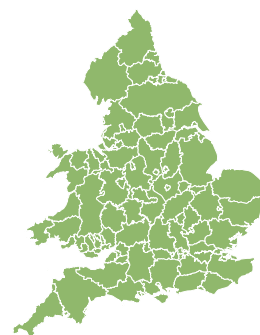
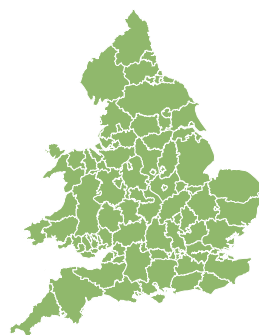
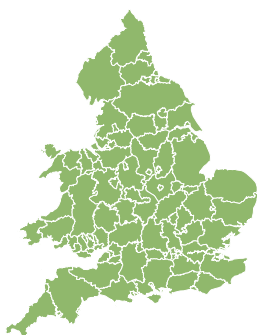
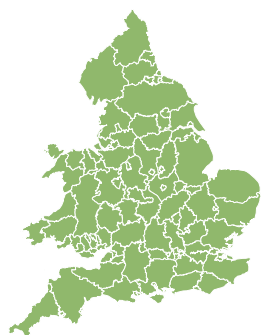
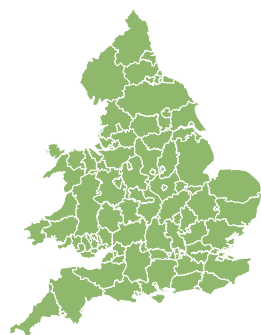


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Sunday

14 Jan 2018 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Steady



Monday

15 Jan 2018

Steady



Tuesday

16 Jan 2018

Steady



Wednesday

17 Jan 2018

Steady



Thursday

18 Jan 2018

Increased



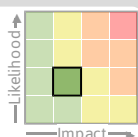
Minor river and surface water flooding is possible in parts of Wales and north-west England on Monday. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Monday 15 January.

RISK AREA **A**

Impact **MINOR**

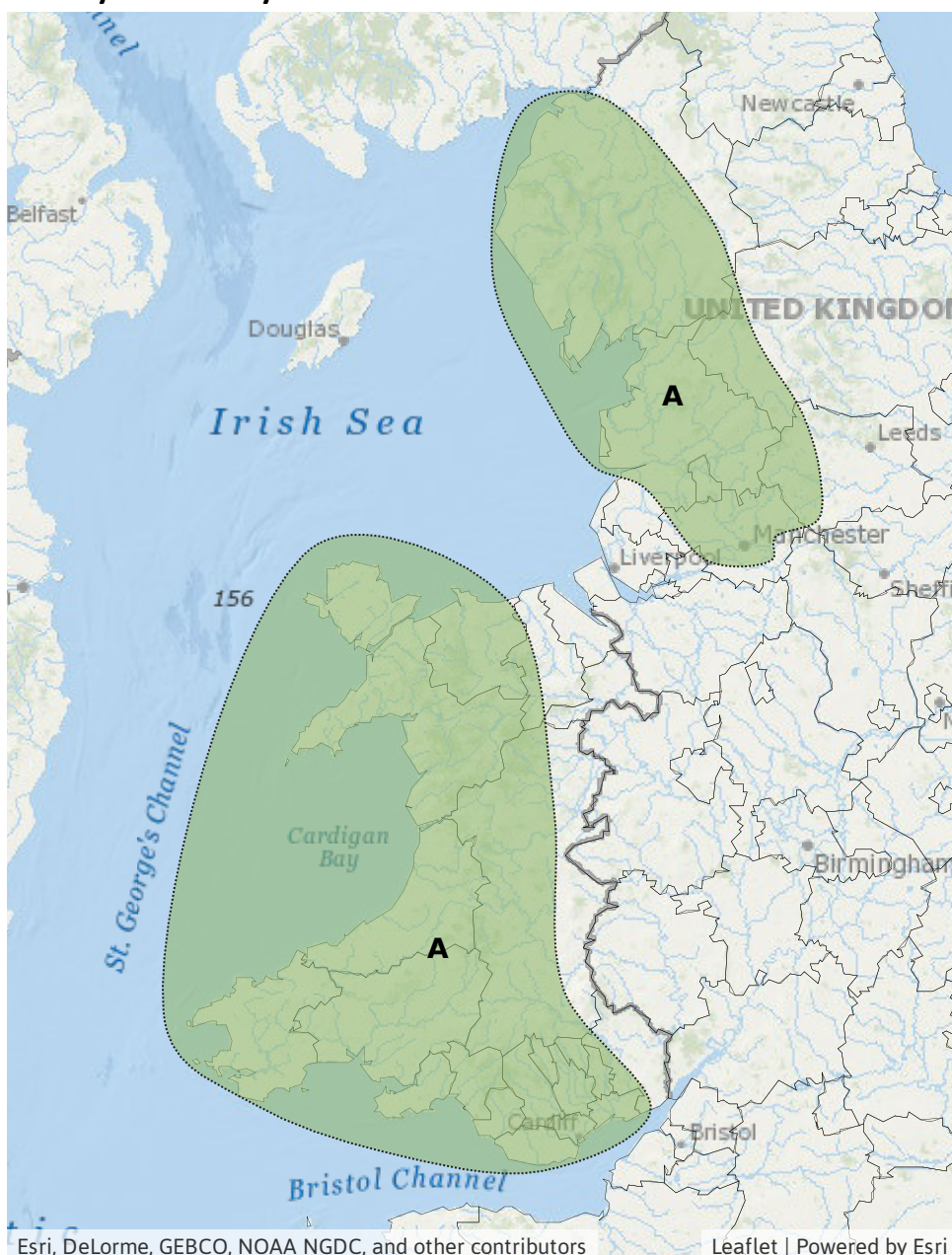
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface

Likely duration 1 Day

Impacts from early Monday morning



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

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

Local minor surface water flooding impacts are possible on Monday morning in Areas A on Specific Areas of Concern Map 1.

Local minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected across England and Wales later on Thursday as further heavy rain is likely.



Rivers

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

Local minor river flooding impacts are possible on Monday morning in Areas A on Specific Areas of Concern Map 1. Smaller, fast responding rivers in these areas are expected to be most prone.

Local minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected across England and Wales on Thursday as further heavy rain is likely from Wednesday night.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. Large waves will affect the west and south coasts of England and Wales at times, particularly the Devon and Cornwall coasts later on Tuesday and into Wednesday. Tide heights are increasing through this period however, only minimal coastal impacts are currently expected.



Groundwater

The groundwater flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. Groundwater levels in parts of the south-west of England are likely to rise in response to the forecast rainfall but no impacts are currently expected.

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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 15 January 2018 (all times are local)**

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