

Southeastern Highlands

Hills accessed from Callander, Loch Tay and Loch Rannoch areas. Areas east of Loch Ericht, and south of Dalwhinnie, upper Glen Feshie and the River Dee (includes southernmost Cairngorm NP).

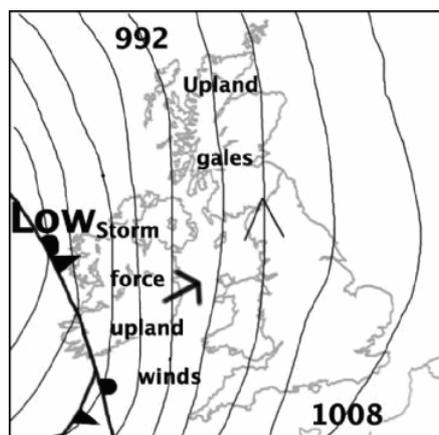


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General Summary for Friday, 9 November, 2018



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 9 November, 2018

Windy; widespread upland gales Scottish Highlands. Overall extensive fog higher areas, and patches of rain will drift northwards. Through afternoon Wales, and after dusk elsewhere, deteriorating conditions as storm force winds and heavy rain spread north-eastwards.

Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Upland gales; persistent fog; snow higher Munros.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 9 November, 2018

How windy? (On the Munros)	Southeasterly, 40 to 50mph. Will strengthen to 60-70mph after dusk.
Effect of wind on you?	Arduous or difficult walking and significant wind chill where exposed. Conditions will quickly become very difficult after dark.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Occasional rain, snow higher tops Low confidence in detail: Overall substantially dry, but patches of showery rain, or above 1050m snow, will drift northwards, in some areas giving almost constant rain for 2 or 3 hours. Widespread rain (snow high tops) after dark. possible hail.
Cloud on the hills?	Persistent fog across the hills Cloud base will vary as rain comes and goes. Overall fog extensive above 500m, but particularly Angus and Ochils, often below 350m.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	Almost nil
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine not expected. Hazy at best.
How Cold? (at 900m)	3C
Freezing Level	1300m. Slight frost in a few glens at dawn.

Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 10 November	Sunday 11 November
How windy? (On the Munros)	South veering southwesterly 30 to 35mph.	Southerly 20 to 25mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking arduous and wind chill significant where exposed.	Fairly small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Frequent precipitation Occasional showers, mainly near and west of the A9 . Snow above 950m. Additionally, risk over an hour or two of frequent precipitation, this least likely near and east of Glenshee.	Showers; hail, snow on the Munros Frequently dry, although a few showers or possibly over an hour or two, frequent precipitation, although this threat low near and east of Glenshee. Hail and above 1000m, snow.
Cloud on the hills?	Generally very little Cloud extensive across the hills above 600-800m with patches below 450m near showers. Near and east of Glenshee, cloud base generally nearer 1000m, but still patches around 600m near rain.	Widespread on higher tops Generally cloud base 1000m or above, although nearer 700m near showers. However, threat near and west of A9 of periods when cloud extensive above 700m, and patches below 450m.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	30%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Occasional sunshine, particularly across eastern hills. Visibility very good.	Sunshine intermittently, most widely near and east of Glenshee. Visibility often excellent.
How Cold? (at 900m)	3C	2C
Freezing Level	1250m	1250m

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 10 November, 2018**

Winds almost constantly southerly over the next week to ten days will mean only higher summits in Scotland occasionally below freezing point. Rain at some stage most days (although probably drier from mid-week next week). Often windy and fog will frequently shroud the summits - and at times even lower slopes. Generally least rainfall and often little low cloud NW Highlands.

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