

# Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Thursday 19 May 2022

FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

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Thursday

19 May 2022 10:30-23:59  
Trend since last FGS

Steady



Friday

20 May 2022

Steady



Saturday

21 May 2022

Steady



Sunday

22 May 2022

Steady



Monday

23 May 2022

Steady



Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected in the far south-east of England on Friday. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

## Assessment of flood risk



### Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW.

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### Rivers

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



### 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 Friday 20 May 2022 (all times are local)**

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More information <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/flood-forecasting-centre>