

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Monday 26 August 2019



Monday

26 Aug 2019 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Increased ↑

Tuesday

27 Aug 2019

Increased ↑

Wednesday

28 Aug 2019

Increased ↑

Thursday

29 Aug 2019

Steady →

Friday

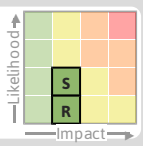
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Increased ↑

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible across parts of south-west England on Monday evening into early Tuesday and also across parts of England and Wales on Tuesday afternoon and evening. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Monday 26 and Tuesday 27 August 2019

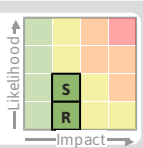
RISK AREA A
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

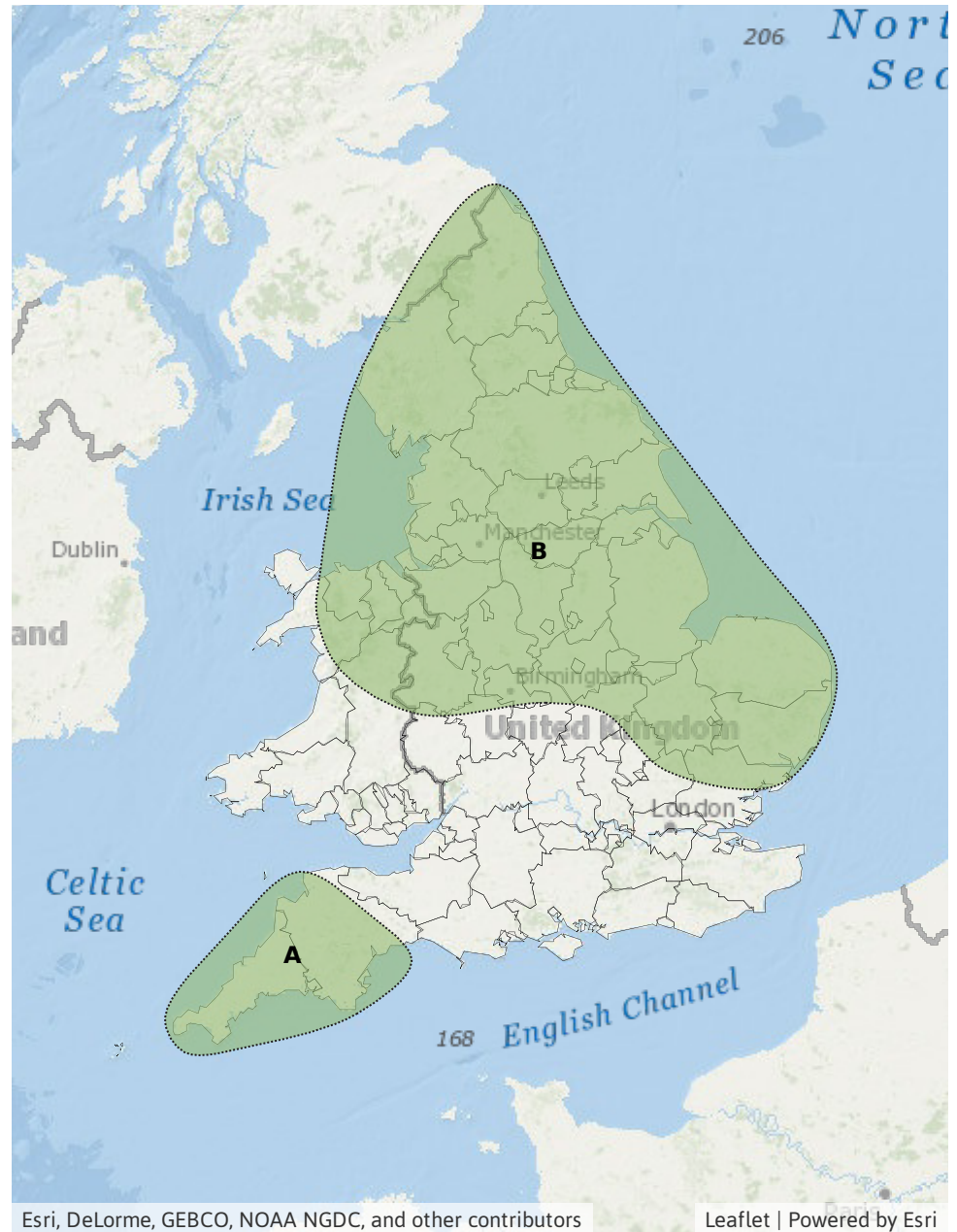
Late Monday into early Tuesday. Urban areas and small catchments most at risk.

RISK AREA B
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface
Likely duration 1 Day

Tuesday afternoon and evening only. Urban areas and small catchments most at risk.



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in the south-west of England late on Monday evening into early Tuesday, and then more widely across central, eastern and northern England and north-east Wales on Tuesday afternoon and evening - see Map 1.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected across parts of eastern England on Wednesday due to heavy showers and the north-west of England and north Wales on Friday in response to heavy rainfall.



Rivers

The river flood risk is VERY LOW.

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected in the south-west of England late on Monday evening into early Tuesday, and then more widely across central, eastern and northern England and north-east Wales on Tuesday afternoon and evening - see Map 1.

Minor river flooding impacts are also possible but not expected across parts of eastern England on Wednesday due to heavy showers and the north-west of England and north Wales on Friday in response to heavy rainfall.



Coastal/Tidal

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



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 Tuesday 27 August 2019 (all times are local)**

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