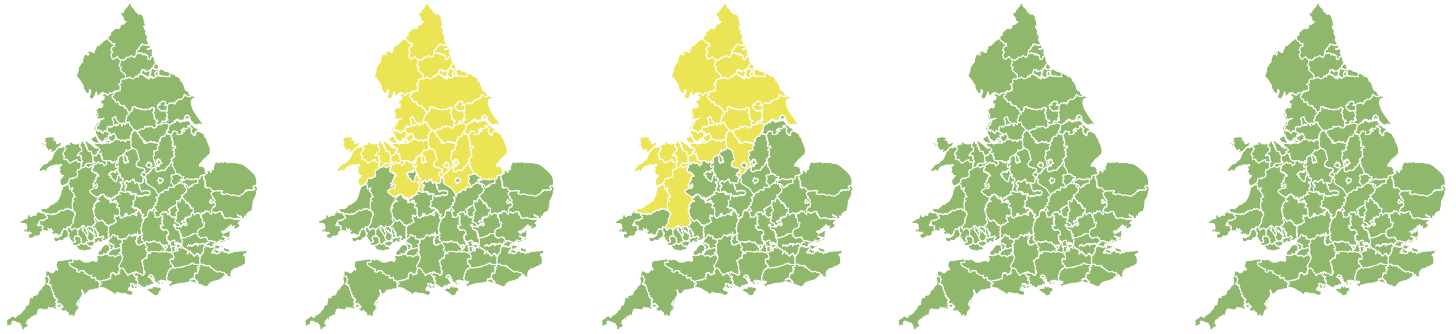


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**Thursday**

5 Aug 2021 10:30-23:59  
Trend since last FGS

Steady



**Friday**

6 Aug 2021

Steady



**Saturday**

7 Aug 2021

Steady



**Sunday**

8 Aug 2021

Increased



**Monday**

9 Aug 2021

Increased



Significant inland flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Friday and Saturday. Minor inland flooding impacts are possible today (Thursday) and possible but not expected on Sunday and Monday. The overall flood risk is LOW.

## Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Friday 6 August 2021

**RISK AREA A**  
Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **VERY LOW**

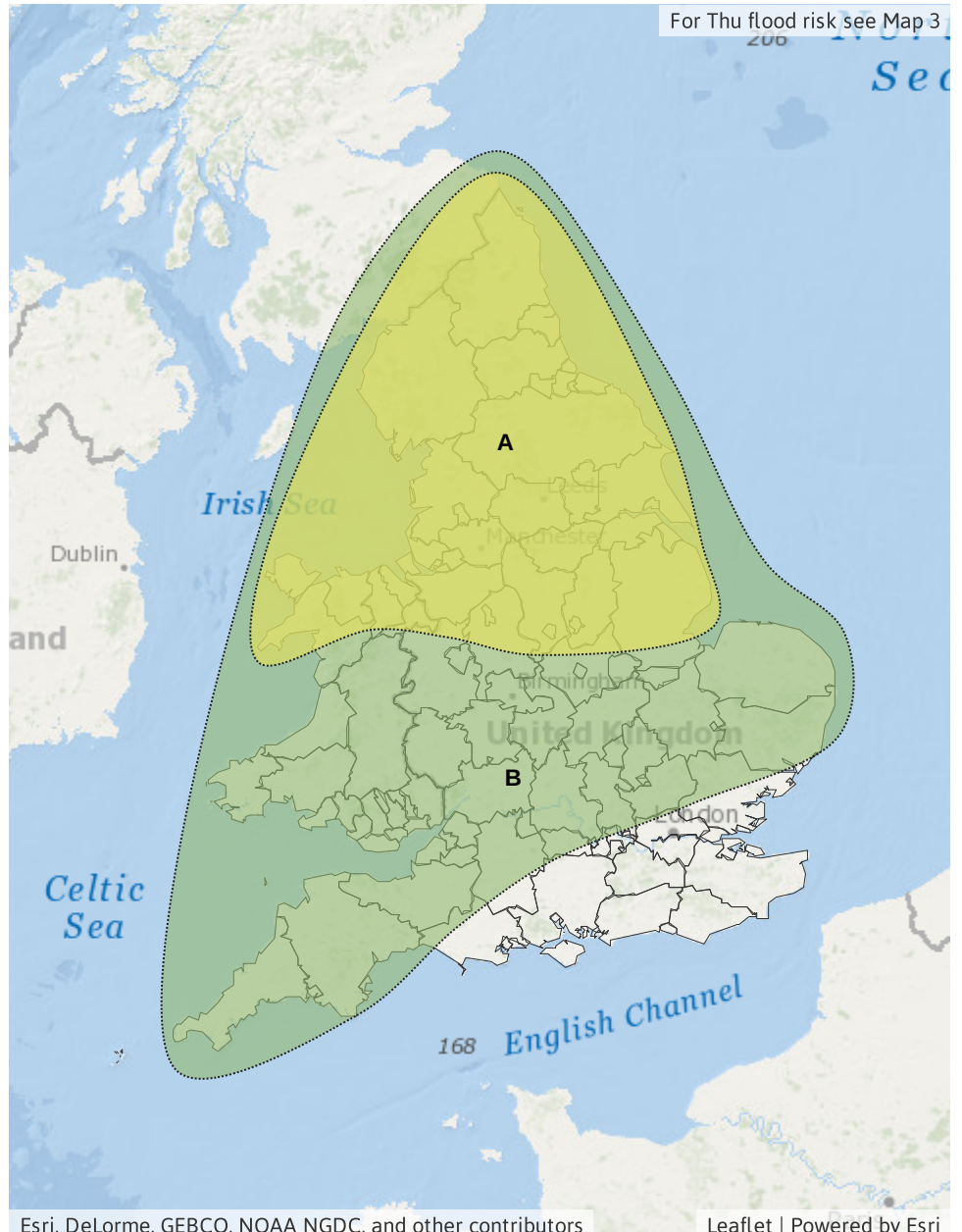
Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Heavy showers merging into longer spells of rain.

