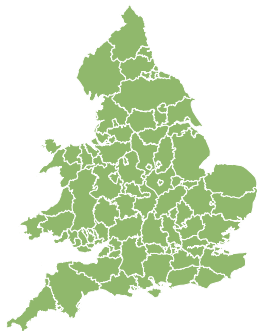


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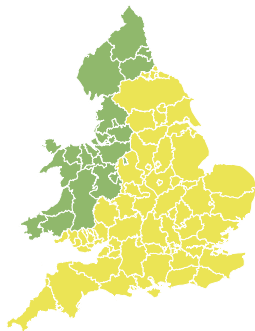


Wednesday

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Trend since last FGS

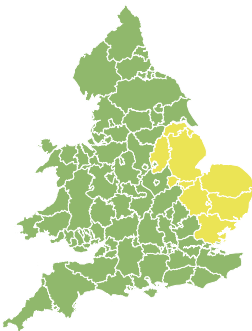
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Thursday

23 Oct 2025

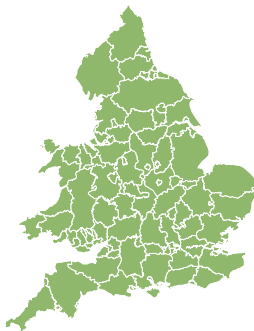
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Friday

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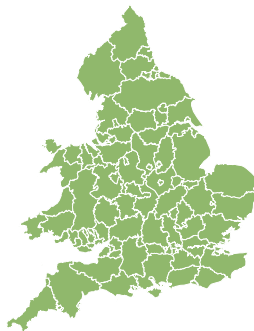
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Saturday

25 Oct 2025

Steady



Sunday

26 Oct 2025

Steady



Minor inland flooding impacts are probable on Thursday and Friday in parts of England and Wales. Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible more widely in England and Wales from Wednesday evening to Friday. The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Late Wednesday 22 to Friday 24 October 2025

RISK AREA A
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**

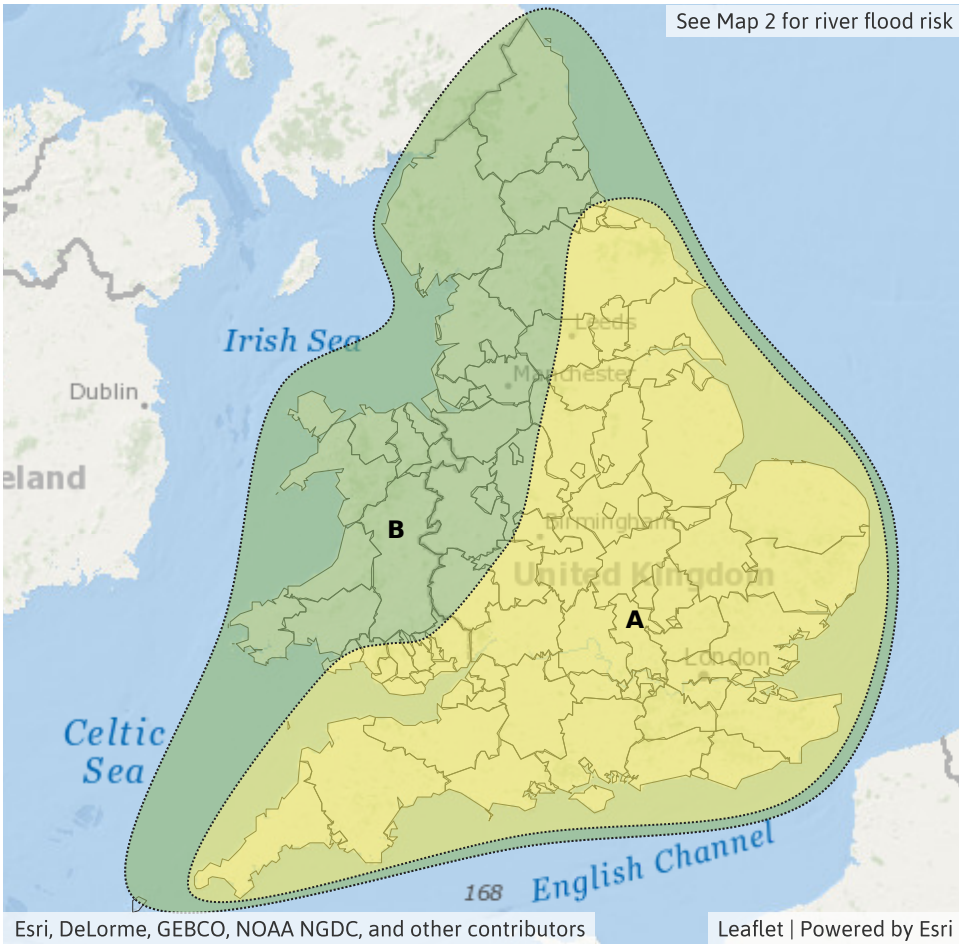
Source Surface
Likely duration 1 Day

Surface water impacts on Thursday from heavy rain with Storm Benjamin

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

Source Surface
Likely duration 3 Days

Heavy rain may bring surface water impacts from Wednesday evening until Friday.



