

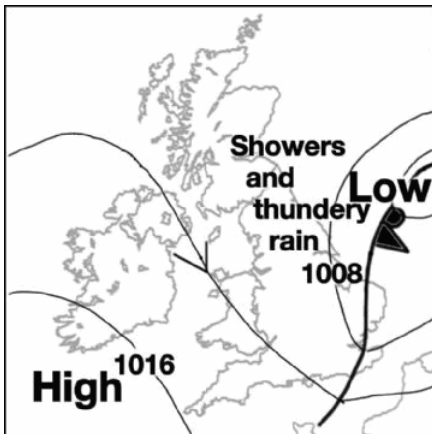
Brecon Beacons

Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.



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General Summary for Tuesday, 16 July, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 16 July, 2024

Areas of thundery rain, concentrated over central and eastern Britain, together with areas of low cloud. Some uncertainty as to the western limit of the rain, but overall western mountains will have only a few showers - with the trend for the improved conditions to extend slowly east through the day.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

A few showers. Cloud widely shrouding higher tops.

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 16 July, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	Northwesterly backing west 15 to 20mph, possibly 25mph mid Wales for a few hours.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk rain post dawn; then little or no rain Overnight rain thundery in places will have cleared, or in the hours following dawn will clear away eastwards. Otherwise just the risk of a brief shower.
Cloud on the hills?	Widespread on higher areas Very varied after dawn; some summits cloud free, but following the rain, overall extensive fog on the hills. By early afternoon, cloud confined to highest tops both Cambrian range and Brecon Beacons.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Rising to 70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchy sunshine increasingly coming through. Good or excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	11C, rising to 15C well inland.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 17 July	Thursday 18 July
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	South or southwesterly 10 to 15mph, perhaps 20mph near the west coast toward evening. Negligible becoming small.	Southwesterly 15 to 20mph. Small,
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain very unlikely	Rain now and again Drizzly rain occasionally, mainly SW Wales.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Most summits cloud free Cloud intermittently shrouding the Cambrian Mountains, mostly above 500 or 600m and 450m at times SW Wales. Otherwise very little. 80%	Extensive southwest Wales Preseli and Cambrian ranges: Hills extensively or persistently foggy above 300 to sometimes 450m. Elsewhere: Most cloud above 650 to 800m, highest Black mountains. 60%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Widespread weak sunshine in the morning fading as high-level cloud thickens from midday. Excellent visibility inland; good out to sea.	Occasional sun mainly lower slopes east Wales. Misty at times in rain, but otherwise visibility very good
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	12 to 14C, warmest in the early evening. Above the summits.	12C, to in east Wales perhaps 17C in afternoon. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 17 July, 2024

Winds generally coming in off the Atlantic will bring rain from time to time, and fairly extensive low cloud, at least to western mountains. A trend will be toward the wettest conditions being toward the north, as pressure rises across southern Britain. After warm air until Friday focussed on the Pennines and east Wales, lower mountain temperatures will return to the whole of the UK.

Forecast issued at 15:29 on Monday, 15 July, 2024

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