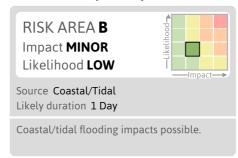


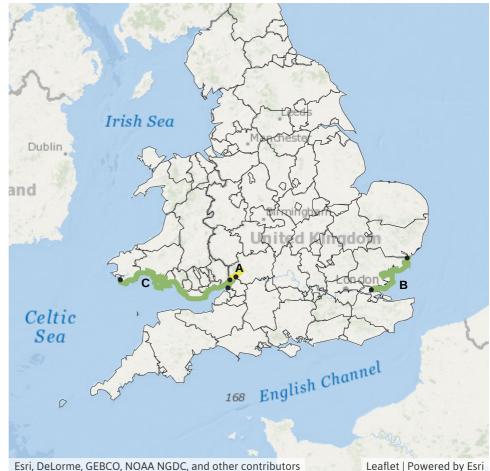
Minor coastal flooding impacts are probable in the Severn Estuary and possible for parts of England and Wales today (Wednesday). The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Wednesday 10 April 2024









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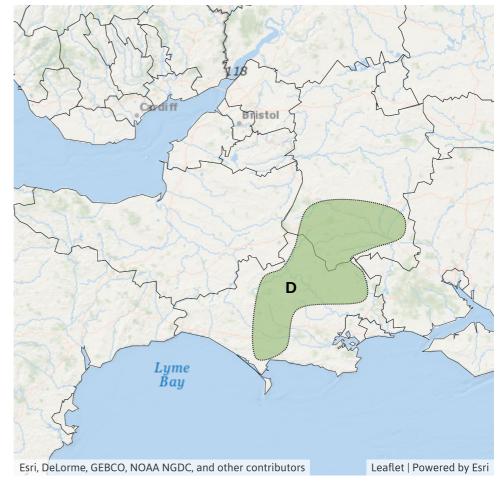






Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 - Wednesday 10 to Sunday 14 April 2024





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Assessment of flood risk



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is LOW for today (Wednesday).

Minor tidal flooding impacts due to high spring tides are probable in the Severn Estuary today and possible for other parts of England and Wales. See Specific Areas of Concern Map.

Minor tidal flooding impacts are also possible but not expected for other parts of England and Wales today (Wednesday) and the East of England on Thursday.



Groundwater

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

Minor groundwater impacts are possible in Dorset and Wiltshire, (see Specific Areas of Concern Map) and possible but not expected in parts of Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire, throughout the next five days.

The level of the ongoing disruption caused by groundwater flooding in Hampshire is being managed and awareness is high. Consequently the groundwater flood risk is being assessed as VERY LOW in Hampshire for the next five days.



Surface water

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

Minor surface water flooding is possible but not expected today (Wednesday) and on Thursday across parts of England and Wales due to further rain.

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 but not expected today (Wednesday) and on Thursday across parts of England and Wales due to further rain.

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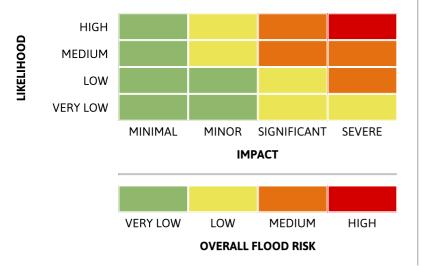
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Flood risk matrix



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 11 April 2024 (all times are local)

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