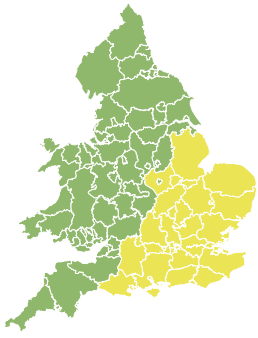


Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Friday 20 July 2018



Friday

20 Jul 2018 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Increased ↑

Saturday

21 Jul 2018

Increased ↑

Sunday

22 Jul 2018

Steady →

Monday

23 Jul 2018

Steady →

Tuesday

24 Jul 2018

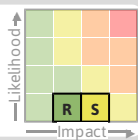
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Significant surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected in parts of central, southern and eastern England today (Friday). The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Friday 20 and Saturday 21 July

RISK AREA A

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**
Likelihood **VERY LOW**

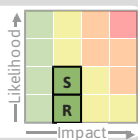


Source River Surface
Likely duration 1 Day

Scattered, slow moving heavy showers and thunderstorms. Friday only.

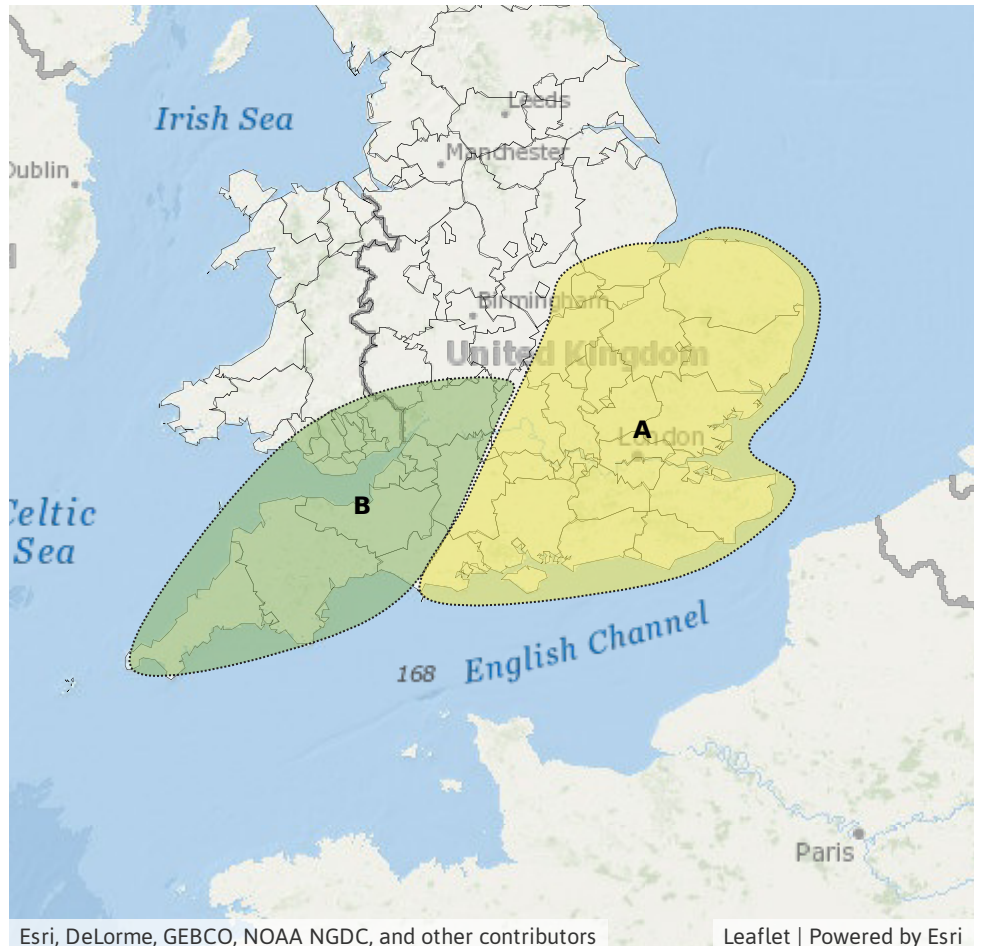
RISK AREA B

Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Scattered, heavy showers. Urban areas most at risk. Friday and early Sat.



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Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW for today (Friday).

Significant surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected in Area A in Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 this afternoon and evening. This is due to a risk of slow moving heavy showers and thunderstorms.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in Area B this evening (Friday) and overnight into Saturday morning due to some locally heavy showers.



Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected in Area A in Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 this (Friday) afternoon and evening. They are also possible but not expected in Area B this (Friday) evening and overnight into Saturday. This is due to the potential for some slow moving heavy showers and thunderstorms.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.



Groundwater

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

Flood risk matrix



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 21 July 2018 (all times are local)**

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