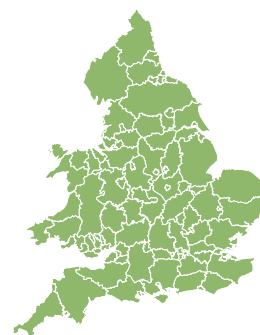
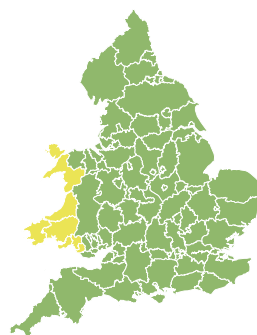
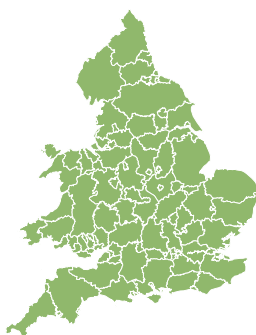
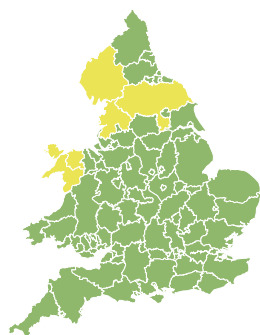
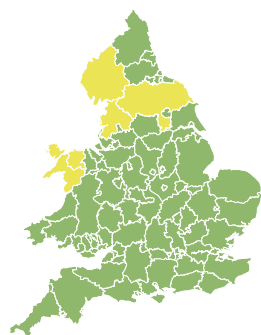


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Friday

13 Oct 2017 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Increased



Saturday

14 Oct 2017

Increased



Sunday

15 Oct 2017

Steady



Monday

16 Oct 2017

Increased



Tuesday

17 Oct 2017

Steady



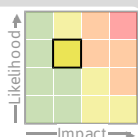
Minor surface water and river flooding impacts are probable in north-west England and north-west Wales today (Friday) and Saturday. Minor coastal flood impacts are probable for parts of the Welsh coast on Monday.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Friday 13 and Saturday 14 October

RISK AREA A

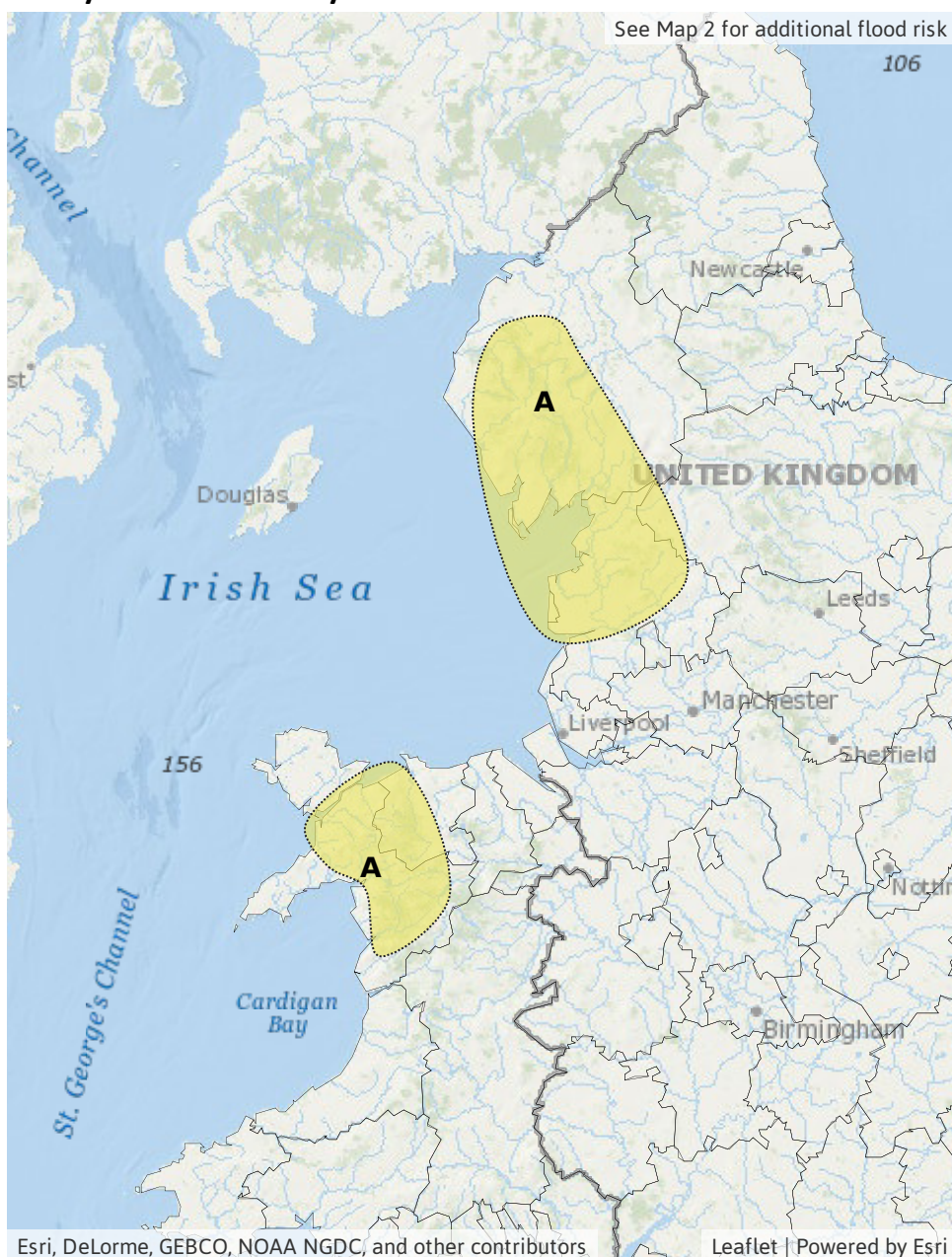
Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Impacts are probable during Friday and into early Saturday morning.



