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| Mouth Mond | confluence with [River Ribble](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Ribble&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgo9JGZl73D-4SDRQ_FF5JFGZdfhg) samenvloeiing met [de rivier Ribble](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Ribble&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgo9JGZl73D-4SDRQ_FF5JFGZdfhg) |
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*Douglas River in Wigan*

* The River Douglas , also known as the River Asland , is a [river](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhVlNXDxkzEZMTbeybHDqWygujoyA) that flows through [Lancashire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lancashire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiCNicvQabAbqaVrU9cgbc-ZX68lA) and [Greater Manchester](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Greater_Manchester&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhcKiL36klj_eXBfCvkOOHspyiP3Q) in the [north-west](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_West_England&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgapnUkBTg9BbGYsYRmlxTlJpX0-A) of [England](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/England&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh3lEyubWAREPBjQ2pc3i_vVUMbvg) .De rivier de Douglas, ook wel bekend als de rivier de Asland, is een [rivier](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhVlNXDxkzEZMTbeybHDqWygujoyA) dat door stroomt [Lancashire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lancashire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiCNicvQabAbqaVrU9cgbc-ZX68lA) en [Greater Manchester](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Greater_Manchester&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhcKiL36klj_eXBfCvkOOHspyiP3Q) in het [noord-westen](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_West_England&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgapnUkBTg9BbGYsYRmlxTlJpX0-A) van [Engeland](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/England&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh3lEyubWAREPBjQ2pc3i_vVUMbvg). It is a [tributary](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tributary&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjDduLPAWY7FIuJzFz8nxV_abVU-Q) of the [River Ribble](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Ribble&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgo9JGZl73D-4SDRQ_FF5JFGZdfhg) and has itself two tributaries, the [River Tawd](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tawd&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjReQbduTeBznXLEzlt1br72ImjCw) and the [River Yarrow](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Yarrow_(Lancashire)&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj8wyzSaqfPIps8-PTcjFHxwFMnsw) .
* Het is een [zijrivier](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tributary&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjDduLPAWY7FIuJzFz8nxV_abVU-Q) van de [rivier Ribble](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Ribble&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgo9JGZl73D-4SDRQ_FF5JFGZdfhg) en heeft zelf twee zijrivieren, de [rivier Tawd](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tawd&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjReQbduTeBznXLEzlt1br72ImjCw) en de [rivier Yarrow](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Yarrow_(Lancashire)&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj8wyzSaqfPIps8-PTcjFHxwFMnsw) .
* At [Tarleton](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tarleton&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj3Ws9aJanIBm-PnUCoJ6f-cOp7iA) , the Douglas is joined by the Rufford Branch of the [Leeds and Liverpool Canal](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Leeds_and_Liverpool_Canal&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg0J_x3fPP89GAg7oZMsAZUJ1fmsQ) .Op [Tarleton](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tarleton&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj3Ws9aJanIBm-PnUCoJ6f-cOp7iA) , Douglas is het gezelschap van de Rufford Branch van de [Leeds en Liverpool-kanaal](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Leeds_and_Liverpool_Canal&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg0J_x3fPP89GAg7oZMsAZUJ1fmsQ) . In 1714 an act of Parliament was passed allowing [Robert Holt](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php%3Ftitle%3DRobert_Holt_of_Crooke_Hall%26action%3Dedit%26redlink%3D1&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgngJ1YHf9QdwZ8f70OX4BPu9Y_UA) of [Crooke Hall](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php%3Ftitle%3DCrooke_Hall%26action%3Dedit%26redlink%3D1&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhqkdbDg4tsbP5qp135yN9B7Usegg) to make the Douglas navigable to small ships.
* In 1714 een besluit van het Parlement werd aangenomen waardoor [Robert Holt](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php%3Ftitle%3DRobert_Holt_of_Crooke_Hall%26action%3Dedit%26redlink%3D1&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgngJ1YHf9QdwZ8f70OX4BPu9Y_UA) van [Crooke Hall](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php%3Ftitle%3DCrooke_Hall%26action%3Dedit%26redlink%3D1&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhqkdbDg4tsbP5qp135yN9B7Usegg) te maken van de bevaarbare Douglas op kleine schepen. The river rises on [Winter Hill](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Winter_Hill_(Lancashire)&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhipJjuKDbKhUQqZ2r7ajIH8zlbGiw) on the [West Pennine Moors](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/West_Pennine_Moors&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhpacpYuLOWGkZcUldS3Uk3wYwPmQ) , and flows for 35 miles (56 km) through the town of [Wigan](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wigan&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiE69ZQN2rWxTGQeDD7XcenCR6Miw) and onto the Ribble estuary past Tarleton, the last 10 miles (16 km) or so being tidal.
* De rivier ontspringt op de [Winter Hill](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Winter_Hill_(Lancashire)&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhipJjuKDbKhUQqZ2r7ajIH8zlbGiw) op de [West Pennine Moors](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/West_Pennine_Moors&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhpacpYuLOWGkZcUldS3Uk3wYwPmQ) , en stromen voor 35 mijl (56 km) doorheen de stad [Wigan](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wigan&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiE69ZQN2rWxTGQeDD7XcenCR6Miw) en op de Ribble estuarium Tarleton verleden, de laatste 10 mijl (16 km) of zo wordt getijdenenergie. In 1892 the Douglas was diverted in Wigan to allow the construction of Wigan Central railway station.
* In 1892 werd de Douglas werd omgeleid in Wigan om de bouw van Wigan Centraal Station.