

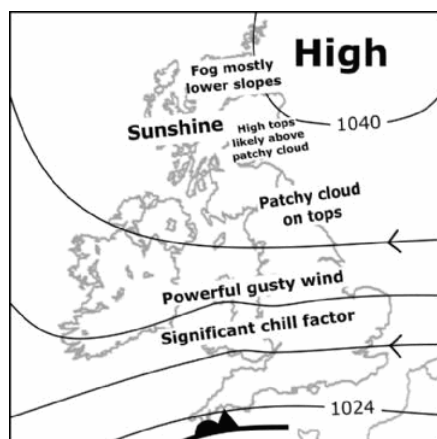
# Cairngorms NP and Monadhliath

Cairngorms National Park and Monadhliath. Also includes the Ben Alder area hills between Loch Ericht and Loch Laggan.



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## General Summary for Thursday, 25 December, 2025



### British Mountain Summary:

#### Based on forecast chart for noon 25 December, 2025

Dry with sunshine best in west and northern Scotland, high terrain warmer than many lower slopes, local low-level fog. High summits SE Highlands likely just above patchy cloud. Mostly cloudy Pennines, grazing tops, clearer westward across the Lakes. Gusty easterly winds, strongest further south, gale-force in Wales.

### Headline for Cairngorms NP and Monadhliath

Sunshine, some patchy cloud south/east; gusty wind in places.

## Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 25 December, 2025

<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	East-southeasterly 15-20mph, strongest toward south, but some gustiness widely.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Fairly small though turbulent gusts likely at all elevations.
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	Dry all day
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Patches on middle slopes south and east; clear north/west.</b>  Patchy banks of cloud between 600-1000m on southern Cairngorms slopes and Deeside. High tops will be above the cloud layer. Clearer north/westward, little cloud around Strathspey and Glenmore, possibly patchy fog in glens.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>80% south/east (tops above cloud layer); above 90% north/west.</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunny on the summits in very clear air. Least sun lower east slopes though visibility remains good out of cloud.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	-1 or 0C, but rise in temperature with added height, up to 3C local 5C on high summits; warmest north and west. Feeling nearer -5C if exposed to gusts.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Near or just below freezing point between 700-1000m, also frost in some glens. Summits above freezing as well as many sunlit slopes toward Strathspey.

**All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 26 December, 2025**

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