

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Friday 11 December 2020

FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

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Friday

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

Steady



Saturday

12 Dec 2020

Steady



Sunday

13 Dec 2020

Increased



Monday

14 Dec 2020

Increased



Tuesday

15 Dec 2020

Steady



Minor river and surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected in parts of Wales and south-west and northern England on Sunday, and for rivers, continuing into Monday in places. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

Assessment of flood risk



Rivers

The river flood risk is VERY LOW.

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected in parts of Wales and south-west and northern England on Sunday, and continuing into Monday over parts of north-east England. This is due to a spell of heavy rain.



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected in parts of Wales and south-west and northern England on Sunday. This is due to a spell of heavy rain.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days, despite a period of high tide levels and large waves at times.



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 Saturday 12 December 2020 (all times are local)**

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