

Southeastern Highlands

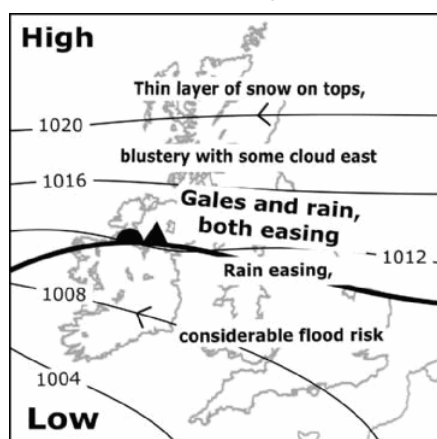
The southern Highlands as far west as the Callander area and north to Loch Erich, Drumochter and summits near Glenshee ski-centre (summits within the historic county of Perthshire). Also Ochils and Angus hills.



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General Summary for Saturday, 15 November, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 15 November, 2025

High fog banks in the east Scottish Highlands, dry with sunshine west; windy early but easing. A thin layer of snow blankets the summits. Early gales in England and north Wales ease but remaining blustery. Rain here too, also easing though lingering south Pennines. Flood risk in Wales and south Pennines.

Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Gusty gales over tops early, easing; most cloud east

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 15 November, 2025

How windy? (On the Munros)	Easterly 40 to 50mph from dawn, very powerful gusts in places toward west. Slowly decreasing, to 20-25mph late afternoon, perhaps lower speeds east of A9.
Effect of wind on you?	Expect challenging conditions and significant wind chill (risk severe) in morning; buffeting gusts may require bracing to maintain balance. Conditions generally improving, may become fairly small east of A9.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Occasional flurries east Often dry, but a few light snow flurries may drift onto the hills east of the A9, amounting to little.
Cloud on the hills?	Most frequent on east-facing tops Patchy cloud mostly above 900m, most common over eastern hills, sometimes drifting onto tops west of Perth, but often clearing tops toward Lochs Tay and Rannoch. Breaks will occur, particularly around midday, but at times more extensive over high terrain.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	30% east, rising to 50%, up to 70% near Loch Tay.
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	A little sun mostly westernmost areas, possibly a more extended period of sunshine for a few hours. Visibility very good, some haze in east early.
How Cold? (at 900m)	-1C (to -3C higher summits in morning). Wind chill feeling like -15C in morning, -10C even into early afternoon.
Freezing Level	Around 700-800m with local variations - some lower slopes near or at freezing in morning. May rise a little during day.

Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 16 November	Monday 17 November
How windy? (On the Munros) Effect of wind on you?	Northerly 15 to 20mph, tending to increase a little, to 25mph particularly by afternoon, higher gusts over tops. Prepare for noticeable wind chill; mostly fairly small effect on walking, but becoming more blustery exposed high tops.	Northerly shifting northwesterly 25-35mph, at times stronger in eastern areas. Comfort of walking affected, particularly east where strenuous with buffeting in exposure. Significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Dry most of day, local snow flurries later Largely dry, possibly all daylight, but later afternoon, risk of some scattered snow flurries above 700-800m developing from the north, mainly areas near Pitlochry to Lochnagar; spots of rain lower elevations.	A few snow showers well east Occasional snow showers onto easternmost mountains - snow down to middle slopes. Likely dry elsewhere.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free Munros?	Mostly very little until later Fragments around some upper slopes and possible local mist some glens, but many mountains free of cloud well into the day. More patches drift onto higher slopes, filling in more widely into dusk. 80%	Coming and going eastern tops Some banks of cloud come and go over tops east of the A9. May become more frequent well-east later in the day. Hills west of A9 likely clear all day. 60% east to 90% west
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine and thin high cloud, tending to become cloudier from north later in day. Visibility excellent.	Widely sunny west of A9, a patchwork of cloud and sun to the east. Visibility mostly excellent; will significantly deteriorate if in snow.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	0 or -1C. May briefly rise slightly afternoon. Feeling like -7C in exposure to wind. Frost in glens, near or just below freezing most elevations early in day; typical freezing level 900-1000m by midday.	-3C. Feeling as cold as -13C in strongest wind. 600m; frosts likely widespread into the glens at dawn.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 16 November, 2025

Rain eases in Wales and the southern Pennines though flood risk may linger for another day.

Winds shift widely northerly as the weekend turns into next week, drawing cold air widely across the country; staying below freezing over higher mountains most likely throughout the next week to 10 days. Snow flurries move in on this northerly wind on slopes exposed to coasts; snow most frequent toward north of the Highlands with some locally more substantial accumulations over higher terrain; some accumulating upland snow possible more widely during Tuesday as a front drifts southward. Elsewhere, sunny breaks will occur at times frequent and prolonged. Winds often strong, at times gale force; significant wind chills likely.

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