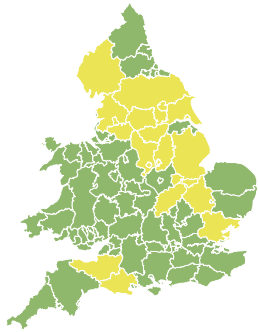


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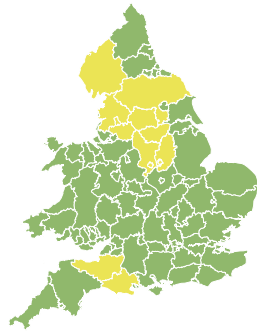


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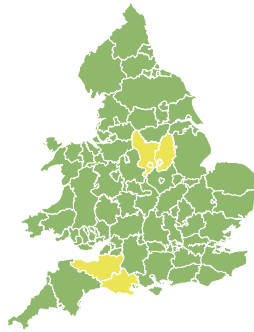
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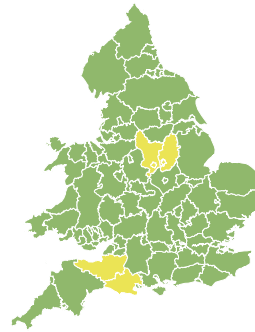
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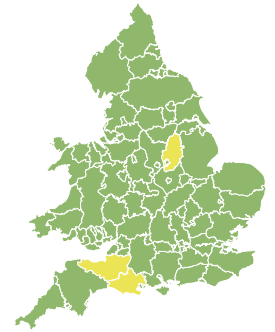
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Tuesday

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Wednesday

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Significant river flooding impacts are possible but not expected today and tomorrow in parts of the North of England. Minor inland flooding impacts are also probable more widely, especially today and tomorrow. The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Saturday 09 December 2023 (northern map)

RISK AREA A
Impact **SIGNIFICANT**
Likelihood **VERY LOW**

Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Significant flooding impacts are possible today and tomorrow

RISK AREA C
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

Source River
Likely duration 5 + Days

Minor river flooding probable, restricted to Nottinghamshire by Wednesday

RISK AREA D
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Flooding probable through Saturday and Sunday.

RISK AREA E
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

Source Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Persistent rain falling on wet ground through Saturday and Sunday

