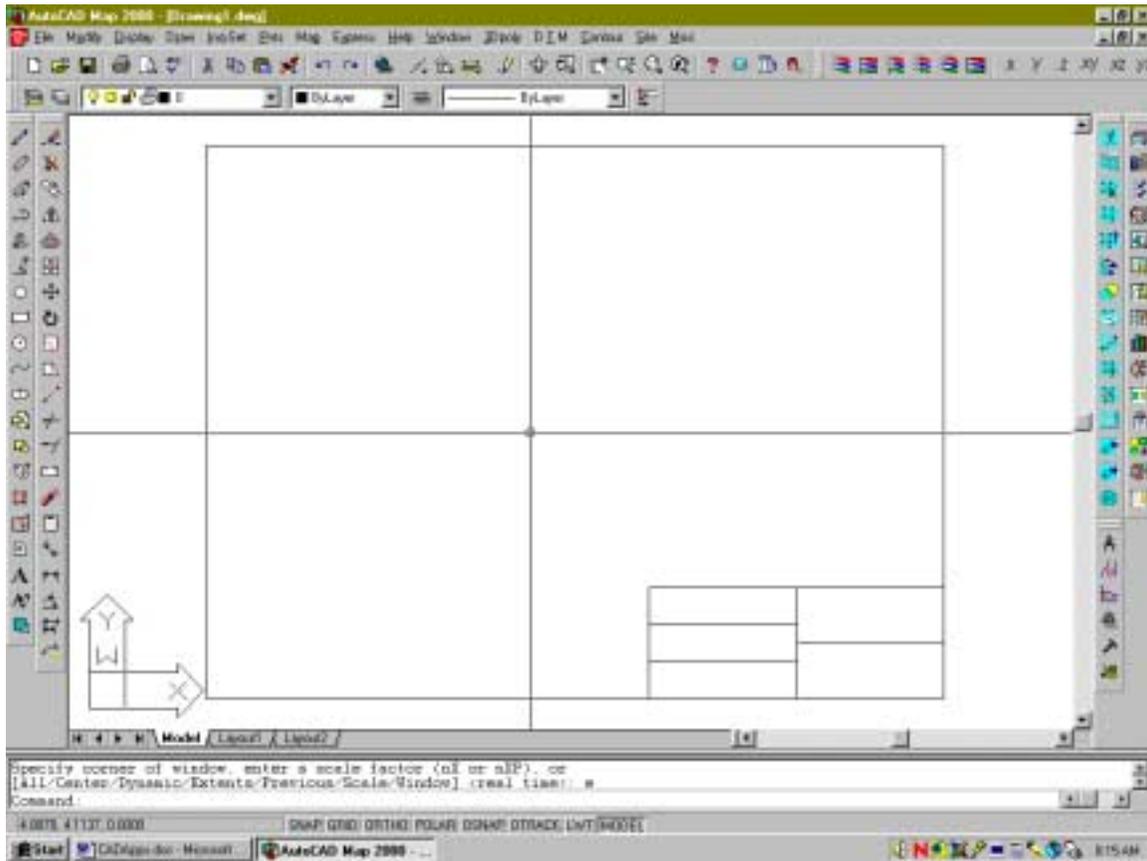


XIII. Title Block Exercise

In this exercise, you will use the commands and tools that were covered in the previous sections to create a title block with attributes for an 11”x17” page. Open the Layer Properties dialog box and click on “New” to create a new layer named Title Block and make this layer current. Begin by drawing a box from 0.5,0.5 to 16.5,10.5. Next draw a second box from 12.5, 0.5 to 16.5,2.0. You should now have a large rectangle with a small rectangle in the lower right corner.

Draw a pline from the midpoint of the top of the small rectangle to the midpoint of the bottom. You will now have the small rectangle divided into two halves. Use plines to divide the right half into 2 horizontal sections and the left half into three horizontal sections. The small rectangle should look like the screen below.



Now label these sections Date, Name, Scale, Title, and Dwg. # as shown below.

Date:	Title:
Name:	Dwg.#:
Scale:	

Now using the attribute definition commands, insert attribute definitions for each section in the drawing. Finally, save the drawing as titleblock.dwg and then close the drawing. Create a new drawing and insert titleblock.dwg as a block. After you insert the drawing, you should be asked to fill in the attribute information on the command line or with the dialog box shown below.

Use the -ATTEDIT command to change the position, height, style, etc of the individual attributes as needed. You can also use the “In place x-ref or block edit” command from the Modify pulldown to change any portion of the block you inserted. After you have finished editing the block, type refclose to save the changes to the block.

XIV. Q&A