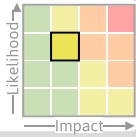
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Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 - Thursday 23 to Friday 24 October 2025

RISK AREA C
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **MEDIUM**



Source River
Likely duration 2 Days

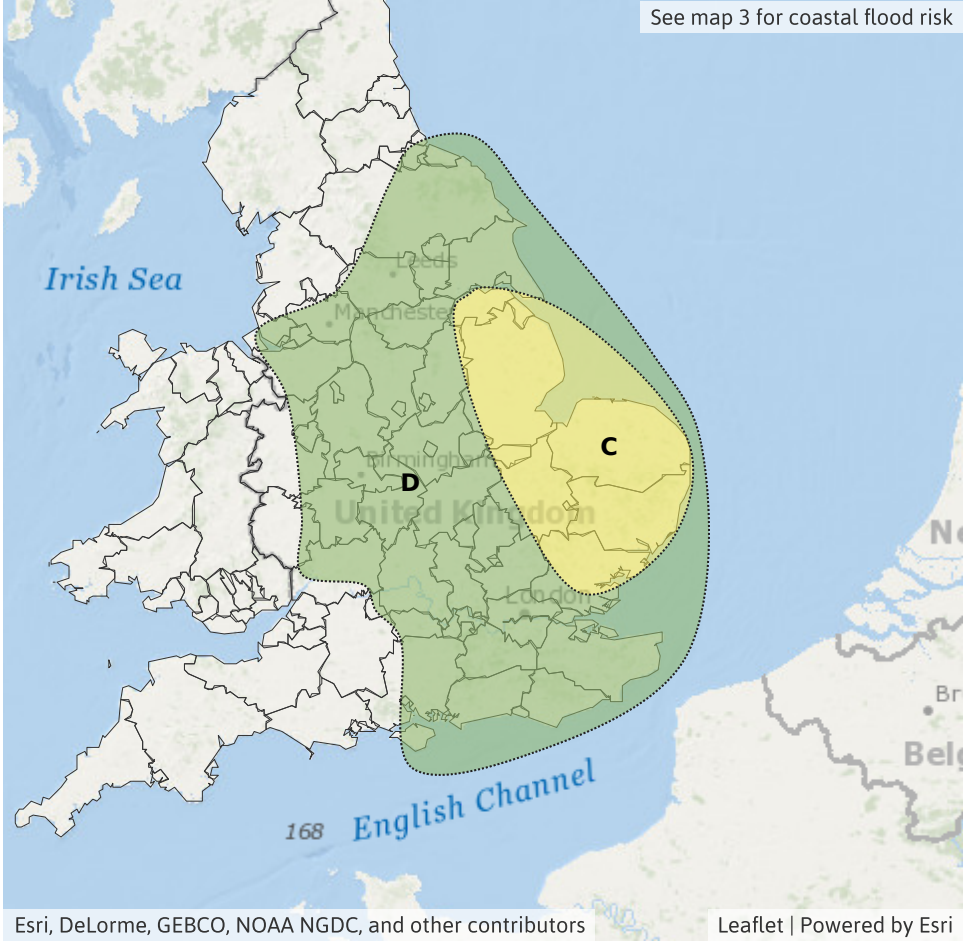
Localised river flooding resulting from heavy persistent rain

