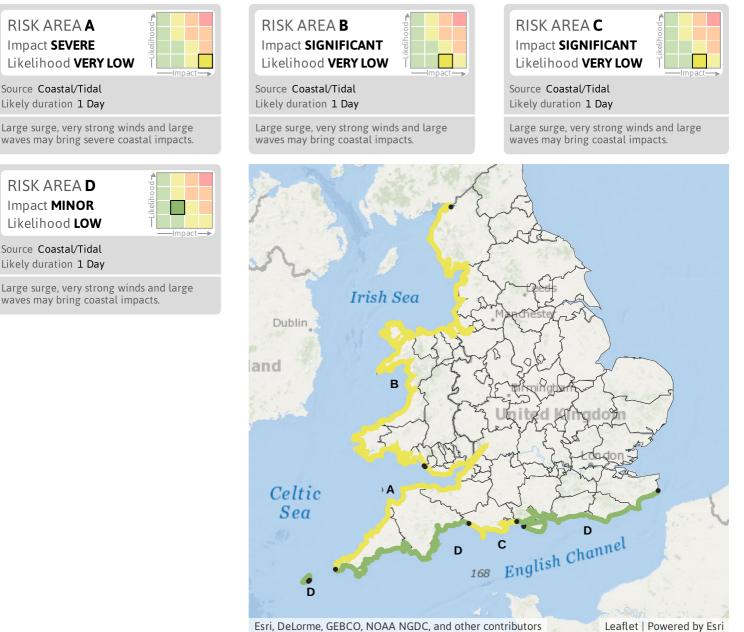


Severe coastal flooding impacts are possible but not expected for parts of south Wales and the south-west coast of England on Friday with significant impacts possible but not expected more widely. The overall flood risk is LOW.

Specific Areas of Concern Map 1: Friday 18 February 2022.



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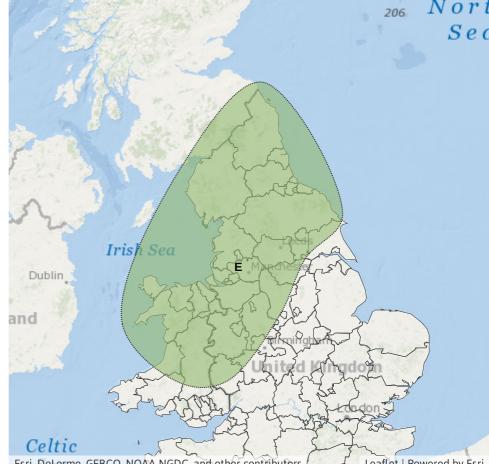
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Specific Areas of Concern Map 2: Thursday 17 and Friday 18 February 2022.



Likely duration 2 Days

Heavy rain brings possible inland flooding impacts on Thursday and Friday.



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Assessment of flood risk



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is LOW on Friday.

Severe coastal/tidal flooding impacts are possible but not expected on Friday for parts of the south coast of Wales and the south-west coast of England, including up the tidal River Severn. Local significant coastal/tidal impacts are possible but not expected on Friday for the rest of the coast of Wales and the west coast of England and locally on the south coast of England, with minor impacts possible for other Channel coasts. See Specific Areas of Concern Map 1 for details.

Local minor coastal/tidal impacts are possible but not expected for parts of the north-west coast of England and north coast of Wales on Wednesday evening into Thursday morning, and also parts of the east coast of England around high tide times from Thursday to Saturday.

This is due to Storm Dudley and Storm Eunice affecting the UK and bringing very windy coastal conditions with some large waves and large surge.



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

Local minor river flooding impacts are possible in parts of the north of England and Wales on Thursday and Friday due to rivers responding to heavy rain. See Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 for details.



Surface water

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

Local minor surface water flooding impacts are possible in parts of the north of England and Wales on Thursday and Friday due to heavy rain falling on wet catchments. See Specific Areas of Concern Map 2 for details.



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

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Flood risk matrix HIGH LIKELIHOOD 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 Wednesday 16 February 2022 (all times are local)

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