

# Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Saturday 06 October 2018

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Saturday

6 Oct 2018 10:30-23:59  
Trend since last FGS

Decreased ↓

Sunday

7 Oct 2018

Steady →

Monday

8 Oct 2018

Steady →

Tuesday

9 Oct 2018

Steady →

Wednesday

10 Oct 2018

Steady →

Local minor river and surface water flood impacts are possible but not expected across southern and south-eastern parts of England on Saturday. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

## Assessment of flood risk



### Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. Local minor surface water flood impacts are possible but not expected across southern and south-eastern parts of England today (Saturday). This is due to persistent and locally heavy rain.



### Rivers

The river flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. Local minor river flood impacts are possible but not expected across southern and south-eastern parts of England today (Saturday). This is due to persistent and locally heavy rain.



### Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days, despite high astronomical tides on Tuesday and Wednesday. Any coastal flood 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 Sunday 07 October 2018 (all times are local)**

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