Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Saturday 21 December 2024

FLOOD FORECASTING CENTRE

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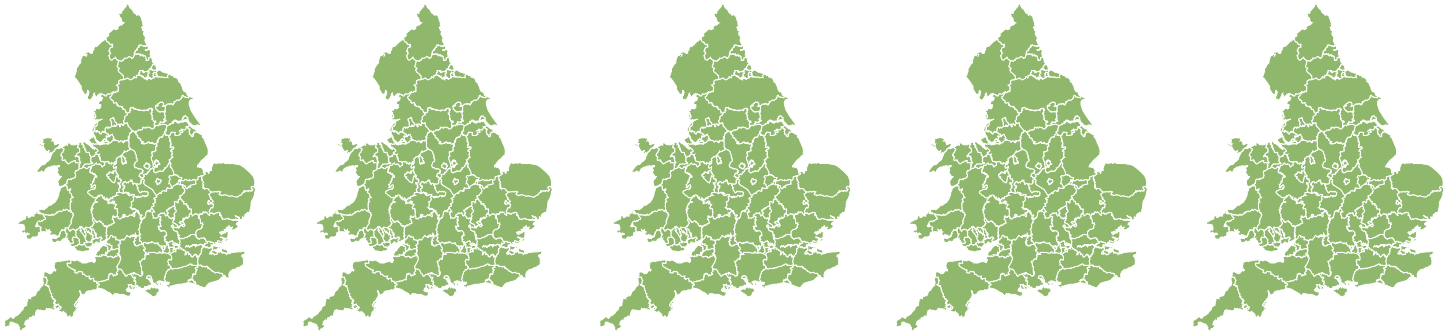
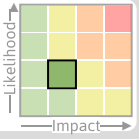


Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
21 Dec 2024 10:30-23:59	22 Dec 2024	23 Dec 2024	24 Dec 2024	25 Dec 2024
Trend since last FGS				
Steady →	Steady →	Steady →	Steady →	Steady →

Minor river and coastal/tidal flooding impacts are possible on Sunday and Monday in the East of England. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Sunday 22 and Monday 23 December 2024

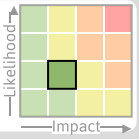
RISK AREA **A**
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**



Source Coastal/Tidal
Likely duration 2 Days

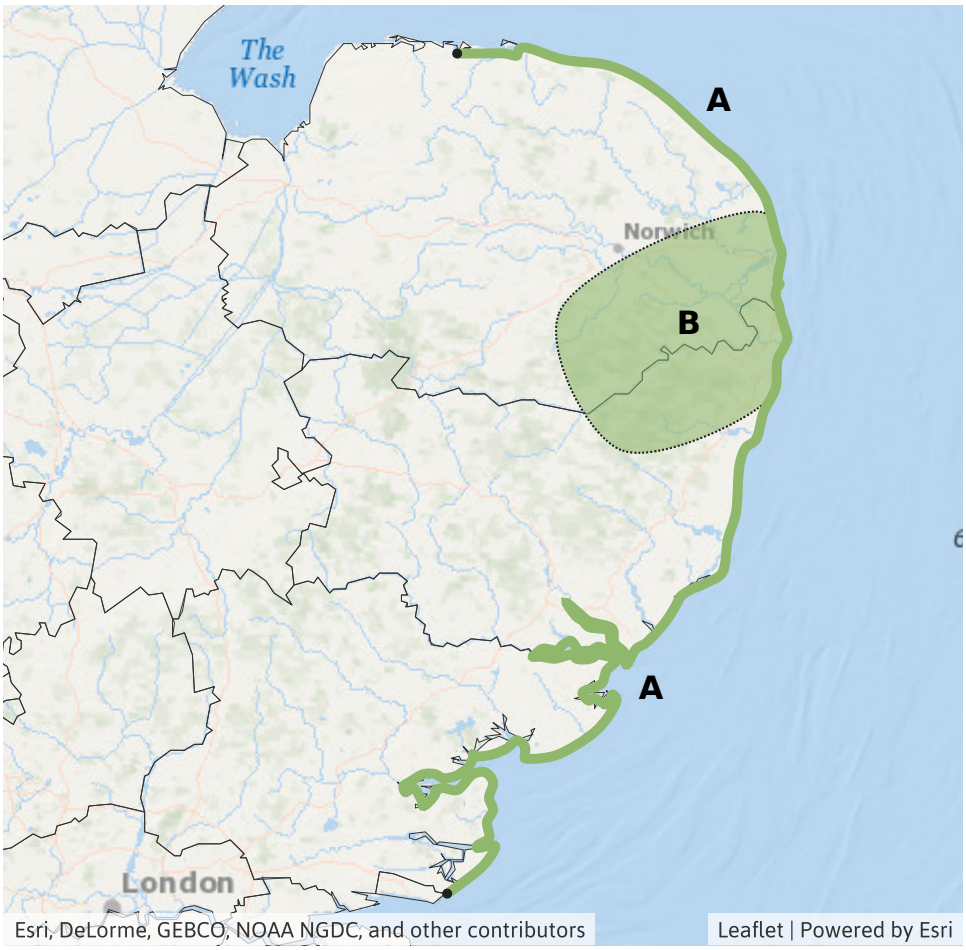
Minor coastal flooding impacts possible from large storm surge.

RISK AREA **B**
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Coastal/Tidal
Likely duration 2 Days

Large storm surge bringing potential for impacts to The Broads.



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Assessment of flood risk

Coastal/Tidal

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

Minor coastal flooding impacts are possible on Sunday and Monday due to a large storm surge and tide-locking in parts of the East of England. See Specific Areas of Concern Map.

Rivers

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

Minor river flooding impacts are possible in the Norfolk and Suffolk Broads on Sunday and Monday due to tide-locking and recent rainfall. See Specific Areas of Concern Map.

Surface water

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

Groundwater

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

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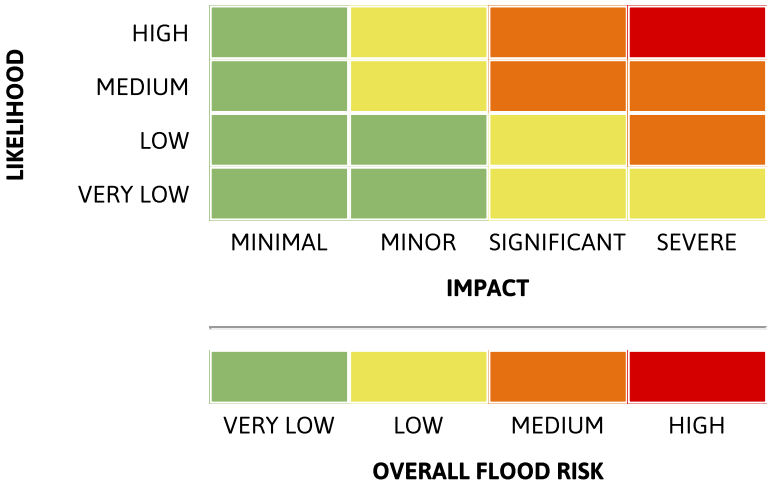
Flood risk matrix



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 Sunday 22 December 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**

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