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Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

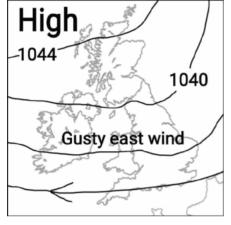
Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.





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General Summary for Saturday, 27 December, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 27 December, 2025

Chilly easterly winds, strongest and gustiest Wales, with extensive cloud sheet eastern and into central areas, with some patchy light precipitation. Sun best western hills, and also where tops breaks above an inversion around 1000m. Terrain partly frozen, morning frost valleys; but up to plus 5C western tops above inversion.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Chilly and gusty east wind. Blowing in cloud to eastern hills. Best sun in west.

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 27 December, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 30 to 40mph, very gusty around some tops, high passes and downslope toward the west.	
Effect of wind on you?	Affecting comfortable walking and balance over tops and ridges, sudden buffeting gusts in places; considerable wind chill.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rare if any light rain Largely dry; chance of an odd brief spot of light rain mainly eastern hills.	
Cloud on the hills? Mostly high tops toward north/east		
	Cloud banks mostly above 500-700m and in areas from Carneddau to hills near Bala perhaps increasingly extensive; patchier westwards, where often clearing. Highest tops may be near top of cloud layer.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	Lowering to 40% east, 90% near west coast.	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Fairly cloudy, but best sun in the west. Visibility very good.	
How Cold? (at 900m)	1 to 3C, but slightly warmer on highest summits and some western slopes. Feeling like -10C directly in the wind.	
Freezing Level	Some terrain partly frozen; close to freezing some upper slopes and patchy slight frost in sheltered valleys in morning.	

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Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

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	Sunday 28 December	Monday 29 December
How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 15 to 25mph, some stronger gusts possible around higher mountains.	Northeasterly 10 to 15mph, but tending to lift to 15 to 25mph through the day.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but noticeably blustery and gusty around exposed tops and ridges, giving marked wind chill.	Mostly small, but increasingly considerable wind chill where exposed to the wind.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Dry all day	No precipitation expected
Cloud on the hills?	Patches some upper slopes	Banks mostly across eastern hills.
	Thin banks of cloud grazing higher slopes above 700m, mainly Carneddau and high tops near Bala, well broken westwards. Highest tops near or above this cloud.	Banks of low cloud may affect eastern hills with bases around 500-700m. Further west, much patchier cloud will the mountains mostly clear.
Chance of cloud free summits?	70%	80% in west, 40% in east.
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sun best toward west coast, broken cloud and sun elsewhere. Visibility very good, some distant haze.	Cloudiest in the east, best sun in the west. Visibility mostly very good outside of any precipitation.
How Cold? (at 900m)	0 or -1C. Feeling like -8C directly in the wind.	Around 0C
Freezing Level	Near or just below freezing above 700m, also frost some sheltered valleys in morning.	Near or just below freezing above 500-700m, also frost some sheltered valleys in morning. Highest tops may

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 28 December, 2025

Next week, high pressure still dominates, but generally colder air becoming entrained into its circulation from the north, which sees lower temperatures on high terrain, sub-zero over most mountains through New Year. Small amounts of precipitation, occasional showers or snow flurries, winds north or northwesterly.

Forecast issued at 16:22 on Friday, 26 December, 2025

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