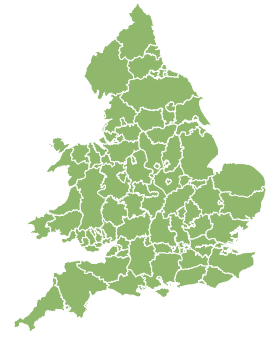


Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Tuesday 01 September 2020



Tuesday

1 Sep 2020 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Steady →

Wednesday

2 Sep 2020

Increased ↑

Thursday

3 Sep 2020

Increased ↑

Friday

4 Sep 2020

Steady →

Saturday

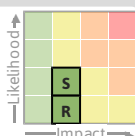
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Steady →

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible across parts of the north-west of England on Wednesday and Thursday. Minor impacts are possible but not expected in other parts of northern England and Wales. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

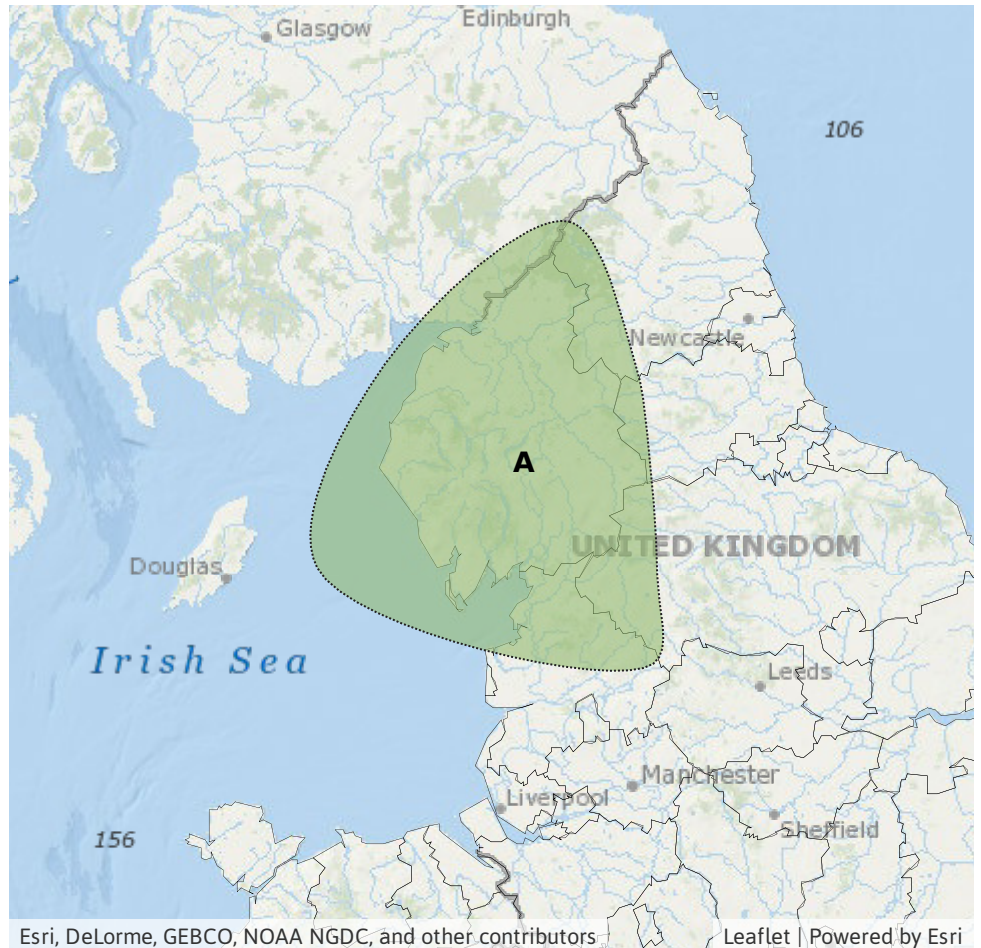
Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Wednesday 2 and Thursday 3 September 2020

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



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Persistent, heavy rain across high ground.



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 on Wednesday and Thursday across parts of the north-west of England, and possible but not expected more widely across northern England and north-west Wales.

This is due to persistent, heavy rain and also due to possible localised, heavy downpours.



Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Wednesday and Thursday for parts of Wales and the north-west of England due to persistent, heavy rain across the high ground in these areas.



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 Wednesday 02 September 2020 (all times are local)**

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