

# Southeastern Highlands

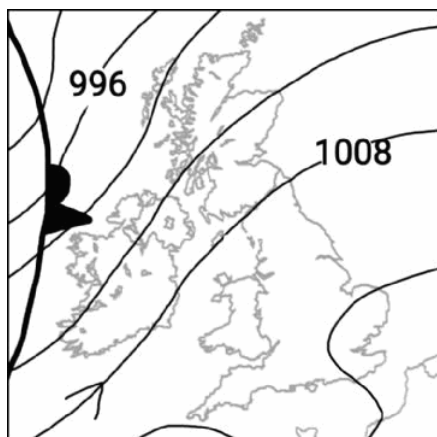
The southern Highlands as far west as the Callander area and north to Loch Erich, Drumochter and summits near Glenshee ski-centre (summits within the historic county of Perthshire). Also Ochils and Angus hills.



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### General Summary for Wednesday, 14 January, 2026



#### British Mountain Summary:

**Based on forecast chart for noon 14 January, 2026**

Cold westerly winds, backing southerly and strengthening ahead of a front which will move into western Scotland during the afternoon, with snow setting in for western mountains, patchier further east. Ahead of this front, scattered snow showers. Mostly dry for England and Wales until front edges precipitation into west later.

#### Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Mostly dry morning. Then strong southerly winds developing with snow risk later.

### Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 14 January, 2026

<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	Westerly 30mph morning. Then backing southerly and strengthening to 40-50mph by dusk.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Fairly small particularly lower slopes morning.</b> <b>Walking then increasingly difficult and wind chill becoming significant.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Patchy snow extending east in afternoon</b> Extensively dry morning and early afternoon. Snow then extending east, most persistent west of A9 late on, more patchy elsewhere Very little if any reaching Angus until into the night.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>  <b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>Probably remaining extensive on most or all higher areas</b> Cloud generally widespread on higher areas, although possibly breaks to 1000m, particularly toward and east of Glenshee. Cloud base may well begin to lower again Will deteriorate in precipitation afternoon with cloud filling in across the hills, particularly west of A9. <b>10%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Occasional sunshine, mainly toward and east of Glenshee. Cloud thickening later in day. Visibility very good or excellent but later appalling in snow..
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>  <b>Freezing Level</b>	-2C. Directly in wind will feel as cold as minus 14C.  500m. Frost many glens after dawn.

**All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 15 January, 2026**

Very uncertain forecast late Thursday and into Friday, as a small scale and rather potent low pressure system edges northwards across the country on a very uncertain track. May bring a spell of strong winds and upland heavy snowfall overnight and into Friday morning before pulling away to the east. Thereafter, a drier and chilly weekend will follow. Looking further ahead, a colder continental influence may be drawn in on south to east winds, with the snow pack across the Scottish Highlands being enhanced by further spells of snowfall where fronts edge in from the west, whilst further south snow accumulates on higher areas, and occasional falls reach lower slopes.

**Forecast issued at 15:58 on Tuesday, 13 January, 2026**

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