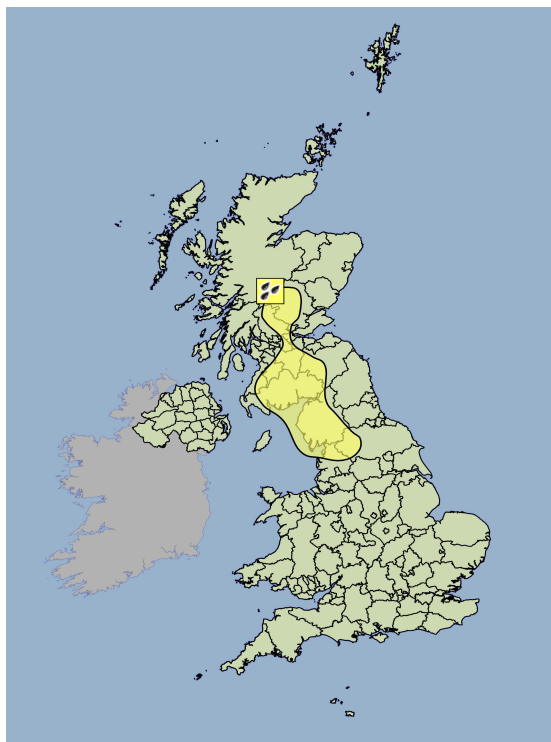




## National Severe Weather Warning Service



### Chief Forecasters Assessment

A frontal system is expected to develop over the Atlantic on Monday and Tuesday before running into the UK from the northwest on Wednesday, bringing further rainfall and strong winds. This will then sink southeastwards across the UK, clearing on Thursday.

There is a great deal of uncertainty around the locations to be most affected by this system but further heavy rainfall looks likely across central and southern Scotland and northern England. Despite the uncertainty in the peak rainfall totals, there is a very low likelihood of locally seeing 100 mm over the highest ground of these areas. Were this to occur renewed flooding is possible given the saturated ground and volume of water running through the river network.

Rainfall totals and further flooding of the level seen over the weekend are currently not expected.

This alert will be updated in the coming days as confidence increases in areas affected by the heaviest rainfall and further information around river response becomes available.

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

Valid from **06:00 on Wed, 09th Dec 2015** until **18:00 on Thu, 10th Dec 2015**

Further rainfall is expected to arrive across central and southern Scotland and northern England on Wednesday before clearing to the southeast on Thursday.

Some very strong winds are also likely in association with this system with gusts of 60 mph possible around exposed coasts and hills. This could prove a further hazard.

For enquiries regarding this warning please contact the Met Office Weather Desk

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Please be aware of the potential for further disruption from flooding and to transport. This alert will be updated in the coming days.

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  - Lancashire
- SW Scotland, Lothian Borders
  - Dumfries and Galloway
- Scottish Borders
- West Lothian
- Strathclyde
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  - South Ayrshire
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