RISK AREA G
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

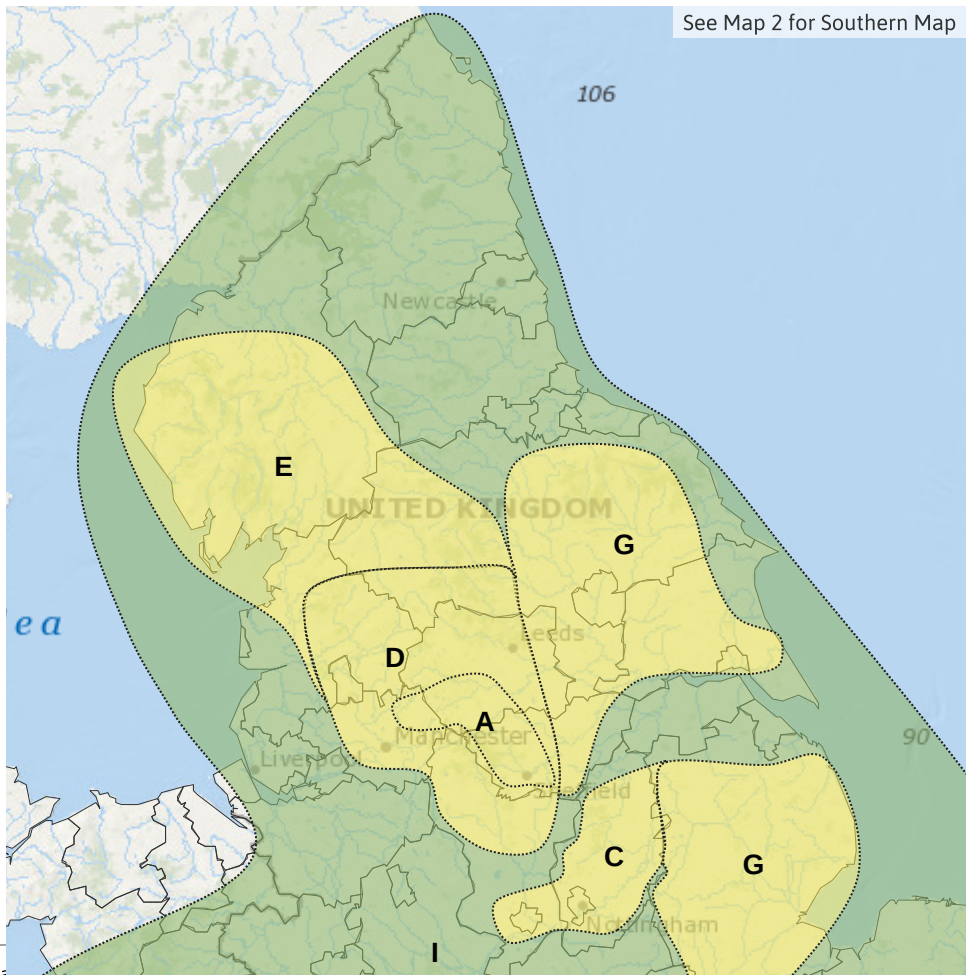
Source River
Likely duration 1 Day

River flooding is probable on Saturday

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

Source River Surface
Likely duration 5 + Days

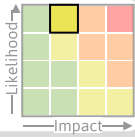
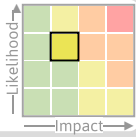
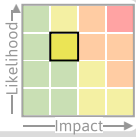
River and surface water flooding possible through Saturday

