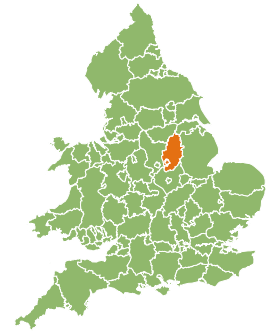
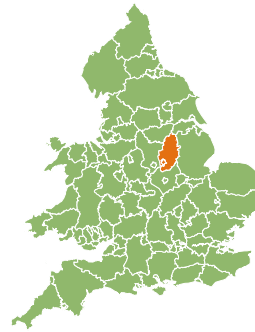
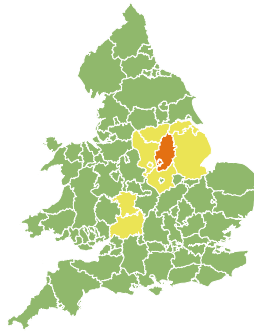
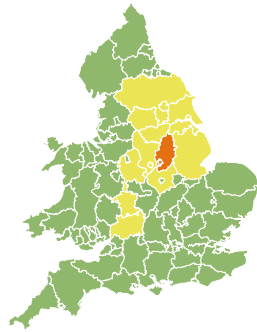
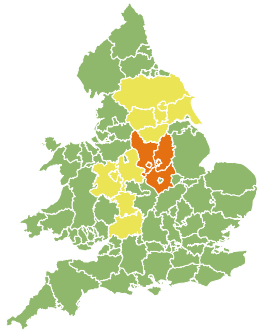


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Monday

23 Oct 2023 10:30-23:59  
Trend since last FGS

Increased ↑

Tuesday

24 Oct 2023

Increased ↑

Wednesday

25 Oct 2023

Increased ↑

Thursday

26 Oct 2023

Steady →

Friday

27 Oct 2023

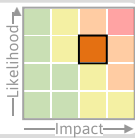
Steady →

Significant river flooding continues in parts of the Midlands until Friday. Significant inland flooding impacts are possible but not expected in parts of England on Tuesday and Wednesday. The overall flood risk is MEDIUM.

## Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Monday 23 October 2023

### RISK AREA A

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

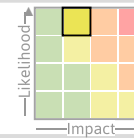


Source River  
Likely duration 5 Days

Ongoing flooding impacts from the River Trent.

### RISK AREA B

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **HIGH**

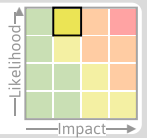


Source River  
Likely duration 3 Days

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

### RISK AREA C

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **HIGH**

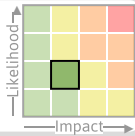


Source River  
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding probable - Yorkshire Mon. Midlands Mon and Tues.

