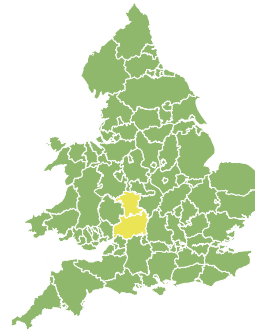
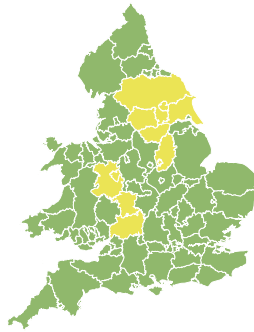
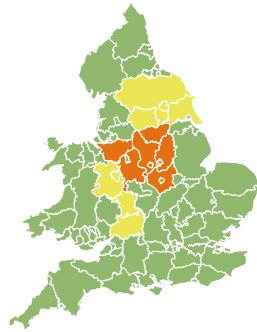
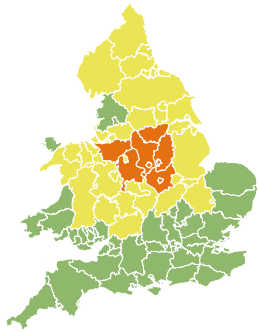


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Saturday

21 Oct 2023 15:00-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Steady



Sunday

22 Oct 2023

Steady



Monday

23 Oct 2023

Steady



Tuesday

24 Oct 2023

Steady



Wednesday

25 Oct 2023

Steady



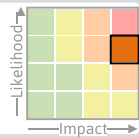
Severe river flooding impacts are probable in parts of the Midlands and South Yorkshire today (Saturday) and Sunday. The overall flood risk for England and Wales is MEDIUM.

## Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Saturday 21 October 2023

### RISK AREA A

Impact **SEVERE**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



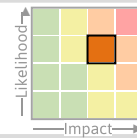
Source River  
Likely duration 2 Days

Severe river flooding impacts probable today and into Sunday.

### RISK AREA B

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



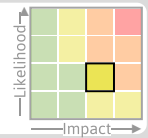
Source River  
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding impacts probable.

### RISK AREA C

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**

Likelihood **LOW**



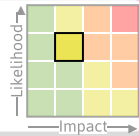
Source River  
Likely duration 1 Day

Significant river flooding impacts possible.

### RISK AREA D

Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



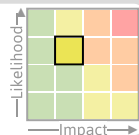
Source River  
Likely duration 4 Days

Impacts on the River Teme on Sat only.  
Impacts along the River Severn until Tues

### RISK AREA E

Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



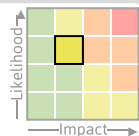
Source River  
Likely duration 1 Day

Ongoing river flooding

### RISK AREA F

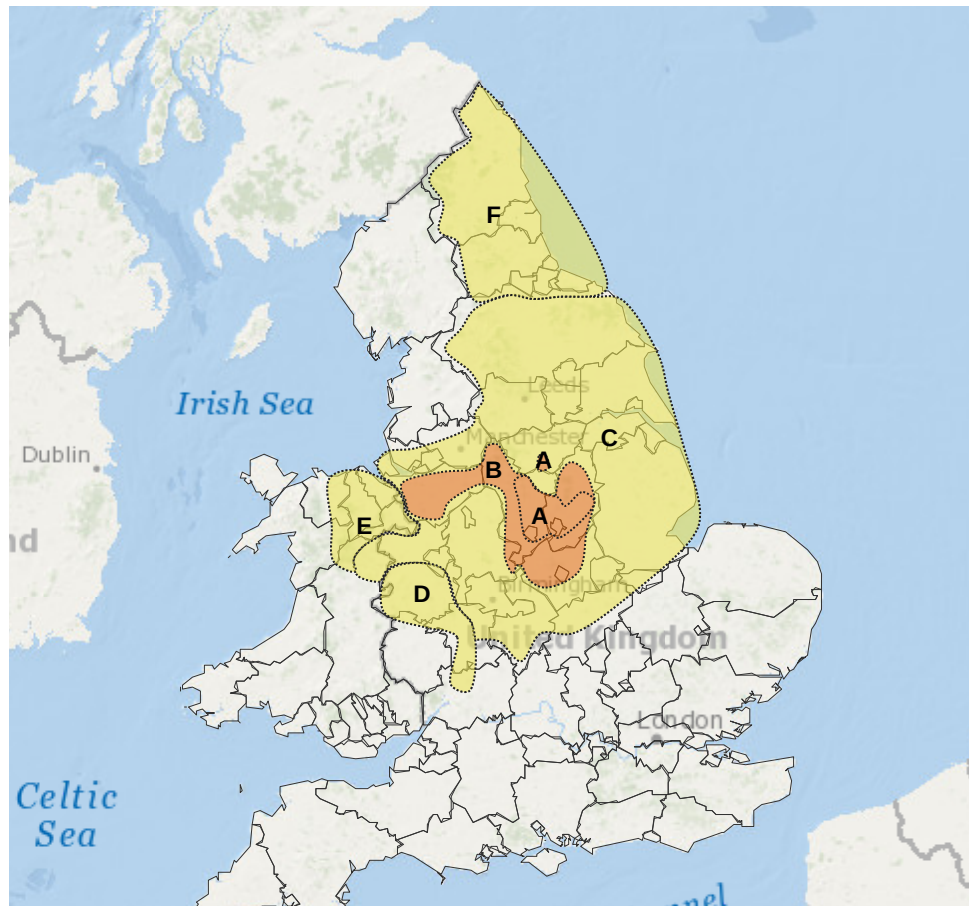
Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River  
Likely duration 1 Day

