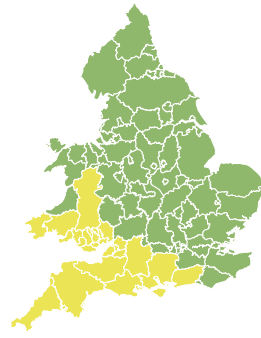


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Thursday

8 Nov 2018 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Steady →

Friday

9 Nov 2018

Increased ↑

Saturday

10 Nov 2018

Steady →

Sunday

11 Nov 2018

Steady →

Monday

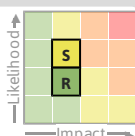
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Minor flooding impacts are probable across parts of south Wales and the south of England on Friday and possible on Thursday and Saturday. The overall flood risk for England and Wales is **LOW**.

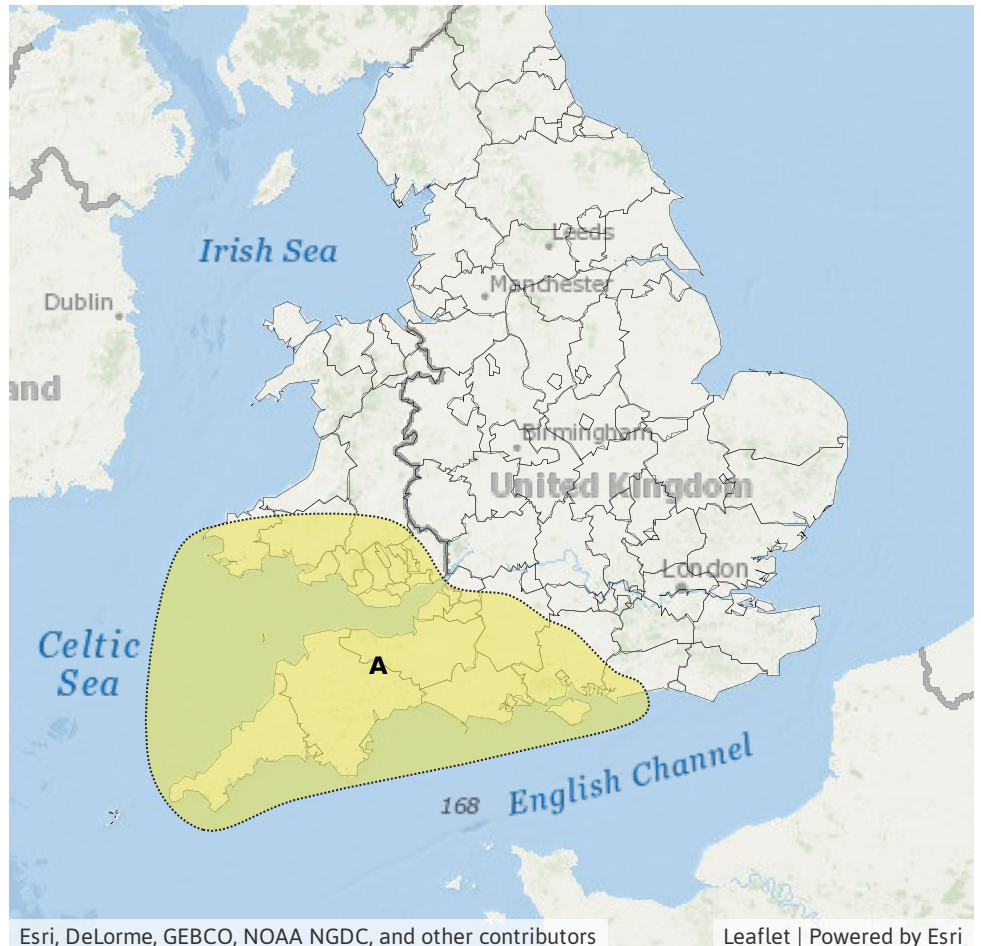
Specific Area of Concern Map 1: Friday 9 and Saturday 10 November

