

# Overview of Layers

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As the main organizational tool for drawings, [LAYER](#) can be used to group information by function and to enforce [LINETYPE](#) , [COLOR](#) and other standards.

The following settings can be controlled: the default color, default linetype and lineweight ([LWEIGHT](#)), visibility and brightness, modify and display objects with different layer properties in individual layout viewports.

You start each new drawing with a layer named 0. This layer 0 cannot be deleted or renamed for the following reasons:

- Every drawing has at least one layer
- It is a special layer that relates to controlling colors in blocks

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