Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

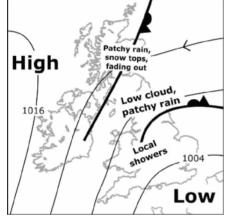
Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.





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General Summary for Sunday, 23 March, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 23 March, 2025

Chilly north to northeasterly winds; air temperature near freezing on higher Scottish tops. Rain and mountain top snow in eastern Highlands gradually fading, but low cloud persists. Sunnier skies emerging in western Scotland. England & Wales sees patchy rain, drizzle and low cloud, local showers toward south.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Chilly wind. A little rain or drizzle, low cloud rising slowly.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 23 March, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	North or northeasterly 20mph, or toward west at times gusty 30mph.		
Effect of wind on you?	Affecting balance on ridges and ease of walking on higher exposed areas; marked wind chill particularly morning.		
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Drizzly rain fading Light rain or drizzle in the morning, most persistent northern hills, fading into middle of day, but leaving pockets of drizzle. Risk of a local showery burst mainly mid-Wales into the afternoon.		
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive, cloud base rising, breaks west Generally cloud base rising through day; from late morning, most cloud above 750-900m, although nearer 600m east Wales and near/north of the A5. Best chance of breaks forming near west coast.		
Chance of cloud free summits?	20% rising to 50% by afternoon		
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Cloud thinning, allowing a little sun to come through toward west coast. Very good visibility out of cloud in west.		
How Cold? (at 900m)	3C; tending to rise slowly through the day. Wind chill feeling like -5C in morning.		
Freezing Level	Above the summits.		

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Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Monday 24 March	Tuesday 25 March
How windy? (On the summits)	Northerly 15-20mph early morning, easing to 10mph for a few hours; turning westerly afternoon, later 20mph, or 25mph by dusk.	Northwesterly 20 to 25mph, occasional 30mph around highest tops.
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small	Feeling blustery and chilly around higher tops, starting to affect balance on exposed ridges.
How wet?	Rain very unlikely	A little rain at first
(Precipitation and its impact)	Rare pockets of drizzle hills toward north and east early morning.	Patchy rain and drizzle from before dawn into the early morning, persistent for an hour or so, clearing southwards to be dry by middle of day, possibly sooner.
Cloud on the hills?	Patches for a time	Covering hills for a few hours, breaking
	Banks of cloud above some hills mainly toward north and east early morning above 400m. Lifting to upper slopes, patches may come and go for a few hours, but many tops often clearing.	Shrouding the hills above 400 to 600m from dawn, lowest near coast. Lifting to upper slopes during morning, then increasingly breaking to tops in afternoon.
Chance of cloud free summits?	70%	10% rising to 70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of sun. Excellent visibility.	Cloudy morning, sun breaking through in afternoon, later increasingly sunny. Visibility reduced in rain, then very good.
How Cold? (at 900m)	2C rising to 4C.	3 to 5C. Wind chill feeling like -3 to -5C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 24 March, 2025

A mixed westerly regime for the next week to ten days - fronts coming in from the west bringing spells of rain, interspersed with better days under ridges of high pressure. Rain most frequent in western Scotland. Wind speeds varied, but at times reaching gale force over the mountains. Temperature varied, occasionally just below freezing on higher Scottish summits, with some showers with snow at times on the Munros - possibly chillier for a few days around next weekend (29-30 March).

Forecast issued at 16:25 on Saturday, 22 March, 2025

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