**RISK AREA B**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **LOW**

Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Scattered heavy showers bring potential for local minor impacts.



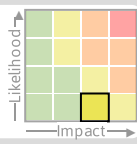
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### Specific Areas of Concern Map 2: Saturday 7 August 2021

#### RISK AREA A

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **VERY LOW**



Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Heavy showers merging into longer spells of rain.

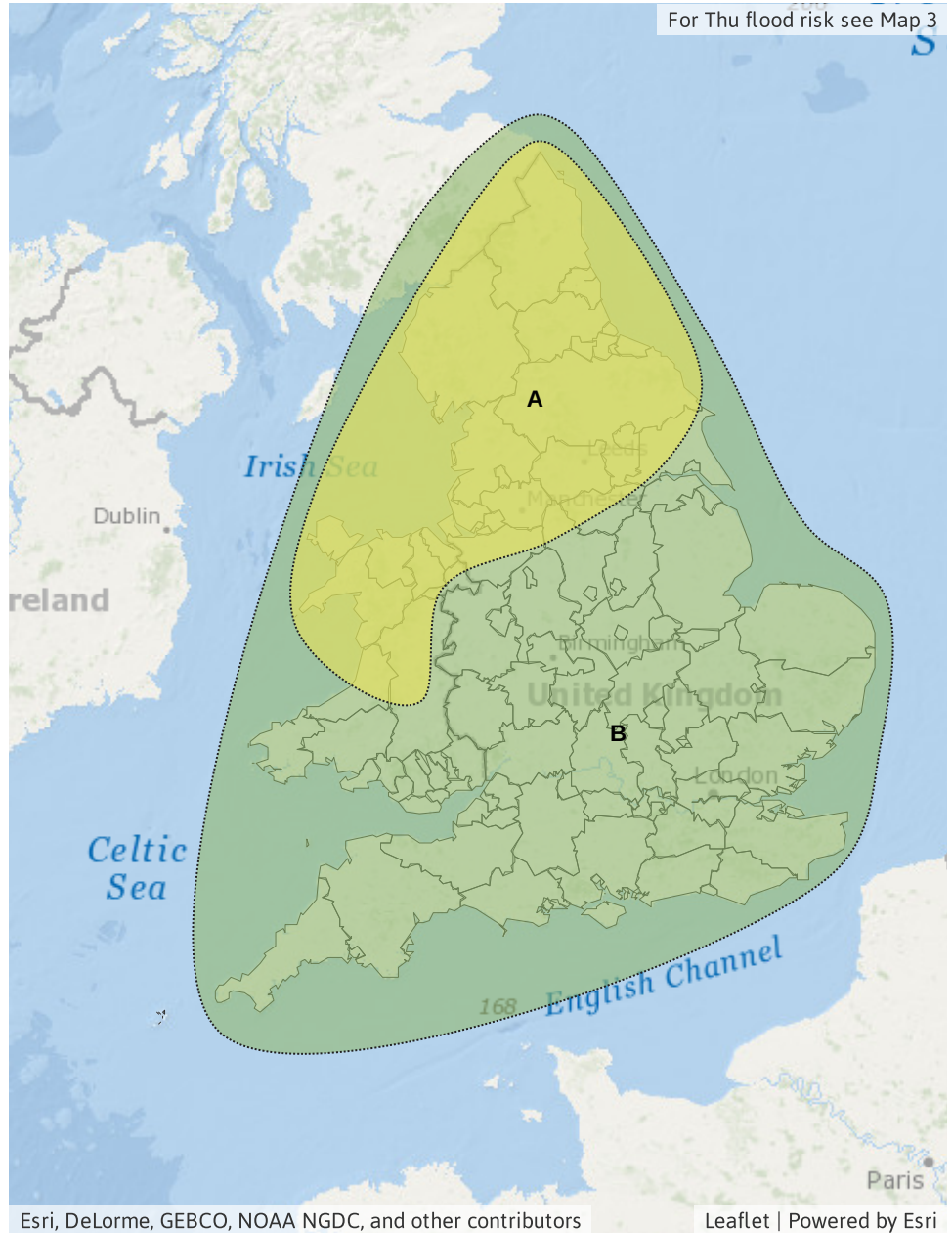
#### RISK AREA B

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Scattered heavy showers bring potential for local minor impacts.

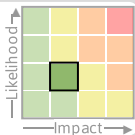


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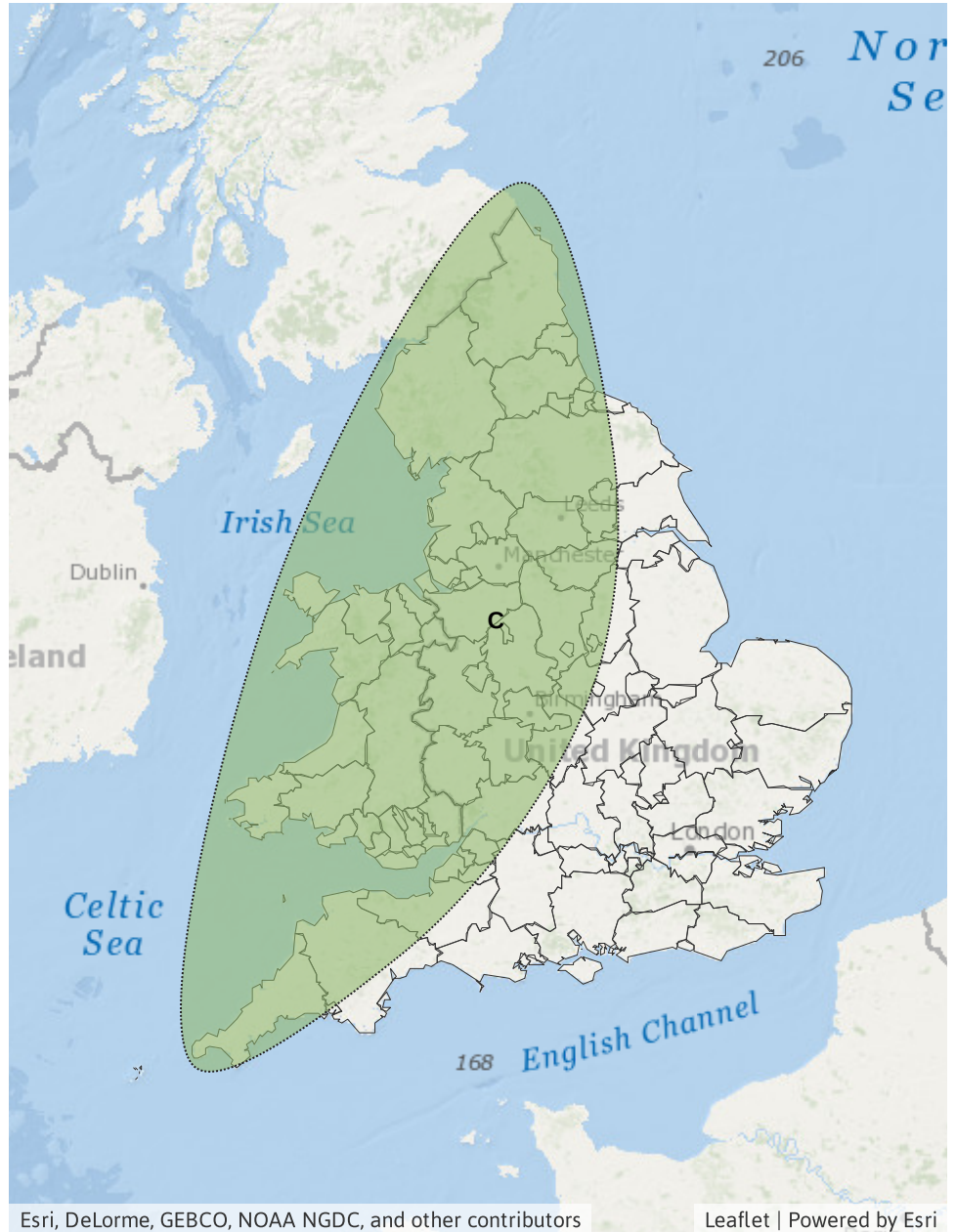
## Specific Areas of Concern Map 3: Thursday 5 August 2021

