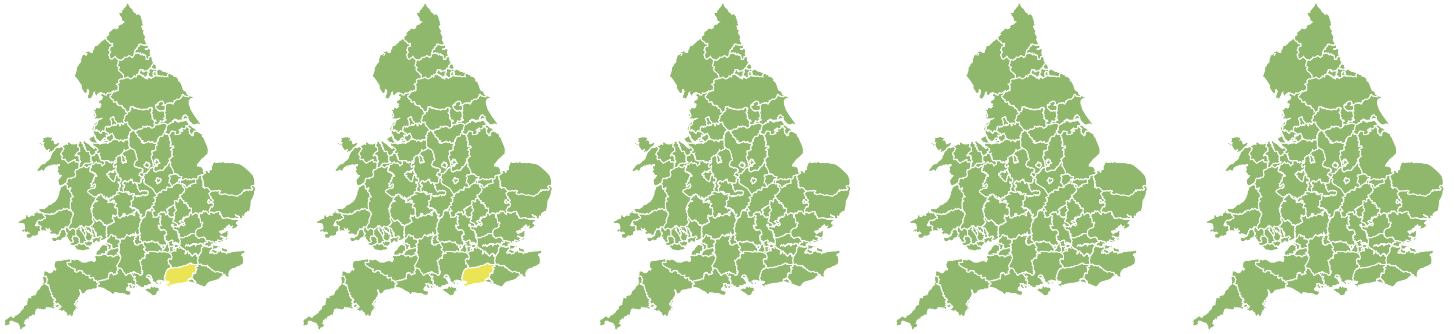


Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Friday 22 October 2021



Friday

22 Oct 2021 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Increased ↑

Saturday

23 Oct 2021

Increased ↑

Sunday

24 Oct 2021

Steady →

Monday

25 Oct 2021

Steady →

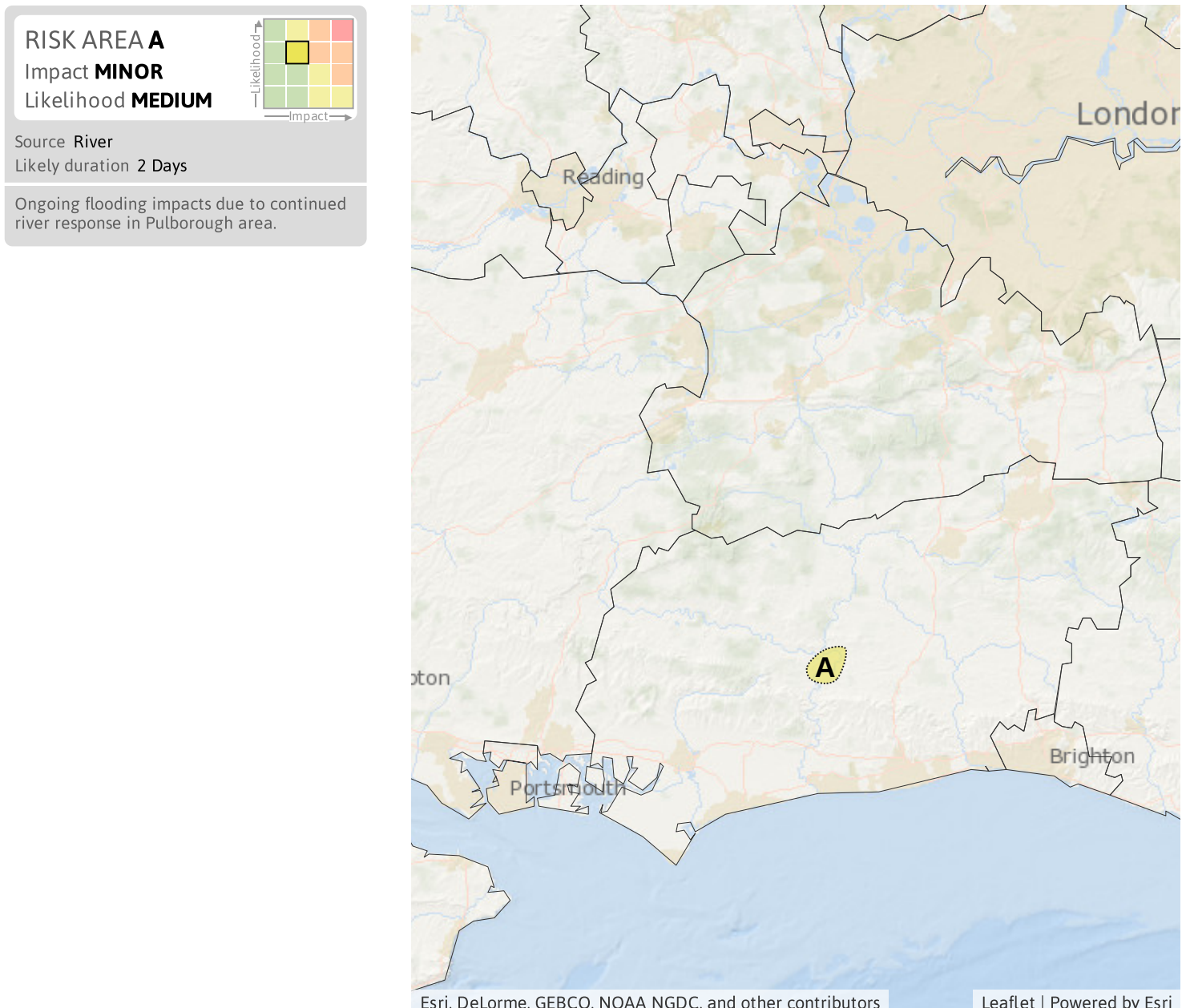
Tuesday

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Steady →

Minor river flooding impacts are probable today (Friday) and tomorrow in West Sussex. Minor coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected today on parts of the east coast. The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Friday 22 and Saturday 23 October 2021



Assessment of flood risk



Rivers

The river flood risk is LOW in West Sussex today (Friday) and tomorrow.

The River Arun continues to respond to recent rainfall, with minor impacts probable in Pulborough in West Sussex today and tomorrow. Refer to Specific Areas of Concern Map.

Elsewhere, river levels continue to recede and any impacts are likely to be minimal.



Coastal/Tidal

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

Minor coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected today (Friday) along parts of the coast of East Anglia and the north-east of England. This is due to high tides, small positive surge and large waves in places.



Surface water

The surface water 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 Saturday 23 October 2021 (all times are local)**

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