

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Thursday 23 December 2021

FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

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Thursday

23 Dec 2021 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Steady



Friday

24 Dec 2021

Steady



Saturday

25 Dec 2021

Steady



Sunday

26 Dec 2021

Steady



Monday

27 Dec 2021

Steady



Inland flooding and coastal flooding is possible but not expected in places on Saturday and Sunday. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

Assessment of flood risk



Rivers

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

Localised river flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Saturday and Sunday in parts of England and Wales.



Surface water

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

Localised surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Saturday and Sunday in parts of England and Wales.



Coastal/Tidal

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

Strong easterly winds may lead to some localised instances of spray and wave overtopping on parts of the east coast of England at the weekend. Minor impacts are possible but not expected in places along the coast of Yorkshire, but no more than minimal impacts are expected elsewhere.



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 Friday 24 December 2021 (all times are local)**

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