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# **Brecon Beacons**

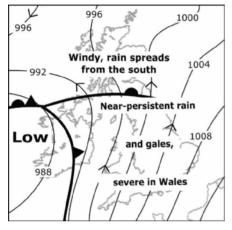




Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.

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# General Summary for Tuesday, 11 November, 2025



# British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 11 November, 2025

Rain from dawn in Wales soon spreads widely into England and southern Scotland, setting in for several hours; nearly constant all day for Lakeland and Galloway hills. Widespread gales as well, severe in Wales. A drier start for Scottish Highlands, though rain will spread from the south afternoon with strengthening wind.

#### **Headline for Brecon Beacons**

Severe gales over the tops with frequent rainfall

# **Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 11 November, 2025**

How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly, strengthening rapidly overnight up to dawn, 45 to 60mph all day, gusts reaching up to 70mph high tops.		
Effect of wind on you?	Difficult walking conditions on higher terrain, powerful gusts knocking you off your feet, including downslope gusts on northern aspects. Marked wind chill despite mild air.		
How wet?	Rain and drizzle, heavier later		
(Precipitation and its impact)	Several hours of constant rain from dawn, heavy west and south. This fading to patchy light rain and drizzle, but later likely prolonged heavier rain setting in again from the west, ongoing into evening.		
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive, lowest south		
	Blanket low cloud across the hills, from lower slopes up in southern areas. Highest bases to 500-600m eastern mid Wales, a few odd higher breaks possible though ragged patches will cling to lower slopes.		
Chance of cloud free summits?	Below 10%		
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Overcast and murky. Very poor visibility though occasional improvements during rain breaks towards mid-Wales.		
How Cold? (at 750m)	Rising from before dawn to 6C, soon up to 9 or 10C and staying elevated through afternoon; only small fall with height. Feeling like -5C directly in the wind.		
Freezing Level	Above the summits		

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#### **Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead**

	Wednesday 12 November	Thursday 13 November
How windy? (On the summits)  Effect of wind on you?	South-southwesterly 20-30mph, tending to strengthen, risk later in day and into evening 40mph over tops.  Possibly fairly small for a time, but risk increasingly blustery, becoming more arduous with time.	Southwesterly 25-30mph. Trending lighter as afternoon goes and may become variable in a lull - detail uncertain.  Strenuous walking on exposed high terrain for several hours, then a trend towards fairly small effects.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk rain setting in heavier again	Drizzly rain, easing
	Very wet underfoot with streams in spate and flooding following previous rain.  Possibly only patchy rain or drizzle early in day, but rain gradually setting in again, sustained heavy rain returning.	Drizzly rain, primarily over high tops and south/western aspects, this tending to ease as the day goes. Rain may be heavier and widespread near dawn.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive	Extensive, improving, best mid-Wales
	Likely to shroud the hills all day, to lower elevations southern areas. Some higher bases for a time mid-Wales, but blanketing all hills widely to low levels during rain.	Fairly extensive at daybreak. Bases soon begin lifting to near or above 600m on northern and eastern slopes, some local breaks to tops may form on the Black Mountains. Fog likely remains extensive on high southern and western slopes.
Chance of cloud free summits?	10%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Overcast, misty in most areas, increasingly murky and dull, poor visibility in constant rain.	The day starts overcast with mostly poor visibility. Bright or sunny breaks will occur mid-Wales with improving visibility here.
How Cold? (at 750m)	10C Feeling like 0C or below if in stronger	9C. Feeling just above freezing in strongest
	wind.	winds early in the day.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits.

# **Planning Outlook**

#### All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 12 November, 2025

Periods of heavy rain for many over several day; further flooding for Wales, the Lakes and southwest Scotland. Cooler than recently in Scotland with freezing levels lowering to most high terrain, snow showers falling on high terrain from the north; remaining generally mild England and Wales by day and night.

Later in the week and into the weekend, high pressure draws colder air into Scotland and progressively further south into England and Wales over the weekend. Strong easterlies are likely over England and Wales and conditions will be largely dry with some clear hills and sunny bursts; overnight frosts likely widespread in Scotland. The weather regime the following week is uncertain but first indications suggest more unsettled weather.

### Forecast issued at 16:07 on Monday, 10 November, 2025

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