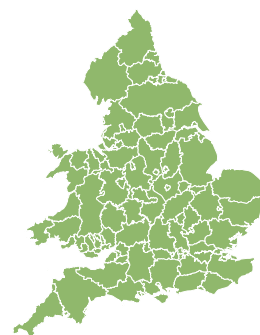
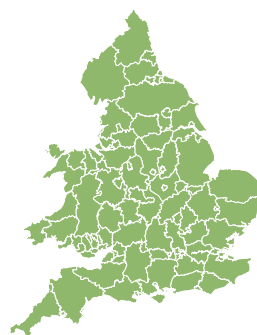
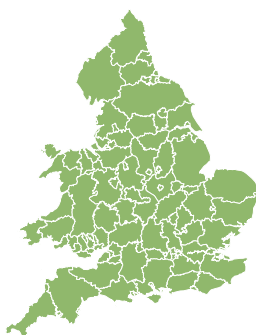
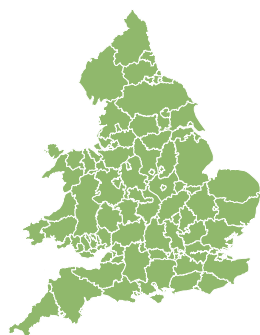
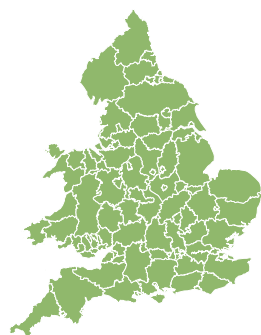


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10:30hrs Wednesday 11 April 2018

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Wednesday

11 Apr 2018 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Steady



Thursday

12 Apr 2018

Increased



Friday

13 Apr 2018

Increased



Saturday

14 Apr 2018

Increased



Sunday

15 Apr 2018

Steady



The overall flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. Minor surface water and flooding impacts are possible but not expected at times.

Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

With the ground being near saturated localised minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected across parts of England on Thursday, Friday and Saturday due to further locally heavy rain and heavy, possibly thundery showers.



Rivers

River catchments across much of England and Wales remain sensitive to modest amounts of rainfall. Slower responding rivers may continue to rise into Wednesday following recent rainfall. Localised minor flooding impacts are possible, but not expected.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday locally heavy rain and heavy, possibly thundery showers are expected, however any river flooding impacts are expected to be minimal.



Groundwater

Groundwater levels are currently high across parts of Dorset, North Yorkshire and East Riding of Yorkshire and may continue to rise over the coming days. In parts of Dorset some properties will be required to run their basement pumps.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal 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 12 April 2018 (all times are local)**

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