

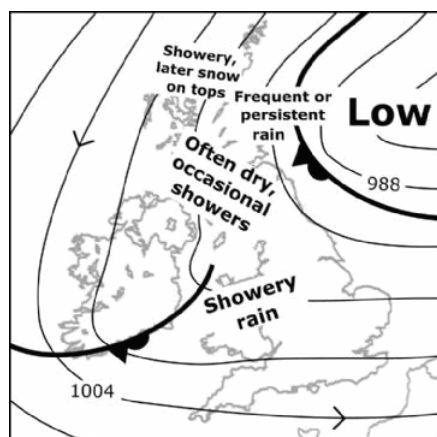
Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

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



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General Summary for Friday, 24 October, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 24 October, 2025

Cold northerly winds gale force across Scottish mountains. Showery in the north, most frequent precipitation for the Cairngorms, turning to snow on higher tops. Drier with some sun SW Highlands. Areas of rain extend into Borders and northern England with time. Frequently showery in Wales, particularly south.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Windy, easing. Showery rain, varied cloud.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 24 October, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 25 to 40mph, squally gusts in showers. Lessening during afternoon, turning northwesterly, increasing again into night toward 40mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Be prepared for arduous conditions with significant wind chill and buffeting for periods. Improving afternoon.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Clusters of showers Generally showery, some heavy, will edge in from the west through the day. Most frequent over western mountains toward Cader Idris.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive Hill fog likely fairly extensive above 600-800m, with perhaps occasional patches to lower slopes. Breaks to the tops likely to be rather fleeting away from east Wales.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun through high cloud between the showers. Visibility often poor due to rain.
How Cold? (at 900m)	3C, but feeling more like sub -5C in direct exposure to the strongest winds.
Freezing Level	Above the summits

	Saturday 25 October	Sunday 26 October
How windy? (On the summits)	Northwesterly 30 to 40mph, frequent squally gusts in showers.	Northwesterly 25-30mph or possibly stronger up to dawn. Trending westerly, likely to increase with time 35-40mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Be prepared for very blustery and gusty conditions with significant wind chill and buffeting. Challenging balance on ridges.	Prepare for notable wind chill across the hills. Blustery, conditions likely worsening afternoon, becoming arduous walking.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Frequent showers, snow tops Shower after shower will likely feed in from Irish Sea, forming shower bands where precipitation becomes near constant. Snow falling over highest tops. Possible hail.	Local showers, then rain sets in Showery rain from dawn near to coasts, snow flurries above 800m. Becoming steadier rain up to higher tops with time, increasingly setting in heavy afternoon, continuing into evening.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive higher slopes Cloud likely to cap tops in fog often, most widely Snowdon/Yr Wyddfa range and western coastal hills. Further inland and south, cloud breaking off the tops for periods.	Often capping tops; becoming extensive Cloud banks likely come and go above 700-900m in morning, lowest near to coasts, breaks well inland/east. Into afternoon, cloud lowering widely, filling in above 500-700m, lowest in west.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%	50% later 20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Bursts of sun, mostly widely mid-Wales. Visibility very good out of showers, but poor or very poor in precipitation.	Any early sun weak, high cloud thickens to become overcast. Visibility starting good away from showers, becoming poor in rain.
How Cold? (at 900m)	1C, but feeling like -10C in the wind.	0C rising to 2C afternoon; 4C into evening-night. If exposed to stronger winds, feeling near -10C.
Freezing Level	1000m, slightly lower later in day.	900-1000m in morning, plus frost in some sheltered inland valleys at dawn. Rising above summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 25 October, 2025

A cold weekend; higher summits close to freezing point in England and Wales and below in Scotland . Substantially dry on many mountains but areas of frequent showers (hail and snow), mainly NW and W Highlands (where wind close to gale on Saturday) and north and west Wales. By Sunday afternoon, increasing threat of rain setting in on many western mountains - ahead of a less cold but often windy and wet few days. Westerly winds prevail, later in week trending southerly.

Forecast issued at 16:30 on Thursday, 23 October, 2025

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