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



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

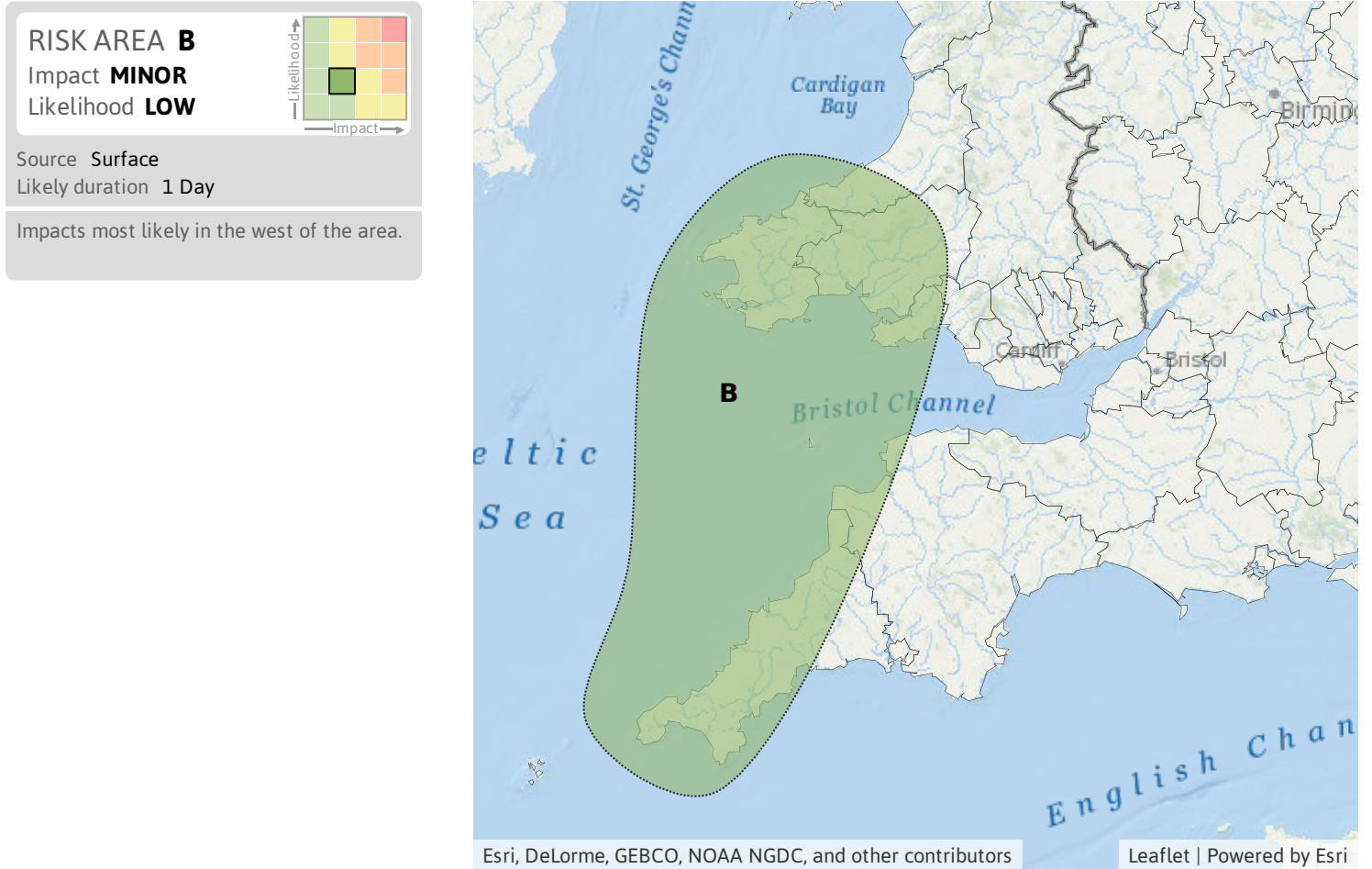
Surface water on Friday only. Minor river impacts possible into Saturday.



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Specific Area of Concern Map 2: Thursday 8 November.



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable on Friday. See Specific Area of Concern Map 1. During this period widespread heavy rain is expected to fall on wet ground where wind blown debris may exacerbate flooding in places.

Local minor surface water flooding impacts are possible on Thursday. See Specific Area of Concern Map 2, where isolated impacts from heavy showers are possible.



Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible on Friday and Saturday. See Specific Area of Concern Map 1. During this period widespread heavy rain is expected to fall on ground which has become increasingly wet and responsive over recent days.



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 along parts of the south coast of England and south-west coast of Wales during Friday evening and Saturday morning due to coastal gales and large waves.



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 Friday 09 November 2018 (all times are local)**

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