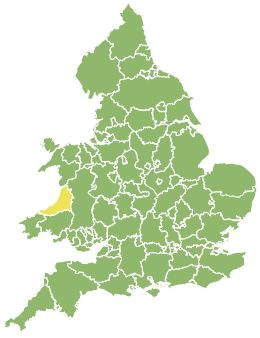


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**Tuesday**

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

Steady →

**Wednesday**

23 Sep 2020

Steady →

**Thursday**

24 Sep 2020

Increased ↑

**Friday**

25 Sep 2020

Increased ↑

**Saturday**

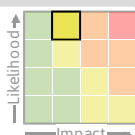
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Steady →

Minor tidal flooding impacts are expected in west Wales today (Tuesday). Minor surface water and river flooding impacts are possible on Thursday and Friday in the south of England. The overall flood risk is LOW.

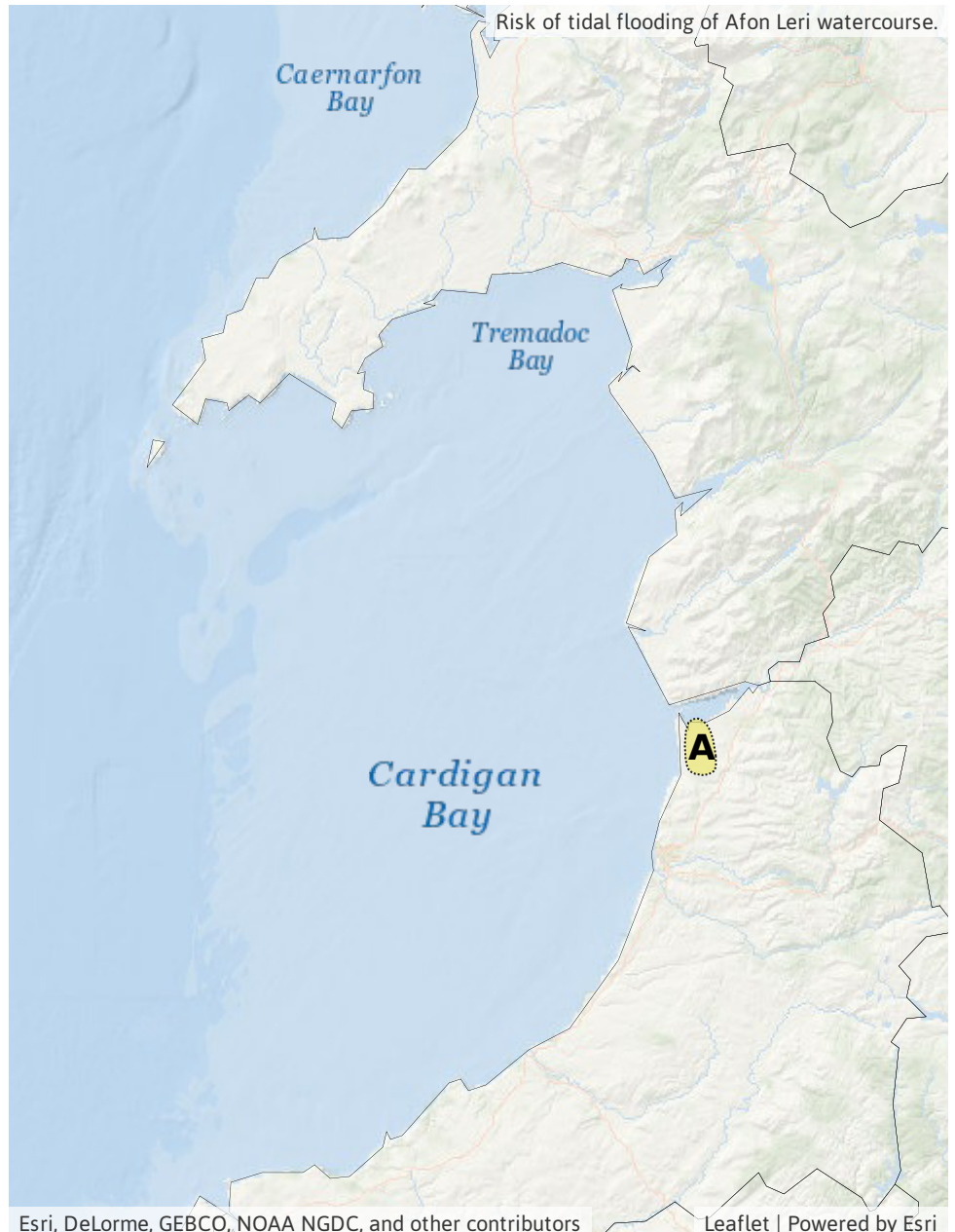
## Specific Area of Concern Map 1: Tuesday 22 September

