

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Friday 30 November 2018

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Friday

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

Steady



Saturday

1 Dec 2018

Increased



Sunday

2 Dec 2018

Increased



Monday

3 Dec 2018

Steady



Tuesday

4 Dec 2018

Increased



Minor surface water and river flooding impacts are possible but not expected in parts of south-west England and south-west Wales over the weekend, with further minor impacts possible but not expected later on Tuesday.

Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

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

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected in parts of south-west England and south-west Wales on Saturday, Sunday and later on Tuesday, due to successive bands of rain.



Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected in parts of south-west England and south-west Wales on Saturday and Sunday, and later on Tuesday in parts of England, due to successive bands of rain.



Coastal/Tidal

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

Large waves may affect exposed parts of the coasts of south and south-west England and south-west Wales at times, however impacts are expected to be minimal.



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 Saturday 01 December 2018 (all times are local)**

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