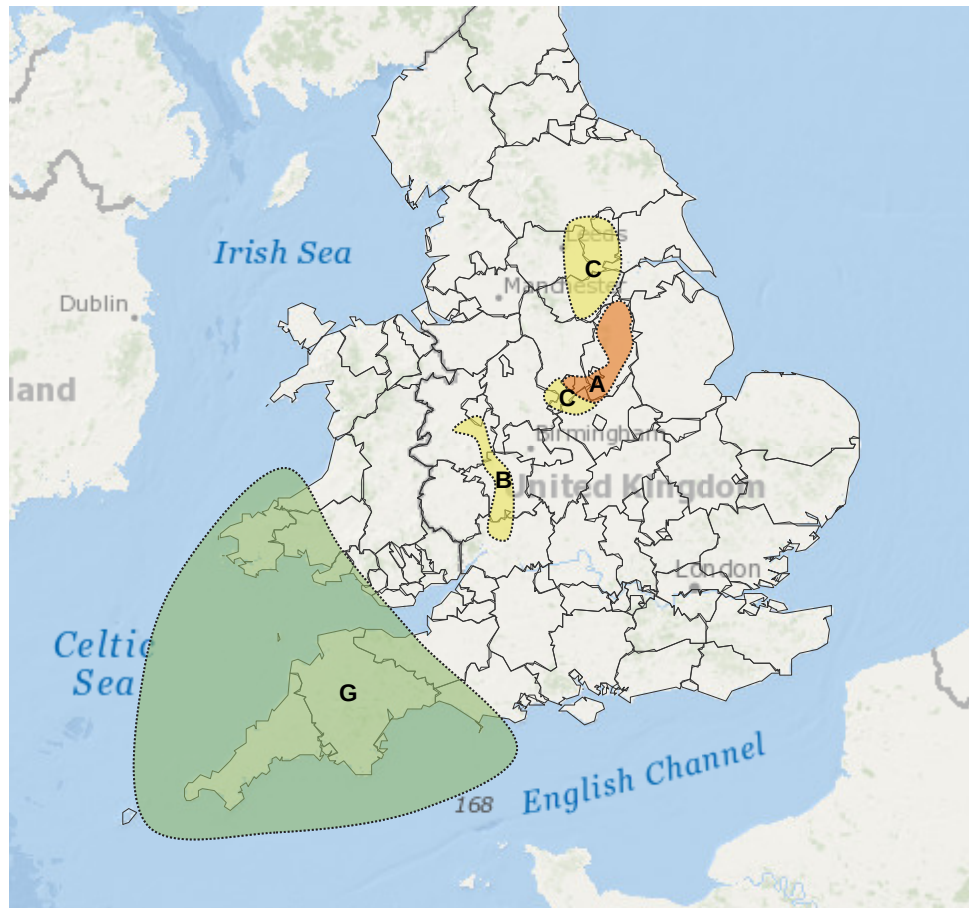
### RISK AREA G

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **LOW**



Source Surface  
Likely duration 1 Day

Surface water flooding impacts possible from heavy showers/isolated thunderstorms



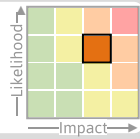
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## Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 - Tuesday 24 October 2023

### RISK AREA A

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

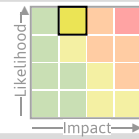


Source River  
Likely duration 5 Days

Ongoing flooding impacts from the River Trent through to Friday.

### RISK AREA B

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **HIGH**

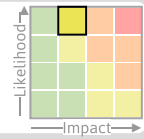


Source River  
Likely duration 3 Days

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

### RISK AREA C

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **HIGH**

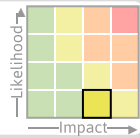


Source River  
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding probable.

### RISK AREA D

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **VERY LOW**

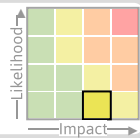


Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Persistent rain, some heavy falling on sensitive catchments

### RISK AREA E

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **VERY LOW**

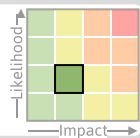


Source Surface  
Likely duration 1 Day

Heavy rain and showers through Tuesday.

