

# Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Saturday 10 January 2026

FLOOD  
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Saturday

10 Jan 2026 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Steady

Sunday  
11 Jan 2026

Steady

Monday  
12 Jan 2026

Steady

Tuesday  
13 Jan 2026

Steady

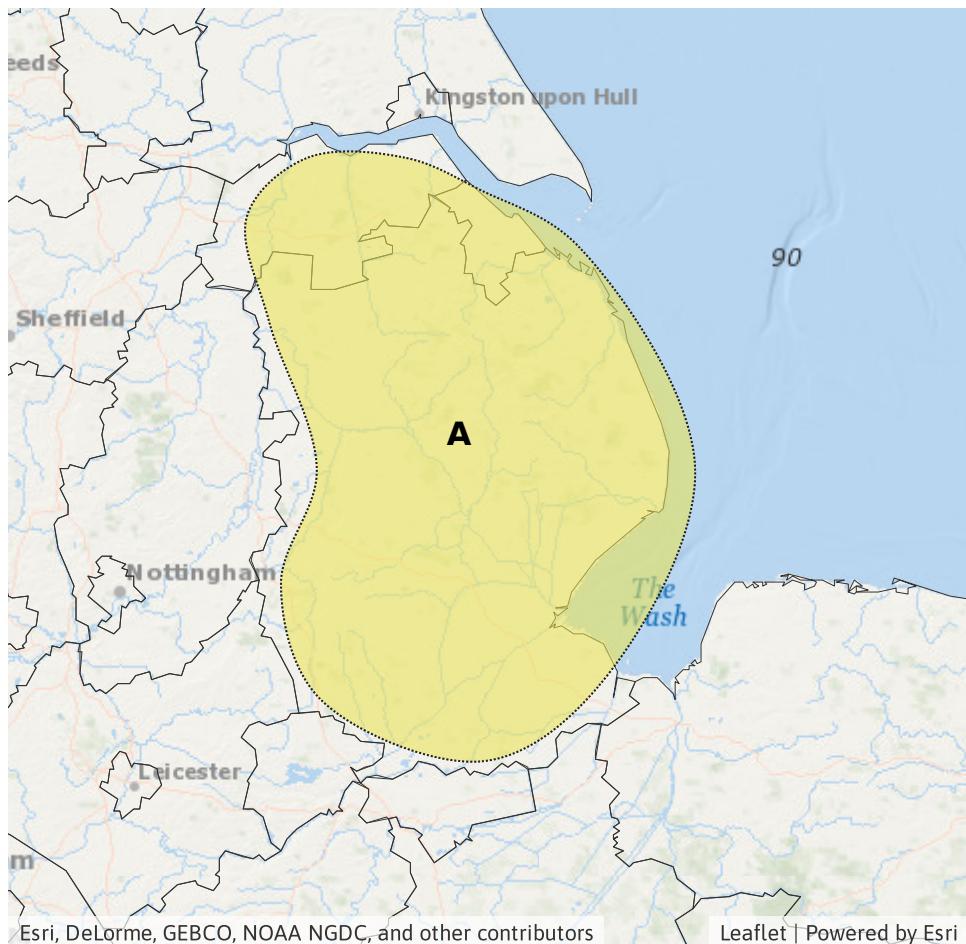
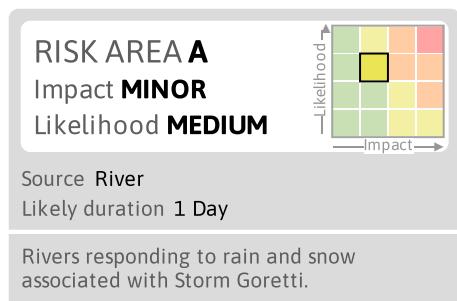
Wednesday  
14 Jan 2026

Steady

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Minor river flooding impacts are probable in parts of the East Midlands today (Saturday), with river and surface water impacts possible more widely. The overall flood risk is LOW.

## Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 - Saturday 10 January 2026



## Assessment of flood risk



### Rivers

The river flood risk is **LOW** today (Saturday).

Minor river flooding impacts are probable in parts of the East Midlands and possible in other parts of the Midlands and the East of England today (Saturday) following heavy rainfall, snow and snowmelt from Storm Goretti. See specific Areas of Concern Map for details.

Minor river flooding is also possible but not expected more widely across parts of England and Wales today and again on Sunday and Monday.



### Surface water

The surface water flood risk is **VERY LOW** for the next 5 days.

Minor surface water flooding is possible but not expected across parts of England and Wales on Sunday and Monday.

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



### Coastal/Tidal

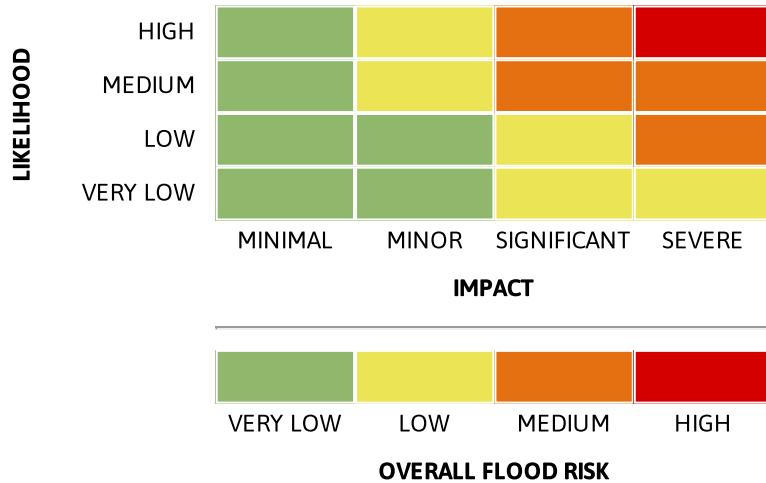
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### Groundwater

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 Sunday 11 January 2026 (all times are local)**

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