

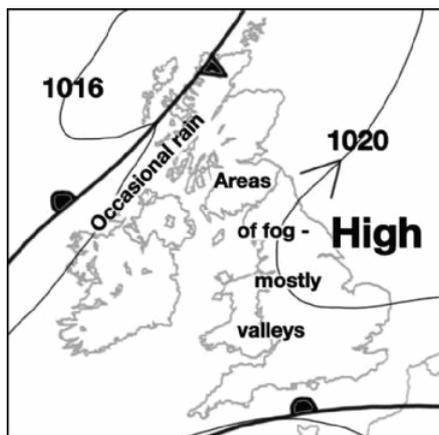
Southern Uplands

The Galloway hills eastward to the Lammermuir hills. The Cheviots (including higher hills within the adjacent Northumberland NP).



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General Summary for Friday, 27 November, 2020



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 27 November, 2020

A little rain Scottish Highlands, and mainly near the west coast low cloud. Elsewhere, dry, but fog wise very varied conditions. Fog in many valleys thins only slowly - if at all. On the hills, cloud often covering higher tops near N Irish Sea, otherwise tops often cloud free.

Headline for Southern Uplands

Wind dropping to very light; areas of fog. Very likely dry.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 27 November, 2020

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 10 to 20mph, strongest Galloway to Pentland hills after dawn. By afternoon, direction varied, 10mph or less.
Effect of wind on you?	Becoming negligible.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Precipitation unlikely Small risk of a little light rain westernmost summits in Galloway.
Cloud on the hills?	Patches both on lower and higher slopes. Not simple - areas of fog or very low cloud confined to or above some valleys, perhaps persisting most or all day south Lakes - but very little near Lothians. Higher up, cloud base typically 500 to 750m, although very little Borders.
Chance of cloud free summits?	20% west to 70% Borders
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patches of sunshine, mostly Borders. Very varied visibility: often excellent higher areas and above fog in and above some valleys.
How Cold? (at 750m)	0 or 1C.
Freezing Level	750m or above.

Southern Uplands - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 28 November	Sunday 29 November
How windy? (On the summits)	South to southeasterly, 5 to 15mph.	Direction varied 10mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Small.	Negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	A little light rain here and there Pockets of light rain or drizzle, although substantially dry.	Little or no rain. Risk of a little light rain and drizzle most likely morning Dumfries and Galloway. However, most areas dry.
Cloud on the hills?	Very varied: some areas never clearing Confidence in the detail low: Particularly in morning, fog/low cloud may be confined below about 400m with many tops above the cloud. Although lower slopes will tend to clear, from the south fog may gradually shroud higher areas. Hills near the Lothians probably cloud free all day.	Extensive, particularly western his Confidence low: areas of low cloud, in places forming just above valleys, will drift about only slowly, although will tend to thin. Here and there summits above the lowest cloud. The cloud probably most broken in the Borders, especially near the Lothians.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50%	40%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine breaking through in places, mainly near Lothians, where visibility very good. Widely hazy or murky elsewhere.	A little sun higher and there. Hazy or misty.
How Cold? (at 750m)	2C.	4C
Freezing Level	Above the summits, but frost extensive for a few hours after dawn.	Just above highest summits

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 28 November, 2020**

Very much drier over the coming week, although weakening fronts will bring a little rain and pulses of strong winds, mainly to the NW Highlands. Elsewhere, winds light and although extensively dry, fog will be widespread in and above valleys whilst higher up many summits become cloud free.

Temperature wise, the odd brief incursion of sub-freezing air onto higher summits Scottish Highlands, but any sustained cold at least a week off. Frost in valleys mostly confined to England and particularly Wales.

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