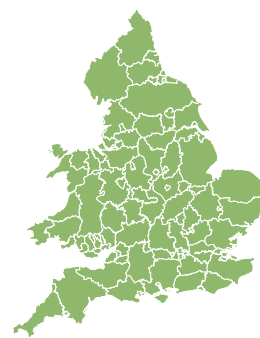
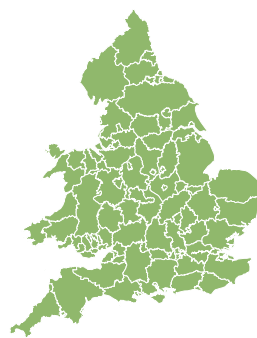
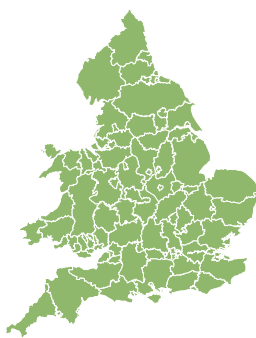
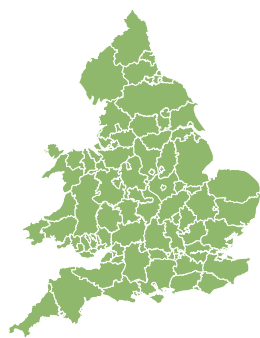
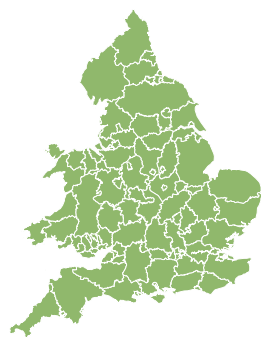


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Wednesday

23 Aug 2017 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Steady



Thursday

24 Aug 2017

Steady



Friday

25 Aug 2017

Steady



Saturday

26 Aug 2017

Increased



Sunday

27 Aug 2017

Increased



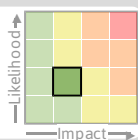
Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in the north-east of England this morning. Further minor impacts are possible but not expected in the south-east of England on Saturday and Sunday.

Specific Area of Concern Map 1

RISK AREA **A**

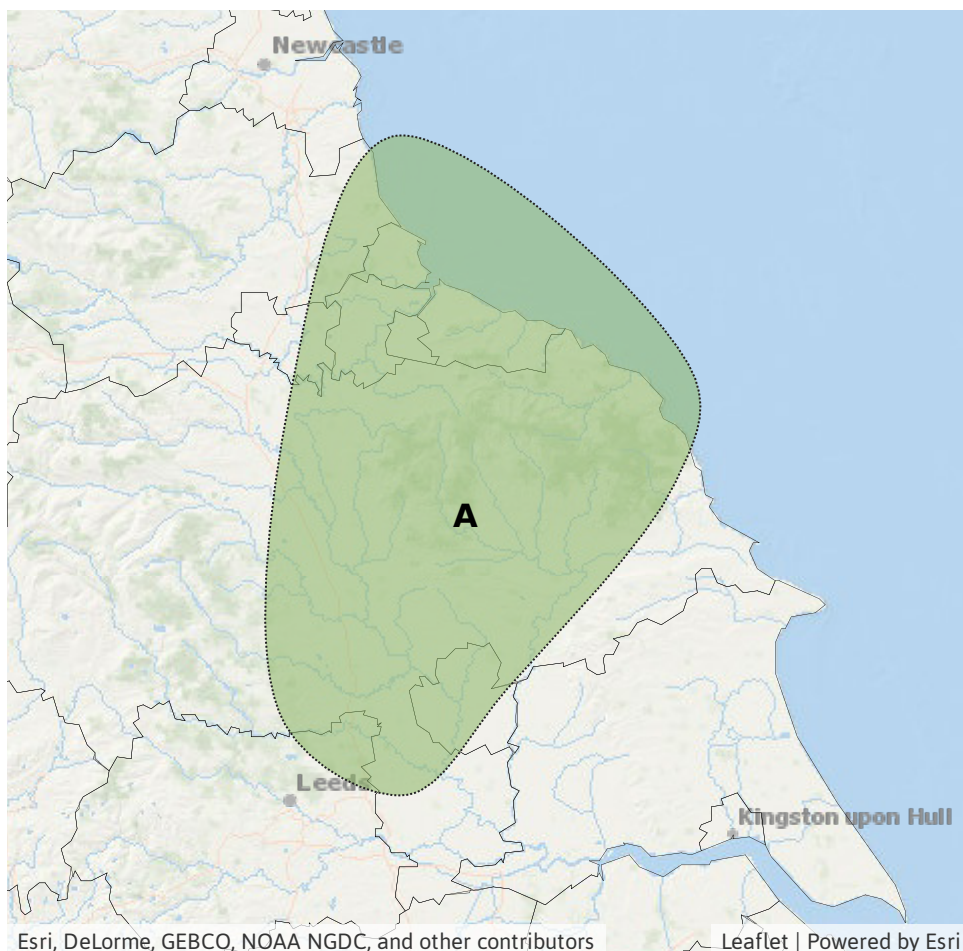
Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface

Likely duration 1 Day



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

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

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible today (Wednesday) in Area A in Specific Area of Concern Map 1, due to heavy, thundery showers. These will clear by early afternoon.

On Saturday and Sunday further minor surface water impacts are possible but not expected in the south-east of England due to the potential for heavy thundery showers.



Rivers

Minor river flooding impacts are possible today (Wednesday) in Area A in Specific Area of Concern Map 1, due to heavy thundery showers. These will clear by early afternoon. Small, fast responding catchments are most at risk.

The overall river flood risk remains VERY LOW for the next five days.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days, despite high astronomical tides from today (Wednesday) through until Friday.



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 Thursday 24 August 2017 (all times are local)**

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