Ongoing river flooding probable



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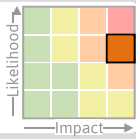
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## Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 - Sunday 22 October 2023

### RISK AREA A

Impact **SEVERE**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River

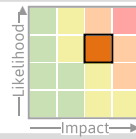
Likely duration 2 Days

Severe river flooding impacts probable today and into Sunday.

### RISK AREA B

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River

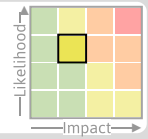
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding impacts probable.

### RISK AREA D

Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River

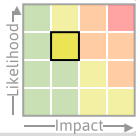
Likely duration 4 Days

Ongoing impacts along the River Severn. Continuing until Tues in lower reaches.

### RISK AREA H

Impact **MINOR**

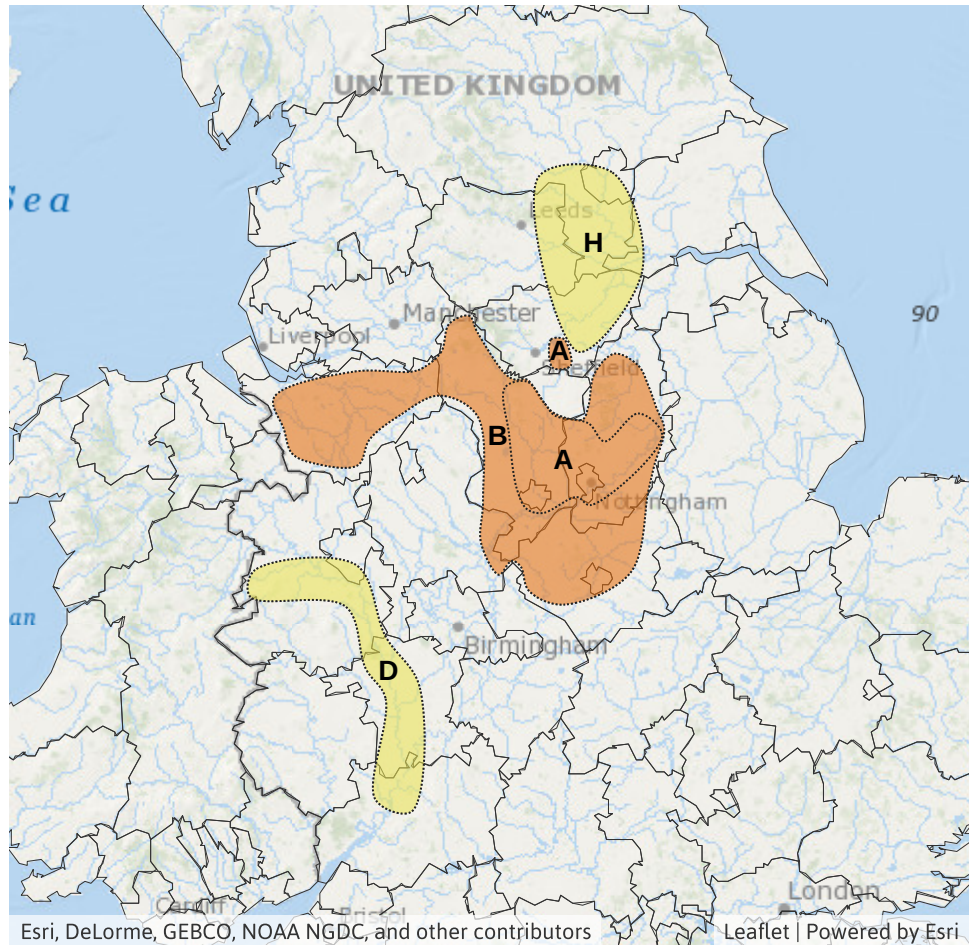
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River

Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding probable



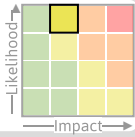


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## Specific Areas of Concern Map 3 - Monday 23 October 2023

**RISK AREA D**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **HIGH**

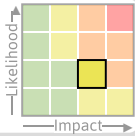


Source River  
Likely duration 4 Days

Ongoing impacts along the River Severn.  
Continuing until Tues in lower reaches.

