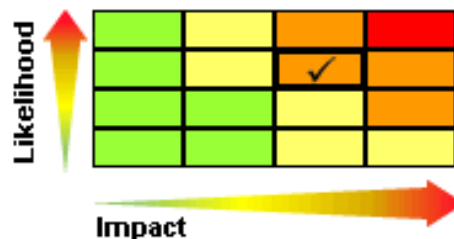
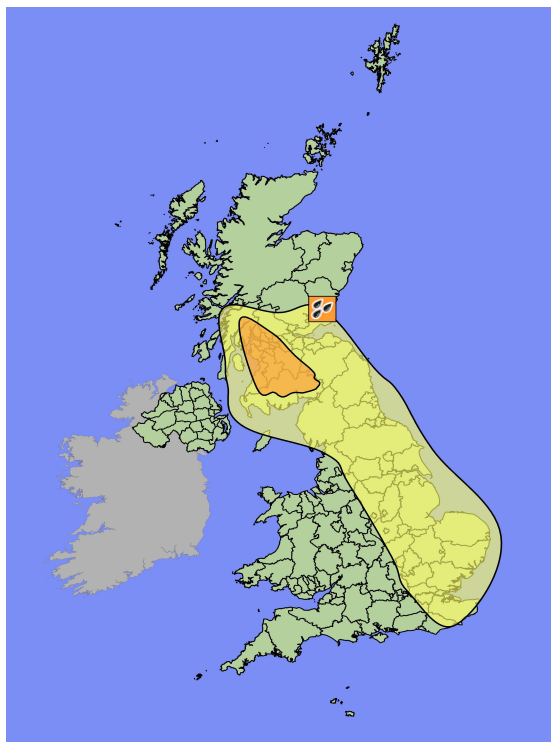




National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

Some places will escape today's showers but where they occur, some large rainfall accumulations will occur: typically 15 to 25 mm in one hour, with a few places exceeding 40 mm in 2 or 3 hours, which would lead to surface water flooding. Hail and thunder will pose additional hazards.

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

Valid from **14:00 on Thu, 05th Jul 2012** until **23:55 on Thu, 05th Jul 2012**

Scattered heavy showers or thunderstorms are likely at times on Thursday, particularly during the afternoon and evening, with the potential for some torrential downpours in places. Southeastern areas of England are at less risk than areas further north, with any showers there tending to clear later.

The public should be aware that these showers, where they occur, may lead to surface water flooding.

For more details please go to:

http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/weather/uk/uk_forecast_warnings.html

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