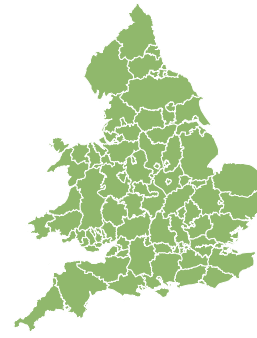
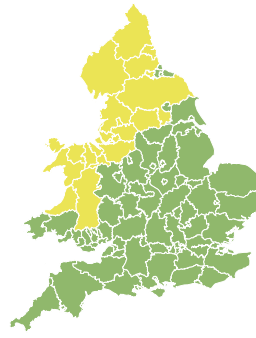
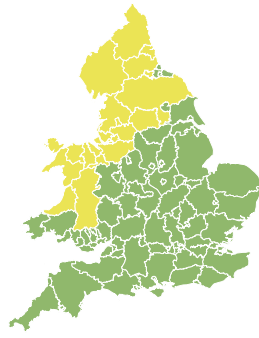


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Monday

24 Aug 2020 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Steady →

Tuesday

25 Aug 2020

Increased ↑

Wednesday

26 Aug 2020

Increased ↑

Thursday

27 Aug 2020

Increased ↑

Friday

28 Aug 2020

Increased ↑

Minor surface water impacts are probable in north Wales and the northwest of England on Tuesday and Wednesday and minor river and surface water impacts are possible more widely. The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Tuesday 25 and Wednesday 26 August 2020

RISK AREA A
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

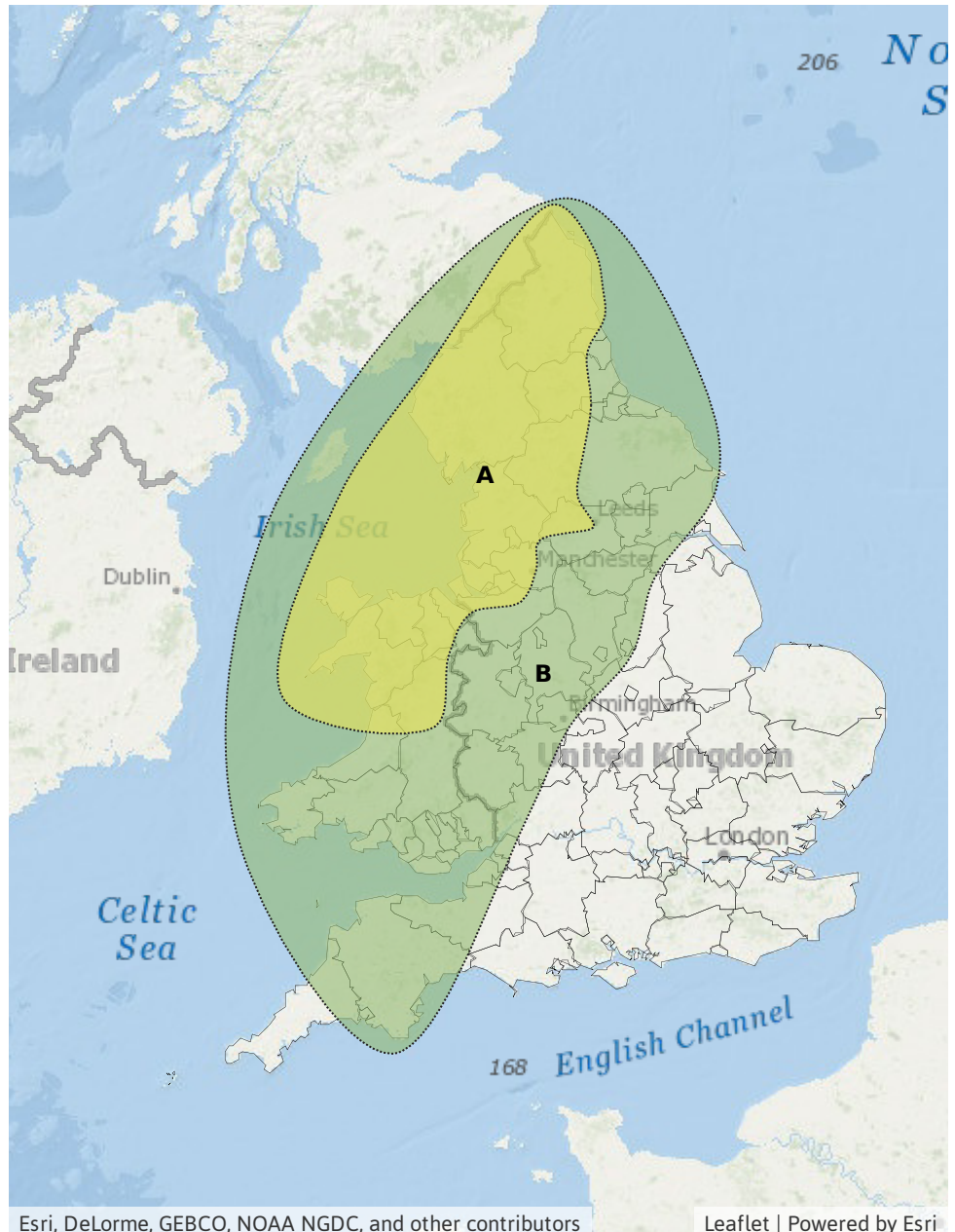
Source Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Minor impacts are probable from heavy, persistent rain.

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

Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Minor impacts are possible from heavy persistent rain



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW for Tuesday and Wednesday.

Localised minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected today from showers in parts of southern England.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable across parts of northwest England and north Wales on Tuesday and early Wednesday. Minor surface water flooding impacts are also possible more widely across England and Wales. This is due to heavy persistent rainfall, especially over higher ground.

Minor surface water impacts are possible but not expected on Thursday and Friday in parts of England and Wales from heavy rain and thundery showers.



Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible across parts of Wales and northern and western England on Tuesday and Wednesday. This is due to heavy persistent rainfall, especially over higher ground.

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Thursday and Friday in parts of England and Wales from heavy rain and thundery showers. Urban and fast responding rivers are more prone.



Coastal/Tidal

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

Minor coastal impacts are possible but not expected on Wednesday morning for the coasts of Yorkshire and the North East of England as a result of strong winds and large waves. Large waves and strong winds are possible more widely on Tuesday and Wednesday, however impacts are only 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 Tuesday 25 August 2020 (all times are local)**

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