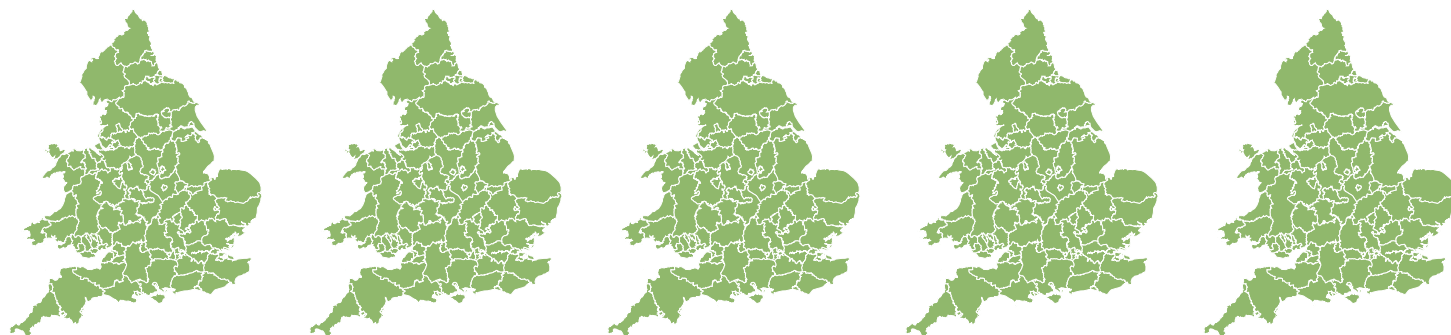


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FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

a working partnership between Environment Agency Met Office



Tuesday

12 Dec 2017 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Steady



Wednesday

13 Dec 2017

Steady



Thursday

14 Dec 2017

Steady



Friday

15 Dec 2017

Steady



Saturday

16 Dec 2017

Steady



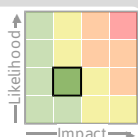
Minor river and surface water flooding impacts are possible on Wednesday into early Thursday in parts of Wales and central England.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Wednesday 13 and Thursday 14 December

RISK AREA **A**

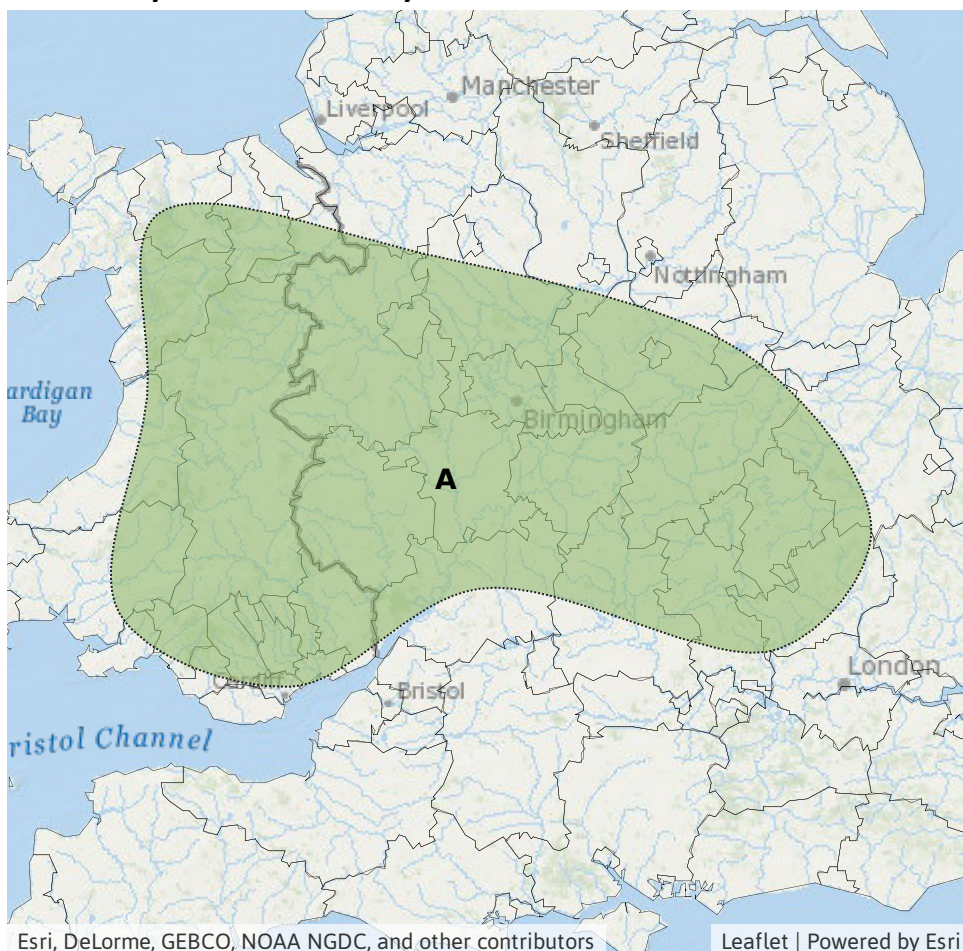
Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Flood impacts are possible from rain combining with snowmelt in this area.



Assessment of flood risk



Rivers

Minor river flooding impacts are possible on Wednesday into Thursday in Area A in Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 due to a combination rain and snow melt.

The overall river flood risk remains VERY LOW.



Surface water

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible on Wednesday into Thursday in Area A in Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 due to a combination of rain and snow melt.

The overall surface water flood risk remains VERY LOW.



Coastal/Tidal

Minor coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected, due to gale force winds and large waves for the south-west of England from Wednesday through to Friday.

The coastal 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 Wednesday 13 December 2017 (all times are local)**

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