RISK AREA D
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**



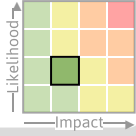
Source River
Likely duration 2 Days

Widespread rain may bring localised river flooding impacts



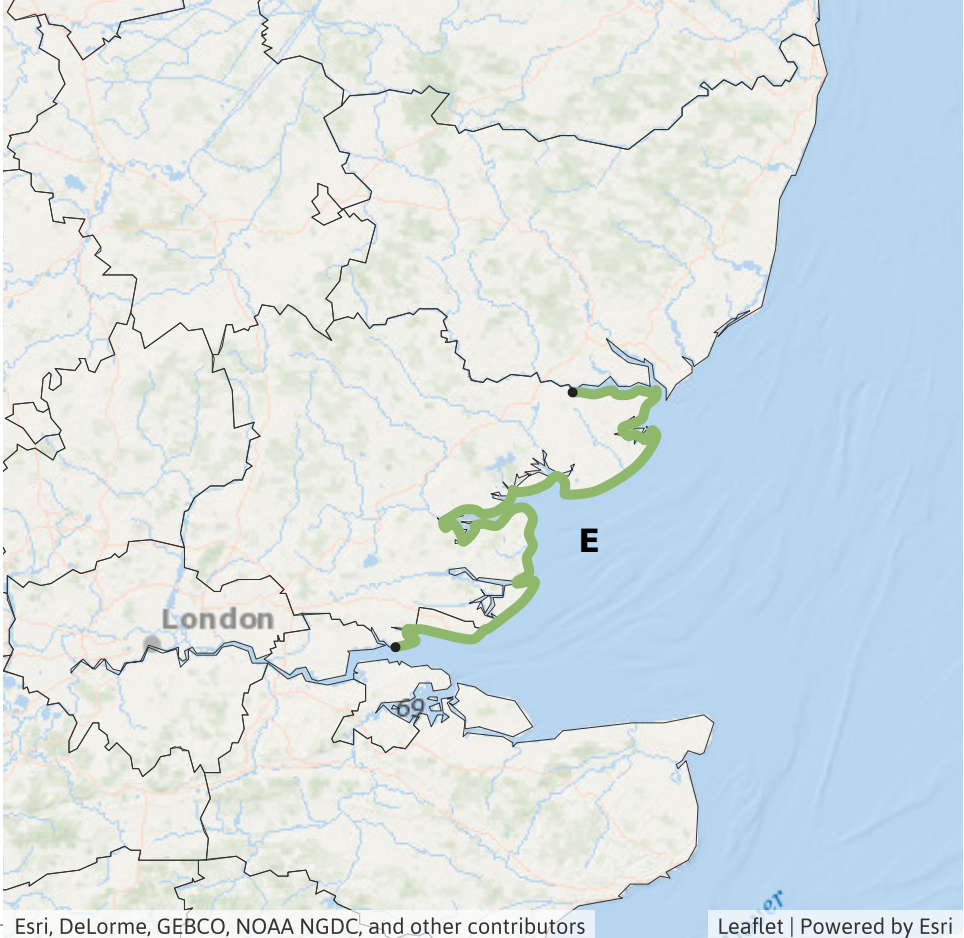
Specific Areas of Concern Map 3 - Saturday 25 October 2025

RISK AREA E
Impact **MINOR**
Likelihood **LOW**



Source Coastal/Tidal
Likely duration 1 Day

Large surge down the North Sea coinciding with high tides



Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW for Thursday.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable in parts of England and Wales on Thursday and possible more widely from Wednesday evening to Friday. See Specific Areas of Concern Maps for more details.

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 LOW on Thursday and Friday.

Minor river flooding impacts are probable in parts of England on Thursday and Friday and possible more widely in parts of England. See Specific Areas of Concern Map for more details. Minor river flooding impacts are possible but not expected more widely in England from Thursday and Friday.



Coastal/Tidal

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

Minor coastal impacts are possible on parts of the east coast of England on Saturday (See Specific Area of Concern Maps)

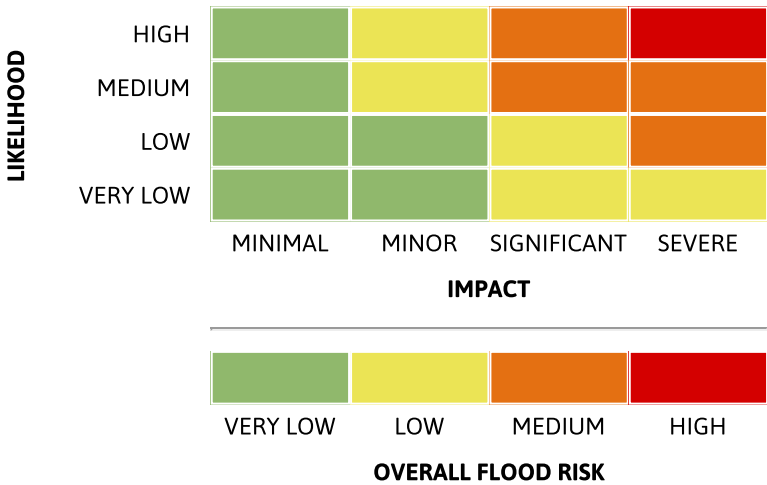
Minimal coastal flooding impacts are possible more widely in England and Wales on Thursday and in England on Friday and Saturday due to high tides and unsettled coastal conditions including large waves and storm surge.



Groundwater

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

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 23 October 2025 (all times are local)**

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