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**RISK AREA G**  
Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **LOW**

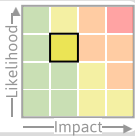


Source River  
Likely duration 1 Day

Ongoing flooding impacts from the River Trent until Monday.

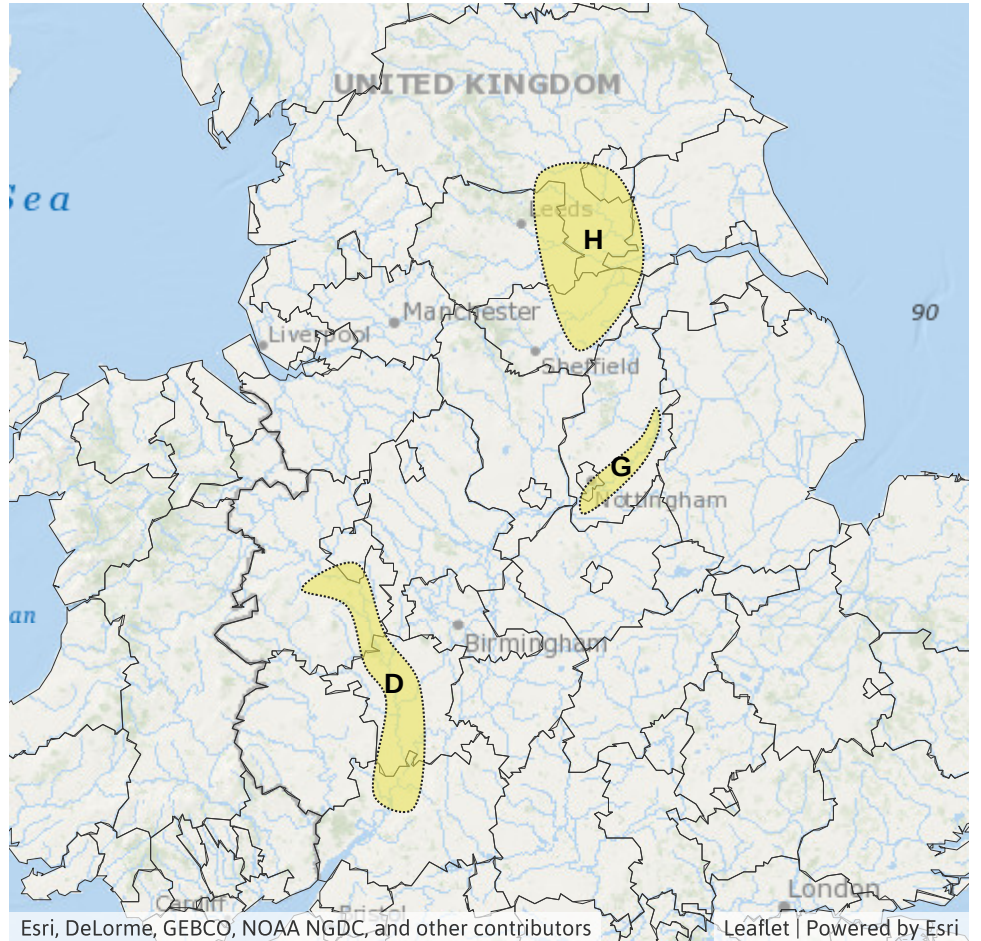
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**RISK AREA H**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**




Source River  
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding probable



## Specific Areas of Concern Map 4 - Tuesday 24 October 2023

**RISK AREA D**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **HIGH**

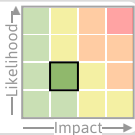


Source River  
Likely duration 4 Days

Ongoing impacts along the River Severn.  
Continuing until Tues in lower reaches.

