

Importing a Layer to a Field without Clipping

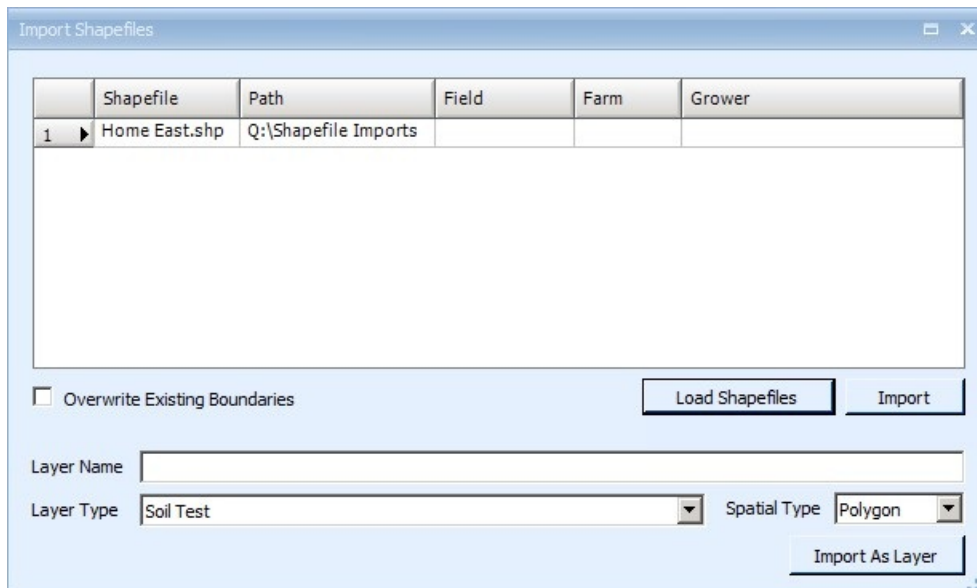
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Q. How can a layer or shapefile be imported to a field without clipping it to the field's boundary?

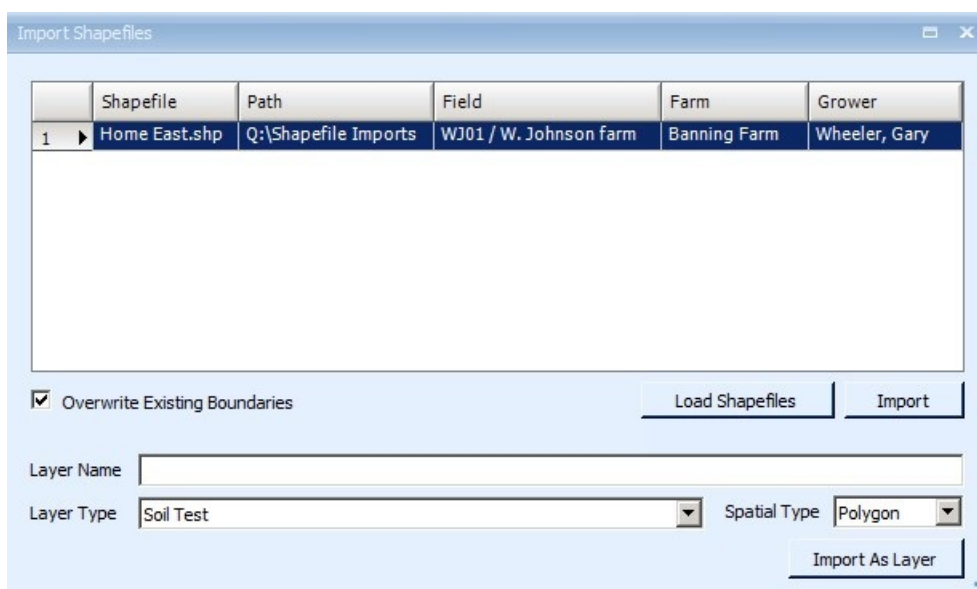
A. In Agvance Mapping, select a specific grower and field associated with a shapefile, or if the shapefile is generic and not specific to any fields, choose a generic grower and field.

Note: The field must be selected in the *Resource Tree* but does not have to have a boundary for the file to import.

Navigate to *SSI / Import Shapefiles*. Select the *Load Shapefiles* button, and select the desired file(s).



Select the row in the *Import Shapefiles* window, and then click the field in the *Resource Tree* to which the file should be associated. This links the shapefile and the field together and displays as such in the *Field*, *Farm*, and *Grower* columns.



Enter the *Layer Name*, select the appropriate *Layer Type* and *Spatial Type*. If this is application data, *Spatial Type* can be set to *Polygon*. Choose the **Import As Layer** button. After the import finishes, the rows are removed from the grid.

Select the **F5** key on the keyboard to refresh the *Resource Tree*. The new layer will be available and does not require a boundary matching the field; it simply displays as a layer.

Note: If a shapefile is imported for a field that has a boundary, but the boundary location differs from n the imported shape file, it zooms to the field's boundary. To view the new layer, select it in the *Resource Tree*, and drag and/or zoom the map to the layer's location.