

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Thursday 07 March 2019

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Thursday

7 Mar 2019 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Steady



Friday

8 Mar 2019

Steady



Saturday

9 Mar 2019

Increased



Sunday

10 Mar 2019

Increased



Monday

11 Mar 2019

Steady



Minor flooding impacts are possible but not expected along parts of the Yorkshire coast on Thursday and parts of the west and south-west coasts of England and Wales over the weekend. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

Assessment of flood risk



Coastal/Tidal

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

Minor coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected for parts of the Yorkshire coast around the Thursday evening high tide.

Minor coastal flooding is also possible but not expected along parts of the west and south-west coasts of England and Wales at times over the weekend. Strong winds and large waves may lead to instances of wave and spray over topping.

Elsewhere, any coastal flooding impacts over the next five days are expected to be minimal.



Rivers

The river flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. Rivers are likely to become increasingly responsive to successive periods of rainfall but any impacts are expected to be minimal.



Surface water

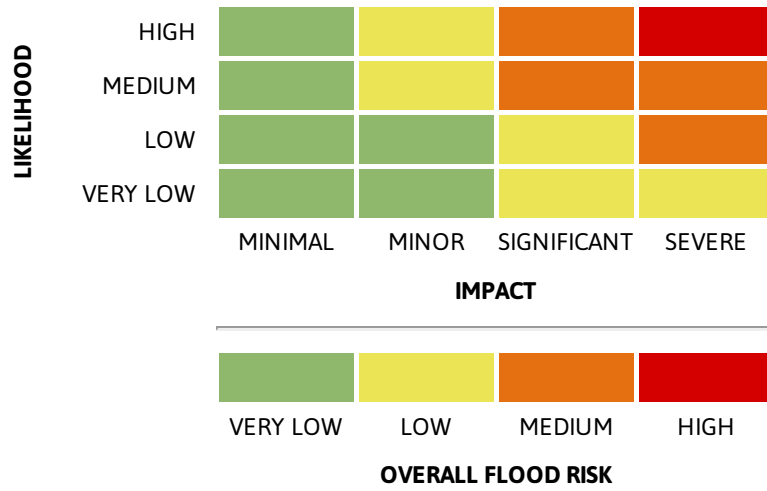
The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days, despite some localised heavy rain at times.



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 08 March 2019 (all times are local)**

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