**RISK AREA A**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **HIGH**



Source Coastal/Tidal  
Likely duration 1 Day

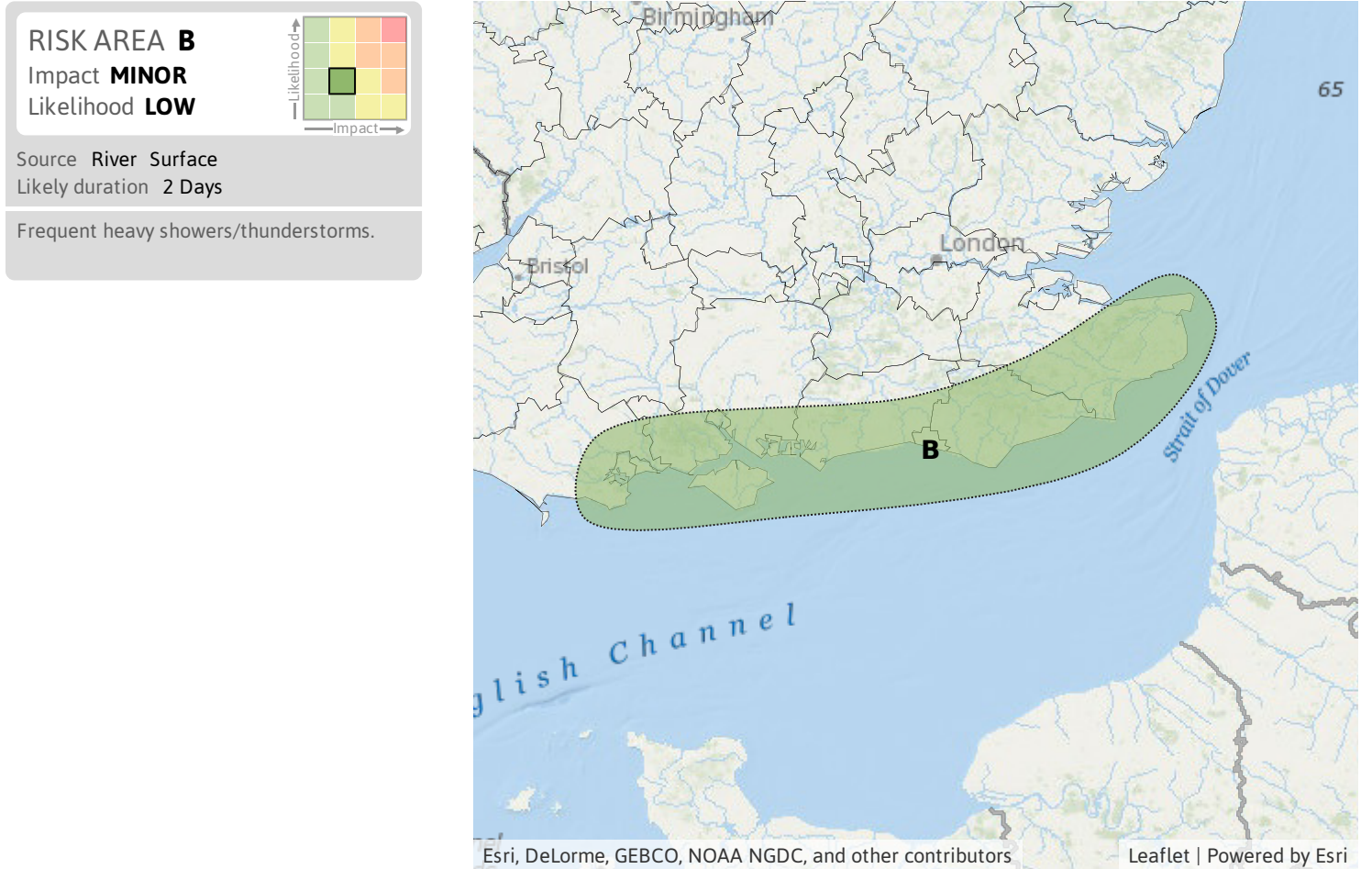
Afon Leri watercourse is at risk of flooding nearby land during times of high tide.



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### Specific Area of Concern Map 2: Thursday 24 and Friday 25 September



## Assessment of flood risk



### Coastal/Tidal

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The coastal/tidal flood risk is LOW today (Tuesday).

Minor tidal flooding impacts are expected near Ynyslas in Ceredigion today. This is due to a breach in the Afon Leri watercourse embankment which will allow nearby land to flood when water levels increase during times of high tide.

Elsewhere and at other times the coastal/tidal flood risk is minimal despite high tides, coinciding with periods of strong winds and large waves.



### Surface water

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

Localised minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in parts of the south of England from later Thursday into Friday, and are possible but not expected more widely across England and Wales from late Wednesday through until Friday.

This is due to the potential for heavy, showery rain and thunderstorms.



### Rivers

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

Localised minor river flooding impacts are possible for fast responding and urban catchments in parts of the south of England from later Thursday into Friday. Minor impacts are possible but not expected more widely across England and Wales from late Wednesday through until Friday.

This is due to the potential for heavy, showery rain and thunderstorms.



### Groundwater

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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 Wednesday 23 September 2020 (all times are local)**

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