

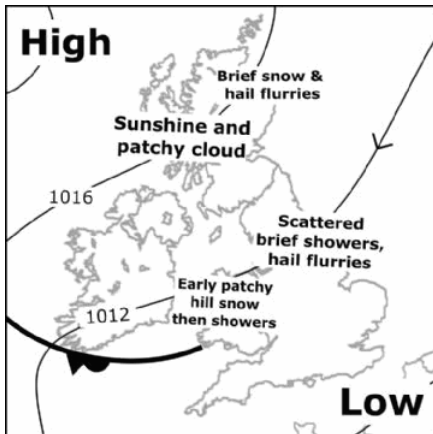
Brecon Beacons

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 Friday, 14 March, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 14 March, 2025

Cold, staying below freezing on higher mountains. Northeasterly winds lessening over the Highlands, but staying brisk for northern England. Scattered snow or hail flurries. Patchy cloud lifting toward or above many tops. Sunniest toward western coasts. Early patchy snow in Wales clears to leave brief showers.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Chilly. Patchy snow flurries, then brief showers with hail.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 14 March, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 10mph or less early morning, becoming northeasterly 15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small, but feeling chilly in the breeze.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Showers mostly afternoon Local sleet or snow flurries in the morning, mainly west & southwestern hills; patchy rain lower slopes. Scattered showers most widely afternoon, of snow and soft hail inland, passing east to west.
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly above the hills Occasional cloud banks will drift over high tops in the morning. Lifting to leave cloud generally above the hills by middle of day.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly cloudy for a few hours, then some breaks forming, leaving a patchy sun, but often fairly cloudy skies into afternoon. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	0C, rising to 1 or 2C afternoon. Wind chill feeling like -6C.
Freezing Level	600m at first, but some valleys also near to freezing from dawn. Rising toward or just above higher summits by afternoon.

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 15 March	Sunday 16 March
How windy? (On the summits)	Northeasterly 15 to 20mph, strongest in morning.	Northeasterly 15 to 20mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but feeling chilly in exposure on higher terrain.	Fairly small, but a noticeable chill on tops.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Precipitation unlikely Small chance of a brief light shower, mainly east Wales and into afternoon.	Precipitation unlikely
Cloud on the hills?	Most cloud above the hills Rare patches may graze highest tops in east Wales in the morning.	Most cloud above the hills Any brief patches on higher tops in the morning soon lifting.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%	80%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of sun and cloud; sunshine best toward west. Visibility excellent.	Patchwork of sun, more cloud by afternoon. Visibility excellent.
How Cold? (at 750m)	-1C rising to +1 or 2C afternoon. Feeling like -8C if in stronger breeze.	-1C rising to +2C.
Freezing Level	500m rising to just above highest summits. But also frost widely in valleys and	Frost many valleys and sheltered higher areas at dawn, typically rising just above freezing to highest tops by early afternoon.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 15 March, 2025**

High pressure drifts over the country through the weekend and early next week, bringing largely dry conditions, rare brief light showers. Chilly, becoming slightly less cold than recent days, but frost overnight into valleys; during the daytimes the freezing level lifting onto higher slopes. A covering of recent snow on many higher mountain tops. Sunny spells, variable cloud, and very clear crisp air. Winds fairly light overall this weekend and Monday - becoming southeasterly, strengthening soonest in Wales early in the new week, then more widely windy toward midweek, with some showery rain developing. A risk of more widespread spells of rain and some hill snow later in the week.

Forecast issued at 14:30 on Thursday, 13 March, 2025

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