

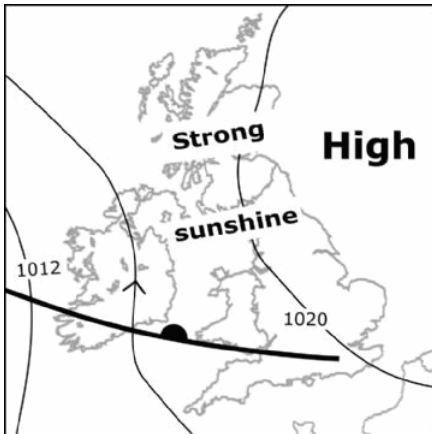
Southeastern Highlands

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.



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General Summary for Sunday, 11 August, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 11 August, 2024

A fine, warm and sunny day for most places. Early light showers in northwest Scotland fading. Increasingly humid Wales and south Pennines. Light winds in the morning, strengthening southeasterlies in afternoon; toward dusk reaching gale-force near west coast of Scotland - bursts of rain arriving here into the night.

Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Light wind until late. Strong sunshine.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 11 August, 2024

How windy? (On the Munros)	Southeasterly 10 to 15mph or less much of day, starting to increase toward evening. Reaching 40-50mph on higher tops into night.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible most of the day, but later may start to affect balance on highest peaks; deteriorating further after dark.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected
Cloud on the hills?	Hills largely clear Local patchy cloud or fog on some slopes from dawn, soon lifting or generally dispersing to leave hills clear.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	Above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny, high UV; thin high cloud building late afternoon/evening. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 900m)	9C rising to 12C, or warmer and more humid air into evening, but offset by the strengthening winds.
Freezing Level	Above the summits

Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Monday 12 August	Tuesday 13 August
How windy? (On the Munros) Effect of wind on you?	Southerly, very gusty 30 to 50mph from before dawn into morning. Later southwesterly, 15 to 25mph or less. Challenging turbulent conditions in the morning, likely to moderate during the day, perhaps becoming small with time.	South to southwesterly, 25 to 40mph, but risk over 50mph for a few hours on higher summits. Buffeting across most higher terrain all day, may be more arduous for at least part of the day.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Thundery rain for a time Extensive rain likely for a few hours in the morning, some embedded heavy and thundery bursts tracking northeastwards. Likely to clear into afternoon to leave just rare drizzly showers.	Patchy drizzle, rain mostly west Drizzly showers mainly central highlands, some more frequent rain for periods. Further east of the A9, little or no rain for many hours, but some rain may spill eastwards later.
Cloud on the hills?	Improving after rain clears During and just after rain, varied but fairly extensive low cloud from forest canopies upwards. Gradually lifting and thinning with breaks increasingly forming toward higher slopes during afternoon.	Extensive higher and western tops Often covering the hills above 700 to 900m, lowest and most persistent central highlands, especially in rain. Eastern hills starting clearer, but some banks rolling onto tops with time.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	30% rising to 70%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Overcast, some sun developing later as high cloud thins. Misty around rain; visibility improving later to become good.	Some sun through high cloud, best in east in the morning where visibility good; becoming mostly overcast, misty in central highlands around rain.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	Humid 13C from before dawn into morning, but falling during day as a cold front passes, to between 7 and 10C. Above the summits	8 to 10C. Feeling sub-zero where exposed to stronger winds on higher tops. Above the summits

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 12 August, 2024

West to southwesterly winds will prevail during the week ahead, maintaining generally unsettled weather patterns coming in from the Atlantic. Frequent and at times heavy rainfall concentrated over western mountains, where ground conditions increasingly saturated. Often extensive low cloud. Periods of strong to gale-force winds are likely midweek onward. Generally cool and unsettled toward next weekend.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Saturday, 10 August, 2024

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