

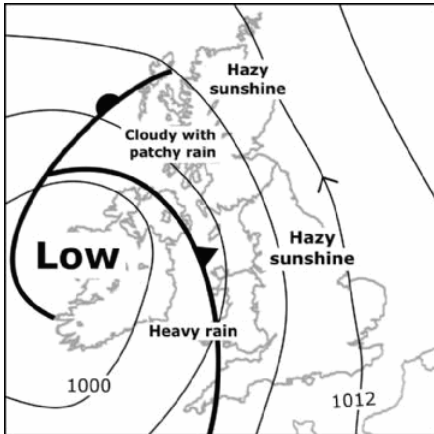
# Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.



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## General Summary for Tuesday, 30 April, 2024



### British Mountain Summary:

#### Based on forecast chart for noon 30 April, 2024

Brisk southeasterly winds, up to gale force some tops; strengthening across the Highlands. A belt of rain draped across west coast of Scotland south from Skye, also affecting Galloway, and fairly persistent rain for west and south Wales. Drier further east and north with hazy sunshine. Fairly mild air.

### Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Windy. Rain frequent west, heavy for a time, cloud banks.

## Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 30 April, 2024

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	Southerly speeds varied: typically 35 to 45mph, strongest toward the west in the morning. Gradually easing toward 20mph later in the day.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Walking widely arduous on higher areas, and wind chill considerable, although conditions are likely to ease through the afternoon.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Rain turning heavy, clearing later</b> Frequent rain western areas around the Glyders, Snowdon/Yr Wyddfa and toward the Llyn peninsula, persistent and heavy for a time into afternoon then improving from west as bursts of rain then move further eastwards.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Fairly extensive, lowest near coast</b> Generally extensive above 600 to 900m, although may shroud lower slopes western flanks of Snowdon to Llyn peninsula. Higher bases Carneddau with some breaks, also clearing summits in east Wales at times.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>30%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Little or no sun. Good visibility at times, but poor in rain.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	3 to 5C. Will feel as cold as -8C directly in the wind.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits

**Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead**

	<b>Wednesday 1 May</b>	<b>Thursday 2 May</b>
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>  <b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Southeasterly between 10 and 20mph: generally strongest in the morning.  <b>Small</b>	Easterly 25mph to suddenly gusty 40mph around some tops, powerful gusts around some tops and downslope to west. <b>Locally very varied, but expect sudden buffeting making walking arduous in places not just on higher terrain.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Risk showers afternoon</b> Risk scattered heavy showers afternoon.	<b>Risk rain on and off locally</b> Uncertain progress of a slow-moving front, may give several hours of rain, greatest risk toward mid-Wales, perhaps most rain staying further south. Scattered bursts of rain from elevated cloud layers.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>  <b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>Soon all clearing</b>  Patchy banks of cloud on some eastern slopes in mid-Wales in the morning. Any other patches soon dispersing.  <b>80%</b>	<b>Risk patchy cloud banks</b>  Many western mountains often clear, but occasional banks of cloud rolling across some slopes. Banks of low cloud may persist toward eastern mid-Wales.  <b>60%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Sun and varied high cloud. Excellent visibility.	Weak sun due to high cloud layers. Hazy.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>  <b>Freezing Level</b>	3C rising toward 9C  Above the summits.	7C to locally 10C west. Feeling close to freezing directly in wind.  Above the summits

**Planning Outlook**

**All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 1 May, 2024**

High pressure to the north and a slow-moving area of low pressure circulating to the south during midweek. Scattered showers possible for the Highlands, but a lot of dry weather - warmest and clearest in the west. Powerful easterly winds will be very gusty by Thursday into early Friday, especially southern Scotland and northern England, then easing. A front brings a risk of persistent rain for Wales on Thursday. Slow-moving weather patterns are likely to continue onward into the Bank Holiday weekend, giving considerable uncertainty of local day-to-day detail, but most likely the wind often light and fairly warm overall. A good amount of dry and bright weather, but risk of locally thundery showers forming.

**Forecast issued at 16:30 on Monday, 29 April, 2024**

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