

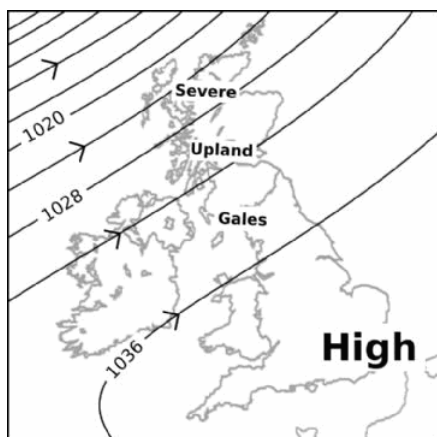
Lake District

The entire Lake District National Park, taking in all major summits, including Scafell, Helvellyn, Skiddaw, the Langdales and Old Man of Conistoun.



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General Summary for Wednesday, 8 February, 2023



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 8 February, 2023

Severe upland gales and, in places, storm force winds in Scotland, where heavy rain or snow will set in from west in the afternoon. Upland gales will penetrate into the Lake District and N Wales. Higher summits in most mountain regions will be near or below freezing point.

Headline for Lake District

Upland gales and extensive cloud.

Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 8 February, 2023

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 30mph. Increasing rapidly toward 45mph+ mid afternoon. Risk of 55mph after dusk.
Effect of wind on you?	Challenging conditions deteriorating further into the afternoon. Walking will be very difficult and gusts may blow you over. Significant wind chill developing.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk of rain on and off There may be the odd patch of drizzle or light precipitation southern and western fells. Will fall as snow at times on high ground.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive southern & western fells Southern and western fells will be shrouded from lower slopes most of the day. There will be a higher cloud base and, perhaps, breaks north and east. Morning mist may be slow to clear.
Chance of cloud free summits?	40%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine through intermittent high cloud. Hazy, perhaps very hazy.
How Cold? (at 750m)	Varying between 1 and 4C. Feeling -5 to -10C in the wind.
Freezing Level	Above summits but lowering rapidly to 600m overnight.

All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 9 February, 2023

Extensively dry and intermittently sunny with winds often light over the next week over Wales and southern Pennines. Windier and at times wet progressively further north across Britain, with wettest conditions on the W & NW Highlands. Here higher summits frequently sub freezing although one or two periods of thaw. Elsewhere, higher summits only occasionally below freezing point.

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