

Brecon Beacons

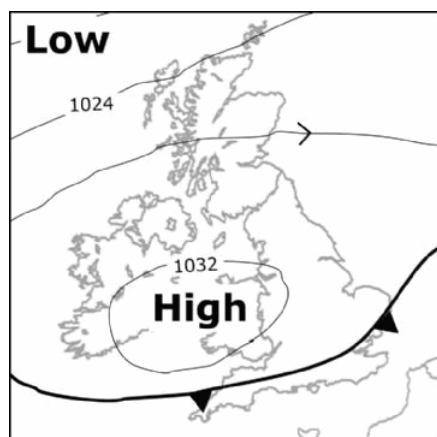
Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.



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General Summary for Saturday, 3 October, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 3 October, 2026

Fine, sunny with light wind mountains in England and Wales. Much of Scotland will be dry but showers, mainly W & NW Highlands, where there will be persistent fog. Progressively windier northwards; near gale force northern Scotland.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Light wind; extensive sunshine.

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 3 October, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Northwesterly 10-15mph at first; progressively dropping to 5mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk rain post dawn SE Wales; otherwise n no rain. Rain overnight, by dawn confined to a few patches SE Wales will very soon clear.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive, may improve Soon clearing as patchy cloud on some higher slopes, and extensive low cloud in SE Wales all clears.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Almost certain by late morning
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Cloudy or dull southeast Wales post dawn. Otherwise sunny with visibility excellent or superb.
How Cold? (at 750m)	10 rising to 12C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 4 October	Monday 5 October
How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly, 10mph	Southwesterly typically 15, possibly 20mph mid Wales.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible	Small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Small risk of a little drizzle west Risk isolated drizzle Preseli and Cambrian range.	Substantially or completely dry. Risk a fine drizzle rarely western slopes Cambrian range. Otherwise dry.
Cloud on the hills?	Turning foggy western mountains Confidence low as persistent low cloud slowly penetrates inland from Cardigan Bay: It may shroud the Cambrian range and possibly Preseli above 200 to 400m. The rest of Wales may well remain free of low cloud most, if not all day.	Fog possible higher western areas Confidence low: Very low cloud may continue to drift in off Cardigan Bay, shrouding even lower slopes Cambrian and perhaps Preseli. Elsewhere, patches low cloud probably breaking completely by midday or early afternoon.
Chance of cloud free summits?	20% west Wales to 80% elsewhere	70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine and excellent visibility most or all day east Wales, but cloudy and misty westernmost mountains - this may edge east through the day.	There may be extensive sun and excellent visibility most of South Wales. Some west coastal areas may remain dull and misty (this uncertain).
How Cold? (at 750m)	13C.	14C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 4 October, 2026

Rain at some stage more or less daily on most mountain areas through the coming week. However, total rainfall small, and frequently dry E & S Wales and S Pennines. Frequently windy Scottish Highlands, whilst progressively southwards, periods of strong winds will less frequent. A brief period of colder weather around the middle of next week will bring snowfall to some northern mountains.

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