

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Tuesday 27 November 2018

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Tuesday

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

Steady



Wednesday

28 Nov 2018

Decreased



Thursday

29 Nov 2018

Decreased



Friday

30 Nov 2018

Steady



Saturday

1 Dec 2018

Steady



Local minor flooding impacts possible but not expected for Wales and the west of England on Thursday.

Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

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

Localised minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Thursday over the west of England and Wales.



Rivers

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

Localised minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Thursday over the west of England and Wales. This is due to successive periods of rain causing catchments to become increasingly wet and responsive.



Coastal/Tidal

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

Coastal gales and large waves from Wednesday to Friday may lead to localised instances of wave over-topping and wind blown spray over south and south-western coasts of England and Wales. Minor flooding impacts are possible but not expected particularly along parts of the Dorset coast, Cardigan Bay and Anglesey later Wednesday into Thursday, otherwise any 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 Wednesday 28 November 2018 (all times are local)**

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