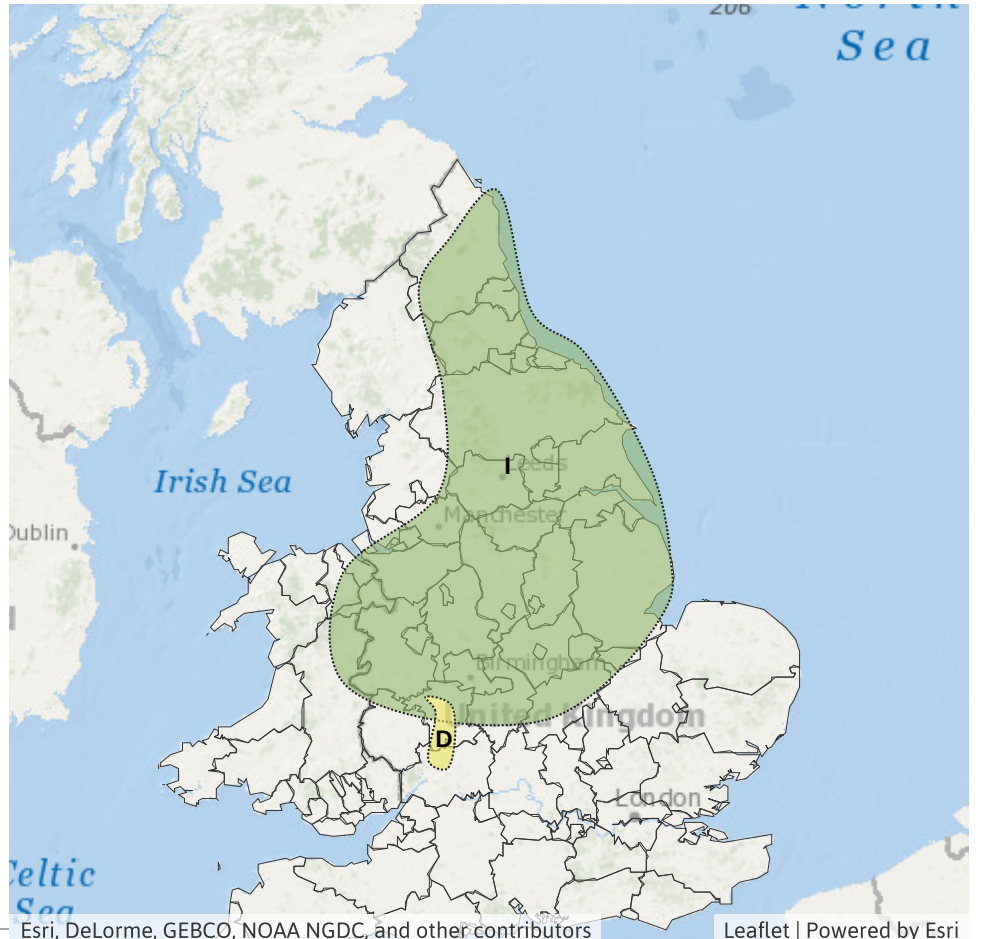
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**RISK AREA I**  
Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface  
Likely duration 1 Day

Rainfall possible over sensitive catchments



## Assessment of flood risk



### Rivers

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The river flood risk is MEDIUM.

Severe river flooding impacts are probable in parts of the Midlands and South Yorkshire today (Saturday) and Sunday. Significant river flooding impacts are also probable more widely. This is following recent heavy rain. Ongoing impacts are possible in some areas until Tuesday. See Areas of Concern Maps.

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected in the East and South East of England today due to heavy showers.

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected in South West England and Wales on Monday. Minor river flooding is possible on Tuesday across parts of the north of England, the Midlands and Wales due to heavy rainfall on sensitive catchments.



### Surface water

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The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected in the East and South East of England today due to heavy showers.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected in South West England and Wales on Monday. Minor surface water flooding is possible on Tuesday across parts of the north of England, the Midlands and Wales due to heavy rainfall on sensitive catchments.

Impacts could include localised flooding from urban and fast responding smaller watercourses/catchments, drains, channels and flooding from overland flow.



### Coastal/Tidal

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



### Groundwater

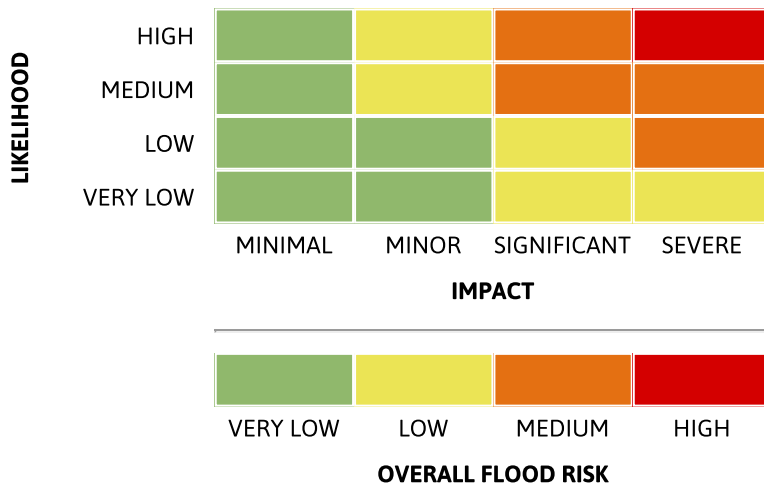
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The groundwater flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

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## 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 Sunday 22 October 2023 (all times are local)**

Contact details **Flood Forecasting Centre Duty Hydrometeorologist - 0330 135 4400**

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