

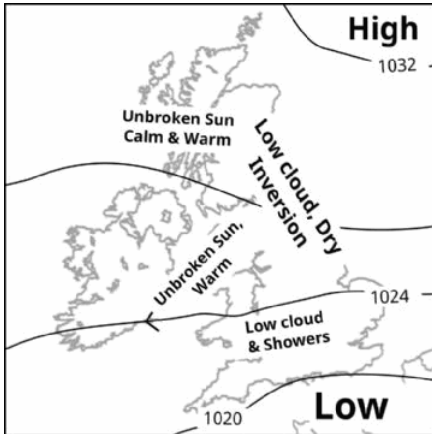
Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.



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General Summary for Friday, 20 September, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 20 September, 2024

Sunny, warm and calm with only morning valley fog in the Highlands. Low cloud southern Scotland and northeastern England, inversion, tops above the cloud. Sunny Lake District. East Wales under low cloud, west including Snowdon sunny & dry. Showers in Brecon Beacons. Locally gusty Welsh and English hills.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Mostly dry, sunny on highest tops, cloud lower down

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 20 September, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 20 or 25mph. Locally gusty on elevated passes.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but gusts affecting comfortable walking.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk of a little rain Risk low, but there may be one or two periods of showery rain toward the evening toward the south - possibly a heavy burst with very low risk an isolated thunder. First half of the day surely dry, rain very unlikely on Snowdon/Yr Wyddfa.
Cloud on the hills?	Lower slopes often covered at first Higher, particularly western & northern mountains clear all day. Lower down, cloud between 200m and 400-600m (top of the cloud) extensive east Wales, more broken west.
Chance of cloud free summits?	70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patches of sunshine east Wales, very sunny in the west. Hazy.
How Cold? (at 900m)	13C, sometimes colder lower down where in cloud.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 21 September	Sunday 22 September
<p>How windy? (On the summits)</p> <p>Effect of wind on you?</p>	<p>East to northeasterly, 15 to 20mph. Sudden gusts up to 40mph through elevated passes & west of major ridges.</p> <p>Small, but gusts locally may significantly affect your balance and stability.</p>	<p>Northeast to southeasterly, mean wind 10 to 25mph, but gusts may exceed 40mph locally. Strongest in the south.</p> <p>Variable, fairly small at times but in exposed locations gusts affecting comfortable walking and stability.</p>
<p>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</p>	<p>Showers, most south, locally heavy</p> <p>Frequent showers during the afternoon, highest risk east toward the south. Moderate risk thunder.</p>	<p>Risk showers, perhaps with thunder</p> <p>Possible thundery and at times heavy showers, risk highest toward the south.</p>
<p>Cloud on the hills?</p> <p>Chance of cloud free summits?</p>	<p>Hills covered at times on various levels</p> <p>Valley fog in the morning below 500m. During the day fog slowly dispersing, but afternoon cloud possibly coming and going on various higher levels.</p> <p>50%, tops in the morning cloud-free</p>	<p>Hills partly in cloud</p> <p>Cloud covering the hills toward the south, on Snowdon range except for morning mist mostly hills clear at start, perhaps getting covered during the day.</p> <p>60%</p>
<p>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</p>	<p>Patchwork of sun, clouds most frequently in the east and southeast. Good visibility, some haze in the air.</p>	<p>Patchy sun at start, increasingly murky and dull from the southeast during the day. Haze in the air.</p>
<p>How Cold? (at 900m)</p> <p>Freezing Level</p>	<p>11 to 13C</p> <p>Above the summits.</p>	<p>9 or 10C</p> <p>Above the summits.</p>

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 21 September, 2024

High pressure conditions with a lot of sunshine, warm temperatures and calm winds continue until early next week in Scotland and northern England. In Wales and Peak District during the weekend heavy showery bursts of rain, possibly thunderstorms. On Monday clouds and brief rain in Scotland. Northern England mostly dry, Peaks and Wales still wet. On Tuesday most likely dry day, before a deep low pressure system arrives on Wednesday/Thursday, bringing strong cooling and a lot of rain to most British mountains. Toward next weekend probably cold and wet, with again some snow on high tops.

Forecast issued at 13:09 on Thursday, 19 September, 2024

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