

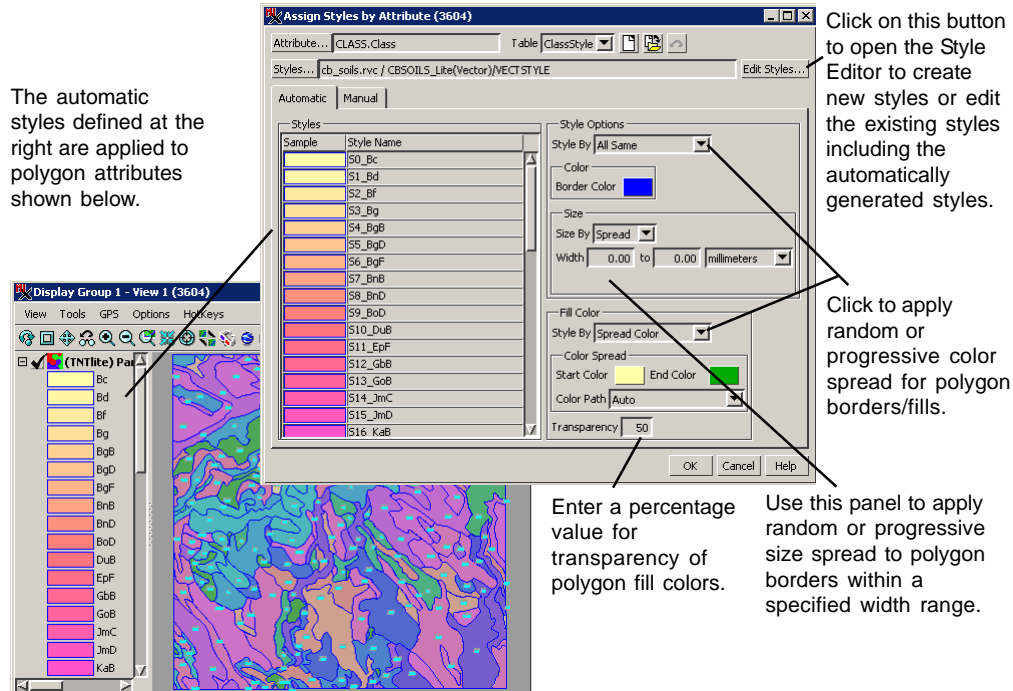
# Automatic Style Assignment

**DID YOU KNOW** . . . you can automatically create and assign a drawing style to each attribute value attached to elements in geometric objects?

## What Automatic Style Assignment Gives You

- Predefined symbols for points and solid colors for lines and polygon fills
- Choose color palette to assign random colors to the attributes
- Define start and end colors for color spread for each element type
- Apply size spread to point symbols, line elements, and polygon borders

The automatic styles defined at the right are applied to polygon attributes shown below.



Click on this button to open the Style Editor to create new styles or edit the existing styles including the automatically generated styles.

Click to apply random or progressive color spread for polygon borders/fills.

Enter a percentage value for transparency of polygon fill colors.

Use this panel to apply random or progressive size spread to polygon borders within a specified width range.

## How to Assign Styles Automatically

- Select Controls from the object's right mouse button menu.
- Click on the tab for the desired element type.
- Set Style to New - by Attribute.
- Click on the Attribute button to select a database table and field for styling.
- Click on the Automatic tab in the Assign Styles by Attribute window.
- Accept the colors automatically assigned to the attributes, or change the options to set size, color, transparency, and scale information of styles.

## WANT TO KNOW MORE?

See the Technical Guide entitled Spatial Display:

**Automatic Style Assignment Options**

