

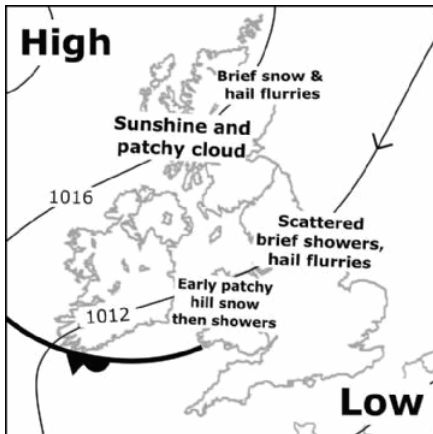
# Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

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



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## General Summary for Friday, 14 March, 2025



### British Mountain Summary:

#### Based on forecast chart for noon 14 March, 2025

Cold, staying below freezing on higher mountains. Northeasterly winds lessening over the Highlands, but staying brisk for northern England. Scattered snow or hail flurries. Patchy cloud lifting toward or above many tops. Sunniest toward western coasts. Early patchy snow in Wales clears to leave brief showers.

#### Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Chilly, varied breeze. Early snow flurries, then brief showers with hail.

## Detailed Forecast for Friday, 14 March, 2025

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	Northeasterly 10 to 20mph, speeds varying during daytime, strongest near Snowdon group in morning, then more widely in the afternoon.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Marked wind chill and feeling blustery in places on higher exposed tops, some gusts affecting balance.</b>
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>Showers, snow or soft hail</b> Showery sleet or snow in the morning above 400-500m, mainly northwestern hills, risk of hail. Scattered showers of snow and soft hail inland afternoon, coming in from the east, brief flurries reaching western hills.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Lifting toward or above the tops</b> Early morning cloud banks around the hills, varied bases 600-800m, lowest where snow occurs. Breaking up and lifting during morning, by middle of day most cloud above the hills, rare patches grazing some upper slopes.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>30% at first, rising 80% during morning.</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Early cloud thinning, some bright sun breaking through, then patchwork of cloud and sun. Excellent visibility out of precipitation.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	-1C, rising to 0 or +1C by afternoon. Wind chill feeling like -8C.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	600m at first, but some valleys also near to freezing from dawn. Rising to 900-1000m, highest on south-facing slopes afternoon.

## Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	<b>Saturday 15 March</b>	<b>Sunday 16 March</b>
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	Northeasterly 15mph, occasional 20mph highest tops in morning.	Northeasterly 15 to 20mph.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Mostly small, but feeling chilly in exposure on higher tops.</b>	<b>Fairly small, but a noticeable chill on tops.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Precipitation unlikely</b>	<b>Precipitation unlikely</b>
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Most cloud above the hills</b>  Rare patches may graze highest tops in Carneddau area in the morning.	<b>Mostly little if any</b>  Patches may drift over the Carneddau area in the morning, occasional patches briefly elsewhere, but most cloud lifting above the summits by middle of day.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>70%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of sun and cloud; sunshine best toward west. Visibility excellent.	Patchwork of sun, more cloud by afternoon. Visibility excellent.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	-1C rising to +1C afternoon.	-1C rising to +1C.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	500m rising to 900m or just above into afternoon. But also frost widely in valleys and sheltered lower slopes from dawn.	Frost many valleys and sheltered higher areas at dawn, typically rising just above freezing to highest tops by early afternoon.

**Planning Outlook****All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 15 March, 2025**

High pressure drifts over the country through the weekend and early next week, bringing largely dry conditions, rare brief light showers. Chilly, becoming slightly less cold than recent days, but frost overnight into valleys; during the daytimes the freezing level lifting onto higher slopes. A covering of recent snow on many higher mountain tops. Sunny spells, variable cloud, and very clear crisp air. Winds fairly light overall this weekend and Monday - becoming southeasterly, strengthening soonest in Wales early in the new week, then more widely windy toward midweek, with some showery rain developing. A risk of more widespread spells of rain and some hill snow later in the week.

**Forecast issued at 14:30 on Thursday, 13 March, 2025**

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