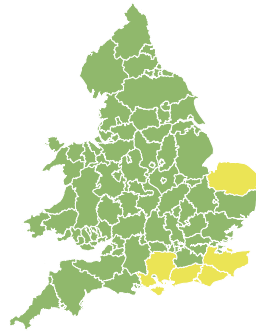
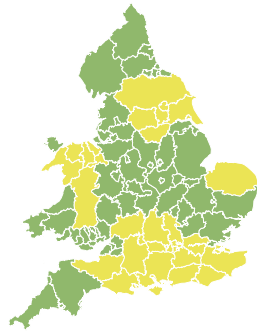
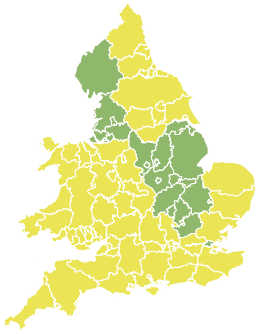


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Thursday

2 Nov 2023 10:30-23:59
Trend since last FGS

Steady →

Friday

3 Nov 2023

Steady →

Saturday

4 Nov 2023

Increased ↑

Sunday

5 Nov 2023

Steady →

Monday

6 Nov 2023

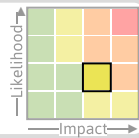
Steady →

Significant inland flooding impacts are possible today (Thursday) and tomorrow due to Storm Ciaran, with some significant coastal flooding impacts possible but not expected today. The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Thursday 02 November 2023

RISK AREA A

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



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Heavy rain and wind blown debris through Thursday could lead to flooding impacts

RISK AREA B

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

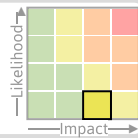


Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Heavy rain and wind blown debris Thu into Fri could lead to flooding impacts

RISK AREA C

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

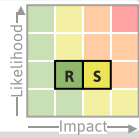


Source Surface
Likely duration 1 Day

Heavy rain may lead to surface water impacts.

RISK AREA D

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



Source River Surface
Likely duration 1 Day

Rain and showers continuing.

RISK AREA E

Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

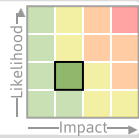


Source River
Likely duration 1 Day

River levels responding from recent rain.

