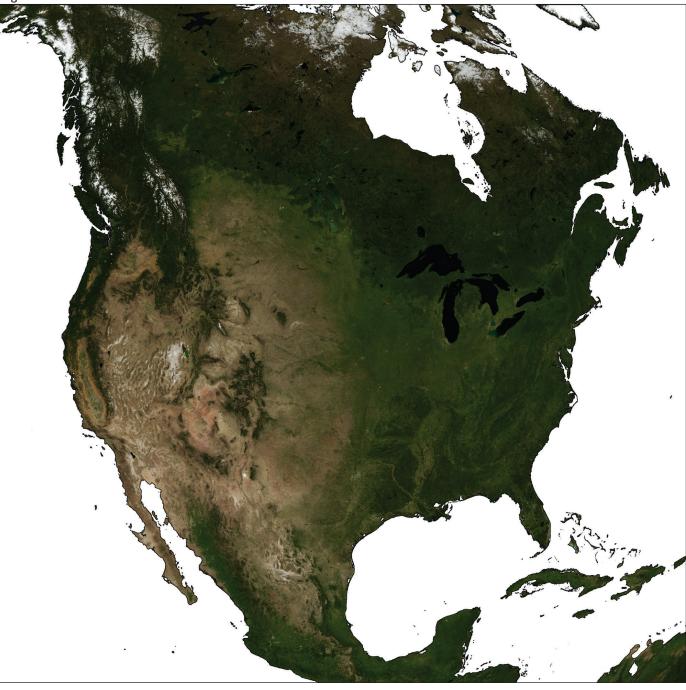


True-color images of North America comparing the appearance of the land in March and August 2004. (Reflectance data derived from the MODIS instrument on the Terra satellite; image courtesy NASA/SVS.)



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