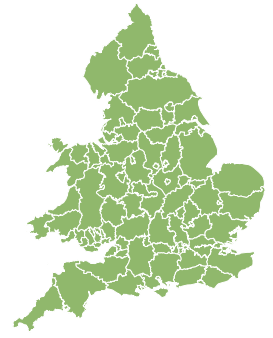
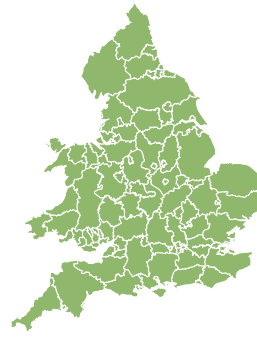


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Monday

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

Steady →

Tuesday

5 Jan 2021

Increased ↑

Wednesday

6 Jan 2021

Increased ↑

Thursday

7 Jan 2021

Steady →

Friday

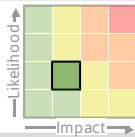
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Minor surface water and river flooding impacts are possible in parts of south-east England on Tuesday and Wednesday. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

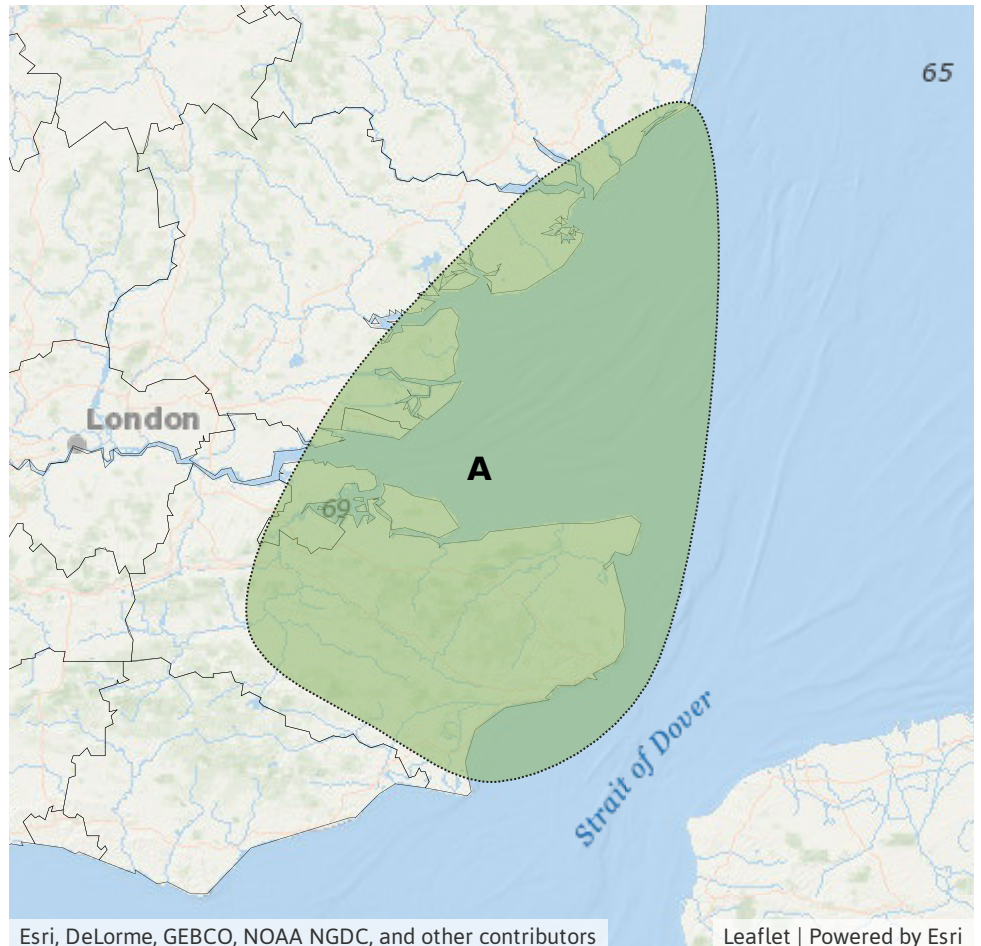
Specific Area of Concern Map 1: Tuesday 05 and Wednesday 06 January 2021

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



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Bands of showers persistently feeding in from the North Sea.



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 for parts of Kent and the coast of Essex on Tuesday and Wednesday. This is due to the potential for bands of showers to consistently affect similar locations.



Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible for parts of the coast of Essex but more especially for parts of Kent on Tuesday and Wednesday. This is due to the potential for bands of showers to consistently affect similar locations.



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.



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 Tuesday 05 January 2021 (all times are local)**

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