

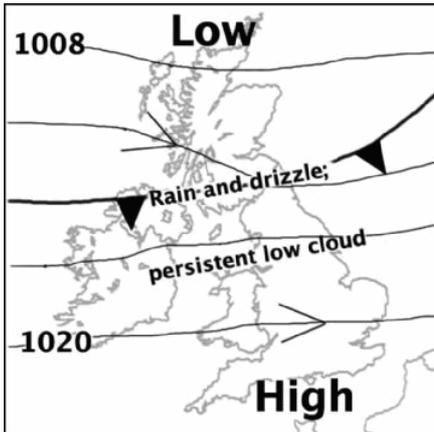
Snowdonia National Park

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General Summary for Friday, 14 September, 2018



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 14 September, 2018

Windy, particularly morning Scottish Highlands. A weak front will continue to lie across central Britain, bringing bursts of rain, and very extensive low cloud - this giving fog on many lower west coastal slopes. Colder and showery N Scotland, risk thunder. Wet snow highest tops.

Headline for Snowdonia National Park

Windy. Frequent drizzly rain. Persistent fog.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 14 September, 2018

How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly, 30 to 35mph; strongest Snowdon range.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking arduous where exposed on higher areas.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain on and off, mostly west Wales A mix of frequent drizzle and bursts of heavier rain on western mountains, particularly Snowdon range, whilst on easternmost areas, bursts of rain only occasionally.
Cloud on the hills?	Almost blanket fog across the hills Persistent fog across the hills. The cloud will form on lower slopes west Wales. Highest cloud base will be Berwyn Mountains where most cloud above 550m, and breaks to 850m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Almost nil most of Wales, but 20% easternmost areas
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Rare, if any, glimpses of sun eastern valleys. Visibility intermittently poor, most frequently west Wales.
How Cold? (at 900m)	6C
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 15 September	Sunday 16 September
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	West backing southwesterly 20 to perhaps 25mph Snowdon range. Will begin to strengthen in the evening. Fairly small.	Southwesterly 50mph post dawn. Will tend to ease, perhaps to 30mph by mid-afternoon. Walking widely difficult on higher areas. Significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk rain, most likely toward evening Substantially dry although threat of one or two drizzly showers in morning and more widespread rain toward evening.	Rain on and off Rain and drizzle on and off, perhaps raining much of the day across the hills of west Wales.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Shrouding higher tops occasionally Cloud base likely to rise during morning, with cloud confined to or above the highest summits, probably for much of the day. However, toward evening, mainly western slopes in the Snowdon range, cloud base may gradually drop. 70%	Very extensive Fog across the hills, widely from lower slopes up toward the west coast. In east Wales, by afternoon, most cloud above 600m 10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine, most widely east Wales, although extensive high level cloud. Very good or excellent visibility.	Sunshine not expected. Hazy.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	7C. Above the summits.	9C. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 15 September, 2018**

Frequently windy, wet with extensive low cloud, with the worst conditions focussed on western mountains - for the next week to ten days. Risk around Tuesday of stormy very wet weather although the timing and track of the worst conditions is very uncertain.

Forecast issued at 14:45 on Thursday, 13 September, 2018

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