**RISK AREA C**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface  
Likely duration 1 Day

Scattered heavy showers mainly in the afternoon and evening.



## Assessment of flood risk



### Surface water

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The surface water flood risk is LOW on Friday and Saturday.

Significant surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Friday and Saturday in the north of England and north Wales. This is due to heavy, thundery showers, which could merge into longer periods of heavy rain.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in parts of England and Wales today (Thursday), Friday and Saturday, and are possible but not expected on Sunday and Monday due to the continued risk of heavy, perhaps thundery showers.



### Rivers

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The river flood risk is LOW on Friday and Saturday.

Significant river flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Friday and Saturday in the north of England and north Wales. This is due to heavy, thundery showers, which could merge into longer periods of heavy rain. Local significant river flooding impacts are generally restricted to small and urban watercourses. However, more widespread river flooding impacts are possible for north-west England on Friday and Saturday.

Local minor river flooding impacts are possible in parts of England and Wales today (Thursday), Friday and Saturday, and are possible but not expected on Sunday and Monday due to the continued risk of heavy, perhaps thundery showers.



### Coastal/Tidal

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The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

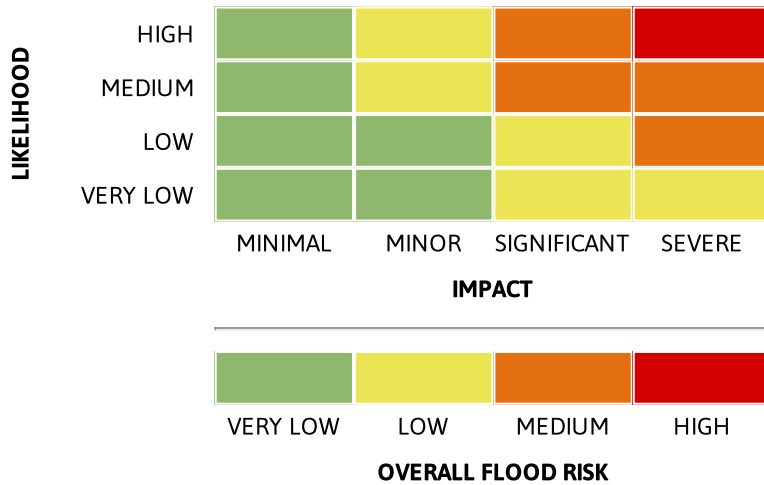


### Groundwater

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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 Friday 06 August 2021 (all times are local)**

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