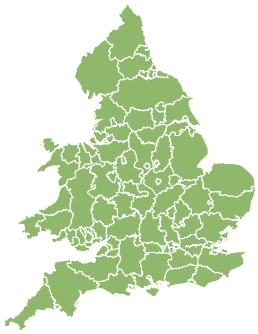
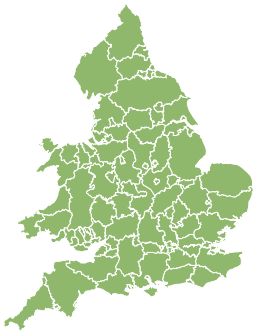
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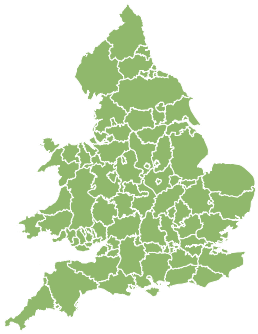
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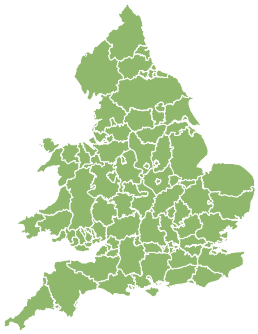
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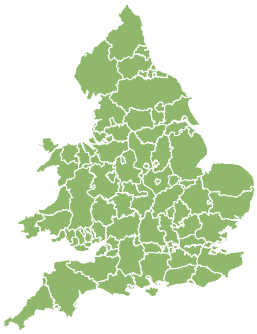
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| Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
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| 18 Nov 2026 10:30-23:59 | 19 Nov 2026 | 20 Nov 2026 | 21 Nov 2026 | 22 Nov 2026 |
| Trend since last FGS | | | | |
| Increased ↑ | Increased ↑ | Steady → | Steady → | Steady → |

Moderate inland flooding impacts are possible but not expected Wednesday into Thursday morning in parts of England and Wales. The overall flood risk for England and Wales is VERY LOW for the next five days.

## Assessment of flood risk

### Rivers

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

Moderate river flooding impacts are possible but not expected today (Wednesday) into Thursday morning in parts of Wales.

### Surface water

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

Moderate surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected today (Wednesday) into Thursday morning in parts of England and Wales.

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

### 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.

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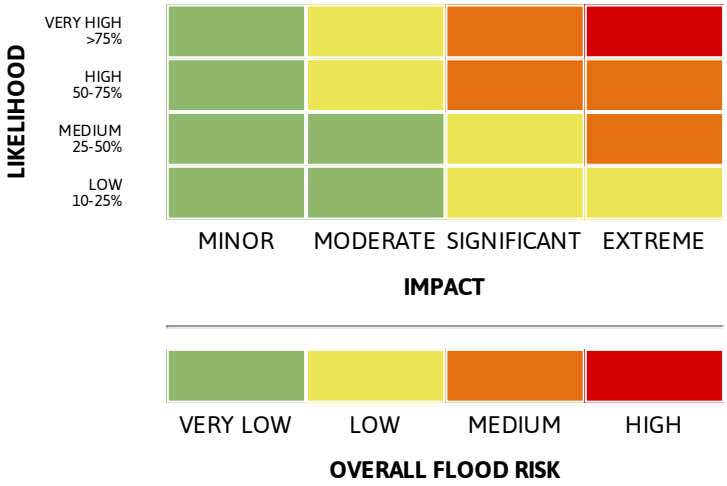
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## Flood risk matrix







## Summary of potential impacts

**MINOR**
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

**MODERATE**
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

**EXTREME**
Danger to life, extreme 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 19 November 2026 (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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