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Brecon Beacons



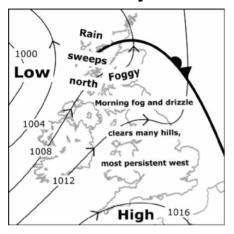


Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.

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General Summary for Saturday, 8 November, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 8 November, 2025

Morning rain in western Scotland with fog on most high terrain; lower and more extensive fog central and southern highlands. A misty, drizzly start on high terrain of England and Wales, though improving - cloud increasingly broken, particularly east of high tops. Feeling mild in moderate winds, a slight cooling later.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Fog and some drizzle early, largely improving

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 8 November, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 15-20mph. Late in the day, trending southwesterly then strengthening into nighttime.	
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Soon dry Some local fine drizzle in fog over high tops in the morning, this soon easing for dry hills.	
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive early, becoming well-broken	
	High terrain in fog from dawn with variable lower patches, including in the valleys. Soon lifting after sunrise toward 600-700m and increasingly broken through afternoon. Many summits will see clear periods, particularly east.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	Rising to 60%	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Cloudy early, bursts of sunshine increasingly common, frequent later. Visibility becomes good after early mist lifts but a haze will linger.	
How Cold? (at 750m)	6 or 7C, warmest to the east of high summits.	
Freezing Level	Above the summits	

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Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 9 November	Monday 10 November
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	A swathe of 35-45mph winds passes west to east through the day, risk 50mph over tops. May ease a bit from the west later. Difficult conditions with considerable buffeting and wind chill. May ease later though remaining strenuous.	South-southwesterly 15-25mph. A risk of more variable and possibly stronger afternoon wind though confidence is low. Likely only fairly small
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain from the west gradually sets in widely Frequent rain soon arrives from the west, spreading east and becoming widely persistent for several hours. Heaviest rain on south-facing slopes.	Showers from the south Intermittent showers drift onto southern slopes much of the day, which may become heavy. A risk of merging into a broader area of heavy rain, though confidence is low.
Cloud on the hills?	Becoming extensive, some higher bases east early Extensive across west and southern slopes down to middle or lower elevations all day. Higher east at first; bases may just reach the tops of the Black Mountains before lowering more widely as rain sets in.	Intermittently covering high terrain Banks of cloud come and go with showers, mostly above 600-700m. Clear periods on tops will occur between showers. Cloud may fill in more extensive at times if broader areas of rain pass, though detail is uncertain.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%, lowering to less than 10%	60%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	A few bright periods on northern slopes where visibility will be good, but elsewhere foggy and dull.	Intermittent sunshine, a risk of trending overcast. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	8C. Feeling like -3C in strongest direct wind. Above the summits	6 or 7C Above the summits

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 9 November, 2025

A cloudy and wet week ahead as several low pressure cores draw frontal systems across the British Isles. Rain at times extensive and heavy, streams in spate with a risk of flooding, primarily western mountains. Winds start fairly light but soon increase with gales becoming widespread by Tuesday, which may persist for several days. Temperatures remain mild until later in the week when cold air begins pushing into northern Scotland - timing and extent of the arrival of cold air remains uncertain but high terrain of Scotland and possibly northern England may start to see more snow around or after next weekend.

Forecast issued at 15:54 on Friday, 7 November, 2025

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