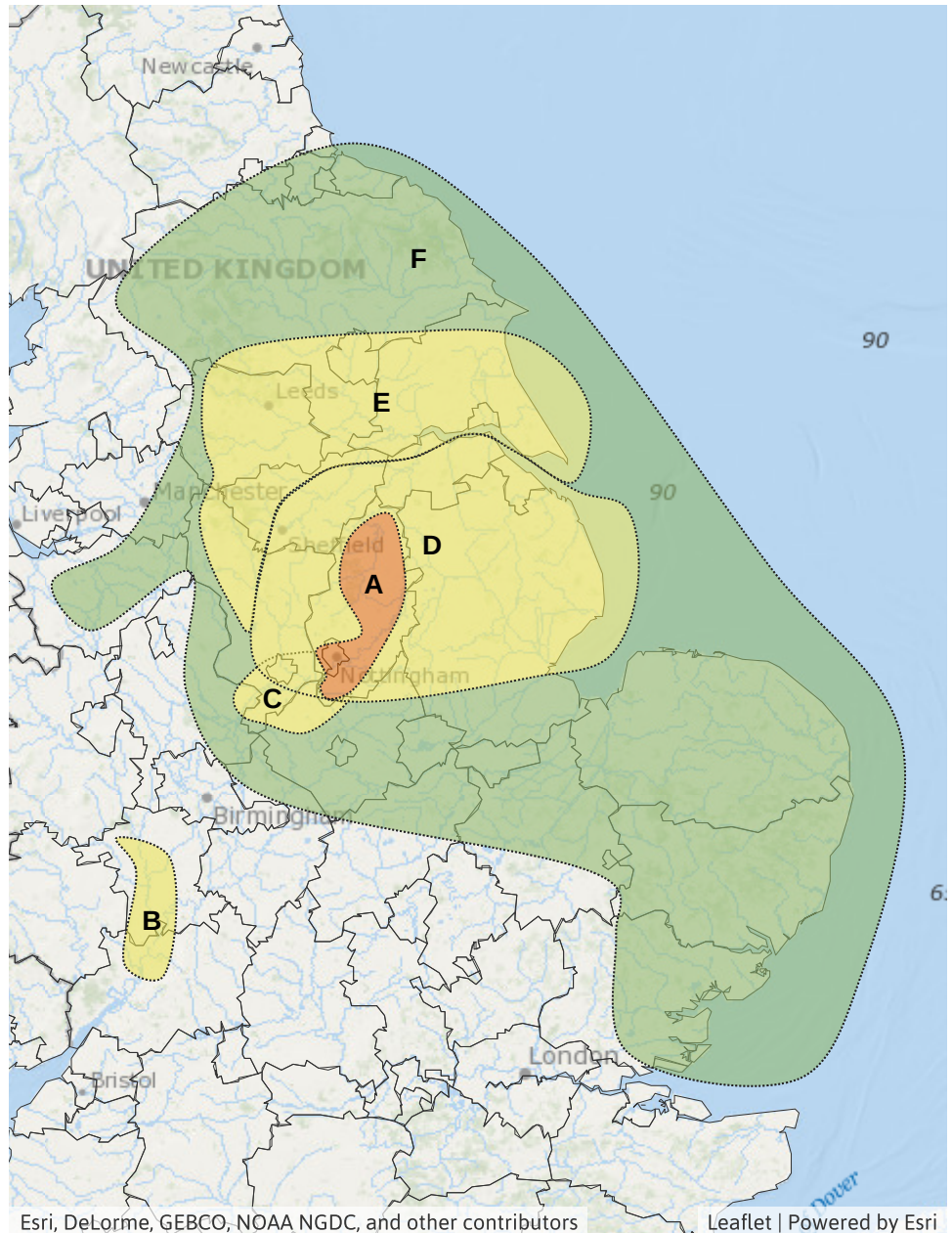
### RISK AREA F

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface  
Likely duration 2 Days

Rainfall possible over sensitive catchments



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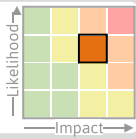
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## Specific Areas of Concern Map 3 - Wednesday 25 October 2023

### RISK AREA A

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River  
Likely duration 5 Days

Ongoing flooding impacts from the River Trent through to Friday.

