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Brecon Beacons



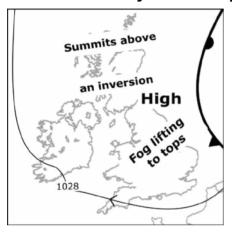


Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.

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General Summary for Monday, 13 October, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 13 October, 2025

Inversion conditions widely across Scottish highlands. High tops of Lakeland and Snowdonia also likely above a cloud layer. Feeling quite warm in the autumn sunshine on summits above the cloud; valleys and glens starting cooler. Cloudier over Pennines and east Wales, most fog rising to high terrain with local breaks.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Varied cloud lifts to high terrain; quite hazy

Detailed Forecast for Monday, 13 October, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	East or southeasterly 15-20mph, notable gusts over high ground.	
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small, though gusts in exposure will affect comfort of walking.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive, rising to upper slopes	
	Cloud banks at various heights in the morning, possibly more sheet-like, particularly east. Bases tending to lift to or above 600m; east of Brecon may often be cloudy above this level, much more broken to the west with clearer summits. Very highest summits at dawn may just be above fog, but soon enveloped as the fog rises.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	20%	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly cloudy and dull, a few brighter spells possible in the west. Visibility limited by fog and haze.	
How Cold? (at 750m)	10C, little change with height in the morning through valleys starting much cooler.	
Freezing Level	Above the summits	

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Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Tuesday 14 October	Wednesday 15 October
How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 15mph, in palces gusty 20-25mph around some higher slopes.	Northeasterly 15-20mph. Gusty, reaching 25mph over tops and elevated passes.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but some slopes feeling noticeably gusty.	Comfort of walking just becoming affected during gusts.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	No rain expected
Cloud on the hills?	Varied low cloud, may persist east	Patchy cloud largely lifts off summits
	Cloud banks may fairly extensively cover eastern hills, some highest tops starting near top of the cloud layer, but likely to spill up and over higher slopes. May thin a little, and cloud more broken overall in west.	From dawn, well broken cloud at various heights, perhaps more extensive east of Brecon at first. Bases lift to or above the high tops, though always a risk of patches grazing the tops, particularly east.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50%	70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine generally best in west Wales, visibility very good here. Hazy or misty some slopes elsewhere.	Increasingly sunny as cloud increasingly breaks. Very clear air on the high tops at first, a haze increasingly prevalent.
How Cold? (at 750m)	8 or 9C, small variation from lower slopes upward in morning.	7 or 8C. Cooler in the valleys at dawn.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Tuesday, 14 October, 2025

High pressure resides over the country through the week, maintaining quiet weather. In the mornings, varied low cloud and morning fog is likely while inversion conditions likely to remain over highest mountains for several days. A haze will linger on low slopes below the inversion. During midweek the inversion starts to weaken as pressure begins to fall gradually; cloud will be well-broken for many and begin to lift to higher terrain. Light winds overall, an easterly breeze likely for Wales.

Uncertainty about the weather pattern development toward next weekend: some indication of strengthening winds bringing some rain, but may not reach all areas. Later October has hints of chillier northerly air, especially in Scotland.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Sunday, 12 October, 2025

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