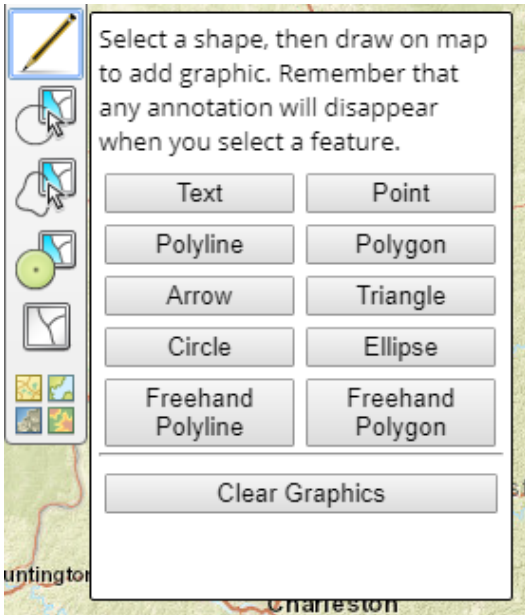


Printing Your Results

Draw Tools

The Draw tools allow you to temporarily annotate the map for printing. Use any one of the tools to draw on the map, then when you are done select the Print button on the map to print out the result.

Note: As of Dec 2018, you can now add text as well as symbols, so you can annotate your map with resource numbers, notes to yourself about places to check, or other data. See the “Printing Your Results” tutorial for details.

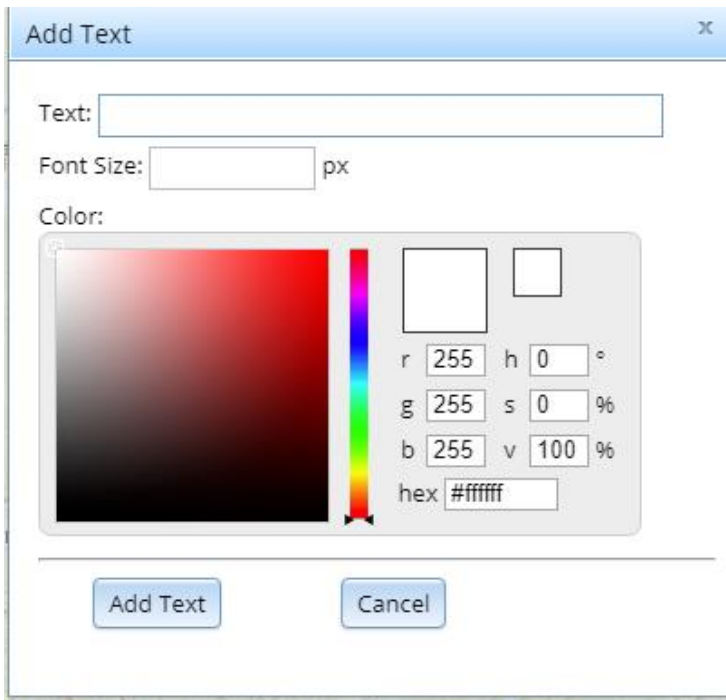


IMPORTANT: Because the annotation takes place on the same layer used for feature selection, make sure that you do not select a feature while you are annotating; selecting a feature will make your drawing annotation disappear. If this happens, you will have to re-draw the annotation. But you can draw multiple annotations (for instance, a circle and an arrow) without losing anything. Remember to Print before you move on to another task.

Any annotation drawn on the map will be discarded when you close the browser. You can also use the Clear Graphics tool to remove any annotation if you make a mistake.

Adding Text

When you click on the “Text” button, you will see a dialog box labeled “Add Text.” Type the text you want to add in the box labeled Text, then (this is important) select a font size and color. We recommend 14 pixels (px) for most text, but you may want to experiment. The default color is white, which is generally not very useful if you have a base map as a background; you can click inside the color box or enter the color you want in the r/g/b or hex boxes (black is hex #000000).



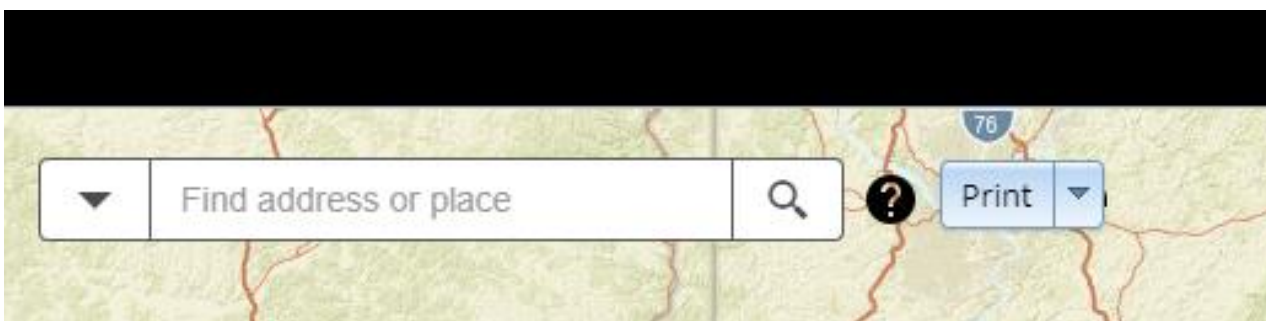
Once you click Add Text you will be asked for a location; unfortunately you cannot move the text once you have placed it, so you may have to Clear Graphics and start again.

Other Graphics

We recommend an arrow or a circle to highlight features, especially if you add text annotation.

Printing

Click on the Print button next to the search box to export your map to a PDF file. Once the printing starts, look for a link titled "Printout" in place of this button; you will have to click on this link to complete the export, but sometimes it can be hard to see depending on your base map.



Once the PDF file displays, you can either print it or save it (or both). You can then either go back to Draw Tools and click Clear Graphics, or just continue on with another search (the graphics will automatically go away when the next search is undertaken).