### RISK AREA B

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **HIGH**

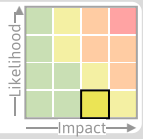


Source River  
Likely duration 3 Days

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

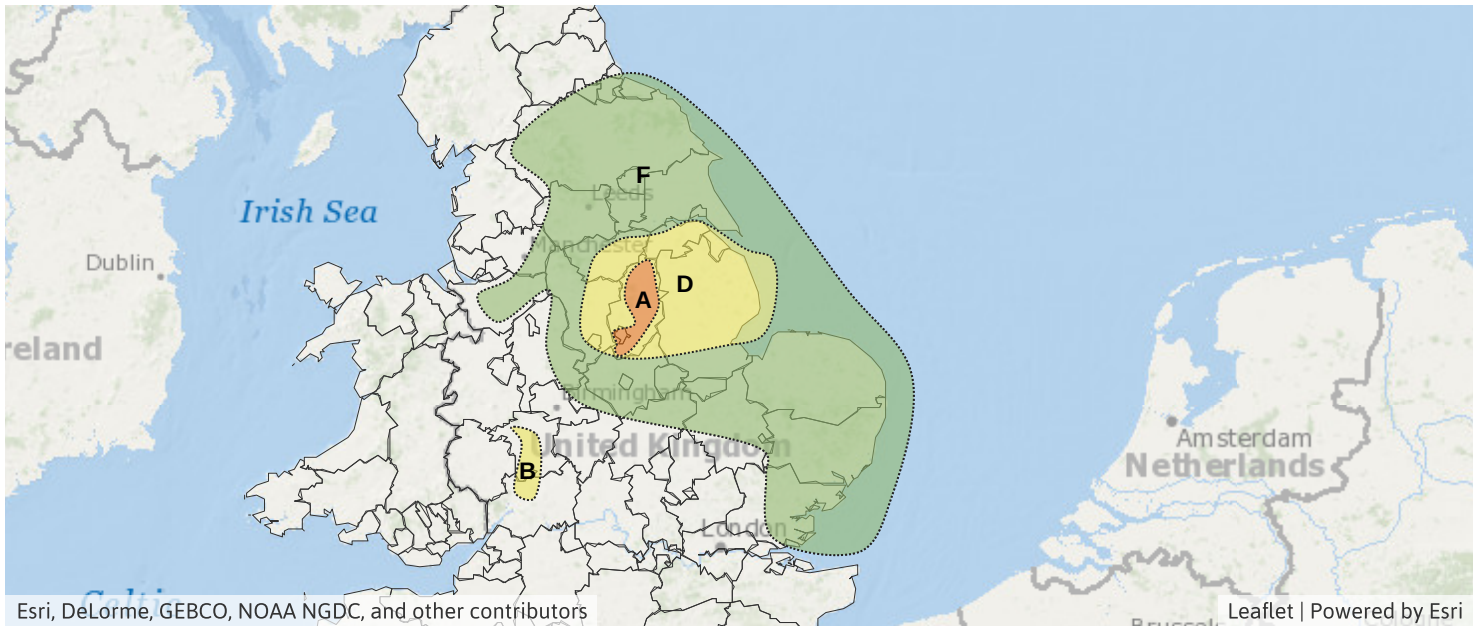
### RISK AREA D

Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **VERY LOW**



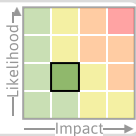
Source River  
Likely duration 2 Days

Rivers continue to respond to Tuesday's heavy rainfall



### RISK AREA F

Impact **MINOR**  
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River  
Likely duration 2 Days

