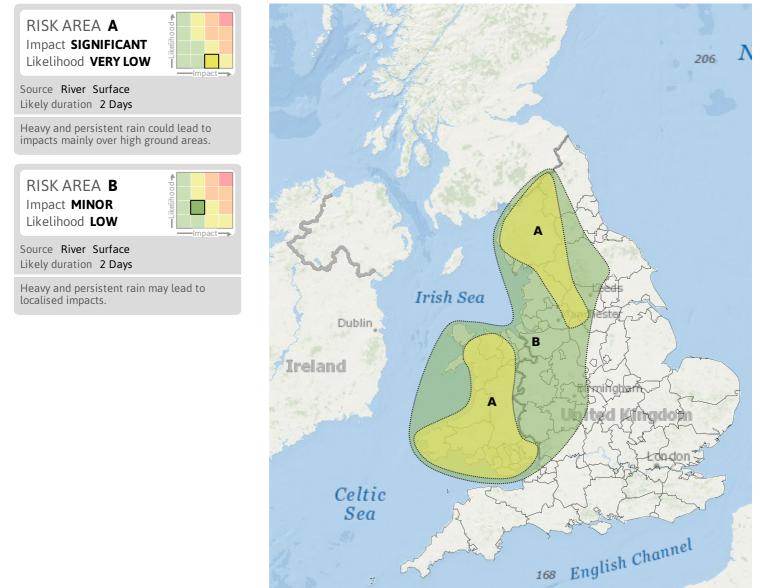


Significant surface water and river flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Friday and Saturday in parts of the north of England and much of Wales. The overall flood risk is LOW.

# Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Friday 25 to Saturday 26 October



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### Assessment of flood risk



The river flood risk is LOW on Friday and Saturday.

Significant river flooding impacts are possible but not expected from later Friday and on Saturday in parts of the north of England and much of Wales. Minor impacts are also possible more widely across northern and central England.

This is due to the potential for heavy and persistent rainfall, particularly over high ground.



### Surface water

The surface water flood risk is LOW on Friday and Saturday.

Significant surface water flooding impacts are possible but not expected from later Friday and on Saturday in parts of the north of England and much of Wales. Minor impacts are also possible more widely across northern and central England.

This is due to the potential for heavy and persistent rainfall, particularly over high ground. Strong winds may exacerbate surface water issues due to leaf fall blocking drains.



## Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days, despite the potential for coastal gales and large waves in the west later Friday and on Saturday.



## Groundwater

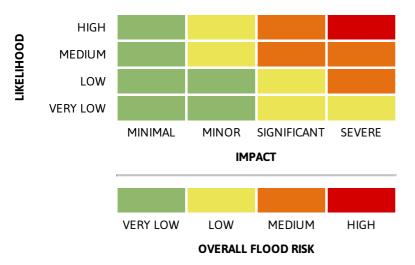
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## Flood risk matrix



### **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 Wednesday 23 October 2019 (all times are local)

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