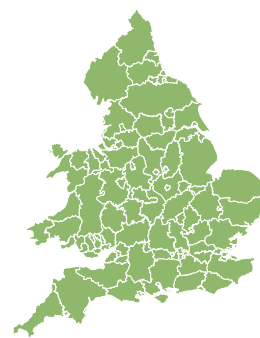
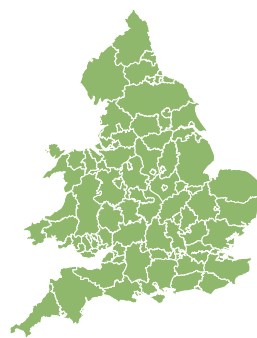
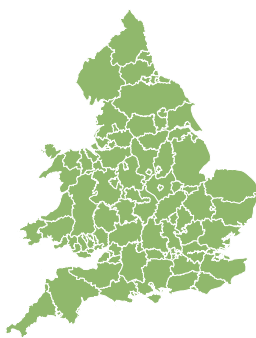
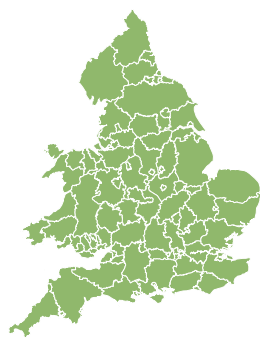
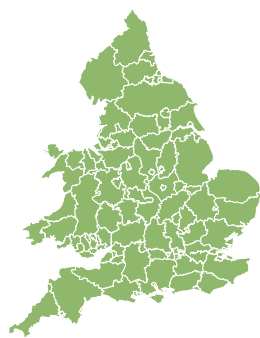


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Monday

5 Mar 2018 10:30-23:59

Trend since last FGS

Steady



Tuesday

6 Mar 2018

Increased



Wednesday

7 Mar 2018

Steady



Thursday

8 Mar 2018

Steady



Friday

9 Mar 2018

Increased



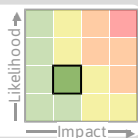
Minor surface water and river flooding impacts are possible in parts of the north-east of England on Tuesday. The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Tuesday 6 March

