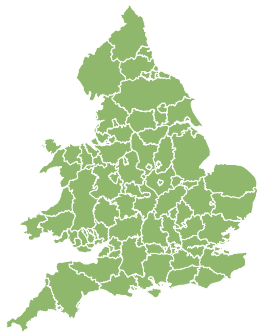


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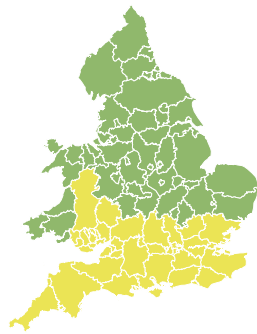


Wednesday

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Trend since last FGS

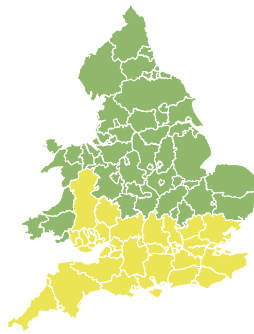
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Thursday

8 Feb 2024

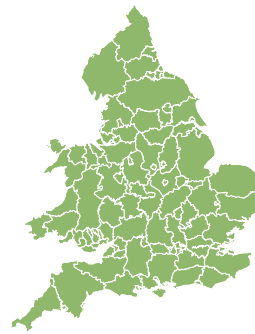
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Friday

9 Feb 2024

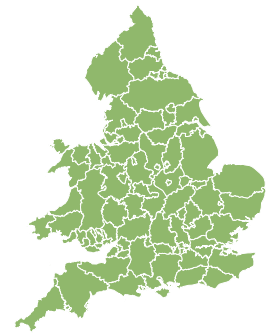
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Saturday

10 Feb 2024

Steady



Sunday

11 Feb 2024

Increased



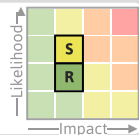
Minor surface water flooding is probable for parts of the South of England on Thursday and Friday. Minor river and surface water flooding impacts are also possible at times across parts of England and Wales on Thursday and Friday. The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Thursday 8 February 2024.

RISK AREA A

Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



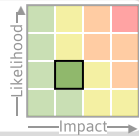
Source River Surface
Likely duration 2 Days

Surface flooding impacts probable during successive bands of heavy rain.

RISK AREA B

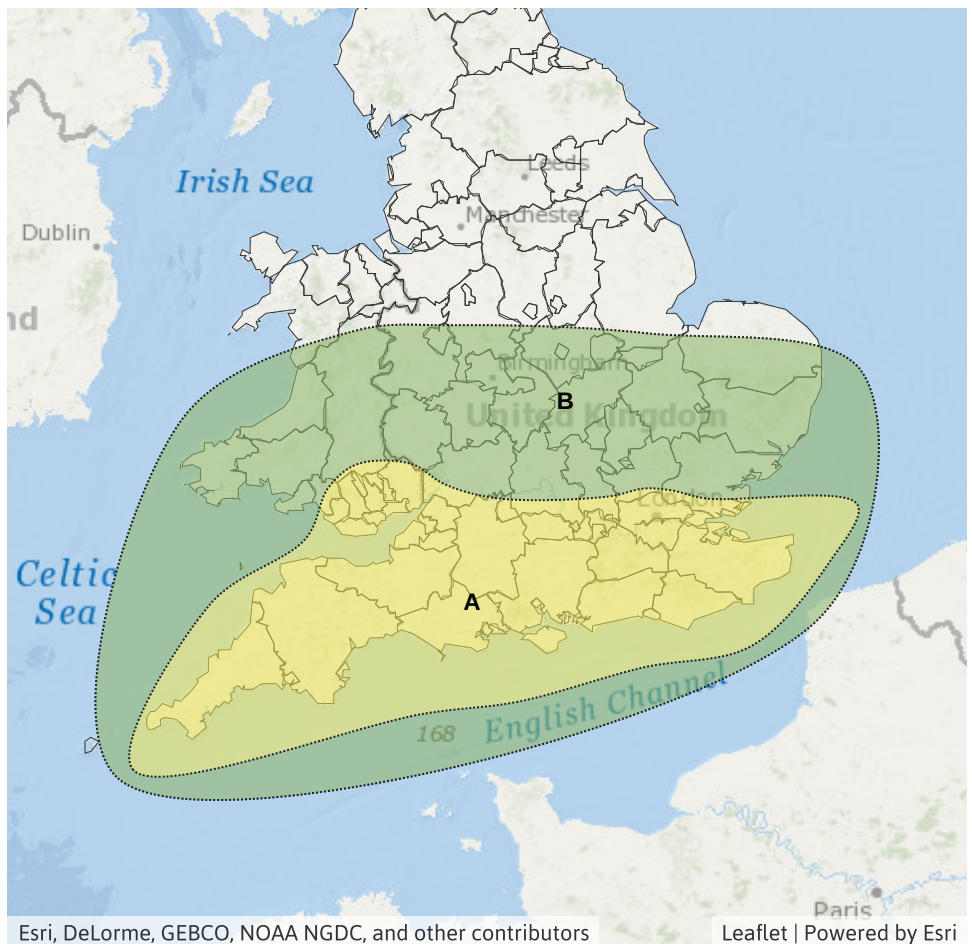
Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface
Likely duration 1 Day

Spells of heavy and persistent rain at times through Thursday.