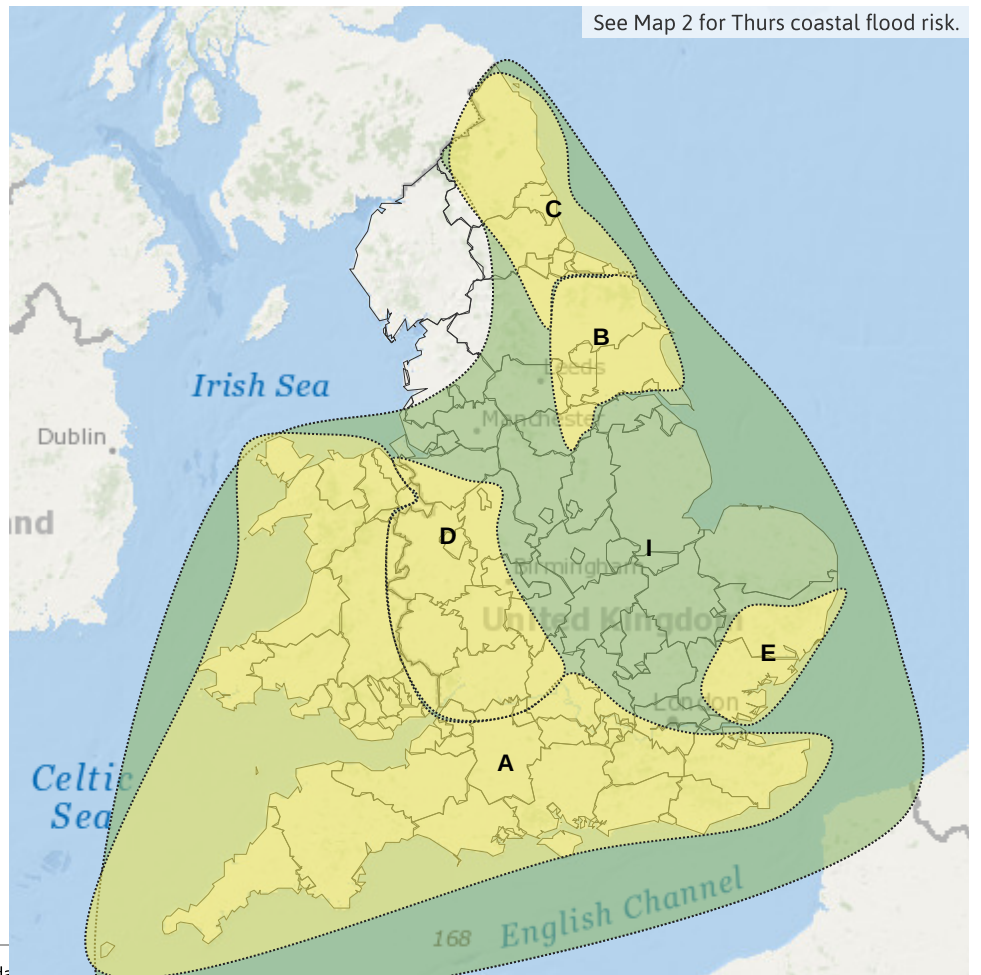
RISK AREA I

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



Source River Surface
Likely duration 3 Days

Rain/showers on sensitive catchments



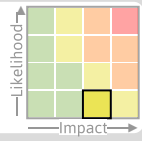
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Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 - Thursday 02 November 2023

RISK AREA G

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

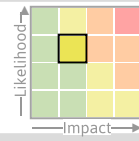


Source Coastal/Tidal
Likely duration 1 Day

Large waves and onshore gales may lead to some significant coastal flooding today.

RISK AREA H

Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source Coastal/Tidal
Likely duration 3 Days

High water levels affecting the Norfolk Broads on Thurs, Fri and Sat.

