

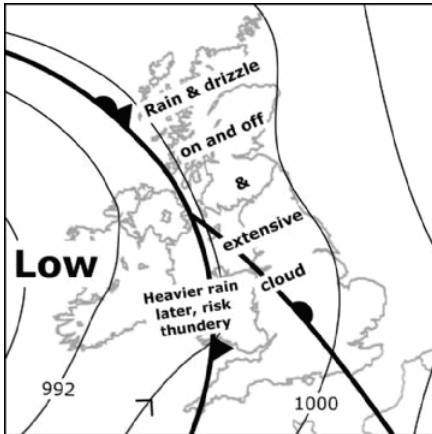
Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

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



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General Summary for Sunday, 6 October, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 6 October, 2024

Damp southerly air brings a lot of cloud, with drizzle and pulses of rain drifting northwards. Lowest cloud on south-facing hill groups. Drier and higher cloud toward NW Scotland. A zone of heavier rain moves into Wales in afternoon, locally torrential, risk of thunder. Blustery S-SE'ly winds, feeling cool on higher terrain.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Patchy rain, heavier later, possible thunder. Breezy.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 6 October, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	South to southwesterly 20 to 30mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Prepare for marked wind chill on higher tops, blustery in places which may start to affect comfortable walking.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Frequent or persistent rain, heavy later Rain common throughout the day, varied from drizzle to steadier pulses of rain moving northwards, wetter near to Cardigan Bay. Risk heavier rain moving in from south later afternoon into evening, chance local thunder and lightning.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive, higher north Often covering many higher tops, lowest bases typically west coastal areas including on Llyn peninsula, from 400 to 600m upward. Higher breaks forming toward Carneddau, often above 700m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly cloudy. Visibility good at times, reduced in rain.
How Cold? (at 900m)	6 to 8C, but feeling sub-zero if exposed to stronger winds on higher tops.
Freezing Level	Above the summits

Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Monday 7 October	Tuesday 8 October
How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly 20 to 30mph, strongest western summits.	South or southeasterly, 20 to 25mph, at times gusty 30mph around higher western mountains.
Effect of wind on you?	Blustery over the tops, affecting balance on exposed ridges, marked wind chill.	Blustery over higher terrain, gusts affecting balance on ridges. Marked wind chill in exposure.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain on and off Periods of showery rain tending to drift northwards across the region during the day, greater risk of more frequent rain near to west coast, some heavy bursts. Wet underfoot following previous rain.	Frequent bursts of rain Periods of rain drifting north across Wales, a mix of drizzle and some steady rain, developing increasingly into heavier showery bursts, risk thundery in places.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive Shrouding higher terrain much of the day, lowest cloud bases toward west coast, around 500-700m, lowest in rain. Some breaks above 800m north/east of the A5.	Fairly extensive Shrouding most tops throughout the day, some areas of fog from lower elevations upward early morning. Becoming confined above 600-800m, lowering in rain. Best breaks north of the A5.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun, mainly in north. Visibility at times good, but reduced in rain.	Mostly cloudy, glimpses of sun north. Visibility intermittently good, but reduced to poor in rain.
How Cold? (at 900m)	7C, but feeling sub-zero directly in the wind.	7C, but feeling near/below freezing in the wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 7 October, 2024

Areas of low pressure will influence all areas throughout the week ahead, bringing frequent rain and showers. Fairly mild conditions at first, but much colder air returns from the north from midweek, dropping widely below freezing over higher mountains, with showers of snow focused over Scottish mountains. A former Atlantic hurricane is likely track across southern Britain as a deep low, bringing a risk of heavy rain to England and Wales Wednesday-Thursday. Wind speeds very varied, some lulls early in the week, but midweek onward a risk of widespread gales or even stormy winds for a time - significant wind chill later week in strong northerlies.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Saturday, 5 October, 2024

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