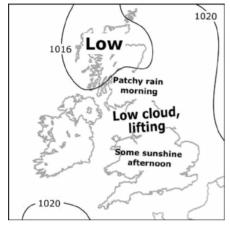
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Southeastern Highlands

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



General Summary for Friday, 24 May, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 24 May, 2024

Weakening low pressure over Scotland leaves extensive low clouds over the hills. Inland Scotland and northern England patchy rain in the morning and in the afternoon. Some sunshine in the south (Peak District, Brecon Beacons) and on western Scottish coast second part of the day. Only gentle breeze even on the highest tops.

Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Cloudy with local showers.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 24 May, 2024

How windy? (On the Munros)	Variable 10-15mph or less.	
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Local rain or showers, mostly inland Patchy rain drifting around slowly from dawn into the morning. Local brief showers forming into the afternoon. Wet ground and fast flowing streams.	
Cloud on the hills?	Often covering tops Varied banks of cloud covering the hills in the morning, bases tending to rise during the day, some breaks to upper slopes, but returning as ragged patches around showers.	
Chance of cloud free Munros?	20%	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun occasionally. Visibility good away from rain.	
How Cold? (at 900m)	5 to 7C	
Freezing Level	Above the summits	

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Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 25 May	Sunday 26 May
How windy? (On the Munros)	South to southeasterly, 20 to 30mph, with gusts up to 40mph in the afternoon.	South to southeasterly, 20 to 30mph, possible gusts up to 35mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Considerable wind chill, walking strenuous and balance affected on higher tops.	Fairly small, locally moderate for short periods.
How wet?	Morning drizzle, risk of evening rain.	Risk early rain, showery bursts later.
(Precipitation and its impact)	Light drizzle possible in the morning, later rain unlikely. Risk of possibly heavy rain in the evening or into the night	Uncertain at start, possibility of heavy rain early morning. Later likely developing showers, locally intense showery bursts. Possible thunderstorms.
Cloud on the hills?	Morning covering tops, later lifting and breaking	Hills covered extensively.
	Starting with dense clouds covering hills and valleys, later widely lifting with some breaks in cloud cover.	Dense cloud cover for most of the day on the tops, lowest slopes in the morning.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	10%, rising to 80%	10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Some sunshine through breaks in the cloud cover later in the day. Visibility good, possible slight haze.	Hardly any sunshine, mostly dull and foggy. Poor visibility.
How Cold? (at 900m)	5 to 9C.	6 to 8C, feeling close to freezing where exposed to strong winds.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 25 May, 2024

Low pressure system will fade upon the weekend arrival, allowing for a short improvement in the weather on Saturday. Into Sunday, shallow low from the east brings a risk of worsening conditions in Scotland and northern England, while western areas will see a new cold front coming from the Atlantic bringing moist, unstable air and spells of rain or showers, continuing into Bank Holiday. With a series of fronts from the west, next week will likely stay changeable, with more cloudy and wet days than sunny spells.

Forecast issued at 16:22 on Thursday, 23 May, 2024

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