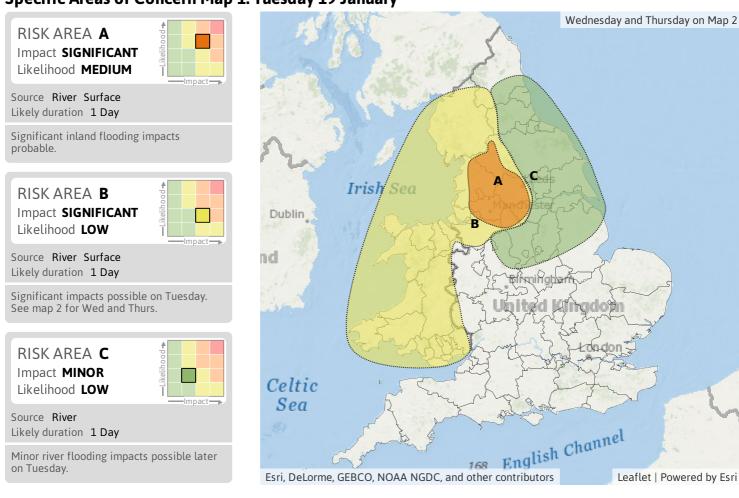
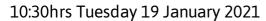


Significant inland flooding impacts are probable today (Tuesday) through to Thursday for parts of northern, central and eastern England. The overall flood risk is MEDIUM.

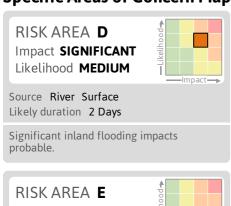
Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Tuesday 19 January





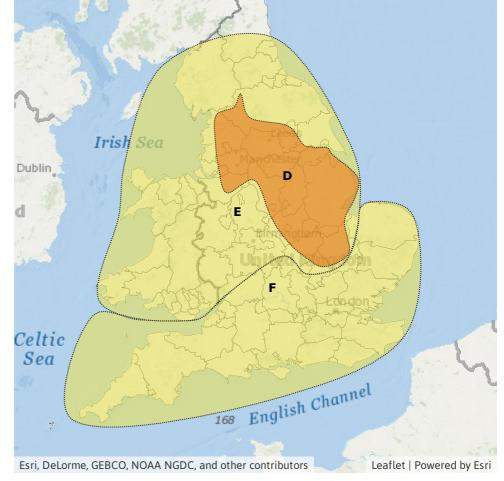


Specific Areas of Concern Map 2: Wednesday 20 and Thursday 21 January





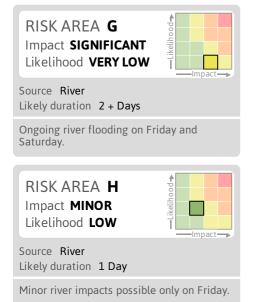


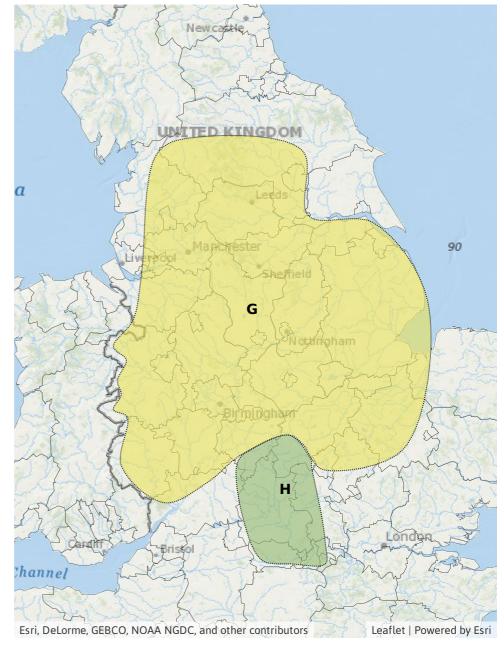


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Specific Areas of Concern Map 3: Friday 22 and Saturday 23 January.





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Assessment of flood risk



The river flood risk is Medium today (Tuesday) through to Thursday.

Significant river flooding impacts are probable for parts of northern England today and then northern, central and eastern England on Wednesday and Thursday.

Significant river flooding impacts are possible across Wales and more widely across parts of central, eastern and northern England from today through to Thursday, continuing through to Saturday for some larger catchments in parts of central and eastern England. Minor river flooding impacts are probable elsewhere across central and southern England on Wednesday and Thursday.



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is Medium today (Tuesday) through to Thursday.

Significant surface water flooding impacts are probable for parts of northern England today, then across northern, central and eastern England on Wednesday and Thursday.

Significant surface water flooding impacts are possible across Wales and more widely across parts of central, eastern and northern England from today to Thursday. Minor surface water flooding impacts are probable elsewhere across central, south-west and south-east of England on Wednesday and Thursday.



Groundwater

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

Minor ground water flooding is possible but not expected in North Yorkshire in the Malton area throughout the next five days. Groundwater levels are also high elsewhere, particularly in parts of the south and east of England.



Coastal/Tidal

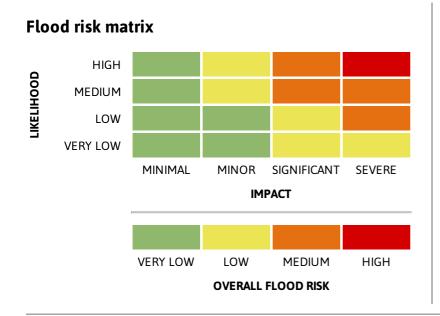
The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days despite coastal gales and large waves for some coasts at times.

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6-10 day forecast

Ongoing river flooding may continue into the outlook period. River catchments and ground conditions will remain sensitive further periods of rain which could result in further river and surface water flooding across parts of England and Wales.



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 15:00hrs Tuesday 19 January 2021 (all times are local)

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