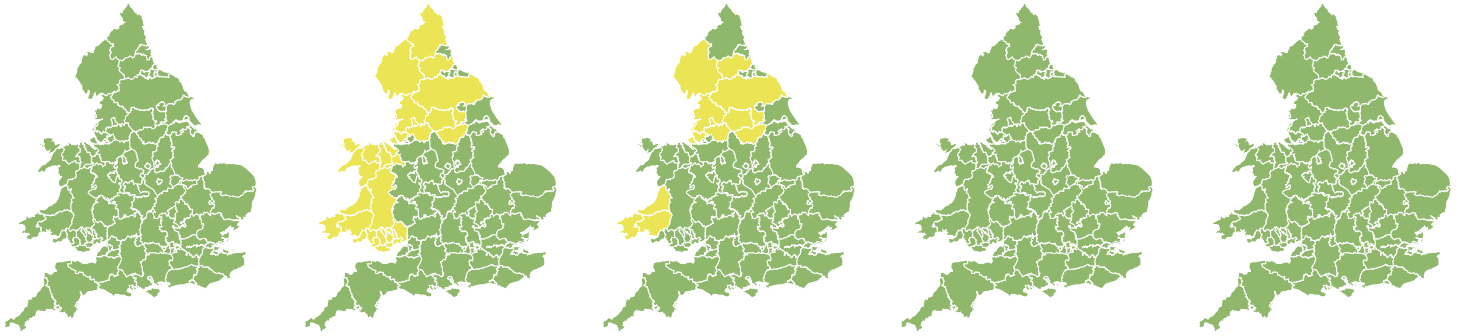


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Wednesday

19 Sep 2018 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Steady →

Thursday

20 Sep 2018

Increased ↑

Friday

21 Sep 2018

Increased ↑

Saturday

22 Sep 2018

Steady →

Sunday


23 Sep 2018

Increased ↑

Minor river and surface water flood impacts are probable across parts of Wales and the north of England on Thursday and Friday. The flood risk is LOW overall.

Specific Area of Concern Map 1 - Thursday 20 to Friday 21 September 2018

RISK AREA A
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

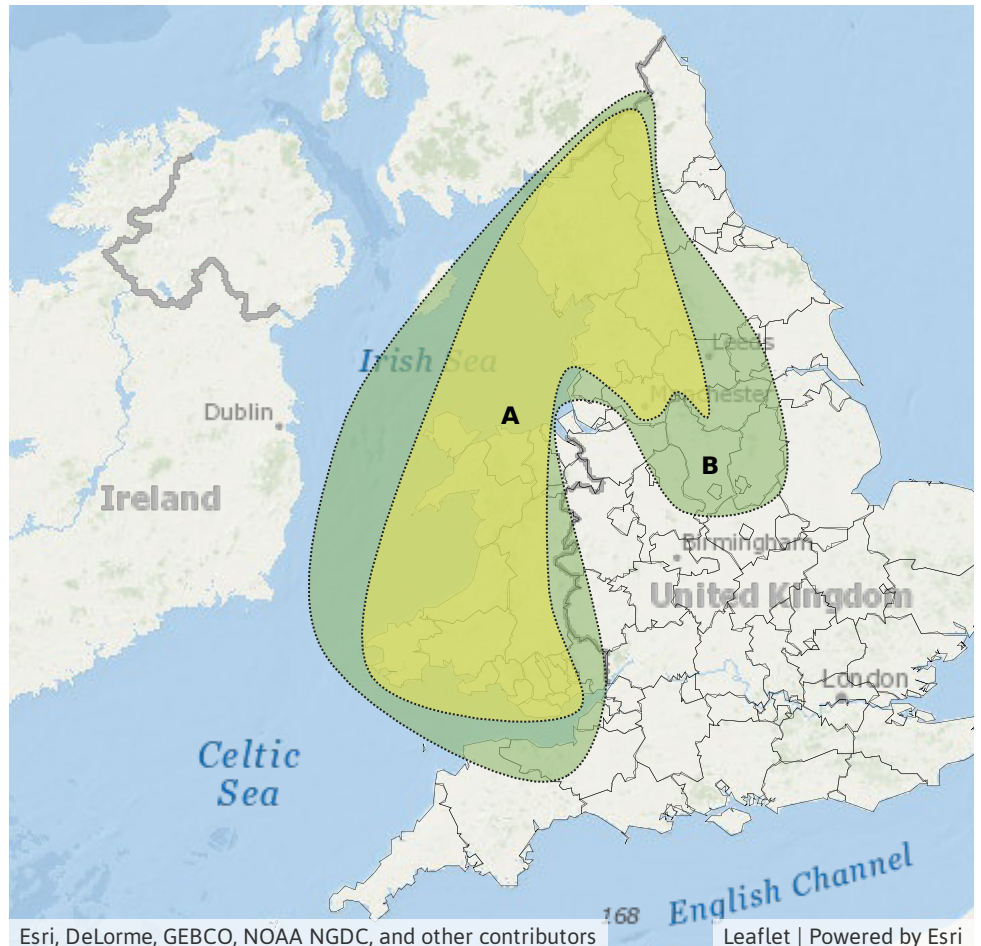
River flooding continues on Friday in England and south-west Wales only

RISK AREA B
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

River flooding continues on Friday in England and south-west Wales only.



Assessment of flood risk



Rivers

The river flood risk is LOW on Thursday and Friday.

Minor river flood impacts are probable on Thursday in Area A on Specific Area of Concern Map 1, and possible in Area B. These continue in the north of England and south-west Wales on Friday. Minor river impacts are also possible in the City of York through Friday and into Saturday.

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Sunday due to further heavy rain moving across England and Wales.



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW on Thursday.

Minor surface water flood impacts are probable on Thursday only in Area A on Specific Area of Concern Map 1, and possible in Area B.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Sunday due to further heavy rain moving across England and Wales.



Coastal/Tidal

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

Minor coastal/tidal flooding impacts are possible but not expected later on Sunday with a combination of strong winds, large waves and surge along the east coast of England.

Despite unsettled conditions on Wednesday and Thursday with strong winds and some large waves and surge at times these coincide with low tides during this period and any coastal flooding impacts are expected to be minimal.



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 Thursday 20 September 2018 (all times are local)**

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