Samoa
01779783	16	ID	Idaho
01779809	69	MP	Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
01779808	72	PR	Puerto Rico
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Good luck!



Thank you!