

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Sunday 26 August 2018



Sunday

26 Aug 2018 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Steady →

Monday

27 Aug 2018

Steady →

Tuesday

28 Aug 2018

Steady →

Wednesday

29 Aug 2018

Steady →

Thursday

30 Aug 2018

Steady →

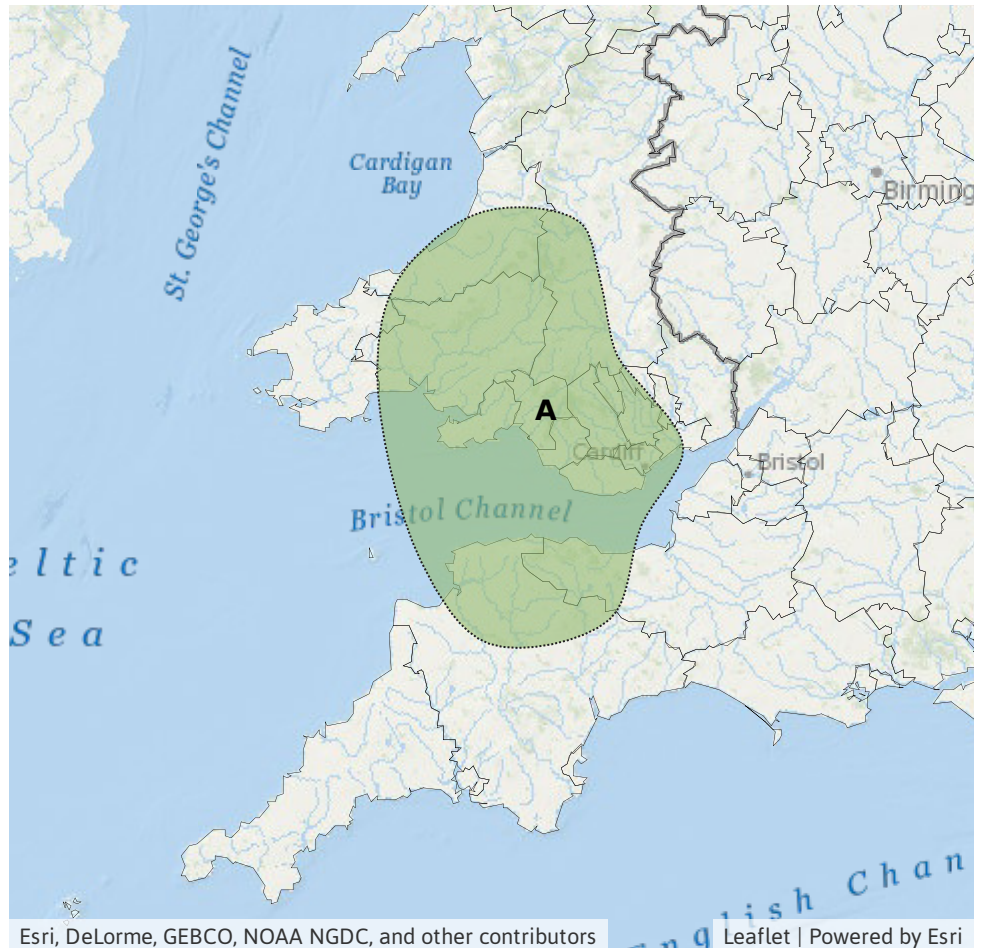
The overall flood risk is VERY LOW for next five days. Localised minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in parts of England and Wales today (Sunday) and possible but not expected in south east England Tuesday into Wednesday.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Sunday 26th August.

RISK AREA A
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**

Source River Surface
Likely duration 1 Day

Widespread heavy rainfall from the early hours of Sunday.



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days, despite some unsettled weather at times.

Heavy and persistent rain, with some particularly heavy bursts within this, means that some localised minor surface water flooding impacts are possible across parts of south-west England and Wales today (Sunday). See Specific Areas of Concern Map 1.

Localised surface water impacts are possible, but not expected on Tuesday night into Wednesday due to the potential for thunderstorms in south-east England and East Anglia.



Rivers

The river flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days, despite some unsettled weather at times.

Heavy and persistent rain, with some particularly heavy bursts within this, means that some localised minor river flooding impacts are possible, but not expected across parts of south-west England and Wales (today) Sunday. See Specific Areas of Concern Map 1.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days, despite some unsettled weather at times.



Groundwater

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

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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 Monday 27 August 2018 (all times are local)**

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