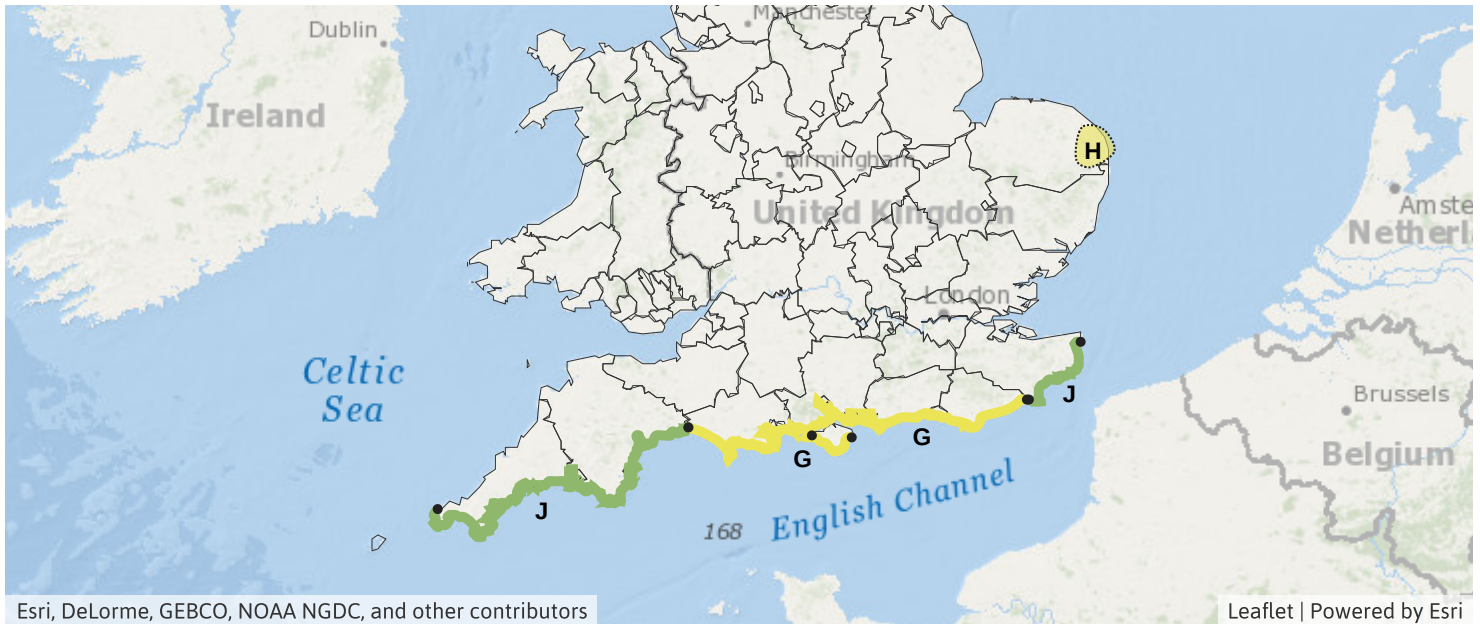
RISK AREA J

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



Source Coastal/Tidal
Likely duration 1 Day

Large waves and onshore gales may lead to some coastal flooding today.



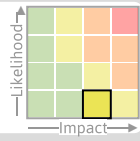
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Specific Areas of Concern Map 3 - Friday 03 November 2023

RISK AREA A

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

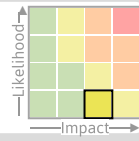


Source River
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding possible following Storm Ciaran

RISK AREA B

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



Source River
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding impacts from recent rain.

