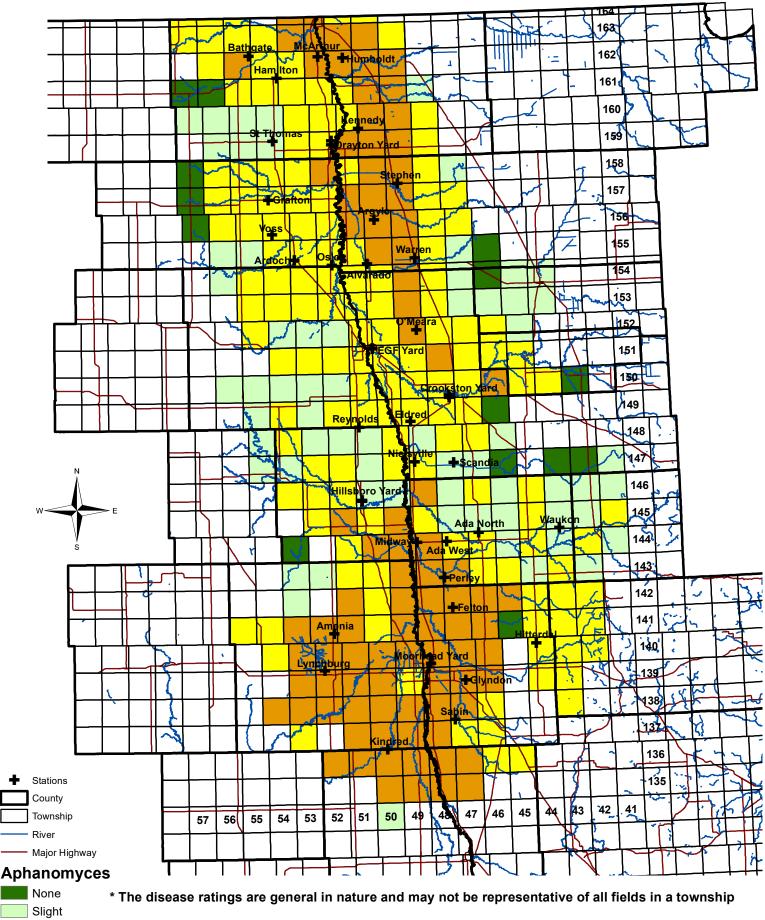
## 2022 Disease Rating\* Aphanomyces



\*\* Township disease ratings are based on current and historical observations of severity. The highest severity rating for a township is maintained since disease presence can remain in the soil for many years. Selecting proper varieties and production practices reduce disease incidence.

Moderate

Severe



## Aphanomyces Management<sup>\*</sup>



| <b>Disease Severity</b> | Management Opportunities  |
|-------------------------|---|
|                         |   |
| Severe                  | <ul> <li>Plant specialty varieties with a rating of 4.4 or less</li> <li>Apply Versalime at a rate of 7 dry tons per acre</li> <li>Plant early</li> <li>Provide excellent field drainage</li> <li>Avoid fields with severe loss history if possible</li> <li>Good weed control, especially of pigweed and lambsquarters</li> <li>Rent disease-free land if possible</li> <li>Maximize crop rotation length</li> <li>Use 45 gram Tachigaren rate</li> <li>Strongly consider tile drainage</li> <li>Re-apply Versalime after 5 years</li> <li>Oat precrop may reduce severity</li> <li>Control insects</li> </ul> |
|                         |   |
| Moderate                | <ul> <li>Plant higher resistant varieties to slow disease buildup, 4.9 rating or lower</li> <li>Apply Versalime at a rate of 5-7 dry tons per acre</li> <li>Plant early</li> <li>Provide excellent field drainage</li> <li>Good weed control, especially of pigweed and lambsquarters</li> <li>Maximize crop rotation length</li> <li>Use 20 gram Tachigaren rate</li> <li>Control insects</li> </ul>   |
|                         |   |
| Slight                  | <ul> <li>Plant higher resistant varieties to slow disease buildup, 4.9 rating or lower</li> <li>Consider liming to minimize future losses</li> <li>Plant early</li> <li>Provide good field drainage</li> <li>Good weed control, especially of pigweed and lambsquarters</li> <li>Use long crop rotations</li> <li>Control insects</li> </ul>  |
|                         |   |
| None                    | <ul> <li>Prevent introduction of disease</li> <li>Choose any variety</li> <li>Good drainage practices</li> <li>Good weed control, especially of pigweed and lambsquarters</li> <li>Proper crop rotations</li> </ul>   |

\* Management strategies listed in priority order