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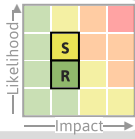
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Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 - Friday 9 February 2024.

RISK AREA A

Impact **MINOR**

Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River Surface

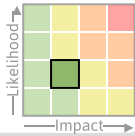
Likely duration 2 Days

Surface flooding impacts probable during successive bands of heavy rain .

RISK AREA C

Impact **MINOR**

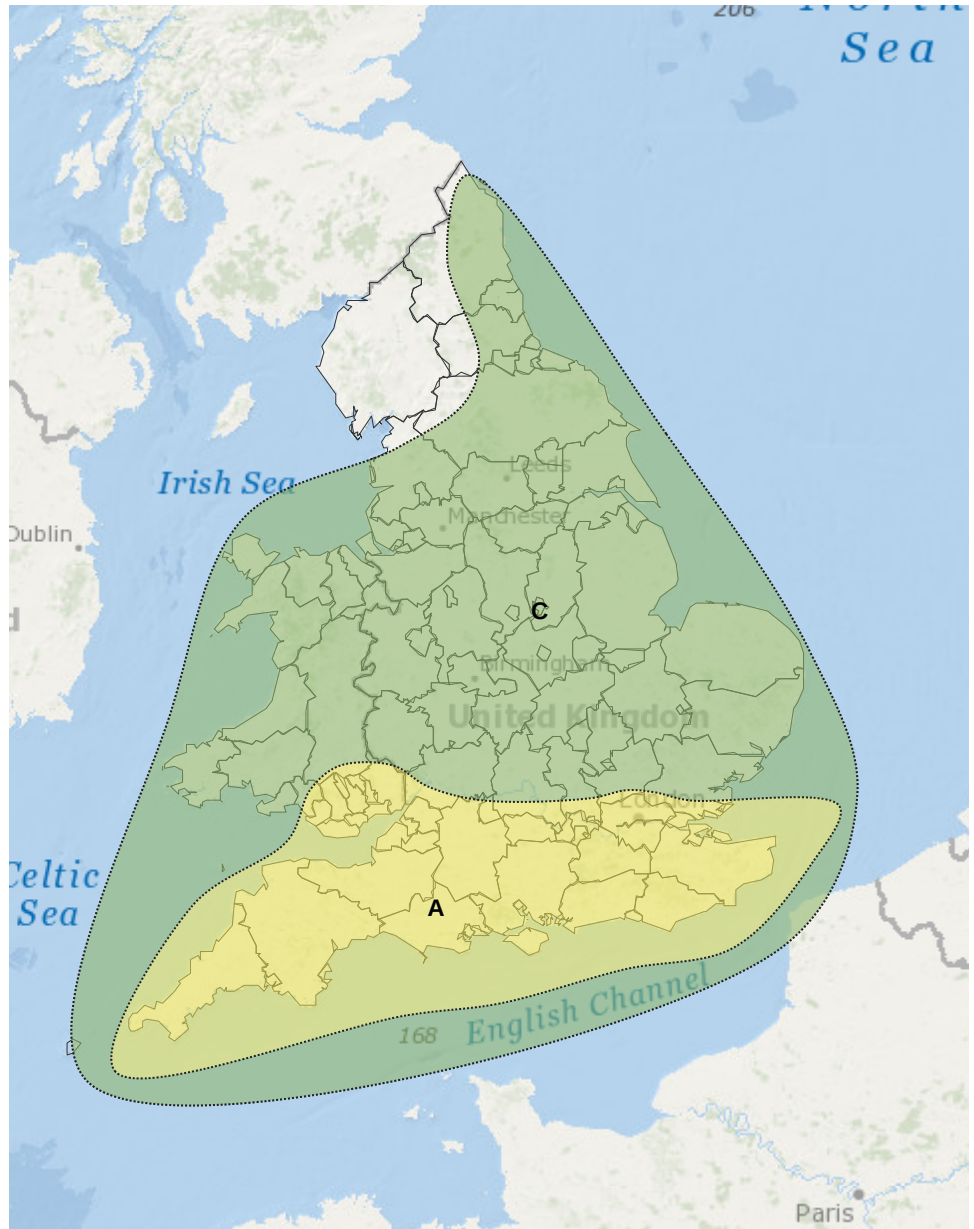
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface

Likely duration 1 Day

Spells of heavy and persistent rain at times, with snowmelt adding to runoff in places.



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Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW for Thursday and Friday.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable on Thursday and Friday for the South of England and possible across other parts of England and Wales. (see Specific Areas of Concern Maps).

Minor impacts are also possible but not expected more widely across parts of England and Wales on Thursday and Friday and across parts of the North and East of England and the Midlands on Saturday and Sunday. This is due to several periods of heavy and persistent rainfall and snowmelt.

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 VERY LOW for the next five days.

Minor river flooding impacts are possible from Wednesday to Friday (see Specific Areas of Concern Maps).

Minor impacts are also possible but not expected more widely across parts of England and Wales on Thursday and Friday and across parts of the North and East of England and the Midlands on Saturday and Sunday. This is due to several periods of heavy and persistent rainfall, and snowmelt.



Coastal/Tidal

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

Minor coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected for parts of the South coast of England on Friday due to the potential for strong southerly winds, surge and large waves, and are also possible but not expected for parts of the South Wales coast and the North West coast of England on Sunday.



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 **10:30hrs Thursday 08 February 2024 (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>