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Snowdonia National Park

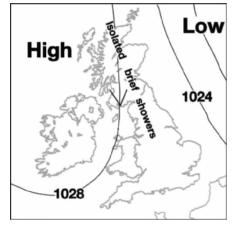
Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Plynlimon northwards.





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General Summary for Saturday, 28 May, 2022



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 28 May, 2022

Extensively dry with patches of sun, although a few brief showers. However, it will remain chilly, particularly near the coast of NW Scotland, where higher areas will be below freezing point.

Headline for Snowdonia National Park

Patches of sunshine. Light wind. Cold near the coast.

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 28 May, 2022

How windy? (On the summits)	Northerly, 15mph		
Effect of wind on you?	Small.		
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain not expected		
Cloud on the hills?	Summits extensively cloud free		
	Fragments on higher slopes until mid or late morning will then clear. The cloud may continue to come and go above 950m from Snowdon north to Carneddau areas.		
Chance of cloud free summits?	70% north from Snowdon, elsewhere almost certain by late morning		
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Bright sunshine until mid morning, particularly away from Snowdon range, then overall more cloud. Then through afternoon sunshine near the coast will gradually extend inland. Visibility excellent.		
How Cold? (at 900m)	5C rising marginally near coast but toward 10C well inland.		
Freezing Level	Above the summits.		

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Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 29 May	Monday 30 May
How windy? (On the summits)	Northerly 15 to perhaps on highest tops 20mph.	Direction may well vary, although mostly westerly less than 15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Small	Mostly negligible.
How wet?	Brief showers	Showers, mainly well inland
(Precipitation and its impact)	Risk of a few showers from dawn. From late morning or midday, a scattering of showers more widely, giving hail on higher tops. Small risk isolated thunder. The rain least likely on western hills.	Scattered showers morning, most likely Snowdon range. Will gradually change as most showers become confined to more eastern hills whilst toward the coast rain becomes isolated.
Cloud on the hills?	Lifting to higher tops	Will clear many summits
	Cloud banks may cover northern tops in Snowdonia for a few hours in the morning, then lifting toward or above most or all summits into the middle of the day.	Cloud base will rise from 550 to 800m (lowest near coast) after dawn to or above 900m by late morning. But in rain, expect fog as low as 650m, temporarily lower.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%	70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Fairly cloudy, although coastal fringes sunnier by afternoon. Visibility excellent.	Patches of sunshine. Very good visibility.
How Cold? (at 900m)	3C rising to 6C. Wind chill will make it feel as cold as -5C on higher tops in the morning.	4C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 29 May, 2022

Relatively low temperatures on the mountains much of next week; particularly on the Scottish highlands where higher tops will frequently be near freezing point. Showers, some heavy and thundery, giving hail and on higher tops snow, will be widespread, particularly in the afternoons, when in some areas they will merge to give a few hours of precipitation.

Forecast issued at 7:33 on Saturday, 28 May, 2022

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