

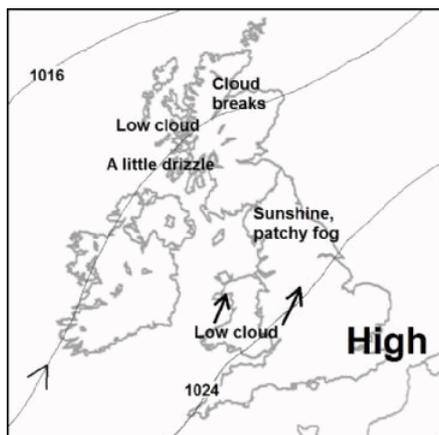
# Southeastern Highlands

The southern highlands as far west as the central highlands and north to Ben Alder, Drumochter and summits near Glenshee ski-centre (summits within the historic county of Perthshire). Also Ochils and Angus hills.



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## General Summary for Saturday, 15 January, 2022



### British Mountain Summary:

**Based on forecast chart for noon 15 January, 2022**

Areas of low cloud at various levels, but may shroud western Scotland much of the day, patchy drizzle. Breaks north and east across the Highlands. Hills mostly clear northern England. Patchy fog. Low cloud likely to spread across Wales from south. Local gusty wind. Dropping near freezing some slopes, plus frost some valleys.

### Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Mainly dry, varied low cloud, breaks best toward east.

## Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 15 January, 2022

<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	South to southwesterly 15 to 20mph, locally 25mph around some tops and corries.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Rather gusty in places, not just on highest slopes. Marked wind chill where exposed.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Precipitation very unlikely</b> Low risk of a light snow flurry western summits in Perthshire.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Mostly west, little east</b> Banks of cloud most common across hills in Perthshire, but varied in height and extent, covering some lower slopes, but some high tops above fog banks. East of the A9, cloud well broken, many tops clear or above patchy fog.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>40% west, to 70% east.</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Fairly cloudy in west, sunnier toward east. Visibility good below cloud. Misty some glens and lower slopes. Chance of some high tops being clear above cloud banks.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	Starting around 3C, tending to lower slowly toward 0C during day; small variation of temperature with increasing height. Directly in strongest wind, feeling as cold as -7C.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Starting above freezing to high tops, lowering close to zero above 1000m. Also slight frost some glens.

## Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 16 January	Monday 17 January
<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>  <b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Westerly 20 to 25mph, occasionally 30mph eastern summits around Glenshee.  <b>Blustery across the hills, buffeting and marked wind chill in places on higher slopes.</b>	Risk westerly 30-35mph up to dawn, strongest east of A9, but soon easing to 10mph or less. By evening SW'ly 20mph. <b>Soon negligible.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Little or no precipitation</b> Generally dry. Chance of a spots of rain in the wind, or an occasional sleet or snow flurry on the Munros.	<b>No rain</b>
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>  <b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>Mostly higher tops</b>  Most cloud confined above 800 to 1000m, may come and go above higher tops, but expect breaks to highest tops, these best near and east from the A9.  <b>50%</b>	<b>Little or none</b>  Rare if any fragments of cloud some slopes, mainly western areas.  <b>Above 90%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Occasional sun, mostly eastern areas. Visibility generally good.	Mostly sunny with excellent visibility.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>  <b>Freezing Level</b>	0 to 2C  May vary; near or just below freezing above 900-1100m, beware of icy surfaces.	Locally near 0C at dawn, rising to 6C or higher some slopes. Hills warmer than glens.  Frost in most glens in morning, higher terrain also at least part-frozen, but air temperature rising well above zero.

## Planning Outlook

### All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 16 January, 2022

Weakening fronts will pass southwards across Britain during Sunday, bringing small amounts of precipitation. Close to freezing on higher mountains, beware of hardened snow patches and ice in places. High pressure briefly rebuilds into Monday with air temperatures rising well above zero on most hills, although a frosty start in many valleys. Damp and mild southwesterlies into Tuesday bring extensive cloud, rain or drizzle, wettest in western Scotland. Windy into midweek in the north. A cold front is likely to bring rain turning to hill snow in Scotland, leading to a chillier second half of the week. Some further dry days are expected for all as high pressure returns with inversion conditions for some areas.

### Forecast issued at 16:07 on Friday, 14 January, 2022

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