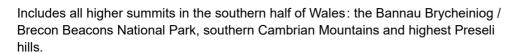
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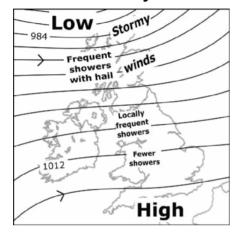






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General Summary for Wednesday, 10 December, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 10 December, 2025

Storm-force winds continue over Scottish mountains, beware of storm damage and blocked routes. Gales remain severe over high terrain in northern England and tops in north Wales. Showery rain, hail and on higher tops snow in the Highlands, near-constant in the west. Bands of showers northern England, fewer for Wales.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Upland gales. Some showers mainly west.

Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 10 December, 2025

| How windy? (On the summits) | Southwesterly 35 to 45mph, tending to moderate a little into afternoon. | |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Effect of wind on you? | Challenging walking conditions over the hills with frequent buffeting; considerable wind chill. | |
| How wet? (Precipitation and its impact) | Occasional showers Patchy showery rain mostly west and southwestern areas. Wet underfoot, streams in spate, some flooding following previous rain. | |
| Cloud on the hills? | Mostly higher western tops | |
| | Cloud base varying, mostly confined to upper slopes, most common toward western areas. | |
| Chance of cloud free summits? | 60% | |
| Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud) | Occasional sun mostly eastern mid Wales. Slight haze, but visibility mostly fairly good. | |
| How Cold? (at 750m) | 4 or 5C, rising slightly into evening-night. Wind chill feeling like -7C. | |
| Freezing Level | Above the summits | |

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Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

| | Thursday 11 December | Friday 12 December |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you? | South-southwesterly 35 to 45mph, risk over 50mph higher tops, mainly in west. Challenging walking conditions, in places remaining difficult over higher | Westerly 20-25mph; some variable direction, tending to strengthen around dusk, more so into night. Fairly small, but winds may be uncomfortable at times in exposure. |
| | tops. | |
| How wet? | Little or no rain | A few showers west slopes |
| (Precipitation and its impact) | Possible spots of drizzle in the air on some southern slopes. Rain may then develop from west later evening into night. | Rain onto eastern hills at dawn soon clears. Scattered showers drift onto southern slopes, mostly west of Merthyr Tydfill. |
| Cloud on the hills? | Varied, risk persistent some slopes | Mostly high tops and west slopes |
| | Banks of cloud likely covering some slopes, risk persistent on areas toward the south in particular, from mid-slopes upward. Local breaks northward. | Extensive cloud before dawn soon breaks, a few ragged patches leftover at various elevations though these fading. Caps will come and go over high terrain, most frequent and prolonged on southern slopes, particularly in the west. |
| Chance of cloud free summits? | 40% | 40%; 60% eastern hills |
| Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud) | Uncertain, sun may break through, best mid-Wales. Southern areas may stay cloudy and hazy or misty. | Cloudy skies early break, best of sun on northern slopes. Excellent visibility early, a haze building near the coasts. |
| How Cold? (at 750m) | 5C, may start to drop into evening or night. Feeling like -5 to -8C in the wind. | 4C, a degree or two warmer in the east at first. Feeling below freezing in direct wind. |
| Freezing Level | Above the summits | Above the summits |

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 11 December, 2025

Staying unsettled as southwesterly winds prevail and low pressure systems pass to the northwest of Scotland; sustained gales over the mountains, severe or stormy for periods. Temperatures only just below freezing intermittently on higher Scottish tops, even here will experience spells above freezing with thawing, any lying snow patchy, but beware some icy surfaces on the very highest tops where some refreezing occurs. Driest in eastern areas on Thursday, otherwise rainfall will be frequent and heavy, sometimes showery with hail. Expect wet ground conditions and further flooding of streams and some rivers.

Forecast issued at 16:05 on Tuesday, 9 December, 2025

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