RISK AREA A

Impact **MINOR**

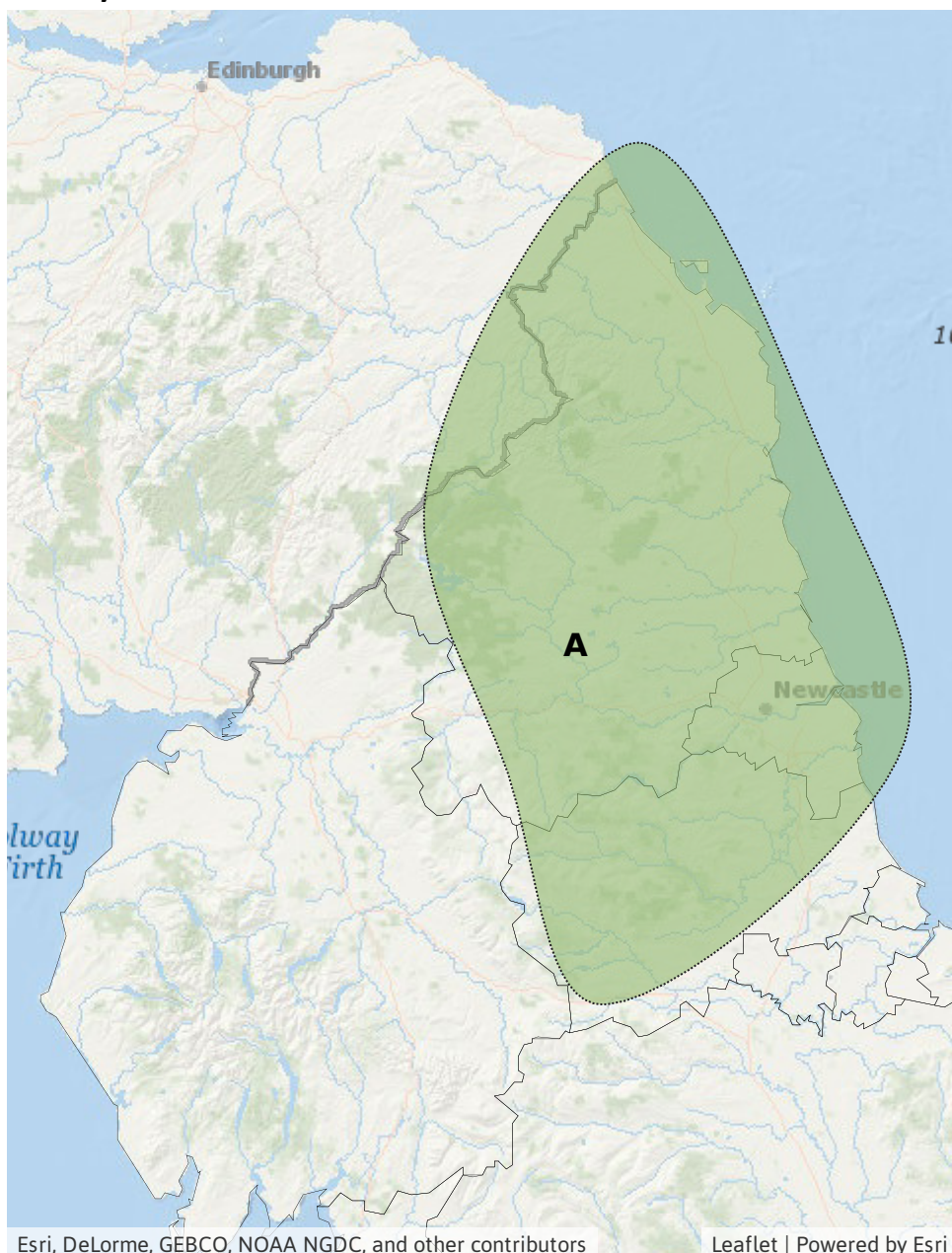
Likelihood **LOW**



Source River Surface

Likely duration 1 Day

Minor impacts possible from a combination of rainfall and snowmelt.



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Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

Minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in parts of the north-east of England during Tuesday - see Area A in Specific Areas of Concern Map 1. This is due to a combination of heavy rain and snowmelt. Locally, ice may impede drainage and exacerbate surface water flooding impacts.

Minor surface water flood impacts are also possible but not expected today (Monday) or Tuesday in other parts of the north of England and parts of south-west and central or southern England and Wales. This is due to a combination of snowmelt and heavy showers.

Minor surface water flooding impacts are also possible but not expected on Friday as heavy rain and strong winds could spread north-east across much of England and Wales.

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



Rivers

Minor river flooding impacts are possible in parts of the north-east of England during Tuesday - see Area A in Specific Areas of Concern Map 1. This is due to a combination of heavy rain and snowmelt.

Some localised minor river flooding is also possible but not expected today (Monday) or Tuesday in south-east Wales, the west Midlands, the south-west of England, and other parts of the north of England from combined snowmelt and rainfall.

Minor river flooding impacts are also possible but not expected on Friday as heavy rain and strong winds could spread north-east across much of England and Wales.

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



Coastal/Tidal

Minor coastal flooding is possible but not expected for parts of the south coasts of England and Wales, as well as the Wye Estuary, during today (Monday). This is mainly due to high astronomical tides but also locally strong winds and waves on the more exposed coasts.

The overall coastal flood risk remains 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

LIKELIHOOD	HIGH				
	MEDIUM				
	LOW				
	VERY LOW				
		MINIMAL	MINOR	SIGNIFICANT	SEVERE
IMPACT					
		VERY LOW	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH
OVERALL FLOOD RISK					

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 Tuesday 06 March 2018 (all times are local)**

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