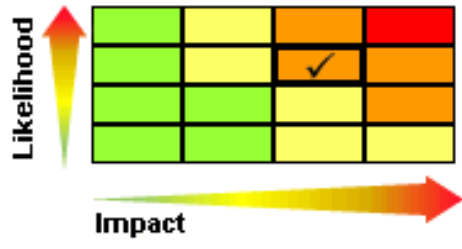
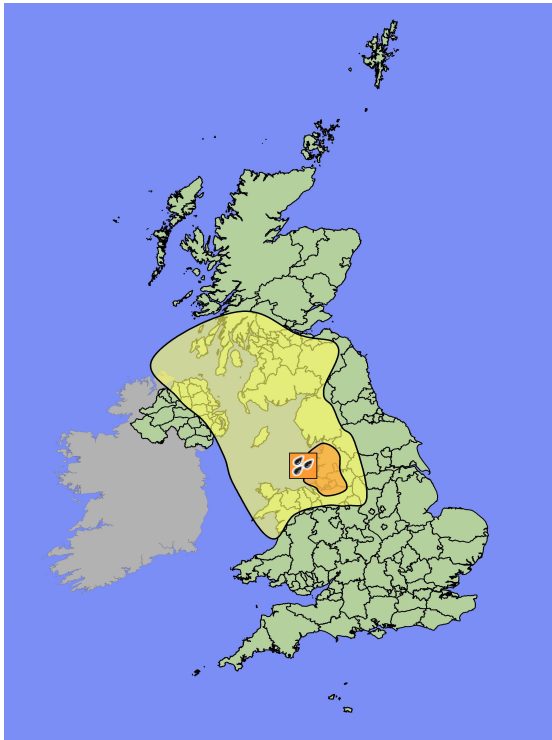


# National Severe Weather Warning Service



**Chief Forecasters Assessment**

An area of low pressure centred across the UK will bring further spells of rain to many regions during Friday before easing away early on Saturday. The heaviest rain will soon clear away from Wales, but a band of persistent and often heavy rain will be slow moving across the northeast of Northern Ireland, far southwest Scotland and western parts of northern England. Totals of 25-50 mm will build up fairly widely with 100 mm possible over the high ground of northern England. The potential for significant disruption is still most likely in the Amber area, which remains unchanged. Meanwhile, localised heavy, thundery downpours are expected to develop over more southern parts of Scotland and could produce 30-40 mm of rain within 3 hours.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning of Rain**

Valid from **11:00 on Fri, 22nd Jun 2012** until **23:59 on Fri, 22nd Jun 2012**

Further heavy rain will affect parts of Northern Ireland, northern England, north Wales and southwest Scotland during the rest of Friday, with some slow moving heavy downpours likely to develop over more southern parts of Scotland. There remains concern that some of the more populated parts northwest England could well experience some exceptionally wet conditions on Friday with winds gusting to over 50 MPH. The public should be prepared for the risk of flooding.

**For more details please go to:**  
[http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/weather/uk/uk\\_forecast\\_warnings.html](http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/weather/uk/uk_forecast_warnings.html)

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For the following areas

- Central, Tayside & Fife
  - Falkirk
  - Stirling
- East Midlands
  - Derbyshire
- North West England
  - Blackburn with Darwen
  - Blackpool
  - Cheshire East
  - Cheshire West and Chester
  - Cumbria
  - Greater Manchester
  - Halton
  - Lancashire
  - Merseyside
  - Warrington
- Northern Ireland
  - County Antrim
  - County Down
  - County Londonderry
- SW Scotland, Lothian Borders
  - Dumfries and Galloway
  - East Lothian
  - Edinburgh
  - Midlothian Council
  - Scottish Borders
  - West Lothian
- Strathclyde
- Argyll and Bute
- East Ayrshire
- East Dunbartonshire
- East Renfrewshire
- Glasgow
- Inverclyde
- North Ayrshire
- North Lanarkshire
- Renfrewshire
- South Ayrshire
- South Lanarkshire
- West Dunbartonshire
- Wales
  - Ceredigion
  - Conwy
  - Denbighshire
  - Flintshire
  - Gwynedd
  - Isle of Anglesey
  - Wrexham
- West Midlands
  - Staffordshire
  - Stoke-on-Trent
- Yorkshire & Humber
  - North Yorkshire
  - South Yorkshire
  - West Yorkshire

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