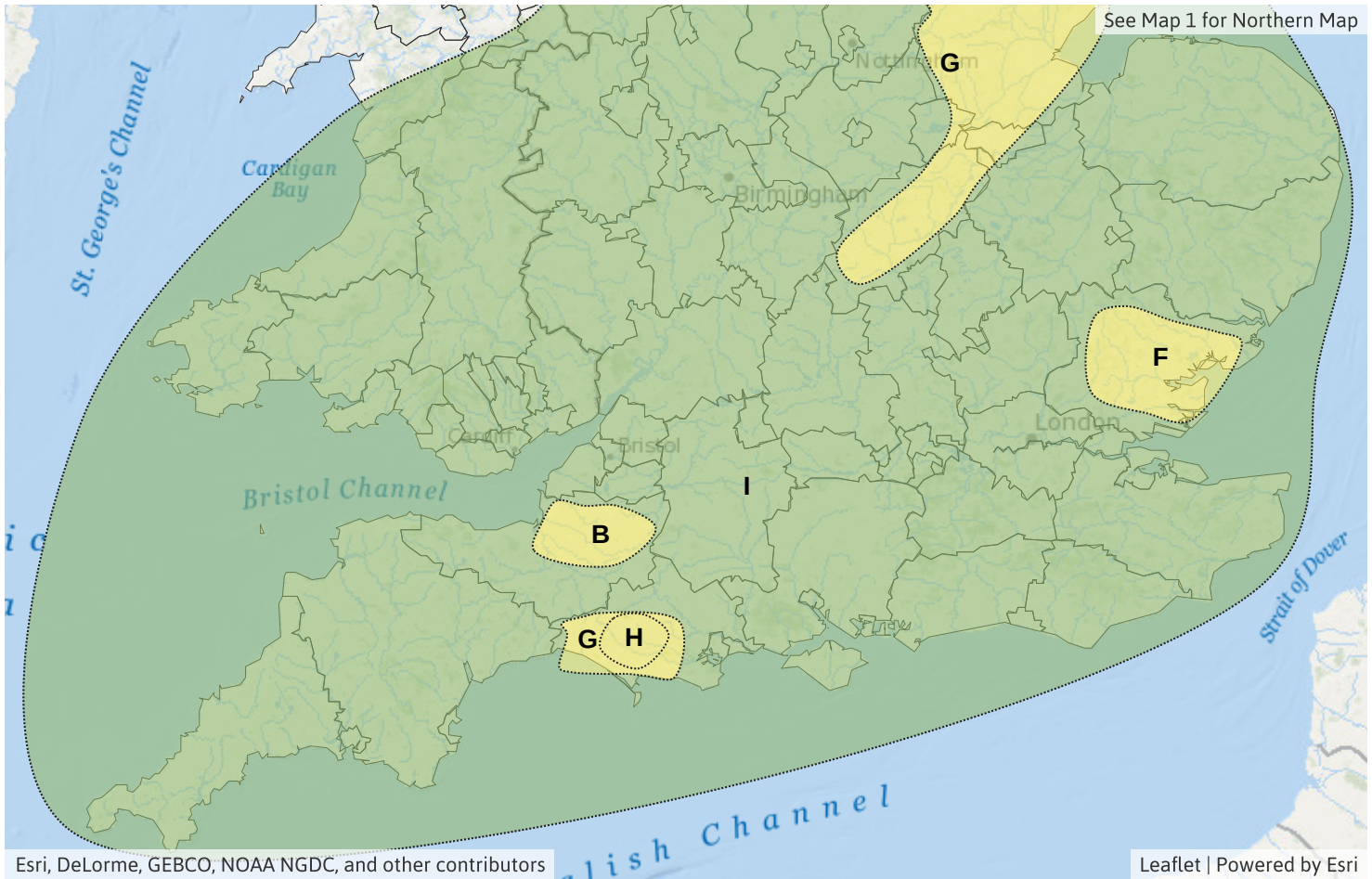


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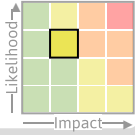
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Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 - Saturday 09 December 2023 (southern map)

<p>RISK AREA B Impact MINOR Likelihood HIGH</p>  <p>Source River Likely duration 5 + Days</p> <p>Minor flooding impacts are expected to continue for the next five days.</p>	<p>RISK AREA F Impact MINOR Likelihood MEDIUM</p>  <p>Source River Likely duration 2 Days</p>	<p>RISK AREA G Impact MINOR Likelihood MEDIUM</p>  <p>Source River Likely duration 1 Day</p> <p>River flooding is probable on Saturday</p>
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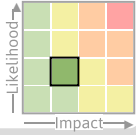
RISK AREA H
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source Ground
Likely duration 5 + Days

Groundwater flooding probable in parts of West Dorset

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



Source River Surface
Likely duration 5 + Days

River and surface water flooding possible through Saturday

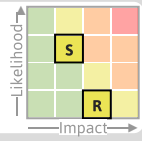
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Specific Areas of Concern Map 3 - Sunday 10 until Wednesday 13 December 2023

RISK AREA A

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

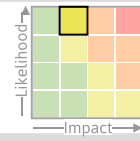


Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Significant flooding impacts are possible today and tomorrow

RISK AREA B

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



Source River
Likely duration 5 + Days

Minor flooding impacts are expected to continue for the next five days.

RISK AREA C

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

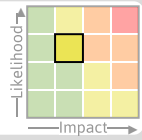


Source River
Likely duration 5 + Days

Minor river flooding probable, restricted to Nottinghamshire by Wednesday

RISK AREA D

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



Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Flooding probable through Saturday and Sunday.

RISK AREA E

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



Source Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Persistent rain falling on wet ground through Saturday and Sunday

RISK AREA F

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



Source River
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing river flooding is possible on Sunday.

