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A snowy blanket you can see from orbit

Snow Day Radar™



Most of the white is snow on the ground, photographed by NASA's Suomi NPP satellite. Not all of it: the streaky rows up top and the smooth white at lower left are clouds. Snow shows rivers and forests as dark lines; clouds blur them.

The sharp edge along Tennessee is where the storm's snow stopped. South of it, the ground stayed brown.

Four days after the storm, it still hadn't melted. Arctic air kept highs at or below freezing all week, and many schools stayed closed.

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