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Specific Area of Concern Map 2 - Monday 16 and Tuesday 17 October

RISK AREA B
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

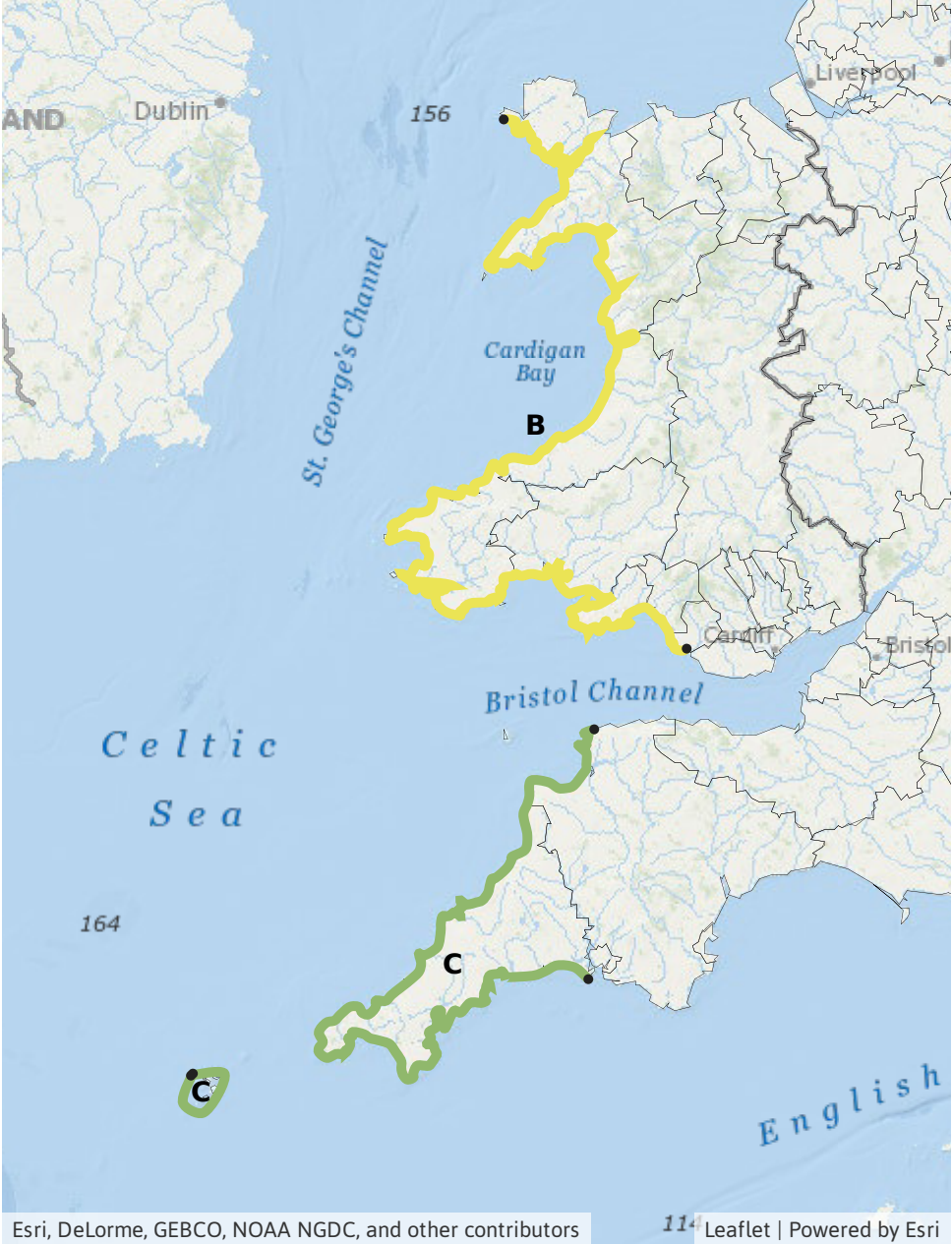
Source Coastal/Tidal
Likely duration 1 Day

Impacts are probable around time on high water on Monday only.

RISK AREA C
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**

Source Coastal/Tidal
Likely duration 2 Days

Impacts are possible from spray/wave overtopping around the times of high water.



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW today (Friday) and early Saturday. Minor flood impacts are probable in parts of north-west England and the north-west of Wales, due to persistent and locally heavy rain. See Areas A on the Specific Areas of Concern Map 1.



Rivers

The river flood risk is LOW today (Friday) and early Saturday. Minor flood impacts are probable in parts of north-west England and the north-west of Wales, due to persistent and locally heavy rain. See Areas A on the Specific Areas of Concern Map 1.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is LOW for parts of Wales on Monday.

On Monday and Tuesday a deep area of low pressure associated with ex-hurricane Ophelia, brings gale force winds, large surge and a risk of very large waves to the south and west coasts of England and Wales. Local minor coastal flood impacts are probable along coastlines labelled B (on Monday only) and possible along coastlines labelled C in Specific Areas of Concern Map 2.



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 Saturday 14 October 2017 (all times are local)**

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