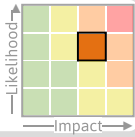
River impacts only on Wednesday

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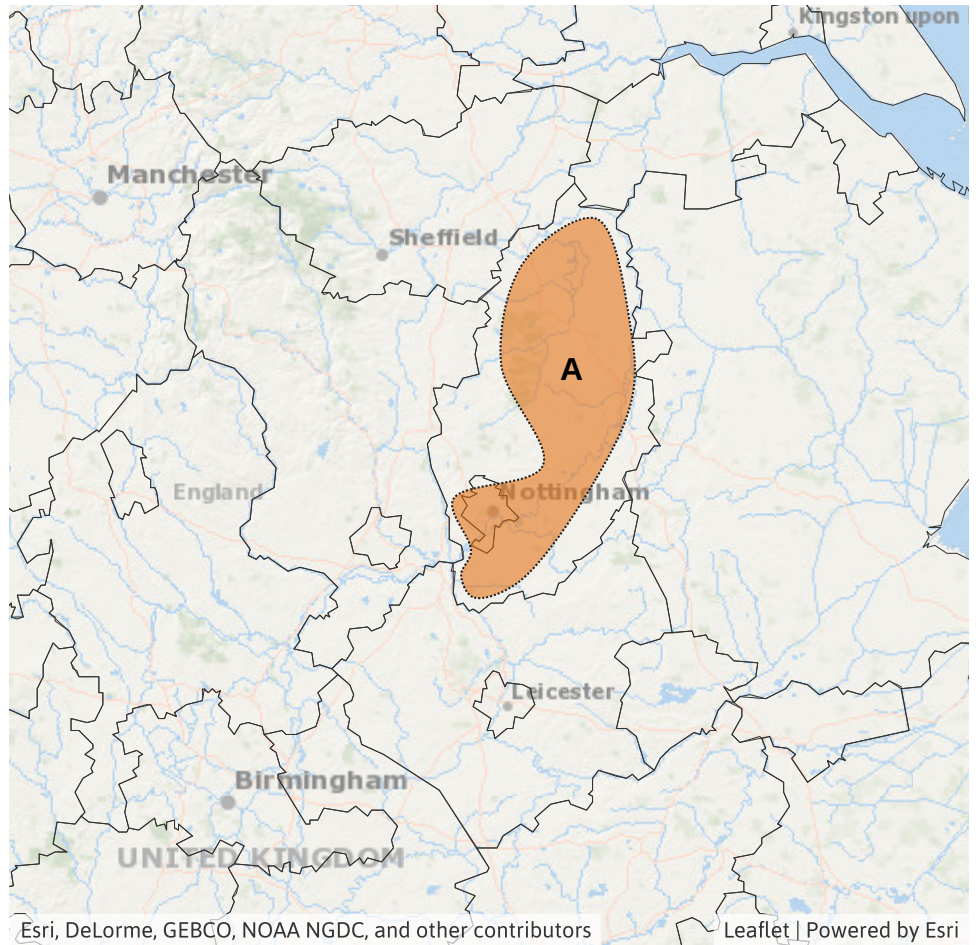
## Specific Areas of Concern Map 4 - Thursday 26 and Friday 27 October 2023

**RISK AREA A**  
Impact **SIGNIFICANT**  
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River  
Likely duration 5 Days

Ongoing flooding impacts from the River Trent through to Friday.



## Assessment of flood risk



### Rivers

The river flood risk is MEDIUM.

Significant river flooding impacts continue for parts of the Midlands until Friday, with minor impacts continuing in parts of the Midlands and the North East of England until Wednesday. This is following recent heavy rain. See Specific Areas of Concern Maps.

Significant river flooding is also possible but not expected in parts of England on Tuesday and Wednesday, with minor impacts possible more widely, due to further heavy rainfall falling on sensitive catchments. See Specific Areas of Concern Maps.



### Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW on Tuesday.

Significant surface water flooding is possible but not expected in parts of England on Tuesday, with minor impacts possible more widely, due to heavy rain falling on sensitive catchments. See Specific Areas of Concern Map.

Minor impacts from surface water flooding are also possible across parts of South West England and South Wales during today (Monday), due to heavy showers. See Specific Areas of Concern Map.

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



### Coastal/Tidal

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



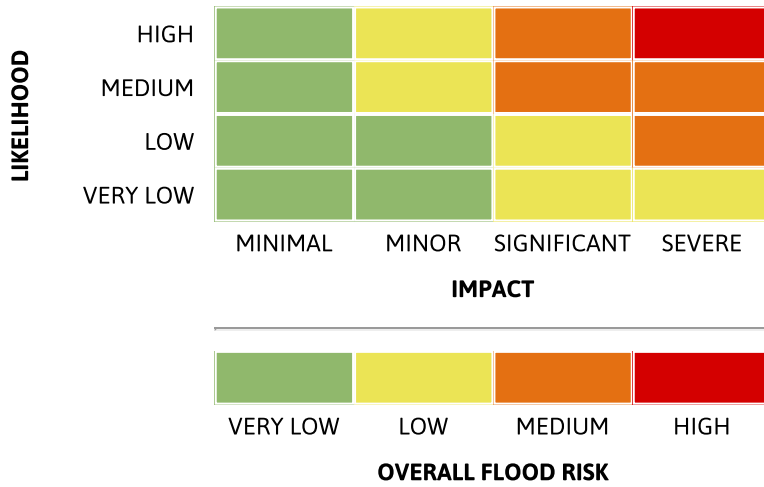
### Groundwater

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

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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 **15:30hrs Monday 23 October 2023 (all times are local)**

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

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