### Change a part's colors

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To change a visual part's color:

1. Go to a Composition Editor.
2. Select **Colors** from the **Options** menu.
3. In the displayed Colors window, click on the color that you want. The Colors window shows 16 basic colors on the left side, and 96 extended colors on the right side.
4. Return to the Composition Editor. Notice that when your mouse pointer is over a visual part, a spray paint can is shown instead of the usual mouse pointer.
5. Click on the visual part whose color you want to change.
6. From the displayed pop-up, select **foregroundColor** to color the part's foreground (such as text). Or, select **backgroundColor** to color its background.
7. When you finish, select **Close** from the system menu of the Colors window.