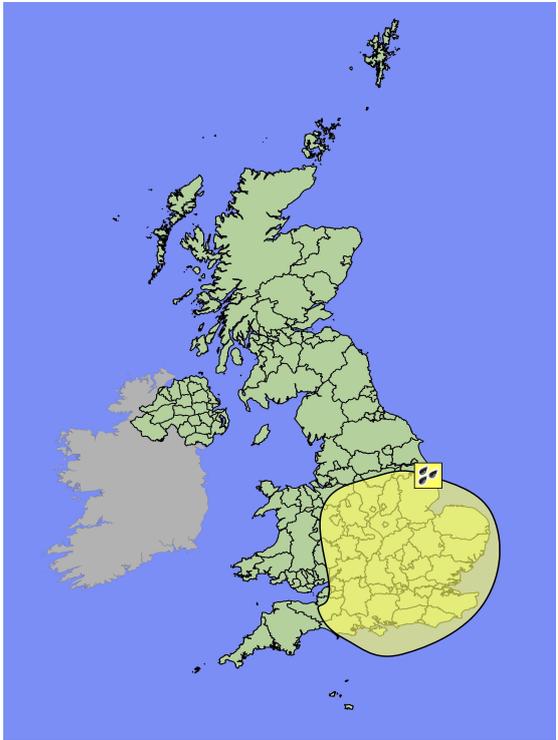


National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

A slack and deeply unstable airmass is expected to cover much of the southern half of Britain on Saturday. Some 15 mm of rain could readily fall in less than an hour with 20 to 30 mm in 2 or 3 hours. As is usual with these situations, not all areas may be affected, but where they do occur, localised surface water flooding is possible.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert of Rain**

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

Heavy and thundery showers are likely to affect parts of Central and Eastern England on Saturday, some of which could be slow-moving giving spells of more persistent heavy rain. The public should be aware of the risk of further localised flooding given that the ground will remain saturated across much of the area.

For more details please go to:
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