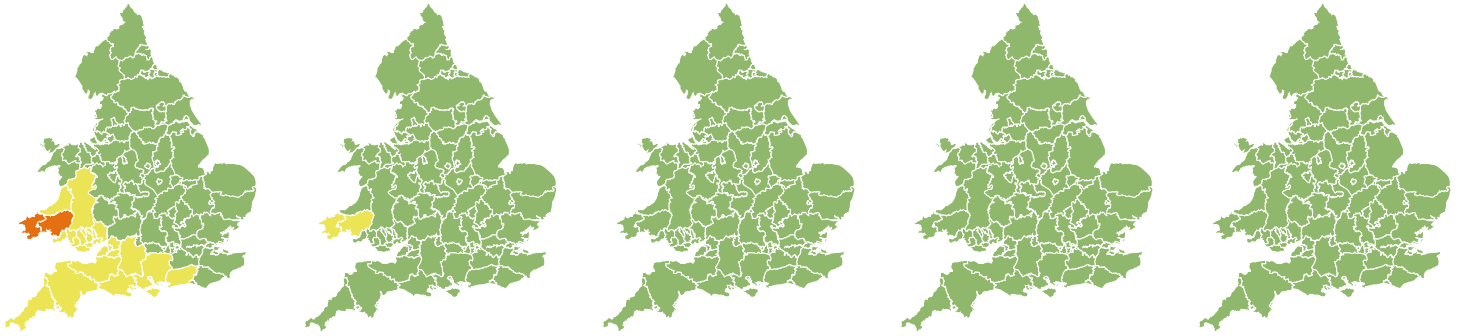


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Friday

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

Increased ↑

Saturday

10 Nov 2018

Increased ↑

Sunday

11 Nov 2018

Increased ↑

Monday

12 Nov 2018

Steady →

Tuesday

13 Nov 2018

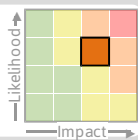
Steady →

Significant river and surface water flooding impacts are probable in the south west of Wales on Friday. Minor impacts are also probable on Friday and Saturday. The overall flood risk for Wales is MEDIUM.

## Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Friday 9 November

### RISK AREA A

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

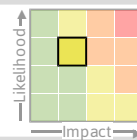


Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Minor surface water impacts also probable on Saturday. See Map 2.

### RISK AREA B

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

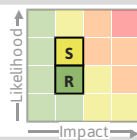


Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Minor river impacts also possible on Saturday. See Map 2.

### RISK AREA C

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

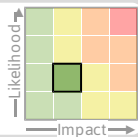


Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Minor river impacts also possible on Saturday. See Map 2.

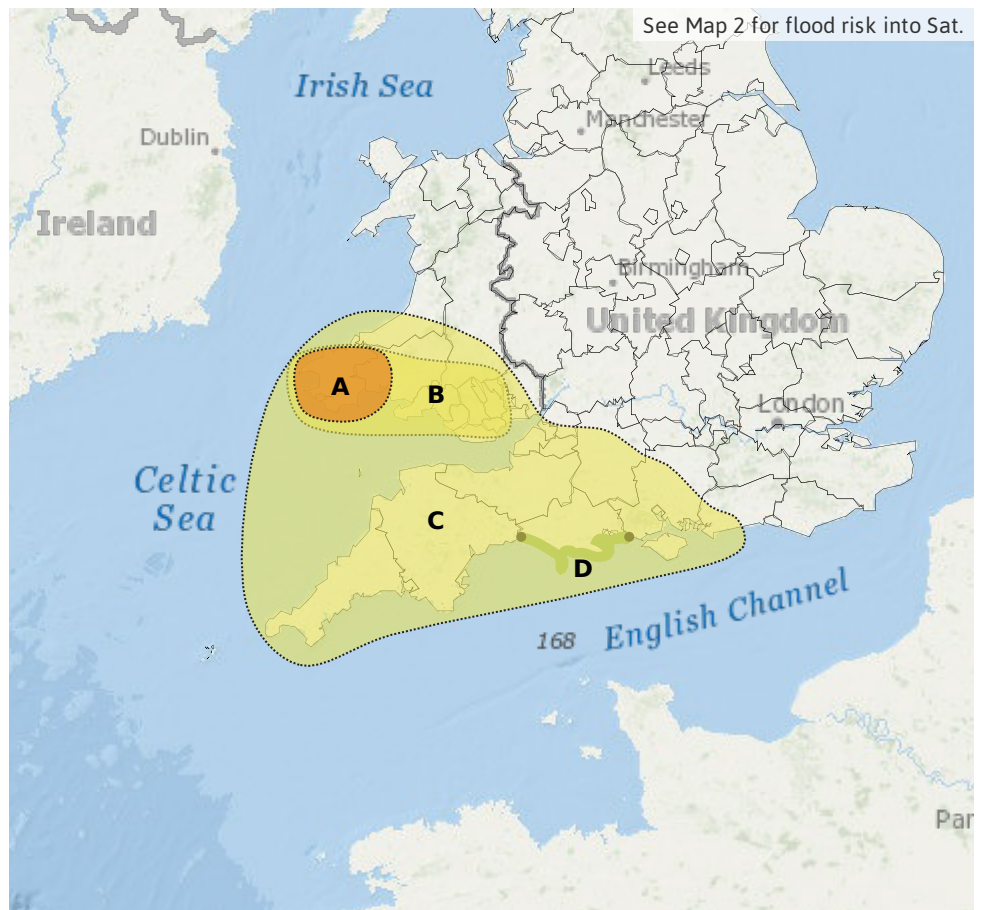
### RISK AREA D

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



Source Coastal/Tidal  
Likely duration 1 Day

Minor impacts possible from coastal gales and large waves.

