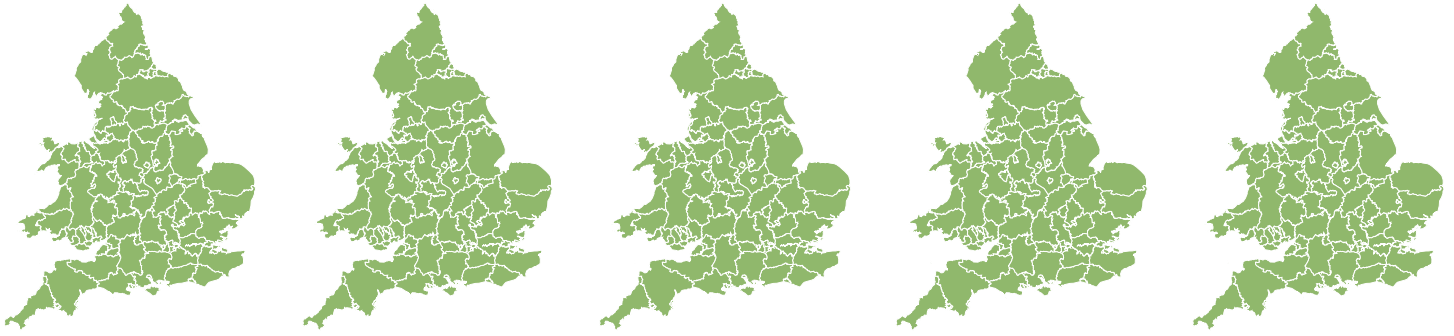


Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Wednesday 12 May 2021



Wednesday

12 May 2021 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Increased ↑

Thursday

13 May 2021

Increased ↑

Friday

14 May 2021

Steady →

Saturday

15 May 2021

Steady →

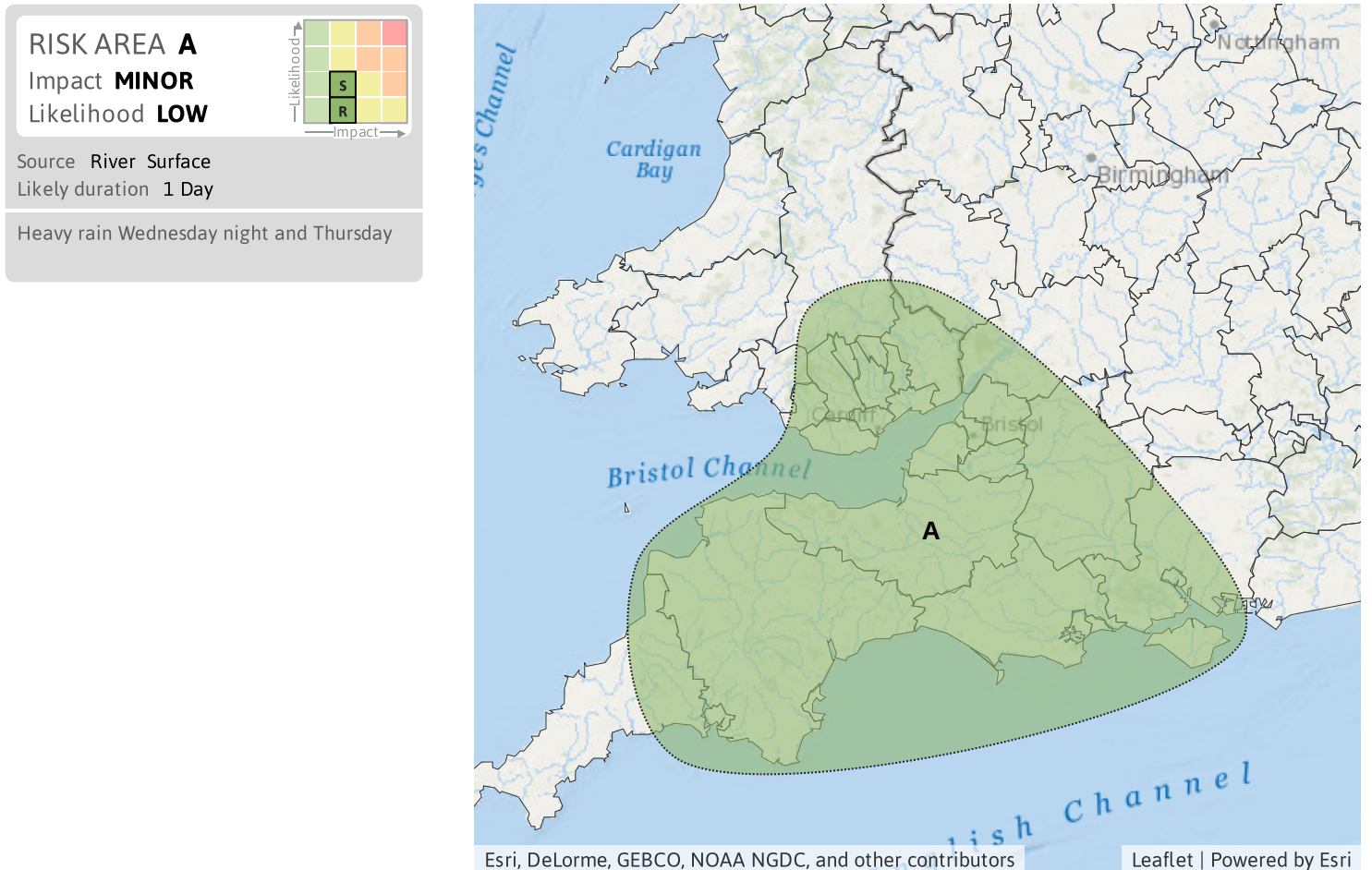
Sunday

16 May 2021

Steady →

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in the south-west of England and the south of Wales on Wednesday night and Thursday. The overall flood risk is **VERY LOW**.

Specific Area of Concern Map 1: Wednesday 12 and Thursday 13 May



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 across parts of the south and south-west of England and the south and east of Wales tonight and into tomorrow (Thursday), especially in urban areas. This is due to a period of persistent, sometimes heavy rain.



Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected across parts of the south and south-west of England and the south and east of Wales tonight and into tomorrow (Thursday), especially in small, fast responding and urban catchments. This is due to a period of persistent, sometimes heavy rain.



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 Thursday 13 May 2021 (all times are local)**

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