RISK AREA H

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



Source Ground
Likely duration 5 + Days

Groundwater flooding probable in parts of West Dorset

RISK AREA I

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

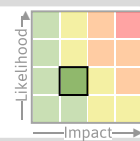


Source River
Likely duration 5 + Days

Ongoing river flooding possible until Wednesday

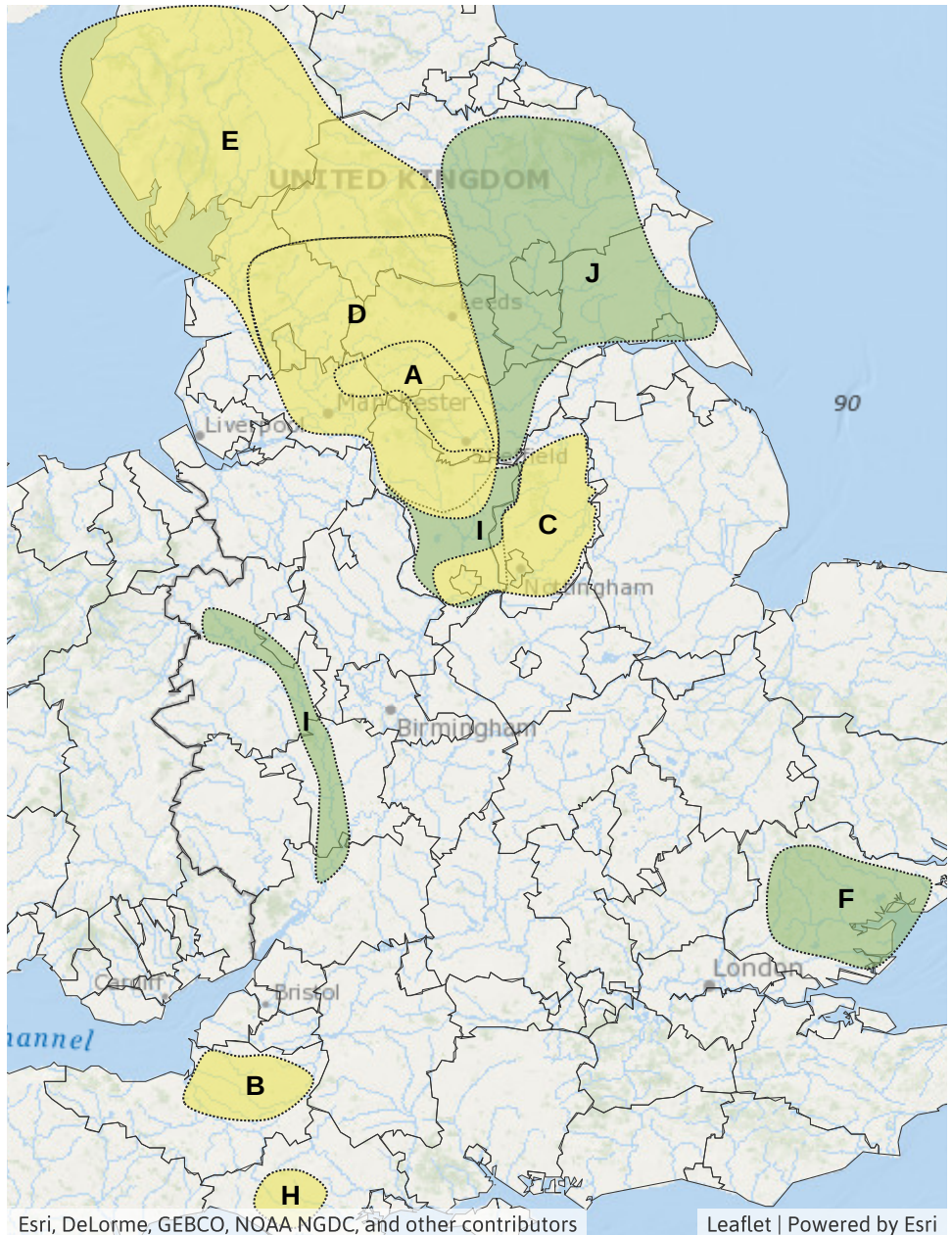
RISK AREA J

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



Source River
Likely duration 2 Days

Ongoing downstream river flooding impacts are possible into Monday



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Assessment of flood risk



Rivers

The river flood risk is LOW.

Significant river flooding impacts are possible but not expected today and tomorrow in parts of the North of England with minor river flooding impacts probable more widely over the weekend with some impacts persisting into next week. See Areas of Concern Maps.



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable in parts of the North of England on Saturday and Sunday and are possible more widely on Saturday across England and Wales. See Areas of Concern Maps.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected from Sunday to Tuesday across much of England and Wales.

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



Groundwater

The groundwater flood risk is LOW.

Minor groundwater flooding is probable in parts of West Dorset from today (Saturday) and is possible but not expected until at least Wednesday in other parts of Dorset, Wiltshire and West Sussex.



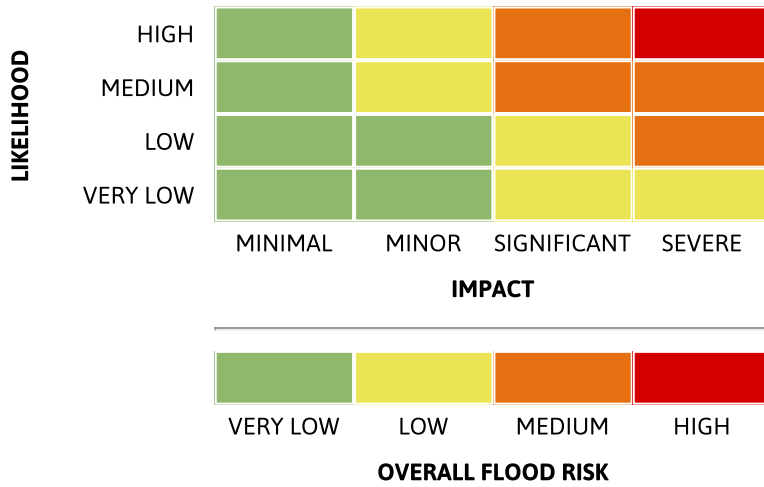
Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal 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 10 December 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>