

The overall flood risk for England and Wales is VERY LOW for the next five days.

Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

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

Minor surface water impacts are possible but not expected across parts of England on Thursday.

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



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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected across parts of England on Thursday.



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.

Flood Guidance Statement

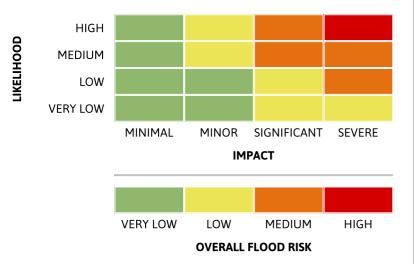
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Flood risk matrix



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 16 August 2024 (all times are local)

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More information https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/flood-forecasting-centre