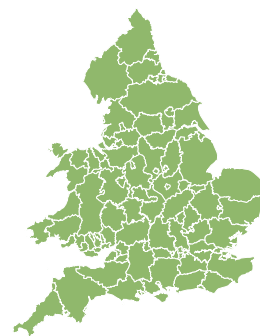
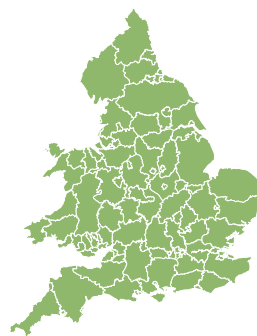
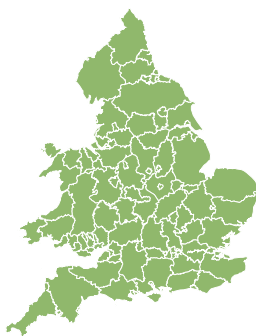
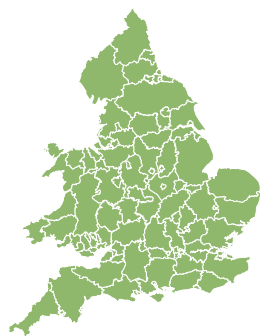
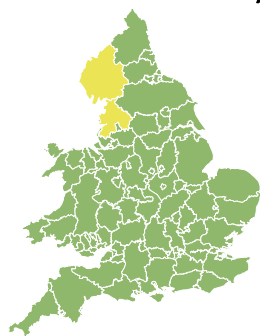


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FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

a working partnership between Environment Agency Met Office



Sunday

19 Mar 2017 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Increased



Monday

20 Mar 2017

Steady



Tuesday

21 Mar 2017

Steady



Wednesday

22 Mar 2017

Steady



Thursday

23 Mar 2017

Steady



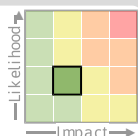
The flood risk is LOW today in north-west England.

Specific Area of Concern Map - Sunday 19 March

RISK AREA A

Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **LOW**



Source River

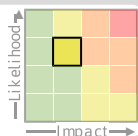
Likely duration 1 Day

Also, very low likelihood of minor impacts for eastward draining Pennine rivers.

RISK AREA B

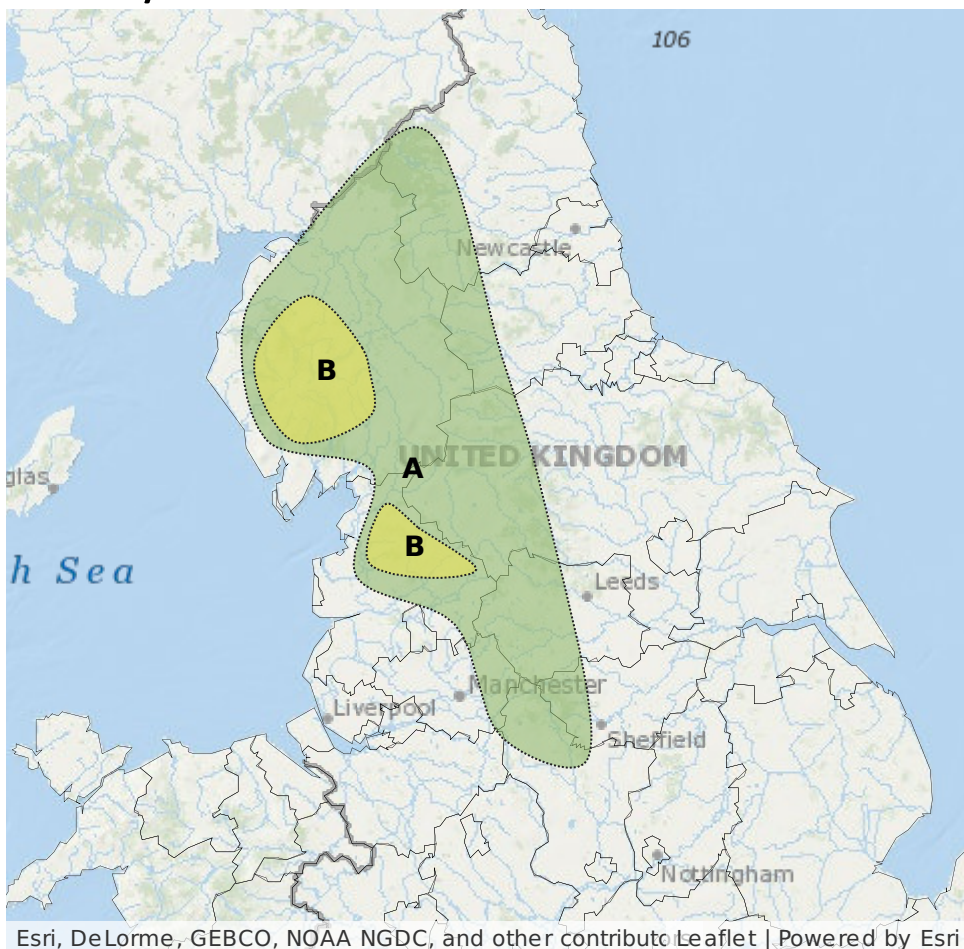
Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River

Likely duration 1 Day



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Assessment of flood risk



Rivers

The river flood risk is LOW today (Sunday) due to heavy rain across the north of England, which may result in minor river flood impacts as outlined in Risk Areas B. Minor impacts are also possible in the wider Risk Area A.

Spells of rain on Monday brings a very low likelihood of minor impacts across across the south of England and Wales. On Wednesday and Thursday, potentially heavy and slow moving bands of showery rain bring a very low likelihood of minor impacts, most probably across parts of the south and central England and parts of south Wales.



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. On Wednesday and Thursday, potentially heavy and slow moving bands of showery rain bring a very low likelihood of minor impacts particularly across parts of the south and central England and parts of south Wales.



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 Monday 20 March 2017 (all times are local)**

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