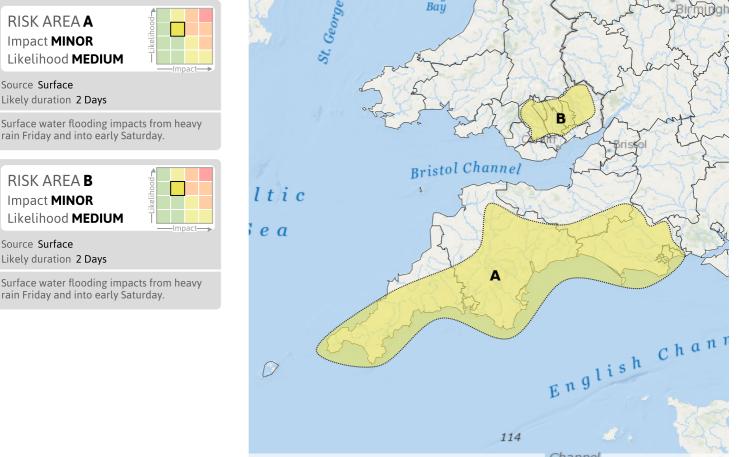


Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable in parts of South West England and South Wales today (Friday) and into tomorrow morning. The overall flood risk for England and Wales is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Friday 18 and Saturday morning 19 April 2025



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Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW today (Friday) and tomorrow morning (Saturday).

Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable in parts of South West England and South East Wales today and overnight into tomorrow morning due to heavy rain. See Specific Areas of Concern Map.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are also possible but not expected more widely across South Wales, South West England, Hampshire and Isle of Wight.

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.



🔹 Coastal/Tidal

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



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

Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Friday 18 April 2025

Flood risk matrix HIGH MEDIUM LOW VERY LOW MINIMAL MINOR SIGNIFICANT SEVERE IMPACT VERY LOW HIGH



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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 Saturday 19 April 2025 (all times are local)

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OVERALL FLOOD RISK

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