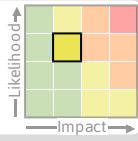


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### Specific Areas of Concern Map 2: Saturday 10 November

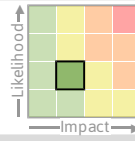
**RISK AREA A**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

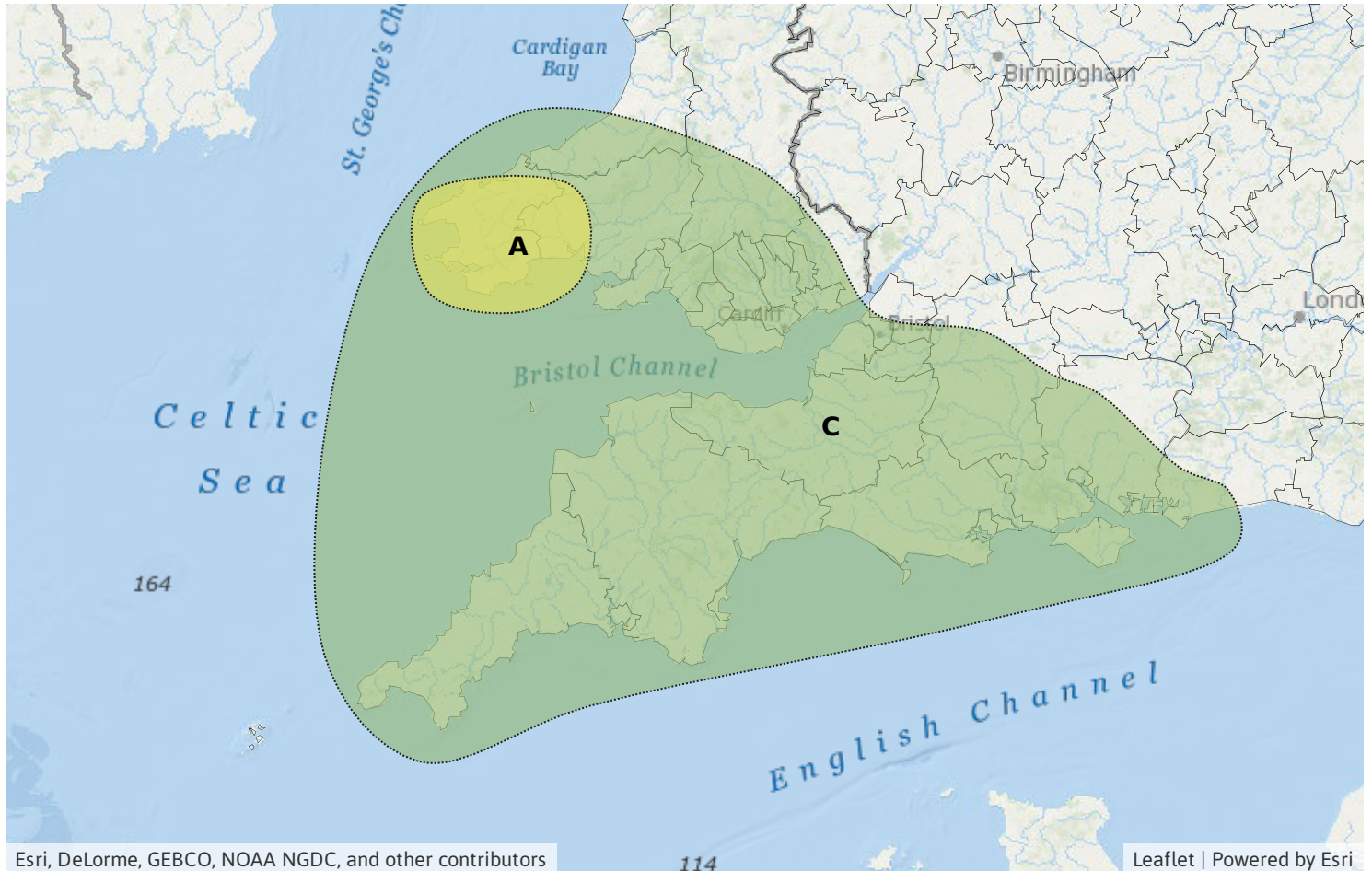
Heavy showers falling on already saturated ground.

**RISK AREA C**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River  
Likely duration 2 Days

Rivers responding to Friday's rainfall and Saturday's showers.



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## Assessment of flood risk



### Surface water

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The surface water flood risk is MEDIUM for Friday.

Significant surface water flooding impacts are probable on Friday in the south west of Wales. Minor surface water flooding impacts are also probable in other parts of the south of both England and Wales on Friday. In parts of the south west of Wales minor impacts are also probable on Saturday. See Specific Areas of Concern Maps 1 and 2. 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 but not expected on Saturday and Sunday from heavy showers across many parts of England and Wales.



### Rivers

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The river flood risk is MEDIUM for Friday.

Significant river flooding impacts are probable on Friday in parts of the south west of Wales. Minor river flooding impacts are probable in some areas and possible in other parts of the south of England and Wales on Friday and possible on Saturday. See Specific Areas of Concern Maps 1 and 2.

During this period widespread heavy rain is expected to fall on ground which has become increasingly wet and responsive over recent days.



### Coastal/Tidal

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

Minor coastal/tidal flooding impacts are possible along parts of the Devon and Dorset coast. See Specific Areas of Concern Map 1. Minor impacts are possible but not expected along other parts of the south coast of England and the south-west coast of Wales during Friday evening and Saturday morning due to coastal gales and large waves.



### Groundwater

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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 **15:00hrs Friday 09 November 2018 (all times are local)**

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