

# Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Tuesday 01 December 2020

FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

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Tuesday

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

Steady



Wednesday

2 Dec 2020

Steady



Thursday

3 Dec 2020

Increased



Friday

4 Dec 2020

Increased



Saturday

5 Dec 2020

Steady



Minor river and surface water flooding is possible but not expected across the east and south-east of England on Thursday and Friday. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

## Assessment of flood risk



### Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected across the east and south-east of England on Thursday and Friday. This is due to the potential for heavy, prolonged rain which may lead to localised river response in these areas.



### 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 across the east and south-east of England on Thursday and Friday. This is due to the potential for heavy, prolonged rain across 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 December 2020 (all times are local)**

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