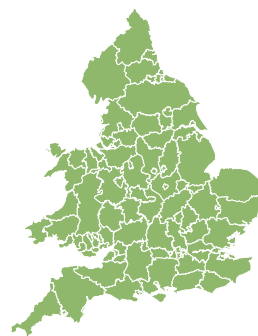
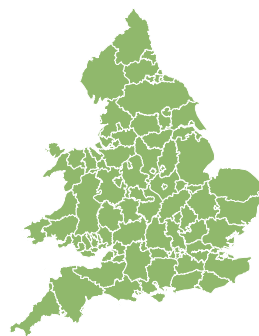
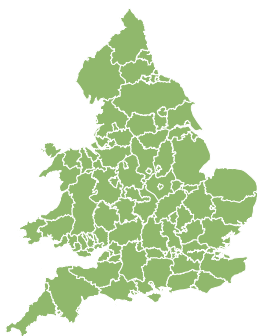
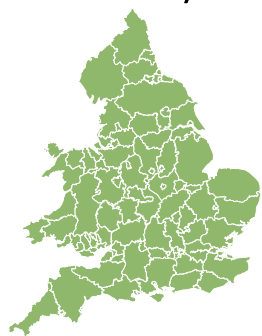
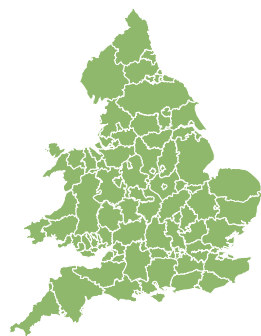


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Monday

20 Feb 2017 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Steady



Tuesday

21 Feb 2017

Steady



Wednesday

22 Feb 2017

Increased



Thursday

23 Feb 2017

Increased



Friday

24 Feb 2017

Steady



The flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. However, heavy rain on Tuesday into Wednesday and further rain on Thursday could lead to minor river and surface water flooding in parts of northern and central England.

Assessment of flood risk



Rivers

The river flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. Despite current river levels being around normal, minor river flooding impacts are possible on both Wednesday and Thursday across northern and central parts of England. However, the likelihood of impacts is very low.



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days despite some heavy rain at times across parts of Wales and the north of England during Wednesday and Thursday. There is a very low likelihood of minor impacts.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.



Groundwater

The groundwater flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

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Flood risk matrix

LIKELIHOOD	HIGH				
	MEDIUM				
	LOW				
	VERY LOW				
		MINIMAL	MINOR	SIGNIFICANT	SEVERE
IMPACT					
		VERY LOW	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH
OVERALL FLOOD RISK					

Summary of potential impacts

MINIMAL

Isolated and minor flooding of low-lying land and roads
Isolated spray/wave on coastal promenades
Little or no disruption to travel, but wet road surfaces

MINOR

Localised flooding of land and roads
Flooding affecting individual properties
Disruption to travel and key sites in flood plans

SIGNIFICANT

Flooding affecting parts of communities
Possible danger to life and damage to buildings/structures
Disruption to travel and key sites in flood plans

SEVERE

Danger to life, severe disruption to travel
Widespread flooding affecting whole communities
Widespread disruption or loss of infrastructure
Large scale evacuation of properties possible

Next statement due **10:30hrs Tuesday 21 February 2017 (all times are local)**

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