RISK AREA F

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

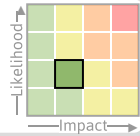


Source River
Likely duration 1 Day

Ongoing river flooding impacts on Friday following Storm Ciaran

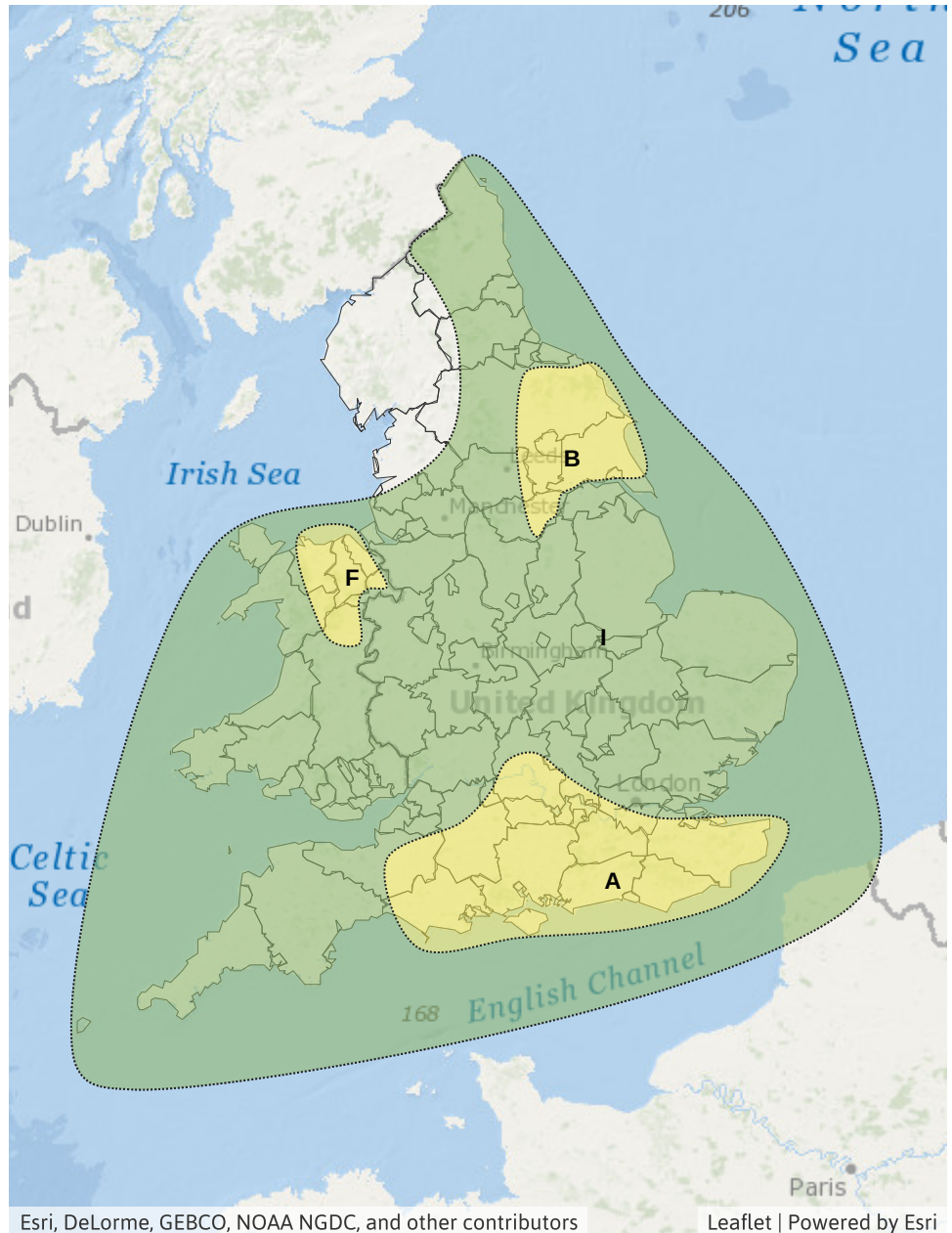
RISK AREA I

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



Source River
Likely duration 3 Days

Ongoing river impacts.



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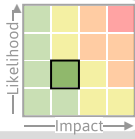
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Specific Areas of Concern Map 4 - Saturday 04 November 2023

RISK AREA I

Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface

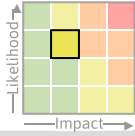
Likely duration 3 Days

Rain/showers on sensitive catchments

RISK AREA K

Impact **MINOR**

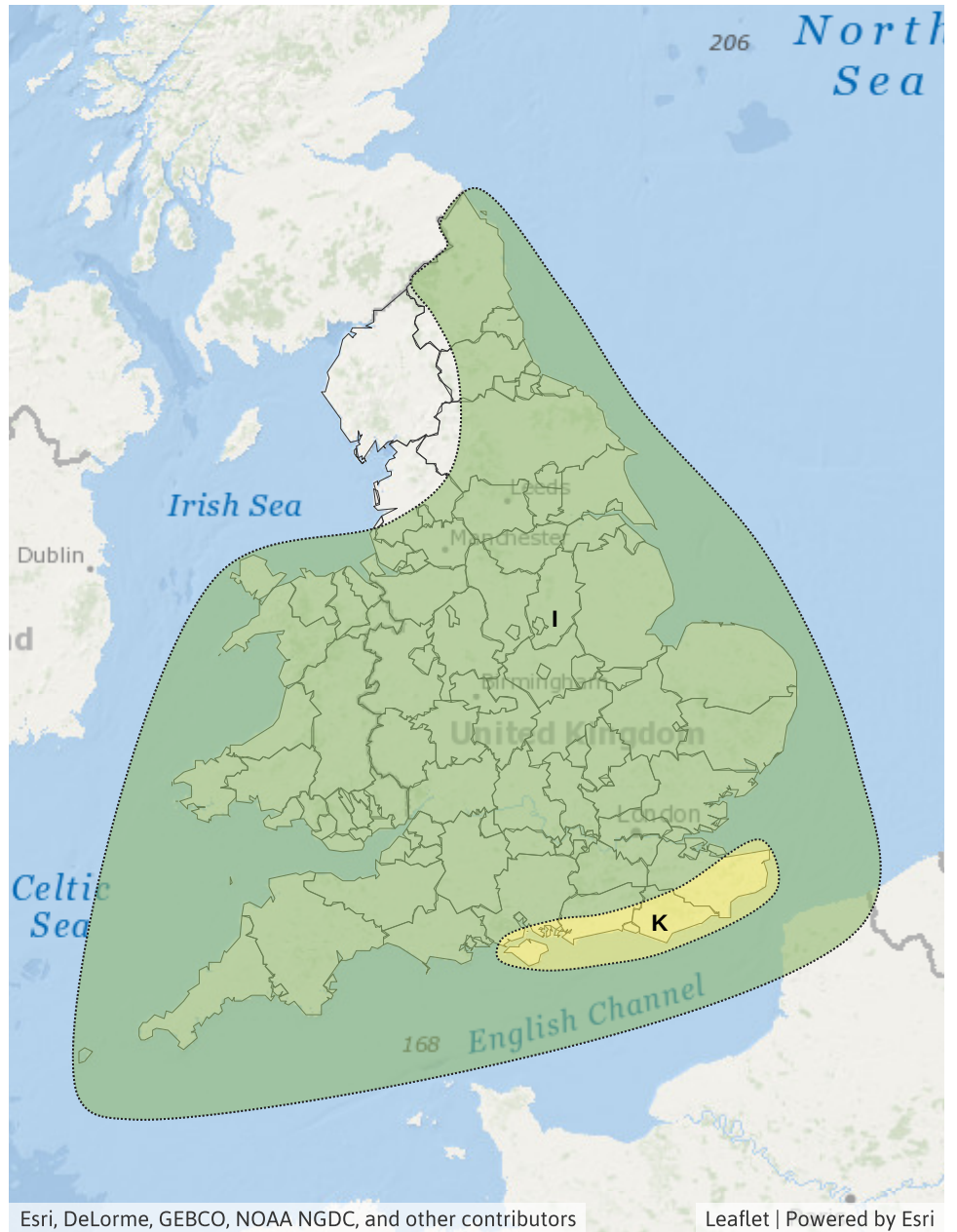
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River Surface

