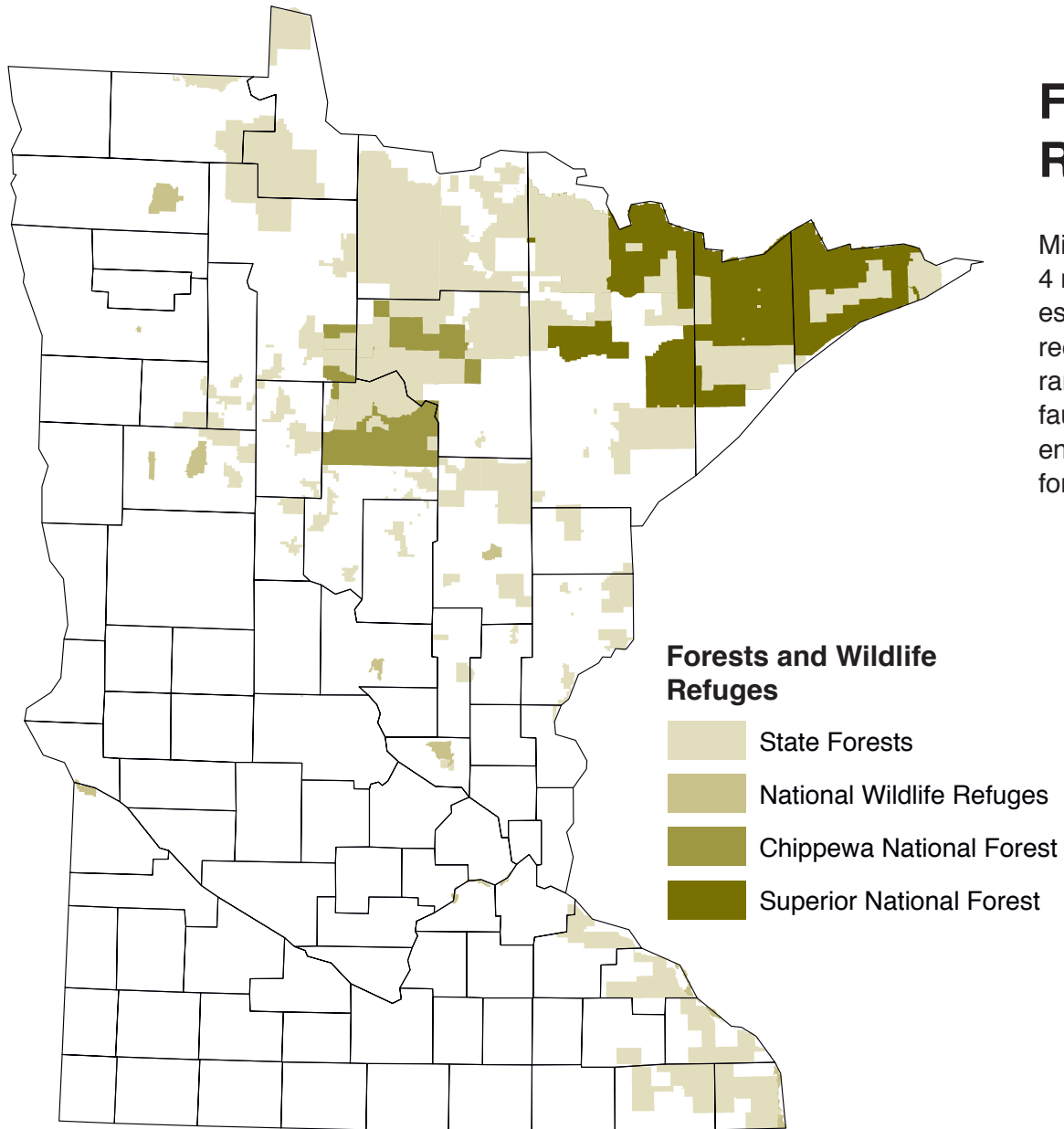


Forests and Wildlife Refuges

Minnesota's 58 state forests encompass nearly 4 million acres. The state forest system was established to produce timber, provide outdoor recreation, protect watersheds and perpetuate rare and distinctive species of native flora and fauna. State forests are managed sustainably to ensure they remain healthy, vital, and productive for the present and future generations.



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