

Brecon Beacons

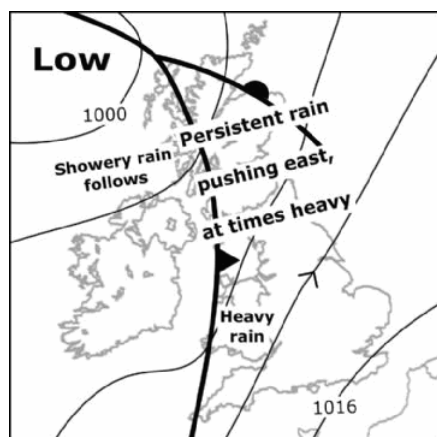
Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.



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General Summary for Sunday, 9 November, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 9 November, 2025

A swathe of rain advances eastwards across all regions during the day, heaviest over south-facing hill groups, patchier northwards across the Highlands, breaking up with time in the west, leaving a few showers, rising cloud bases. Windy, up to gale force high tops, most sustained in Wales.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Upland gales. Heavy rain, fading only later.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 9 November, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	South to southwesterly 35-45mph winds passes west to east through the day, risk 50mph over tops. May ease slightly from the west later.
Effect of wind on you?	Difficult conditions with considerable buffeting and wind chill. May ease later though remaining strenuous.
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 much of the day. Heaviest rain on south-facing slopes. Starting to break up in afternoon from west.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive Extensive across west and southern slopes down to middle or lower elevations all day. Higher east at first; bases soon lowering widely in rain.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Soon widely less than 10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	A few bright periods on northern slopes where visibility will be good, but elsewhere foggy and dull.
How Cold? (at 750m)	8C. Feeling like -3C in strongest direct wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Monday 10 November	Tuesday 11 November
How windy? (On the summits)	South-southwesterly 15-25mph. A risk of more variable and possibly stronger afternoon wind though confidence is low.	Southerly, strengthening rapidly overnight up to dawn, 40 to 60mph much of day, strongest gusts toward western tops.
Effect of wind on you?	Likely only fairly small	Difficult walking conditions higher terrain, powerful gusts knocking you off your feet. Marked wind chill despite mild air.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	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.	Rain often heavy Several hours of constant rain from dawn, heavy west and south, may then fade to lighter rain and drizzle, but later a risk of prolonged heavier rain setting in again.
Cloud on the hills?	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.	Extensive, lowest south Blanket low cloud across the hills, from lower slopes up in southern areas. Highest bases to 500-600m eastern mid Wales.
Chance of cloud free summits?	60%	Below 10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Intermittent sunshine, a risk of trending overcast. Excellent visibility.	Overcast and murky.
How Cold? (at 750m)	6 or 7C	Rising from before dawn to 6C, soon up to 9C; only small fall with height. Feeling like -5C directly in the wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 10 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 16:30 on Saturday, 8 November, 2025

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