

St. Joe Geographic Area Current Condition; Mountain Pine Beetle Hazard (Selected Areas Only)

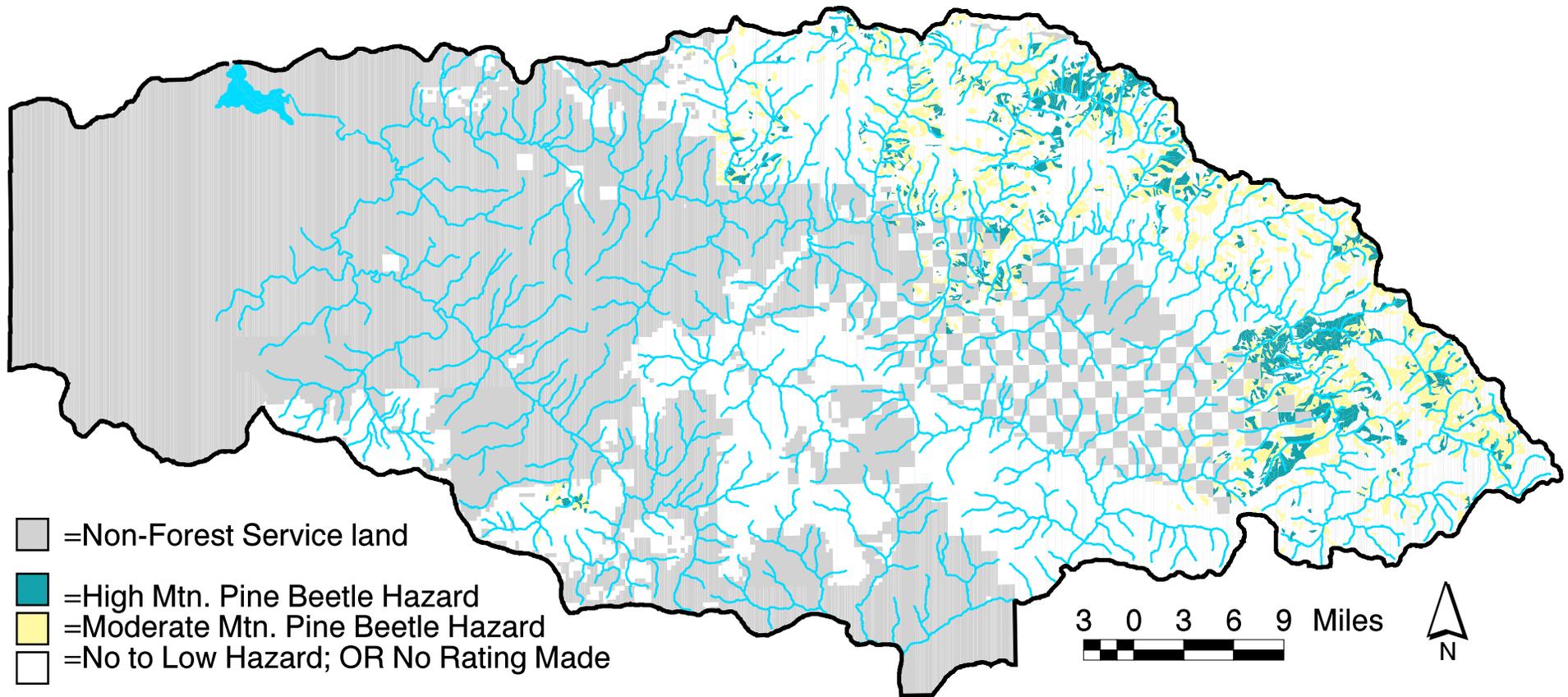


Figure 14.
The St. Joe Geographic area currently contains some areas with mountain pine beetles developing in lodgepole pine stands. Most of these areas are located in the upper St. Joe River and north side of the St. Joe River. Beetle infested areas are probably not numerous or contiguous enough at this time to result in massive beetle build up; but the situation bears watching. The identified areas might be considered for some salvage opportunity, depending on other resource conditions.