

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Sunday 26 December 2021

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Sunday

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

Steady



Monday

27 Dec 2021

Steady



Tuesday

28 Dec 2021

Steady



Wednesday

29 Dec 2021

Increased



Thursday

30 Dec 2021

Steady



Inland and coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected in places from today (Sunday) to Wednesday. 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 today (Sunday) in parts of central and southern England and on Monday in parts of central and southern England and south Wales. On Wednesday, localised impacts are possible but not expected in western parts of England and Wales.



Surface water

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

Localised surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Monday in parts of central and southern England and south Wales. On Wednesday, localised impacts are possible but not expected in western 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 today (Sunday). 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 Monday 27 December 2021 (all times are local)**

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