

Brecon Beacons

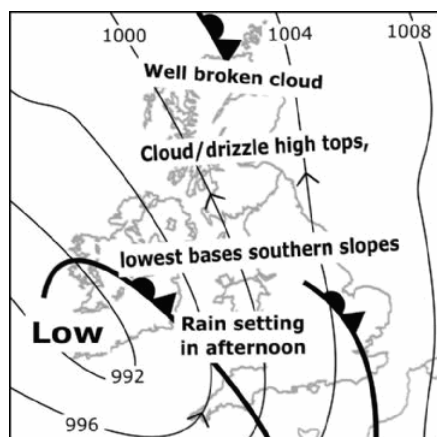
Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.



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General Summary for Friday, 7 November, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 7 November, 2025

Cloud and drizzle in central and south Scotland, clearer hills (including some summits) north. Blustery coasts from Skye southward, Wales breezy too. A cloud sheet will cover English and Welsh peaks with low bases on south aspects. Rain over south Wales through afternoon, risk of afternoon rain for the Pennines.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Patchy cloud and rain, deteriorating with strengthening wind

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 7 November, 2025

How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southerly 20-30mph, at times up to 35mph on westernmost hills towards Pembrokeshire. Trending southeasterly and broadly rising to 35-40mph for several afternoon hours, then easing into night and shifting southwesterly. Walking strenuous-to-arduous most of the day; balance will be challenged in exposure. Considerable wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain increasingly widespread afternoon Patchy rain onto southern slopes through the morning with drizzle over the high tops. A broader area of rain sweeps in from the southwest afternoon, becoming persistent and widespread for several hours, possibly into nighttime.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Extensive high tops and southern slopes Fairly extensive above 600-700m most of the day with fog to lower elevations on southern slopes. Some higher breaks may occur in the north through the morning, then bases drop further with cloud becoming widely extensive as rain arrives. 30%, dropping to 10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Little sunshine, if any. Excellent visibility, turning poor as rain sets in.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	8C. Feeling near freezing in exposure to strongest wind. Above the summits

	Saturday 8 November	Sunday 9 November
How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 15 to 30mph, speed and direction may vary, at times gusty 35mph - detail uncertain.	A gusty southwesterly 40-50mph, including down to middle slopes. An easing trend afternoon towards 30mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Feeling breezy over higher terrain, but modest effect on walking; some gustier locations.	Difficult conditions early with considerable buffeting and wind chill. Easing later, though remaining uncomfortable.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Local drizzly showers mostly west Drizzly patches most common on hills toward south and west, occasionally a light shower. Often dry eastern mid-Wales.	Rain from the west gradually sets in widely Frequent rain soon arrives onto western slopes, spreading east and becoming widely persistent for several hours. Heaviest rain on south-facing slopes.
Cloud on the hills?	Lowest and most extensive morning Shrouding the hills most or all day, some different fog layers possible, including some lower slopes in the morning. Lifting with time toward 600-700m, some breaks mostly eastern areas afternoon.	Becoming extensive, some higher bases east early Extensive across west and southern slopes down to middle or lower elevations all day. Higher east at first; bases may just reach the tops of the Black Mountains before lowering more widely as rain sets in.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely cloudy, glimpses of sun mostly east Wales afternoon. Mostly misty morning at various levels, some improvement into afternoon.	A few bright periods on northern slopes where visibility will be good, but elsewhere foggy and dull.
How Cold? (at 750m)	6 or 7C.	9C. Feeling like -3C in strongest direct wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 8 November, 2025

As the following weekend approaches, indications of northeasterly winds developing for Scotland, bringing drier weather to the west, and potentially much colder with time. England & Wales may remain frequently wet under slow-moving low pressure - uncertainty over timing and locations of the coldest conditions.

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