

# Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Monday 04 May 2020

FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

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Monday

4 May 2020 10:30-23:59  
Trend since last FGS

Steady



Tuesday

5 May 2020

Steady



Wednesday

6 May 2020

Steady



Thursday

7 May 2020

Steady



Friday

8 May 2020

Steady



Minor surface water and river flooding impacts are possible but not expected across parts of the south-west of England on Tuesday. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

## 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 the south-west of England on Tuesday due to rain and heavy showers.



### Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected in small, fast responding catchments in parts of the south-west of England on Tuesday due to rain and heavy showers.



### Groundwater

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



### Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal 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 05 May 2020 (all times are local)**

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