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Brecon Beacons

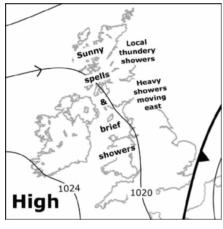




Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.

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General Summary for Wednesday, 2 July, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 2 July, 2025

Localised heavy bursts of rain for eastern Scotland & northern England early in the day, clearing eastwards, but over Cairngorms in particular, increasing risk afternoon of slow-moving heavy downpours forming, locally a thunderstorm. Western Scotland largely dry; increasingly sunny all western areas afternoon. Fresher for all.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Isolated showers. Broken cloud and sun. Moderate breeze.

Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 2 July, 2025

| How windy? (On the summits) | North to northwesterly 15 to 20mph. | |
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| Effect of wind on you? | Fairly small | |
| How wet? (Precipitation and its impact) | Isolated showers fade Risk local brief showers mainly western areas into middle of day, then fading. | |
| Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud | Little if any Rare if any patches briefly on high tops in morning. 90% | |
| free summits? Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud) | Patchwork of cloud and sun; increasingly sunny near coast then inland afternoon. Visibility excellent. | |
| How Cold? (at 750m) | 10 to 12C. | |
| Freezing Level | Above the summits | |

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Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

| | Thursday 3 July | Friday 4 July |
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| How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you? | Southwesterly 10 to 15mph, tending to strengthen. Mostly small | Southwesterly 20 to 30mph, speeds likely increasing during day, later may approach 40mph on higher tops. Increasingly strenuous walking conditions over exposed terrain. Marked wind chill. |
| How wet? | Rain not expected | Rain unlikely until late |
| (Precipitation and its impact) | | Dry most of daytime, but toward evening increasing risk of rain and drizzle moving in from the west. |
| Cloud on the hills? | Little if any | Little if any |
| | Rare if any brief patches on tops in morning. | Patches on some western slopes in the morning, but most cloud above the hills. |
| Chance of cloud free summits? | Above 90% | 80% |
| Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud) | Patchwork of cloud and sun, becoming sunnier west Wales afternoon; thin high cloud may start to push in later. Visibility excellent. | Occasional sun best in east, high cloud thickening with time. Visibility very good. |
| How Cold? (at 750m) | 9C rising to 12C east and southern hills. | 10 to 12C, highest toward east. Later feeling near freezing in the wind. |
| Freezing Level | Above the summits | Above the summits |

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 3 July, 2025

By Thursday, west to southwesterly winds increase for Scotland, with frequent showery rain and low cloud returning into the Highlands from the west. Friday brings heavier rain to western Scotland and gales over higher terrain for Scotland and possibly northern England, rain extending further south with time. The weekend looks unsettled with low pressure bringing heavy showery rain widely, risk isolated thunder. Next week maintains a mixed westerly regime with greatest risk of rain toward northwest Scotland, drier and warmer further south and east.

Forecast issued at 16:27 on Tuesday, 1 July, 2025

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