Likely duration 1 Day

Heavy rain then frequent heavy showers.



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW.

Significant surface water flooding impacts are possible today (Thursday) in response to rain from Storm Ciaran. Minor surface water flooding impacts are also possible more widely today.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable on Saturday for parts of South East England, and are possible but not expected more widely, due to further rain or showers. See Specific Areas of Concern Maps.

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



Rivers

The river flood risk is LOW.

Significant river flooding impacts are possible today (Thursday) and tomorrow in response to rain from Storm Ciaran with minor river flooding impacts possible more widely.

Minor river flooding impacts are probable on Saturday for parts of South East England, and are possible more widely, due to further rain or showers.

See Specific Areas of Concern Maps.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is LOW.

Significant coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected along parts of the south coast of England today (Thursday) due to large waves and onshore gales from Storm Ciaran. Minor impacts are possible more widely on the south coast of England. See Specific Areas of Concern Maps.

Minor coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected along parts of the Yorkshire and North East of England coasts today.

High water levels will affect the Norfolk Broads today, Friday and Saturday.



Groundwater

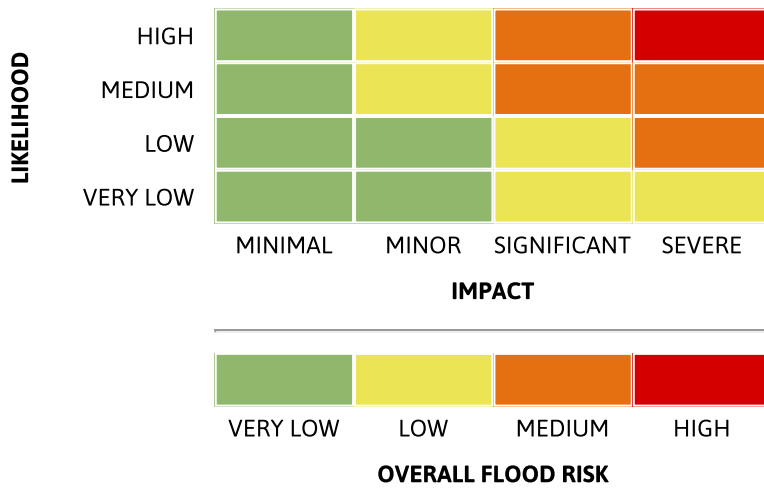
The groundwater flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

Minor groundwater flooding impacts are possible but not expected from Sunday in parts of West Sussex as groundwater levels increase following recent heavy rainfall.

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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 Friday 03 November 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>