

Brecon Beacons

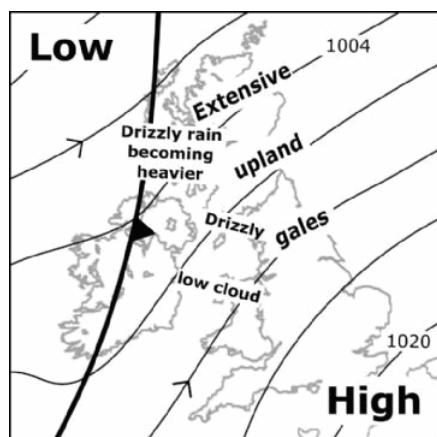
Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.



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General Summary for Thursday, 11 December, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 11 December, 2025

Gale force winds across most hills and mountains, severe gales high Scottish tops particularly morning in west, powerful gusts downslope in places. Low cloud and some drizzly rain west, mostly dry east/northeast. More persistent rain develops for western Scotland afternoon onward.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Windy, gale force on tops. Patchy cloud, some drizzle west.

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 11 December, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	South-southwesterly 35 to 45mph, at times over 50mph higher tops, mainly in west.
Effect of wind on you?	Challenging walking conditions, in places remaining difficult over higher tops. Considerable wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Locally damp southwest, largely dry east Spots of drizzle in the air on some southern slopes, more frequent in west. Rain then develops from west into night, becoming heavier in west later.
Cloud on the hills?	Varied, most persistent southern hills Banks of cloud covering some slopes, most persistent on areas toward the south in particular, from mid-slopes upward. Local breaks northward into mid-Wales.
Chance of cloud free summits?	40%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Uncertain, sun may break through, best mid-Wales. Southern areas may stay cloudy and hazy or misty.
How Cold? (at 750m)	5C, slight drop into night. Feeling like -5 to -8C in the wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits

All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 12 December, 2025

Staying unsettled into the weekend and beyond 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. Rainfall will be frequent and heavy for periods, sometimes showery with hail. Expect very wet ground conditions and further flooding of streams and some rivers.

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