

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Saturday 02 January 2021

FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

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Saturday

2 Jan 2021 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Increased ↑

Sunday

3 Jan 2021

Increased ↑

Monday

4 Jan 2021

Steady →

Tuesday

5 Jan 2021

Steady →

Wednesday

6 Jan 2021

Steady →

The overall flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected today (Saturday) and tomorrow (Sunday) in some parts of the north east of England.

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 today (Saturday) and tomorrow (Sunday) for some eastern and coastal areas of Yorkshire and Northeast England. This is due to frequent showers falling over saturated ground.



Groundwater

The groundwater flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days. However, groundwater levels continue to rise in many places, particularly in parts of the south-west of England.



Surface water

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



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal 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 Sunday 03 January 2021 (all times are local)**

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