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# Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

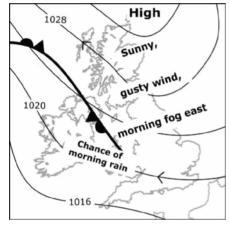
Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.





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## General Summary for Friday, 4 April, 2025



# British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 4 April, 2025

Gusty winds across all areas, strongest in southwest Scotland. Speed increasing around dusk England and Wales. Eastern Scotland and England seeing mid-slope cloud in the morning, some rolling over tops of the Pennines. Chance of morning rain south Wales and cloudy, clearing for a mostly sunny afternoon.

### Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Dry, morning cloud breaking for sun. Gusty winds.

## Detailed Forecast for Friday, 4 April, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southeasterly 25-35mph, shifting easterly through the day. Strong gusts through upland passes and around lower slopes. Strongest winds mid-Wales.	
Effect of wind on you?	Walking impeded with considerable buffeting. Stability challenges on exposed ridges. Feeling chilly.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Little or no precipitation Chance of light rain at dawn, quickly fading for a dry day.	
Cloud on the hills?	Morning cloud banks clearing	
	Banks of cloud over the high tops and some mid slopes around dawn, primarily eastern hills. Soon lifting and dissipating.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	90% by late morning	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun, becoming more frequent as high cloud passes.  Good visibility though some haze.	
How Cold? (at 900m)	10C, rising a degree during the day. Feeling near freezing in strongest wind.	
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	

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#### Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 5 April	Sunday 6 April
How windy? (On the summits)  Effect of wind on you?	Easterly 30-40mph. Gusts up to 45mph in places around high tops and elevated passes, strongest mid-Wales.  Strenuous walking, balance often challenged in gusts, particularly over ridges. Significant wind chill.	Southeasterly 30-35mph. Strong gusts through upland passes and around lower slopes. Slight easing in the later afternoon.  Balance and stability affected on exposed ridges, some strenuous walking. Feeling cold.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No precipitation expected	No precipitation expected
Cloud on the hills?	Little or none  Patchy cloud may come and go onto some higher slopes, mainly east-facing areas.	Little cloud expected  Patchy mist in valleys east/southeast of high terrain, a few banks may rise to mid-slopes in the wind. Soon dissipating for a cloud free day.
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%	Above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine. Visibility excellent.	Widely sunny. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	As cool as 4C particularly eastern hills in morning, up to 7C in west. Wind chill feeling as cold as -7C. Above the summits. Slight frost sheltered valleys at dawn.	5C, rising through the afternoon. Warmest west/northwest of Yr Wyddfa/Snowdon. Feeling like -5C in direct wind. Above the summits. Slight frost sheltered valleys at dawn.

## **Planning Outlook**

## All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 5 April, 2025

A high pressure center lingers over Britain next week. Extensively dry and sunny, possibly warm, some high cloud coming and going. Chilly mornings in valleys, slight frost and sometimes misty, though mists will soon clear for mostly cloud-free days. Occasional cloud banks may drift into eastern areas from the North Sea, staying on low to mid slopes. Generally light or calm winds across most areas. Later in the week, some indication of a westerly breeze into Scotland which will bring back cloud and some spots of drizzle.

#### Forecast issued at 16:28 on Thursday, 3 April, 2025

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